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Moving Ahead: News for Sophomores--September 27, 2011

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Moving Ahead@Hope

You're not a freshman any more...now what?

September 27, 2011

Hello, Hope College.

I want to remind you of several important events and meetings this week:

Interested in health professions??

TONIGHT (Tuesday, September 27) at 9 p.m. in Graves Hall, Winants Auditorium, meet with the pre-health professions advisor (Professor Tahnee Prokopow) to get tips aimed at first- and second-year students: about academics, about what's ahead and how to plan. If you're thinking about Medicine, Dentistry, Physician Assistant, Pharmacy, Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Public Health, Podiatry, Genetic Counseling, Chiropractic, Veterinary Medicine, this is a meeting you'll want to attend.

The [Pre-Health Professions website](#) contains a gold-mine of information--please check it out if you're thinking about health professions.

Off-Campus Study

It's not too early to begin planning for a semester, year, or

short-term study off-campus--on a domestic or international program.

TOMORROW, Wednesday September 28 from 4 till 7 p.m. stop in Maas Auditorium and meet with program representatives and students who have experienced off-campus study programs. More than 200 programs in 60 countries are options for Hope students--don't miss this opportunity to explore the possibilities. You can read more about off-campus programs [here](#).

Interested in Law School?

The Pre-Law Club meets **Thursday, September 29** for a dinner at Dr. Ryden's home. Meet at the DeWitt flagpole at 6:15 p.m.--carpooling is provided. It's important to e-mail prelawclub@hope.edu if you plan to attend.

In addition to dinner, you'll hear from Jeremy and Liz Von Eitzen (both Hope '03 grads). Jeremy is a solo criminal defense lawyer; Liz is a civil litigator with a large Grand Rapids law firm (Warner Norcross). So they can speak to different kinds of law practice as well as balancing personal and professional lives.

Doing your best work

Many of you have had the first round of hour exams and graded projects, so it's a good time to remind you of the resources you can use to help you do your best work.

Check the [supplemental help link](#) and take advantage of these (mostly free) opportunities.

Could you use some help with time management, note-taking, preparing for tests? Visit the [Academic Support Center](#) (second floor of Van Zoeren) or check out the resources on [their webpage](#).

The [Center for Writing and Research](#) is the place to go for help in these important areas.

Thinking about declaring a management major?

Declaring a major in management is a multi-step process. You can read more about it [here](#). As part of the process, you must also attend one of these meetings (these also great ways for students *considering* a management major to learn more about this major):

- Thursday, October 20, 2011: 6pm to 8pm SciCtr 1116

- Friday, October 21, 2011: 3pm to 5pm Sci Ctr 1111

Hope the semester goes well--please keep in touch with questions or concerns.

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