Hi Boilermakers! Sent every third Thursday of the month (August - May), Krannert Monthly is a newsletter produced by Krannert Undergraduate Advising to share helpful information with students. Keep reading for this month’s updates!

**FEBRUARY 2022**

Registration appointments for Fall 2022 are happening now! The deadline to submit your course requests for Fall 2022 is April 11th. Be sure to meet with your assigned advisor prior to the deadline so you are able to register for classes.

Summer 2022 registration has begun. You can view the dates you can register for summer [here](#). Open registration for Summer begins on **February 28th**.

Be mindful of Spring 2022 add/drop deadlines. The last day to withdraw from a 16-week course for the Spring 2022 semester is **March 11th**. Please consult with your advisor if you are concerned about a course and considering withdrawing.

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**Spring Vacation** is scheduled for March 14 - 19! Krannert advisors hope you have a safe, fun, and restful break.

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**Opportunities for Connection During Black History Month**

February is Black History Month, an opportunity to connect, celebrate, and learn. The Purdue Black Cultural Center (BCC) is honoring the stories of Purdue's outstanding Black students, alumni, faculty and staff. You can read some of those stories of excellence [here](#). Check out some of the upcoming Black History Month events happening this month below. You can register to attend any of the below events through the registration form [here](#).

- **Food Justice: A Dialogue & Cooking Demonstration by Chef Oya of the Trap**
  Discussion: February 18 @ 5:30 in BCC MPI
  Cooking Demo: February 19 @ 11:30 am & 1 pm in Lyles-Porter Hall Demo Kitchen

- **Black History Month African American Read-In Featuring Richard Bruce Nugent**
  February 21 @ 6 pm

- **Afro-Caribbean Music with Jorge Arce**
  February 25 @ 7 in BCC
Still deciding Summer plans?

There are many reasons to consider summer courses at Purdue!

- Plan ahead and take courses required for your major/minor earlier. Data suggests that over half of students who finish in 4 years or less enroll in summer courses.
- Complete a pre-requisite course for a class in the Fall semester.
- Retake a course and earn a higher grade to help improve your GPA.

Information regarding registration for summer courses and summer scholarship opportunities can be found here.

The deadline to apply for Krannert Study Abroad for Summer 2022 has been extended to February 22nd! Learn more about programs below. You can reach out to Maekin Smith (smith243@purdue.edu) with questions.

Florence, Italy (May 13th - June 11th)
Courses: MGMT 324 - Marketing Management and an International Selective

Madrid, Spain (May 13th - June 11th)
Courses: ECON 301 - Managerial Economics and an International Selective

Barcelona, Spain (May 12th - June 10th)
Courses: MGMT 382 - Management Information Systems and an International Selective

Rome, Italy (May 13th - June 11th)
Courses: MGMT 200 - Intro to Accounting and an International Selective

Singapore, Singapore (May 13th - June 11th)
Courses: MGMT 361 - Operations Management and an International Selective

Syracuse, Sicily (May 13th - June 11th)
Courses: OBHR 330 - Intro to Org Behavior and an International Selective

Paris, France (May 13th - June 11th)
Courses: ECON 360 - Econometrics and an International Selective

London, England (May 12th - June 10th)
Courses: MGMT 324 - Marketing Management and an International Selective

Purdue Wants to Hear From You!

The Student Experience and Research University (SERU) Survey is an opportunity to share about your experiences regarding quality of instruction, belonging, affordability and more. Select students who complete the survey will win $50 or $100 Amazon gift cards. Check your Purdue email for more information, and complete the survey here.

Featuring Krannert Members of Purdue Musical Organizations

In addition to academics, Purdue is the home of many talented musicians who take part in Purdue Musical Organizations! If you’ve attended a concert or sporting event, you’ve likely witnessed and enjoyed the talent of your fellow Boilermakers! Hear from two Krannert students involved in musical organizations below.

“I got involved with music at Purdue the summer before my freshman year when I auditioned for and joined the All-American Marching Band. Since then I have also been a member of Boiler Beats and two concert bands. Music has been a source of personal connections and a meaningful addition to my academics at Purdue.”

Brandon Orquiola, Krannert Sophomore

"Being involved in Varsity Glee Club has helped me focus on myself academically, expand my network, and practice my passion for singing and making music. Dividing up my day between business classes and rehearsal gives me the diversity I need to feel energized to learn. I got involved before I was accepted into Purdue, and it has been the greatest decision I’ve made here yet. PMO will continue to help me and teach me new things throughout college and even after I graduate!"
MAJOR OF THE MONTH: ECONOMICS

Whether you are an Economics major, minor, or simply interested in learning analytical and quantitative skills in high demand by employers, the Economics department in Krannert offers valuable coursework in a variety of focus areas. This month, we are featuring the Purdue Economics Association (PEA) and upper-division Economics course, ECON 362 (Health Economics). The Purdue Economics Association is open to any student who has an interest, major, or minor in economics. You can learn more here!

ECON 362 (Health Economics) is a course designed to introduce students to concepts of economics in health care. Students who enroll in the course learn how to analyze data, health care theories, institutions, and policies. You will explore how health differs from other consumer goods, and health care as a commodity. This course is great for students interested in health care policy, working in health care as a hospital executive, or anyone curious about how health insurance policy and consumer choice interact. Analysis of government involvement in the healthcare system, medical care systems around the world (with a U.S. health care system focus), and the behavior and organization of health care providers are all discussed.

LET'S TALK ABOUT MENTAL HEALTH

Caring for your mental health is an important part of your success here at Purdue. Beyond your role as a student, prioritizing your mental health is vital to supporting your overall wellbeing, safety and development. There are many resources to support your mental wellness here at Purdue. The Office of the Dean of Students (ODOS) provides care to students across many areas of campus life. To view some of the resources, visit here.

While advisors are not trained mental health professionals, if you are seeking assistance please reach out. We care and are here to listen while getting you connected to resources. The Purdue Student Government will be hosting Mental Health Action Week next month - March 7th - March 11th. Monitor your Purdue email for updates on events and ways to get involved.

ADDITIONAL MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES:

- Apps & Online Digital Resources
- National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) at Purdue
- Purdue Counseling & Psychology Services - CAPS
- Thriving Campus
- After-Hours Resources

“Some young people don’t want to wait long enough to accumulate experience. They won’t go very far without it, however, and they would miss most of the adventure of business if they did.”

- Herman Krannert

CareerBound Corner: Competencies of the Month

Professionalism is one of our two competencies of the month. A way of practicing professionalism as a student is to be early and prepared for classes and meetings. Punctuality builds reputation.

February is a multi-cultural month so we focused the competency of Equity and Inclusion! Not only is February Black History Month, February 21st is International Mother Language Day. It is a worldwide annual observance to promote awareness of linguistic and cultural diversity and promote multilingualism.

CareerBound Tip: Step Outside of Your Comfort Zone! Learn a new language, attend multi-cultural events or consider studying abroad in a country that does not speak your native language!

CareerBound is a career readiness program focusing on the class of 2025, with plans to expand to all of Krannert students in coming years. For more information on CareerBound events and news, Follow CareerBound on Instagram @iamcareerbound or email careerbound@purdue.edu