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WELCOME

As part of the Distinguished Speaker Series, the College of Business and Technology invites prominent leaders to our campus to discuss current topics and issues related to their expertise. The guest speaker has an opportunity to interact with students, faculty and other interested participants during a public address, roundtable discussion and luncheon.

We are pleased to have the Richmond Chamber of Commerce and Richmond Rotary Club join with us in providing this enrichment opportunity.

We are honored to have Steve Hardy, an Eastern alumnus, as this year's Distinguished Speaker. Mr. Hardy is a human resources and risk management leader with significant experience in the professional services and financial services industries. His areas of expertise include organizational development, leadership and succession planning, and human resources operations and metrics.

We welcome Mr. Hardy to campus and cordially invite all interested persons to attend the public address.

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Steven C. Hardy
Area Human Resources Director
for the Southwest, KPMG
Dallas, Texas

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MR. STEVEN C. HARDY

Distinguished Speaker
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EKU alumnus Steve Hardy is the Area Human Resources director for the Southwest for the international accounting firm of KPMG in Dallas, Texas. In this capacity, he leads the regional human resources team in delivering all strategic, consultative and tactical human resources services to over 3,000 professionals.

After receiving his B.B.A. in Accounting from ECU in 1989, Hardy began his career in the Risk Management function at JPMorgan Chase (formerly Bank One Corporation). While at Bank One, he delivered internal audit and regulatory compliance solutions to the Retail Banking, Transaction & Enterprise Services, and Human Resources divisions for the Kentucky and West Virginia region. Hardy was transferred to the Columbus, Ohio, corporate headquarters in 1995 where he specialized in risk management solutions for the Corporate Cash Management division.

Leaving the risk management arena in 1998 to focus on human resources, he joined Arthur Andersen as Human Resources Manager for the Business Consulting practice. Responsibilities included delivery of a full range of services to a diverse population of technology consulting professionals across the midwest. As Interim Director of Campus Recruiting, he successfully led their regional team in delivering a plan of 285 high quality new hires for the practice.

Deloitte & Touche tapped Hardy to join their Atlanta operation in 2002 where he held a number of human resource leadership roles supporting the tax, human capital, and shared services functions. In his last role at Deloitte, he led the national HR Project Management Office and was responsible for the off-shoring of HR operations, compliance, and reporting services to Deloitte's HR Support Center in India. Over a two-year period, his team established and grew the HR Support Center from seven original employees supporting only two HR processes to a team of 180 professionals supporting 55 key human resource processes in the U.S.

Over the years, Hardy has been involved in several community service groups, including the Salvation Army, Big Brothers/Big Sisters of the Bluegrass, Habitat for Humanity, Music For All, Canine Assistants, and Young Audiences for the Arts. He and his wife, Tracie (and their 10 year-old golden retriever, Winston), currently reside in Dallas, Texas.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Thursday, October 16, 2008

- 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. BREAKFAST ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION with Mr. Hardy for Faculty and Staff
Faculty Lounge, Keen Johnson Building
EKU Campus, Richmond, Kentucky
- 9:30 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. PUBLIC ADDRESS by Mr. Hardy, Area Human Resources Director for the Southwest, KPMG, Dallas, Texas
Business & Technology Center Auditorium
EKU Campus, Richmond, Kentucky
- 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. LUNCHEON with Mr. Hardy for Business Community and University Administration
Arlington House
Richmond, Kentucky

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