# BENNINGTON BULLETIN





















#### The Costs of Sexual Harassment

Eve Mefferd '20 has <u>co-authored the</u> <u>publication</u>, "Paying Today and Tomorrow: Charting the Financial Costs of Workplace Sexual Harassment," a publication produced by the Institute for Women's Policy Research and TIME'S UP and <u>covered</u> <u>by Bloomberg News</u>.



# **Pushing Inwards**

Ashley D. Escobar '22 <u>has published</u> her music review "Into the World of 'Only Tomorrow' by My Bloody Valentine" in *BlueHouse Review*. She wrote the piece during Spring 2021 for The Politics of Soul: Music, Emotion, Embodiment with Joseph Alpar and Brian Michael Murphy.



#### **Sketches**

Maya Knell '16 guest stars as Camille on season 2, episode 5 of Netflix's *I Think You Should Leave with Tim Robinson*.

## **Performance Spaces**

Sue Rees <u>co-authored an article</u> with Dr. Hanne de Bruin on the setting and staging of Kattaikkuttu theatre, which was published in May by the *Performance Research Journal* Volume 25: "Practices of Interweaving." This collaboration includes photographs and videos linked via QRCodes taken over a 20 year period.

### **Campus Safety Staff Update**

This summer, Bennington will be launching a national search for our new director of Campus Safety. Given the importance and urgency of this work, we have hired an interim director of campus safety to lead this operation while we conduct the search, which will include students and other campus partners. Karen R. Green will be joining the College on August 2 to serve in this role. Karen will be working in partnership with Christine Winget and the entire Student Life team, as well as other campus partners and students, to consider how Campus Safety supports our campus community, with emphasis on ensuring that our efforts are firmly centered on building community for all.

Karen has a strong background in higher ed. Following her retirement, Karen made the decision to continue working to support organizations in need of interim executives. Karen previously served as Vice President for Student Affairs/Dean of Students at Muhlenberg College. She also served as the Dean of Students at Wells College and as Assistant Dean of Students and Director of Multicultural Affairs at Hamilton College. She has experience overseeing campus safety operations, and her work evidences her commitment to diversity, equity, and inclusion.

#### Staff Welcome: Buildings and Grounds

We are delighted to welcome Ariel Redden as the Brick House Manager. Please join Buildings and Grounds in welcoming Ariel to her new role and to the Bennington College community.

#### **Staff Welcome: Technical Instructor**

Please join us in welcoming Mariana Aun to Bennington College as Technical Instructor in Sound and Music. Mariana will be working with Music, Drama, and Dance students, faculty, and staff in support of the curriculum, programs, and events in these disciplines and will also be working with IT outside the academic terms. Mariana started working remotely part-time this week and will transition to working on campus full-time on August 9.

#### **Submissions Open**

The art and literary journal *Wind-up Mice*, co-founded by Ashley Escobar '22, is accepting poetry, short prose, and art submissions for its first issue, "Carnival." Bennington students, faculty, and staff are invited to submit.

#### **Paid Internship Opportunity**

<u>Lever Inc</u> is a center for entrepreneurship and social innovation that launches new enterprises to help lift the regional economy through growth and job creation. Lever is seeking 2-4 Bennington students as paid Management Consultant Interns to support their winter 2022 Intrapraneur challenge, which will be funded by the Vermont Community Foundation. This opportunity matches the emerging interest among students in financial management and solidifies this valuable regional partnership. Interested students should <u>apply via Handshake</u> by November 5.

# **July Newsletters**

Every month, Communications sends newsletters out to <u>alumni and friends</u> of the College and <u>families</u>. Enjoy July's stories and encourage interested community members to  $\underline{\text{sign up}}$  for the alumni and friends newsletter.

Summer 2021

**Event Series** 

Check out the series happening this term.

Submit Bulletin announcement (deadline: by end of day Thursdays)