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Willamette MBA News

Punit Renjen, CEO of Deloitte Global and Willamette MBA alum, to speak at commencement

After earning his master's from Willamette University's Atkinson Graduate School of Management, Renjen has spent his career with Deloitte and was appointed CEO of Deloitte Global in 2015.

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MBA graduate uses data to tackle the business side of the Seattle Seahawks

Immediately after graduation, Paimon Jaberi began his dream job as a business intelligence analyst for the Seattle Seahawks.

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Philanthropic Investment experiential course announces 2019 grant recipients

After a year of hard work, students enrolled in Philanthropic Investment for Community Impact announced the 2019 grant recipients. This unique course builds students' leadership, critical thinking, analytical, and communication skills.

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Willamette MBA attracts Peace Corps Volunteers

Willamette University's motto is "Not unto ourselves alone are we born." It is no surprise Willamette University produces Peace Corps Volunteers, and Willamette MBA attracts them.

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On the train to Shanghai

Jackson Boyd MBA'20 reflects on the first half of his trip in China where he and his classmates visited China's leading corporate law firm, the Foreign Commercial Service at the U.S. Embassy, an NGO for visually impaired children, an ecommerce company that promotes entrepreneurship worldwide, and the Professional Association of Diving Instructors.

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Check out our latest student blogs

In PACE (Practical Application for Careers and Enterprises), first year students work with real, not-for-profit clients to provide actionable solutions to clients' business problems. Last week, Emily Anderson gave an update on her group's PACE project and shared with readers some of her takeaways about working in a consulting group.

For the past month, in the midst of narrowing down their grant applicants, Tynan Gable catches up with Philanthropic Investment for Community Impact Professor Nicole Thibideau and cohort members Colin Rice, Jared Spohr, and Ryan Tokeshi. Last week, the students announced the 2019 grant recipients in an award ceremony. This week, Tynan gives a recap of the award ceremony as well as a quick look at past grant recipients.

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Featured Events

Experience Willamette (open to everyone!)

Come meet Atkinson's dean, sit in on our signature PACE (Practical Application for Careers and Enterprises) class, learn about our application process, and join us for a tour of our beautiful campus on April 29.

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Other Happenings (4/1 - 4/15)

- On April 5, Professor Gary Knight was elected Fellow of the Academy of International Business (AIB). AIB Fellows represent a select group of distinguished members of the Academy, with only about 100 Fellows elected from among a global academy membership numbering more than 3,000. As a new Fellow, Professor Knight is being recognized for his outstanding contributions to the scholarly development of the field of international business.
- On April 16, Willamette MBA hosted Salem Young Pros for its first college invite "Third Tuesday". Salem Young Pros' mission is to connect and develop Salem's next generation of leaders.
- On April 9, Willamette MBA hosted lunch for the current cohort of Leadership Salem. Willamette MBA is a proud sponsor of Inspire Foundation's Leadership Salem. Leadership Salem is recognized by businesses, employers, and decision-makers as an important preparation to serve in the Salem community.