



Career Development, Field Work Term & Student Employment

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We are now on [Instagram](#). Follow us @benningtoncareerooffice. Be on the lookout for career development articles, events and internship/job opportunities, for FWT and post-grad.

Ways to Meet With Us Remotely

Updated Virtual Walk-in Hours! Our office is offering virtual walk-in hours **on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1 pm to 2 pm EST**. Virtual walk-in slots are only 15 minutes and require no previous registration. If your particular situation calls for a longer time together, please schedule a standard appointment [via Handshake](#). In order to ensure others' privacy, if one of our counselors is already meeting with another student, you will be directed to Zoom's waiting room until the next meeting is shortly available.

Tuesdays 1 - 2 pm:

[First-year & Summer Deferral Advising](#)

Meeting ID: 734 353 850

Thursdays 1 - 2 pm:

[FWT Returning Students & Senior Career Advising](#)

Meeting ID: 747 665 0200

If you can't connect during the walk-in hours, all of our appointment types and times are still available and will now be conducted remotely via phone or video call. When booking your appointment in [Handshake](#), just choose Phone Call, Google Hangout or Video Call in the Appointment Medium drop down menu. Be sure to include your contact information for the chosen appointment.

Flexible Options For Students Deferring Their Field Work to the Summer

Our office is here to help you navigate any challenges you might face due to the current situation. If you have any questions, please [schedule](#) a 1:1 appointment in Handshake or drop in on one of the virtual walk-in hours.

Senior Career Advising

These are extremely challenging times, but we are still here to help with your post-graduation plans. Our Career Counselor Steven Young is available for advising on career goals, networking, interview preparation, resume and cover letter revision, digital profile creation, and more. We are here to talk through how to navigate the current situation and support you in making the next step toward your goals. Be on the lookout for a weekly email with more in-depth Senior Career Advising Resources. You don't have to figure it all out on your own! Please continue to utilize our [office and resources](#) and our new [Senior Career Resources](#) document. Make an appointment on [Handshake](#) or check-in during our new virtual walk-in hours for Seniors listed above.

New Ways to Search Bennington-Connected Jobs


There are currently over 3,000 full-time jobs and fellowships for graduating seniors posted on Handshake. To help you zero in on employers with particular familiarity and connection to Bennington College, we created a new "[Institutionally-Connected Job](#)" search label. This allows you to see jobs posted by alumni-connected employers and FWT-connected employers. Check out our [how-to guide](#) for details. Tip: You can also search by "[Remote Jobs](#)."

Campus Jobs

If you are working in a remote campus job and have any questions or need assistance—such as how to log your hours in TimesheetX, or navigating workplace issues—please contact campusjobs@bennington.edu.

ANNOUNCEMENTS


CURRENT EVENTS

 **Zoom on Zoom: The Emerging Etiquette of Online Group Communications** on Wednesday, MAY 20 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM. Virtual Event OPEN TO THE PUBLIC | Zoom on Zoom: The Emerging Etiquette of Online Group Communications Media, or WTF Another Hour-Long Meeting? A conversation between Anne Thompson and Prem Krishnamurthy.

[Join via Zoom](#)

Meeting ID: 99175541060


Password: cDJ067168g


 **FYF Workshop: Course Registration.** On Thursday, May 21 at 12:30 pm. **Workshop description:** Attend this session to go over the Course Registration timeline, Registration Exceptions, how to register for 2000 and 4000 level courses. There will be plenty of time for questions and answers


[Join Zoom Meeting](#)


ID: 91427685724


Password: D36mddmz

 **2nd Bi-Annual "It's the End of the Term As We Know It" 5K Run/Walk** on Thursday, May 21 - Sunday May 24. The Wellness Committee is pleased to announce the 2nd Biannual "It's the End of the Term As We Know It" 5K run/walk. We invite faculty, staff and students to participate from wherever home is this term—family members and pets are welcome too! The event can be done any time between Thursday, May 21, and Sunday, May 24.

 **Animation Showing** on Friday May 22 at 9:00 - 10:15 PM. Virtual Event. OPEN TO THE PUBLIC | Animation showing of work produced in the projects class featuring work by graduating seniors and others. More info to come. Check the Bennington website Events Calendar.

 **Music Composition Intensive: SoundCloud Showcase** on Sunday, May 24 at 2:00 - 4:00 pm. Virtual Event OPEN TO THE PUBLIC | Students of Allen Shawn's Music Composition Intensive will share recordings of original music composed in the course this term. This SoundCloud Showcase will launch at noon on Monday, May 18 and will remain available for the foreseeable future. This is a [Facebook](#) event.

 **Music Sundays on B-Rad—Spring 2020 B-Rad Radio Podcast Release: The Five Obstructions** on Sunday, May 24 at 5:00 - 6:00 pm. Virtual Event. OPEN TO THE PUBLIC | In a class, 12 song-writers challenge each other to rewrite their songs in unique ways. Haiku? Disco? Blast beats? Stratocaster? All of that and more. This is a [Facebook](#) event.

 **Balkan Music Ensemble Speaker Series—Spring 2020 The Balkan Sound with Matt Moran of Slavic Soul Party** on Monday, May 25 at 7:00 - 8:00 pm. Virtual Event. OPEN TO THE PUBLIC | Matt Moran is the Director of Slavic Soul Party, an American Balkan brass and jazz band based in Brooklyn. He will talk about techniques of arranging and composing for contemporary Balkan ensembles. To RSVP and request Zoom link, email josephalpar@bennington.edu

Please email all College Week submissions to collegeweek@bennington.edu by Monday at noon for inclusion the following week.

24 HOURS • EVERYDAY • MAY 20 THROUGH MAY 26

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20

- 9:00 am** International Student's Open Hours with Kate, see Announcements for meeting details.
- 11:30 am** Virtual tabling with Ali, see Virtual Support Groups for meeting details.
- 12:00 pm** The Emerging Etiquette of Online Group Communications, see Announcements for details.

THURSDAY, MAY 21

- All Day** 2nd Bi-Annual "It's the End of the Term As We Know It" 5K Run/Walk, see Announcements
- 9:00 am** Let's Talk, Confidential Support Group, see Let's Talk box for details
- 12:30 pm** International Student's Open Hours with Kate, see Announcements for meeting details.
- 12:30 pm** FYF Workshop: Course Registration, see Announcements for details
- 1:00 pm** FWT Retr. Student & Snr. Career Advng., see Career Devel., FWT & Student Employ. box
- 6:00 pm** Flow Collective meeting via Zoom, see Announcements for meeting details.
- 7:00 pm** Sexual Assault Survivors Support Group, see Virtual Support Groups for meeting details.

FRIDAY, MAY 22

- 12:30 pm** Transition Back to Bennington with Ali, see Virtual Support Groups for meeting details.
- 12:30 pm** International Peer Support Group, see Announcements for meeting details.
- 9:00 pm** Animation Showing see Announcements for details.

SATURDAY, MAY 23

- 1:00 pm** Cyber Sober Pizza with Ali, see Virtual Support Groups for meeting details.
- 2:00 pm** Wellbeing Group with Ali, see Virtual Support Groups for meeting details.
- 3:00 pm** Recovery Group with Ali, see Virtual Support Groups for meeting details.
- 4:00 pm** Grief and Loss Support Group with Ali, see Virtual Support Groups for meeting details.
- 8:00 pm** FLoW Collective Viewing Party, see Announcements for details

SUNDAY, MAY 24

- 2:00 pm** Music Composition Intensive: SoundCloud Showcase, see Announcements for details
- 5:00 pm** Music Sundays on B-Rad—Podcast Release, see Announcements for details
- 8:00 pm** Go with the FLoW radio program, see Announcements for details

MONDAY, MAY 25 MEMORIAL DAY

- 10:00 am** Zoom Mindfulness Group, see Announcements for meeting details.
- 4:30 pm** Let's Talk, Confidential Support Group, see Let's Talk box for details
- 5:00 pm** International Student's Open Hours with Kate, see Announcements for meeting details.
- 6:00 pm** Read, Bennington, Read!, see Announcements for details
- 7:00 pm** Balkan Music Ensemble Speaker Series—Spring 2020, see Announcements for details

TUESDAY, MAY 26

- 1:00 pm** First Year & Summer Deferral Advising, see Career Devel., FWT & Student Employ. box
- 3:00 pm** International Peer Support Group, see Announcements for meeting details.



Literature Senior Projects Reading on Wednesday, May 27 at 7:00 pm, please join us in celebrating the work of fourteen graduating Bennington students from the class of 2020 who have completed a senior project in poetry, fiction, creative nonfiction, or literary criticism. Each student will read for five minutes from their senior thesis. Readers include Luciana Arbus-Scandiffio, Emma Bushmann, Frances Erlandson, Jane Feinsod, Henrietta Hadley, Nicholas Hennessy, Liana Dudley Holland, Audrey King, Fiona Kobasz, Honor Levy, Kayla Nicholls, Grace Robins-Somerville, Zubair Siddiqui, and Chase Spearance.

<https://bennington.zoom.us/j/98825302729?pwd=YjNyN0EyRUdjZWNSMmNydHRtWFpndz09>

Meeting ID: 988 2530 2729

Password: 872188



Student Educational Policies Committee Vote for your 2020-2021 SEPC Representatives! The deadline to vote is May 28 <https://bit.ly/SEPC20-21>

BENNINGTON COLLEGE STUDENT HEALTH PROMOTION VIRTUAL SUPPORT GROUPS

- **VIRTUAL TABLING WITH ALI:** stop by and ask a question or just say "Hi", Wednesdays from 11:30 am to 12:30 pm.
- **SEXUAL ASSAULT SURVIVORS SUPPORT GROUP WITH ALI:** Thursdays at 7:00 pm.
- **TRANSITIONS BACK TO BENNINGTON WITH ALI:** for students who have been away from Bennington for a term or more, Fridays at 12:30 pm.
- **CYBER SOBER PIZZA WITH ALI:** Saturdays at 1:00 pm.
- **WELLBEING GROUP WITH ALI:** Support group for students with chronic health conditions, Saturdays at 2:00 pm.
- **RECOVERY GROUP WITH ALI:** Saturdays at 3:00 pm.
- **GRIEF AND LOSS SUPPORT GROUP WITH ALI:** Saturdays 4:00 pm.

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://zoom.us/j/4424345023>

Meeting ID: 442 434 5023

REMOTE CONTACT INFORMATION Email to set up Google Hangout or phone call.

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Looking for more information on the events listed here? Try the online event calendar at

www.bennington.edu

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ON GOING EVENTS



Open Hours for International Students with Kate:

Monday's 5 pm - 6 pm EST

Join Zoom Meeting

ID: 242378179

Password: rr706r

Wednesday's 9 am - 10 am EST

Join Zoom Meeting

ID: 439514580

Password: d55zmk

Thursday's 12:30 - 1:30 pm EST

Join Zoom Meeting

ID: 578419470

Password: 72x1xv



FLoW Collective: Please join Kelsey (FLoW Intern) and me for a virtual FLoW Collective meeting Thursday at 6 pm EST in Zoom. These are trying times. We have been displaced. We are working with what we have and none of us have signed up for this. Let's do what we do best: come together, bear witness for each other, laugh, and celebrate the silver lining - if/where we can find it. BYOS bring your own snacks.

Thursday's 6 -7 pm EST

Join Zoom Meeting

ID: 221091678

Password: brq4al



International Student Peer Support Group: Whether you are on campus, with a friend or relative in the US, at home, or in a third country we know that you are experiencing a wide range of challenges and emotions. The IS Peer Support Group proved to be a good place for students to come together in the Fall and the start of the Spring term. Let's keep this going in the virtual realm. Join Rage and Lesley Brodie from Psychological Services for two weekly:

Tuesday's 3 pm - 4 pm EST

Join Zoom Meeting

ID: 272947194

Password: jsxhp5

Friday's 12:30 - 1:30 pm EST

Join Zoom Meeting

ID: 243129542

Password: ppp4lx



Saturdays at 8 pm EST FLoW Collective Viewing Party! Join FLoW students for a weekly viewing party!

[Join Zoom Meeting](#)

ID: 623759255

Password: ilrj6l



FLoW radio program on Sundays at 8 pm EST "Go with the FLoW" radio show hosted by Jann Moreno! Each week Jann interviews a different FLoW student who shares their experience, interests, work, passions, and favorite music. <http://benningtonradio.com>.



Zoom Mindfulness Group: Join Rage on Monday mornings and start your week by getting centered. We'll begin with a brief meditation and then open up the group for sharing. Coming back to the breath can help us find ground during this uncertain time. Let's all breathe together!

Mondays 10-10:30am

Join Zoom Meeting

ID: 404513652, Password: o2l7me



Read, Bennington, Read on Mondays at 6pm EST / 3pm PST for the rest of term, Piety Exley will host a no-stress study group dedicated to silent reading together on Zoom. The link to join is at bit.ly/benningtonreads.

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Micro-internships

[Parker Dewey](#) is a free resource for finding "micro-internships" - short-term, paid, professional projects that can be completed remotely. The platform is available to all college students from US-based institutions (including international students provided you obtain the needed paperwork and approval), and provides an effective way to demonstrate skills, build professional networks, and explore career paths while getting paid. The network is also open to recent graduates who are trying to land the right full-time role. To get started, sign up for a "Career Launcher" account at the link above.

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Let's Talk

Are you feeling Anxious, Worried, Depressed, Confused, Alone, Afraid, Sad, Lonely or anything else due to what we are all experiencing? Then Let's Talk is for you. It is a confidential, free, open, virtual support group offered by Psychological Services.

Every Monday 4:30 - 5:30 pm with Penny Owen

<https://meet.google.com/dki-huza-vvu>

Every Thursday 9:00 - 10:00 am with Kat Daly

<https://meet.google.com/dki-huza-vvu>

Any student, on campus or remote, is encouraged to join this free, confidential, drop-in support group via Google Meet.

For more information contact Lori Willis at healthservices@bennington.edu or ext. 4426.



First-Year Fun! Katie Montovan is currently the Associate Dean of Advising, leading the First Year Forum initiatives AND a Math faculty member. Katie uses puzzle's in her math classes to help students learn ways to approach novel problems and think more creatively and in FYF to encourage a growth mindset. (You can check out [Katie's faculty page on the Bennington website](#) to learn a little more about Katie and consider taking a course with her in the future!) **Each Tuesday for the rest of the Spring 2020 term**, Katie will post a puzzle [on the Class of 2023 facebook page](#). Each puzzle is solvable and you don't need prior knowledge to find the answer. Be open, give each puzzle some thought, and have fun! Each week, when you have an answer to the puzzle share it via [this form](#) by Sunday night. All of the correct answers will be entered into a drawing for a \$20 gift card to a vendor of your choice.



We encourage first year students to join the [Bennington College Class of 2023 Facebook page](#) where Kate, Rage, and the FYF co-leaders are building and maintaining community now that we have moved to remote instruction and advising.



The Wellbeing Team is asking students to record and share "Life Hack" style videos of solutions they've discovered or invented in these complex times! These can also showcasing what you've been up to and using to cope with quarantine. Please email your submission to suzannasylvain@bennington.edu, or for more info.



The Quarantine Cookbook Are you cooking up a storm in quarantine? The Quarantine Cookbook is a collaborative student recipe sharing project for Bennington students away from campus. Send us recipes of your home-cooked soul food and nourish the Bennington community with your culinary experiments. Submit a recipe with a photo of your dish to soumyashailendra@bennington.edu or @meyerrecbarn on Instagram.



Create + Share A fundamental part of our Bennington community is the knowledge that what we create is rarely unseen, unread, or unheard. Now that our community is scattered across the world, it can be difficult for an individual to share the work they're creating—either for class, or their personal creative pursuits—or to appreciate and learn from the work of their peers. To share your work with the Bennington community, please send any created work—visual art, writing, music, performance art, etc.—to sarahlore@bennington.edu or @meyerrecbarn on Instagram with the subject Create + Share.



E-sports Do you want to play online games with other Bennington students, but aren't sure how to connect? Join the Bennington E-sports Discord (free and easy sign-up) to get connected and start playing! <https://discord.gg/6htSMKy> We will create leagues, tournaments, and foster community. If you have any questions contact Sam Clement sclement@bennington.edu.

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