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Latest UCAN News

- Rebecca Lothringer from Admissions came to the September 16th meeting to discuss the upcoming Transfer Connection. 8 local community colleges have been invited to UNT to learn about CAS and participate in a panel discussion with UNT counselors and advisors. Transfer Connection will be held on Nov. 11 and Nov. 18. If you are interested in participating in the panel discussion or would like to help with set-up or registration please contact Rebecca Lothringer at lothringer@unt.edu.
- UCAN raised over \$200 in donations to help Hurricane Katrina victims staying locally at Camp Copass in Denton.
- There were 20 in attendance at the August meeting and 29 in attendance at the September meeting. Don't forget to sign in when you attend a meeting!



2004-2005 UCAN Members

Upcoming Meetings and Topics:

October 21, 2005

12:00-1:30, MATT Rm. 102

Peer Advisors, NACADA review,
Double Majors

November 17, 2005:

12:00-1:30, Room to be announced

Researching and Presenting in
Advising, Study Abroad
Course Spotlight, PSYC 1000

December 16, 2005

12:00-1:30, Room to be announced

Advising Students with Disabilities
Course Spotlight

Do you know of an interesting course that could be in our course spotlight? Contact Trey Anderson with your suggestions. (AndersoT@unt.edu)



Carol Pollard, President and Billi Gravely, Treasurer. Donations were raised for Hurricane Katrina victims staying at Camp Copass in Denton.

2005-2006 Executive Committee



President: Carol Pollard, COM
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 (Not Pictured)
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 (Not Pictured)

Counselors and Advisors head to Las Vegas for National Conference

29 counselors and advisors from UNT headed out to Las Vegas for the National Academic Advising Association conference in early October. This is a great opportunity for counselors and advisors to achieve personal and professional growth.



Carol Pollard and Becky King, COM advisors were chosen by the NACADA Liberal Arts Commission to present. The title of their presentation was "A Career Night for Fine Arts Majors-without saying "Do You Want Fries With That?" They were encouraged to present after conducting a successful Career Night for Music Majors last fall. Becky says it was "cool" to be chosen as a sponsored presentation.

According to Ernestine Denmon, SMHM advisor, the national conference is also a great place to showcase one's talents. Ernestine is a member of the NACADA choir, which performed at the Official Conference Opening. She has found the choir to be a great way to network and gain lasting friendships.

Not a UCAN member yet?

The primary goal of UCAN is to provide academic counselors and advisors with opportunities for professional development, recognition, and peer support, ultimately building a network of resources to enhance student success in college. UCAN is open to all UNT faculty and staff that guide students in an academic setting.

Come to one of our upcoming meetings to learn more about UCAN and meet other counselors and advisors at UNT. You can also contact Jennifer McDonald (McDonalJ@unt.edu) to get more information on UCAN.

Know someone on campus that might be interested in UCAN? Invite them to the next meeting!

Have a UCAN item you would like to see included in the newsletter? E-mail Alex Romano (RomanoA@unt.edu)
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