

Sullivan Center News

The HUB

We are happy to announce that the new HUB website is up and running www.luc.edu/hub! The site is an advising tool designed specifically for HUB staff to assist students with our most common questions. If your department information isn't listed on our website, maybe the HUB can do more for you. Please contact John Dahlstrand. Also, look for this newsletter online at the HUB website in the next couple of weeks.

The Sullivan Center now has recycling bins for bottles, cans and paper. Bins are located outside of the restrooms on the first floor and second floors.

Campus Card

Here are some reminders for 'Meal Plans' as we get closer to the end of the semester:

- *All meal plans including Flex Dollars and Declining Balances will be canceled out and removed at the end of the Spring 2009 semester
- *All meal plan funds need to be used accordingly before the end of the Spring semester
- *Rambler Bucks never expire as long as students are enrolled in classes

Career Development Center

- 4/6 **Design Principles for Building Your Own International Organization: The Power to Drive the World Today** (Sullivan Center, Room 202) 4p.m.
Mr. Carter Page, Global Energy Capital LLC (No Registration Required)
- 4/6 **Loyola Alumni & Student Networking Night** (Kasbeer Hall, WTC) 6:30-8p.m.
Registration required at www.luc.erecruiting.com. No Fee to attend this event.
- 4/15 **Business & Etiquette Dinner** (Crown Center Lobby, LSC) 5:30-7:30p.m.
Students can come in person to the Career Development Center to register and pay to reserve a spot.
- 4/21 **"Get a Financial Life"**
LUMA-Loyola University Museum of Art (Simpson Lecture Hall) 6:00-7:30p.m.
No Fee, RSVP at Alumni Relations website: www.LUC.edu/alumni/career/events.

Center for Experiential Learning

Fellowship Office

The Fellowship Office is pleased to announce that an entirely new web site, designed to help Loyola students and recent alumni who are interested in applying for prestigious fellowships and scholarships, is now available at <http://www.luc.edu/fellowshipoffice/>.

In addition, new Fellowship Incentive Grants (FIGs) of \$1000 have been created to encourage students to think about and start their external applications sooner. Please check the new web site for eligibility requirements, and note that the FIG deadline is 5/1/2009.

First Year Experience

The Office of First-Year Experience is full steam ahead. Come **May 4th** students will be able to sign up for **Discover Loyola: Your Orientation Destination at Next Stop** (admitted student portal). Special thanks to all of our university colleagues as Discover Loyola is moving in a great direction as we welcome a new community of students for the Fall. For more information about Discover Loyola dates, please go to luc.edu/orientation. Please note that we will be asking for various departments to present at orientation in the next week. We will be meeting as a large group on **April 17th, 9-10a.m. in Bremner Lounge (CFSU)**. If you plan to attend, we ask that you inform **Karnell Black** at kblack5@luc.edu. Any questions or concerns can be directed to him as well.

The Office of First-Year Experience is also partnering with Residence Life and the College of Arts & Sciences again this year to offer seven **Learning Communities** to the Class of 2013. These students will live together in Simpson Living Learning Center, take classes together based on their selected theme (pre-health, psychology, green living, global citizenship, Ignatian leadership, arts in society, or social justice), and participate in events and activities on and off campus with dedicated upperclass students, faculty, and staff. Questions and suggestions can be directed to **Bridget Wesley** at bwesley@luc.edu.

Office of Academic and Advising Services

The Office of Academic Advising and Services is continuing to pursue its restructuring goals in line with our [strategic planning](#) for 2009-2014. These goals are:

1. Develop a new, positive culture for the Office for Academic Advising and Services.
2. Create a common understanding and set of expectations about advising for Loyola.
3. Align advising structures in the university, generally, and within OAAS.

Thursday, April 2, 2009



DID YOU KNOW?

Faculty/Staff Service Immersion - Info Session

*The 4th Annual Mission & Ministry faculty and staff immersion trip returns to New Orleans from **May 30 to June 6, 2009**. Yes, they still need our help, and this year is your chance to make a difference. Join us in the "Big Easy" as we:*

- Assist families working hard to return home
- Meet and connect with other Loyolans
- See our mission from a new perspective
- Reflect upon our own work at Loyola

Interested? Come learn more, talk to previous participants, and pick-up an application at an upcoming information session. Bring your lunch and questions.

Information Sessions:

Thursday, April 2 Noon
Cardinals Suite, Mundelein Center-1st flr, LSC

Tuesday, April 7 Noon
Suite 630 (IPS), Lewis Towers, WTC

*Applications are due on **Tuesday, April 14**. Can't make a session? Contact **Megan Barry** for more information.*

Iggyslist

BUY - SELL - TRADE - CONNECT

Iggyslist is your destination for free online classified ads in the Loyola community. Sign in today to view both public and Loyola-only ads or post your own.

Visit Iggyslist at: <http://www.luc.edu/iggyslist>

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Office of Academic and Advising Services (cont.)

4. Create a new team of staff and leaders, who can provide the services needed under the new structure and approach.
5. Coordinate academic support services, now grouped in a number of areas, which address the needs of students "at risk" and certain categories of students.

Some upcoming changes in Advising:

To enhance student-advisor relationships, incoming first year students will be matched with an advisor, who will be instructing those students through the first semester via UNIV 101. Advisor assignments for freshmen will be made in advance of their Discover Loyola advising appointment, so incoming students can develop an advising relationship prior to classes starting, in class (UNIV 101) and via advising in the Sullivan Center. Advisor availability has also been greatly improved this semester by increasing staffing levels for walk-in appointments. As a result, wait times for walk-ins have been reduced. Expect to see more improvements in Advising Services as we continue to support our students visiting the Sullivan Center.

Office of the Bursar

Summer charges will be billed on the April 15th e-bills and will be due in May 5th.

Office of Student Financial Assistance

4/8 **Financial Life after Graduation** (Sullivan Center 203) **12-1p.m. & 2:30-3:30p.m.**

This **FREE** interactive workshop will help students understand what to expect after graduation. The session will give students advice on what to consider when seeking a job. It will also look at cost-of-living factors and whether the salary students expect to make will adequately cover their cost of living. Topics include: *Salary Expectations; The latest job market statistics & hiring trends; Budgeting with entry level salaries.* For more information see: <http://www.luc.edu/finaid/pdfs/FinancialLife3272009.pdf>

Office of International Programs

Residence Life

Students are asked to check out of their hall 24 hours after their last final.

Residence Halls will close at Noon on May 6th (the day after the last final).

Any student wanting to stay longer for graduation etc will need to speak with their hall staff and register online at the Res Life web page.

Summer housing is available for a limited number of students on a first-come, first-served basis. Summer Session A and B students will live in Fairfield hall. Students must be registered to be eligible for housing for each session. Contracts and additional information is also available on the Res Life web page. We will begin to make assignments around the **8th of April**, so students are encouraged to apply by then. A **\$50** deposit is also required.

Undergraduate Admissions

4/20 & 4/27 **Transfer Information Sessions for Fall 2009 Applicants**

Loyola Admission Review at Lake Shore Campus

Sullivan Center/Admission Office (LSC)

9a.m.- 4p.m.

On select spring Mondays counselors will be available to review transcripts and provide on-site admission decisions.

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DID YOU KNOW?

Soup and Substance: 4 Steps from Ashes to Easter

4/3 **Hussey Lounge (Damen Hall) 12:30-1:30p.m.**

Join us for "4 Steps from Ashes to Easter," a series of lunchtime programs, hosted by the Jesuit community, offering a simple meal, a short presentation, shared prayer, and an opportunity for group discussion.

Soup, bread, and beverages will be available during the first portion of the program, a presentation from a member of the Loyola Jesuit community will follow, and the program will conclude with time for reflection, prayer, and an opportunity for group discussion.

The presentations will focus on the themes of "Called," "Freed," "Fed," and "Sent." We hope that you are able to join us.

For more information, please contact Fr. Dave Godleski, S.J., at dgodleski@luc.edu.

CAMPUS EVENTS & IMPORTANT DATES



4/2	9/11 Survivors Visit Loyola (Crown Center Auditorium)	4:15-6:45p.m.
4/9-4/13	Easter Holiday (Offices closed on Good Friday) No classes Thursday evening (classes that start 4:15p.m. or later are cancelled) through Monday afternoon (classes beginning on or after 4:15 p.m. will be held).	
4/20	Fall Semester 2009 Registration begins	
4/24	Spring Semester classes end	
4/27-5/5	Final Examinations (No exams on Sunday May 3)	
4/29	Study Day: No classes or Final exams (exams at 4:15 p.m.)	
4/29	2009 Service Recognition Luncheon (Simpson Multipurpose Room) 11:30a.m.-2:30p.m. The 2009 Service Recognition Luncheon, hosted by Michael J. Garanzini, S.J., will honor Lake side faculty and staff for milestones of service. By invitation only	

If you have any important updates or upcoming events within your department please e-mail: hub@luc.edu