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HUBBA THE BLACK BUSINESS



### February

- 7<sup>th</sup>: GBM
- 15<sup>th</sup>: CPA Review & Media Etiquette
- 21<sup>st</sup>: GBM
- 24<sup>th</sup>: 10<sup>th</sup> Annual HUBBA Cook-off

### March

- 6<sup>th</sup>: Study Night
- 15<sup>th</sup>: Business Social
- 20<sup>th</sup>: GBM

### April

- 3<sup>rd</sup>: Study Night
- 12<sup>th</sup>: Silver Sponsor Social
- 17<sup>th</sup>: GBM
- 27<sup>th</sup>: Spring Banquet

## Welcome Back!

For many of us Spring 2012 is the end of a long and fulfilling journey, for others it's just the beginning.

Whether this is the start of your Cal career or your final semester, HUBBA would like to welcome you back to campus!

Spring semester is always an exciting time for our organization, and Spring 2012 is no exception. We have a full semester ahead of us, packed with useful workshops; fun socials; and much needed study

time. We hope you will join us as we continue to grow our organization; assist members of the black community develop professionally; and impact Cal.

As you set your semester goals and work to accomplish them I encourage you to reflect on this quote by Ralph Martson:

“Don't lower your expectations

to meet your performance. Raise your level of performance to meet your expectations. Expect the best of yourself, and then do what is necessary to make it a reality.”

Never settle for less than your best and remember HUBBA is here to help.

- *Gina Banks*



### Jayson ... Why did you apply to Haas?

**A:** I realized how practical and diverse the degree is. A business degree allows you to go into nearly any type of job because every profession has a business aspect to it.

### Q: What will you do with your degree?

**A:** Start my career with Deloitte, one of the Big Four professional services firms. I plan on working in the Strategy and Operations branch of their consulting industry. In the long term, I'd like to work for one of the top consulting firms or opening up my own consulting practice.

### Q: Do you have any advice for other Haas hopefuls?

**A:** As cliché as it sounds, planning ahead eliminates a lot of stress, so starting sooner rather than later is better. Do not be afraid to have your personal statements critiqued, especially by people that have applied to Haas themselves and your advisers. Utilize your resources! UC Berkeley is an enormous school with numerous resources. Keep in mind that your harshest critics are the people that will help you the most. Get involved in extracurricular activities and try to attain a leadership position in them.

## Wondering where accounting will take you? Just ask Jasmine about her summer abroad with Ernst & Young

This past summer I interned abroad in London at Ernst and Young and it was one of the best experiences in terms of work and adapting. The process of acquiring the internship was tedious, but in the end it was worth the time and effort. The program was sponsored by UC Berkeley and included studying and internship. I had a few interviews with their recruiter and the program directors.

I was asked to intern in the audit service line, within two different departments, Real Estate, Housing, and Construction (RHC) and Mining and Oil. My longest and biggest client was British Petroleum. That was the largest team that I worked with, which was composed of 6 other immediate people and other teams within the office. The variety of different clients and teams helped me learn to adapt to

environments and personality types. This internship also gave me the experience of working in a massive office of people that may or may not know each other. Although the entire building was composed of EY employees, it was rare that people would know others outside of their department.

The social dynamics within the departments were really tight-knit. Everyone was very friendly on each team I joined. There were a couple social events outside of work, where everyone would relax and get to know each other. Experiencing this type of work setting made me much more excited about pursuing a career in accounting and I definitely want to work and be exposed to more offices around the world.

- *Jasmine Hollins*







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