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First, I would like to take the opportunity to address several misconceptions regarding the Study Skills and Research Skills classes. These are compulsory for all full-time students.

If you miss the classes you will have to make them up at a later date.

The skills you learn in these classes are important and will help you complete your assignments and coursework. Second, the Tuesday seminars. The Business School has organised a range of different talks which are held on Tuesday mornings. These talks are an important element in widening your knowledge and understanding of the business world.

So please make sure you attend and come prepared to participate and ask questions, and yes attendance is compulsory.

Third, the additional sessions conducted by the lecturers. These are also important and help in developing skills such as interview techniques. So please make sure that you attend these sessions.

Finally, recognising students efforts. We are going to give greater recognition to the top performing Diploma and Higher Diploma students. Commencing from semester 1, we will give certificates to the top student for each Diploma and Higher Diploma module. From semester 2 onwards we will also be giving out certificates for the Study Skills and Research Skills modules, these will only be given to students who maintain a 90% attendance record.

Michael Cope
Academic Director



Special points of interest:

- Study and Research Skills Classes
- Guest Speakers
- Lecturers seminars
- Recognising Top Performers
- Parliament Visit
- Semester 4 2008 Results

Parliament Visit Reminder

Date/Time : 18th of February, 3 pm

Meeting Place: TMC, near the Post Graduate Centre

Dress code : White top and black pants/skirt (Black Coat, Jacket or blazer optional)

Bring along : Identity card or passport

Photo taking : Cameras will be kept by the security at Parliament and photo taking is only allowed outside parliament grounds

Why visit: Learn about the history of politics and the Singapore Parliament; its proceedings, grandeur, ceremonies etc

Business School Semester 4 2008 Results

We are pleased to announce that the performance shown by students of both the Diploma and Higher Diploma in Business, Mass Communication and Hospitality and Tourism was highly satisfactory.

However, there is always room for improvement. We have highlighted that many students need to pay more attention to correct referencing in order to avoid plagiarism. Students can learn how to reference correctly in order to avoid plagiarism from Study Skills Unit (Diploma) and Research unit (Higher Diploma). Constant revision and doing research are other areas that can improve students' academic performance.

We would especially like to congratulate the following students who are the top performing students in this semester.

HDB - Andriana Putri Ongkowidagdo
HDMC - Mazuin Khamis
DBAM - William
DMC - Noemie Alintissar
DHTM - Yeung Sze Man

Once again congratulations for the commendable performances, keep up the good work and we look forward to an even better showing in the coming examinations.

Dr. Huong Ha
Dean
TMC Business School

Higher Diploma in Business Seminar

On the 3rd of March at 10.30 a.m, Dr Cope will be holding a seminar on Interview Techniques for all Higher Diploma in Business students. Come prepared to give a short 2 minute presentation on yourself.

School of Information Technology Semester 4 2008 Results

We are pleased to announce that the performance shown by students of the Diploma and Higher Diploma was highly satisfactory. This is a sound testament to what hard-work can achieve, and as we emphasised during the orientation; diligence and a strong sense of responsibility will go a long way in guaranteeing success. Evident in the results is the fact that class participation in the tutorials and labs has proven to be a crucial element in ensuring understanding of topics taught. The academic feedback and support provided by the lecturers has also played an important role, with students paying close attention to advice and critiques dispensed along the way.

However, there is always room for improvement. We have highlighted that many students need to pay more attention to effective referencing, and constant revision and research work are other areas that can improve. Striving to improve ourselves in these matters will ensure that negative elements like plagiarism and weak grades do not surface.

We would especially like to congratulate the following students who came up top in the Diploma and Higher Diploma December 2008 session.

Higher Diploma in Information Technology
Aye Su Nandar Htay

Diploma in Information Technology
Bong Suet Wei Vanessa

Diploma in Animation & Gaming
Howard Lee Jun Hao

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Pauline Ang
Dean
School of Information Technology

FEBRUARY SEMINARS

10 Feb Mr Thang Duc Le—Management

17 Feb Mr Yong Shu Chiang— Journalism

24 Feb Mr Ion Danker—Public Relationship

Ms Loo Yuen Hui—Working in

Hospitality and Tourism Overseas