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Michael Reardon

(Class of 1999)

Consultant and Project Manager

Mercer Human Resource Consulting

Wednesday, February 11, 2004

11:40 to 12:30

Tuttleman 101

Present Responsibilities:

Michael Reardon, is a Consultant and project manager in Mercer's Philadelphia/Princeton office, is a member of the Health and Group practice.

Experience:

Michael has assisted Fortune 500 clients with projects ranging from plan design pricing, strategy development, plan financing, vendor management and performance, clinical informatics, and contribution strategy. He has strong health care financial knowledge and has developed and collaborated on several pricing tools used by Mercer professionals nationwide. His emphasis on financial metrics is further supported by his expertise in clinical informatics and health care data analysis and their implications for finance and human resource strategy development. Additionally, Michael was the primary architect of MedForecast - leading edge software which enables employers to estimate the cost impact of basic tactics and advanced strategies over a five year period.

Education:

Michael graduated summa cum laude from Temple University and majored in Risk Management and Insurance, Marketing, and Economics with an emphasis on employee benefits.

New Members as of February 4, 2004

Ganesh Nair
Marybeth Harnak
Fangyi Nie
Nico Oleaga
David Bradshaw
Sonja Williams
Chansivatha Nhem
Steven Rudkin
Saruladevi Nair

HEY! LOOK HERE! STUFF'S GOING ON!!

Mock Etiquette Workshop – 2/9, Monday
4:45 to 6:30

Gamma Games – 2/11, Wednesday

Pearson Hall, Gym 145

6:00 to 8:00

For more info contact Joe Pizza: jpizza@temple.edu

Intern Interview Workshop – 2/14, Saturday

9:30 to 12:30



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GAMMA GAMES!!

The long awaited day is once again rapidly approaching... **Gamma Games** will be taking place on **Wednesday, February 11, 2004 starting promptly at 6:00 in Pearson 145**. This list of games planned includes **fast lemon, blanket volleyball, tug-of-war,** and the ever popular **lightning-fast Gamma Trivia**. All Gamma members choosing to participate will receive a **free t-shirt** commemorating the evening. There will also be an ample supply of **food and drink** available to replenish all the energy you lose. To top it off, the winners of Gamma Games will live in infamy through a **Champions Plague** to be proudly displayed down the corridors of the Risk Management and Insurance Department. You can sign up on the Gamma Office door, at the weekly meetings, or with you committee chairs. For more information you can contact **Joe Pizza (jpizza@temple.edu)** or **Leticia Trott (ltrott@temple.edu)**. Don't miss this great opportunity to come out and get a wonderful workout with all your Gamma colleagues!!



MEET THE OFFICERS

SABRINA ENAM— Sabrina is a savvy veteran on the Sigma Chapter block, much like she is a veteran on the dating circuit (but she'll probably say... "Oh he's just a friend"). Sabrina has spent the duration of her Gamma tenure helping the lovely community (*translation*: making sure we have fun picking up trash in parks). She wanted me to remind you all that its Children's Literacy Month, so please bring in all your old books!! You can drop them off at the Gamma office. Being by far my favorite female Gamma officer, I chose to take it easy on Sabrina. But if you're in need of a last minute date for Valentine's Day... worse comes to worse, I can't think of anyone more fun to sit and "talk" to.



RISK MGMT INTERN CANDI-

The following two events are exclusively for intern candidates in the field of Risk Management. If you have completed either of these workshops in the past, then it is not necessary to fulfill this obligation again. For more info contact: Julie Smith at jsmith27@temple.edu.

INTERN INTERVIEW WORKSHOP

The Sigma Chapter will be holding an **Intern Interview Workshop on Saturday, February 14, 2004**. This workshop is also very important to individuals looking to obtain an internship this upcoming summer in the field of Risk Management and also for students enrolled in BA 100. As another one of the cornerstone steps in the road to the resume book, this workshop will assist you in the proper way to conduct yourself while interviewing for an internship position. It will be held from **9:30 am to 12:30 am**.

MOCK ETIQUETTE WORKSHOP

On **Monday, February 9, 2004** we will be holding a **Mock Etiquette Workshop**. This workshop is very important for individuals looking to obtain an internship for the following summer (exclusively risk management majors). As the other cornerstone step in the road to the resume book, this workshop will assist you in the correct way to eat in a business environment. No longer will you be in wonder as to which fork is the proper fork and whether you should pass the salt and pepper separately or together. So extend your pinkies proudly and come learn the ins and outs of business dining. It will be held from **4:45 pm to 6:30 pm**.

NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION

On **Friday, February 20, 2004** the first **New Member Orientation** of the Spring 2004 semester will be held in **Curtis 201 from 11:40 to 12:30**. This orientation is a chance for new members to learn about the organization, the many professional and personal benefits the organization offers its members, and the ways to make the most out of membership. The **New Member Orientations** are a great way to figure out where and how to carve out a niche in the Sigma Chapter. **Pizza will be served!!**



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9 Mock Etiquette Workshop 4:45 to 6:30	10	11 Guest Lecturer Michael Reardon Mercer HR Consulting 11:40 to 12:30 Tuttleman 101 Gamma Games Pearson 145, 6:00 to 8:00	5	13 Internship Presentations 11:40 to 12:30 Curtis 201 Saturday, February 14 Intern Interview Workshop 9:30 to 12:30
16 Committee Meetings 11:40 to 12:30	17	18 Guest lecturer Matt Anthony Milliman USA 11:40 to 12:30 Tuttleman 101	19	20 New Member Orientation 11:40 to 12:30 Curtis 201 Saturday, February 21 Intern Interview Workshop 9:30 to 12:30