Student Scholarships/Internships

The New York State Assembly Spring 2015 Internship Session offers college students a chance to participate in state government and the legislative process through a well-structured practical learning experience. The Assembly Intern Committee awards a $4,900 stipend (including a book allowance) and a full semester of academic credit to each session intern in the January 5 to May 13, 2015 internship. All majors are encouraged to apply. The deadline for submissions to this comprehensive academic internship program is Monday, October 27, 2014. Please visit the Office of Career and Transfer Services in Loew Hall [LO], Room 332, for additional information or help with your resume.

The Critical Language Scholarship (CLS) Program offers intensive summer language institutes in thirteen foreign languages. The Program is part of a U.S. government effort to expand dramatically the number of Americans studying and mastering critical need foreign languages. Participants are expected to continue their language study beyond the scholarship period and later apply their critical language skills in their future professional careers. Applicants must be U.S. citizens, have completed at least one year of general college course work and be 18 by the Program start date. Program costs – airfare, tuition, room and board, cultural program expenses, overseas health benefits and applicable visa fees – are fully covered for all participants. Meals are not provided by the Program. In addition, participants receive a small stipend to cover incidental expenses. Application deadline is Wednesday, November 12, 2014. Visit https://ais.americancouncils.org/cgi-bin/WebObjects/AIR.woa/wa/login?brand=cls to apply.

Safe Dating Workshop

Tuesday, October 28, 12 - 2 p.m., in Loew Hall [LO], Room 200

Dating should be fun. But it should also be safe. Learn how to avoid unsafe dating situations, including sexual assault, stalking, STDs and unplanned pregnancy. OCD credit is available for this event.

TIAA-CREF Financial Counseling

Tuesday, October 28, 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.

LeaderShop Series

Tuesday, October 28, 1 - 2 p.m., in Brown Center [BC], Room 310

The Leadership Certificate Series (LCS) is about developing leadership skills while enriching your college experience. LCS offers certificates to BCC students who are interested in enhancing and expanding their knowledge of the essential practices and skills needed for effective leadership. LCS workshops cover a wide variety of topics presented in a fun, energetic and interactive environment. This week’s LeaderShop is on “Conflict Resolution.” In this workshop, we will explore conflict, our attitude towards it and strategies for resolving interpersonal and group conflicts.

Rocky Horror Picture Show

Thursday, October 30, 12:15 - 1:45 p.m., in Colston Hall [CO], Room 203

A newly engaged couple find themselves lost and with a flat tire on a cold and rainy late November evening. Seeking a telephone, the couple walk to a nearby castle where they discover a group of strange and outlandish people who are holding an Annual Transylvanian Convention. This 1975 musical comedy, directed by Jim Sharman, is a campy, sloppy salute to horror movies and sexual liberation. Bring your sense of humor.

Go Global Study Abroad Fair

Thursday, October 30, 12 - 2 p.m., in Gould Memorial Library [GM], Rotunda

Are you interested in studying abroad? Are you looking to advance your academic agenda? Do you want to gain valuable international resume-building experience? Come see what Studying Abroad at BCC can do for you! Speak to BCC faculty, students and staff about their study abroad experiences. Learn about available scholarships, grants and financial support. If you are interested, please RSVP by contacting the Office of International Education and Study Abroad Programs, 718.289.5100, ext. 3728 or email L. Vicki Cedeno at loida.cedeno@bcc.cuny.edu. Light refreshments will be served, with raffle prizes for BCC students every half hour and much more!

Children’s Halloween Celebration

Friday, October 31, 3 - 6 p.m. in Colston Hall [CO], Lower Level

Dress your children in their favorite costumes and bring them to our Halloween celebration! Enjoy an afternoon of fun and games, with lots of Halloween treats (some tricks, too!) For more information, contact the Office of Student Life at 718.289.5194, or visit Roscoe Brown Student Center [BC], Room 309.
**SHARE Food Distribution**  
**Monday, November 10**

SHARE (Self Help and Resource Exchange) is open to all BCC students and the community. For $20 (or less) and two hours of community service, participants receive packages of high quality food worth $35 - $45. November orders must be placed by Monday, November 10. Visit www.sharefoodprogram.org to view the menu selections, click on the “Order Online” button and follow the simple instructions – or call Dr. Atlas Beliline at 718.289.5971 | 718.702.9673. Food distribution will be on campus between November 17 and 19. Bon appetit!

**Citizenship Assistance**  
Call 718.289.5837 or 718.289.5831 for an appointment

Are you or someone you know interested in becoming a U.S. citizen? The BCC Office for New Americans is holding an on-going citizenship drive in Gould Hall [GH], Room 414, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Thursday; Friday, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. To become a U.S. citizen, you must be a legal immigrant without a felony or a significant misdemeanor; you must also have permanent residency and a green card for at least four years and nine months. All interested students, staff, friends and community residents must call in advance to be screened for eligibility and to schedule an appointment.

**“Poised for Success”**

Poised For Success is a unique CUNY Program funded by the Human Resources Administration to help women who receive Temporary Assistance To Needy Families (TANF). Eligible candidates must be less than eight months pregnant or have a child under three years old. The services offered are designed to develop or improve academic, parenting and technical skills and women’s health and child development, as well as assist with job placement. The program is intended for women eager to become financially independent. For more information, stop by the office at Altschul House [AL], 2205 Sedgwick Ave. or call 718-741-5963 for more information. Visit our website www.cuny.edu/poised.

**Quote of the Week**

“Don’t take the casual approach to life. Casualness leads to casualties.”  
*Jim Rohn (1930 – 2009)* American Entrepreneur, Author and Motivational Speaker.

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**This Week@BCC**

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2014**

1- CTLT Workshop: Blackboard Content Collection & File Sharing  
10 - 11:30 a.m., PH B02

2- CTLT Workshop: Blackboard Retention Center  
12 - 1 p.m., PH B02

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2014**

1- Workshop: What Do I Need to Complete my Degree?  
12 - 1 p.m., LO 200

2- Math Seminar Series: Dr. Yunping Jiang, Queens College  
12 - 1:15 p.m. CP 305

3- Curriculum Committee Meeting  
2 - 4 p.m. BH 228

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2014**

1- College P&B  
10 a.m. - 12 p.m., LH PCR

2- CTLT Workshop: Blackboard Inline Grading  
10 - 11 a.m., PH B02

3- CTLT Workshop: Blackboard Grade Center  
11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., PH B02

4- CTLT Workshop: Collegial Reading Circles  
2:30 - 4:40 p.m., PH B02

5- Library Workshop: eSearch for Research  
3 - 4 p.m., NL 210

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2014**

1- Career and Internship Fair  
11 a.m. - 3 p.m., LO 200

2- Financial Planning - College Workshops  
12 - 1 p.m., LO 301

3- Wellness Workshop: Healthy Relationships 101  
(Pre-Registration Required)  
12 - 1:45 p.m., NL 130

4- LeaderShop Series: Leadership Qualities of Successful People  
1 - 2 p.m., BC 310

5- BCC Men’s Basketball Team: Berkeley - Scrimmage  
7 - 9 p.m., @ Home in Alumni Gym

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2014**

1- CTLT Workshop: Softchalk | E-Learning Authoring  
10 - 11 a.m., PH B02

2- CTLT Workshop: Blackboard Content Collection & File Sharing  
11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m., PH B02

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2014**

1- BCC Men’s Basketball Team vs CCNY  
1:30 - 3:30 p.m., Away Game @ CCNY