

# RTIP NEWS

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## **Technology and Racing: InCompass Discusses Interactive Racing Programs and Seeks Student Advice**

George Duprey, sales manager for InCompass, met with RTIP students in the Joe Hirsch Speaker Forum, following his presentation in the *Organization & Administration of the Racing Department* class.

Students in the class were able to see an advanced format of a project they are currently working on: a matrix of a 30-day race meet. Duprey reached out to those students, encouraging them to submit any ideas of how InCompass can further improve Race Track Operations (RTO), a program that enables racetracks to use the internet to input data into the interactive RTO system. Based on results from their individual matrices, students will get a better understanding of organizing data that compiles race track necessities such as a condition book, an item that InCompass often compiles.

Duprey also introduced students to the Equine Injury Database as well as the Jockey Health Information System. Both programs are designed to increase safety standards for horses and humans at North American race tracks.

The University of Arizona's Race Track Industry Program offers both a Bachelors and Masters degree program with an emphasis on the pari-mutuel racing industry and hosts the annual Symposium on Racing & Gaming held every December in Tucson, Arizona.

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