



THE UNIVERSITY of EDINBURGH
School of Economics

School of Economics Student Newsletter



Welcome to the School of Economics Student Newsletter

27 March 2014

Daffodils in the sunshine at the west end of the Meadows. In the middle of the photo is the tall Mason's Pillar, by Sir James Gowans (1821-90). It's one of two built for the Edinburgh International Exhibition of 1886, which was held in an immense hall built on the Meadows.

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Economy debate next Tuesday 1st April in the Business School



UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH
Business School

Debate on “The sustainability of an independent Scottish Economy”

Time/date:

Tuesday 1st April at 6.30pm

Venue:

Business School, 29 Buccleuch Place

Speakers:

John Mason MSP (SNP); Deputy Convenor of the Finance Committee, Scottish Parliament;
Iain Gray, MPS (Labour) Member of the Finance Committee, Scottish Parliament;
Chairman - Bill Jamieson, Former Executive Editor, Scot-Buzz

Registration and further details:

<http://www.business-school.ed.ac.uk/about/events/52ea5a5b26382c2853a3b651/the-sustainability-of-an-indep>

Scholarships to attend *Human After All* conference in Toronto, April 10-12

The [Financial Times](#) is supporting the [Young Scholars Initiative](#) by sponsoring scholarships to attend the Institute's [Human After All conference](#) in Toronto, **April 10-12**.

The conference ([click to see program](#)) will examine the overwhelming economic impact of innovation on society. Panels will explore the successes and failures of economic systems in generating innovation, and the corresponding radical uncertainty engendered by the pervasive growth of innovation. The conference will address the critical role of banking and finance in the “innovation economy” and the most effective policy responses required in this brave new world.

APPLY NOW

The Scholarship

- **Deadline for submissions is March 31, 2014**
- Receive air travel and accommodation to take part in the *Human After All* conference
- Discuss your question in the **FT YSI Roundtable featuring Financial Times columnist Martin Wolf**
- Be featured in short video interviews about your experience at the conference

The Application

- Your contact information
- Your curriculum vitae
- A question and a supporting text

The main **selection criterion is your question for the roundtable**. Your question may concern fundamental issues in economics as a discipline, current economic events, or specific issues such as financial stability or inequality. You will need to support your question with a brief paragraph, framing and contextualizing the issue. Winners will be jointly selected by the Institute for New Economic Thinking and the Financial Times.

Internships in London and Los Angeles

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SUMMER INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

1. 2014 Programme Status (by location)

London – Application process closing soon – [APPLY NOW](#)

Los Angeles – Application process closing soon – [APPLY NOW](#)

International applicants are advised to apply before Friday 28th March 2014.

To apply, visit www.city-internships.com/apply

2. Placement Opportunities of the Week

Hedge Fund – Global top 30 alternative investment management firm offering rotational placements across the firm's Equity, Fixed Income, Commodities and Exotic Derivatives investment teams.

Private Equity – World's leading Energy, Infrastructure and Technology private equity investor offering placements in Equity Research, Project Finance and Investor Sales and Relations teams.

Marketing & PR – Leading integrated marketing and communications agency offering placements across the firm's global commercial and private client campaign planning and execution teams.

Investment Banking – Prestigious largecap investment bank offering rotational placements in Equity Capital Markets, Debt Capital Markets, Structured Products and Mergers & Acquisitions teams.

Publishing & Journalism – Global top 10 publisher of luxury, lifestyle and design web and print publications offering placements across their global distribution and production teams.

The above refer to the Placement Opportunities of the Week for the Los Angeles program.

To apply, visit www.city-internships.com/apply

China Europe International Summer School



Freie Universität Berlin International Summer and Winter University (FUBiS) is proud to announce a cooperation with the **China Europe International Summer School (CEISS)** starting from **summer 2014!**

CEISS is a unique collaboration between four of the leading universities in China and Europe: Fudan University in Shanghai (China), Freie Universität Berlin (Germany), Utrecht University (the Netherlands), University of Copenhagen (Denmark) as well as Dutch-Chinese education consultancy and study abroad agency Edvance Education International.

CEISS offers a **new series of 14 exciting international summer courses** in the fields of international economics and business; politics and governance; and international relations and diplomacy, delivered in Berlin as well as in Shanghai, Utrecht and Copenhagen.

All courses will have a duration of **two weeks** (42 to 48 contact hours) and will be taught in **English** by an **international team of prominent lecturers** from CEISS partner universities. Seven courses are taught in China, and seven in Europe of which two in Berlin. Students can take one or more courses at one location, but they also have the option to travel between continents and take courses at multiple locations in China and Europe, providing a truly unique study abroad experience.

At FUBiS in Berlin you have the possibility to choose the following **two CEISS courses**:

- **Global Challenges - Sustainable Features** (July 19 - August 2, 2014); 4 ECTS
- **Economic Development of EU Member States** (August 2 - 16, 2014); 4 ECTS

For a complete overview of courses, course schedules, course fees, admission requirements and applications procedures, and for information about the universities and registration, please visit the [website of the China Europe International Summer School](#).

Graduate Jobs & Internships

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As we near the start of the summer term, now is an incredibly important time to start looking for that all important summer internship or full time graduate position. We are the UK's number 1 resource for students looking for graduate employment.

Are you currently studying and looking for work experience and / or an internship before graduating?

If so, you must sign up to Milkround today. Even in these tough times, Milkround is first for graduate careers, with hundreds of internships and 1000's of graduate jobs and schemes. Whether you are a student or graduate, Milkround will help you make study decisions, guide you through university life, narrow your job search, apply for jobs and ensure you make the best possible start to your career.

To get access to these jobs and get ahead of the competition; **Sign up using the link below now for free**, but you must hurry as many Internship opportunities close over the next few weeks.

<http://www.milkround.com/>

Trainee Paraplanner vacancy



Job Title: Buckle, Green and Partners - Graduate Paraplanner

Salary: Competitive (meets/exceeds national minimum wage standards)

Location: Surrey

Degree Subject: Any

Degree Grade: Any

UCAS Points: Any

Job Category: Banking and Finance, Insurance and Actuarial, Accountancy

Vacancy Reference: SS19994BuckleGreen2

Closing Date: 16/04/2014

About Buckle, Green and Partners...

Buckle, Green and Partners are a dedicated team of experienced Lifestyle and Wealth Managers located in a rural location on the Surrey/Hampshire border.

We provide a comprehensive Financial Planning and Wealth Management service to help people achieve their financial and life goals. We help our clients save money, tax and time. At Buckle, Green & Partners, we provide answers and give people a comprehensive Financial Planning Experience designed to keep them on track to achieve their goals.

About the Role...

We are looking for a trainee Paraplanner to join our team and provide a dynamic presence to the work place. We are looking for someone to work alongside our team to provide initiative and insight. The suitable candidate should have an interest in the financial practice and a keen drive to succeed.

If you think you have the skills for this role, please click the apply button and send a CV and covering letter.

Good Luck...

How to apply:

For more details and to apply please visit:

<http://www.grb.uk.com/graduate-jobs/buckle-green-and-partners-graduate-paraplanner--15491>

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