DCMME FALL FORUM
October 4, 2013

“My Career in Operations & Supply Chain”

- Inviting you to share your experience and offer your advice to Krannert students interested in an operations & supply chain career.

- Interested in speaking at the conference or joining the panel discussion? Contact us at gscmi@purdue.edu

  * Wide range of discussions related to the topics of:
    

- Featuring a student summer internship poster competition

  * Encourage your intern to participate!
  * Great way to inform students about your company
  * Work with faculty to ensure confidentiality of company information
  * Participate in the judge panel

Register to attend the conference before September 18, 2013
http://www.krannert.purdue.edu/centers/dcmme_gscmi/05_Events/01_2013FallConference/2013FallConferenceRegistration.html

Interested in sponsoring this event?
• Named breakfast or lunch • Named poster competition prize

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Wide range of discussions related to the topics of:

**Strategy**
- What are some of the most important decisions you made for your organization? What led you to make those decisions?
- What is one mistake you witness leaders making more frequently than others?

**Vision**
- What’s one recommendation you would have given to yourself years back when you first entered the industry?
- When something unfair happens, what do you do to handle it? How do you manage your attitude? How has that thought-process improved over time?
- What’s your biggest challenge in this leadership role?

**Management**
- What’s your way of learning the most from others?
- What are a few resources you would recommend to someone looking to gain insight into becoming a better leader?
- What is your style of management?

**Creativity**
- How did you overcome the fear of facing challenges or things which you have never done before?
- What’s a story that inspired you?
- When faced with two equally-qualified candidates, how do you determine whom to hire?

**Ambition**
- What was your ambition as a student?
- What are you doing to ensure you continue to grow and develop as a leader?
- How do you negotiate your salary or a position you really want?

**Energy**
- What do you do to energize and motivate yourself?
- How do you stay committed?

**Motivation**
- How do you keep yourself interested in what you are doing?
- How do you connect with people around you?
- What advice would you give someone going into a leadership position for the first time?

**Work-life balance**
- How do you balance pursuing opportunities and maintaining focus?
- They say “it’s lonely at the top.” What does friendship look like when you are a leader?
- Has the weight of responsibility in your leadership ever had any negative effects on other areas of your life?

**Schedule:**

- **Poster Competition** 7:30-9:00AM
- **Career Forum Session 1** 9:15-10:15AM
- **Break** 10:15-10:45AM
- **Announcement of Finalist of Competition** 10:45-11:00AM
- **Finalist Presentations** *(Representatives from Judge panel debrief observations from the poster competition)*
  11:00-12:00PM
- **Lunch** 12:00-12:30PM
- **Lunch** 12:30-2:00PM