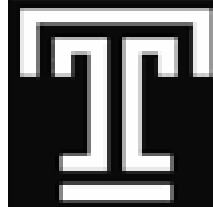




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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2005, 11:40AM TO 12:30PM

WALK AUDITORIUM – RITTER HALL ANNEX

Debra (Debbie) Rodgers joined the ARAMARK Corporation in 2003 as Vice President, Risk Management at the company's headquarters in Philadelphia. ARAMARK is a leading provider of a broad range of outsourced services to business, educational, healthcare and governmental institutions. ARAMARK has more than 240,000 employees serving clients in 20 countries. ARAMARK's 2004 fiscal sales exceeded \$10 billion. Before joining ARAMARK, Ms. Rodgers was the Director of Risk Management for Saint-Gobain Corporation. She received the ARM designation in 1995. Ms. Rodgers has a Masters Degree in Business Administration from Villanova University and a Bachelor of Science degree in Education from the University of Delaware.

CURRENT INDUSTRY EVENTS

COURTESY OF OUR INDUSTRY RELATIONS TEAM

Ex-Marsh CEO Plans Private Fund

Acquiline fund will invest in financial-services firms

Former Marsh & McLennan Chief Executive Jeffery Greenberg is starting a private equity fund that will invest in financial-services companies.

The fund, which will be called Acquiline, marks the return for Greenberg, who was ousted almost a year ago as head of the top insurance broker during bid-rigging investigations by New York Attorney General Elliot Spitzer.

One of the people familiar with Acquiline said the fund could be up to \$1 billion, while another individuals said the amount that Greenberg is planning to raise will be much less.

*Have a great idea for or question about Risky Business?
Contact Patrick Healey at patrick.healey@temple.edu.*

In This Week's Issue...

- Internship Spotlight
- Actuarial Science Internship Reception
- Career Reception Program

GIS MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE

From **Thursday, October 20, 2005 to Sunday, October 23, 2005** officers of the Sigma Chapter will be traveling to Mackinac Island, MI for the Gamma Iota Sigma International Management Conference, which will be hosted by the Alpha Alpha Chapter, of Olivet College, MI. Participants will attend workshops to help better their chapters. Additionally, and most importantly, the Edison L. Bowers Award will given to the most outstanding chapter.



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INTERN SPOTLIGHT

This past summer **Jonathan Backlund** interned with ACE USA in New York. Jonathan worked under the New York Regional Executive, John Alfieri, completing a broker mapping project. In this enormous task, Jonathan went through records from nearly every department in New York and compiled a list of brokers who conduct business with ACE USA. He also helped out with their Broker Appreciation Gala which was a five hour event thanking ACE's brokers at the Park Avenue Country Club. Even though Jonathan enjoyed Manhattan, he didn't enjoy his commute from Temple everyday during the month of



June. Jon's daily three hour train rides took a heavy toll on him as the weeks passed. ACE USA was Jonathan's third internship, having worked for Milliman USA and Philly Insurance Companies.

If you have any questions about an internship or ACE, please contact Jon at backlund@temple.edu.

CAREER RECEPTION PROGRAM

For those individuals who will be attending the Career Reception, please be advised that the program is now up on the **Sigma Chapter Website (sigmachapter.org)**. It is highly recommended that you read over this program to see not only the companies that are attending, but also the jobs that are available and the requirements for each position.

ACT SCI INTERNSHIP RECEPTION

Believe it or not, the Actuarial Science Internship Reception is rapidly approaching. In the past, companies such as ACE INA, CIGNA, Ernst & Young, Mellon Investor Solutions, Towers Perrin and a number of others have attended. It is imperative that if you are going to attend all of the requirements must be completed by the day of the reception, **Friday, November 18, 2005**. Again the requirements are the submission of your resume on sigmachapter.org, an etiquette workshop, interview workshop, mock interview, resume review with Dr. Drennan and payment of your dues. Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact **Priya Nanda** at pnanda@templ.edu. Please be aware that no exceptions will be made for those individuals who fail to meet all of the aforementioned requirements.

10 REASONS WHY I'M GOING TO MACKINAC ISLAND ON LAKE MICHIGAN

- 10.) So I can miss Dr. Baglini's 359 Exam.
- 9.) What's better than a 4 hour plane and bus ride with Dr. Drennan, Dr. Cather and 30 insurance students?
- 8.) I need a vacation.
- 7.) I've heard good things about officers from Baylor.
- 6.) The people on this island use horses instead of cars.
- 5.) I get to see Dan Dotzert's face turn purple when he's introduced at the dinner.
- 4.) Jon Backlund gets to see his "friend" from St. John's.
- 3.) I get to see Dr. Drennan's reaction when the airline loses his luggage.....Again.
- 2.) I honestly didn't have a choice.
- 1.) I get to show off as a member of the best GIS chapter.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
17	18	19	20	21	22
<u>Committee Meetings</u> —11:40AM to 12:30PM: Alumni Affairs, Membership Development, MIS		<u>Debra R. Rodgers, of ARAMARK</u> —11:40 to 12:30 in Walk Auditorium	<u>Gamma Iota Sigma Annual Conference on Macinaw Island, MI</u>	<u>Gamma Iota Sigma Annual Conference on Macinaw Island, MI</u>	<u>Gamma Iota Sigma Annual Conference on Macinaw Island, MI</u>
24	25	26	27	28	29
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