



Welcome to Biz Nation!

February 2022

Save the Date

February

2 Last Day for 50% Refund
7 Accounting Major Recruitment Event*
8 12pm Entrepreneurship Club at Clement Cove
9 12:05pm Investment Club Meeting
15 Marketing Club Meeting
21 Warren Averett*
23 12:05pm Investment Club Meeting
25 Weather Make-Up Day 1

March

1 Start of Advising
2 COB Career Fair
3 Mid-Semester Grades due
7 Boyd Busby, Exec director of ASBPA*
9 12:05pm Investment Club Meeting
12-20 Spring Break
23 Investment Club Meeting
21 Governmental Financial Management Society Meeting
27 Last Date to Drop

*All events marked with an asterisk are hosted by the School of Accountancy; please contact Haley Daniel (haley.daniel@aum.edu) with questions.

College of Business Homecoming Events in February

Young Alumni Panel Event

When: Tuesday, February 8 from 6:30 p.m. -7:30 p.m.

Where: Taylor Center 221

Serving: Hamburgers, chips, and drinks

Homecoming: BBQ

When: Saturday, February 12 beginning at 11:30 a.m.

Where: Between the Gym and Clement Hall

Serving: Pulled pork sandwiches and chips (a limited number of veggie burgers available upon request)

College of Business Scholarships

It's time to apply for the College of Business Scholarships for the 2022-23 academic year! Look in your email for the application link. The deadline for submitting your application is February 18, 5:00pm CST.



Get Ready for the Career Fair on Wednesday, March 2, 11-1

How do I prepare my resume?

These templates will help you create a professional resume. Choose the template that best fits your needs here:

[Business Resume Templates](#)



Have your resume reviewed

Have your resume reviewed by AUM's Career Development Center by sending it to resumereview@aum.edu. The College of Business is running a resume review campaign from now until Feb. 23. Take this opportunity to have your resume reviewed by a business professor by sending it to charrin1@aum.edu. Write a brief, professionally-prepared message such as, Dear Dr. Harrington, I am submitting my resume for review. Thank you. Sincerely, [your name].

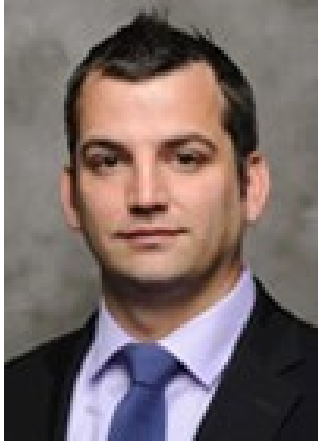
I'm not currently looking for a position.

Why should I participate? Participating in the Career Fair will help build your confidence when you begin your job search. You will be more prepared when speaking with employers and better understand what may be asked of you.



How can I prepare?

- Ensure you have appropriate clothing. If you need business wear, please stop by any department within the COB (offices 301, 303, 310, or 315) and request access to the Clothing Closet. Speak with an administrative associate or your professor; they will be happy to assist you. The Clothing Closet is stocked with attire that is appropriate for any networking event or interview.
- Prepare concise answers to give when asked about yourself and your interests.
- Come prepared to ask questions about the companies you engage with.
- If you are looking for an internship, part-time, or full-time employment, bring several copies of your resume to hand out to employers.



Ben Wells

Student of the Month

Ben Wells is currently enrolled in the Master of Healthcare Administration program while working full time. He is Vice President of Finance and Chief Financial Officer of Jackson Hospital and Clinic in Montgomery, Alabama. Ben has over fourteen years of progressive financial leadership in both for-profit and not-for-profit healthcare systems. In his current role, Ben is responsible for financial performance and identifying and pursuing strategic opportunities.

Special College of Business Brag

Congratulations to Prakhar Singh on his admission to the Masters in Financial Analytics program at Trent University! Way to go Prakhar!



Let Us Brag on You!

Please let us know, if you have accepted an internship, a job offer, or got into Graduate School. Just send an email to Dr. Christine Harrington (charrin1@aum.edu).

Raising Funds for a Cause

Spring Pop-Up Thrift Store



The Ambassador Club held their second Pop-Up Thrift Store fundraiser for the College of Business Clothing Closet. The funds raised will help replenish items available for students who need clothing to participate in professional events such as job fairs, interviews, and networking events. The Beta Alpha Psi members have done an excellent job of organizing and maintaining the Clothing Closet. If you need a few items for an upcoming professional event, any staff or faculty member in the College of Business will assist you with the Clothing Closet.

Major Focus: Finance

We asked Dr. Dickens, what can you do with a finance degree?

“Finance” exists in every economic entity (for- and not-for-profit) with transactions. Thus, a finance student should be good with numbers and possess excellent reasoning skills. Careers are in corporate finance (associated with money flows in billing, inventory management, payroll, capital investment, and real estate), financing (moving funds from savers/investors to borrowers/users a la banking, credit unions, and finance companies), risk management (insurance, derivatives), and investment (personal financial advising to investment banking). These traditional areas are sometimes in new versions (e.g. fintech, cryptocurrencies), but harken back to the basic economic problem of how best to allocate a scarce resource (money).

Study Skills Mentoring: Study Tips, Tools, and Take-Aways



Quick Tip: How to get the most out of every class

- Before class, read the chapter and write an outline that includes important terms. Being familiar with the material will help you better understand it during class.
- During class, fill in your outline with important material that the professor discusses. Also, If you don't understand something, please ask your professor.
- After class, make time to review your notes the same day.

Stay on track and take advantage of free tutoring sessions!
[Click here to make an appointment](#)

The Learning Center Tutoring Schedule:

Monday:

9 a.m.-2 p.m.: QMTD 2740, QMTD 2750

12.30p.m.-7 p.m.: ACCT 2010, ACCT 2020, ACCT 3110, ACCT 3120, ACCT 3130, ACCT 3200, ACCT 3210, ACCT 3310, QMTD 2740, QMTD 2750, FINA 3610

3p.m.-5p.m.: ACCT 3000, BUSN 3060,

Tuesday:

9 a.m.-1 p.m.: ACCT 2020, ACCT 3110, ACCT 3120, ACCT 3210, FINA 3230, FINA 3370

9 a.m.-3 p.m.: ACCT 3000, BUSN 2740, BUSN 2750, QMTD 2740, QMTD 2750, FINA 3610

9 a.m.-7 p.m.: ACCT 2010, BUSN 3060,

4 p.m.-7 p.m.: ACCT 2020, ACCT 3110, ACCT 3120, ACCT 3130, ACCT 3200, ACCT 3210, ACCT 3310, QMTD 2740, QMTD 2750, FINA 3610

Wednesday:

9 a.m.- 1 p.m.: BUSN 3060

9 a.m.-2 p.m.: QMTD 2740, QMTD 2750

9 a.m.-3 p.m.: FINA 3610

9 a.m.-6 p.m.: ACCT 2010

1 p.m.-6p.m.: ACCT 2020, ACCT 3110, ACCT 3120, ACCT 3130, ACCT 3200, QMTD 2740, QMTD 2750

4 p.m.-6 p.m.: ACCT 2010, BUSN 3060

5 p.m.-7.30 p.m.: ACCT 2010, ACCT 2020

Thursday:

9 a.m.-7 p.m.: QMTD 2740, QMTD 2750, BUSN 3060

11:30 a.m.- 2:30 p.m.: ACCT 2020, ACCT 3110, ACCT 3120, ACCT 3200, ACCT 3210, FINA 3230, FINA 3370

11:30 a.m.-7 p.m.: FINA 3610

4 p.m.-7p.m.: ACCT 2020, FINA 3230, FINA 3370

Friday:

10 a.m.-2 p.m.: QMTD 2740, QMTD 2750

Student Scholarships Available for Internship Courses and Undergraduate Research

Dr. Varma, the AUM Provost, has established a scholarship program to encourage undergraduate students to enroll in directed research and/or internship courses. The scholarship covers the cost of one credit hour of tuition. Students may enroll in a research or internship course that provides more than one credit hour; however, the scholarship will cover the cost of only one credit hour.

The process works like this:

1. An undergraduate student enrolled in a research or internship course completes the online application found here:
https://aum.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_1AMJaXVTtI90cgC
 2. The Experiential Education and Engagement Center (EEEC) receives the online application and confirms that the student is enrolled in the course.
 3. The EEEEC notifies the scholarship office that the student qualifies for the Provost's scholarship.
 4. The scholarship office processes the refund for one credit hour of tuition.
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COVID-19 Policy Updates

If you have a positive COVID-19 test, self-report by sending a message to the following email address: accountability@aum.edu. This email address is monitored seven days a week by someone at AUM.

All AUM students and employees are required to wear face coverings properly (securely covering the nose and mouth) when inside campus buildings and using university transportation – regardless of vaccination status or distance.

Spaces where face coverings are required include classrooms, labs, common areas, elevators, and other shared indoor spaces. Face masks do not have to be worn outdoors, when alone in private offices, when eating inside campus dining facilities, when in campus residence hall rooms with a roommate, in open-air athletic venues, or when exercising in the Wellness Center.