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Project Pawn speakers show the connection between the game of chess and life.



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Written by Tamar Razmadze

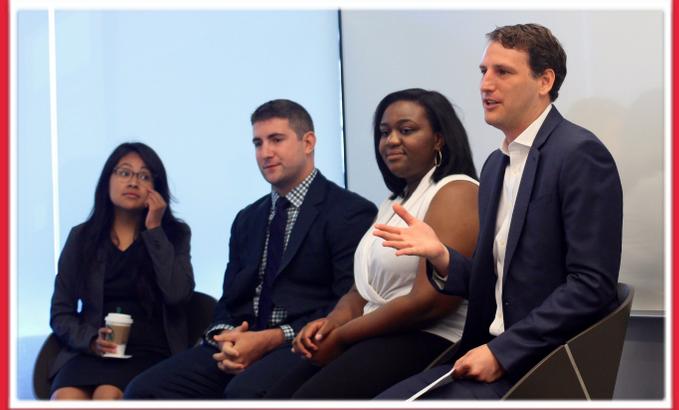
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On Monday, the SCIP team had the opportunity to visit J.P.Morgan Chase and take part in their Super-Day: a day filled with speakers from all different departments teaching the young leaders the ins and outs of the company. The day started off with insight from Andre Ramos on a career in Finance. Mr. Ramos gave tips to the young leaders that indubitably resonated with many of the rising high school seniors and undergraduate students. Following Andre, Cassandra Salcedo and Chris Muy stressed the importance of having a budget. The speakers taught the young leaders how to create a formal budget and why a budget would be vital to their future success; a tip that many of the young leaders took to heart and saw the importance of organizing their finances even now. Jessica Palacios, in human resources, taught the young leaders the importance of correct business etiquette. Implementing several funny memes, Ms. Palacios stressed the need for proper attire, correct mannerisms, prompt arrival, and follow ups for creating a successful career. Exercising these techniques now will aid the young leaders on their climbs to success in their respective fields. Ramon Rodriguez taught the young leaders tips and tricks to a successful resume and interview, which also had a profound impact on many of the young leaders. Matthew Heit discussed the importance of a true social media presence, and Aquil Stinson closed up the day with thoughtful advice about knowing your intrinsic values. The information-filled day was super exciting because the young leaders had the chance to gain an in-depth understanding of what makes J.P.Morgan so prosperous. And if that was not enough, the young leaders got a tour of the 50th floor, exposing them to breathtaking views and valuable J.P.Morgan artifacts. Overall, the day was a huge success, and the young leaders now know that by implementing the techniques they have learned at Super-Day, they are one step closer to becoming successful and employees in Fortune 500 companies. Thank you to Cassandra Salcedo for organizing the event, we cannot wait to meet with her again!

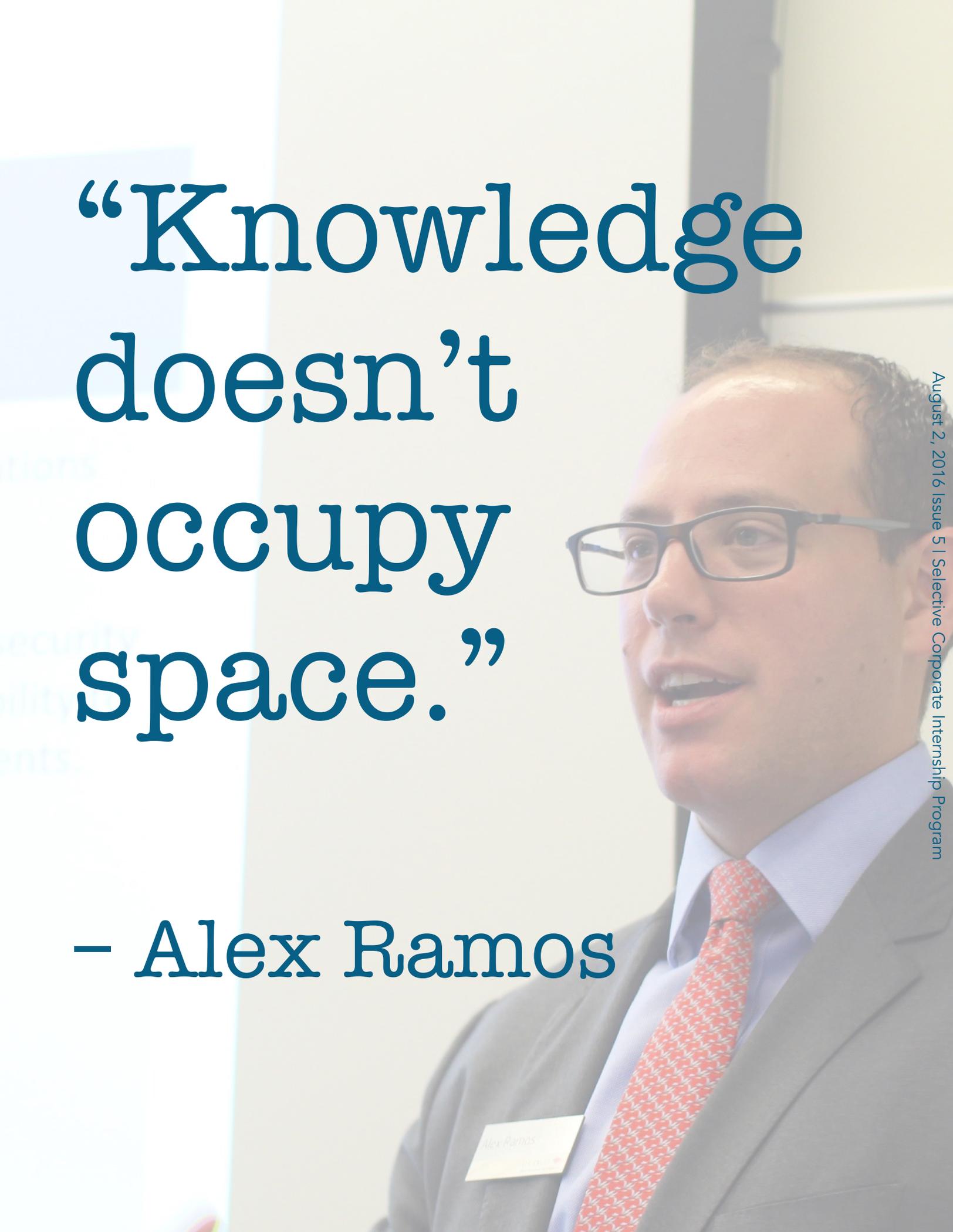
Bank of America Visits SCIP

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Bank of America visited the SCIP family this Tuesday, with Kasey Silva as the moderator. The conference, within the walls of the Imperial room at Microsoft, encompassed distinguished investment bankers, auditors, and operational officers - the esteemed individuals shared their work experiences, life stories, and their day-to-day obstacles. Ms. Silva, an ambitious woman who recently entered the banking workforce, explained the process of becoming qualified for a banking position. Unafraid to admit her flaws and setbacks, Ms. Silva told of her shy demeanor as a rising corporate professional. She explained the importance of knowing your weaknesses and having the confidence and courage to work around them. Alex Ramos kickstarted the panel discussion with an in-depth exposition of how the banking industry is structured; he captured the SCIP Leaders with a fascinating peek into his life as a multi-talented private client advisor. He emphasized the benefits of sharpening and developing skills that set individuals apart from their peers. Sandra Cruz, Nicholas Vardaro, and Shadekya Warren, Damian Cazachokoff participated in the panel discussion. They gave great insight to the interns. Argentina native Damian Cazachokoff followed with an inspiring personal confession about the transition between cultures and work environments. Damian Cazachokoff delivered an elevating testimony about how he succeed in the United States with a degree from a smaller international school. He told the young leaders that the only roadblock to success is yourself. We thank Bank of America for enriching the lives of SCIP's young leaders with their sincere message.

A man with glasses, wearing a grey suit, a light blue shirt, and a red patterned tie, is speaking. He has a name tag that reads "Alex Ramos". The background is a blurred office setting with a window.

“Knowledge
doesn’t
occupy
space.”

– Alex Ramos

The Game of Chess is Life

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On Thursday two exemplary chess instructors introduced their complex however beneficial game to the SCIP family. The instructors explained the rudimentary principles of chess such as the mobility of the pieces and what their functions are. Engrossed in the learning process young leaders frequently asked questions about how chess skills can be implemented in real life situations. Mr. Sulaiman and Mr. Johnson also presented the students with an interactive chess assignment where young leaders put their problem solving skills to the test.



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