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Cooper's Corner

Are you one of those people who still hasn't picked up their room key? Here are some great reasons to pick it up today: Live your best life-feel safe and secure in your room!

Empower yourself- have the power to lock or unlock your door! Be present- let us know you're here by picking up your key! Treat yourself- this is a great excuse to get a sweet key chain!

From my corner to yours,



Field Work Term and Career Development

Work Resource Library

The Work Resource Library is an ever-expanding database of discipline-specific career resources, opportunities for community engagement, and general resources for planning life after and beyond the Bennington campus. It's just migrated from its own domain to the College website for ease of use, so check out everything it has to offer as you begin planning your next steps.

Life After Bennington (LAB) Spring Series

After the successful Life After Bennington weekend in the fall of 2016, we are continuing the LAB series with spring events designed to help you explore what it means to bring your work beyond Bennington. A sampling of events is below; find the full lineup in the Career Development Programming section of the College website.

Professional Possibilities in Psychology, Adam Freed '08 and Amanda Sullivan '09, March 23, 12:30-1:30pm, Dickinson 212 Environmental Studies as Career, Ben Underwood '13, March 24, 12:15-1:00pm, Dickinson 212

Writing for Film, Gloria Norris '76, April 7, 12:15-1:00pm, Dickinson 212

Life Work Term: A Practical Guide

Are you concerned about navigating some of life's complexities post-graduation? These workshops may help. March's offerings are below; check out the full list on the Career Development Programming page.

Summer Internship Workshop, March 23, 12:15-1:00pm, Barn 240

Charting a Path to Your City of Choice, March 29, 12:30-1:30pm, Dickinson 212

Looking for a summer job or internship?

WorkLink will list opportunities throughout the term; be sure to check back often to see new additions. Some highlights include: Health Justice Intern. The Praxis Project, Oakland, CA (paid)

Paid Summer Internships, Creative Capital, New York, NY (paid)

Paid Summer Internships in Museums, Studio in a School, multiple locations (paid)

Farm Apprentice, Nicole Daunic '03, Arlington, VT (room, meals)

Governance, Economics, and Journalism Interns, DC Internships, Washington, DC (housing, scholarships)

Clubs & Orgs. Information

Computer Science Club, Wednesdays, 7:30 pm, Computer Lab

D.R.E.A.M, Sunday, 4:00 - 5:00 pm, UpCaf

Animation Club, Saturdays, 7:00 pm, Dickinson 209

Bennington Initiative to Counter Harm, Wednesdays, 8:30 pm, DownCaf

Bennington Environmental Action Group (BEAG), Thursdays, 9:00 pm, UpCaf

Magic Players Club, Wednesdays, 7:00 pm, UpCaf

Broadway@Bennington, Fridays, 8:00 pm, Dickinson 209

Bennington Sustainable Food Project, Tuesdays, 9:00 pm, Down Commons

Purple Carrot Farm, Sundays, 12:00-1:00 pm, UpCaf

Student Gift Committee, Friday, 12:00 -1:00 pm, Student Center

Vermonster Ultimate Frisbee, Fri./Sun./Mon., 4:00 -6:00 pm, Sat. 4:00 -6:00 pm, Soccer Field

Archery Club, Wednesdays and Saturdays, 1:00 pm, Soccer Field

Bennington Free Press, Sundays, 2:00 pm, UpCaf

Latinx Allies, Tuesdays, 7:00 pm, UpCaf

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- Gems, Minerals and Human Nature: exhibit of gems and minerals will be on view March 8 March 31 from 1:00-5:00 pm.
- 👩 Foreign Language Series presents: La memoria y la resistencia a través de la comida. Aria Killough-Miller '17 will present senior work in GANAS in Spanish on Monday, March 20 at 7:00 pm in EAC Classroom 1.
- House Chair Applications are on the Residential Life page of the website and are due at 5:00 pm on Monday, March 20.
- Budget and Events Proposal Submissions for the Spring '17 semester have been established. All proposal submissions to the Budget & Events committee are due to the Office for Student Engagement by 5:00 pm on the Tuesday dates indicated below: March 21, April 4, 18, May 2, 16, 30.
- co Candidate Presentation: Abigail Satinsky will give a presentation as a candidate for the new Usdan allery Director/Curator position on Tuesday, March 21 at 1:00 pm, in VAPA Kinoteca.
- PAC Presents: Cultural Misconceptions: Exploring Different Cultural Experiences on Tuesday, March 21 at 8:00 pm, in the Upcaf. Centered around exploring different experiences people have pertaining to a certainl holiday or event. Students and Faculty
- Carriage Barn Concert Series prestents Michael Bisio Accortet on Tuesday, March 21 at 8:00 pm, in Deanne Carriage Barn, Pit.
- The Dining Services Committee will be meeting on Wednesday, March 22 at 12:30 pm, in the big room of the dining hall. They will be discussing the plans for dining in preparation of the Commons renovation.
- Translation & Autobiography: Augustine, Rousseau, Solzhenitsyn a talk by Peter Constantine, on Wednesday, March 22 at 7:00 pm in CAPA Symposium. He is a literary translator and editor and the director of the Literary Translation Program at the University of Connecticut.
- 🙆 LAB Conversation: Professional Possibilities in Psychology. On Thursday, March 23 at 12:15 pm join alumni Adam Freed '08 and Amanda Sullivan '09 for a conversation on making your way in the psychological sciences after graduation in Dickinson 212.
- Summer Internship Workshop on Thursday, March 23 at 12:15pm in Barn 240. Explore how to build on your FWT to create a meaningful summer experience. The FWT office will offer tips, timelines, and budget considerations as you plan your next work or intern opportunity.
- LAB Conversation: Environmental Studies as a Career on Friday, March 24 at 12:15 pm in Dickinson 212, ioin alumnus Ben Underwood '13, co-president and founder of Resonant Energy for a conversation on making a career in environmentalism after
- PAC presents Nauroz! Join us as we celebrate the Parsi New Year the traditional way. Come to the Student Center on Friday, March 24 at 6:00 pm, to enjoy some good food and great music.
- Representation of the Classic Film Series every Friday at 7:15 pm in Kinoteca. This week's film The Mundane Afrofuturist Manifesto.
- Workshop in Chinese Classical Dance on Saturday, March 25 at 1:00 pm, in VAPA E303 Dance Studio. An introduction to Chinese Classical Dance, which emphasizes aesthetic integration of 'ancient Chinese dances' with "opera dances" and "traditional martial arts"
- PAC and the Vermont Arts Exchange proudly present: Billy Wylder & Woven live at the Masonic Lodge, downtown Bennington, Saturday, March 25, 7:00 pm. Sign ups and tickets/shuttle are available for \$5.00 in the Office of Student Life, e-mail Matt Scott at mscott@bennington.edu for more information.
- 60 Bennington Connects presents the Intercultural Festival! Saturday, March 25 at 7:00 pm, in Martha Hill. Performances by Sashank Aryal, Luluwama Mulalu, Aviation, Tuva Eid, Rumana Mehdi, Susie Childs and others. We are looking for models and choreographers for our fashion show. If interested email Rumana (smehdi@bennington.edu) or Susie (idole@bennington.edu).
- Send us your writers: Bennington Undergraduate Writing Fellowships offers select undergraduate writers (Jr. & Sr.) the chance to attend a 10-day residency at the MFA in Writing program, Applications are due Wednesday, March 29, bennington edu for details.
- Are you interested in attending the 5th Annual First Generation College Student Summit: Unpacking the Intersections: Navigating Power, Privilege, and Pride at Tuft's University on Saturday, April 8, 2017? Registration is free and transportation is provided. Contact Kate Child kchild@bennington.edu if you are interested. http://www.classism.org/events/5th-annual-first-gen-collegestudent-summit/ for more information.

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

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MONDAY, MARCH 20

All Week PB&J Slam, Student Life Office and Bennington Acts table All Day Plan drafts due to advisors, Bennington Campus

All Day House Chair Applications due, Residential Life webpage or Student Life office

7:00 pm La Memoria y la resistencia a través de la comida, EAC Classroom 1

TUESDAY, MARCH 21

All Day Budget & Events Proposals Submissions due, office of Student Engagement

12:15 pm Meals on Wheels trips, leave flagpole at 12:15 return around 3:45 pm

Candidate Presentation: Abigail Satinsky for Usdan Gallery Director/Curator, VAPA Kinoteca 1:00 pm

7:30 pm North Bennington Village Trustees Meeting, North Bennington

2:00 pm Carriage Barn Concert Series: Michael Bisio Accortet, Deane Carriage Barn, Pit.

8:00 pm Cultural Misconceptions: Exploring Different Cultural Experiences, Upcaf

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22

Dining Services Committee meeting, big room of the Dining Hall

7:00 pm Translation & Autobiography: talk by Peter Constantine, CAPA Symposium

12:15 pm French Language Table, Commons Dining Halls (every Thursday)

12:15 pm LAB Conversations: Professional Possibilities in Psychology, Dickinson 212

12:15 pm Summer Internship Workshop, Barn 240

6:00 pm Nauroz: Parsi New Year, Student Center

10:00 pm Karaoke Night, Student Center

FRIDAY, MARCH 24

12:15pm LAB Conversations: Environmental Studies as a Career, Dickinson 212

CAPA Dialogues, CAPA Faculty Lounge 12:30 pm

7:15 pm Classic Film Series: The Mundane Afrofuturist Manifesto, Kinoteca

SATURDAY, MARCH 25

1:00 pm Workshop in Classical Chinese Dance, VAPA E303 Dance Studio

7:00 pm Billy Wylder & Woven, Masonic Lodge in Downtown Bennington

7:00 pm Intercultural Festival, Martha Hill

SUNDAY, MARCH 26

Dog Walking Training, Second Chance Animal Shelter (van leaves flagpole at 9:10 am)

Health Promotion

Dr. Randy and his staff welcome Kim Ratelle, FNP, who joined his team to provide women's health services and STI screening and treatment. Kim is available for appointments on Thrusdays 12:30 - 3:30 pm by calling 802-440-4426 or healthservices@bennington.edu

Ali Tartaglia is available at alisontartaglia@bennington.edu, in confidence at 802-440-HOPE (4673) or stop by her office Barn 113.

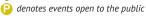
Meyer Rec. Barn Schedule

Zumba: Tuesdays 2:30 - 3:15 pm and Thursdays 6:15 - 7:00 pm. Yoga: Tuesdays 6:30 - 7:45 pm and Fridays 12:15 - 1:15 pm. Climbing Wall: Monday - Saturday 7:00 - 9:00 pm. We are offering personal fitness training! If you are interested please email

Allison at allisonkuhlman@bennington.edu.



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Bennington ACTS

- The annual North Bennington Village Trustee Meeting is this Tuesday, March 21 at 7:30 pm in the Village School of North Bennington's gymnasium! It's a 15 minute walk from campus, but you can also get there via the shuttle. You received a letter in your mailbox from a Village Trustee inviting you to this meeting and welcoming you to partake in local Village governance. Whether you regularly spend time or engage in issues in North Bennington or not, this is a great opportunity to learn more about the North Bennington community and have your voice heard! Contact Michael Thomson with any questions.
- Bennington ACTS Second Chance Animal Center trips are starting up again! This term will kick off with a Dog Walking Training this Sunday, March 26 from 9:30-10:30 am (van leaves the Flagpole at 9:10 am and returns to campus at 10:50 am). If you complete the training, you can walk dogs outside of the Center whenever you go to volunteer. If you're interested in the training, please email acts@bennington.edu for a volunteer application and to sign up for a spot on the van.
- Bennington ACTS Meals On Wheels trips are kicking into action this week! Meals On Wheels is a local nonprofit food relief organization providing free and subsidized meals to low-income aging populations in Bennington, and they are in need of volunteers to assist in food prep and meal preparation, serving meals, and socializing with quests at their café. These trips will happen every Tuesday, with a van leaving the Flagpole at 12:15 pm and arriving at MOW at 12:30 pm. After volunteering (and eating a free lunch if you'd like), the van will pick you up at 3:30 pm and drop you off on campus at 3:45 pm. All are welcome, even if you don't sign up ahead of time. Email acts@bennington.edu to sign up.
- Bennington ACTS is participating in the first annual community-wide PB&J Slam between March 20-April 3! What in the world is this, you ask? PB&J Slam is a peanut butter and jelly food drive -two of the most requested items from food pantries- to help local food pantries during low supply months. This year's community goal is 1000 jars, with all donations going to BROC, the Kitchen Cupboard, and HIS Pantry. The donation box is in the Student Life Office and at the Bennington ACTS Table!

Open Office Hours

PRESIDENT'S OFFICE (BARN 125)

MARIKO SILVER, President of the College: Tues., 12:30 - 1:30 pm. contact Leanne Brown for an appointment, ext. 4330.

DEAN'S OFFICE (BARN 123)

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

LAURIE KOBIK, Associate Dean for Academic Services: Mon. & Wed., 12:30-1:30 pm, contact Kelly Hayes for an appointment.

LYDIA BRASSARD, Director for Institutional Diversity and Inclusion: Wed., 12:30-2:00 pm (Barn 113f).

ALUMNI RELATIONS OFFICE (BARN 106) Open office hours: Fri., 12:00-2:00 pm.

ACADEMIC SERVICES (BARN 120)

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

NOELLE EVERETT MURPHY, Director of Grants and Fellowships and Associate Director of Academic Services: Mon & Wed, 12:30-2:00 pm.

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

SELINA PETSCHEK, First Year and International Student Advisor/Assistant: Wed. & Thurs., 1:00-2:00 pm.

KENDRA ERICSON, BARN 242, Director of Study Away and Associate Director of Academic Services: Tues. & Thurs., 1:00-2:00 pm.

FWT & CAREER DEVELOPMENT OFFICE (BARN 112) HOLLY MCCORMACK, Dean of Field Work Term: Wed., 12:00-1:00 pm.

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

WALK IN HOURS: Tues. & Thurs., 12:00-2:00 pm. **STUDENT LIFE OFFICE (BARN 113)**

XENIA MARKOWITT, Dean of Students: Contact Christine Congelosi-Lulla to schedule an appointment.

NATALIE BASIL, Assistant Dean of Students: Thurs., 12:00-2:00 pm

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

JIRAY AVIDESIAN, Assistant Director of Residential Life: Call for appointment, ext. 4230.

TINA COOPER, Assistant Director of Residential Life: Call for appointment, ext. 4333.

OFFICE FOR STUDENT ENGAGEMENT (UPCAF)

MATT SCOTT, Director for Student Engagement: call or

email for an appointment, ext. 4334.

MICHAEL THOMSON, Kilpatrick Fellow for Community Engagement: call or email for an appointment., ext. 4370. ALLISON KUHLMAN, Assistant Director of Student Engage-

ment, Fri., 3:00-5:00 pm.

Looking for more information on the events listed here? Try the online calendar at www.bennington.edu