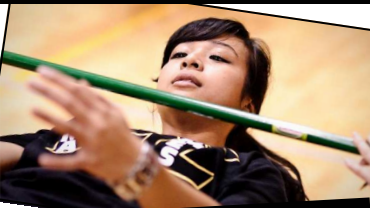


# RISKY BUSINESS

TEMPLE UNIVERSITY, FOX SCHOOL OF BUSINESS, DEPARTMENT OF RISK, INSURANCE AND HEALTHCARE MANAGEMENT

## THE 17TH SEMI-ANNUAL GAMMA GAMES!



**WEDNESDAY,  
FEBRUARY 17TH 2010  
5:45 PM - 8:00 PM  
PEARSON HALL ROOM 145**



The time has come for the competition of the semester! As the actuarial science and risk management students prepare for the battle that awaits them on Wednesday night in Pearson Hall, I was able to catch up with a few of them. Many seemed to be in the midst of rigorous training schedules to ensure they are in tip-top shape for the big event.

"Of course I have been hitting the stair master and weight machines for the past few weeks at the IBC," said Luba Sakalova (May 2010), "this compe-

tion is more intense than a Drennan test!"

Rather than taking their anxiousness and aggression out at the gym, others prefer to talk smack. Exhibit A, Miguel Rilloraza (Dec 2010): "It's amazing how bad RMI and Act Sci students are at real sports. Sure they can hula hoop, just don't give them a basketball."

Andrew Kalb (May 2011) has more confidence in his abilities than Miguel gives credit, though. "I dominate in knock-out. Two-time defending champ right here. I have class on Wednesday

nights this semester though, so the title is up for grabs. May the best man win!"

One past Gamma Games winner, who wishes to remain anonymous, shared his experiences post-win with me. "I was on cloud nine. People would applaud me as I walked the halls and girls began flocking to me because of my display of macho-ness in Ultimate Musical Chairs. Believe me when I say, there is nothing like a Gamma Games victory."

Diane Cotrim (May 2010) is looking for that

victory our anonymous winner speaks of. "I am going for the gold this year," Diane boasts. "It's my last chance, so I have to make it count."

Elizabeth Caracino (May 2012) looks forward to watching from the sidelines as a ref. "The Olympics ain't got nothing on this competition," she says.

Needless to say, there is a lot at stake in the 17th Semi-Annual Gamma Games. Weeks of training and smack-talk will be put to the test. But most of all, much fun will be had! **Be there!**

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**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17TH 2010  
ALTER HALL AUDITORIUM A031  
12:00 PM - 12:50 PM**

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### INDUSTRY TO CAMPUS

# MERCER

**TUESDAY,  
FEBRUARY 16TH 2010  
ALTER HALL AUDITORIUM A031  
5:30 PM - 6:30 PM**

Come out for the first Industry to Campus event of the semester and hear from Mercer representatives Steven Long and Kirk Czonstka. They will be talking about Mercer, discussing internship opportunities, and describing what it is like to build a career with the employee benefits company. If you are on the benefits track or have any interest in employee benefits, this is the event for you!



**Committee Meetings**

Monday, February 15th 2010  
12:00 PM - 12:50 PM

**Committee meetings are this Monday!** Below you will find the room numbers for each committee.

- Student Affairs - SAC 217A
- Community Affairs - SAC 217B
- MIS Committee - Alter 601c
- Public Relations - SAC 217C
- Career Development - SAC 217D
- Math Competition - SAC 200A
- Special Events - SAC 200C

**Intern Interview Workshop**

Monday, February 15th 2010 (4:45-7:30PM)  
Alter Hall Auditorium A031  
Saturday, February 20th 2010 (9AM-12PM)  
Alter 605

This workshop will teach you the critical information necessary for interviewing. It is **required** for all **BA 2101** students to attend one Intern Interview Workshop and is also a step in the road to the **Resume Book**. Students who want to attend the Intern Reception must attend an Intern Interview Workshop. Sign up by the plasma screen in the Department on the 6th floor of Alter Hall.

**Etiquette Workshop**

Tuesday, February 16th 2010  
Alter 032  
4:00 PM - 5:30 PM

Come learn from our etiquette guru, Janice Moore Campbell, the essentials to impress your future potential employers and colleagues on a dinner interview. For students taking **BA 2101** or looking to be included in the **Resume Book**, it is **mandatory** that you attend one of these workshops. If you have already completed this in a previous year, you have fulfilled this requirement. Sign up on the clipboard by the plasma screen in the Department on the 6th floor of Alter Hall. **\*This is the last one!**

**Bake Sale**

Friday, February 19th 2010  
Alter Hall Lobby  
9:00 AM - 12:00PM

Come out and support our charity of the year, the **Arnesha Mack-Walker Foundation**, by making donations in return for cookies, brownies, and other scrumptious treats!



**Actuarial Science Workshop: Consulting vs. Insurance**

Friday, February 19th 2010  
Speakman 115  
12:00 PM - 12:50 PM

A guest speaker will detail what it is like to be a Consulting Actuary, some of the challenges and benefits, what it is like on a daily basis, and how it may affect exam preparation. Another guest speaker will discuss life as an Actuary in an Insurance role. The two will compare and contrast issues that are dealt with in both fields.

**RMI Intern Presentation Workshop**

Friday, February 19th 2010  
Speakman 112  
12:00PM - 12:50PM

This RMI workshop features students' presentations on their summer internships. It is important to get the facts from a third party in addition to the company's information when considering an offer. Students will discuss their responsibilities as interns, the perks and drawbacks of the intern programs, how they got their internships, and an evaluation of their overall experience. Presenters include Andrew Kalb (Willis), Monira Gamal-Eldin (Mercer), and Dale Schlegel (Conner Strong).

**Mark Your Calendars!**

**February 18, 19, 20th 2010:**  
Mock Interviews

**Saturday 2/27/2010:**  
RMI Event - Greater Philadelphia Cares

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