Film: Alive Inside
Monday, April 4, 1 - 4 p.m. in Roscoe Brown Student Center [BC], Room 211

April is CUNY Disability Awareness Month! Join us for a screening of the award-winning film Alive Inside, the 2014 American documentary directed and produced by Michael Rossato-Bennett. This stirring film follows social worker Dan Cohen, founder of the nonprofit organization Music & Memory, as he fights against a broken healthcare system to demonstrate music’s ability to combat memory loss and restore a deep sense of self to those suffering from it. Rossato-Bennett visits family members who have witnessed the miraculous effects of personalized music on their loved ones and offers illuminating interviews with experts, including renowned neurologist and best-selling author Oliver Sacks (Musicophilia: Tales of Music and the Brain) and musician Bobby McFerrin (Don’t Worry, Be Happy). The screening is followed by a Skype session with Dan Cohen. Light lunch will be served. For information, call 718.289.5100, Ext. 5874.

Radiologic Technology Info Session
Tuesday, April 5, 4:30 - 5:30 p.m. in Begrish Hall [BH], Room 228

The Department of Nursing and Allied Health Sciences invites you to an information session. Come and learn about the requirements for admission to the Radiologic Technology Program. For information, call 718.289.5400.

Poet’s Cafe and Workshop
Thursday, April 7, 12 - 3:30 p.m., in Sage Hall [SA], Room 100

April is National Poetry Month and the Writing Center will celebrate with several poetry events. This week’s event features guest poet Joseph Ubles, Education Director and co-founder of the Power Writers Program, which “fosters literate, ethical and critically conscious young men and women who will be fully prepared to participate in our society.” Ubles has been a poet and writer for over thirty years and has served as writer-in-residence at both Cell Block Theatre and the National Black Theatre. He is the poetry and music editor for Black Creations magazine. His poetry and jazz criticism has appeared in many journals and publications. A poetry workshop will follow, from 2 - 3:30 p.m. For more information, please visit the Writing Center in Sage Hall [SA], Room 100, or call 718.289.5279.

Faculty Lecture Series
Thursday, April 7, 2 - 3:30 p.m., in North Hall and Library [NL], Room 314

The English Department cordially invites you to attend “GRITO: A Performance of Creative Writing”, an afternoon of politics-inflected poetry and performance by Dr. Grisel Y. Acosta and Professor Vincent T. Toro. The two writers and educators highlight the alienating effects of purposeful stratification and segregation of peoples, especially in terms of media imagery and the structure of our educational system, which often promotes White supremacy because it neglects to spotlight the societal contributions of people of color. For more information, please contact sharmila.mukherjee@bcc.cuny.edu.

Documentary: College, Inc.
Thursday, April 7, 12 – 2 p.m., Colston Hall [CO], Room 203

This film details the aggressive marketing of for-profit colleges, their enrollment practices and how the debt load for students at for-profit schools is often more than twice that of those at traditional schools. OCD credit is available for this event.

TIAA-CREF Financial Counseling
Friday, April 8, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m., in South Hall [SH], Room 112B

Let TIAA-CREF help you make financial decisions that are right for you. To schedule an appointment with representative Clement Akintomide, please contact the Field Support Team at 800.732.8353 or 866.843.5640, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., or visit www.tiaa-cref.org.

Second Saturdays @ BCC
Saturday, April 9, 2016 and every second Saturday during the semester, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

The following student support services will be available: Admissions; Career, Transfer and Job Placement Services; Financial Aid; Health Services/Student Wellness; Registrar; Student Life; and the Technology Service Center. Evening and Weekend students can learn how to apply for college, get help finding a job and/or transferring to another college, receive assistance with financing their education and much more! In addition, the following areas are open every Saturday when classes are in session: Academic Success Center, Learning Commons, Library, Math Center, Academic Computer Labs, Writing Center and the Evening and Weekend Office.
Day of Stress Reduction
Friday, April 22, 8:30 - 4 p.m., at Maryknoll in Ossining, NY.
Reservations Deadline: Monday, April 4 at 12 p.m.
The Office of Campus Ministry is sponsoring a Day of Stress Reduction, where you can unwind and relax with friends or by yourself! We will leave for Maryknoll’s 55 acres at 8:30 a.m. from Brown Center (BC) cafeteria. Transportation can be arranged. Come and enjoy a hot lunch and de-stress! The donation is $15 for faculty and staff and $5 for students. For reservations, please contact Reverend Sheehan by email at james.sheehan@bcc.cuny.edu, or call 718.289.5954.

Student Scholarships
Submission deadline is Friday, April 8, 2016.
The BCC Unity and Strength Black Faculty and Staff Association is pleased to offer an opportunity to apply for either the Byron Taylor or Gloria Hobbs Scholarships ($250 each) in honor of former Black faculty and staff who played an integral part in the success of BCC students. To be eligible, students must: be a August 2015, January 2016 or June 2016 graduate (marching in the 2016 Commencement); be of African descent; have a GPA of 3.0 or higher; write a 750-1000 word essay describing financial need, academic goals and participation in College activities and submit a copy of their most current transcript and a letter of reference from a faculty member. Please bring applications and supporting documents to Francisco Green in Loew Hall [LO], Room 201. For more information, email ted.ingram@bcc.cuny.edu or theresa.hammonds@bcc.cuny.edu.

The BCC Association of Latino Faculty and Staff will award their annual scholarship of $250 to a graduating student who meets the following criteria: has a GPA of 3.2 or higher; is an August 2015, January 2016 or June 2016 graduate (marching in the 2016 Commencement); is of Hispanic descent; a US citizen or permanent resident; a 500+ word essay outlining their future career goals and contributions made to the College or community; a letter of recommendation from a BCC faculty or staff member. Please bring applications and supporting documents to Francisco Green in Loew Hall [LO], Room 201. For more information, email nelson.reynoso@bcc.cuny.edu.

Quote of the Week
“Do not ask the Lord to guide your footsteps, if you are not willing to move your feet.” Anonymous

This Week@BCC
MONDAY, APRIL 4, 2016
1- Free and Confidential HIV and STI Testing (Same Day Results)
   12 - 3 p.m., Health Services Office, LO 101
2- BCC Men’s Baseball Team vs Monroe College
   3:30 - 5:30 p.m., Home Game @ Ohio Field

TUESDAY, APRIL 5, 2016
1- CTJPS Workshop: Internships - Experience Before Graduation
   10 - 11:30 a.m., LO 313
2- Curriculum Committee Meeting (Tentative)
   2 - 4 p.m., ME 228
3- Committee on Instruction and Professional Development (CIPD)
   4 - 6 p.m., LH PCR
4- BCC Men’s Baseball Team vs Kingsborough CC
   4 - 6 p.m., Away Game @ Kingsborough CC
5- BCC | HPEW Quit Smoking Session
   8 - 9 p.m., LO 321

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, 2016
1- Free and Confidential HIV Testing (Same Day Results)
   10 a.m. - 4 p.m., Health Services Office, LO 101
2- CTJPS Workshop: Information Interview - Explore Your Career
   3 - 5 p.m., LO 313
3- OPC Workshop: Stigma and Stereotypes
   12:15 - 1:45 p.m., BC 211 (Refreshments Served)
4- BCC | HPEW Quit Smoking Session
   12:30 - 1:30 p.m., LO 321
5- C.O.P.E. Workshop: Communication Ethics & Misconceptions
   1 - 2 p.m., LO 200
6- Free and Confidential HIV and STI Testing (Same Day Results)
   4 - 6 p.m., Health Services Office, LO 101

THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 2016
1- C.O.P.E. Workshop: Developing Brand You
   12 - 1 p.m., LO 200
2- CTJPS Workshop: Information Interview - Explore Your Career
   12 - 1:30 p.m., LO 313
3- OPC Workshop: Stigma and Stereotypes
   12:15 - 1:45 p.m., BC 211 (Refreshments Served)
4- BCC | HPEW Quit Smoking Session
   12:30 - 1:30 p.m., LO 321
5- C.O.P.E. Workshop: Communication Ethics & Misconceptions
   1 - 2 p.m., LO 200
6- Free and Confidential HIV and STI Testing (Same Day Results)
   4 - 6 p.m., Health Services Office, LO 101

FRIDAY, APRIL 8, 2016
1- BCC Men’s Baseball Team vs Kingsborough CC
   4 - 6 p.m., Away Game @ Kingsborough CC

SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 2016
1- BCC Men’s Baseball Team vs Kingsborough CC
   12 - 4:30 p.m., Home Game @ Ohio Field (Double Header)