

Where Are They Now?

Catching Up with A Former UNI Entrepreneurs President



Adam O'Leary

“Follow your dreams, do what feels right in your heart, and do not be afraid to take a leap of faith.”

- Adam O'Leary

Adam O'Leary, an economics major, was the President of UNI Entrepreneurs (student organization) during the 2009/10 and 2010/11 academic years. During his tenure as president, he doubled the membership of the organization, added service projects through the Students in Free Enterprise arm of the organization, and continued to explore entrepreneurial venture development for the group. He was part of the second place winning team in the Sam's Club national environmental sustainability challenge in 2011. He also competed in the Collegiate Entrepreneurs Organization's national elevator pitch competition. Upon graduation from UNI, he took a position with HNI International and he enjoys his international work especially “how small the world seems.” Within his first week at HNI International, he “heard a phrase from my boss and mentor, Marco Molinari, president, that I believe is valuable regardless of what industry or occupation you are in, “Move on projects fast enough to be dangerous, but slow enough to not be stupid.”