

A NEWSLETTER FOR STUDENTS, ALUMNI, FACULTY AND STAFF

of the PART-TIME STUDIES PROGRAM

PART-TIME STUDIES CONTINUES TO CREATE NEW ACADEMIC OPPORTUNITIES

Over the past few years, Part-Time Studies (PTS) has significantly increased and enhanced its learning opportunities for the University's adult, part-time undergraduate students. These successful efforts have included the establishment of the Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies (B.I.S.) degree with majors in general studies, information systems and leadership studies; expansion of our popular FastForward courses; and the creation of the FastForward Track which encourages students to accelerate their progress through their BIS degree program. In order to continue to meet and to anticipate the needs of our students, we have recently introduced some interesting additional academic options. Please be sure to visit our Web site at www.parttime.villanova.edu for more information.



PTS students and staff (clockwise from center) Kelly Paul, Allan Hurlock, Eric Holmquist, Justin Keefer, Richard Cullen, Jim Johnson, Tom DePasquale, Suzanne Allen and Mary Ann Cusack discuss the new academic opportunities at the Oct. 26, 2006, PTS Student Advisory Group meeting.

B.I.S. Minor in General Business

This exciting new addition is available to all B.I.S. majors and provides students with broad exposure to the major foundational areas of modern business. It also effectively complements the B.I.S. majors in general studies, information systems and leadership studies. Part-Time Studies students who are matriculated in the Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies degree program may seek a general business minor upon application to, and approval by, the dean of the Villanova School of Business. Business minor applications are reviewed twice a year: early January for the spring semester and late May for the fall semester. Acceptance is determined on a competitive basis. The curriculum for this program requires eight business courses to be completed beyond those required by a student's chosen major and includes courses in accounting, business law, economics, finance, management, marketing and statistics. Interested students are encouraged to meet with their Part-Time Studies academic advisor to determine if their B.I.S. degree program has enough open free electives to accommodate the business minor.

Minor in Information Systems

Enhance your resume by adding a minor in information systems! This program is designed to allow students to acquire information technology knowledge and skills through a broad selection of coursework. It is meant for people who are pursuing a bachelor's degree in another major but want to have a more formal grounding in information systems practices. The abundance of information today in business, as well as in society, requires that most people know and understand how to effectively manage information. Start with one class and see if this minor is right for you! The curriculum for this minor requires five courses to be completed

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We are now developing plans to celebrate the **90th Anniversary of Villanova's Part-Time Studies Program** in 2008.

Find out more on pages 2 and 6!

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Jim Johnson

Director, Part-Time Studies

From the Director

For 49 years, Villanova's Division of Part-Time Studies has been a member of Alpha Sigma Lambda (ASL), the national honor society for adult part-time students in colleges and universities. Many of our current students have been inducted into ASL and are active members. Each spring, ASL offers from five to seven \$1200 scholarships to adult students nationally. Students must apply through their university and each university chapter may submit two nominees. The requirements are: 30 credits at Villanova; 24 years of age or older; matriculated as a part-time student in an undergraduate degree program; a 3.2 GPA; and demonstrated financial need. The applications for this scholarship are available in the Part-Time Studies office in Vasey Hall 107. I encourage those students who need financial assistance to complete an application for this scholarship opportunity.

In conjunction with the Villanova School of Business (VSB), we are pleased to announce that a business minor is now available for students in the Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies (B.I.S.) degree program. This option has been available in the past for liberal arts degree candidates and now may be pursued by B.I.S. students. Applications for this minor must be made to the VSB and information on the program is elsewhere in this issue of *Niteline*.

As we approach mid-March, I want to make you aware of summer session registration which commences on March 13. Each year, Villanova offers a number of summer classes in accounting, business, the humanities, social sciences and natural science via distance learning. These classes are very popular with many of our students who do not want to come onto the campus in the summer or who may be traveling but wish to complete a summer course. The distance learning classes are done via your computer, online, with the faculty member's Web site in a program called webCT. Normally, there is no urgency to register early for summer classes held on campus. However, the popularity of distance classes with our traditional age students makes it important for our part-time students considering summer classes via distance learning to register early. These classes fill up quickly. Contact your advisor for more information on summer sessions or your summer registration pin number.

Have you looked at our Web site lately? The Part-Time Studies Web page now has many forms for various student services, as well as information for our adult students concerning our degree programs and student services. Go to www.parttime.villanova.edu. Have a great spring semester and congratulations to this year's graduates! ■

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR RECENT GRADUATES

December 2006

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| Roberto Montanez | Associate of Arts |
| Cathy Alma Abouna | Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies General Studies |
| S. David DeStefano | Bachelor of Science Accountancy |
| John Bradbury Donnelly | Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies General Studies |
| Sean M. Gallagher | Bachelor of Science Business Administration |
| Commer Glass | Bachelor of Arts General Arts |
| Kathleen Susan Fahy Hamilton | Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies General Studies |
| Marina Nadia Mattei | Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies General Studies |
| Matthew James Mattia | Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies General Studies |
| Caitlin Joan McCutcheon | Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies General Studies |
| Robert H. Naugle | Bachelor of Science Mathematics |
| Michael W. Pia | Bachelor of Arts Sociology |
| Richard Edmond Riegel | Bachelor of Arts General Arts |
| Joseph Eric Samuel | Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies General Studies |
| Whitney Elizabeth Szmodis | Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies General Studies |
| Charles David Zehring, Jr. | Bachelor of Arts General Arts |

Part-Time Studies 90th Anniversary Plans Underway

A steering committee has been established to develop plans for our year-long 90th anniversary celebration. Tentative plans include a special Falvey Library exhibit and a program in the Library Lecture Series, a Villanova Theatre evening, a 50th anniversary celebration of Alpha Sigma Lambda (the international honor society for adult students), and activities geared for our students during alumni and homecoming weekends.

Save the date! A gala celebration will top off the year's events on Saturday, Dec. 6, 2008 in the Connelly Center.

Stay tuned for more information! ■

BIS UPDATE

Are there jobs in computing? There are! Do not fear the words “outsourcing” and “offshoring.” Despite the downturn in the technology sector at the turn of the century, the outlook for computing remains strong. Technology has become increasingly complex and therefore, more in need of talented resources to manage the web of sophisticated networks, databases and systems that support business applications. To add to the complexity, technology and the services it provides have become more personalized and seamless to the end-user.

How relevant is this to you? The U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics publishes occupational data both at the national and statewide level on their Web site at www.bls.gov. Based on 2004 labor data projected out to the year 2014, the largest employment growth percentage in the Chester, Delaware and Montgomery counties, the counties in which a majority of Villanova’s adult students reside, is computing occupations. Computing occupations are growing at a faster rate than any other occupation for the tri-county area.

| Chester, Delaware and Montgomery Counties | | | |
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| Rank based on % of Growth | Occupational Title | Estimated % of Employment Growth | 2014 Estimated Employment Figures |
| 1 | Computer Occupations | 32.1% | 43,050 |
| 2 | Healthcare Support Occupations | 27.5% | 30,780 |
| 3 | Community & Social Services Occupations | 26.0% | 18,140 |
| 4 | Business & Financial Operations Occupations | 23.7% | 55,210 |
| 5 | Legal Occupations | 23.5% | 7,730 |

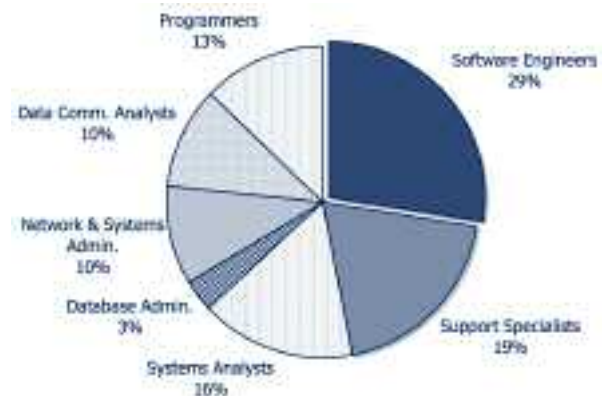
Information and chart found at www.bls.gov.

What types of computing occupations are growing the fastest? Analysis of the computing occupations revealed that the job opportunities are highest in the area of software engineering (see chart). Software engineers are the persons who analyze the needs of a company, and then design and ensure the development and support of a resulting computer system. Software engineers need to understand business requirements, work well within a team, and have technical know-how to develop software through the evaluation of end-user needs and the integration of technology.

What can Villanova do to prepare you for career opportunities in computing? Villanova’s B.I.S. in information systems offers a path to becoming a software engineer as it provides programming and systems analysis courses, knowledge of computer systems, and the opportunity to focus on business sector requirements. In addition, beginning in fall 2007, Villanova will be offering a Master of Science in software engineering, designed to meet the needs of working adults.

Villanova can provide you with the educational programs for jobs in computing. The Philadelphia area can provide you the jobs. You have opportunities today and, even more importantly, in the future! ■

Projected Computing Occupation Growth Areas in Chester, Delaware and Montgomery Counties



CAREER CORNER

Job Opportunities in Nonprofit Organizations

If you are looking for a new job, you may want to consider working in a nonprofit organization. A nonprofit organization (NPO) is an organization whose primary objective is to support an issue or matter of private interest or public concern for non-commercial purposes. NPOs attract a wide range of people, from volunteers to entry-level employees to business people looking for a change of pace. Many people find them attractive because NPOs provide an opportunity for employees to find personal meaning in their work. As when considering any career change, it is helpful to look at both positives and negatives about the industry.

The career change advice page from Monster.com outlines a number of the pros and cons of nonprofit work. One of the positive things about working for an NPO is that these organizations have a positive impact on the health and welfare of people. That work is compatible with religious, social and moral values. Another positive factor to consider is that these jobs are in industries many people find exciting: the arts, historical centers, social service, advocacy, political organizations and more. Employees at NPOs often find their colleagues to be genuine, caring people. This is both due to the nature of the work and because in NPOs, people are likely to find others who value the same things. There are also plenty of entry-level positions available at non-profit organizations, where employees can learn skill sets that are applicable in a variety of occupations. Philadelphia, in particular, is one of the cities known for having many NPOs; therefore, you may not need to relocate for your new job.

However, there are a few drawbacks to working in nonprofits. Employees may encounter some of the cons that Monster.com outlined. For example, working at NPOs often equates to settling for less pay. According to Monster.com, a 25% salary differential is common when comparing nonprofit jobs to similar jobs in government or business. Also, at small NPOs, there is very little room for career advancement. Employees may find themselves plateauing quickly and may need to leave a smaller NPO for a larger one in order to advance in salary or title. Certain personality types may find NPOs to be stressful work environments. Some, not all, nonprofits lack the organizational structure and cutting-edge technology employees may want in their workplace. Finally, because most NPOs rely on a variety of means to raise funds — activities, membership fees, public donations, corporate sponsorship, foundation grants, government contracts and more—the future of the company or specific jobs may seem uncertain as the revenue fluctuates year to year.

If you are willing to work with some of the drawbacks, NPOs can provide fulfilling careers—ones that allow you to explore your passions and give back to your community. Because NPOs vary so widely in size and structure, it is worth looking into a few before deciding if the nonprofit world is the right fit for you. ■

Information found in “Pros and Cons of Nonprofit Work—Career Change Advice from Monster.com,” <http://change.monster.com/articles/pandg> 05 Feb 2007.

CURRENT STUDENT NEWS

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Eric Holmquist
*Bachelor of Interdisciplinary
Studies, leadership studies '08*
*vice president, director of
Operational Risk Management
for Advanta Bank Corporation*

STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

Eric Holmquist is a junior in Villanova's Part-Time Studies Program pursuing a degree in leadership studies. He, his wife and two children, one of whom started college this year, moved to the area about three and half years ago from Southern California to take a position with a local bank. Holmquist is vice president, director of Operational Risk Management for Advanta Bank Corporation based in Spring House, Pa. In this role he acts as an internal consultant to assist in developing the bank's risk management program. Holmquist also chairs the bank's MIS Council, an oversight group concerning financial and operational reporting, and acts as the bank's Information Security Officer.

Outside of Advanta, Holmquist chairs a committee on operational risk management for information technology through the Risk Management Association, a nationwide financial service industry trade group based in Philadelphia. In addition, Holmquist is a published author and frequent industry speaker. He is a co-author of "The Advanced Measurement Approach to Operational Risk by Incisive Media" (2006) and writes a monthly article for an international risk magazine. Currently, he has three other books in production to be released in early 2007.

Holmquist has been involved in the financial services industry for almost 25 years in various staff, management and consulting roles.

"It's an extremely interesting field and the risk management area in particular is going through a lot of evolution right now," he said. "All the more reason to have a solid education."

Holmquist previously pursued his education on a part-time basis up through his junior year at University of Southern California before business and family obligations required him to put his academic career on hold. With a desire to continue on to graduate work, Holmquist decided to complete the rest of his undergraduate work and began interviewing schools in the area. After deciding on Villanova, Holmquist applied and was accepted into the Part-Time Studies program.

"Villanova has so far proven to be an exceptional school," Holmquist said, "with exactly the caliber of instruction, staff and program that I was looking for in the completion of my undergraduate work."

FROM YOUR UNIVERSITY SENATE REPRESENTATIVE

In my last article, I ended by reporting on the Sept. 15, 2006, University Senate meeting. At this meeting, the new Student Government Association presented their goals for the academic year. Senator John Von Euw, SGA president, touched on three main points: making digital cable the standard across all of campus; creating a Villanova version of "Craig's List" that could facilitate the exchange of text books; and a project to look at how basketball tickets are given to students. There was also a presentation on Villanova's efforts to be environmentally friendly and on Socially Responsible Investing (SRI).

The next meeting was held on October 20. The guest speaker at this meeting was William Savino '71, president of the Villanova Alumni Association. The Alumni Association's main mission is to sustain a lifelong connection to Villanova for all its members. Some highlights of Savino's presentation were: 25% of the class of 2010 is comprised of children or relatives of alumni, the highest percentage in the school's history; and Villanova's Alumni

Association currently has about 90 thousand members located in all 50 states, as well as 30 foreign countries.

At the December 1 meeting, the Rev. Peter M. Donohue O.S.A. '75, University president, gave his first annual address on the State of the University. Some highlights of our president's address were: 20% of the class of 2010 are from an ethnic minority, the largest percentage ever; this past fall was the 18th consecutive year that Villanova hosted the Special Olympics Pennsylvania Fall Festival; and Villanova continues to grow with construction having started, or starting soon, on new nursing and law buildings. Throughout his talk, Fr. Donohue continually reaffirmed his inauguration theme of Villanova's commitment to diversity.

On February 2, the University Senate held its first meeting of the spring 2007 term. The fiscal 2008 operating budget was presented at this meeting for the senate's approval. We also learned that there will be a new e-mail system on campus.



Richard Cullen,
University Senate Representative

Because I am graduating this year, this will be my last report as your University Senate representative. I have greatly appreciated the honor and privilege of representing the Part-Time and Continuing Studies Programs. Thank you for this opportunity. I would like to say goodbye with some words from St. Augustine: "Pray as though everything depended on God. Work as though everything depended on you." Good luck to you all. ■

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beyond those required by your chosen major – three are specifically required and two are chosen from the approved list of electives. Required courses include algorithms and data structures, database management, and systems analysis and design, while electives range from information systems project management, emerging technology trends, information security and protection, enabling technology in e-business, enterprise system integration, and survey of information sciences.

*Certificate is also available. Please visit our Web site for more information.

Minor in Leadership Studies

Round out your degree with a minor in leadership studies! This minor is designed to allow students to acquire leadership-related knowledge and skills through a broad selection of coursework. It is designed for people who are pursuing a bachelor's degree in another major but want to have a more formal grounding in leadership practices. This curriculum provides an excellent educational opportunity for careers in diverse environments. Five courses make up the minor – two are specifically required and three are chosen from an approved list of electives. Required courses include foundations of leadership and strategic planning for leaders, while electives cover leadership and community, leadership and technology, ethics and leadership, industrial/organizational behavior, organizational communication, leadership in a global and diverse environment, and negotiation and decision-making.

*Post-baccalaureate certificate is also available. Please visit our Web site for more information.

"This past fall, Villanova University inaugurated a new president. The unique qualities of Villanova University and the education we provide were highlighted throughout the inaugural events and the inaugural address. The Part-Time Studies programs, with the many academic opportunities for our students, and our excellent faculty and staff, is an important part of this uniqueness. Our uniqueness includes our increased use of technology to supplement and enhance the educational experience and to communicate to students during their busy days, but also, at the same time, to continue to offer the very personal touch of our advisors and staff that help our students navigate a large University. 'Create' was a key word used in the inaugural address and Part-Time Studies has and will continue to do so with the innovative and varied programs offered to our students."

*Robert D. Stokes, Assistant Vice President
Academic Affairs*

Certificate in Pre-Health Professions Science

The post-baccalaureate certificate in pre-health professions science is designed to provide a fundamental education in the sciences for the post-graduate student that can lead to entrance into schools of the health professions and to a wide array of careers. Today's adult students are particularly interested in selecting academic programs that have strong career possibilities, and the plentiful supply of jobs in the growing health care industry provide exciting opportunities for adults who wish to change or enhance their careers. Interested students are strongly encouraged to check the admissions requirements for individual schools and programs relating to the health professions. Most of the health professions organizations have Web sites which provide a great deal of information along with links to many graduate programs. The requirements for this certificate specify eight science courses, with labs in biology, chemistry and physics.

B.I.S./M.S. in Human Resource Development

The combined B.I.S./Master of Science in human resource development (HRD) program is designed to offer Part-Time Studies students a planned educational track that will prepare them for a career in the field of human resources. At the

FOCUS ON FACULTY: MARGARET BOERNER



Margaret Boerner

Margaret Boerner fills many roles as an intellectual, scholar, civil servant, lawyer, cultural journalist and teacher. Boerner earned her master's degree in philosophy from the University of South Dakota and doctorate with distinction in renaissance literature from George Washington University. Boerner's doctoral dissertation was on the lyrics of George Herbert, a 17th century Anglican priest. She taught at Temple University and the University of Pennsylvania for 10 years, where she also worked as assistant to the president, a feminist "first" at that institution. During this time, Boerner earned her J.D. from the University of Pennsylvania and her LL.M. in taxation from Villanova.

Boerner writes regular reviews for *The Weekly Standard* and for *First Things* on topics ranging from Shakespeare, Byron and Keats to classic movies to exhibitions of Art Nouveau and modernist art. She admitted that she loves both to teach and be taught.

"My pleasure in receiving information and interpretation," she said, "is only matched by my pleasure in communicating information and interpretation."

Boerner has taught a range of classes, including the popular Books into Movies and The Contemporary British Novel. Her newer classes include The Sonnet and On the Road, which focuses on the history of the 18th-century novel.

Boerner particularly likes teaching FastForward students because she said, "they often bring greater emotional and life experience to the classroom, enabling me to concentrate on the deeper qualities of the literature I teach."

Boerner is married to Hugh Ormsby-Lennon, Ph.D., an associate professor in the English department.

completion of their junior year, qualified B.I.S. general or leadership studies majors may apply to earn the M.S. in HRD in conjunction with their B.I.S. degree in general or leadership studies within an abbreviated timeframe. Eligible students must have:

- A cumulative GPA of at least 3.0
- Completed all CORE courses
- Have at least 90 earned credit hours
- A GPA in the major of at least 3.2

Students who are admitted to the B.I.S./M.S. track will be allowed to enroll in three graduate HRD courses during their senior year. The three courses below will count toward both the B.I.S. degree and the M.S. in HRD.

- **PSY 8875** (Psychology of Organizational Change)
- **PSY 8475** (Organizational Training)
- **HRD 8210** (Human Resource Planning)

To learn more about these exciting new opportunities please visit the Part-Time Studies Web site at www.parttime.villanova.edu or contact a Part-Time Studies academic advisor. ■

ALUMNI PROFILE: ANN DAWSON-YARZABEK '04



Ann Dawson-Yarzabek
*Bachelor of Science,
business administration '04*

When Ann Dawson-Yarzabek returned to the Philadelphia area in 1995, she was determined to fulfill her dream of earning her four-year college degree. She enrolled in the local community college and received her associate's degree in business administration.

After being hired by the Vanguard Group in 1998, she set her sights on Villanova. The reputation of the school, the close proximity to her office, as well as the opportunity to combine online education with the traditional classroom curriculum helped to minimize many of the obstacles that often occur while juggling school, work and family commitments.

As a member of the Alpha Sigma Lambda Honor Society and recipient of the Medallion Award, Dawson-Yarzabek credits much of her success to the dedication of the Part-Time Studies staff, especially Suzanne Allen, and the many dedicated professors who taught her.

"As professionals in their fields, they bring an authenticity about today's workplace you just cannot get from studying a book," said Dawson-Yarzabek.

Dawson-Yarzabek graduated from Villanova in 2004 with a Bachelor of Science in business administration. Today she spends much of her time volunteering in her community, practicing for her private pilot's license and traveling. She hopes to enter law school in the fall to pursue non-profit law.

NEW CONSTRUCTION ON CAMPUS

Villanova's beautiful campus has been overrun lately by scaffolding, dust clouds and jack hammers. This temporary intrusion may be an eye-sore now, but the results of it will be beneficial to the growing University. Here are a few of the new developments around campus:

Athletic Facility

The new athletic facility will provide students fitness space on the top floor, along with a practice room, locker room and coaches offices for men's and women's varsity basketball programs. The donor-funded project is expected to be completed by Sept. 30, 2007. The facility is now under construction on Ithan Avenue, in front of the Pavilion.

College of Nursing

In January, a rendering of the new College of Nursing was unveiled. Demolition of the old softball field on the site is complete and groundbreaking is expected in March. Completion is planned in time to start classes in August 2008. A new softball field will be built on Pike Field, across Lancaster Avenue from the stadium, to replace the field that was displaced by the College of Nursing.

School of Law

The University obtained zoning variances to build a new 170,000 square foot School of Law building, but several neighbors have filed an appeal. A court date to resolve the appeal is expected within the next few months. Meanwhile, a parking garage is being built to accommodate the parking that will be displaced by the new law building. ■



The new athletic facility is currently under construction on South Ithan Avenue.



The athletic facility, in front of the Pavilion, is expected to be completed by Sept. 30, 2007.

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As Villanova's Part-Time Studies program begins planning its 90th Anniversary, we want to hear from you! Tell us your favorite professor or memory. Tell us what you are doing now. Network with fellow classmates. Visit www.parttime.villanova.edu for more information.



Completion of the new College of Nursing building is planned in time to start classes in August 2008.

Villanova Theatre Presents “The Robber Bridegroom”

“The Robber Bridegroom” is a darkly comic Southern fairy tale about a charming gentleman bandit, the rich plantation owner’s daughter he loves, the wicked step-mother who wants her dead and an evil thief who carries his brother’s head around in a trunk. “Sparkling, unusual and immensely invigorating” (The New York Times), this Tony Award-winning musical sets its quirky characters and tall tales against an infectious bluegrass score.

“The Robber Bridegroom” is directed by Peter Reynolds, who has directed productions of “Company,” “Pericles,” “Shakin’ the Mess Outta Misery” and “Beautiful Thing” for Temple Theatre, where he was an adjunct theatre professor. He has directed for Philadelphia Theatre Company in their collaborations with Philadelphia Young Playwrights and was Artistic Coordinator for the Philadelphia Young Playwrights’ Saturday Series. He received his M.F.A. in directing from Temple University.

“The Robber Bridegroom” runs from March 27 to April 1 and April 10 to April 22 at the Villanova Theatre in Vasey Hall. Call the box office for tickets at **610.519.7474**. ■

Enhance your business skills this weekend!

In today’s constantly changing business environment, each of us is asked to do more with less. To keep pace, consider updating and enhancing your business expertise through one of Villanova University’s Continuing Studies courses. Learn new skills for your professional career that you can use on Monday morning!

Weekend courses in Project Management are offered on Friday evenings and Saturdays at the Villanova Conference Center in Radnor, Pa. Popular spring semester courses include: MS Project® for Project Managers, Six Sigma Foundations for Project Managers and Mastering Organizational Politics. Participants receive a certificate of completion for each course and are awarded one continuing education unit (CEU).

Villanova also offers a two-day Essentials of Human Resource Management course for professionals new to supervisory roles. If you wish to strengthen your employee management skills, this program is for you. Topics include employment law, selecting qualified employees, compensation, orientation and training, and employee performance process.

To learn more about these courses and others—visit Villanova University’s Office of Continuing Studies Web site at www.constudies.villanova.edu or call **610.519.4310**. ■

Make the Most of Your Summer at Villanova

Villanova’s summer session program was inaugurated in 1918 to assist students in accelerating their academic programs. Since that time, summer enrollment has increased from 70 to 4000 students. The undergraduate and graduate sessions attract hundreds of students from other universities and part-time as well as full-time Villanova students.

By taking the maximum number of courses allowed in the three summer sessions, an undergraduate student can complete the equivalent of a regular semester’s work. Course requirements are the same as those stipulated in the University catalog. Most of the courses are taught by full-time University faculty.

Together with our excellent faculty, summer students form a community of scholars dedicated to learning within an environment of academic excellence. You are welcome to join this community for the summer session and enjoy the Villanova experience. If you wish to reside on campus, room and board are available in our residence halls.

Villanova even offers the convenience of distance learning in many courses. These courses will use computers, the Internet, CDrom and e-mail, or a combination of these formats so that you can spend time at the shore while you earn credits toward your degree. Please see some available online course options in the chart. ■

Take an Online Course This Summer!

For summer 2007, Villanova summer sessions will offer forty-one undergraduate courses that may be completed away from the campus while still earning Villanova credits toward your degree.

Accounting

Principles of Financial Accounting
Principles of Managerial Accounting
Accounting Information Systems

Biology

Human Physiology - Body Works

Communication

Theories of Persuasion
Theories of Mass Communication
Media and Technology
Gender and Communication

Computer Science

Discrete Structures

Information Technology

Operations Management
Business Statistics

Economics

Introduction to Microeconomics
Introduction to Macroeconomics
International Economics

Electrical Engineering

Fundamentals of Electrical Engineering II
Fundamentals of MATLAB

Engineering

Engineering Computation

English

Journalism
Topic: Technical Editing
Topic: Advanced Business Writing

Ethics

Ethical Traditions and Contemporary Life

Finance

Principles of Finance

Leadership

Ethics and Leadership

Mathematics

Introductory Statistics I

Management Information Systems

Introduction to MIS

Marketing

Principles of Marketing

Nutrition

Principles of Nutrition

Nursing

Healthy Lifestyles and Human Values
Research in Nursing

Philosophy

Introduction to Philosophy
Philosophy and Literature
Philosophy and Film

Physics

The Concept of Light
Gravity

Political Science

Introduction to American Government
Black Politics
Ireland
Theories of War and Peace

Psychology

Industrial and Organizational
Psychology

Sociology

Social Problems
Perspectives on United States Poverty

Please visit www.parttime.villanova.edu/summercourses for more information.


EVENTS ON CAMPUS

TELL A FRIEND! TWO-DAY VILLANOVA DAY!

**Saturday, April 14
9 a.m. to noon**

OR

**Tuesday, April 17
noon to 7 p.m.**

- Bring your transcripts for an on-the-spot evaluation
- Meet with a program director and have all your questions answered
- Attend Villanova Day and we'll waive your application fee
- Students entering with 60 credits can complete their Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies degree part time in three years
- Start the FastForward Track  five times a year
- Earn credit for three classes (nine credits) a semester while only managing two classes at a time
- Competitive tuition rates

Visit our Web site for a complete listing of degrees available:
www.parttime.villanova.edu

To schedule an appointment please call 610.519.4561

APPLY NOW FOR SUMMER OR FALL 2007!

ATHLETIC EVENTS

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| March 25 | Baseball vs Louisville, 12:00 p.m. |
| March 25 | Women's Tennis vs Rutgers, 1:00 p.m. |
| April 1 | Baseball vs Seton Hall, 12:00 p.m. |
| April 7 | Softball vs Rutgers, 12:00 p.m. |
| April 10 | Women's Lacrosse vs Lehigh, 6:30 p.m. |
| April 14 | Men's Lacrosse vs Delaware, 7:00 p.m. |
| April 15 | Women's Tennis vs Fairfield, 11:00 a.m. |
| April 17 | Men's Tennis vs St. Joseph's, 2:30 p.m. |

For a complete monthly listing of all athletic events visit
<http://villanova.collegesports.com/calendar/events/>

EDUCATIONAL/CULTURAL EVENTS

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| March 18 – 31 | Villanova 2007 Jazz Festival |
| March 20 | College of Nursing 2007 Research Symposium |
| March 20 | Greater Philadelphia Teacher Job Fair |
| March 22 – April 1 | VST presents Shakespeare's "The Comedy of Errors" |
| March 27 – April 22 | Villanova Theatre presents "The Robber Bridegroom" |
| April 3 | Non-Profit Career Fair |
| April 20 | Student Photography Club Exhibition |

For a complete listing of campus news visit
<http://www.villanova.edu/homepage/newsevents.html>

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