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STATE Magazine Spotlight

Beyond the Familiar: Students expand their horizons, find fulfilling majors, careers

Everyone knows about some academic majors, popular programs such as Nursing and Elementary Education.

Other majors, though, tend to be off-the-radar — at least until a passionate professor talks it up to an



introductory-level class or a student's friend suggests it or a parent learns about the high placement rate into jobs.

It's a familiar story to several ISU instructors and professors.

Take it from Brian James, whose desk is made entirely out of corrugated cardboard. He runs the Package Engineering Technology program.

Or Dr. Kuntal Bhattacharyya, known as "Dr. B," who turns students into Operations and Supply Chain Management majors with his passion for teaching the subject.

Or Dr. Jin Park, who said he's used to explaining that Insurance and Risk Management is a world of opportunities beyond selling insurance.

"It's really hard to break their perception that insurance equals sales," Park said. "One of the myths is that an insurance career is boring, either sales or working at a desk and typing numbers.

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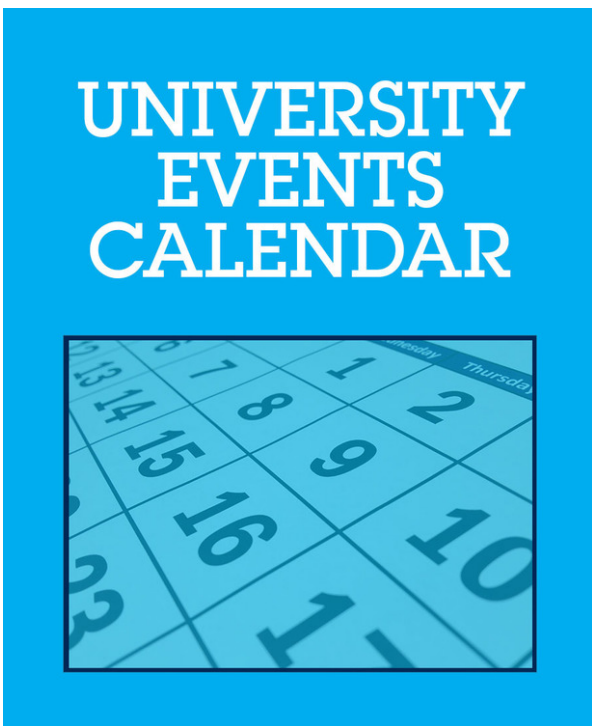
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