

## MONEY MONTH EDUCATIONAL OUTREACH CALENDAR

### Money Month APR 2017

Leads: Bethany, Cyle & Joseph

Money Month is a month of dedicated educational programs and events that help college students improve their personal financial lives, knowledge, and skills. Be on the lookout for lots of fun events, workshops, and prizes! You will have the chance to win a UNT flash drive at every event! You also get the chance to enter our community chest at each event to win a large giveaway (an iPad Mini 2, Amazon Echo Dot, or Beats by Dr. Dre Headphones Solo 2) that will be selected at the end of April. If you participate in a coaching session during the month of April you will be entered to win one of eight \$100 Amazon gift cards!

### **WORKSHOPS**

#### Freelance Finance

Lead: Becca

Are you pursuing a career in the arts, journalism, or another field where variable income from variable sources is more common than the 9-5 grind? Do you know how to budget, track your business expenses and plan for retirement without the security of a single employer? Come to our Freelance Finance workshop to learn how to make it financially in a freelance world.

**Monday      APR 3                      4:00-5:00PM                      Bruce Concert Hall**

#### Study Abroad Funding Workshop

Lead: Rachel

A study abroad experience is often the highlight of a student's college experience. For many students financial obstacles stand in their path. This special workshop reviews the financial side of a student's study abroad choice. Students leave with a thorough understanding of funding opportunities and how to budget for this exciting opportunity.

**Wednesday      APR 5                              12:00-1:00PM                      Marquis 107**

#### Tax Prep: Filing, forms, and tax refunds oh my!

Lead: Rachel

Getting prepared to file your taxes, and not sure where to begin? Join the Student Money Management Center in partnership with Denton United Way's Volunteer Income Tax Assistance to learn how to get started. This workshop will cover the forms needed, how to file, and where to seek out additional help.

**Monday              APR 10                              5:00-6:00PM                      BLB 225**

#### Real Talk: Adulting 101

Lead: Cyle & Joseph

Do you get stressed out thinking about life after college and wondering if you will "Adult" correctly?? Don't worry, everyone stresses out about the practical money skills you will need when you graduate. Come to this session of Livin' the Dream Series to learn how to start 'adulting' your personal finances and financial decisions.

**Tuesday              APR 11                              3:00-4:30PM                      BLB 295**

#### Wedding on a Budget

Lead: Bethany

Congrats on getting a ring by spring! Whether you're planning a small intimate ceremony or a huge party, weddings are expensive. Did you know that the average wedding cost in the United States is **\$26,645**. Learn how you can have the wedding or commitment ceremony of your dreams without having a future of debt. We'll teach you different DIY's to keep costs down, help you develop a budget, and much more!

**Thursday              APR 13                              5:00-6:00PM                      WH 122**

**A Night with Entrepreneurs Panel**

Lead: Vernisha & Tania

Do you see yourself as a leader, innovator, or an entrepreneur? Join the Student Money Management Center and five esteemed entrepreneurs in the Dallas-Fort Worth area for our A Night with Entrepreneurs Panel. There will be food, questions, and many lifetimes of experiences to learn from.

**Monday      APR 17                      5:00-6:30PM                      BLB 005**

**Treasurers Training**

Lead: Stephen

Treasurers Training is an interactive workshop sponsored by the Student Money Management Center and Student Activities Center. This mandatory training is to help student organization treasurers and financial officers learn how to effectively manage their organization's money. Discussion includes: building an organization/chapter budget, getting financially organized, and transitioning your financial operations to a new treasurer.

**Wednesday      APR 19                      3:00-4:00PM                      BLB 060**

**Eating Healthy on a Budget**

Lead: Rachel

Are you interested in trying to start cooking healthy but you are unsure how to do so because of financial constraints? Join the Student Money Management Center and the UNT Dietician as we show you how to cook a healthy meal while on a budget.

**Tuesday      APR 25                      4:00-5:00PM                      Chestnut 324**

***SPECIAL EVENTS***

**Suit Up**

Leads: Maegan, Vernisha & Joseph

Are you in need of some professional clothes for job and internship interviews but don't have the money? Stop by for the Career Center's Suit Up event where students have the chance of receiving a full professional outfit including accessories! First come first serve so get there quick! The SMMC will be tabling at this event so that you can learn how to budget for professional clothes in the future and giving away a prize!

**Tuesday      APR 4                      12:00-4:00PM                      Union 314**

**Investing Basics**

Leads: Becca, Cyle & Joseph

Want to invest but have no idea where to start? Whether the thought of investing excites or scares you, it's an important step towards becoming financially secure. Come to our two week investing basics workshop to learn the vocabulary of finance and start investing today.

**Wednesday      APR 5                      4:00-5:20PM                      BLB 90**

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**Salary Negotiation**

Leads: Tania & Rachel

Learn about common negotiating tactics that can help you be in control of your proper worth. Discuss and explore web and print resources that maintain accurate descriptions of company pay and benefits. Avoid selling yourself short and learn to negotiate a fair and balanced salary and benefits package. This workshop is a collaboration between the SMMC and College of Merchandising, Hospitality and Tourism.

**Thursday      APR 20                      5:00-6:00PM                      BLB 35**

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### SMMC Money Coaches

Lead: Danielle

Have a money question and need to talk to someone about your personal finances? Our trained coaches of professionals and peer mentors are here to help you make sense of the dollars and cents in your life. Whether it's a question about your financial aid awards, a bill you can't pay, preparing for life after graduation, creating a budget to live on or any money question on your mind – our money coaches are here to help.

**CALL SMMC 940-369-7761 TO SCHEDULE A SESSION WITH YOUR PERSONAL MONEY COACH!**

### SMMC Student Loan Exit Counseling

Lead: Paul

Exit counseling is required for all student loan borrowers when they graduate, leave school, or drop below half-time enrollment. These special 30-minute one-on-one sessions provide important information you need to prepare to repay your federal student loan(s). Your session fulfills the Department of Education's mandatory requirement and will remove the counseling block from your student account.

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### SMMC Study Abroad Coaching Sessions

Lead: Rachel

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