Sullivan had information sessions with the winner of the prestigious Med+Star has just learned that Dr. Tran is The leadership of exceptional businessmen This special Sullivan Univer- they have earned and turning them career; many realized that taking unre- one or more colleges and universities Career College Division is designed to recession-proof their career. Sullivan's need more marketable "hard skills." work; they are discovering that they downsized and are looking for their current and/or freshen new job skills at a local catalog more than 20 years is Alan's second management. This to GPS-based logistics control software for Aston/ Acme's Caribbean, he returned to Louisville and took the reins as the AST/Acme's Manager of Information Systems. AST/Acme is a high tech conglomerate that provides products and services rang- ing from advanced military coatings to GPS-based logistics management. This is Alan's second career. He spent more than 20 years at a local catalog company as their Director of Photo- Enrolling in Sullivan's IT Academy quickly gave him the skills he needed to change careers. When the need for more staff occurred, Alan turned to Sullivan to find an employee. It was best option for getting them where they want to go in the shortest amount of time. If you are a current student or have already started the Admissions process to the University, share the award-winning Herald with someone who may be considering college and see if Sullivan University is the right school for them. You may be eligible for a SSD certificate (Students Encouraging Educational Development). This certificate is a gift to the bookstore where you can spend up to $25 on anything you want, and you can earn up to four of these a year! Sullivan’s IT grads are in high demand! Even in a down market, Sullivan University IT Academy grads are always in demand. Two years ago, after com- pleting his Microsoft Network Engineer program, Alan Jett went to work for a local IT consulting company. After taking a long vacation cruising the Caribbean, he returned to Louisville and took the reins as the AST/Acme’s Manager of Information Systems. AST/Acme is a high tech conglomerate that provides products and services ranging from advanced military coatings to GPS-based logistics management. This is Alan’s second career. He spent more than 20 years at a local catalog company as their Director of Photography. Enrolling in Sullivan’s IT Academy quickly gave him the skills he needed to change careers. When the need for more staff occurred, Alan turned to Sullivan to find an employee. It was by chance that one of Alan’s former Sullivan classmates had just finished a consulting engagement at Papa John’s International. Jamison was a part-time bartender when she started the IT Academy program at Sullivan. Jamison graduated with Alan and went on to fill a 2nd tier help desk position at GE. Given the opportunity to be a "hired gun," she went out on her own, working on several projects at local companies. When Alan called, Jamison was ready to rise to the challenge. In her role as Systems Engineer, Jamison has implemented both the help desk management software and network systemwide monitoring and control software for the entire AST/Acme family of companies. She manages the help desk, and also implements new hardware and systems as they arrive. In today’s questionable economy, Sullivan University’s IT Academy is the best answer! Sullivan’s MBA program largest in Louisville A just-released survey in Business First newspaper shows that the Master’s in Business Administration (MBA) degree program at Sullivan University in Louisville is the largest in the Louisville area with 323 students. Second was the University of Louisville with 281. Third in size was Indiana University-Southeast with 253. And fourth was Bellarmine University with 230. The Herald congratulates Dr. Eric Harter, Graduate School Dean and his graduate school faculty for leading this growing part of Sullivan University.

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