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SIAS students connect with employers

91 employers attend SIAS Palliser career fair

February 2, 2010 – SIAS Palliser Campus is hosting its 30th annual career fair in Moose Jaw today. Students from business, engineering technology, industrial, technology, and community services programs will have the opportunity to explore employment options with recruiting companies.

The career fair was organized by the SIAS Palliser Campus Student Employment Services (SES) office. A SES office at each of SIAS's four campuses provides career information, job search and recruitment services to students and employers.

"Our career fair is an initiative that benefits everyone," says Holli Bell, employment services coordinator, SIAS Palliser Campus. "It provides another way for business and industry to connect with their future workforce."

While more than 1,000 SIAS students at SIAS Palliser Campus are expected to explore their employment options at the career fair, many students won't complete their training until April and May of this year.

SIAS is Saskatchewan's primary public institution for post-secondary technical education and skills training, recognized nationally and internationally for its expertise and innovation. More than 14,000 students were enrolled in SIAS programs in the most recent academic year; additionally, the organization drew almost 30,000 individual course registrations. Through program and course registrations, SIAS served almost 26,000 distinct students with programs that touch every sector of the economy. SIAS operates campuses in Moose Jaw, Prince Albert, Regina and Saskatoon, and provides a number of courses and programs through distance education.

Media are welcome to attend:

Event: SIAST Palliser Campus Career Fair
Date: Tuesday, February 2, 2010
Time: 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.
Place: SIAST Palliser Campus, gym, Macoun Lounge & cafeteria foyer

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