CUNY Month Free Concert
Monday, November 28, 12 - 2 p.m., in Gould Memorial Library [GM] Rotunda

Please join us for a wonderful classical music concert! BCC faculty member Michael Rose, a composer and pianist, will perform with violinist Stanichka “Stani” Dimitrova, featuring an all 20th century program including works by Shostakovich, Schoenberg, Lutoslawski and Janacek. Rose has performed in solo recitals, with chamber groups and as a vocal accompanist at Carnegie's Weill Hall, Steinway Hall, Trinity Church, Queens College, Bard College, Bargemusic, Merkin Hall and many others. Dimitrova is the founder and artistic director of PhiloSonia chamber music series, designed to create a personal connection between audience members and classical music.

CTLT Faculty Workshop

The Center for Teaching, Learning and Technology is offering faculty workshops in the Center for Teaching Excellence, Philosophy Hall [PH], Room B02. This week’s workshop is:

Blackboard Inline Grading
Wednesday, November 30, 1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

To attend a workshop, please register online at https://www.bcc.cuny.edu/InstructionalTechnology/workshops/. Blackboard workshop participants must have working CUNY Portal accounts.

CUNY Month Art Exhibit
Now through Wednesday, November 30, in Hall of Fame Art Gallery, Bliss Hall [BL]

In celebration of CUNY Month, don’t miss “Back to Basics,” an exhibition of works by artist Carlos Sampedro. A former BCC Digital Arts student, Sampedro will showcase a collection of works ranging from drawings to large-scale paintings. Sampedro draws upon the naturalism of Renaissance and Baroque art to depict traditional subjects, as well as pop culture imagery. The works on display include nudes, still lifes, religious subjects and portraits, all executed in a lively, realistic style.

The Hall of Fame Art Gallery is open Monday and Friday, 10am to 2pm; Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 12 to 4pm; and by appointment.

Faculty Lecture Series
Thursday, December 1, 2 - 3:30 p.m., in North Hall and Library [NL], Room 314

The English Department invites you to attend a lecture by Dr. Timothy Sedore on the American civil war monument. Dr. Sedore will discuss the distinct and provocative place of civil war monuments in American public rhetoric, including their efforts to rationalize and reconcile personal and political loss. For information, please contact Assistant Professor Sharmila Mukherjee at sharmila.mukherjee@bcc.cuny.edu.

Writing Center Contest
Entries Due Wednesday, December 7

The Writing Center in collaboration with The Spoken Word Club and Thesis presents “Raise Your Voices!” a writing contest. With everything that’s going on in our city, our nation and the world, there is much to speak out about and express how we feel. What issues, problems or conditions do you feel passionate about? Write an essay, a short story or a poem about something that you feel driven to speak out about: emotional, personal, social or political issues, love, hate, war, peace, the human race. This is a time to stand up and shout out your feelings! Submissions will be judged based on the quality, creativity and originality of the writing. Prizes include Barnes and Noble gifts, tablets, dinner certificates for two, gift baskets and more! First prize winners will be published in Thesis. Winners will be announced at The Poet’s Cafe on Thursday, December 8. For more information, visit The Writing Center in Sage Hall [SA], Room 100, or call 718.289.5279.

Poet’s Café
Thursday, December 8, 12 - 2 p.m., in Sage Hall [SA], Room 100.

The Writing Center presents Poet’s Café, featuring guest poet Aimee Herman! Come and enjoy poetry, music, and light refreshments. There will be an open mic, so bring your poetry! The winner of the writing contest will also be announced. For more information, please contact The Writing Center at 718.289.5279.
BCC Food Pantry is OPEN
In Loew Hall [LO], Room 120

The pantry will provide eligible BCC students with ready-to-eat meals to help them get through their busy days and food for their households. The pantry joins a constellation of support services Single Stop offers to help students with everything from tax preparation, housing, financial counseling, legal counseling, transportation and child care.

Save the Date
Sunday, December 11, 3 p.m., in Roscoe Brown Student Center [BC], Hall of Fame Playhouse

Join us as we proudly continue a campus holiday tradition, “Handel's Messiah”, featuring conductor Michael Spierman, soloists, the chorus of The Bronx Opera Company, Orchestra of the Bronx and narrators from the Bronx community! Tickets are $15 in advance and $20 at the door. CUNY students with valid ID and K-12 students will be admitted free. This performance is open to the general public.

CUNY Pipeline Program
If you are a CUNY undergraduate student and are interested in pursuing a Ph. D. in preparation for college-level teaching and advanced research, consider applying to the CUNY Pipeline Program for Careers in College Teaching and Research. This program is sponsored by The City University of New York and the Graduate Center. Over the past 25 years, it has provided educational and financial support to academically talented CUNY undergraduates from groups currently underrepresented in Ph. D. programs at our nation's universities. Benefits to participants include a stipend, participation in a Pipeline Summer Institute, monthly colloquia, reporting on their research projects at an annual CUNY Pathways Conference and mentoring. Please see detailed information about how to apply and eligibility requirements at http://www.diversiphd.com/. Applications are completed online and are accepted from late fall to early spring for the Pipeline Cohort that starts this summer. Deadline is January 15, 2017. You’ll be required to provide:

• two essays (topics can be found on website)
• CV or resumé
• Contact info for your faculty mentor
• Official college transcript
• At least two letters of recommendation (one from your faculty mentor)

This Week@BCC
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2016
1- Curriculum Committee Meeting
   2 - 4 p.m., ME 228
2- BCC Men’s Basketball vs Suffolk County CC
   7 - 9 p.m., @ Home in Alumni Gym

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2016
1- Theater Workshop Play
   7:30 - 9 p.m., BC Hall of Fame Playhouse

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2016
1- IOC Meeting
   12 - 2 p.m., BC 310
2- COPE Workshop - Stress Relief: Escape the Pressure
   12 - 2 p.m., BC 311A/B
3- Post-Election Panel Discussion: US Immigration Law and Policy
   2 - 4 p.m., NI 104
4- BCC Women’s Basketball vs LaGuardia CC
   5 - 7 p.m., Away Game in Long Island City, NY
5- BCC Men’s Basketball vs LaGuardia CC
   7 - 9 p.m., Away Game in Long Island City, NY
6- Theater Workshop Play
   7:30 - 9 p.m., BC Hall of Fame Playhouse

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2016
1- Student Government Association [SGA] Meeting
   2 - 4 p.m., BC 306
2- BCC Men’s Basketball vs Rowan College of Burlington
   7 - 9 p.m., Away Game in Sewell, NJ

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2016
1- BCC Men’s Basketball vs Rowan College of Gloucester
   Time TBA, Away Game in Sewell, NJ

Quote of the Week
“Happiness is when what you think, what you say and what you do are in harmony.”
Mohandas Gandhi (1869 – 1948), Pre-eminent Political and Ideological Leader of India