Digital Arts Alumni Art Exhibition
Now Through Thursday, November 30, in Bliss Hall [BL], Hall of Fame Art Gallery

Come celebrate and support the amazing talent and creativity of our Digital Arts alumni! The works featured include oil and acrylic paintings, watercolors, ceramics, digital illustration prints and sculpture, all created by BCC graduates. An artists’ reception will be held in the gallery on Thursday, November 16 from 12 to 3 p.m.

The Hall of Fame Art Gallery is open Monday and Friday, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m., Tuesday, 3 – 4 p.m., Wednesday, 12 – 3 p.m. and Thursday, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

“Star Wars VII - The Force Awakens”
Thursday, November 16, 12 - 2 p.m. and 6 - 8 p.m., in Roscoe Brown Student Center [BC], Playhouse *

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* FREE TURKEY RAFFLE at 12:45 p.m.

Just in time for Thanksgiving, 100 lucky BCC students will go home with a turkey donated by our partners at the Municipal Credit Union (MUC). A free raffle ticket will be distributed to each student starting at noon. Raffle numbers will be called starting at 12:45 p.m. YOU MUST BE THERE TO WIN.

3rd Annual STEM Fair
Thursday, November 16, 11 a.m - 3 p.m., in Meister Hall [ME], Lobby

This year BCC will be highlighting STEM throughout the month of November. Please join us for our 3rd annual STEM Fair! Our aim is to create interest in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math education and STEM careers, foster school-community cooperation in developing the scientific potential and communication skills of tomorrow’s leaders and publicly recognize the achievements of our talented science students. See you there!

Puerto Rican Heritage Celebration
Thursday, November 16, 5:30 p.m., in Colston Hall [CO], Lower Level. Program begins at 6:45.

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Library Workshop
Thursday, November 16, 12 - 1 p.m., in North Hall and Library [NL], Room 210

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Safe Space Training
Thursday, November 16, 12. - 3 p.m., in Roscoe Brown Student Center [BC], Room 211

Staff, faculty and students are all invited to the annual LGBTQIA Safe Space Training. Participants will learn about current issues effecting the LGBTQIA population and about resources designed to assist LGBTQIA students. Upon completion of this program, you will be designated as an ally and we provide you with an updated manual and identification on your office door. Lunch will be served. Please RSVP by email to donna.paroff-sherman@bcc.cuny.edu or edwin.roman@bcc.cuny.edu.
Office of Personal Counseling Workshop
Thursday, November 16, 12 – 2 p.m., in Roscoe Brown Student Center [BC], Room 310

Please join us for “Supporting Children with Learning Disabilities at School and at Home.” This workshop is geared towards student-parents, students who are caregivers for children or students who are pursuing careers in which they will be working with children – psychology, human services, education, nursing, allied health, etc. Peer educators will review common learning disabilities and other disabilities diagnosed during childhood, provide information about navigating the Special Education system and explore ideas and strategies to address the relational and emotional impact of having a child with a disability.

Grant Opportunity for BCC Students
The Education Fund will provide grants to talented women, age 35 and older with strong academic records, who have overcome extreme adversity and returned to college to complete their degrees. Qualified students are invited to apply for the 2018 Education Fund grants. Unlike financial aid or scholarships, the $10,000 award goes directly to the recipient for whatever needs loom largest for her, whether tuition, child care, medical bills, elder care, transportation, housing, or any other priority. Financial need is just one selection factor. Applicants must also be New York City residents attending colleges in the city at least part-time after June 2018 and must have a minimum of nine credits remaining to complete their first associate or bachelors degree. Applications must be completed electronically and submitted by Friday, December 1, 2017 to www.womensforumny.org.

THIS WEEK@BCC

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2017
1- Senate Executive Meeting
   2:15 - 3:30 p.m., LH PCR

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2017
1- Executive Council Meeting
   9:30 - 11:30 a.m., LH PCR
2- Curriculum Committee Meeting (Tentative)
   2 - 4 p.m., ME 228
3- BCC Women’s Basketball vs Hostos College
   6 - 8 p.m., @ Home in AG
4- BCC Men’s Basketball vs Hostos College
   8 - 10 p.m., @ Home in AG

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2017
1- College P&B Meeting
   9:30 a.m - 2:30 p.m., LH PCR

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2017
1- Senate Meeting
   12 - 2 p.m., NI 104
2- HIV and STI Testing - Free and Confidential
   12 - 6 p.m., LO 101
3- HPER Quit Smoking Program
   12:30 - 1:30 p.m., LO 321

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2017
1- Last Day to Apply for Graduation, January 2018 Candidates
   Submit Application Online via CUNYfirst

Quote of the Week
“Death is the same for the weak and for the strong, for the poor and for the rich” – José Luis Alberto Muñoz Marín (1898 – 1980) First Governor of Puerto Rico, Journalist, Politician and Statesman; Regarded as the “Father of Modern Puerto Rico.”