Student Scholarship

The Jack Kent Cooke Foundation Undergraduate Transfer Scholarship makes it possible for the nation’s top community college students to complete their bachelor’s degrees by transferring to a selective four-year college or university. The Foundation provides up to $40,000 per year to each of approximately 85 deserving students selected annually, making it the largest private scholarship for two-year and community college transfer students in the country. **The deadline for this scholarship is October 25th, so start your application now!** Visit the website at: http://www.jkcf.org/scholarship-programs/undergraduate-transfer/. For more information and assistance with the application, contact yvonne.erazo@bcc.cuny.edu

Library Workshops

The Library Department is offering workshops that will enhance student success in research for classwork. This week’s workshops will be held in North Hall and Library [NL], Room 210.

**Monday, September 19, 10 - 11 a.m.**
**Images and Media Resources for Research**
This short workshop will present an overview of the image and streaming media resources at your disposal.

**Wednesday, September 21, 3 – 4 p.m.**
**LearningExpress PrepStep**
Participants will receive a brief introduction to one of the best test preparation databases a college library can offer its students. Improve your academic skills, access math, reading, and writing tutorials, learn about in-demand careers and prepare for occupational exams.

Hispanic Heritage Month Film: La Lupe, Queen of Latin Soul

Thursday, September 22, 12 - 1:30 p.m., on Colston Hall [CO], Room 203

A rebel and innovator, pop singer Lupe Yoli, otherwise known as La Lupe or La Yiyiyi, was renowned for her emotional performance style. Her renditions of classics such as “My Way,” “Fever” and “Going Out of My Head” were famous worldwide. But the legendary Cuban-born star was also a single mother of two, a survivor of domestic abuse and a Santera who later became an evangelist Christian speaker. La Lupe passed away in 1992. In 2002, New York City renamed the Bronx’s East 140 Street La Lupe Way.

Register to Vote – It’s Easy!

Registration Deadline is Friday, October 14

CUNY has made it easy to register to vote in the November 8th general election, when voters will decide contests for President, Congress and all members of the New York State Legislature. By logging into your individual CUNYfirst account and clicking the “NYS Voter Registration Form,” you can generate the almost-completed voter registration form. Deadline for registration is Friday, October 14th.

COPE Program Workshop

Friday, September 23, 2 - 4 p.m., in North Hall and Library [NL], Room 117

Please join us for Creativity Through Dramatic Arts, an interactive workshop with “wacky” theater games and mini-skits, performed by the BCC Theater Workshop Club and the COPE Club.

Hispanic Heritage Month Art Exhibit

Now through October 15, in Colston Hall [CO], 5th Floor; North Hall and Library [NL], 2nd Floor; Meister Hall [ME], Lower Level

New York City visual artists Patricia Cazorla and Nancy Saleme will display their work across campus, complementing the college’s Hispanic Heritage Month theme, “The Art of the Latinidad.” Cazorla and Saleme (an aunt and niece duo) began working together in 2010, focusing on immigration issues—specifically undocumented farm workers in the US. They have been awarded with the NFA Artist/Ensemble Project Grant by NALAC (National Association of Latino Arts and Cultures.)

Save the Date: Day of Stress Reduction

Friday, October 28, 8:30 - 4 p.m., Location TBA

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 from Roscoe Brown Student Center [BC] cafeteria at 8:30 a.m. and return to campus by 4 p.m. 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.

The Office of Campus Ministry is open on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Loew Hall [LO], Room 422.
CTLT Faculty Workshops
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 workshops are:

Turnitin Blackboard Integration
Monday, September 19, 11 a.m. - 12 p.m. and 1:30 - 2:30 p.m.
Tuesday, September 20, 2 - 3 p.m.

Eight Things You Didn’t Know Blackboard Could Do
Tuesday, September 20, 12 - 1 p.m.

Blackboard Blogs, Journals and Wikis
Wednesday, September 21, 1 - 2 p.m.

Blackboard Grade Center
Thursday, September 22, 2 - 3 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.

BCC Women’s Volleyball Team vs FIT
Thursday, September 22, 7 p.m., @ Home in Alumni Gym [AG]

The Women’s Volleyball Team is motivated, prepared and ready to represent successfully the true values of college level sports competition. Come out and cheer them on! Bring your family, friends and neighbors and support your team! GO, BRONCOS!

Quote of the Week
“If you have an opportunity to make things better and you don’t, then you are wasting your time on earth.”
Roberto Enrique Clemente (1934 – 1972), Puerto Rican Professional Baseball Player

This Week@BCC
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2016
1- Executive Committee Meeting
2:15 - 3:30 p.m., LH PCR
2- Governance and Elections
4 - 5:30 p.m., CP 321

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2016
1- Curriculum Committee Meeting (Tentative)
2 - 4 p.m., ME 228
2- BCC Men’s Soccer vs Kingsborough CC
4 - 6 p.m., Away Game @ Kingsborough CC, Brooklyn NY

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2016
1- Vice Presidents/Deans/Chairpersons Meeting
10 a.m. - 12 p.m., LH PCR

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2016
1- Muslim Student Association Meeting
12 - 1:45 p.m., CO 615
2- College Senate Meeting
12 - 1:50 p.m., NI 104
3- Free and Confidential HIV and STI Testing
12 - 6 p.m., LO 101
4- BCC Seekers Christian Fellowship Club Meeting
12:15 - 1:40 p.m., BA 207
5- BCC Women’s Volleyball vs FIT
7 - 8:15 p.m., @ Home in Alumni Gym [AG]

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2016
1- Student Government Association (SGA) Meeting
2 - 4 p.m., BC 306

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2016
1- BCC Women’s Volleyball vs Orange CC
12 - 1:15 p.m., Away Game @ Orange CC, Middletown NY
2- BCC Women’s Volleyball vs Sullivan County CC
1:15 - 2:30 p.m., Away Game @ Orange CC, Middletown NY
3- BCC Men’s Soccer vs Dutchess CC
3 - 5 p.m., @ Away Game @ Dutchess CC, Poughkeepsie NY

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