

# College Week

## Career Development and Field Work Term

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### FWT Listing Spotlights

- CHRISTIE'S, Bennington College Intern - NYC, \$15/hr \*\*Applications Due Oct 11\*\*
- ReplaceNow, Feasibility Study Research Intern - Bennington, \$1250 Stipend \*\*Applications Due Oct 11\*\*
- SNOLAB, Intern - Ontario, Canada, Housing Provided
- Cynthia Reeves, Outreach and Marketing Intern, Celebration of Women Artists - North Adams MA, \$12.50/hr
- Authors Guild, Communications Intern - NYC, \$12/hr

### Campus Employment as FWT

The due date to submit your application to use your campus job for FWT was this past Friday. In case you missed it, please submit your application in Handshake today.

### Come see us!

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## Health Promotion

Our groups have started! Please join us!

**Mindfulness Group** Wednesdays at 8:45 am, Resource Room in the Student Health Center  
**Sexual Assault Survivors Support Group**, Wednesdays at 8 pm, Resource Room in the Student Health Center  
**Sober Pizza**, Saturdays at 1:30 pm, in the Student Health Center  
**Recovery Group**, Saturdays at 2:30 pm, in the Student Health Center  
**Dialectical Behavior Therapy Group**, Saturdays at 3:30 pm, in the Student Health Center

## Reminders & Planning Ahead

Long Weekend is coming up Friday, October 18 - Monday, October 21 and we are looking for destination suggestions for day trips on Saturday and Sunday. Locations within a 3 hour radius are preferable. Submit your suggestion to the Student Life Office either via email or drop by.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

-  **Cultural Studies and Languages Series: Patria libre para vivir: Art, Social Media, and Resistance in the 2018 Uprising in Nicaragua** on Monday, October 7 at 7:00 pm, in CAPA Symposium. Joseph Connelly, consultant and frequent leader of Customized Programs for the Center for Global Education and Experience at Augsburg University will present on youth participation in the recent social uprising in Nicaragua, focusing on tools for organizing and resistance under repressive regimes. Presentation in English.
-  **VALS—Fall 2019: ERRE** on TUESDAY, October 8 at 7:00 pm, in Tishman Lecture Hall. OPEN TO PUBLIC | ERRE (Marcos Ramírez) (b. 1971) is a multidisciplinary artist known for his site-specific installations.
-  **Rebecca B. Stickney Award Ceremony** on Wednesday, October 9 at 1:30 pm, in the Student Center. Each year, the College honors an exceptional staff member at this award ceremony.
-  **Public Policy Forum @ CAPA—Fall 2019: College Campuses and Our Responsibilities to Mitigate and Prepare** on Thursday, October 10 at 7:00 pm, in CAPA Symposium. OPEN TO THE PUBLIC | Join us for a conversation with representatives from Bennington College, Middlebury College, and Williams College.
-  **Science Workshop—Fall 2019 A Case Study in Software Vulnerabilities: The Zoom Webcam Flaw** on Friday, October 11 at 1:00 pm, in Dickinson 232. OPEN TO THE PUBLIC | Chris Vasselli - Software Developer, Serpenti Sei will discuss A Case Study in Software Vulnerabilities: The Zoom Webcam Flaw. Snacks Available.
-  **Dearest Lenny: Letters from Japan and the Making of the World Maestro** on Friday, October 11 at 7:00 pm, in CAPA Symposium. Mari Yoshihara will speak about her new book, Dearest Lenny: Letters from Japan and the Making of the World Maestro, which interweaves the history of Leonard Bernstein's rise in the world of music with an intimate story of his relationships with two Japanese individuals: Amano Kazuko and Kunihiro Hashimoto. Presentation in English.
-  **Fall Admissions Saturdays** on September 14 - October 26 at 11:00 am, on Bennington Campus. At Bennington we learn by experiencing, and we invite you to do the same. Join us on select Saturdays during the fall for an in-depth look at how Bennington students live, learn, and create.
-  **FLoW is still seeking donations for the Little Extras Pantry.** If you would like to donate non-perishable food items and/or supplies, including VA supplies or toiletries, there will be a dropbox in Barn North (Barn 113). In addition, we ask that toiletries and food items be unopened and unused. We also ask that you do not place any items in the pantry yourself as we need to check every item prior to stocking. If you have any questions or concerns, please email flow@bennington.edu.
-  **Running Group - Staff, Students, & Faculty.** Interested in running? We invite any staff, students and faculty that are runners, want to be runners, or simply want to get outside in the morning to join us for a running group. We will meet weekly on Tuesdays, at 7:30am at the flagpole and run various routes through campus and North Bennington. Afterwards, we'll hit up Roz's Cafe for a post-run snack and beverage. Note that this group is open to everyone - all ages, levels, and abilities. Please contact Adron Pitmon or Carly Rudzinski with any questions or to let us know that you're interested.

Did you know that the **Bookstore now has extended hours** that include evenings and Weekends?

Monday - Thursday :9 am - 7 pm  
Friday: 9 am - 5 pm  
Saturday & Sunday: 1:00 - 5:00 pm

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

# 24 HOURS • EVERYDAY • OCT 7 THROUGH OCT 13

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## MONDAY, OCTOBER 7

**11:30 am** SOL Education Abroad tabling, Commons

**6:00 pm** Sharing is Understanding Workshop Series, Commons 201

**P 7:00 pm** Cultural Studies & Language Series: Patria libre para vivir, CAPA Symposium

## TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8

**P 7:00 pm** VALS: ERRE, Tishman Lecture Hall

## WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9

**1:30 pm** Rebecca B. Stickney Award Ceremony, Student Center

## THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10

**P 7:00 pm** College Campuses and Our Responsibilities to Mitigate & Prepare, CAPA Symposium

**10:00 pm** PAC Presents: Trivia Night, DownCaf

## FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11

**All Day** Fellowship Applications due via Handshake, Bennington Campus

**P 1:00 pm** A Case Study in Software Vulnerabilities: Science Workshop, Dickinson 232

**P 7:00 pm** Dearest Lenny: Letters from Japan & the Making of the World Maestro, CAPA Symposium

**9:30 pm** PAC Presents: Stand Up Comedy Night, DownCaf

## SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12

**10:00 am** MASS MoCA & Williamstown trip, Williamstown, MA

**10:00 am** Bennington Farmers' Market, Bennington, VT

## SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13

**11:30 am** Second Chance Animal Shelter trip, Shaftsbury, VT

**1:00 pm** PAC Presents: Fall Fest, Student Center Courtyard

**3:00 pm** Interfaith Mixer, UpCaf

### Study Away

Amy Dobson, the interim study away counselor, is located in the Academic Services Suite (Room 120C). Stop by to learn more about opportunities available to you! This week, she will be in the office **Monday, 9:00 am-noon and 1:00 pm-4:00 pm; Tuesday, 2:30-3:30 pm; Wednesday, 9:00 am-12:00 noon; Thursday 9:00 am-12:00pm and 1:00pm-4:00 pm.** You can also visit our website to learn more about our exchange and affiliated programs. Amy can be reached at amydobson@bennington.edu.

### SOL Education Abroad Visits Bennington!

Stop by the information table in Commons **Monday, October 7 between 11:30 am-1:30 pm** to learn all about what SOL Education Abroad has to offer. SOL offers culturally-rich programs in Argentina, Costa Rica, Mexico, and Spain and offers course suited for both native and non-native speakers.

### Application Deadline Approaching for Spring 2020 programs!

- Bennington Study Away Application - **due October 31**

Check out more Study Away news and updates at **Bennington Study Abroad** on Facebook!

### Student Engagement continued

- **Keep up to date on trips, events, & more** by liking us on Facebook - Bennington College OSE - and following us on Instagram - @benncollegeose
- **Need an event or meeting space for your club or organization?** Check out the Office for Student Engagement page on the college website to access the OSE Space Reservations form for UpCaf, DownCaf, Student Center, the soccer field, and tabling in Dining!

### Student Engagement

- **Sharing is Understanding Workshop Series** - Mondays in October from 6 to 7pm in Commons 201. Join Delia Saenz, Deja Haley '20, and Anya Piotrowski for a four-part interactive workshop series. First workshop on October 7 - Life of Privilege: Understanding the Differences in our Basic Identities, second workshop on October 14 is Speak Easy or Speak Hardly.
- **Bennington Farmers' Market** - Saturday, Oct. 12 from 10am to 1pm at 150 Depot Street - First 10 students to visit the market receive \$5 in Bennington College market bucks. Outdoor market only runs through October, so be sure to make your way down this month if you want to enjoy the outdoor market before next May!
- **MASS MoCA & Williamstown Trip** - Saturday, Oct. 12 from 10am to 4pm - Meet at the flagpole by 10:30 & return to campus by 4pm. Explore Williamstown or use your student ID to explore MASS MoCA for free!
- **Second Chance volunteer trip** - Sunday, October 13 - 11:30am to 1:30pm. Email acts@bennington.edu to sign-up!
- **Interfaith Mixer** - Sunday, October 13 - 3 to 4:30pm in UpCaf. Join Interfaith at Bennington for the first club event of term. All are welcome! Email interfaith@bennington.edu with questions.
- **Mid-Term Study Break** - Monday, October 14 - 7:30 to 9:30pm in the Student Center hosted by the Offices for Student Health Promotion & Student Engagement. FREE massages & acupuncture (spaces limited), DIY essential oil sprays, DIY tea blends, gratitude writing station, & more!
- **Winter Blitz** - Saturday, November 16 - 10am to 2pm - Weatherize homes alongside MCLA & Williams College students in Bennington County and the Berkshires. Sign-up: <https://tinyurl.com/winterblitz2019>
- **Empty Bowls** - Sunday, November 17 - shifts available from 2 to 8:30pm for a variety of tasks, as well as numerous volunteer opportunities in preparation for the day of the event. Email Anya (apiotrowski@bennington.edu) to learn more!

## Open Office Hours

### PRESIDENT'S OFFICE (BARN 125)

ISABEL ROCHE, Interim President of the College: Please contact the President's Office at ext. 4300.

DELIA SAENZ, VP for Institutional Inclusion, Equity and Leadership, call for appointment, ext. 4306.

### DEAN'S OFFICE (BARN 123)

JOHN BULLOCK, Acting Provost: contact Meredith Meurs for appointment, ext. 4406.

LAURIE KOBICKI, Dean of Studies: Thurs. 12:30-1:30 pm.

### ALUMNI RELATIONS OFFICE

By appointment: [alumnirelations@bennington.edu](mailto:alumnirelations@bennington.edu)

### ACADEMIC SERVICES (BARN 120)

NOELLE EVERETT MURPHY, Assistant Dean for Academic Services: Tues. & Wed., 1:00-2:00 pm.

KATY EVANS, Academic Services & Accommodations Counselor, Tues. & Thurs. 1:00-2:00 pm.

AMY DOBSON, Study Away Counselor, call or email for appointment, ext. 2490.

### FWT & CAREER DEVELOPMENT OFFICE (BARN 112)

FAITH MCCLELLAN, Director of Field Work Term and Career Development: Mon., 1:00-2:00 pm.

FWT Planning, Senior Career Advising, Campus Employment Assistance - Walk-in Hours: Tues. & Wed. 12:00 - 2:00 pm.

### STUDENT LIFE OFFICE (BARN NORTH)

NATALIE BASIL, Dean of Students: Contact Christine Congelosi-Lulla for appointment, ext. 4220.

CHRISTINE WINGET, Associate Dean of Student Life: Contact Christine Congelosi-Lulla for appointment, ext. 4220.

### FIRST YEAR EXPERIENCE & INTERNATIONAL SERVICES (BARN NORTH)

KATE CHILD, Assistant Dean for Academic Services: Tues. & Wed., 1:00-2:00 pm.

RAGE HEZEKIAH, First Year & International Student Counselor: Tues. & Fri., 1:00-2:00 pm.

ADRIANA DIAZ, First Year Counselor in First-Year Experience, Mon. & Wed., 1:00-2:00 pm.

### OFFICE FOR STUDENT ENGAGEMENT (UPCAF)

MATT SCOTT, Director for Student Engagement: call or email for appointment, ext. 4334.

ANYA PIOTROWSKI, Assistant Director for Student Engagement: call or email for appointment, ext. 4370.

SAM CLEMENT, Assistant Director of Residential Life, call for appointment, ext. 4613

SARAH BLIZZARD, Assistant Director of Residential Life, call for appointment ext. 2557


### STUDENT HEALTH CENTER

ALI TARTAGLIA, Director of Student Health Promotion: call or email for appointment, ext. 4755.

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

[www.bennington.edu](http://www.bennington.edu)

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### Field Work Term Funding

Students with high financial need (as determined by Financial Aid) received an email indicating automatic eligibility for a \$500 FWT grant if they register an unpaid FWT internship. Students who are not automatically eligible may still apply for a need-based FWT grant of up to \$500 via a simple grant application, which will be reviewed following receipt of their FWT registration. Both the grant application and FWT registration are due on November 8. (As explained here, students who secure paid internships will not be eligible for grants.) For support in thinking through your Field Work Term funding options, please book an appointment with a FWT advisor on Handshake or email [fwf@bennington.edu](mailto:fwf@bennington.edu). If you have broader questions about financing your Bennington education, please email [financialaid@bennington.edu](mailto:financialaid@bennington.edu).

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- ASU Center for Gender Equity in Science and Technology, Intern - Tempe AZ, \$12/hour
- Brooklyn Academy of Music, Archives Intern - NYC, \$16/hour
- Goldstone Architecture, Architectural Student Intern - Bennington, \$12/hour
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