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“Extreme Makeover” Volunteer Thank You

Representatives from J.T. Turner Construction, which recently built the Extreme Makeover home in Savannah, will visit our campus on Monday, January 31, to thank student volunteers. The event will be held at 5 p.m. at the Black Box Theatre.

Tripp Turner, chief operations officer, and Neilie Dunn, marketing director, plan to discuss the project and meet volunteers. Both are GSU alumni.

The Communication Arts Department and the Department of Construction Management & Civil Engineering provided a combined total of approximately 175 student and faculty member volunteers back in October.

Extreme Makeover: Home Edition is a TV series in which local communities and volunteers collaborate in renovating homes for families in need. It airs on ABC Sundays at 8 p.m.

Comm Arts Performs A “Makeover”

Upcoming Events

Kennedy Fine Arts Auditorium, Savannah
February 10 -13
Directed by former faculty member Mical Whitaker

Power
Black Box
February 23 – March 2

Scheduling Week
February 28 – March 4

PR Where U R
Registration Deadline
February 25

PR Where U R
March 4 – 5

Registration Begins
March 7
Do you enjoy networking, attending workshops and one-on-one time with PR professionals? Is relationship building something you see as beneficial in the PR field? Are you trying to figure out ways to enhance your profession? If so, you need to register to attend “PR Where U R,” the 2011 Georgia Southern University PRSSA Regional Activity on March 4th and 5th.

“PR Where U R” will offer cutting-edge information about the latest digital media platforms and how future PR practitioners can apply them in order to increase visibility, engagement and branding. Students will be educated, inspired and challenged by some of the leading digital media gurus in the nation and abroad, as we come together to discover the fundamentals of followers, fans and future trends from social media experts. A detailed schedule of the activity is available at: http://prwhereur.wordpress.com/about/.

Registration for “PR Where U R” is $50 for PRSSA members and $60 for non-members. The deadline to register is February 25, 2011. Register online at: http://prwhereur.wordpress.com/registration/.

You don't want to miss what we have planned, including our keynote speaker, internationally acclaimed social media expert, Peter Shankman.

**Department Intern**

The Communication Arts Department welcomes Alicia DeCoste, its Spring 2011 intern. She will assist the department in its upcoming projects and events, including a career day for pre-Communication Arts majors.

Alicia, a senior public relations major, is from Woodbine, Ga. She hopes to work for Chick-fil-A Corporate as a public relations practitioner.

**Advising Week**

Scheduling week for fall 2011 semester is February 28 – March 4. Students can schedule an advising appointment by signing up on their advisor’s door.

If you do not know who your advisor is, a list of advisors and advisees is posted outside the main office.

Make sure to bring your Eagle ID in order to pick up your folder before meeting with your advisor.

Before meeting with your advisor during scheduling week, complete a trial schedule. Forms are located outside the Peer Advising office Room 3024.

Peer advisors will be available throughout the month of February to assist in completing your trial schedule. A schedule of times will be posted throughout the building.

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