

# FOSTER MBA CLUB CATALOG

All you need to know about the clubs!



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# Do's and Don'ts (Duh)

### DO...

- □ Plenty of research before school starts because orientation and fall quarter will be very overwhelming.
- □ Sometimes the best way to research is to talk to your club leaders! Please allow some time for response as internships can be pretty intense!
- □ **Diversify** Even if you have a clear direction in mind, joining different clubs certainly expands the possibilities.
- ☐ Prioritize and plan realistically This means saying no to some clubs/events to give yourself room to relax and be flexible.
- □ Remember to ask about first-year leadership opportunities! Each club will have first-year rep positions available for you to be more involved.
- ☐ Come see us at the Club Fair!

### DON'T...

- **Panic!** We've been there, and that's why we are here to help. Ask lots of questions!
- ☐ Wait till the last minute to do research Clubs are a big part of your MBA investment and club dues can quickly add up, so investigate as you would with your retirement plans.
- ☐ Feel obligated to join lots of clubs and don't join clubs because your friends all did It's your MBA journey, so think about clubs' added values to YOU. Many clubs will also allow nonmembers to participate in their events with a small entry fee.
- Just be a member Participate, fill out club surveys, give feedback, and make the student club experience even better for the Class of 2020.
- ☐ Forget to have fun! Yes, skills training, networking, case interview prepping are all very important, but remember to chillax and have fun!



# **Club Happy Hour Calendar**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27 (Aug.)	28	29	30	• Foster Healthcare • Net Impact	1 (Sept.)  • Huddle  • Out in Business	2
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# **MBA Association (MBAA)**

The MBA Association at the Foster School of Business is your gateway to experiencing life outside of the classroom. As a member, you will have a chance to take part in student-run events and activities and make use of the countless resources that are funded and made available by the MBAA (MBAA membership is REQUIRED in order to join any of the student clubs). Have ideas for making our community a better (and of course fun) place? Come share them at the monthly Foster Forum hosted by the MBAA!

### **MBAA Events**

### 2016 - 2017

- ☐ Foster Forums *MBA community meet-up*
- ☐ TG Celebrations Parties at PACCAR!
- ☐ Leadership LAB
- ☐ Halloween Pumpkin Carving
- ☐ Lunar New Year Celebration

### 2017 - 2018 Planned

- Foster Forums
- ☐ TG Celebration
- ☐ Foster Friendsgiving
- ☐ End-of-Year Celebration
- ☐ More to come!

Club Dues: \$250 One-Time Due

For more club info, go to: <a href="https://depts.washington.edu/mbaclub/">https://depts.washington.edu/mbaclub/</a>



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# **Challenge 4 Charity (C4C)**

Challenge for Charity (C4C) is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization that draws on the talents, energy, and resources of MBA students from 9 West Coast business schools to support Special Olympics, Boys and Girls Clubs, and other family-related local charities. The purpose of the organization is to develop business leaders with a lifelong commitment to community involvement and social responsibility.

### **C4C Events**

### 2016 - 2017

- ☐ Local volunteer opportunities (year-round)☐ Organized, fun, local **volunteer**
- ☐ 5K Fun Run
- ☐ Sports Weekend at Stanford's Campus
- ☐ Charity Auction
- ☐ 1st Year Section Volunteer Competition

### 2017 - 2018 Planned

- Organized, fun, local volunteer opportunities year-round
- ☐ Fall Kickoff Brunch a great way to meet fellow students/faculty/blue dots and learn more about C4C
- ☐ 5K Fun Run
- ☐ Sports Weekend at Stanford's Campus
  - compete with 8 other MBA programs
- □ Charity Auction biggest C4C fundraiser of the year
- □ **Polar Plunge** dive into Puget Sound with fellow classmates to raise money for Special Olympics



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# **Diversity in Business (DiBs)**

The Foster Diversity in Business club (DiBs) is all about helping you find community and providing a space to embrace your most authentic self. Our mission is to celebrate the range and depth of individuals in the Foster MBA program by embracing traditionally defined diversity identifiers such as gender, race, nationality, and orientation in addition to diversity of thoughts, perspectives, and ideas. Everyone defines diversity differently and as such we encourage everyone to join.

### **DiBs Events**

<u>2016 - 2017</u>

- ☐ Fall 2016: DiBs Salon Coffee Chats
- ☐ Spring 2017: Speaker Event Godwin Gabriel, Creator of Moovn
- ☐ Spring 2017: Shabbat Dinners
- ☐ Spring 2017: Year-End BBQ

### 2017 - 2018 Planned

- ☐ Fall 2017: **Kickoff BBQ Mixer**
- □ Fall 2017: **Tough Talks and Tacos** tough discussions on tough topics we face everyday
- ☐ Winter 2018: **DiBs Alumni Mixer**
- ☐ Winter 2018: **Brunch Pancake Palooza** afternoon of pancakes and community building events
- ☐ Spring 2018: **Shabbat Dinners**
- ☐ Spring 2018: **End-of-Year BBQ**
- ☐ Throughout the year: Lunch Speakers and Workshops



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### **Entrepreneurship & Venture Capital Club**

The Entrepreneurship & Venture Capital Club (EVCC) is the gateway between the Foster MBA program and the start-up and VC community. We aim to increase awareness of Foster within the community and strive to achieve the following: 1. Expose students to start-ups in the Seattle area and other major cities; 2. Introduce students to venture capitalists and their investment philosophies; 3. Help students find practical experiences within the industry; 4. Support students in networking and the hiring process; 5. Create a forum for discussing new ventures and have fun!

### **EVCC Events**

2016 - 2017

- ☐ Founder Speaker Event (Rachel's Ginger Beer)
- ☐ Techstars Company Networking Night
- ☐ Portland Startup Trek
- Design Thinking Workshop
- ☐ Frazier Associates VC Speaker
- ☐ Founder Speaker Event (co-sponsored by DiBs)

#### 2017 - 2018 Planned

- ☐ Company Visit Speaker Series (Cannabis, Cloud, Space Industries, AR/VR)
- **□** VC Speaker Series
- □ Autumn Kickoff Event
- ☐ Startup + ENTRE Resource Nights



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# **Foster Consulting Society**

The Foster Consulting Society offers its student members 3 distinct value propositions:

- 1) Education: We strive to help our members learn what consulting is, the differences between various consulting organizations, and what working in consulting is like.
- 2) Preparation: We help members prepare and practice for case interviews. Almost all consulting firms and many other organizations utilize case interviews. We also provide training in how to be a successful consultant after landing an offer.
- 3) **Networking:** We offer events throughout the year that are hosted by consulting firms or where current consultants are invited to join. Members are given the opportunity to network with Foster alumni and others working in consulting.

### **Consulting Society Events**

2016 - 2017

- ☐ Weekly Group/One-on-one Case Prep Sessions
- Consulting Bootcamp Cohosted with **Consulting Firms**
- Behavioral Interview Speed Dating
- Math Bootcamps
- Winter and Spring Social

#### 2017 - 2018 Planned

- Weekly Group/One-on-one Case Prep **Sessions** - most utilized resources
- Consulting Bootcamp Cohosted with **Consulting Firms**
- Behavioral Interview Speed Dating brush up on behavioral interview skills with an open bar
- Math Bootcamps
- ☐ Winter and Spring Social largest alumni networking events
- □ Alumni Happy Hours



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### **Foster Creative**

Foster Creative is all about embracing and expressing your creativity, whether it's in a professional setting or just a way to relax and have fun. We're big believers in building a community at Foster that will help you integrate creativity into your personal brand while also learning to appreciate the unique talents of your peers. Unleash your inner creative BEAST.

### **Foster Creative Events**

2016 - 2017

- Workshops
- Community Events
- Network Effect
- ☐ Speaker Series Most recent: James Whittaker, a Technical and Creative Leader from Microsoft.

#### 2017 - 2018 Planned

- **Workshops** From presentation skills to graphic design workshops
- ☐ Community Events i.e. Seattle Pinball Museum Tour, Group Outing to Poetry Slam at ReBar, Fusion Dance + Salsa Lesson, MBA Spring Pool Party
- ☐ **Fleetwood WACC** The MBA band will play several shows throughout the year
- ☐ **Speaker Series** We are bringing back James Whittaker!



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# **Foster Finance Society**

The Foster Finance Society is a club for students interested in the world of finance and pursuing a career in the field. We add value to our members through networking opportunities, student and alumni panels, corporate guest speakers, West Coast company visits, recruiter information sessions, and interview preparation.

### **Finance Society Events**

2016 - 2017

- ☐ Boardroom Speaker Series with West Coast Finance Leaders
- ☐ Resume Reviews and Interview Prep Sessions
- ☐ Alumni Networking Socials
- ☐ Skill-Building Workshops (i.e., Training the Street)
- Local company visits

### 2017 - 2018 Planned

- ☐ Introduction to the World of
  Finance featuring John Connors (former
  Microsoft CFO, founder of Ignition Partners) and
  Professor Thomas Gilbert
- ☐ **Bay Area Trek** engage with corporate finance, investment banking, venture capital, and fintech professionals
- ☐ Fall and Spring Alumni Socials
- ☐ Interview Bootcamps for Internship and Full-time Opportunities
- ☐ Seattle Company Visits to Financial Services Firms



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### **Foster Foodies**

The mission of Foster Foodies is to create a no-stress environment for the Foster community to bond over mutual enthusiasm and curiosity for food and drink. We are a fun and relaxing club that delivers value to members through industry events while remaining relevant to the unique interests of each MBA class.

### **Foster Foodies Events**

2016 - 2017

- ☐ Monthly Beer/Wine Bottle Swap
- Woodinville Winery Tour
- ☐ Army-Navy Game Chili Cookoff
- ☐ Sushi Making Class
- ☐ International Coffee Tasting with Starbucks

#### 2017 - 2018 Planned

- ☐ International Coffee Tasting with Starbucks
- Winery Tour
- ☐ Introduction to Wine-Tasting Class
- ☐ Sirena Gelato Event
- ☐ Army-Navy Game Chili Cookoff

Club Dues: \$50 (1 Year), \$95 (Full Program)

For more club info, go to: <a href="https://depts.washington.edu/mbaclub/mba-">https://depts.washington.edu/mbaclub/mba-</a>

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### **Foster Healthcare Biotechnology Association**

The Foster Healthcare and Biotech Association's mission is to grow future impactful healthcare leaders by becoming the go-to resource for healthcare. Our vision is to widen scope of club to address and include all determinants of health (i.e. physical, emotional, mental, spiritual, social). Finally, we hope to change perception of healthcare within Foster to be more approachable so that those who are curious, interested, and passionate about healthcare can come together.

### **Foster Healthcare Events**

#### 2016 - 2017

- ☐ HCBA Kickoff Event with Healthcare Startups (Aduro, Arivale, and Pillsy)
- ☐ Philips Healthcare Factory Tour
- ☐ Unique Careers in Healthcare Sushi Dinner (Village Reach, Northwest Hospitals, SightLife, Novo Nordisk)
- Virginia Mason Tour
- ☐ Valuation in Biotechnology with Clifford Stocks

#### 2017 - 2018 Planned

20+ Events for 17-18, small sample below:

- ☐ Seattle Children's Hospital Tour
- □ Gates Foundation Tour
- □ PATH Tour
- **Movie Night** Concussion
- ☐ Healthcare Leadership Series how to be an empathetic and effective leader in healthcare



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### **Foster Marketing Association**

The mission of the Foster Marketing Association (FMA) is to be the most valuable resource for students interested in the marketing industry. We do this by:

- Connecting students with each other, professors, alumni, and marketing professionals
- Preparing students through exposure to current marketing trends and best practices with speaker events, company visits, and student-led discussions as well as advocating for continual curriculum improvements
- Inspiring students and generating excitement about the field of Marketing

### **FMA Events**

2016 - 2017

- ☐ **Connect:** networking events with current students, alumni + local companies
- □ Prepare: resume reviews, interview prep sessions, marketing skills workshops (e.g. Intro to SOL)
- ☐ Inspire: marketing trend talks (e.g. Super Bowl Ad Review), local company visits (e.g. Vela Cannabis Tour)

#### 2017 - 2018 Planned

- ☐ **Connect:** networking events with current students, alumni + local companies
- ☐ **Prepare:** resume reviews, interview prep sessions, marketing skills workshops (e.g. Intro to Google Analytics)
- ☐ Inspire: marketing trend talks (e.g. Digital Marketing at Facebook), local company visits (e.g. F5)



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### **Foster MBA Huddle**

Being an MBA student gives you the ability to participate in broader University of Washington events and build school spirit. MBA Huddle enables both of these, while also providing an opportunity to network with current and past Foster students from all MBA programs, and meet their family, friends, children and fur babies. Also, Huddle is typically the first chance for first years to meet returning students in a casual and spirited environment.

### **Huddle Events**

2016 - 2017

- ☐ 7 UW Football Home Game Tailgates
- ☐ 1 UW Football Away Game Watch Party
- ☐ 1 UW Baseball Game Tailgate

### 2017 - 2018 Planned

Tailgate = Unlimited food and drink socializing before sporting events to build community, unity, and excitement around UW athletics!

- ☐ 7 UW Football Home Game Tailgates
- ☐ 2 UW Basketball Game Tailgates
- 1 UW Baseball Game Tailgate

Club Dues: \$80 (1 Year)

**Orientation Happy Hour:** September 1, 5 pm @ TBD (Off Campus)

For more club info, go to: <a href="https://depts.washington.edu/mbaclub/mba-clubs/mba-huddle/">https://depts.washington.edu/mbaclub/mba-clubs/mba-huddle/</a>



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### **Foster Tech Club**

Every year between 40-70% of Foster MBA graduates go to work in the technology industry. Our mission is to promote the education and success of our members within the technology industry. Foster Tech will accomplish this by leveraging the local tech community, students with experience in the tech industry, and the greater UW community to provide our members with tech-related educational and networking opportunities. The Club's vision is to not only help its members reach their career goals, but also to further the Foster MBA program's standing as a leader in the tech industry.

### **Foster Tech Events**

### 2016 - 2017

- ☐ Company Visits to Local Tech Firms Microsoft, Amazon, Zillow, and eBay
- ☐ Tech Trek to the Bay Area, visiting companies like Facebook, Google, and Apple
- ☐ Happy Hour with Foster Alumni currently working in the tech industry
- ☐ SQL Training Workshop
- ☐ Cloud Computing Information Session

#### 2017 - 2018 Planned

- ☐ Tech Industry Interview Workshops
- ☐ Bay Area and Portland Tech Treks
- Amazon Company Visit
- ☐ Cloud Computing Panel with Representatives from AWS, Microsoft, Dell EMC, and Google
- ☐ Alumni Happy Hours
- ☐ Local Tech Firm Visits CDK, Adobe, Expedia
- ☐ E-Commerce Panel
- PM Workshop/Training



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# Foster Veterans Association (FVA)

We are open to everyone, you do not have to be a veteran to join the association. The Foster Veteran's Association will help prepare Foster student veterans to celebrate their service and translate their unique experiences into meaningful careers, while also engaging non-veterans to exchange ideas and perspectives in a way that will deepen the bonds between us and the larger veteran community.

### **FVA Events**

2016 - 2017

- ☐ MBA Veterans Career Conference Prep
- ☐ Leadership Seminar
- ☐ I Corps Commander "Adaptive Leadership"
- ☐ FVA Starbucks Visit
- ☐ JBLM trip

#### 2017 - 2018 Planned

20+ Events for 17-18, small sample below:

- **□** MBA Veterans Conference Prep
- ☐ Army-Navy Chili Cookoff
- □ SOF Lessons in Leadership
- ☐ LTG Lanza "Adaptive Leadership"
- ☐ Company Visits Starbucks, Nike, Microsoft, McKinsey, Amazon, Goldman Sachs to name a few



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## **Foster Women in Business (WiB)**

Our mission is to promote the personal and professional development of Foster women MBA students, with a specific focus on growing women into leadership positions and increasing their visibility in the community. For 2017-2018, we are focused on (1) cultivating a diverse and supportive community; (2) promoting productive dialogue and education to prepare men to be allies to women in business and the community; (3) developing the pipeline of woman MBAs through mentorship and prospective student outreach; and (4) knowledge and skill-building to prepare women to navigate gender-related challenges in their post-MBA careers.

### **WiB Events**

### 2016 - 2017

- ☐ An Evening with Dorrit Bern (Former CEO of Charming Shoppes)
- ☐ Screening of Code: Debugging the Gender Gap
- ☐ An Evening with Rachel's Ginger Beer
- ☐ Spring Alumni Dinner
- End of Year Celebration

### 2017 - 2018 Planned

- Quarterly Retreats
- ☐ Tricky Conversation Dinners
- ☐ Family & Future Choices Panel for MBAs
- ☐ Speaker Series with Business leaders
- ☐ Foster Male Allies Program



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# **Global Business Association (GBA)**

The Global Business Association enhances the Foster MBA community's collective understanding of global issues that characterize the modern business environment. We empower the community by increasing their knowledge of other cultures and cultural awareness, and by increasing their knowledge of doing business abroad in a variety of industries and functions.

### **GBA Events**

### 2016 - 2017

- ☐ "Doing Business in..." international students led discussions
- ☐ Port of Seattle Visit
- ☐ International Coffee Tasting with Starbucks
- ☐ PM Alexa Talk with Rob Katz, Amazon
- ☐ International Trivia Night

### 2017 - 2018 Planned

20+ Events for 17-18, small sample below:

- ☐ Seattle Foreign Consulate Visit
- ☐ International Trivia Night
- ☐ Lean/Toyota Production System in the Real World Talk
- ☐ International Business Etiquette Class
- ☐ Export Finance Assistance Center of WA Talk



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### **Level Up!**

Level Up! is an interactive entertainment industry club (video games, VR/AR, mobile) that bridges UW Foster MBA candidates with executives, recruiters, and job opportunities. Our mission is to help Foster MBA students learn about and network with leaders in the interactive entertainment industry. Our VISION is to establish the UW Foster MBA program as a regional and national leader for game business talent.

### **Level Up! Events**

2016 - 2017

Club was founded in 2017 Spring

- ☐ Big Fish Games Industry Mixer
- ☐ Executive Speaker Series: Steve Fowler (VP of Global Publishing Hearthstone, Blizzard Entertainment)
- ☐ Level Up! Gaming Night

#### 2017 - 2018 Planned

- ☐ Executive Speaker Series Rich Sawel (Senior Product Manager, Amazon Game Studios)
- ☐ Executive Speaker Series Nick Dimitrov (Principal Business Development Manager at Amazon AppStore)
- ☐ Executive Speaker Series Alan Wasserman (former VP and Studio Head of Rockstar Games)
- ☐ Visit to Local Game Development Companies in Seattle



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### **Net Impact**

Net Impact is a local and national network of impact-oriented professionals. We are the club for leaders who see business as a vehicle for positive change. As a club, our goal is to serve students by being Foster's connection to a career in social and environmental sustainability, and by providing the resources to build skills and knowledge on these issues.

### **Net Impact Events**

2016 - 2017

- ☐ IdeaLab: Less Carbon, More Profit panel and roundtables with local sustainability professionals
- Net Impact National Conference
- ☐ Service Corps Consulting projects with local non-profits
- Drink and Thinks topics include PTS, Homelessness, and the Politics of Climate Change
- ☐ Visits to The Gates Foundation and the Bullitt Center

### 2017 - 2018 Planned

- ☐ Fall 2017: **Net Impact National Conference** in Atlanta
- ☐ Fall 2017: Career Pathing Event
- ☐ Winter 2018: **Net Impact Case Competition**
- ☐ Winter 2018: **Skill Building Workshop** subjects such as Lifecycle
  Assessments
- ☐ Spring 2018: IdeaLab topic TBD



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# **Operations Club**

Our mission is to prepare Foster MBAs to be innovators in production and business process management. Operations is the backbone of business, and it has different meanings in different industries. No matter your function or field, from marketing to finance, and technology to consumables, from manufacturing to e-commerce, the field of operations management plays a large role in your education and career. Our club gives students the best exposure to the way companies actually work, from production and transportation to high-tech and start-ups.

### **Operations Club Events**

#### 2016 - 2017

- ☐ Visit Amazon Robotic Fulfillment Center
- ☐ Visit Amazon Fresh Fulfillment Center in Bellevue
- ☐ Visit Boeing Plant VIP Tour + Executive Guest Speaker Engagement
- ☐ Visit Philips Healthcare WA headquarter
- Nucor Steel Tour
- ☐ Port of Seattle Tour
- ☐ Sea-Tac Airport Tour

#### 2017 - 2018 Planned

- Operations Career Path Lunch Session
- ☐ Guest Speaker: Eric Sprunk (Nike COO)
- ☐ Guest Speaker: Gary Kaplan (Virginia Mason CEO)
- ☐ Alumni Panel: Cloud Operations
- ☐ Company Visit: Amazon Fulfillment Center Tours
- ☐ Microsoft Azure Server Farm Visit

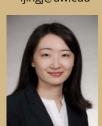
Club Dues: \$15 (1 Year), \$20 (Full Program)

Orientation Happy Hour: September 8, 5 pm @ Hogan Terrace

For more club info, go to: <a href="https://depts.washington.edu/mbaclub/mba-clubs/operations-club/">https://depts.washington.edu/mbaclub/mba-clubs/operations-club/</a>



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# **Out in Business (OiB)**

Out in Business is the safe space for Foster's LGBTQ+ & Ally students. Our mission is three-fold: first, we want to be a space of support for LGBTQ+ and Ally students. Secondly, we aim to educate the larger Foster body about current and future issues prevalent to our community through educational workshops and panels. Lastly, we provide allyship to the larger Seattle and Washington LGBTQ+ businesses and communities through collaboration and promotion.

### **OiB Events**

### 2016 - 2017

- ☐ Fall 2016: Out in Business Welcome Brunch
- ☐ Winter 2017: Ally Training Workshop with ☐ Fall 2017: **Reaching Out MBA Equal Rights Washington**
- ☐ Winter 2017: Self-Care Workshop
- ☐ Spring 2017: Out in the Workplace Panel with Out & Equal
- ☐ Spring 2017: Life at UW Foster Panel with Foster MBA Admissions

#### 2017 - 2018 Planned

- ☐ Fall 2017: Out in Business **Welcome** Mini-Retreat
- Conference
- ☐ Winter 2018: **Co-Event with local LGBTQ+** Non-Profit
- ☐ Fall/Winter/Spring: **Ally Training Series** - with specific focus for each quarter
- ☐ Fall/Winter/Spring: **Bonding Social Events**



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**Orientation Happy Hour:** September 1, 5 pm @ TBD (Off Campus)

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### Outdoor and Sports Industry Club (OSIC)

Our mission is to prepare Foster MBA students for careers in the outdoor and sports industries by providing opportunities to engage and interact with industry professionals and establishing the value of an MBA to stakeholders in the industry.

### **OSIC Events**

2016 - 2017

- Outdoor and Sports Industry Trek to Boulder, Colorado
- ☐ Dan Nordstrom Conversation
- MSR and Outdoor Research Factory Tours
- ☐ North Face Athlete/CSR Rep Pete Athans Talk
- ☐ UW Athletic Director Jen Cohen Speaker
- Mount Rainier Climb

#### 2017 - 2018 Planned

- ☐ Outdoor and Sports Industry Trek to the Bay Area
- **□** Outdoor Retailer Networking Trip
- ☐ MSR and Outdoor Research Factory
  Tours
- **REI Speakers** Brad Brown and John Sheppard
- **□** UW Athletic Department Visit
- ☐ **Drink and Think** Pay for Play in NCAA with Frank Hodge
- Mount Rainier Climb



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Orientation Happy Hour: September 11, 5 pm @ Hogan Terrace

For more club info, go to: <a href="https://depts.washington.edu/mbaclub/mba-clubs/sports-business-">https://depts.washington.edu/mbaclub/mba-clubs/sports-business-</a>

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### Part II

Part II exists to facilitate a more cohesive student body through fun and engaging experiences outside of PACCAR Hall. We exist to ensure you have a good time. Most importantly, we make sure WHISTLER is the highlight of your year!

### **Part II Events**

2016 - 2017

- ☐ Whistler: 3-Day Party in Canada
- ☐ Mariners Game: Baseball Game
- ☐ Seattle Underground Tour
- ☐ Escape the Room

2017 - 2018 Planned

- ☐ Whistler: 3-Day party in Canada
- ☐ Spring Mariners Game
- ☐ Mini-Golf: Putt-Putt Golf + Happy Hour
- ☐ Bend/Mt. Bachelor Trip

Club Dues: \$50 (1 Year), \$90 (Full Program)

**Orientation Happy Hour:** September 11, 5 pm @ Hogan Terrace

For more club info, go to: https://depts.washington.edu/mbaclub/mba-clubs/part-ii/



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### Real Estate Club

In 2016, the Seattle Times reported that Seattle's crane count has surged in the last year at 38% growth, deeming it the Crane Capital of America. The city is changing drastically due to high demand for housing and transportation. Reflecting the interdisciplinary nature of the real estate industry, our membership is comprised of students from the: College of Built Environments, Foster School of Business, Evans School of Public Affairs, the UW School of Law, and several others. The mission of the club is to provide educational and networking opportunities to UW graduate students.

### **Real Estate Club Events**

#### 2016 - 2017

- Site visits to Seattle's most important new construction projects
- ☐ Weekly Lunch and Learns with Executives in the Seattle Area.
- ☐ Potential paid/unpaid field study opportunities with innovative developers in Seattle.
- Company info sessions and happy hours

### 2017 - 2018 Planned

- ☐ Tech innovation in Real Estate (ex. Modular Housing)
- ☐ Affordable Housing Finance (ex. Impact investing)
- ☐ Public Sector Real Estate Finance (ex. the effort to cap i-5)
- ☐ Urban Development Consulting (ex. Heartland LLC)
- ☐ Homebuying 101 Workshop with RE investment Professor
- ☐ Huskies vs. Ducks Real Estate Networking Tailgate

Club Dues: \$65 (1 Year), \$100 (Full Program)

**Orientation Happy Hour:** September 12, 5 pm @ Hogan Terrace

For more club info, go to: <a href="http://www.uwreclub.com/">http://www.uwreclub.com/</a>



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### **Strategy Club**

Our mission is to provide foster students with the tools to think strategically about their career and pursue a future as a leader in Strategy. We aim to:

- Explore and prepare for short-term and long-term planning strategy careerpathing
- Develop strong strategic thinking skills sets
- Prepare for and excel at MBA case competitions
- Connect with other students through strategy themed social events

### **Strategy Club Events**

2016 - 2017

- ☐ Speaker Series with Brad Chase (Strategy consultant and former SVP of Microsoft)
- ☐ Informational Interviewing Workshop
- ☐ Escape the Room Strategy Event
- Strategy Alumni Cocktail Event
- ☐ Prime and Winter Case Competitions

#### 2017 - 2018 Planned

- ☐ Introduction to Strategy Lunch-and-Learn - overview of the scope of different strategy opportunities and careers
- □ Career Switchers Panel Panel of 2<sup>nd</sup> year career switchers
- □ Salary Negotiation Workshop
- White Elephant Christmas Party
- ☐ Case Competition Lunch-and-Learn -Overview of MBA case competitions lead by Pratham and Matt Ulrich.



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Orientation Happy Hour: September 6, 5 pm @ Orin's Cafe

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### The Leadership and Human Capital Society

The Leadership and Human Capital Society is a "people-focused" supplement to the MBA curriculum, which provides skills that students can apply directly to their current or post-MBA careers, covering topics on people management, resilience, and public speaking. It is also a source for students interested in exploring careers in HR and how an MBA is applicable to this growing industry.

### The "Human Capitalist" Events

<u>2016 - 2017</u>

- □ A Round-Table Discussion about Firing
- ☐ HR Treks to Nordstrom, Starbucks, Microsoft, and Amazon
- ☐ F-Up Night (F.U.N.) Students shared stories of failure and resilience over an evening of drinks and appetizers

2017 - 2018 Planned

- Monthly F.U.N. Practice public speaking skills and hear stories from your peers.
- Monthly Round-Table Discussions on People Management Challenges
- □ Speaker Series
- ☐ **HR Treks** to West Coast Companies

Note: Most of our events will be held in the evenings to accommodate our members in the evening MBA program

Club Dues: \$10 (1 Year)



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Ask us about leadership roles for incoming first-years!

