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Winter 2010-2011

Dear EBS Student,

We hope you enjoyed your holidays. Craig and I wish you and yours the very best for 2011.

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EXAMINATION RESULTS

December examination results will be posted on the Student Services website (<https://cws.ebsmba.com/student-service/>) approximately eight weeks after the end of the diet of examinations. Your official examination results will be dispatched directly to you, at the last mailing address notified, by the end of January 2011. Please ensure you notify EBS of any changes to your contact details. This can be done directly through the Student Services website.

EXAMINATIONS

The next *major* examination diet is in **June 2011**. The deadline date for registration is **March 1st 2011**. Please ensure that you complete the entry process

in good time bearing in mind that the UK time zone is GMT (Western Europe Standard Time) which puts them between 4 and 8 hours ahead of us, depending on where you live in Canada.

The full examination timetable is available at:

<https://studentservices.ebsglobal.net/student-service-open/timetables/student-services-timetables.asp>.

You can register on-line for exams on the Student Services website:

<https://studentservices.ebsglobal.net/student-service/student-services-login.asp>.

There is a **minor** diet in **March 2011** held in Toronto and Calgary only. The deadline date for registering *and* deferring for this diet is **February 7th**.

When planning your exam and study schedule note that not all subjects are examined in this diet. Following are the subjects examined in the March 2009 diet:

Day	Exam Date	Subject	AM/PM
Monday	March 07, 2011	Marketing	AM
Tuesday	March 08, 2011	Negotiation	AM
Wednesday	March 09, 2011	Organisational Behaviour	AM
Thursday	March 10, 2011	Accounting	AM

Remember that a number of past examination papers are provided for each course to help you prepare for your examinations. The practice final examinations are your best guide as to what to expect in the examination. You should attempt to answer them under exam conditions – give yourself three hours (adjust this time if you are not doing MCQs) to write the paper then go over the answers carefully when scoring your results. The accompanying Examiner's Solutions and Selected Student Answers guide you on the type of answer expected to be awarded high grades in the examination. Well-crafted course study notes can be found on the Watercooler website: <http://sites.google.com/site/ebswatercooler/Home/study-notes>. Try to complete at least 2 practice papers before you sit your examination. You can also use the Profiler™, the unique interactive software that measures your strengths and weaknesses in each aspect of every subject.

Each exam is a three-hour moderated (proctored) written examination. All questions are compulsory so you do not have a choice. Exam scripts are marked by EBS Faculty and are subject to rigorous scrutiny by external examiners from other UK universities.

There is a fee of £100 Sterling (approximately CAD 170) for each exam you sit. Payment for entries processed on-line is by credit card. You can check if your exam request has been processed in the Exam Service section of the Student Services web site. The School will send written acknowledgement of your examination request within 3 weeks of receiving it.

EXAMINATION DEFERRALS

The deadline dates for **deferring** examinations **for major diets** without incurring any cost, are May 1st and November 1st for the June and December diets respectively.

The deadline dates for examination **applications AND deferrals** for **minor diets** are February 7th and July 24th for the March and August diets respectively.

If you wish to defer your examination for any reason, you may do so on the Student Services website. Your examination date will be transferred automatically to the next major diet, unless you specify an alternative diet.

IN THE PRESS

Edinburgh Business School's recent MBA Africa Scholarship launch continues to be a talking point in the media.

To access recent articles please go to the Read News section on the EBS website: (<http://www.ebsglobal.net/miscellaneous/latest-news#wsjournal>).

SOCIAL NETWORKING

EBS recognizes that the popularity of social networking is on the rise and has created a platform where you can network with fellow students and graduates. The list of social networks that EBS participates in can be found at:

<http://edinburghbusinessschool.blogspot.com/> .

CONTACT DETAILS

For further information about anything in this newsletter, or if you have any questions, please contact either Craig or me.

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Regards

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Rochelle". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

Rochelle Knowles