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**Construction Management** 

Get an Education not Just a Degree! As we reflect on 2012 we have much to celebrate. Outstanding students as demonstrated by the success of the ASC Teams, successful graduates, and exceptional civic involvement. Outstanding faculty are serving on national level committees, receiving grants, publishing articles, and delivering exceptional teaching. The combination of outstanding faculty and students has resulted in receiving AACSB, IFMA, and PMI accreditation in 2012! This type of success is definitely the exception in higher education and is a result a "get an education not just a degree" team mentality. Thank vou

Schedule Changes Effective next fall the following changes will be in place that will impact your overall graduation schedule. You need to consider this as you put together your schedule for next semester. TCM267- Statics will only be offered in the Fall, TCM318- Structures will only be offered in the Spring, and TCM323-Surveying will only be offered in the Fall.

**Registration** Based on course enrollment a number of you have not registered. We will begin to close low enrollment classes during finals week. If you have not registered you run a very real risk of not being able to get into your classes.

**Construction Club** The last Construction Club Meeting of the year will be held Wednesday, December 5, 2012 at 6:00 PM in Kemper 102.

Facility Management Tours Facility Management majors are invited to tours of Springfield Underground/SpringNet and Bass Pro Shops Distribution Center next week. The Springfield Underground Tour will leave from Glass 200 on Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup> at 3:00PM. The Bass Pro tour will leave from Glass 200 at 3:00 PM on Dec. 4th. Please RSVP to Dr. Strong shawnstrong@missouristate.edu. Both will be outstanding tours.

ASC Competition If you haven't heard the ASC teams improved over last year once again taking a 1st in Heavy-Civil and 2nd in Commercial! The teams were recognized several weeks ago at the Annual Salute to Construction. Thank you to the teams for representing Missouri State University in such an exemplary fashion. See the complete press release.

SLC Induction Congratulations to the 2012 inductees of the Sigma Lambda Chi International Construction Honor Society. This evening they will be inducted at an undisclosed location in a closed ceremony conducted by other members from local industry, faculty, and student members. Sigma Lambda Chi is the society that offers students the opportunity to be recognized locally and internationally for their academic accomplishments as a construction major.

Boy Scout University Thank you to everyone who helped with the Nov. 10<sup>th</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Missouri State University Boy Scout University. One veteran Scout leader commented, "Hands down, it was the most effective and well done Merit Badge University I have attended at any institution." With nearly 200 participants this was a well-received public affairs function.

Statics and Computational Calculus Tutoring! Every Wednesday from 4-6pm in the Kemper 107 mezzanine.

## Scholarships

Builders' Association Scholarships are Due Dec. 15<sup>th</sup>. This is a \$3,000 scholarship, we typically receive 2-3 of these each year. They do require letters of recommendation thus you should get started now. See the Builders Association Website for the application.

