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Hi FINSOC,

Another week of uni has passed and hopefully you're all staying on top of the ever increasing uni workload. To help you cope with all that stress, we have some wonderful reads for you here and a variety of events in the following weeks to ensure that you're able to create your own path to success.

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## Recap of the FINSOC Events

### Week 2 Meet and Greet BBQ

Thanks to everyone who came to our Week 2 Meet and Greet BBQ event! It was great to see some familiar and new faces! We hope you enjoyed the BBQ and had a great time catching up with the FINSOC family.



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### Week 3 Financial Planning Insight Evening

We also held our Financial Planning Insight Evening, which we conducted in partnership with Financial Planning of Australia FPA and GradMentor. We had Jessica Brady (Macquarie Group) and Erin Coyle (UNSW Graduate, Dixon Advisory Advisor) come in to give us a snapshot of the career path in Financial Planning they each took once they graduated. A lot of us found this easily relatable as many of us will be graduating soon! The speakers also shared their experiences of engaging and building trust with their clients. In addition, helpful tips on the upcoming FPSG Case Competition were given! So if you missed out on this event, make sure you attend our other upcoming ones!



## Upcoming Events

### FPSG Financial Planning Case Competition Presentations (First Round)



Have you ever considered working in the Financial Planning or Wealth Management industry? Or perhaps you've wondered about how it works and applies to real cases in the real world?

UNSW FINSOC is holding the first round of the FPSG Inter-University Case Competition Presentation on Tuesday April 5th for the best 4 teams from UNSW. Come along and watch your fellow peers compete against each other to solve financial challenges by preparing comprehensive financial plans and strategies! In this first round, each team will have 10 minutes to present, followed by a 5 minute Q&A from our guests.

This event is a fantastic opportunity for all students (observers and participants) to learn about Financial Planning, network with our sponsors and gain valuable industry exposure.

A sneak peak into our judges: **Jessica Brady (Macquarie Group)**

Light refreshments will be provided. We encourage all students to come along and observe UNSW's students go head to head in this exciting financial planning event. Hope to see you all there!

Date: **Tuesday 5th April**

Time: **6-8pm**

Location: **TBA**

Dress Code: Smart Casual

Cost: **Free!**

[Case Competition Event Page](#)

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### **Trending Article - Investment Banking**

The industry outlook for the early stages of 2016 has focused around large anticipated job cuts and streamlining to reduce cost structures at many top investment banks, including UBS, RBS, Barclays and Citigroup. JP Morgan's predictions for 2016 trends sheds some interesting light on these trends, with growth in fixed income currencies and commodities quite tight. However, there are still ample growth opportunities in equities and fixed income securities at

large investment banks worldwide and it will be crucial to keep an eye on market sentiment and global uncertainty regarding credit security in the coming months.

### **J.P. Morgan's predictions for investment banking revenues and jobs in 2016 and beyond**

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## **Trending Article - Financial Planning**

For those who are unsure about their career path, check out how financial planning can be an exciting career for you by listening to some industry insight provided by Jeff Ross. Check out this article to find out!

### **So You Want My Job? - Financial Planning**



So from all of us here at Finsoc, we wish you luck for the upcoming semester and we hope to see you around campus, participating in our competitions, networking with our industry connections and enjoying the free food and drinks at one of our many social events!

Don't forget to follow our Facebook page [here](#) to stay up to date with everything Finsoc has to offer or to ask us any questions you may have.

Regards,  
The FINSOC Team

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