UPCOMING EVENTS
WELCOME BACK BBQ, SHAKE AND BAKE EVENT, GRADUATION CEREMONY, BALL, EAHM 10th ANNIVERSARY, HALLOWEEN PARTY, QUIZ NIGHT, NATIONAL DAY CELEBRATION AND CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION.
DON’T FORGET THAT STUDENT COUNCIL ELECTIONS STARTS ON THE 2ND OF OCTOBER.

MEDITATION AT THE ACADEMY
WHY MEDITATE?
MEDITATION ACTS LIKE A QUICK POWER-NAP, INSTANTLY RE-CHARGING THE MIND AND CALMING THE BODY. NO, IT DOESN’T MEAN STANDING ON ONE LEG OR DOING A HEADSTAND - ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS BREATHE. IT’S A SIMPLE WAY OF BALANCING YOUR PHYSICAL, MENTAL AND EMOTIONAL STATE. "IT IS AN APPROACH THAT ANYONE CAN USE TO HELP THEMcope WITH PROBLEMS, STRESS AND ANXIETY. WHILE METHODS CAN VARY, THE END GOAL OF MEDITATION IS TO ACHIEVE CALM AND STRESS FREE MIND."
COME AND ATTEND THE MEDITATION SESSIONS EVERY THURSDAY AT 6:00PM IN CLASSROOM 3.

DEBATE CLUB
THIS MONTH WE PREMIERED OUR DEBATE CLUB, A FORUM IN WHICH STUDENTS ARE GIVEN THE OPPORTUNITY TO DISCUSS A RANGE OF TOPICS AND REFINER THEIR PUBLIC SPEAKING SKILLS. WE HAD A TOTAl OF 8 PEOPLE COME IN AND THEY DISCUSSED WHETHER OR NOT SMOKING SHOULD BE BANNED FROM THE ACADEMY. THE RECEPTION WAS GREAT AND PARTICIPANTS VERY QUICKLY GOT ENGAGED IN THE DISCUSSION!
IF YOU THINK YOUR VOICE SHOULD BE HEARD, IF YOU THINK YOU ARE RIGHT THEN GET YOURSELF DOWN TO CR 8 EVERY OTHER WEDNESDAY NIGHT!

DRAMA CLUB
THE EMIRATES ACADEMY IS HOSTING A BI-MONTHLY DRAMA CLUB WHERE STUDENTS CAN DO SOME FUN IMPROVISATIONAL ACTIVITIES AND HAVE AN OUTLET FROM THEIR DAY-TO-DAY ROUTINE. WE RECOMMEND YOU COME ALONG TO TRY THE CLUB OUT EVEN IF YOU’RE A BIT SHY.

SHAKE ‘N’ BAKE
ON SATURDAY 16TH APRIL 2011 THE STUDENT COUNCIL ORGANIZED THE FIRST SHAKE ‘N’ BAKE BY THE CAMPUS POOL AND RECREATION ROOM. THE EVENT INCLUDED WATER VOLLEYBALL, LEMONADE AND CAKE SALE, SHAWARMA, MUSIC AND A PING PONG COMPETITION. IT WAS A GREAT SUCCESS AND THE SECOND SHAKE ‘N’ BAKE IS SET TO KICK OFF IN THE NEW TRi-MESTER. FOR THOSE THAT MISSED OUT, CHECK OUT THE PHOToS ON FACEBOOK AND MAKE SURE YOU DON’T MISS THE NEXT ONE.

WELL DONE TO ALL THOSE THAT PARTICIPATED IN THE PING PONG COMPETITION AND A BIG THANKS TO KIT BELEN FOR HIS USUAL SUPPORT AND MEDITATION.
1ST PLACE ABDUL RAHMAN RASHWAN LUCIANO’S
2ND PLACE EMAD NOURI UNDERGROUND PUB
3RD PLACE NAJLAA GHANBAN AL DHAYFA

FABM 202 PROJECT

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE
SORAY MALTOLI: “AN AMAZING EXPERIENCE WHICH GAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO DEVELOP MY SKILLS TO WORK IN A TEAM.”
CALLUM BIRD: “MOJITO MAKING, MOCK-TAIL SHAKING, FOOD COOKING AND ALWAYS GOOD LOOKING, FABULOUS CARIBA TEAM.

TEACHER PROFILE
CHRIS DUTT, JUNIOR LECTURER
WHAT IS YOUR FAVOURITE QUOTE?
THERE ARE MANY GOOD ONES, NORMALY THE MORE CYCLICAL THE BETTER!
‘WHO DARES WINS’ IS AN INSPIRING ONE. THEN THERE IS ‘QUIT CUSTODET IPSOS CUSTODES’ (‘WHO WILL GUARD THE GUARDS’).

WHAT ARE YOUR BEST TIPS FOR STUDENTS?
The recommendations of the teachers are actually beneficial to student learning, although it seems like a lot of work, it will help. Apart from that, start early, the earlier reports are started, the better the quality of reports, the more relaxed you will be and the easier everything will seem. That all being said, there are few universal methods that will help everyone; find the approach that works for you and stick with it!
OUT OF ALL YOUR EXPERIENCES AT EAHM AS A STUDENT, WHAT WAS THE MOST MEMORABLE?
The late nights of work!

WHAT ARE YOUR HOBBIES AND INTERESTS
SCUBA DIVING WHEN POSSIBLE, NORMALY ON THE EAST COAST AROUND DIBBA. ANYTHING INVOLVING RUGBY OR CRICKET IS NEVER A BAD THING!
WHAT WAS THE MOST FRIGHTENING EXPERIENCE WHEN YOU CHANGED ROLE FROM A STUDENT TO A JUNIOR LECTURER?
I WOULDN’T SAY “FRIGHTENING” BUT CERTAINLY NOT QUITE AS EXPECTED, WAS THE WORK-LOAD. THERE IS A LOT OF WORK THAT GOES ON BEHIND THE SCENES THAT TAKES A LOT OF TIME. GENERALLY IT WAS MORE EXCITING TO SEE A NEW SIDE OF ACADEMIA AND THE CHANCE TO EXPERIENCE SOMETHING SIMILAR, BUT STILL DIFFERENT.

SOMETHING WE DON’T KNOW ABOUT YOU?
IF I WERE TO SAY THAT, IT WOULD DEFEAT THE POINT OF NO-ONE KNOWING IT!

THE ULTIMATE HOLIDAY EXPERIENCE
OFF THE COAST OF TANZANIA IS A LITTLE ISLAND PEMBA. IT IS A VERY SMALL, FRIENDLY COUNTRY AND THE DIVING IS FANTASTIC, SO A CHANCE TO RETURN THERE CERTAINLY WOULDN’T GO AMISS!

Drama Club
The Emirates Academy is hosting a bi-monthly drama club where students can do some fun improvisational activities and have an outlet from their day-to-day routine. We recommend you come along to try the club out even if you’re a bit shy.

Shake ‘n’ Bake
On Saturday 16th April 2011 the Student Council organized the first Shake ‘n’ Bake by the campus pool and recreation room. The event included water volleyball, lemonade and cake sale, shawarma, music and a ping pong competition. It was a great success and the second Shake ‘n’ Bake is set to kick off in the new tri-semester. For those that missed out, check out the photos on Facebook and make sure you don’t miss the next one.

Well done to all those that participated in the ping pong competition and a big thanks to Kit Belen for his usual support and meditation.

1st Place: Abdul Rahman Rashwan Luciano’s
2nd Place: Emad Nouri Underground Pub
3rd Place: Najlaa Ghannban Al Dhaya

FABM 202 Project

Congratulations to the Paddy Hat team for getting the “Carrot Award” for the video and winning the FABM 202 project. And let’s not forget the Cariba team, who put up a brilliant show and display and represented the Academy at the Cornell Alumni Dinner on the 30th May, which has received excellent feedback.

Soray Maltoli: “An amazing experience which gave an opportunity to develop my skills to work in a team.”

Callum Bird: “Mojito making, mock-tail shaking, food cooking and always good looking, Fabulous Cariba team.”