UK quadruples funding for women's safety

\$1.25 million will go toward new campus initiatives

In response to the growing number of safety concerns for women on campus, President Todd has promised an additional \$1.25 million in funding for those efforts,

said Carol Jordan, director for the Center for Research on Violence Against Women.

The additional funding, which is more than four times what is currently budgeted, will be used toward initiatives outlined in a report to be released today by the president's Women's Safety Advisory Council.

"The University of Kentucky chooses to take on the issue of vio-

the new initiatives, the council's process of assessing the school's level of safety, comparisons to benchmark universities and crime statistics

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The report is in response to last year's study, conducted by the cen-ter, which investigated the safety of female students on campus. Of the 1,010 undergraduate and graduate females surveyed, 36.5 percent said

assault and staining, while at university

"We may be the same as other universities as far as the number of women or the prevalence of victimization, but we're different in that we're not okay with that," Jordan said. "We feel we need to make some major inroads in reducing the See Safety on page A2



ltural 'Roots'

Seventeenth annual festival highlights

African heritage in Lexington

African heritage in Lexington

By Deminique Wales
THE DEFINITION STEERS.

Events ranging from African art exhibits to a football game to a step show combine culture and history at Lexington's annual Roots and Heritage Festival, which kicked off last weekend.

Since 1989, the Roots and Heritage Festival has been a mechanism for showing black history both in Lexington and on a worldwide scale, said Chester Grundy, UK's student affairs officer for multicultural students and one of the festival's founders.

UK's student affairs officer for multicultural students and one of the festival's aspects of our Tule John and one of the festival has to help people see themselves in their best light," said Grundy.

Grundy said in creating true culture."

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"We wanted to design an event to be a mirror image to show aspects of our rule culture," he said.

But this year's event doesn't just remining from across the United States to provide the street.

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The Lakers Cheerleading Squad marched in Satur-See Festival on page A2 day's Black Heritage Parade down Elm Street.



THIS WEEKEND'S FESTIVAL EVENTS

Friday Play: 'Crowns' 8 p.m. **Downtown Arts Center** Adults: \$24 18 and under: \$15: must have student ID

Event: Step Show **Dunbar Community**

Event: Basketball Tournament 8:45 p.m. **Dunbar Community**

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Saturday Event: Movie Hour 11 a.m. **Kentucky Theatre**

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Event: Lexington Heritage Football Classic Kentucky State University vs. Central State University

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Play: 'Crowns' 8 p.m.

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Radiothon tunes into relief efforts

By Shannon Maximo
The first-lever Country for Kids Radiothon, sponsored by the Kentucky Children's Hospital and WLXX82.9 FM, hits the air-waves tomorrow.
The event, which has been in the works for nearly a
year, was originally planned to benefit Kentucky Children's Hospital.
The went was the state of the state of Kentucky Children's Hospital.
However, with the recent disaster in the Gulf Coast, there has been a change in those plans, he said.
We wanted to use the radiothon for the needs of Children's Hospital. We note that the state of the sta

structure. Kentucky Children's Hospital and WLXX are hop-

Country for Kids Radiothon live at Lexington Green's Joseph-Beth I Tomorrow and Friday: 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday: 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. WLXX 92.9 FM

Euphemisms abound in Roberts' hearing

By Dana Milbank

IN MEMBERS 1975

WASHINGTON — Early in yesterday's hearing into his nomination to be chief justice, John G. Roberts Ji. took the Senate Judiciary Committee in an unexpected direction, praising Justice Robert Jackson, who served as Franklin D. Roosevelt's attorney general before joining the high court.

"As he went on the court," Roberts told the senators," he took an entirely different view of a lot of issues, in one famous case even disagreeing with one of about how he can be been decided to be supported by the beautiful of th

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Safety

prevalence of victimization."

These initiatives include prevention education programs, utilization of the recently established UK Women's Place and alterations to lighting and land-scaning around campus reach 7,000 students during the fall semester through prevention programs to be implemented in UK 101 courses, residence halls and the Greek community. Jordan said.

UK Athletics also spent \$8,000 to join other Southeast-ern Conference schools in implementing a program called Mentors in Violence Prevention. The program will give male and female athletes additional education about violence. Other initiatives include.

Other initiatives include \$400,000 of the allotted funds to

make physical adjustments to the campus.

The council spent four hours walking the campus at night to make observations and suggestions for lighting improvements and landscape trimning. It will also use existing sidewalks to create a new "Cat's Path" that will serve as a preferred path of travel for students at night, which will run by all the dormitories, the library, the Student Center and other main buildings on campus, will receive extra lighting and patrol by the UK police.

The funding will also pay for the addition of a new police officer, a Victim Assistance Coordinator to work with the newly implemented UK Women's Place, and a victim assistance vide victims with crisis needs such as transportation, housing, food, and other items.

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Roberts

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lay it out. You said you didn't want to hear about it." The room filled with laugh-ter. Biden did not smile. And he showed flashes of wit. Asked about an old memo vastly over-reading the memorandum."

He was quick on his feet.
When Sen. Joe Biden, D-Del, fired off a series of questions without allowing Roberts to answer, the nominee finally replied: "Well, I was about to

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ing to raise \$100,000.

"This is our first year, so we don't know what to expect," Bricker said.

Many young patients, who were cared for at Kentucky Children's Hospital, and their

families will be on hand to tell their stories. Student volunteers will be answering phones and taking donations. Students are also en-couraged to stop by Joseph-Beth at anytime during the radio-thon. "Students are welcome to come cheer things on," Bricker said.

Selected crimes reported to UK police
Sept. 7 through Sept. 12
Sept. 7: Criminal mischief reported at the Student
Center parking lot at 12:04 a.m.
Sept. 7: Theft reported at 401 Hilltop Ave. at 12:51 a.m.
Sept. 7: Terroristic threatening reported at 670 S.
Limestone St. at 11:37 a.m.
Sept. 7: Drug/Marijuana usage reported at Arboretum
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Stadium Blue Lot at 3:32 a.m.
Sept. 9: Theft reported at Nutter Training Center at

Huguelet Ave. at 9:30 p.m.

Sept. 11: Suspicious person arrested at the intersection of Virginia Avenue and South Limestone Street at

12:44 a.m.
Sept. 11: Suspicious car investigated at the intersection of Cooper Drive and University Drive at 7:38 p.m.
Sept. 12: Assistance given to other law enforcement after a black male wearing a pink mask carrying a knife was reported committing an armed robbery at the University in Model at 3:50 a.m.
Sept. 12: Theft of mall matter reported at 767
Woodland Ave. at 3:13 n.m.

Woodland Ave. at 3:13 p.m. Sept. 12: Drug/Marijuana usage reported at Haggin

Festival

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showcase authentic African merchandise, as well as to share their own heritage and history. "Artwork links African-Americans to the Mother-

land." said Maryland resident Shandolf Yienayi, as Ghana native Yienayi was of the Chana and the Chana and the Chana and the Chana and the Chana wood carvings, inspired by his own family tradition. This year marks Yienayi's third time at the festival.

While this year's festivities include a wide range of

events. Grundy notes that history and education are at "the roots" of all the festival process. The roots of all the festival process of the roots of all the festival process. The roots of the roots o

artist Larry Brown, a golf tournament and "Soulful Sunday" during the Sept. 9 kickoff weekend. The festival closes with a comedy show on Sept. 22 and a Walk-A-Thon and ball on Sept. 24th.

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Sept. 7: Robbery reported at Commonwealth Stadium

Sept. 8: Harassment reported at the Alpha Delta house 12:37 a.m. Sept. 8: Theft reported at the Student Center at 11:38

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Sept. 9: Theft reported at Nutter Training Center at 9:19 a.m.
Sept. 9: Bike theft reported at 121 Keeneland Drive at 3:13 p.m.
Sept. 10: Assault reported at Chandler Medical Center at 1:20 p.m.
Sept. 10: Theft reported at Kappa Sigma house at 8:22 p.m.

Sept. 10: Theft of automobile reported at 360

Hall at 9:10 p.m.

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Comeback buries Morehead

There were no panic attacks when UK fell behind in the second game of last night's volleyball match against Morehead State. Instead, the Eagles were the ones being attacked.

The Wildcats (5-2) rallied from a seven-point deficit in game two and went on to sweep Morehead State 3-0 at Memorial Colise-um.

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We just got really mad," said senior outside hitter Danielle Wallace, who had a gamehigh 19 kills, "We just knew we couldn't let this happen.

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After doubling the Eagles 30-15 in the first game, UK played the in-state rival toe to toe early in the second game.

Hen MSU (4-7) went on a rally behind reshman outside hitter Ashley Doscher's 14 kills and sophomore outside hitter Kelsey Cornin's nine match digs.

With the Eagles up 28-21, the Cats fought back.

Wallace said. "We need to have the little things." Skinner said UK still had a tendency to play "good for four points" then slack off.



SPORTS BRIEFS

UK hockey opener put on ice

With UK hockey fars counting down to a face-off against Louisville Saturday, the Cool Cats hit an unexpected snag yesterday — the Cardinals can't field a team-pected snag yesterday — the Cardinals can't field a team-pected snag yesterday — the Cardinals can't field a team-pected snag yesterday — the Cardinals can't field a team-pected snag yesterday — the Cardinals can't field a team-pected snag yesterday — the Cardinals can't field a team-pected snag yesterday — the Cardinals can't field a team-pected snag yesterday — the Cardinals can't field a team-pected snag yesterday — the UK base-ball team is contributing to the Stephen Hensor/Joe Zabatried talking to West Virginia, but scheduling com- straints prevented the Mountainers from making the pected of the pecte

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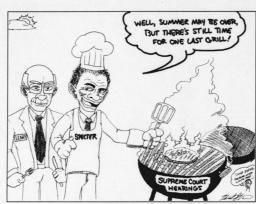
After unprecedented growth, UK needed to apply the brakes to avoid hurting the quality of undergraduate population.

As it is now, the school just cannot sustain more increases with its present facilities and staff.

"There's a point at which we felt that growth without hurting the entire undergraduate population.

As enrollment to diff from the point average of 3.8 or higher, up from 35 the advanced the point average of 3.8 or higher, up from 35 the advanced the point average of 3.8 or higher, up from 35 the students were important undergraduate population, because better students and it discovers a such attention such that the students are important to a the students and it discovers as much attention and the students are important to the students are important to the students are important to a percent alst year.

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BRAD STURGEON, THE KENTUCKY KERNEL

Sinister developments here and abroad



■ I'm all for capitalism, but I couldn't help but feel dirty when, at the UK football game Saturday, I repeatedly heard public address announcer Carl Nathe say, "And that'll be enough for a Thornton's, first down Kentucky"

Martin ton's, first down Kentucky."
Hearing "Thornton's" over the loudspeaker for all 16 of UK's first downs was torture, made even more painful for everyone who was reminded of current gas prices at every interval.

■ Commenting on potential replacements for Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor, Senate Judiciary Committee Chairman Arlen Specter, Repen., told The Washington Post that it should be a woman.

"Two women are, I think, a minimum," but Specter added he does not favor a 'quota' for the court.

Quota — a number or percentage, especially of people, constituting a required or targeted minimum. (The American Heritage Dictionary of the English Language: Fourth Ed.)

Everyone, please remember the Pennsylvanias — victims of an apparent dictionary famine.

The first two days of confirmation hearings for Judge John Roberts as chief justice of the Supreme Court marked the beginning of a judicial war, indeed. In the first battles, style defeated substance, arrogance crushed humility and apathy trumped concern for the country's future.

Monday, Sen. Chuck Schumer, D.

W. delivered his opening statement, which is contained 48 first-person references.

The delivery came a day after he held practice hearings in his office, with a Harvard law professor playing Roberts, according to The New York Times. Schumer, who is in charge of Senate elections for the Democrats next year, has used the confirmation hearing to raise his profile and, of course, money. He also suffers from a severe case of narcissism.

Other senators invoked the history of the Senate Caucus Room and the plight of the victims of Hurricane Katrina — all very lofty sounding, but really distingenuous attempts to use TV face time to boost the image of the Senators of the Senators of the Senators of the Senators of the Calculation of the Senators of th

emotionally charged statement about partisanship.

In his first round of questions Tuesday, Sen. Joe Biden, D-Del., peppered Roberts in a sickeningly pompous manner.

It's ironic that Biden, a titan of a blowhard even by U.S. Senate standards, would inundate us with his knowledge about constitutional law to the property such as a chance to answer the question.

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He finally relented when Chairman Specter told him to stop badgering the witness. After wasting valuable time whining about the court's striking down some of his legislation, Biden complained repeatedly that he had no liming the strike of the complained repeatedly that he had not be such as the complained repeatedly that he had not be such as the complained repeatedly that he had not be such as the such a

■ President Bush told reporters yester-day that he takes full responsibility to the extent that the federal government failed to adequately execute the Hurri-cane Katrian rescue effort. It's nice that the president isn't shunning responsibility, but even at the federal level, it's unlikely the fault is entirely that of the executive

branch.

In fact, much of the bureaucratic red tape was enacted by Congress, and members of that body need to take responsibility as well.

Amidst the media's Katrina blitzkrieg, and subsequent profiting as prophets of doom, I can't help but wonder why so many outlets seem so sloth to levy criticism at state and local officials, who are equally responsible and commonly the property of the control of the cont

culpable for everything that's gone wrong.

An independent committee led by former Federal Reserve Chairman Faul Voicker concluded that the United that the Un

Response effort shows America's contempt for welfare recipients



This column, "Katrina offers U.S. many lessons."

In life, you are given many challenges to overcome and lessons to learn. Some people believe that "Hurricane Katrina offers U.S. many lessons and lessons to learn. Some people believe that "Hurricane Katrina offers U.S. many lessons." Yeah, lessons on how screwed up this world is and that be the service of the control of the cont

tucky.

Many people look down on those who were looting, but some people would have done the same, regardless of race. Even fellow policemen were in on it. It's easy to blame those on welfare when you haven't looked at the

big picture.

According to Sullivan, "America is a welfare state." It seems Sullivan needs a history lesson in American poli-

According to Sullivan, "America is a welfare state." It seems Sullivan needs a history lesson in American politics.

It's easy to point the finger at others when you have not looked at the big picture. Here's a start: Hold a race back for 400 years and then emancipate them with little-to-no skills to succeed on their own. How can they be expected to catch up without some sort of assistance? They have no land, no doctors and no jobs, so year after year after long, hard year, they fall further and further behind.

Contrary to Sullivan's belief, it's not due to laziness and a lack of self-worth that some people are in the situation they are in. The system was built to keep some on top at the expense of others — in this case, the victims of Katrina.

Some people are more privileged than others, Many

Some people are more privileged than others. Many blacks are thankful for the so-called "race pimps" like Jesse Jackson and to Starpton. To call them parasites as little knowledge of the services these two men have performed in and for the black community. No one is perfect, but they are far better than sullivan gives them credit for Lesson one. as Sullivan points out, is only half-true. Americans will always rise to the occasion in the midst of a crisis. However, the urgency in which they respond will often depend on the race and socioeconomic status of those affected.

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JUST LIKE HEAVEN

After moving into his new apartment, David Okark kurfalo) discovers Elizabeth (Reese Witherspoon), who keeps coming into his place to insist it's hers. She begins appearing more and more frequently to chastise David for his horrendous living habits. David becomes convinced that she's a ghost, and Elizabeth believes she's on a different' ethereal plane, but still alive somewhere else. They then try to find out how she got where else. They then try to find out how she got where the contract of the standard of the contract of the contract

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Gwenyth Paltrow stars as Catherine, a soon-to-be Owentyin Pattrow stars as Catherine, a soon-to-be 3:r-year-old kating care of her untable yet mathematically brilliant father, Robert (Anthony Hopkins). She struggles to come to grips with her father's past and her own future. Along for the ilde are her sister Claire (Hope Davis) and her father's forms student Hal (fake Oyllenhall), who wants to study the notebooks Robert has created wants to study the notebook over the years. Theaters TBA.



John Heder, Reese Witherspoon and Mark Ruffalo star in "Just Like Heaven," a romantic to with a decidedly morbid edge. The film opens Friday at Lexington Green, Regal and Woodhil

VENOM

From the creators of "Scream" and "I know What You Did Last Summer," "Venom" centers on a teenager's systemious death in the Louisiana Bayou. His friends try to uncover the truth and are subsequently killed. Kinds reminds me of every other slasher movie ever made, but with voodoo. Stop giving your money to companies that produce this garbage. Theaters TBA.

THE WOODS

Deep in the forest, a troublesome teenager

Jay at Lexington Green, Regal and Woodhill.

amed Heather (Agnes Bruckner) is taken to an all-girlis boarding school. Heather hates it and is constantly picked on by her classmates. Pathicia Clarkson plays the evil headmistress Ms. Traverse, who overnees the school. Eventually, students start disappearing and Heather Hegins having visions. Something at the school isn't what it seems — something is in the woods, and it won't let her leave. Sounds similar to "The village," hopefully, it won't be as hornible. Theathers TBA.

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TOMORROW Crown Electric Pernice Brothers w/ The Cloud 9 p.m. The Dame. Tickets cost \$5.

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SATURDAY The Faint w/ VHS or Beta 8 p.m. Bogarts, Cincinnati. Tickets cost \$10.

Lizz Wright 7 p.m. Memorial Hall. Tickets cost

\$15. The Walkmen 8 p.m. Southgate House,

Newport. Tickets cost \$12.

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Changes to Business Career Fair Promise Future Return

By: Dustyn Bowman

It's never too early to start planning for your career in the business field. In preparation for the business career fair, the Career Center is offering dvice and preparation eminars for students of

all ages and in any busi-ness interested major.
"It doesn't matter if you are looking for a job, an internship or just advice," said Azetta Williams, assis-tant director of Experiential Education and

Experiential Education and Career Services. "My goal is to reach all students at all levels. This is not just a junior, senior deal." The business career fair offers students an early start on finding a job after college, according to Williams.

"Students should make the most of this time to network with employers," williams said. "Often stu-dents don't realize how long a job-hunt takes. Networking helps to gain contacts that may coach you on how to get a job at a certain company or in a certain field, or they may

put a good word in for you with higher officials." According to Williams, students should research the attending companies prior to the fair because it allows students to prepare for selling themselves to allows students to prepare for selling themselves to prospective employers and to allor resumes according to specific employer inter-ests. It also saves time by answering researchable questions and helps stu-dents have more informed conversations while net-working. Students are also encouraged to attend the seminars offered by the Career Center.

The seminars offered this week are:

Resumania- Have your

resumana-riave your resume critiqued, register for CyberCAT, apply for internships and jobs, get interview tips and receive

direction from Advisor

Suzanne Waldrop; Sept. 14; 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. in B&E • Multicultural

Multicultural
Networking ReceptionStudents opportunity to
meet briefly with employers before the Business
Career Fair; Sept. 20; 5:30
p.m. - 7:30 p.m. at Stuckert
Career Center
- International Hiring
Strategy Breakfast
Workshop-Students
opportunity to meet briefly
with employers the morning of the Business Career
Fair; Sept. 21; 9 a.m. - 10
a.m. in Student Center
room 363

The business career fair is Wednesday, Sept. 21 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Student Center Grand and Small Ballrooms.

For a complete list of businesses attending the businesses career fair and for more information go to www.uky.edu/careercenter and click on "Business Career Fair."

Bon't Miss Your Major's Career Fair

Event	Date	Time	Location
Multicultural Networking Reception	Sept. 20, 2005	5:30 - 7:30 p.m.	Stuckert Career Center
Business Career Fair	Sept. 21, 2005	11 a.m 3 p.m.	Student Center Ballroom
Engineering Career Fair	Oct. 5, 2005	10 a.m 3 p.m.	Student Center Ballroom
Agriculture Career Fair	Oct. 19, 2005	10 a.m 3 p.m.	Agricultural Science North, Lower Lobby
Career and Internship Expo	Mar. 1, 2006	TBA	Student Center Ballroom
Kentucky Teachers Network	Mar. 8, 2006	ТВА	Student Center Ballroom
Physical Therapy Career Fair	TBA Spring 2006	TBA -	ТВА
Health Professions Career Fair	TBA Fall 2005	TBA	TBA
Communications Career Fair	TBA Fall 2005	TBA	ТВА

JOB SEASON

By: Bennie Mills

Seniors, wait a minute! Before you grab your cap and gown, you should con-sider where your life is going after graduation. The James W. Stuckert Career Center has been helping students connect with future

they can become employed in their desired jobs quickly. How? There are several ways the Career Center can help push the career Center can help push the career Center web site, you can learn what jobs require you can locate mentors, internships and employment. The Cyber Cat allows you to complete your student profile, publish your resumé, browse through job announcements or apply for jobs.

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If you prefer to be in the Career Center when working on your future career, there is ample help from the Career Center Staff and the resources to do so. The Katherine Kemper Career

Library located in the Career Center assists stu-dents in investigating jobs and careers related to vari-ous majors. Students can participate in the Career



Center's shadowing and mentoring program, which allows one to gain quality experience by monitoring a professional during a regu-

professional lar work day. The Career Center's fis very helpful ar The Career Center's staff is very helpful and willing to take the time and sit with you to answer any questions you have. They will critique your resume to help you improve it and help prepare you for your first interview with a future employer. You can make an appointment with your career counselor and discuss future career moves. The Career Center isn't only for the seniors that are about to graduate, lower division students can benefit greatly from the career center features as well. Undecided

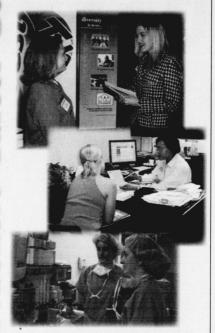
majors can stop by during drop-in hours to speak with a coun to speak with a counselor to get guidance on the field of study that is right for them. The Career Center website has self-assessment tools for helping students find a major also. New to the Career Center.

a major also. New to the Career Center website, FOCUS is a tool to assess your interests, work values, and generate career options. You can make an appointment with you career counselor to discuss your FOCUS results and see how they relate to pos-sible majors.

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So seniors, if you haven't started on the next chapter of your life, then now is the time to do so. The Career Center hours are Monday through Friday Sa.m. to 5p.m. Drop in hours, which are for quick questions are Monday through Friday 3p.m. to 5p.m. to 5p.m.

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Internahipa, Shadowing Enhance Education

By: Daniel Partin

No matter what their course of study, students don't dream of their degree as a decoration on their wall. It's a safe bet that most students plan on using the degree that they earn from UK. The sad and unfortunate truth is that many people are working themselves so hard while they are a student only to find themselves in or pursuing another career mere years after attaining their first degree.

Why is this? There are a few possibilities, one of which is that they simply do not like the line of work that was provided to them by the choices that they made in college. They don't like where the path of their major ends. The saying is that college is the best time of a young person's life. Before that, high school was. It would seem that everything gets better and better until after college, and then after graduation, the "fun factor" of life drops. This might be because there are major pressures that are now applied everyday. A job, home, possibly even a spouse and children, all can be a huge responsibility.

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While students are no strangers to
the world of deadlines and responsibilities there is a "new frontier" that
awaits every student after graduation. Preparation for entrance to
this new and important phase of life
is important. While a college education can help prepare a student for a
career, there is a lot of experience to
be gained by actually working in the
field of your major.

Well, how and where does a stu-dent begin to get this work experi-ence? One of the best methods is to work as an intern. The experience and education that is gained by an internship can be some of the most



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rewarding, enriching and enlightening experiences of college. Who
wouldn't want to find out what the
minute details and responsibilities of
their future career are before they
start that career? An internship can
even help some to realize that the
major they have selected just isn't
for them and save many years of disappointment and frustration, not to
mention the money spent in earning

appointment and trustration, not to mention the money spent in earning another degree. So how do you go about getting an internship? If you are truly inter-ested, talk to your professor, or make contact with someone in the

department that you are interested in seeking an internship. Most pro-fessors are more than willing to give advice to students interested in interning

erning.
There are many ways to intern,
work with a graduate student,
assisting them with whatever they

assisting them with whatever they need. However, this means you are not likely to get paid much if at all flow are a political science major you might seek employment with a candidate's campaign for public office. The amount of cred-th hours that are awarded depends on the amount of time and effort you put jind the loby you gave work-

It nours that are awarded depends on the amount of time and effort you put into the job you are working and the reading that you do.

The benefits of an internship are so abundant that every student so abundant that every student should complete at least one.

Many students who have already graduated did not take advantage to learn hands on have expressed their regret to me personally. One such student is Cindy Johnson, class of 2004, who when asked for her opinion on the subject of interning stated, "I wish I had done it at UK, it would have been a really good experience". It is an amazing way to learn and a once in a lifetime opportunity. Be sure to grasp it while it's available.

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If you are serious about a hands n you are serious about a nancs— on learning experience, go to: http://www.uky.edu/CareerCenter/s menu.html#internships for more information in making an internship happen for you!

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GRAD SCHOOL FOR THE GRADUATE

By: Bennie Mills

Students who are staring into the light at the end of the undergraduate tunnel have a great tunnel have a great opportunity to advance their mental Rolodex by attending graduate school at UK.

There are many options as to what you can study in grad school and most colleges on

most colleges on campus offer graduate programs.
Once you figure
out what your
interest of study
is, you can apply
for grad school
admission.

Students must Students must have a baccalaure-ate degree from a fully accredited institution, a cumulative under-graduate grade point average of at least 2.75 and a 3.0 average on all least 2.75 and a 3.0 average on all graduate work. Some departments may require higher grade-point aver-

ages.
After meeting those requirements, you will take the Graduate Record Exam (GRE) and submit your scores for the ver-bal quantitative

tions of the exam. tions of the exam Business adminis-tration and accounting stu-dents may substi-tute the GRE for the Graduate Record nation Test (GMAT)

After the GRE or GMAT is completed, applicants must have two official transcripts sent to UK's gradu-ate school by the institution of high-er learning they've attended. Next is submitting the application.

There are three ways to submit your application:

Submit it electronically via the graduate school website www.rgs.uky.edu/gs/gsapplication.html.
 Print a copy from the graduate web site

and submit it in person

3) Write to: The Graduate School
351 Patterson Office Tower
University of Kentucky
Lexington, KY 40506-0027

Completed applications must be submitted no later than one month before you plan to begin your graduate work. Students can refer to the university calendar to see important dates

Congratulations! You have just been accept ed into graduate school. Now how are you going to pay for it?

Students can have financial aid in the form of assistantships and fellowships, which are appointments to specified teaching or research duties.

Full or partial scholarships are available to most assistantship holders. Many fellow-ships carry tuition scholarships as well as a stipend; the duration that you receive it depends on the type of fellowship.

Now is not the time to stare blindly into th light of graduation. Consider being a part of advanced research in your field and make your resume look good in the process. Think about signing on with UK's graduate school.

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Get Top-Pollar Jobs With Your Degree

By: Jeff Burson

When many students begin looking for jobs there is one thing on their mind, money! Most people would take any job for seven figures, but realistically, what job is the best for you? Well, it depends what is important. There are the top paying jobs, the most needed jobs and the most fun jobs. Ultimately, it's up to you to determine what's important but here are some of the facts.

Fast Company magazine recently published their list of the top 25 jobs in 2005. They created a formula based on demand for that job, education, salary range and how innovative you can become in that field. The reasoning behind their formula is to show which jobs are needed, good for the employee

and also pay well. The top 10 included personal financial advisor, medical scientist, computer soft-ware engineer, chiroprac-tor, environmental engi-neer, biochemist, sales

tor, environmental engineer, biochemist, sales manager and agents for athletes and performers. However, there are those of you who don't care if you're enjoying work as long as you're raking in the cash. For you, MSN Money has ranked the pp aying jobs and listed the most demanded. The jobs they listed as the most demanded between now and 2012 were medical assistants and network systems and data analysts. However, if you want a job that pays top dollar, you'd better hope you're somewhere near the medical school right now.

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medical field occupied
nine of the top 10 spots on
the top paying jobs list.
Surgeons led the list with
an average salary of
\$189,590, but also led in
average hours per week
with 63. Next were anesthesiologists, followed by
obstetricians, gynecologists, internists, pediatricians and family doctors.
Coming in at number eight
with an average of
\$1135,220 per year were
psychiatrists. The last two
on the list were CEO's and
dentists with an average of
\$133,350 per year, but
only averaging 37 hours a
week.

Now before you go
switching your major and
putting on scrubs, the
American Medical
Association says that graduates emerge from medical
school with \$110,000 in

student loan debt.
Doctor's insurance is also on the rise every day and is costing up to \$200,000 per year in some areas. Hey, if you don't want all that stress, you can always filp burgers. As for the worst paying jobs in America, fast food cooks topped the list averaging \$14,930 per year (around \$7.10 per hour). Food preparers, shampoorers, attendants and dishwashers finished the top five worst jobs.

washers finished the top five worst jobs. So before you go job searching, don't just look at the salary, do some research and look into the future. There are jobs that make you rich and jobs that make you happy. Hopefully, you'll find one that lands you both.

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INTERVIEWING: ABILITY NOT ANXIETY

By: Jodi Dickey

Interviews may feel like rocket science if you're not prepared. However, a successful interview is not impossible...nor is it easy. "Coming directly from employers, the single biggest disappointment with new hiring is interviewing skills," said Cindy Edwards, assistant director of the James W. Stuckert Career Center. "They just can't articulate their goals and what they can offer to the company."

There are ways to overcome this problem and stand out like the shining star that you are. It takes preparation, research, and practice to gain all the needed skills for a successful interview.

One of the first steps of prepara-tion involves reading about the com-pany and its products or services. You want to have a well-rounded view of what the company does, which will also help you better understand what the company needs After all, that's the reason you're at the interview. Decause the company has needs in which you hope to fill. Another step in preparation is completing counseling and a practice interview at the Career Centert. This process will help you understand what to expect and how to handle certain situations and fears during the interview. One of the first steps of prepara

"I worry about which questions will be asked and if I'll know the right answers," said Carter Lowry, an undecided freshman. The Career Center has workshops, books, pamphlets, and counselors to help you create answers to potential questions from the employer and help you form appropriate questions to ask.

Another key part of preparation is Another key part of preparation is familiarizing yourself with where you are going. Knowing an address may not be enough. It is a good idea to know the route in which you will take, how much time will be required, and where you will park. "Don't be counting on that last parking space to be there when you arrive," said Edwards.

Certainly your appearance and

Certainly your appearance and what happens once you arrive is just

as important as knowing the logistics of how to get there. According to Edwards, your

According to Edwards, your appearance is very important. You should always choose conservative professional attire in colors like black, navy, or gray as bright colors can distract the employer from the message you are trying to convey. Body piercing is only acceptable in certain professions and is never acceptable in traditional business environments. Remoying invertey.

acceptable in traditional business environments. Removing jewelry prior to an interview is critical. Once you're on your way, it is common to feel interview anxiety. It's important to allow enough tim to sit in the waiting room and do some basic breathing exercises for relaxation. relaxation.

some basic breathing exercises for relaxation.

When you enter the room for the interview, listen carefully to how the employer introduces himself or herself, smile, greet them with a firm handshake and introduce yourself in a clear manner.

After careful preparation, you should be ready for anything the employer may ask. However, the jitters of the big day may be overwhelming. It's always a good idea to have a copy of your resume with a few notes highlighting experiences you'd like to share.

"You want to be spontaneous, but you don't want to get rattled by those zingers," said Edwards.

During the interview, it is important to listen carefully to each question entirely and formulate an answer that adequately reflects your abilities.

If you make a mistake, like misur-

abilities.

If you make a mistake, like misunderstanding a question, overcome it with humor, honesty and politeness. An employer would rather hear a confession of confusion and an honest answer rather than something off

topic.
Over all, employers want to the whole package in prospects. They look for confident, articulate, professional and well-informed can

"I like to see someone who is con fident, dependable, down to earth, and honest," said Josey Frankes, a

journalism junior and assistant man ager at Cinemark Man O' War Movies 8. "That shows more than knowing all the right answers"

all the right answers."

With a little bit of preparation and information, you can blast off into the workforce with a successful set of interviewing skills.

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Resumé Writing 101

How to "sell" yourself to prospective employers

By: Jeff Burson

Typically when you receive a com Typically when you receive a com pliment, you are humble and give credit elsewhere or even deny it. However, when you start writing a resume, think of those compliments you've received and write them all down.

down.

Resume writing is about selling yourself to a company and proving you are the man or woman for the job. There is help online, in books, at the UK Career Center and from the employers you already know. Here are some of the main things you need to remember when writing your resume.

There are a few basic rules There are a few basic rules for all resumes and the rest is determined by what type of job you are pursuing. First, no mat-ter where you are sending your resume, research the company. Look for key words in their mis-sion statements, the company culture, locations and products. Knowing more about them will help you cater your resume to their needs. Be specific on your resume all

their needs.

Be specific on your resume about what you can do and always use verbs in the past tense. However, the most important step in resume writing is proofreading. Print off copies and give them to your friends, professors, family or whoever can help with the professors of the professors of the professors.

er can help you. The first section should include The first section should include your objectives or qualifications. These sections are there for you to promote what you've learned and what skills you have acquired. In some cases you can write the job title you are applying for as your objective. However, many large companies now scan applications. This means that employers can type in certain terms or education levels

into a database and get the resumes that include the specific terms.

Depending on the type of Job you are applying for, you may need to have a few different versions of your resume for each job. Either way, make sure you do not leave out any skills or qualifications because this will be the first impression of

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you with the company.

The second section is your education. Obviously, list your degree and
university. However, make sure you
include the city and state of your
school, your concentration,
majors/minors and the date of grad-

In this section, depending how In this section, depending how much space you have on your resume, you can also include a few other things. First, include some classes you took that are relevant to the job. Next, in 2005 every college grad should know Microsoft Office so be sure to include your computer skills. The UK Career Center says that cademic honors and a 3.0 or higher GPA are a plus, but not com-

pletely necessary to include in most fields. Finally, never forget to include any other languages you have learned, especially when applying with international companies. The third section is to list your work experience. You want to let the potential employer know what you've done and the impact you made. List your job title, employer's name, location and dates of employment. Avoid writing full sentences and do NOT include words such as I, me, and my. Write job descriptions with short phrases but still in a paragraph format. If you list a job that has nothing to do with your career field, The Rockport Institute suggests including skills learned that are good to have in any work situation called "transferable skills."

situation called "transferable skills," once you have competive in the plet of the previous three sections, you can add "additional information" to your resume if you have extra space. Remember, most employers don't want your life history, just how you are going to help them. This section can include campus or student organizations, community service, volunteer experience, team and group projects, leadership roles and professional memberships.

Remember, now is the time to express your abilities. Market yourself to the company like you are a product. Then, hopefully you can start being humble with compliments from your new boss.



