Institute Career Fair Draws 90+ Employers, From Facebook to the State Department, to Meet and Interview Students
Annual Fair Fills Monterey Conference Center with Recruiters and Students

Monterey, CA – Pundits looking for evidence that the economy is beginning to reawaken needed look no further today than the Monterey Conference Center, where a career fair for students at the Monterey Institute of International Studies attracted more than 90 employers. Ranging from local non-profits to global corporations, participating employers included government agencies such as the U.S. Department of State and the Central Intelligence Agency, private sector leaders such as Apple and Facebook, and NGOs such as Catholic Relief Services and the Monterey Bay Aquarium.

“We’re extremely pleased with this year’s fair,” commented Institute President Sunder Ramaswamy. “The strong turnout from employers speaks to the value they place on the kind of cross-cultural, cross-sectoral professional skills that Institute graduates acquire.”

Students introduced themselves to employers at booths throughout the conference center’s expansive Serra Room, learning about job opportunities, dropping off resumes, and setting interview times. Workshop panels during the day featured Institute alumni talking about their professional experiences and offering tips on launching a career, networking, and advanced career strategies. The daylong fair finished up with a networking reception for students and employers.

The fair was organized by the Institute’s Center for Advising and Career Services. The Center, launched last spring, combines the traditionally separate functions of academic and career advising into a comprehensive campus resource intended to ensure students receive a constant flow of support, advice, and training from the day they register to the day they graduate.

Participants at the fair included:

- Aperian Global
- Apple
- Brookhaven National Laboratory
- Catholic Relief Services
- Central Intelligence Agency
- Corporate Translations Inc.
- CTB/McGraw-Hill
- Global Majority
- Interpreting Services Int'l, Inc.
- Honda Kaihatsu Kogyo USA, Inc.
- Language Line Services
- Monterey Bay Aquarium
- Pacific Northwest National Laboratory
- Peace Corps
- St. Luke's-Roosevelt Hospital Center
- Science Applications International Corporation
- Stanford Hospital and Clinics
- United States Agency for International Development
- United Way Monterey County
- Ventana Wildlife Society
- Women's International Perspective

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