

HTM WEEKLY

Let's Connect Lakers!

3.16.2026



1. RECENT JOB/INTERNSHP OPENINGS	New week, new opportunities to learn and grow as an HTM professional. Check out the listings for jobs and internships!
2. INTERNATIONAL SUMMER CAMP	The University of Macau is excited to share that the Department of Integrated Resort and Tourism Management will be launching a new program: the 2026 DRTM International Student Summer Camp, scheduled for June 21-25, 2026.
3. AHLA HOSPITALITY SCHOLARSHIP	The AHLA Foundation Scholarship application cycle is now open for the 2026-2027 academic year. Applications are being accepted until March 30, 2026.
4. SPRING COURSE	The Anthropology Summer Field School 2026 immerses students in daily life on the Westside of Grand Rapids while studying the Las Canchas public courts on Seward Ave.
5. HTM SPEAKER SERIES	On Tuesday, March 17, 2026, from 1:00–2:00 PM EST via Zoom, join us for keynote speaker Amani Roberts and his presentation titled “UNLOCK Your Next Level.”
6. MICHIGAN SUSTAINABLE BUSINESS FORUM WEBINAR	Join MiSBF and University of Illinois Chicago for the second session in the <i>Safe & Sustainable Foodware</i> webinar series as we hear from restaurants and institutions that have already made the switch.

New Internship and Employment Opportunities

FRONT OF HOUSE SUPERVISOR

Legends Global - Van Andel Arena - Grand Rapids, Michigan

Application Deadline: 3/27/2026

Posted: 3/2/26

FRONT OF HOUSE STAFF

Legends Global - Van Andel Arena - Grand Rapids, Michigan

Application Deadline: 3/27/2026

Posted: 3/2/26

ASSISTANT FRONT OF HOUSE MANAGER

Legends Global - Van Andel Arena - Grand Rapids, Michigan

Application Deadline: 3/13/2026

Posted: 3/2/26

WEDDINGS AND SPECIAL EVENTS ASSOCIATE

Wellfield Botanic Gardens - Elkhart, Indiana

Application Deadline: March 31, 2026

Posted: 2/26/26

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INTERNATIONAL SUMMER CAMP



The poster features a central illustration of a woman in a business suit holding a stack of gold coins, standing in front of a stylized cityscape with a pagoda and a clock tower. To the left, a man in a suit holds a parrot, and another man in a white tank top with the Chinese characters '醉龍' (Zui Long) holds a dragon. The background is a mix of green, blue, and yellow.

2026 DRTM International Student Summer Camp

21-25 June 2026
Macao SAR, China

澳門大學
UNIVERSITY OF MACAU

工商管理學院
FACULDADE DE GESTÃO DE EMPRESAS
FACULTY OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Join us for an unforgettable summer in Macao!
Ready to explore one of Asia's most exciting destinations while experiencing life at the University of Macau (UM)? The Department of Integrated Resort and Tourism Management (DRTM) invites outstanding undergraduate students from around the world to join our **International Student Summer Camp!** Join us for a journey packed with **learning, culture, and fun!**

Camp Highlights & Opportunities

You will also engage in a rich blend of academic and cultural experiences, including but not limited to:

- Interactive academic lectures by DRTM faculty members
- Campus tour and treasure hunt challenge
- Networking with students, professors, and industry practitioners
- Field trip to leading integrated resorts in Macao

The Summer Camp is fee-waived.

UM will cover on-campus accommodation (in shared rooms), local transportation, meals and activities expenses included in the Summer Camp. A welcome kit will be provided to each student.

Students are responsible for their round-trip traveling expenses, insurance, visa fees (if applicable) and other personal expenses.

Application Deadline **April 24, 2026** Notification of Results **April 30, 2026**

For enquiries: drmtcamp@um.edu.mo

DRTM reserves the right to make final modifications, changes, explanations, and cancellations of the programme. **Apply Now! ▶** Scan the QR Code



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HOSPITALITY SCHOLARSHIP



2026

SCHOLARSHIPS

OPEN

DEADLINE EXTENDED TO
MARCH 30 2026



CALLING ALL HOSPITALITY
MAJORS TO APPLY TODAY!

- 2.5 GPA and above
- Welcome all grade levels

If you need assistance please email us at
scholarships@ahla.com

Each year, the AHLA Foundation administers a competitive scholarship process that awards **more than 300 students** with scholarships ranging from **\$2,000 to \$7,000**. Both school-allocated scholarship funds and general self-nominated scholarship funds, depending on eligibility, are available.

Deadline Change!
Application Deadline
Monday March 30,
2026

Apply through the QR
code or at this [link](#)

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SPRING COURSE ANT 307



SPRING 2026 CLASS

ANT 307



Tuesday and Fridays
6:00pm-9:00pm*



Location: Devos Campus and
Westside Neighborhood

Track Options: Community Health
and Sports Culture

This fieldschool will collaborate with The Soccer Rebellion to explore Las Canchas, the public soccer courts on the Westside of Grand Rapids.

Gain Research Skills for your Resume

- ✓ Focus Group Discussion
- ✓ Participant Observation
- ✓ Ethnographic Interviewing
- ✓ Qualitative analysis
- ✓ Report Writing
- ✓ Public Presentation



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*Additional time commitments
for research and analysis will
be required



Dates May 11 – June 24, 2026
**Times Tuesdays & Fridays 6-9
PM***

The Anthropology Summer Field School 2026 immerses students in daily life on the Westside of Grand Rapids.

During the six-week field school, students will partner with The Soccer Rebellion and Las Canchas to gain an in-depth understanding of the needs, assets, motivations, and meanings related to sports and community health among those living and playing on the Westside.

For more information, contact Dr. Tara Hefferan hefferta@gvsu.edu; 616-331-8924 or Dr. Kristin Hedges hedgeskr@gvsu.edu; 616-331-8212

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HTM SPEAKER SERIES

GVSU HTM SPEAKER SERIES 2026 PRESENTS:

UNLOCK

YOUR NEXT LEVEL

FEATURING

AMANI ROBERTS

 **MARCH 17, 2026**

 **1:00–2:00 PM EST**

 **LIVE VIA ZOOM**

International Keynote Speaker + USA Today Bestselling Author + Award-Winning Educator +

Open To ALL Majors & Minors!

Unlock Creativity • Build Resilience • Ignite Momentum

- ✓ **Clarity** about your next steps
- ✓ **Confidence** to take action
- ✓ **Tools** to create momentum and purpose

ONE HOUR. ONE MINDSET SHIFT.

DON'T MISS IT!

SAVE THE DATE/TIME... REGISTRATION INFO COMING SOON.



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MI SUSTAINABLE BUSINESS FORUM WEBINARS

SAFE & SUSTAINABLE FOODWARE
WEBINAR SERIES: SESSION 02

Green Restaurants

Tuesday, March 17 | 10:00am ET

FEATURING SPECIAL GUESTS



**Kate
Martini**
Western Michigan
University



**Kris
Spaulding**
Brewery Vivant



**Brittany
Goode**
Aldea Coffee

The next webinar from MISBF, *Green Restaurants*, on **March 17 at 10am EST** will focus on restaurants and institutions that have already made the switch. Presenters will share candid stories about what worked, what didn't, and how they overcame barriers such as costs, customer preferences, and sourcing challenges. Hear from Aldea Coffee and Brewery Vivant about their green initiatives.

[**Learn more and register here**](#)

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GRAND VALLEY
STATE UNIVERSITY
HOSPITALITY AND
TOURISM MANAGEMENT

CAMPUS EVENTS



Brick by Brick: A Printmaking Pop-Up

Wednesday, March 18, 2026
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Kirkhof Center Room 0058

Looking for a creative escape? Join us on campus for a unique DIY session where childhood nostalgia meets professional art-making. We're reimagining Lego Dots as relief printing plates to create textured, geometric designs on tote bags and mini notebooks.

No art experience? No problem. We'll show you the ropes!

This event is hosted by the Art Museum and facilitated by Hot Glue Creux, a Grand Rapids-based craft club. While supplies last