



NOVEMBER 2018 NEWSLETTER

Technology & Operations Management Department | Cal Poly Pomona



About Us

The Technology and Operations Management (TOM) and E-Business (EBZ) Department at Cal Poly Pomona operates under the College of Business Administration. We are committed to providing students with the best business education and support student's professional growth. The TOM/EBZ Department monthly newsletter will highlight events, professional development opportunities, and accomplishments.

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October 2018 Highlights

TOM/EBZ DEPARTMENT GLOBAL STUDENT CHALLENGE KICK-OFF: THE #1 GLOBAL SUPPLY CHAIN COMPETITION



On October 19th, participants and faculty advisors of the Global Student Challenge (GSC) gathered to overview the competition guidelines.

[GSC](#) is a supply chain competition utilizing an online simulation where students have the opportunity to problem solve and collaborate over real world complexities.



Over the next few months, eight teams of four students each will prepare for the Regional Final event in February 2019 where the winning team will earn the opportunity to travel to The Netherlands for the Global Finals. Good luck teams!

ON-CAMPUS COLLABORATION: TOM/EBZ DEPARTMENT & BRIC TEAM UP FOR ANALYTICS INTERNSHIP

After our first successful collaboration during 2017-2018 Academic Year, the TOM/EBZ Department and Bronco Recreation and Intramural Complex (BRIC) decided to continue our student internship program during the 2018-2019 Academic Year, with six student interns led by three TOM/EBZ faculty members.

The internship program emphasizes the training on predictive analytics theories and tools, and applications in real world big data problems. By analyzing millions of records from BRIC usage data and academic data, this program aims to understand how students' BRIC usage impact their academic standings and graduation progresses.

Our research not only contributes to the Graduation Initiative (GI) 2025 by providing evidences for better resource allocation decisions, but also benefits our students by providing hands-on experiences with



2018-2019 BRIC Internship Students:

Huy Tran
Nicholas Light
John Class
Shen (Jade) Jiang
Kevin Lee
Jerica Djapri

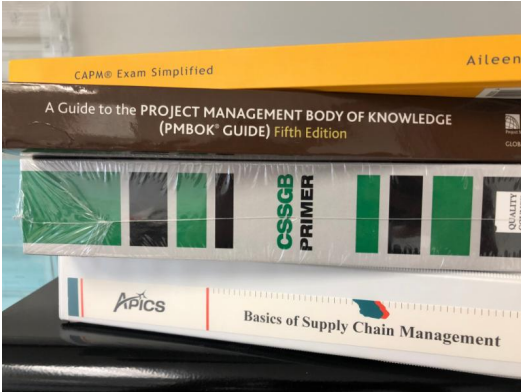
Faculty Advisors:

Dr. Zeng, Dr. Huynh, and Dr. Ru

Associate Director of Operations for Campus Recreation:

BRIC Ginny Templeton

SUPPLY CHAIN OPERATIONS TECHNOLOGY (SCOT) LAB: CERTIFICATION BOOKS AVAILABLE FOR STUDENT USE



Did you know that the SCOT Lab offers books to help students train for certification testing?

Getting certified from a professional organization is a great resume booster and can help you stand out in the job market! Students can use the SCOT Lab books to study for multiple certifications:

Contact Us

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Location: Building 6, Room 124

SCOT Lab Fall 2018 Hours

M 8:30 - 11:00AM; 2:00 - 5:00PM

Tu 7:30 - 9:45AM; 11:30AM - 2:00PM; 4:00 - 6:00PM

W 8:30 - 11:00AM; 2:00 - 5:00PM

Th 7:30 - 9:45AM; 4:00 - 6:00PM

Certified Associate in Project Management
[\(CAPM\)](#)

Certified in Production and Inventory Management
[\(CPIM\)](#)

Certified Six Sigma Green Belt
[\(CSSGB\)](#)

Operations Management Society Student Club



Thank You J.B. Hunt Guest Speakers:

Yesenia Baranda, HR Client Manager
Daniel Scruggs, Regional Ops. Manager
Veronica Gierczak, Sr. Logistics Manager
Rosalina Gutierrez, Ops. Ramp Manager

J.B. HUNT TRANSPORTATION: INDUSTRY GUEST SPEAKERS

It was a packed room on October 11th for the Operations Management Society's guest speaker meeting with team members from J.B. Hunt Transport, Inc.

The speakers provided an overview on the company, insight on current internship & career opportunities and explained career growth as moving horizontally to learn the different areas of the company as opposed to the traditional "moving up the ladder" process.

APICS: PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION GUEST SPEAKERS

On October 18th, **Lisa Anderson**, APICS - Inland Empire President, and **Diane Garcia**, APICS - Portland Director of Company Coordinators, joined the OMS club to speak about the APICS professional organization. The American Production and Inventory Control Society, known as "APICS," was recently re-branded as the "Association for Supply Chain Management" or "ASCM."

Anderson and Garcia explained the importance of certifications and shared their professional experiences. APICS members receive first access to top jobs and internships, access to a digital library, and thousands of connections.

For more information on APICS- Inland Empire, visit their [website](#).



Thank you APICS for your continued support of the TOM/EBZ Department!



MARK YOUR CALENDAR: UPCOMING EVENTS



OMS Meeting Information

When? Thursday's at U-Hour (12PM)

Where? 163-1004

Pizza is provided!



November 8

Resume Workshop & Professional Head Shots
164-1004 | U-Hour

November 9

OMS Alumni Networking Event
BSC- Andromeda Suite | 6-9PM

November 15

Propane Guest Speaker
164-1004 | U-Hour

November 16

Propane Facility Tour
Baldwin Park, CA

November 29

Aramark Guest Speaker
164-1004 | U-Hour

November 30

Industry & Alumni Partnerships

We welcome alumni, industry, and community organizations to partner with our department

THERE ARE MANY WAYS YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

GETTING INVOLVED

- Guest speak at the next OMS student club meeting
- Join us for an insight lunch
- Provide internships and/or job opportunities for students
- Join the TOM/EBZ Department Advisory Board

SPONSOR DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES

- Student projects
- Supply Chain/Operations competitions
- Professional development events
- Student internships
- Faculty research
- Scholarships
- and more!

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Professional Development

CAREER TIPS: DRESSING FOR THE INTERVIEW

What's the difference between business professional and business casual?

BY CHETANA PIRAVI, TOM/EBZ STUDENT ASSISTANT

It can often be difficult to put together the appropriate attire for your upcoming interview. First, you want to do some research on the company to learn about the company culture and their standard work attire. Company's typically have a **business professional** or **business casual** work attire. What's the difference? Below are a few tips:

BUSINESS PROFESSIONAL

- Jeans should be avoided.
- Dark and solid colors are safer than

BUSINESS CASUAL

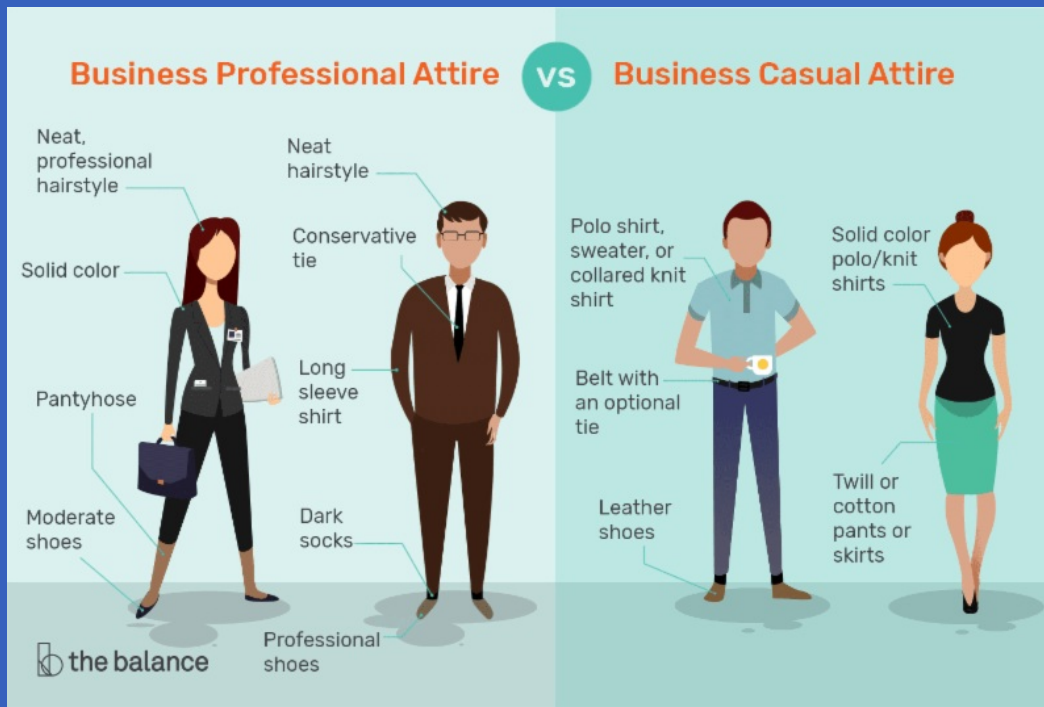
- Jeans are acceptable when paired with polo shirts, collared knit shirts,

bright colors and patterns.

- Suits, ties, slacks, ties and long-sleeve blouses or button-down shirts.
- Flats or moderate heels for women. Avoid stilettos or uncomfortably high heeled shoes.

cardigans, or even a blazer.

- Patterned, bright clothing, short-sleeve, skirt, and dresses are appropriate.
- "Casual" does not mean you should wear ripped jeans, old shirts, or very tight clothing.



PART-TIME JOBS

DiaSorin

Demand Planner Manager DSM, Cypress, CA

Los Angeles Football Club

Operations Crew, Los Angeles, CA

Glaad

Operations Manager, Los Angeles, CA

BEHR

Receiving Operator, Santa Ana, CA

Fedex

Operations Admin, Arcadia, CA

INTERNSHIPS

Cardinal Health

Supply Chain/Operations Internship, Los Angeles, CA

Ready Pac

Operations Intern, Irwindale, CA

Amway Inc

Intern - Delivery Operations, Santa Fe Springs, CA

Long Beach Transit

Procurement Internship, Long Beach, CA

Harman International

Operations Intern, Northridge, CA

UPCOMING GRADUATE JOBS

Target

Executive Team Leader Overnight Logistics, Pasedena, CA

Gerhardt Gear Co

Purchasing Assistant / Expeditor, Burbank,

For a full list of current Jobs and Internships, please visit our [website](#)

CA

Aramark

Fleet Analyst, Burbank, CA


AVS Products LLC

Data Analyst, Los Angeles, CA

Honeywell

Lead Buyer, Los Angeles, CA

FALL 2018 ALUMNI NETWORKING EVENT



OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT SOCIETY

**ADVICE FROM ALUMNI
NETWORKING EVENT**

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Don't miss this opportunity to **DINE** and **NETWORK** with:

Students	📅 November 9th, 2018
Faculty	🕒 6:00 PM - 8:30 PM
Alumni	📍 Cal Poly Pomona
Top Industry Leaders	

Sign up: <http://www.eventbrite.com/e/free-alumni-networking-event-tickets-51311687639>

Location: BSC Andromeda

[Register Today](#)

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