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José Luis Bobes, IXP-3 ('98), joined Chicago GSB as director of the Executive M.B.A. Program Europe. Bobes, a native of Spain, returns to his homeland after spending seven years abroad. Bobes has worked for Honeywell throughout his career, primarily in marketing. Prior to his appointment, he spent 16 months working for the firm in Minneapolis. Fluent in four languages, Bobes has worked in Spain, Germany, eastern Europe, and the United States.

"Given this background, José Luis was the ideal candidate for the Barcelona position," said Bill Kooser, '81, associate dean for executive M.B.A. programs. "We are very excited to have him on board with us and look forward to continued success in the Executive M.B.A. Program Europe with him at the helm."—A.D.

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José Luis Bobes

**Siebel Funds Scholarships**

Chicago GSB received a \$2.6 million gift this spring as part of a new program sponsored by Siebel Systems Inc., a supplier of e-business application software. The Siebel Scholars Program will provide five \$25,000 scholarships to the top five academic achievers in the GSB's campus program after their first year of study.

Five other business schools will participate in the Siebel Scholars Program: Harvard, MIT, Northwestern, Stanford, and Wharton. An annual conference that will include past and present scholarship recipients will rotate between the six schools.

GSB alumnus Howard Graham, '73, is chief financial officer of Siebel.—M.M.B.

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