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NEW MEMBERS

HPGM would like to welcome its newest members:

Corporate

- Eduardo R. Jimenez** - Manager of Logistics Strategy & Controls, MillerCoors
- Todd Duval** - District Sales Manager, American Family Insurance
- Jim Pucci** - District Sales Manager, American Family Insurance
- Jesse W. Mosca** - Multi-line Insurance Agent, American Family Insurance
- Juanita Terrie Garcia** - RN Project Coordinator, Marquette University

Professional

- Aaron Vargas** - Contracting Specialist
- Cesar Lostaunau** - National Midwest Region Director, Association for Latino Professionals in Finance & Accounting
- Dr. Uvidelio Castillo** - Senior Research Scientist, Jeneil Biotech Inc.

¡Bienvenidos!

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IN THE NEWS

Press Release - March 10, 2009

Manpower

Manpower Employment Outlook Survey Reveals Continuation of Global Hiring Slowdown Through the Second Quarter of 2009

U.S. hiring plans weakest since 1982 recession, as the downturn takes its toll on Asia Pacific job prospects

MILWAUKEE, WI, USA (10 March 2009)- The Manpower Employment Outlook Survey of global hiring trends released



today reveals that employers worldwide say they will continue to cut back on hiring in the second quarter of 2009 compared to one year ago, with U.S. employers reporting the gloomiest outlook since the 1982 recession. In the Asia Pacific region, labor market conditions are expected to deteriorate at a surprisingly rapid rate.

To read the full press release [click here](#)

Announcing the 9th Annual DiversityInc Top 50 Companies for Diversity®

March 20, 2009

By DiversityInc staff

In its ninth year, The DiversityInc Top 50 Companies for Diversity® list was announced live at a function attended by more than 300 corporate executives in New York City March 12....

The DiversityInc Top 50 competition is an editorially driven, metrics-driven process that has no connection with business conducted with DiversityInc. Any company or organization with more than 1,000 employees may apply. The survey measures four areas: CEO Commitment, Human Capital, Supplier Diversity and Corporate and Organizational Communications.

To read full article and the list [click here](#)

CONVERSATIONAL SPANISH CLASS

HPGM is proud to offer a course to help foster your Spanish-speaking skills. This 6-week series offers a relaxed classroom situation and field trip to "test" your skills!

GE Healthcare



Tuesday's April 7 - May 12
6 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Council for the Spanish Speaking
614 W. National Ave.

Cost
\$30 HPGM Member
\$50 Non-member
\$10 per individual class

To register [click here](#)

Light snacks will be served!



5th Annual Leadership Conference - Thank You!

LEAD Change.
Empower Yourself and Others

March 20, 2009 - Muchas gracias to the 150 attendees of the conference for making the event a success! Providing opportunities to foster leadership is one of the cornerstones of HPGM's mission.

To view event pictures [click here](#)

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HPGM \$2,500 SCHOLARSHIP

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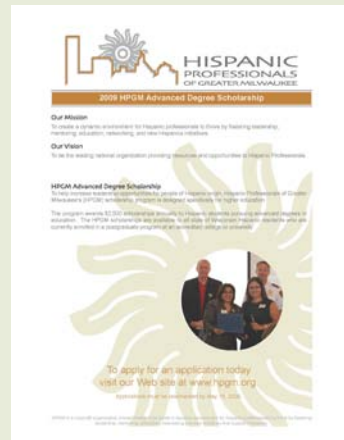
ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS!

HPGM is one of the few organizations in Wisconsin aimed at offering scholarships to Hispanic professionals strictly for post-graduate degrees.

Annually we raise scholarship funds to award at least **five \$2,500 scholarships** to Wisconsin residents enrolled in a **postgraduate program** or a **college/institute graduate**.

Deadline is May 15, 2009

For more details, [click here](#).



ADDITIONAL SCHOLARSHIP RESOURCES

For information on local and national scholarships available to Hispanic students, [click here](#).

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Visit our [Opportunities](#) page for more details on the following career opportunities

- **Governor's Internship Program** - The office of Governor Jim Doyle
- **Customer Service** - U.S. Cellular
- **Director - Financial Planning & Analysis & Investor Relations** - Journal Communications
- **Bi-lingual Client Customer Service Manager** - SEEK
- **Loan Servicing Specialist 3 property preservations** - Wells Fargo
- **Call Center Planning Specialist** - Wells Fargo
- **Collections Supervisor** - Wells Fargo
- **Development Assistant** - Notre Dame Middle School

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Visit our [Community Events](#) page for more information

- **Genesis International Choreographic Competition** - Thursday, March 26 - Sunday, March 29, *Pabst Theater*
- **Strategic Planning for the Board** - Monday, March 30, *BoardStar*
- **Kurt Schmoke, J.D. Leadership in the city: A tale of no easy victories** - Tuesday, March 31, *University Club of Wisconsin*
- **Small Business Marketplace: Growing your Business in 2009 and Beyond** - Thursday, April 2, *Italian Community Center*
- **LEN Spring Signature Event: Small Business Resource and Learning Fair** - Thursday, April 2, *Italian Community Center*
- **Orientation Express** - Thursday, April 2, *BoardStar*
- **La India Canela** - Saturday, April 4, *Latino Arts, Inc.*
- **Fundraising - Taking the FEAR out** - Tuesday, April 7, *BoardStar*

2009-10 Future Milwaukee Leadership Program

The upcoming 2009-10 Future Milwaukee Leadership Program is currently recruiting 35-40 talented and highly motivated individuals. The program will consist of 22 sessions running from September 2009 through May 2010 on Monday evenings from 6:00p.m. to 9:00p.m. roughly every two weeks concurrently with two types of small group projects.

Tuition for the program is \$1,800 with a limited amount of financial aid available. Applications and program information are available online at www.futuremilwaukee.org and are due by June 16, 2009.

For further application information, please contact **Lori Kazaks**, Recruitment Coordinator at lori.kazaks@marquette.edu or (414) 288-7118.

For program questions, please contact **Ron Kuramoto** at

Ronald.kuramoto@marquette.edu or (414) 288-4706.

For more information [click here](#)

Young Hispanic Leaders Program 2009 Santander & Madrid, Spain

June 13-21, 2009

Accepting Applications for summer program!

The annual Young Hispanic Leaders Program was founded in 1998 at the initiative of the U.S.-Spain Council (a private forum to enhance relations between the two countries). It is sponsored by the Fundación Carolina, the Universidad Internacional Menéndez Pelayo and the collaboration of the Fundación José Ortega y Gasset.

The objective of this program is to allow future Hispanic leaders from the United States to familiarize themselves firsthand with Spain's political, economic, social and cultural environment.

Since its founding, close to 150 young U.S. citizens of Hispanic origin have been chosen in a competitive selection process to participate in this program. This year the program will take place from June 13 - 21.

For more information [click here](#)

To download application [click here](#)

Survey for Travel to Mexico

Conducted by ABRAZO Multicultural Marketing & Communication

Please take a few minutes to fill out this survey regarding travel to Mexico. Your response will help us gain a better picture of travel to Mexico from Southeastern Wisconsin and how we may need to update your options. Thank you in advance for your input!

[Click here](#)

EXCLUSIVE OFFERS TO HPGM MEMBERS

In partnership with the Milwaukee Ballet, HPGM members receive **20% off any ticket to see the *Genesis***, International Choreographic Competition, and receive **reduced tickets to the Opening Night, *Pints on Pointe***.

Pints on Pointe

Join Milwaukee Ballet for an exclusive look inside the choreographer's creative process

Opening Night Reception and Performance, Thurs., March 26
Art Gallery in the InterContinental Hotel, 139 E. Kilbourn Ave.

6:00 p.m. Cash bar and complimentary appetizers
6:30 p.m. Program: Meet the choreographers!
7:30 p.m. Performance

\$35 per person includes reception and show

RSVP to (414) 902-2102 or lrivers@milwaukeeballet.org

The show's three choreographers will share their performance synopsis, inspiration and vision:

- Timothy O'Donnell, Australia
- Cameron McMillan, New Zealand
- Maurice Causey, former Milwaukee Ballet dancer from the U.S., now in Europe

Why See *Genesis*?

To showcase its dedication to new and innovative works, Milwaukee Ballet's ***Genesis*** competition has challenged three up-and-coming choreographer finalists to create a new work within three weeks, seeking the prize to create an original work for Milwaukee Ballet in 2010. ***Who decides the winner? YOU, the audience, and a respected panel of judges.***

Help select the next international sensation!

Can't make it opening night? Receive 20% off any *Genesis* ticket. Call (414) 902-2103 and mention Gen-X. Find more details at www.milwaukeeballet.org

15% discount on any new membership at

Martial Arts America



HPGM is geared toward helping Hispanic Professionals thrive and flourish in the Greater Milwaukee area. Our organization is multigenerational and multicultural, providing means for Hispanic Professionals, of all ages to network and build leadership, education, mentoring, and professional development opportunities while fostering new Hispanic Initiatives.

Sincerely,



Yvonne A. Brodsky

Executive Director

Hispanic Professionals of Greater Milwaukee

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