Welcome to The Boehly Center Monthly Happenings newsletter!

**Fall 2020 Update**
The Boehly Center is **OPEN** for the fall with limited visitor access to the **NEW** physical space on the second floor, suite 2002.
Social distancing guidelines apply.
Students are encouraged to schedule meetings via OUR NEW LINKS [here](https://www.mynewsletterbuilder.com/email/newsletter/1414828196), also found in our email signatures.

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**The Boehly Center Turns 7!**
Although the Boehly Center officially opened in January of 2014, the agreement happened in November of 2013, making this month our 7th birthday!
Name: June Hodge

Major: Art History

Minor: Accounting

Graduating Class: 2021

Current Internship: I am currently working part time at IBM. My main role focuses on cost accrued from IBM’s royalty deals. I am also a specialist with IBM’s new database, so I work on projects aimed at acclimating co-workers to the new system.

Co-oping at IBM was a phenomenal experience that developed my excel skills and showed me what life after college would look like. After a few days of training I was integrated into a team of skilled financial analysts that worked with me for the duration of the co-op. It was on this team that I projected future forecasts, utilized a multitude of databases, and led team projects. I learned all the necessary skills while on the job which is a testament to their work culture. I was encouraged to take on tasks I had no experience in and to ask questions that challenged the status quo. Overall, it was an astounding opportunity I would recommend to anyone pursuing a career in business.

How has the Boehly Center impacted you?: I would never have found out about the opportunity to work at IBM without the Boehly center. I found out about the opportunity through one of their newsletters.

W&M Virtual Professional Development Academy

Save the Date! January 5-7
*Registration opens November 20 in Tribe Careers

Students will have the opportunity to learn from and engage with W&M Faculty, Staff, Alumni, and Industry Professionals on the following topics (but not limited to): personal branding, networking etiquette, interviewing techniques, expectations of new employees, colleague relationship building/management, and working in a virtual landscape, incorporating career competencies sought after by hiring organizations.
Analytics and the Impact of Emerging Technologies on the Accounting Profession

The race to streamline processes, increase productivity and decrease cost has led many companies and businesses to create and adopt new technologies. Accounting firms are no exception as they must adapt to rapid change to better serve client needs, Join William & Mary alumni Hannah Crabtree ('12), Greg Wallig ('94) and Jeff Hughes ('85) as they talk about the many ways data analytics, programming and other emerging technologies are being utilized in the accounting world, from implementing process improvements, automations, and new service offerings to extracting information from financial statements, audit texts and much more. Come prepared to join the conversation and learn more about this fascinating topic.

When: Wednesday, November 18th 6:00pm – 7:00pm
Where: https://cwm.zoom.us/j/98536730064

ATTENTION STUDENTS!

As we go into the holiday season, we want to know how your summer plans are shaping up.

If you have learned more about your plans, please complete our Employment Status Survey here.

If you are still exploring your options for the summer and want to talk through your situation with the Bohely Center, set up an appointment with Melanie or Morgan here.

ATTENTION ALUMNI!
With the website revamp we are looking to bring back our “Alumni Career Paths” so students can see how you all found your way. If you’d like to participate, please complete this 10 minute survey so we understand your path, decisions, and activities while at W&M!

Each Thursday, the Boehly Center provides updated internship/job opportunities, professional development webinars, and networking events.

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