

AUGGIE CAREERS E-NEWSLETTER

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Greetings Auggies!

Welcome to the eighth edition of the Center for Service, Work, & Learning (CSWL) Career E-Newsletter. The E-Newsletter will be sent bi-weekly as a quick guide to **upcoming events, workshops, career advise and other “good stuff”**. We are looking forward to providing you with ‘WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW’ that will help you with your career exploration and planning. The E-Newsletter is being sent to all students registered on [Aug Post](#).

UPCOMING EVENTS

MN Education Job Fair

Monday, April 14th

\$15 – must be licensed to teach fall 2008

The Age Divide – Generations In The Workplace

Wednesday, April 16th

Oren Gateway Room 114

4:45-5:30 p.m.

Stop by and learn about the many challenges college students face when working with other generations.

How To Market Yourself – Job Search

Thursday, April 17th

4:45-5:30 p.m.

Century Room, CC

Stop by and learn techniques on how to successfully market yourself to land the perfect job.

Resource Highlights

[What Employers Want Most](#) - find out what employers are looking for in recent grads

[Top Master's Level Employers for 2008](#) – article from College Grad

[Aug Post](#) a website where new internships, part-time and full-time employment opportunities are listed on a daily basis.

Internship Highlights

English Teaching Assistant Opportunity

United International College, Zhuhai, China

Augsburg College has a formal relationship with a new college in China, the United International College (UIC) in Zhuhai, located just a ferry ride across the bay from Hong Kong. UIC is recruiting U.S. college graduates to assist in teaching English to undergraduate students. The goal of the college is to develop a comprehensive English language liberal arts curriculum.

College graduates are invited to submit an application for a one year ESL assistant teaching assignment. If you are a student with interest in teaching English, learning Chinese and living in an international setting, this may interest you. UIC is still developing as a college, so the teaching assignment requires a person who is flexible, adaptable and willing to take initiative.

UIC will reimburse airfare, provide single room dormitory housing, and pay a monthly stipend. Chinese language classes free of charge are provided in return for 20 hours per week of classroom teaching and tutoring.

Please forward a letter of application and a resume as an attached document to Orv Gingerich, Assistant Vice President of International Programs gingerio@augsborg.edu.

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UNITED INTERNATIONAL COLLEGE

Beijing Normal University – Hong Kong Baptist University

<http://uic.edu.hk/elc>

The English Language Centre (ELC) at the United International College (UIC) offers courses under General Education required subjects for all year one and two students to help them reach an acceptable standard of English equivalent to students from tertiary institutions in Hong Kong. ELC also provides discipline specific assistance to students for their majors. The Academic Reading and Writing course is tailor-made for students in different majors to increase their vocabulary, refine their writing skills and write term papers in English. Effective Oral Communication I and Effective Written Communication I (three hours of non-credit bearing required courses) are offered to Year 3 and Year 4 students.

In addition to the curriculum, the ELC runs quite a number of extra-curricular activities every week to provide students additional English practice to enhance their English proficiency.

The objectives of the ELC are as follows:

To enhance students' general proficiency in English to a level appropriate for university study,
To equip students with relevant communicative skills in both academic, business and social contexts,
To provide authentic situations as far as possible for students to develop their proficiency in all four language skills in an all-rounded manner.

Career Highlights and Opportunities

[Spotlight on Careers](#) is a collaborative project initiated by the Liberal Arts Career Network. A consortium of 29 private liberal arts colleges. The goal is to make available the best information about a wide range of popular career fields. Check it out! We think you will find it informative

Our lives are not determined by what happens to us but by how we react to what happens, not by what life brings to us, but by the attitude we bring to life. A positive attitude causes a chain reaction of positive thoughts, events, and outcomes. It is a catalyst, a spark that creates extraordinary results.

(Anon)