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The Husky Vet Gazette

Upcoming Events

February 19th – Norwich Vet Center Visit, and Veterans Advisory Council Meeting

February 21st – Hawley Award Nominations Due

February 28th – Non-Profit and Service Career Fair

March 1st – Deadline for Governor’s Innovation Fellowship.

Bar Night – Every Thursday night at 6:00!
Come by the Oasis in the Student Union to see which venue is selected for the bar night.

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Governor’s Innovation Fellowship

- The Governor’s Innovation Fellowship (GIF) is a new program that places the most promising graduates of Connecticut colleges and universities in growth positions inside of some of the most innovative companies in Connecticut.
- This program aims to prepare Connecticut’s, and the nation’s next generation of business leaders.
- Students graduating in 2020, or recently graduated students are strongly encouraged to apply.
- Selected fellows will receive a $5,000 honorarium.
- Applications are due March 1st, 2020.

Contact fellowship@stamfordnext.org or visit ctgif.com for more information!

Hawley Leadership and Service Award

- UConn’s Willis N. Hawley Leadership and Service Award Recognizes a student veteran who has made significant contributions to the University community through leadership and service as a student.
- Awards $1,000 to the winner.
- Students from any campus, undergraduate or graduate, are eligible.
- Deadline for nominations is February 21st, 2020!
- Please follow the link below to learn more!

sla.uconn.edu/award-descriptions/
Internship Opportunity at Travelers!

Travelers is Vet friendly and has multiple openings for a Risk Control Internship in Hartford this summer.

Primary Responsibilities:

- Develop risk control and general insurance industry knowledge.
- Assist in providing risk control support to home office leadership, commercial or construction field consultants, or staff within specialist disciplines.
- 10-12 week program with paid positions in multiple offices, including, Hartford, CT.

To learn more and/or apply go to: https://careers.travelers.com/job/10132663/risk-control-safety-intern-hartford-ct/?codes=S0727

TBI Study at UConn

- Help the Acquired Brain Injuries lab at UConn learn more about Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI).
- Participants with moderate to severe TBI are needed to study how brain injury affects story-telling and instruction-giving abilities.
- Participants will be paid $10/hour, for 2-2.5 hours.

Email uconncoelho4lab@gmail.com if interested!
Board Games in Hawley!

Now on Thursdays at 2:00pm, Hawley Armory Room 105

These are not your everyday board games. Different games will be played each week with the rules explained for everyone by the Game Master!

Questions? Contact Jon Ramos (a.k.a. the Game Master) at jonathan.ramos@uconn.edu

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Norwich Vet Center Visit

Wed., Feb. 19th 10:30am-12:30pm.
Oasis, Student Union 224 (Storrs)

Natalie Martinez, the Outreach Coordinator from the Norwich Vet Center will be in the Oasis Feb. 19th.

This is a great opportunity for any students with an interest in or questions about the Vet Center to learn more!

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VSO Officer Positions

Spots for VSO (Veteran Students Organization) Vice President and Secretary still need to be filled for the 2020-2021 school year!

Elections soon.

Interested? Contact Austin Ford at Austin.2.ford@uconn.edu

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Veterans Advisory Council Meeting

Hawley Armory Room 204 (Storrs)
Wednesday, 2/19 at 2:00pm

The Veterans Advisory Council is comprised of students, faculty, and staff at UConn who are Veterans and key supporters of Veterans. Any student Veterans are welcome to attend any of the Veterans Advisory Council Meetings.

If you have questions, or you’re interested in serving on the Veterans Advisory Council, please contact Nikki Eberly at Nikki.eberly@uconn.edu