

Always on the Move

Another Semester Comes to a Close

It's hard to believe that the fall semester is already coming to a close. Where did those last few months go? It has been a very busy semester for those in the Transportation & Logistics program. The semester started off with a very successful Welcome Back Barbeque in September. T&L classes were given the opportunity to tour several companies around the Twin Ports, including Lake Superior Warehousing, Midwest Energy, CHS, Inc., BNSF Railway, and Halvor Lines. The semester wrapped up with Senior Year Experience Presentations and the Senior Send Off at Ace's. We wish everyone Happy Holidays and a Happy New Year! See you in 2014!



Upcoming Events:

- Submissions for Logo contest due February 10.
- DBE Bowling February 21
- CTS Career Expo February 18th
- Logistics, Trade and Transportation Symposium. February 26 -27, 2014. Gulfport, Mississippi
- Spring Tour March 25th
- Industry Speakers - TBA
- Ore Boat Voyage raffle drawing: April 24, 2014
- DBE Banquet May 2, 2014
- Senior Send-off: May 9, 2014

T&L Students Attend CSCMP Annual Global Conference

From October 20-23, T&L students Brett Brazerol and Drew Strandberg had the privilege to attend the Council of Supply Chain Management Professional's (CSCMP) Annual Global Conference in Denver, CO. The pair, sponsored by the CSCMP Twin Cities and Northeast Wisconsin Roundtables, were invited to the event as Student Assistants. They split their time helping conference organizers and taking in some of the educational opportunities the event had to offer. When asked about his experience Strandberg said, "I very much enjoyed my time in Colorado. The CSCMP treated us to exceptional accommodations and meals. I was able to take in multiple presentations from experienced supply chain professionals and had the opportunity to network extensively with fellow students, industry professionals, and companies from all over the world. It is an opportunity that I would encourage other UW-Superior Transportation and Logistics Management students to pursue in the future." Students interested in applying for a scholarship to attend the 2014 CSCMP Global Conference in San Antonio, TX are encourage to look for e-mail announcement.

Five T&L Students Attend IANA Expo

Five UW-Superior students had the opportunity to attend the Intermodal Association of North America (IANA) Expo in Houston, TX from November 17-20. Students in attendance were Chen Chen Hong, Alex Antoine, Alberto Rivera Garcia, Wyatt Soderquist, and Derek Krivinchuk. The expo provided many potential opportunities for the students including: networking with professionals from a wide variety of transportation and logistics companies, graduate schools, and other key industries, the ability to take tours of Barbour's Cut in the Port of Houston, a Home Depot distribution center, and the Space Center. Also at the expo was a student case study competition. Although UW-Superior was not invited to participate this year, they may have the opportunity to do so in the future, and it provided good insights on how to prepare for other competitions that they may be a part of. Many of the industries on hand were eager to talk to the students, and it was a great opportunity for the students to identify potential places of employment. Students with questions about IANA or who are interested in attending next year's event are encouraged to talk to any of the students who attended this year and look for e-mail announcement about attending the event. Even those seniors who just graduated will have an active email for a while after graduation.

Congrats and Best Wishes Fall Graduates!

With the fall semester closing in, it was once again time to hold the T&L Club Senior Send-Off. On December 12th the club hosted the event at Ace's on 29th in Superior. Dr. Stewart, Dr. Cao and Dr. Mokashi continued the tradition of awarding the graduating seniors with T&L coffee mugs. The seniors had a chance to talk about their favorite experiences over the years and their plans for the future. Elections for officers of the Spring 2014 semester were also held. With many of the officers graduating, all new officers were elected. It was also decided to consolidate the "General Events Coordinator" and "Special Events Coordinator" into one position, Events Coordinator. So, congratulations to the officers of 2014!

The Transportation & Logistics Program would like to congratulate the 12 students graduating this semester. We wish you the very best in your future endeavors!

- Alex Antoine
- Aaron Barthel
- Brett Brazerol
- Inessa Cusick
- Dan Genrich
- Ross Hertensteiner
- Amelia Johnson
- Michael Leone
- Alberto Rivero-Garcia
- Jacob Schneider
- Elizabeth Smith
- Fei Xie



T&L Club Visits the Twin Cities

On Friday November 8th, the T&L Student Club was given the opportunity to tour two transportation companies in the Twin Cities. The first stop on the trip was BNSF Railway's Saint Paul Intermodal Terminal. Here students learned about BNSF's Intermodal operations and got a first hand look at a busy railroad intermodal terminal. The second stop was Con-Way Freight's LTL Terminal in Fridley. Students learned about Con-Way's LTL operations and were given an in-depth tour of their cross-docking terminal. The T&L Club would like to thank Nathaniel Leis and Douglas Gage at BNSF Railway and Connie Deans and Mike Quintana at Con-Way for hosting us!



Enter to Win a Trip on a Great Lakes Vessel!

Have you ever wanted to sail on the Great Lakes? Now is your chance! UW-Superior, in conjunction with **Great Lakes Fleet**, is raffling tickets for a trip for four people in the Summer of 2014. Ticket sales are limited to UWS alumni, employees, students, parents of students, and attendees of the Alumni Association's Chancellor's Ball or An Evening of Wine & Jazz. Tickets are \$50 each, and can be purchased by either calling the UW-Superior Advancement Office at 715-394-8452 or emailing alumni@uwsuper.edu. The drawing for the raffle will take place at An Evening of Wine & Jazz at 7:00 PM on April 24, 2014 in the Yellowjacket Union. Purchases help support the Transportation & Logistics Management program!

Congratulations to Wyatt Soderquist and Eric Dahlberg, who attended the 92nd Annual Transportation Research Board event in Washington DC in January! Look for a write up in next month's newsletter

Spring 2014 Club Officers
Congratulations to the new T&L Club Officers!

President:
 Derek Krivinchuk

Vice President:
 Kiefer Kleinschmidt

Secretary:
 Andy Kast

Treasurer:
 Cody Johnson

Events Coordinator:
 Peter Suska