

## DATE CHANGE FOR BUSINESS PLAN DEVELOPMENT PREP LECTURE:

Chris Porter was originally scheduled to speak on February 21<sup>st</sup>, which is President's Day. Please see the revised date below.

February 28, 2011– BUSINESS PLAN DEVELOPMENT: Chris Porter will give tips on how to create a successful business plan. Pigott 204 3:45pm

#### SU BUSINESS PLAN COMPETITION – TEAMS LOOKING ADDITIONAL STUDENTS!

If you're interested in joining the competition this year but don't have an idea of your own, check out the <u>Business Plan Competition Angel page</u>. There are teams still looking for additional team members.

# UW Environmental Innovation Challenge 2011 Intent to Submit Online Application - Click Here due February 17!

The University of Washington has a challenge for you. If you have a passion for clean tech, the smarts to play in the emerging "green economy," and desire to make an impact, the UW Environmental Innovation Challenge is your opportunity... and chance to win \$10,000.

The 2011 UW Environmental Challenge is on March 31. For more info http://eic.washington.edu

### **UW BUSINESS PLAN COMPETITION**

If you're entering the SU Business Plan Competition, you should plan on entering the UW competition too. You'll have a leg up since you'll have already completed your business plan for the SU competition, and the UW rules are nearly identical to ours.

The UW Business Plan Competition is the marquee event for the Center for Innovation and Entrepreneurship at the University of Washington Michael G. Foster School of Business. In the past thirteen years, the Business Plan Competition has successfully:

Awarded \$872,000 in prize money to 87 student companies

Involved over 300 judges, mentors, sponsors, supporters each year from the alumni and business community

Promoted student ideas and new venture creation

Provided an opportunity for business and science students to present new business plans to Seattle area venture capitalists, entrepreneurs, and investors

Learn more via competition <u>FAQs</u> or by contacting Sarah Massey at <u>masses@uw.edu</u> or 206.685.9868. **UW Intent to Enter form due March 7<sup>th</sup>.** 

### INTERNSHIP: WORK FOR THE PRESIDENT OF INTENTIONAL SOFTWARE IN BELLEVUE

Part-Time Technical and Business Analyst, Researcher, and/or Business; 20-30 flexible hours per week.

Responsibilities would include:

- o Conducting detailed market and technical research
- o Contributing to the preparation, editing, and review of business and technical reports, summaries, papers and proposals
- o Preparing business, market and technical presentations for internal and external use
- o Writing business plans and creating detailed financial models Requirements:
- o Able to work in a fast-paced environment
- o Experience in business planning process, with entrepreneurial ventures
- o Participating in preparation of work products in areas of product development, marketing, technical planning, strategic and tactical research
- o Extensive experience with MS Excel or similar and development of financial models

Contact: ctierney@hanselltierney.com

#### UNPAID INTERNSHIP WITH BOTTLE REUSE

A local Green start-up company, Bottle Reuse seeks intern for research, and creation of a business case to help drive a business plan, create marketing materials, and help with partner outreach. The company has a focus on the wine industry, and there will be work with wineries, recycling companies, and wine organizations. The term of the internship is flexible, and could be done on a part time basis. To learn more about the opportunity email your resume and short cover letter explaining relevant work experience to Marty Weishaar. marty@bottlereuse.com.

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