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Joshua Yindenaba Abor has been Appointed Dean of UGBS

Joshua Abor, Professor of Finance and former Vice-Dean at the University of Ghana Business School became the new dean of UGBS, on August 1, succeeding Professor Kwame Domfeh whose term as dean ended on July 31. [Read more.](#)



GNAM Executive Education Meeting in Berlin

On [December 8 and 9](#) members of GNAM schools' executive education teams will be hosted by ESMT in Berlin for the first GNAM Executive Education meeting at which participants will have the opportunity to meet, discuss trends in the sector and identify ways that GNAM schools might collaborate in this space.



Sixth Biannual GNAM Deans and Directors Meeting in Dublin

On [November 24 and 25](#) deans and directors from Global Network schools will convene at UCD Smurfit in Dublin to review current programs and discuss future initiatives for the Global Network for Advanced Management.



Third Annual Integrated Leadership Case Competition at Yale SOM

Students from GNAM schools are invited to compete in the third annual [Integrated Leadership Case Competition](#) at Yale

SOM. The competition aims to convene the best students from participating universities to develop creative solutions for business challenges that require the integration of multiple disciplines. Register [here](#).



Students Connect for Africa Business Practicum

Dayo Olopade, an MBA student at Yale SOM, blogged about her experience at the school's first-ever Africa Business Practicum. The November 1 event connected **Yale SOM** students with their peers at **Lagos Business School** and the **University of Cape Town Graduate School of Business** to discuss mobile payment regulations in five sub-Saharan countries.



A Journey Begun with the Natural Capital Online Course

Victor Padilla-Taylor, a Yale Master of Advanced Management candidate, blogs about his experience with the Natural Capital Global Network course.



Smurfit Dean Discusses Global Network Courses with UK's Independent

In an article published in the UK's *Independent* on November 14, Dean Ciarán Ó hÓgartaigh of University College Dublin's Smurfit Graduate Business School discusses a range of issues, including the state of online education. One advantage of the Global Network's small network online course (SNOC) model, he notes, is that it allows students to take advantage of faculty expertise throughout the network.



GNAM China Survey Results Shared at Yale Center Beijing Opening Conference

Approximately 150 individuals from 18 Global Network member schools participated in a survey on the future of China. Survey results were discussed in panel presentations during the Opening Conference for the [Yale Center Beijing](#).



For video of the survey results compared to audience results see "[Managing Capital in and for China](#)" from 9:30 to 16:50 and "[China: Where Planetary Boundaries Meet Unprecedented Economic Growth](#)" from 10:06 to 15:00.

Global Network Week at Renmin: Student Voices

Five students talk about their experiences at Renmin School of Business's October 2014 Global Network Week, titled "Managing Relationships in China: a State-Owned Enterprise Perspective."



Luck of the Irish: Global Network Week at UCD Smurfit

Vibin Roy wrote about his experience at the Michael Smurfit Graduate School of Business at University College Dublin's October 2014 Global Network Week, titled "Executive Decision Making."



How was your Global Network Week? Yale SOM students talk about their Global Network Week experiences.



[More Student Voices about Global Network Week on Tumblr](#)

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