



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Field Work Term and Career Development

#### Career Advising and Genbook Closure

Want to see us before the summer? Make an appointment on Handshake (<http://bennington.joinhandshake.com/>) and tell us what you hope to cover, or stop by the office during senior drop-in hours every Wednesday 12-2pm.

Over the course of this month, the Field Work Term and Career Development Office has been moving away from Genbook and beginning to use Handshake for scheduling. To make an appointment in Handshake, use the top bar to navigate to "Career Center > Appointments." Genbook will officially close on the last day of May. To schedule with Camille Guthrie, Director of Undergraduate Writing Initiatives or the Peer Writing Tutors, students can contact Camille at [cguthrie@bennington.edu](mailto:cguthrie@bennington.edu) for an appointment. In the fall, the Peer Tutors will be available for writing sessions under a new system to be announced.

#### Looking for work?

Handshake can help. Check out these and more opportunities at <http://bennington.joinhandshake.com/>.

#### Summer Jobs and Internships

- Communications Intern, Bennington College, Bennington, VT (paid)\*
- Media Support Specialist (IT), Bennington College, Bennington, VT (paid)\*
- Camp Counselor, Camp Tanuga, Kalkaska, MI (paid, room, meals)

\*Available to students with work allotments in their financial aid packages.

#### Post-Graduation Opportunities

- Administrative Assistant, The Equity Project Charter School, NYC (paid; Spanish fluency required)
- Junior Government Relations Associate, Carmen Group, Washington, DC (paid)
- Assistant Duck Caretaker, SHO Farm, Huntington, VT (paid)

### Study Away

#### Summer Opportunities in London, Colombia, and Rwanda!

##### University of East Anglia Summer School

Looking to get away this summer? Consider the University of East Anglia's **International Summer School** offering courses in: **Branding, Advertising and Digital Marketing; Creative Writing; Global Media and Communications Law; Religion and Rebellion: Medieval East Anglia 1066-1216.** The special discounted fee for Bennington students is just £2,695. Contact the Summer School team with any queries at [summerstudyabroad@uea.ac.uk](mailto:summerstudyabroad@uea.ac.uk) or by calling **0044 (0)1603 592255**. ([www.uea.ac.uk/study/international/international-summer-school](http://www.uea.ac.uk/study/international/international-summer-school)).

**Global Youth Connect ([www.globalyouthconnect.org](http://www.globalyouthconnect.org))** is seeking students interested in making a difference this summer for its two week field-based human rights and social justice programs in **Rwanda** and **Colombia**. This excellent professional development opportunity offers a high impact experience at low cost with great return on investment.

#### Save Money – Study Abroad – Apply Now for Spring 2019!

Many providers offer financial incentives for students who apply early. Applications for Spring 2019 are now open. One discount we really like: **CEA Study Abroad – Save \$1000 with code F-Spring19Plan** ([www.ceastudyabroad.com](http://www.ceastudyabroad.com))

Bennington students also receive an **additional \$250 off semester programs** by virtue of our partnership with CEA and are eligible for **matched funding up to \$1000** for Public Action and Gilman Scholarship recipients.

#### Reminders

- Schedule a 1:1 advising appointment with the **Director of Learning Beyond Bennington** to discuss your study away plans.
- **Bennington Study-Away Applications** are due **November 1** for Spring 2019. Exchange deadlines are earlier - **contact us** now for details.



**WIP - Program II** on Monday, May 28 at 7:00 pm, in VAPA Martha Hill Dance Theater. Dance students present new works in progress.



**CAPA Advanced Workshop Final Presentations** on Monday, May 28 at 7:00 pm, in CAPA Symposium. Please join us to celebrate CAPA Advanced Workshop seniors and their projects. We will have an evening reception with presentations, project tables, and music.

Students presenting:

Ash Haywood	Fiona McGovern
Liam McRae	Caroline Adams
Zoe Aloise	Sophie Parker-Goos
Isabella Poulos	Melodi Var Onge
Jocelyn Salcedo	Jorja Rose
Nam Phuong Thi Doan	



On Tuesday, May 29 at 6:30 pm, in Dickinson Reading Room, **Seniors in Environmental Studies** will host an exhibition of their advanced work. Pizza will be available.



**Jazz Ensemble Concert** on Tuesday, May 29 at 8:00 pm, in Deane Carriage Barn, Fireplace Room. The Bennington Jazz Ensemble, under the direction of Bruce Williamson, will perform a concert of jazz classics by McCoy Tyner, Chick Corea, Blue Mitchell, Dave Holland and others.



**Senior Class Reception** on Wednesday, May 30 at 6:30 pm, in VAPA Petrie Terrace. Members of the Class of 2018 are invited to join President Mariko Silver, Provost and Dean Isabel Roche, faculty, and staff for a reception honoring this year's graduates.



**Nathaniel Parke and Tony Lu in Concert** on Wednesday, May 30 at 8:30 pm, in the Deane Carriage Barn, Pit. Preludes, Songs, and Brahms for Cello and Piano.



**Graduation Dance Concert** on Friday, June 1 at 2:00 pm, in VAPA Martha Hill Dance Theater.



**Graduation Concert in Music** on Friday, June 1 at 3:00 pm, in VAPA Greenwall Auditorium. The annual showcase of senior work, featuring a wide variety of music ensembles, genres, and performers.



**International Study, Research, and Teaching Opportunities:** The Fulbright U.S. Student Program provides grants to support independent projects in all creative and academic disciplines, as well as opportunities to teach English abroad. Learn more at [www.us.fulbrightonline.org/](http://www.us.fulbrightonline.org/). Students hoping to apply in the 2019 cycle (juniors and seniors) should meet with Noelle Murphy before the end of the term.



**Are you interested in applying to work for an on-campus student cafe next term?** Applications will be open soon to work for The Student Cafe next term, a co-op model cafe based out of the down caf. This paid position will allow students to create a gathering space for food, drinks, and entertainment while learning what it takes to start up and sustain a business.



**Second Chance Animal Shelter** is seeking volunteers for **Carnival for Care at Mount Anthony Union Middle School on Saturday, June 23**. Volunteers are needed to run games, help with craft tables, & general set-up. Anyone interested in volunteering can contact Cathleen Perrone at 802-375-2898 ext. 312 or [scacprograms@wildblue.net](mailto:scacprograms@wildblue.net).



**The 2018 Student Gift Program** is pleased to share that the community raised over \$5,000 for scholarship support through the Bennington Fund. Student financial assistance is the largest fundraising need for Bennington - thank you to all who made a gift to make a difference!



**ATTENTION GRADUATING SENIORS OBSERVING RAMADAN:** We are aware that Ramadan begins as the semester is ending and that you and your guests may be fasting during commencement activities. Several students have met with us to give us feedback on commencement planning. We would like to support students and guests the best way we can. You will receive an email from Nicole Arrington asking you to indicate your needs. There will be dinner and seating options that aim to give you an opportunity to participate as you like in the commencement dinner.

Please email all College Week submissions to [collegeweek@bennington.edu](mailto:collegeweek@bennington.edu) by Thursday at noon for inclusion the following week.

# 24 HOURS • EVERYDAY • MAY 28 THROUGH JUNE 3

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## MONDAY, MAY 28

**All Day** Memorial Day - Classes in session, several administrative offices closed, Bennington Campus

**P** 7:00 pm WIP-Program II, VAPA Martha Hill Dance Theater

**P** 7:00 pm CAPA Advanced Workshop Final Presentations, CAPA Symposium

## TUESDAY, MAY 29

6:30 pm Environmental Studies Senior Advanced Work Exhibition, Dickinson Reading Room

**P** 8:00 pm Jazz Ensemble Concert, Deane Carriage Barn, Fireplace Room

## WEDNESDAY, MAY 30

6:00 pm Senior Commencement rehearsal, Barn 100

6:30 pm Senior Class Reception, VAPA Petrie Terrace

**P** 7:30 pm Literatru Evening: Students Reading, Franklin Living Room

**P** 8:30 pm Nathaniel Parke and Tony Lu in Concert, Deane Carriage Barn, Pit

**P** 9:00 pm Dodgeball, Greenwall

## THURSDAY, MAY 31

8:00 am Last day of classes - end at noon, Bennington Campus

## FRIDAY, JUNE 1

12:00 pm Student houses close at noon for undergraduates not attending commencement

**P** 2:00 pm Graduation Dance Concert - A Showcase of Senior Work, VAPA martha Hill Dance Theater

**P** 3:00 pm Graduation Concert in Music, VAPA Greenwall Auditorium

6:00 pm Commencement Dinner, Commons Lawn

## SATURDAY, JUNE 2

10:00 am Commencement: Conferring of Degrees

2:00 pm Student houses close at 2:00 pm for commencement workers and undergraduates attending commencement

## SUNDAY, JUNE 3

12:00 pm Student houses close at noon for graduates

### Reminders:

Key Return: Before you leave, lock your door and return your key to one of the key drop boxes located at Campus Safety or Barn North. Please do not hand your key to a staff member, put it in an envelope and place it into the key drop box. You will receive an electronic receipt via email by 4:00 pm on Friday, June 15. If you leave campus without returning your key, you will be billed \$100 for lock replacement. Mailed keys will not be accepted.

**R** denotes off campus events not affiliated with the college

**P** denotes events open to the public

## Bennington ACTS

- Students can register for & purchase **Boston Red Sox tickets** at a special student rate of \$9. To learn more about this deal for students ages 16-24, visit <https://www.mlb.com/redsox/tickets/specials/student9s>
- Our **Self-Care Station** theme for May is body positivity - stop by for buttons, helpful reminders, resources, & more! Throughout the month we'll also be leaving out different essential oils products you can take - first come, first serve.
- June 22 - Around this summer? Consider signing up for a **Bridges Out of Poverty training** (\$30, scholarships available!), hosted by GBICS. Bridges Out of Poverty is a model that provides a deeper understanding and common language of the culture of poverty. It generates a deeper knowledge of economic class, hidden rules, and mental models that exist within each class. It also provides a platform for action and tools for change that can lead to lowering poverty rates in a community. Learn more & sign up at: <http://benningtoncares.org/bc/gbics-bridges-out-of-poverty-workshop-bennington-vt/>
- Email [acts@bennington.edu](mailto:acts@bennington.edu) to sign up for our **"Weekly ACTS"** email, with any questions about upcoming events, and/or ideas for events.

## Open Office Hours

### PRESIDENT'S OFFICE (BARN 125)

MARIKO SILVER, President of the College: Please contact Leanne Brown for an appointment, ext. 4300.

### DEAN'S OFFICE (BARN 123)

ISABEL ROCHE, Provost and Dean of the College: Mon., 12:00-1:00 pm.

LAURIE KOBICK, Dean of Studies: Tuesday, 12:30-1:30 pm, contact Kelly Hayes for an appointment, ext. 4400.

### ALUMNI RELATIONS OFFICE (BARN 112)

Office hours: by appointment Weds. 12:00 - 2:00 pm.

### ACADEMIC SERVICES (BARN 120)

NOELLE EVERETT MURPHY, Director of Grants and Fellowships and Associate Director of Academic Services: Mon. & Wed., 1:00-2:00 pm.

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

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

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

WALK IN HOURS: Tues. & Wed., 12:00-2:00 pm.

SENIOR WALK IN HOURS: Thur. 12:00-2:00 pm.

### UNDER GRADUATE WRITING INITIATIVES (CROSSETT LIBRARY)

CAMILLE GUTHRIE, Director of Undergraduate Writing Initiatives: Tues. 10:00 - 12:00 pm, Wed. 2:00 - 5:00 pm, Thurs., 9:30-11:00 am.

### STUDENT LIFE OFFICE (BARN NORTH)

XENIA MARKOWITT, Dean of Students: Contact Christine Congelosi-Lulla for an appointment, ext. 4220.

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

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

SAMANTHA IVERY, Director of Projects in Campus Equity & Inclusion, Fri. 12:30-2:00 pm or by appointment ext. 4756.

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

KATE CHILD, Director of the First-Year Experience and International Student Services: Tues. & Thurs., 1:00-2:00 pm.

DANIELLE DOHANEY, First Year & International Student Advisor: Wed. & Fri., 1:00-2:00 pm.

ADRIANA DIAZ, First Year Advisor 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 an appointment, ext. 4334.

ANYA PIOTROWSKI, Assistant Director for Community Engagement: Mon. 3-5:30 pm, Thurs. 4-5:30 pm.

ALLISON KUHLMAN, Assistant Director of Student Engagement, Fri., 3:00-5:00 pm.

### STUDENT HEALTH CENTER

ALI TARTAGLIA, Director of Student Health Promotion: Mon., 1:00-4:00 pm, room 123.

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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