

Important Dates

Friday, January 9

Faculty Council Meeting
10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. in ED-514

Wednesday, January 14

Beer & Perogies
BSS Lounge – ED-5th Floor

Thursday, January 15

Bruce Anderson inducted as new
President of Regina & District
Chamber of Commerce
6:00 pm Cocktails / 7:00 pm Dinner
Conexus Arts Centre

January 16, 17, & 18

JDC West Practice in Moose Jaw

January 23, 24, & 25

JDC West Competition - Edmonton

Friday, February 13

Faculty Council Meeting
10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. in ED-558

Friday, February 13

Charity Fashion Show
Business Students' Society

Saturday, February 14

C.A. Convocation in Saskatoon

Monday, February 16

Family Day - Holiday

Tuesday, February 17

High School Event in our Faculty
10:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

February 17-20

Reading Week

Thursday, February 26

Academic Excellence Event
Terrace Bldg., 10 Research Drive

Bruce Anderson becomes Chamber President

Congratulations to **Bruce Anderson**, who will be inducted as the new President of the *Regina & District Chamber of Commerce*. His induction will take place at the President's Dinner being held on Thursday, January 15 at the Conexus Arts Centre (on the theatre stage).

We have booked a table for this dinner, so if you would like to be on hand to see Bruce Anderson take on this important role, please let **Alyce Garratt** know by January 8.

Welcome to Cheryl Zurawski

Please welcome **Cheryl Zurawski**, who is joining us for a one-year term as a Lecturer beginning January 2, 2009. She will be teaching BUS 205 *Management Communication* during the Winter 2009 semester while she is finishing her Ph.D. in the Faculty of Education. Cheryl has taught for us previously as a Sessional Lecturer.

Meet our Sessional Lecturers



Marian Donnelly will be teaching BUS 435AT *Arts Administration* in Winter 2009. Her career includes 22 years in the music industry as an artist manager and event producer, and as Executive Director of SaskMusic (1996-2002). She was a Cultural Industries Consultant for Culture, Youth & Recreation (2002-2003), and General Manager of the Globe Theatre (2003-2005). In addition to her work with artists and organizations through her company, Inner Circle Management, she is currently writing a cultural plan for the City of Yorkton and developing a heritage building in downtown Regina.



Jennifer Evancio is the Director of Trade Development for Agri-Value at Saskatchewan Trade & Export Partnership (STEP). Based in the Regina office, Jennifer spearheads STEP's international market development activities, assisting over 100 Saskatchewan-based exporters and export-ready companies in the Americas, Western Europe, Japan, and Australasia. Jennifer graduated from the University of Regina with a B.Admin degree and joined STEP in 1998. She will be teaching BUS 309 *International Trade Management*.

Important Dates

Tuesday, March 3

CEO Advisory Circle
12 noon – 2 pm in ED-562/ED-514

Friday, March 13

Faculty Council Meeting
10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. in ED-558

Thursday, March 19

UR Business Showcase
4:30-6:30 p.m.

Friday, April 3

12 noon – 2:00 p.m.
Keg-A-Rama

Thursday, April 9

Last Day of Classes

Thursday, April 9

Spring Gala
6 p.m. Cocktails / 7 p.m. Dinner

Thursday, April 16

Levene Luncheon Event

Friday, April 17

Faculty Council Meeting
10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. in ED-558

Journal Articles

Magda Cismaru and **Anne Lavack** have had the following journal article accepted for publication in 2009 (with student co-author, Evan Markewich):
“Social Marketing Campaigns Aimed at Preventing Drinking and Driving: A Review and Recommendations” *International Marketing Review*, 26(3).

New Faculty Appointments

Sean Tucker (HR/OB) and **Tatiana Levit** (Marketing) have both confirmed that they will be joining our Faculty in tenure-track positions on July 1, 2009. You can send them your congratulations at:

- STucker@business.queensu.ca
- Tatiana@uky.edu

In the News...

- **Alan Levy** was on the CBC Radio show *Blue Sky* on Wednesday, December 10 discussing the 60th anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights as well as human rights law in general. He was also interviewed by CTV news on December 10.
- **Alan Levy** appeared on the Roger Currie radio show on CKRM on Friday, December 12, discussing the successful unionization of a Walmart store in Saskatchewan.
- **Alan Levy** was quoted in the *Ottawa Citizen* regarding the Ottawa transit strike (“Rigid stance hurts talks: Labour experts,” December 18, 2008).

Guest Speakers

Sessional Lecturer **Dan Cameron** had a number of guest speakers in BUS 355 *Introduction to Industrial Relations* during the past semester:

- **Garnet Dishaw**, Health Sciences Association of Saskatchewan, discussed “Themes in Saskatchewan Labour History,” Sept. 24, 2008.
- **Kelly Miner**, Acting Registrar, Saskatchewan Labour Relations Board, discussed “Unfair labour practices under the Saskatchewan Trade Union Act,” Oct. 6, 2008.
- **Bernie Young**, Director, Bargaining and Interpretation, Saskatchewan Association of Health Organizations (SAHO) and **Rosalee Longmoor**, President, Saskatchewan Union of Nurses (SUN), both discussed “Steps union and management took preparatory to negotiating the last collective agreement,” Oct. 29, 2008.
- **Doug Forseth**, Executive Director, Labour Relations & Mediation Services, Department of Advanced Education, Employment & Labour, discussed “The role of conciliators and mediators in the strike situation,” on November 12, 2008.

On Sunday, Nov. 30, 2008 the BUS 355 course featured a negotiation simulation in which the 48 students were divided into 4 union and management bargaining teams. Guests who assisted with this simulation included:

- **Hugh Wagner**, General Secretary, Grain Services Union.
- **Norma Reynolds**, Assistant Director of Labour Relations, Saskatchewan Public Service Commission.
- **Don Zerr**, Director of Labour Relations, Saskatchewan Public Service Commission.
- **Bev Crossman**, Executive Director, Association of Saskatchewan Regional Colleges (former Executive Director of SUN).

We wish to thank all of these guest speakers for giving so generously of their time in this course last semester, as well as in future offerings of this course!

Public Presentations

- **Alan Levy** recently gave a workshop on Conflict Resolution in the Workplace for the Surveyors Association of Saskatchewan.