CAMPUS NEWS

‘Building a Better Brockport’ – Allen exterior renovation project requires relocation of occupants of floors 7, 6, and 5

Allen Administration Building - occupants of floors 7, 6, and 5 temporarily moved to swing space locations the week of September 4, exterior renovation project proceeds to next phase of work. Please read the complete story. [Read the complete story]

The Staff and Crew of the MetroCenter Say Farewell and Good Luck to Brockport Downtown

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EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

Trisha Brown Dance Company Lecture/Demo on Wednesday, Sept. 5

On Wednesday, September 5, from 10:10 to 11:00 a.m., members of the internationally acclaimed Trisha Brown Dance Company will present a lecture/demonstration in Rose L. Strasser Studio in Hartwell Hall.. [Read the complete story]

Political Cartoons: No Laughing Matter?

Join us on September 13 for the Lifelong Learning Community Lecture Series kickoff! Dr. Elaine Miller, Professor Emeritus, will discuss how political cartoons work, who does them, and what role they play in U.S. politics. McCue Auditorium, LAB, 6-7 pm. [Read the complete story]

Growing Together: Celebrating Equity & Inclusion on Campus

We will be addressing the social - economic and educational challenges that students face, while discussing new resources available to students. Date: Wednesday, September 5 Location: REOC Multi-Purpose Room Time: Noon – 1:45 pm [Read the complete story]

Upcoming SafeZone Train-The-Trainer Certification Program
The Professional Development Subcommittee will cover the cost of the Out Alliance’s upcoming SafeZone Train-The-Trainer certification program for individuals who agree to co-facilitate SafeZone trainings for the Brockport community. [Read the complete story]

**STAR-NY Online Tutoring Is Here! (Starting on September 4)**

STAR-NY is a consortium of SUNY colleges and universities that have joined together to share resources and expertise to better meet student needs for online tutoring. [Read the complete story]

**Monroe and Vicinity Biennial Displays Work of Regional Artists**

Join us for an opening reception on September 4, from 4 to 6 pm [Read the complete story]

**The Season Starts Off with a Blast with the Eastman School of Music Trombone Choir**

Works by Bach, Debussy, and Bozza are on the program [Read the complete story]

**Internationally Acclaimed Trisha Brown Dance Company to Perform in Brockport**

Company will give a free Lecture/Demonstration on September 5, as well as performances on September 6 and 7. [Read the complete story]

**Alaska Student Teaching Information Session**

Dr. Chris Wilkens will share information about Student Teaching in Alaska on Wednesday, 9/26. He’s offering two sessions, one from 4 to 4:45 pm and the second one from 5 to 5:45 pm in the Special Collections Room in Drake Library. Hope to see you there! [Read the complete story]

**Trauma, Illness, and Grief (TIG) Workshop**

Please join us on September 27 from 3:45 to 4:45 pm. Trauma, Illness, and Grief (TIG) Center Coordinator Samantha Colson will share the work they are doing and how to support students in crisis from the role of an educator. [Read the complete story]

**COMMUNITY SERVICE**

**Early Childhood Music Classes**

Music classes for children birth to age 6 are a great way to begin a lifelong enjoyment of music and learning. Children registered for our 5-week sessions will engage in both musical and social/behavioral concepts tailored to fit their age and ability. [Read the complete story]

**ATHLETICS/SPORTS**

**Brockport Basketball Clinic**

Brockport basketball will be hosting a one-day clinic that will include live instruction, skill work, and prizes with members of the team. [Read the complete story]
RAs and Campus Dining Make Positive Impression on Nursing Freshmen

When asked the question, in an anonymous APS class poll, "Who or what has made the biggest impression on you so far (in a positive way)?", freshmen nursing students responded, overwhelmingly, that their RAs had. Campus food a positive, too. [Read the complete story]

Communication Professor Publishes Article on Motherhood and Environmentalism

Dr. Christopher Thomas has published an article in the peer reviewed Southern Communication Journal on the ways motherhood helps women advocate for environmental justice in marginalized communities. [Read the complete story]

Dr. Natalie Sarrazin publishes book on Problem-Based Learning in the College Music Classroom

Released on August 23, the Routledge book is built on instituting problem-based learning in a college music classroom. Chapter contributors from Brockport faculty include Natalie Sarrazin, Tamara Wilcox, Margaret Leenhouts, and Scott Horsington. [Read the complete story]

Open Session with Counselor Candidate

On Wednesday, September 5, we will be welcoming to campus two candidates for the open Alcohol and Other Drug/Mental Health Counselor position. [Read the complete story]

Announcement of upcoming SUNY Retirement Plan changes

Important changes to the SUNY Optional Retirement Program (ORP) and the 403(b) Voluntary Savings Plan will take effect on September 4, 2018. See complete story for details. [Read the complete story]

Assistant Director of Campus Recreation Employment Opportunity

Internal Posting [Read the complete story]

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The MetroCenter, the Rochester downtown extension site of The College at Brockport, closed on August 4. Since opening its doors in 2003, the MetroCenter has offered 15K+ undergraduate and graduate classes and has served over 12K students.

The new campus extension site in the City of Rochester for The College at Brockport is called Brockport Downtown and is located at 161 Chestnut St, Rochester, NY. Brockport Downtown opened for classes August 20.

The staff and crew of the MetroCenter would like to say “farewell” and we want to express our thanks to everyone who is making the transition to Brockport Downtown so successful. We wish the faculty/staff/facilities/security/housekeeping crew and student workers at the Brockport Downtown site the best of luck in providing a successful learning environment and community for all the students who will attend classes there.

Thanks to The College at Brockport faculty and staff; Facility/Security/Housekeeping crew; Graduate Assistants and student workers who have made the MetroCenter a success over the past 15 years.

Attached are pictures of The College at Brockport staff who managed and provided student services to the students at the MetroCenter this past year. The College at Brockport Staff pictured (from top left to right): Dr. Tom Hernandez, Dean, School of Education, Health, and Human Services; Omeri Nwachi, Facility Coordinator; Kevin Montano, Graduate Assistant; Linda Hacker, Librarian; Phyllis Griswold, Sr. Career Counselor; Lisa Robusto-Mack, Events and Outreach Coordinator/Facility Assistant; Victoria Pardee, Graduate Assistant; and Dan Sargent, Technology Manager. Additional thanks to Doreen Hagan, Secretary, and Shari Hardenbrook, Technology Support Technician, who both moved on to greater opportunities this year.

We also want to thank the crew of the facility, security and housekeeping staff who provided key services in maintaining the historic MetroCenter building and keeping the faculty, staff and students safe inside and outside the building.

Attached is a picture of some of our facility/security crew (top left to right): Elliot Alvarez, Manager of Operations, Landsman Real Estate Services; Larry Hall, Building Manager, Landsman Real Estate Services; Victor Oshinyemi, Security Guard; and Kevin Bradford, Security Guard. Not pictured: Patti Hamilton, Security Guard; Greg Lerner, Security Guard; Antonio Bermudez, Housekeeping; and Tammy Underwood, Housekeeping.
HEADLINES

**UUP Professional Request for Promotion or Salary Increase Program**
Applications are currently being accepted... See Details Below [Read the complete story]

**Join us for First Fridays at Burlingame!**
Kick off the semester with First Fridays, sponsored by Heidi and Allan Macpherson.
[Read the complete story]

ATHLETICS/SPORTS

**Volleyball/Field Hockey Double Header Wednesday**
Both Brockport volleyball & the field hockey team will both be in action Wed., Sept. 5 at 7 p.m. You can take your pick to see volleyball face Roberts in Tuttle, or the FH team Nazareth on the turf. Either way, show the Golden Eagles your support! [Read the complete story]

FACULTY/STAFF NEWS

**Morag Martin, History, publishes edited volume on Spirituality and Birth**
"Sacred Inception: Reclaiming the Spirituality of Birth in the Modern World" came out with Lexington Press in July, co-edited with Marianne Delaporte, the author’s sister. [Read the complete story]
Morag Martin, History, publishes edited volume on Spirituality and Birth


Sacred Inception

This interdisciplinary volume explores the intersection of spirituality with childbirth from 1800 to the present day from a variety of geographical locales. It illustrates how over this time period in much of the world, traditional practices, home births, and midwives have been overshadowed and undermined by male dominated obstetrics, hospitalization, and ultimately the medicalization of the birthing process itself. Morag Martin authored a chapter entitled: "Midwifery as Religious Calling: The Struggle for Church Recognition by the Soeurs de la Charité Maternelle of Metz in the Nineteenth Century."

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EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

Rochester-Area Law School Night!
All Rochester-area undergrads and grads are invited to attend the Rochester-Area Law School Night on Monday, September 24, at the University of Rochester. [Read the complete story]

Health and Wellness Fair
Join us to learn more about campus and area health and wellness resources. Flu shots, food sampling, chair massages, yoga and more! [Read the complete story]

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Mark Your Calendar for Cops On Top – September 14
Brockport University Police and the Village of Brockport police will be participating in Cops On Top at the Brockport Dunkin' Donuts to benefit Special Olympics New York and Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics New York. [Read the complete story]

Team 343 Tunnel to Towers Rochester – Volunteers Still Needed
Join Team 343 as we honor the 343 fallen firefighters of 9/11. Team 343 volunteers hold tribute signs of the 343 firefighters lost in 9/11 as runners/walkers pass by during the Steven Siller Tunnel to Tower Rochester 5K run/walk. [Read the complete story]

CAMPUS NEWS

‘Building a Better Brockport’ – Allen exterior renovation project requires relocation of occupants of floors 7, 6, and 5
Update – Relocation of occupants from the 7th floor of the Allen Building to Dailey Hall is now complete. [Read the complete story]

Religious Holidays and the Diverse Faith and Religious Communities
SUNY System policy recognizing religious holidays and the diverse faith and religious communities. [Read the complete story]
Christian Carson exhibits work at the Czong Institute for Contemporary Art in Gimpo-si, South Korea

International juried exhibition "No Image" at the CICA Museum explores text-based art, sound art, installation art, performance art, and instruction-based art. Exhibition closes on September 16, 2018.

Interfaith Calendar: The following calendar is being used with permission by St. Cloud State University.

Lammas/Lughnasadh (Pagan, Wiccan, Druid)

**Date(s):** August 1 (annual)
**Description:** A celebration of the beginning of the harvest. One of the eight major annual sabbats or festivals.
**General Practices:** Making and consuming dishes with the first fruits of the harvest.

Eid al-Adha (Muslim)

**Date(s):** August 21-22, 2018 (August 11-12, 2019)
**Description:** Eid al-Adha is a major festival that celebrates the willingness to make sacrifices in the name of one’s faith. This holiday celebrates the prophet Ibrahim's total faith in God, and Muslims view this holiday as an important annual reminder. Ibrahim was ordered to sacrifice his son in God's name. When Ibrahim was prepared to kill his son, God stepped in and gave him a sheep to sacrifice instead. Begins at sundown. Due to the differing interpretations of the lunar calendar, Muslims may differ as to when they celebrate Eid al-Adha.
**General Practices:** Prayers and gift giving.
**Recommended Accommodations:** Avoid scheduling important academic deadlines, events and activities on the first day.

Raksha Bandhan (Hindu)

**Date(s):** August 25, 2018 (August 15, 2019)
**Description:** An ancient Hindu festival that celebrates the love and duty between brothers and their sisters.
**General Practices:** The festival is marked by the several rituals, which vary regionally.

Rosh Hashanah (Jewish)
Date(s): September 9-11, 2018 (September 30- October 1, 2019)
Description: Start of the Jewish New Year. Begins at sundown (first day) and ends at nightfall (last day). The Jewish calendar celebrates the New Year in the seventh month (Tishrei) as a day of rest and celebration ten days before Yom Kippur.
General Practices: Prayer in synagogue and festive meals
Recommended Accommodations: Avoid scheduling important academic deadlines, events, or activities on this date. If planning an event, provide food accommodation as requested (kosher restrictions apply).
Events: Services will be held on campus for students, faculty, staff, and their friends on Sunday, September 9, 2018 at 7 pm and Monday, September 10, 2018 at 10 am. All services will be held in room 119 in the Seymour College Union.

Yom Kippur (Jewish)

Date(s): September 18-19, 2018 (October 8-9, 2019)
Description: Yom Kippur is often considered the holiest day of the year for Jews, and the day is dedicated to atonement and abstinence. Begins at sundown (first day) and ends at nightfall (last day).
General Practices: During Yom Kippur, Jews fast from before sundown until after sunset, and light a Yahrzeit memorial candle at sundown on the night of Yom Kippur.
Recommended Accommodations: Avoid scheduling important academic deadlines, events or activities on this date and after a day of fasting.
Events: Services will be held on campus for students, faculty, staff, and their friends on Tuesday, September 18, 2018 at 7 pm and Wednesday, September 19, 2018 at 10 am. All services will be held in room 119 in the Seymour College Union.

Mabon/Alban Elfed/Autumnal Equinox (Pagan, Wiccan, Druid)

Date(s): September 23, 2018 (September 23, 2019)
Description: Also referred to as Harvest Home, the Feast of the Ingathering and Meán Fómhair. Mabon is the second celebration of the harvest, a ritual of thanksgiving for the fruits of the earth. One of the eight major annual sabbats or festivals.
General Practices: At Mabon, day and night are in equal balance. It is a time to offer gratitude for the blessings of the harvest and also to begin to prepare for turning inward. Making dishes with apples, squash and pumpkins as part of ritual celebration is customary.

Sukkot (Jewish)

Date(s): September 23-24, 2018 (October 14-15, 2019)
Description: A week-long celebration which begins with the building of Sukkah for sleep and meals; Sukkot is named for the huts Moses and the Israelites lived in as they wandered the desert before reaching the promised land.
General Practices: Sukkot, beginning at sundown, families in the United States commonly decorate the Sukkah with produce and artwork.
**Recommended Accommodations:** Avoid scheduling important academic deadlines, events or activities on the first two days.

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**Shemini Atzeret (Jewish)**

**Date(s):** September 30- October 1, 2018 (October 20-21, 2019)

**Description:** A fall festival, which includes a memorial service for the dead and features prayers for rain in Israel.

**General Practices:** Beginning at sundown, Jews light a Yahrzeit memorial candle at sundown on Shemini Atzereth (the 8th night of Sukkot).

**Recommended Accommodations:** Avoid scheduling important academic deadlines, events or activities on the first two days.

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**Simchat Torah (Jewish)**

**Date(s):** October 1-2, 2018 (October 21-22, 2019)

**Description:** Simchat Torah marks the completion of the annual cycle of the reading of the Torah in the synagogue and the beginning of the new cycle.

**General Practices:** Practitioners dance in synagogues as all the Torah scrolls are carried around in seven circuits.

**Recommended Accommodations:** Avoid scheduling important academic deadlines, events or activities on the first two days.

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**Navaratri (Hindu)**

**Date(s):** October 9, 2018 (September 29, 2019)

**Description:** A Hindu festival that celebrates the triumph of good over evil. During this time, Hindus worship Durga, Lakshmi and Saraswati.

**General Practices:** Durga is the mother goddess, and so Hindus try to visit their mothers and other relatives during this time. Some Hindus will pray and fast, and there are often feasts and dances.

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**Samhain (Pagan, Wiccan, Druid)**

**Date(s):** October 31- November 1, 2018 (annual)

**Description:** One of the four "greater Sabbats" and considered by some to be the Wiccan New Year. A time to celebrate the lives of those who have passed on, welcome those born during the past year into the community, and reflecting on past relationships, events and other significant changes in life.

**General Practices:** Paying respect to ancestors, family members, elders of the faith, friends, pets and other loved ones who have died.

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**Diwali (Hindu, Buddhist, Sikh, Jain)**
Date(s): November 7, 2018 (October 27, 2019)
Description: Diwali—the Hindu "festival of lights"—is an extremely popular holiday for multiple religions throughout Southern Asia. Diwali extends over five days and celebrates the victory of good over evil. Fireworks, oil lamps and sweets are common. The lamps are lit to help the goddess Lakshmi find her way into people's homes.
General Practices: Lighting oil lamps and candles, setting off fireworks, and prayer.
Recommended Accommodations: Avoid scheduling important academic deadlines, events, and activities on this date. Hindu employees will likely request a vacation day on this date.

Birth of Bahá'u'lláh (Baha'i)

Date(s): November 9-10, 2018 (October 29-30, 2019)
Description: This holiday celebrates the birthday of Bahá'u'lláh, one of the Baha'I faith's most important figures. For Bahá'ís, the Birth of Bahá'u'lláh is a Holy Day celebrating the rebirth of the world through the love of God, just as Christmas is for Christians.
Recommended Accommodations: Avoid scheduling important academic deadlines, events or activities on this date. (Baha'i employees will likely request to have this day off.)

Hanukkah/Chanukah (Jewish)

Date(s): December 2-10, 2018 (December 23-30, 2019)
Description: Hanukkah is the Jewish festival of lights, and lasts for eight days. Hanukkah commemorates the Jewish struggle for religious freedom. The celebration commemorates, which begins at sundown the first day, a miracle in which a sacred temple flame burned for eight days on only one day's worth of oil.
General Practices: On each of the eight nights of Hanukkah, Jewish families light an additional candle of the menorah candelabrum until all eight candles are lit. Jews celebrate with food and song, as well as exchanging gifts for eight days.
Recommended Accommodations: Academics and work permitted, not a work holiday.

Yule/Midwinter/Alban Arthan/Winter Solstice (Pagan, Wiccan, and Druid)

Date(s): December 20, 2018- January 1, 2019 (annual)
Description: In most traditions, Yule is celebrated as the rebirth of the Great God, who is viewed as the newborn solstice sun. Some pagans consider Yule to be the beginning of the new year. One of the eight major annual sabbats or festivals.
General Practices: Burning the yule log is an act of faith and renewal that, indeed, the light, and the warmth will return.

Christmas (Christian/Roman Catholic, Protestant)

Date(s): December 24-25, 2018 (annual)
Description: Christmas is an annual celebration commemorating the birth of Jesus of Nazareth, the
Messiah whose message and self-sacrifice began the Christian religion.

**General Practices:** Many celebrate this holiday by giving gifts, attending church services, decorating Christmas trees and visiting family.

**Date details:** Begins at sundown on Dec. 24 annually and continues with all day celebration on Dec. 25.

**Recommended Accommodations:** This is a national holiday in the United States, so special accommodations are likely not required.

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Gantan-sai (Shinto)

**Date(s):** January 1, 2019 (annual)

**Description:** Gantan-sai is the annual New Year festival of the Shinto religion.

**General Practices:** Practitioners pray for inner renewal, prosperity and health, as well as visiting shrines and visiting friends and family.

**Recommended Accommodations:** Avoid scheduling important academic deadlines, events and activities on this date (work holiday).

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Epiphany/Twelfth Night/Three Kings Day (Christian/Roman Catholic, Protestant)

**Date(s):** January 6, 2019 (annual)

**Description:** This date is also known as Befana Day; commemorates the revelation of God through Jesus Christ and marks the time the three wise men arrived in Bethlehem and presented gifts to the baby Jesus.

**General Practices:** Prayer, festive meals, offerings, gifts.

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Christmas (Russian Orthodox Christian)

**Date(s):** January 7, 2019 (January 7, 2020)

**Description:** Christmas is an annual celebration commemorating the birth of Jesus of Nazareth, the Messiah whose message and self-sacrifice began the Christian religion.

**General Practices:** Many celebrate this holiday by attending church services, holding celebratory meals and visiting family.

**Date details:** Russian Orthodox Christmas is determined by the Julian calendar which regulates ceremonial cycle of the Russian Orthodox Christian churches.

**Recommended Accommodations:** Because this holiday typically falls during winter break, academic accommodations may not be required. However many Russian Orthodox employees will probably request this day off.

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Imbolc/Candlemas (Pagan, Wiccan, Druid)

**Date(s):** February 1-2, 2019 (annual)

**Description:** Also referred to as the Feast of Pan, Feast of Torches, Feast of Waxing Lights and Oimele, Celebrates the coming of spring and recovery of the Earth Goddess after giving birth to the Sun God at
Yule. For many traditions, a time for initiations, re-dedication and pledges for the coming year. One of the four "greater Sabbats."

**General Practices:** Activities might include making candles, reading poetry and telling stories.

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**Setsubum-sai (Shinto)**

**Date(s):** February 3, 2019 (annual)

**Description:** Setsubum-sai marks the beginning of spring, and is known as the "bean-throwing festival. The faithful scatter roasted beans to bring good luck to the new season.

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**Chinese New Year (Confucian, Taoist, Buddhist)**

**Date(s):** February 5, 2019 (January 25, 2020)

**Description:** This is the most important of traditional Chinese holidays.

**General Practices:** Families gather together to spend the evening preparing boiled dumplings and festive meals and giving of money to children in red envelopes.

**Date details:** Corresponds to the New Moon in Aquarius, which can fall from late January to mid-February.

**Recommended Accommodations:** Avoid scheduling important academic deadlines, events, and activities on this date. Many Chinese employees will probably request this day off.

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**Ash Wednesday (Christian/Roman Catholic, Protestant)**

**Date(s):** March 6, 2019 (February 26, 2020)

**Description:** This is the first day of Lent, the period of forty days before Easter in which many Christians sacrifice ordinary pleasures to reflect on Christ's sacrifice.

**General Practices:** On this day, there are special church services, and the faithful wear a cross of ashes marked on foreheads. Most Christians abstain from meat on this day.

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**Ostara/Alban Eilir/Spring Equinox (Pagan, Wiccan, Druid)**

**Date(s):** March 20, 2019 (annual)

**Description:** Also known as Eostre. Regarded as a time of fertility and conception. In some Wiccan traditions, it is marked as the time when the Goddess conceives the God's child, which will be born at the winter solstice. One of eight major annual sabbats or festivals.

**General Practices:** Lighting fires to commemorate the return of light in the spring and to honor the God and Goddess. Coloring eggs as a way of honoring fertility is also practiced.

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**Naw Ruz (Baha'i)**
Date(s): March 20-21, 2019 (annual)
**Description:** This is the Baha’i New Year, a traditional celebration in Iran adopted as a holy day associated with Baha’i. It is a celebration of spring and new life.
**General Practices:** Festive music dancing, prayers, meetings and meals.

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Purim (Jewish)

Date(s): March 20-21, 2019 (March 9-10, 2020)
**Description:** Purim commemorates the time when the Jews were living in Persia and were saved by the courage of a young Jewish woman called Esther.
**General Practices:** Many Jews hold carnival-like celebrations on Purim, dressing in costumes, and read the Book of Esther. Triangular, fruit-filled pastries are eaten in opposition to the villain Haman, who wore a three-cornered hat.
**Recommended Accommodations:** Purim is not subject to the restrictions on work that affect some other holidays; however, some sources indicate that Jews should not go about their ordinary business at Purim out of respect for the festival.

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Magha Puja Day (Buddhist)

Date(s): March 21, 2019 (March 9, 2020)
**Description:** Magha Puja Day commemorates an important event in the life of the Buddha, in which the four disciples traveled to join the Buddha.

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Holi (Hindu)

Date(s): March 21, 2019 (March 10, 2019)
**Description:** Also known as the "Festival of Colors," this holiday can be traced to Hindu scriptures commemorating good over evil. This date is also a celebration of the colorful spring and a farewell to the dull winter.
**General Practices:** Hindus often sprinkle colored water and powder on others and celebrate with bonfires and lights, signifying victory of good over evil.
**Date Details:** Celebrated at the end of the winter season on the last full moon day of the lunar moon in late February or early March.

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Palm Sunday (Christian/Roman Catholic, Protestant, Russian Orthodox Christianity)

Date(s): April 14, 2019 (April 5, 2020)
**Description:** A commemoration of Jesus' entry into Jerusalem as crowds lined his path with palm fronds.
**General Practices:** Prayer, distribution of palm leaves commemorating Jesus' entry into Jerusalem prior to his crucifixion.
Vaisakhi (Sikh)

**Date(s):** April 14, 2019 (April 13, 2020)

**Description:** Vaisakhi is the Sikh new year festival and commemorates 1699, the year Sikhism was born. Vaisakhi is also a long-established harvest festival.

**General Practices:** There are often parades, dancing and singing throughout the day. These celebrations involve music, singing and chanting of scriptures and hymns.

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Maundy Thursday (Christian/Roman Catholic, Protestant)

**Date(s):** April 18, 2019 (April 9, 2020)

**Description:** Thursday before Easter, commemorates the Last Supper of Jesus with the Apostles.

**General Practices:** Prayer, Communion (Eucharist), meals, and foot-washing ceremonies among some Christian denominations.

**Date Details:** Always falls on the Thursday before Easter Sunday.

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Good Friday (Christian/Roman Catholic, Protestant)

**Date(s):** April 19, 2019 (April 10, 2020)

**Description:** Friday before Easter, commemorates the crucifixion of Jesus Christ; among some sects of Christianity and in many countries marks a day of fasting.

**General Practices:** Prayer, fasting and noon or afternoon services in some Christian denominations.

**Date Details:** Always falls on the Friday before Easter Sunday.

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Pesach/Passover (Jewish)

**Date(s):** April 20-27, 2019 (April 9-16, 2020)

**Description:** Pesach is a week-long observance commemorating the freedom and exodus of the Israelites (Jewish slaves) from Egypt during the reign of the Pharaoh Ramses II (one of three pilgrimage festivals).

**General Practices:** Family gatherings, ritualized meals called Seders, reading of the Haggadah, lighting of Yahrzeit memorial candle at sundown on the last night of Passover.

**Recommended Accommodations:** Avoid scheduling important academic deadlines, events and activities on the first two and last two days of the holiday.

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Easter (Christian/Roman Catholic, Protestant)

**Date(s):** April 21, 2019 (April 12, 2020)

**Description:** Annual commemoration of the resurrection of Jesus Christ.

**General Practices:** Celebratory meals, family gatherings, distribution of colored eggs, baskets and chocolate bunnies. It is a celebration of renewal.
**Date Details:** Easter Sunday is determined by the Gregorian calendar (Gregorian calendar regulates ceremonial cycle of the Roman Catholic and Protestant churches).

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**Holy Friday/Good Friday (Russian Orthodox Christian)**

**Date(s):** April 26, 2019 (April 17, 2020)

**Description:** Friday before Easter, commemorates the crucifixion of Jesus Christ; among some sects of Christianity and in many countries marks a day of fasting.

**General Practices:** Prayer, fasting, confession and church services as well as the wrapping or dying of eggs in preparation for Easter Sunday.

**Date Details:** Orthodox Good Friday is determined by the Julian calendar which regulates ceremonial cycle of the Russian Orthodox Christian churches.

**Recommended Accommodations:** Avoid scheduling important academic deadlines, events and activities on the date.

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**Pascha/Easter (Russian Orthodox Christian)**

**Date(s):** April 28, 2019 (April 19, 2020)

**Description:** Annual commemoration of the resurrection of Jesus Christ

**General Practices:** Celebratory meals, family gatherings, distribution of colored eggs and baskets of breads, meats, eggs, cheeses and other foods. It is a celebration of renewal.

**Date Details:** Easter Sunday is determined by the Julian calendar which regulates ceremonial cycle of the Russian Orthodox Christian churches.

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**Yom HaSho’ah (Jewish)**

**Date(s):** April 30- May 1, 2019 (April 20-21, 2020)

**Description:** Holocaust Remembrance Day; a day to remember the lives and names of Jewish victims and activists of the Holocaust.

**General Practices:** Ceremonies or events to remember Holocaust victims who died during World War II; activities may include lighting memorial candles and reciting the Kaddish, which is a prayer for the departed.

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**Beltane (Pagan, Wiccan, Druid)**

**Date(s):** May 1, 2019 (annual)

**Description:** The fire festival that celebrates the coming of summer and the fertility of the coming year. One of the eight major annual sabbats or festivals.

**General Practices:** Jumping the balefire and dancing the MayPole.

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**Ramadan (Muslim)**
**Date(s):** May 6- June 3, 2019 (April 24- May 23, 2020)  
**Description:** Ramadan is an occasion to focus on faith through fasting and prayer, and is one of the most important Muslim holidays. Ramadan is notable because the Qur'an was first revealed during this month, and Muslims see the Qur'an as the ultimate form of guidance for mankind.  
**General Practices:** Fasting is required during the entire month of Ramadan. Muslims refrain from food and beverages during the daylight hours, and smoking and sexual relations are forbidden. Worshipers break the fasting each night with prayer, reading of the Qu'ran, and a meal called the iftar.  
**Date Details:** Dates are determined by the lunar calendar. Lunar calendars can vary based on region and practice. The observed date marks the beginning of a 30 day observation.  
**Recommended Accommodations:** If possible, avoid scheduling major academic deadlines during this time. Be sensitive to the fact that students and employees celebrating Ramadan will be fasting during the day (continuously for 30 days) and will likely have less stamina as a result.

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**Buddha Day/ Visakha Puja (Buddhist)**  
**Date(s):** May 18, 2019 (May 7, 2020)  
**Description:** This holiday is traditionally known as Buddha’s birthday. It is the major Buddhist festival, commemorating the birth, enlightenment and death of the Buddha.  
**General Practices:** Buddhists often decorate their homes and visit their local temples. Observers are encouraged to refrain from slaughtering and to avoid eating meat on this date.

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**Ascension of the Baha’ullah (Baha'i)**  
**Date(s):** May 29, 2019 (annual)  
**Description:** Commemorates the death of the founder of the Baha'i faith; Baha'llah died on May 29, 1892.  
**General Practices:** Devotional programs and reading from the scriptures.

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**Eid al-Fitr (Muslim)**  
**Date(s):** June 4-5, 2019 (May 23-24, 2020)  
**Description:** Eid al-Fitr means "break the fast", and is the last day of Ramadan, marking the end of a month of fasting.  
**General Practices:** Muslims often pray, exchange gifts, give money to children, feast and celebrate with friends and family.  
**Date Details:** Dates are determined by the lunar calendar. Lunar calendars can vary based on region and practice. Eid al Fitr is a three day celebration and begins at sundown.  
**Recommended Accommodations:** Avoid scheduling important academic deadlines, events, or activities on this date. Employees will likely ask to take a vacation day on this day, and that request should be granted if at all possible.
Shavuot (Jewish)

**Date(s):** June 9-10, 2019 (May 29-30, 2020)
**Description:** Commemorates receipt of the Torah on Mount Sinai (two of three pilgrimage festivals)
**General Practices:** Evening of devotional programs and studying the Torah, lighting of Yahrzeit memorial candle at sundown on the second night of Shavuot.

Litha/Midsomer/Alban Hefin/Summer Solstice (Pagan, Wiccan, Druid)

**Date(s):** June 21, 2019 (annual)
**Description:** A celebration of the longest day of the year and the beginning of summer. Celebration of the Goddess manifesting as Mother Earth and the God as the Sun King. For some Pagans the Summer Solstice marks the marriage of the God and Goddess and see their union as the force that creates the harvest’s fruits.
**General Practices:** Lighting to bonfires and watching the sun rise.

Tisha B'Av (Jewish)

**Date(s):** August 10-11, 2019 (July 29-30, 2020)
**Description:** Commemorates a series of Jewish tragedies including the destruction of the first and second temples in Jerusalem.
**General Practices:** Fasting and mourning.
**Date Details:** Begins at sundown on first day, fast deferred because of the Sabbath.
**Recommended Accommodations:** Plan limited activities after a fast.
HEADLINES

Join us today for First Friday at Burlingame!
Kick off the semester with First Fridays, sponsored by Heidi and Allan Macpherson. [Read the complete story]

CAMPUS NEWS

Join us for the Naturalization Ceremony
Each Constitution Day, Brockport supports US Citizenship and Immigration Services by hosting the Naturalization Ceremony. Join us on September 17 at 11:15 am in the Union Ballroom to welcome new citizens! Please encourage students to attend. [Read the complete story]

Forms Banner is getting a facelift
Forms Banner 8 is being upgraded to Admin Banner 9 and is now available in TEST. Banner 9 is a more modern web user interface and provides for more enhanced usability and navigation. [Read the complete story]

EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

First Walk/Run Group for Faculty/Staff
Walk or run with other faculty and staff from across campus either one mile or three. All are welcome! [Read the complete story]

"Meet the Greeks" Monday, 9/10 at 8:30 pm!
Our campus community is invited to "Meet the Greeks" on Monday, 9/10 at 8:30 pm in the Campus Mall (rain location: Union Main Lounge) to learn more about Fraternity & Sorority Life at The College at Brockport. [Read the complete story]

"Joy and Happiness to All the Children of the World" Fountain Base Reveal
Join us as we celebrate the completion of the Special Olympics fountain, "Joy and Happiness to All the Children of the World." [Read the complete story]
Open Office Hours with President Macpherson: Monday, September 10

President Macpherson will host open office hours Monday, September 10, from 11:15 am to 12:05 pm in 187 Seymour College Union. She will be joined by Dr. Cephas Archie, Chief Diversity Officer. [Read the complete story]

ATHLETICS/SPORTS

Brockport has two women’s teams in action this weekend

The Brockport volleyball and tennis teams will be in action this weekend. [Read the complete story]

HUMAN RESOURCES

Assistant Director of Maintenance Services Employment Opportunity

INTERNAL POSTING [Read the complete story]
CAMPUS NEWS

**New Hours for Parking and Transportation Services**

Parking and Transportation Services will be open Monday – Thursday from 7:45 am – 3:30 pm and Friday from 7:45 – noon. Operations are located in the Commissary (Facilities & Planning) for the duration of the fall semester. [Read the complete story]

**Help IGC stock the Brockport Food Cupboard**

Brockport's Inter-Greek Council is collecting non-perishable food items from September 3 through September 14 in the Union Main Lounge. [Read the complete story]

COMMUNITY SERVICE

**Department of Social Work and SWAA Donation Request**

Donations requested for Homeless Connect [Read the complete story]

**2018 Diversity Conference Call for Volunteers**

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FACULTY/STAFF NEWS

**Interim AVP for Student Affairs Announced**

We are pleased to announce that Libby Caruso will serve as the Interim Assistant Vice President for Student Affairs. [Read the complete story]

**OER Community Course Now Open!**

Six new online mini-courses designed for learning about open educational resources (OER) are being rolled out this fall. Explore them on your own, or earn badges as part of a SUNY OER Community Learning Cohort. [Read the complete story]

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HUMAN RESOURCES

HOLIDAYS WHEN CLASSES ARE IN SESSION
In our continuous efforts to make Brockport a Great College at Which to Learn, President’s Cabinet has asked that all campus offices remain open on Columbus Day, Veteran’s Day, and President’s Day. [Read the complete story]

Important Payroll Information for Faculty – Monthly Time Records
Reminder to all Full- and Part-time Faculty – Online Time Records Submission [Read the complete story]

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Understanding OER
New online mini-courses designed for learning about open educational resources (OER) are being rolled out by SUNY OER Services this fall. The first course on “Understanding OER” is now freely accessible by all, with more to follow.
Titles include:
• Understanding OER (available now)
• Identifying, Finding, and Adopting OER
• Customizing and Integrating OER
• Creating, Licensing, and Publishing OER
• Sharing and Promoting OER
• Open Pedagogy Master Class

Currently, there are two ways to participate:
1. The Pathway to Discovery: Explore on your own – no set pathway – no milestones – no registration required.
2. SUNY OER Community Learning Cohort: SUNY cohorts are facilitated by a SUNY OER advocate/Study Group leader. You will participate in conversations, complete knowledge checks, write short reflections, and submit evidence of learning exercises to earn course badges. Currently available at no cost, though registration is required.
If you are teaching or supporting the use of OER, these sessions are a great way to get started. See links below.
And there is still time to participate in the 2018-19 Brockport OER initiative. Complete the OER Instructor form below.
contact: Shari Hardenbrook, shardenb@brockport.edu or Kim Myers, kmyers@brockport.edu
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CAMPUS NEWS

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Women and Gender Studies invites students, faculty, and staff to our 6th Biennial Seneca Falls Dialogues (SFD): "Race and Intersecting Feminist Futures," October 19-21, 2018, Seneca Falls, NY. Conference registration details follow. [Read the complete story]

Seeking Board Members for Child Development Center

Brockport Child Development Center, located in Cooper Hall is accepting applications for new Board of Director Members. This is a great opportunity for the community to help build a better Brockport. [Read the complete story]

EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

Fannie Barrier Williams Luncheon
The biennial Fannie Barrier Williams luncheon is scheduled for Friday, September 28, from 11:30 am-1 pm in Eagle’s Lookout. The luncheon is free and open to the public; however, space is limited, so please RSVP early. [Read the complete story]

**Calling all crafters!**

The 15th annual COSAC Craft Sale will be December 5 in the Fireside Lounge. [Read the complete story]

**What Makes a War a Civil War?: The Surprising Parallels Between the Irish and American Civil Wars**

Please join us for a lecture during Homecoming Weekend in honor of Dr. Steve Ireland’s 50-year career in the Department of History. Presented by John Daly, Associate Professor of History. [Read the complete story]

**LIBRARY, INFORMATION & TECHNOLOGY SERVICES**

**Library to make print collection easier to navigate**

Oversize and reference collections are to be integrated into the main stacks on the top floor. [Read the complete story]

**ATHLETICS/SPORTS**

**Football Hosts St. Lawrence for Homecoming Matchup**

Come out and celebrate Homecoming 2018 and show your nationally ranked Golden Eagles your support as they take on St. Lawrence University this Saturday, with kickoff slated for 1 pm. Wear your Green and Gold, and cheer on the Golden Eagles! [Read the complete story]

**FACULTY/STAFF NEWS**

**Anthropology Professor’s Film Awarded Official Selection at the 2nd Annual Kanatsiohareke Haudenosaunee Film Festival**

Anthropology Professor Neal Keating’s 36 minute film, Whitey and the Mush Hole: Reclaiming Lahiaaks, was awarded official selection at the 2nd Annual Kanatsiohareke Haudenosaunee Film Festival, held near Fonda, NY on September 8, 2018. [Read the complete story]

**Professor of Dance James Hansen produced by Geva Theater in Rochester Fringe Festival**

James Hansen and Heather Roffe (Associate Professor and Director of Dance at Nazareth College) were selected via adjudication to present MERGED 6 at Geva Theatre. [Read the complete story]

**HUMAN RESOURCES**
Food Service Assistant Job Opening

Brockport Child Development Center, located in Cooper Hall is hiring a part time Food Service Assistant. [Read the complete story]

Lecturer of Management Employment Opportunity

The AACSB-accredited School of Business and Management is seeking a full time Lecturer of Management to join the Department of Business Administration starting Fall 2019. [Read the complete story]

Assistant Professor of Management Employment Opportunity

The AACSB-accredited School of Business and Management at The College at Brockport, State University of New York is seeking a tenure-track Assistant Professor of Management to join the Department of Business Administration starting Fall 2019. [Read the complete story]

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The event purposes to increase community engagement and safety/awareness, highlighting the college community's commitment to supporting collaborative and inclusive dialogues across cultural lines. Desiring to build partnerships and community-based solutions to nationally identified challenges, all are invited to attend and assist in "Building a Better Brockport, TOGETHER!"

Event Date: Wednesday, September 12, 2018

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The College at Brockport's award winning Leadership Development Program offers students the opportunity to engage in personal and professional growth outside the classroom. Each year, hundreds of students benefit from the expertise of our faculty and staff mentors who volunteer their time to meet with students.

Students in the first level of the program attend bi-weekly workshops and events while meeting regularly with their mentors. As a mentor, your role would be to provide support, guidance and a listening ear to students at the beginning of their leadership journey.

Mentors come from all disciplines and backgrounds - the most essential attribute is a willingness to engage with our students. We offer training and workshops throughout the year to help you strengthen your skills.
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EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

Rochester Educational Opportunity Center's 50th Anniversary Gala

Please join us in celebrating 50 years of REOC's success at the REOC 50th Anniversary Gala Celebration. Tickets are $65.00 each or $650.00 for a table of ten [Read the complete story]

LIBRARY, INFORMATION & TECHNOLOGY SERVICES

Updates for Windows 10 Faculty/Staff Computers

LITS will be releasing updates to Windows 10 computers. Current versions of managed software can be found in the Service Now knowledge base. [Read the complete story]

ATHLETICS/SPORTS

Men's and Women's Soccer Double Header TONIGHT!

The Golden Eagle soccer teams will both be in action tonight! You can catch the women in action against Nazareth College at 4 pm, followed by the men taking on SJFC at 7 pm. Come out and support both Green and Gold soccer [Read the complete story]
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Health and Wellness Fair
Join us to learn more about campus and area health and wellness resources. Flu shots, food sampling, chair massages, yoga and more! [Read the complete story]

EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

The College at Brockport Celebrates Constitution Day
Please join the Office of Community Development as we celebrate Constitution Day with a day full of workshops and a deliberative dialogue. [Read the complete story]

Paralympian Ryan Chalmers to Speak on Campus Tuesday, September 18, 7 pm in McCue!
Ryan Chalmers not only received a scholarship to the University of Illinois for wheelchair basketball and track, he also competed in the London Paralympics. Ryan is an amazing athlete. [Read the complete story]

Study Abroad Fair!
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**COMMUNITY SERVICE**

**REMINDER - Cops On Top - This Friday**
Brockport University Police and the Village of Brockport Police will be participating in Cops On Top at the Brockport Dunkin' Donuts to benefit Special Olympics New York and Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics New York. [Read the complete story]

**FACULTY/STAFF NEWS**

**Community Archaeology with Anthropology Professor Alex Smith at the Cumming Nature Center**
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On September 15 and 16, Professor Alex Smith will be organizing Family Archaeology Weekend at the Cumming Nature Center, a community initiative to engage children and parents with the excitement and science of archaeology. The group will be excavating a 19th century house foundation, linked to a logging community. The nature center is part of the Rochester Museum and Science Center and this year Brockport graduate and undergraduate student volunteers will be joining the fun as well. For more details, see the event information through the link provided. Sign up and bring your families!
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**CAMPUS NEWS**

**Brockport Child Development Center Fundraiser**

Help raise activity funds for Brockport Child Development Center, located in Cooper Hall. All money raised will help indoor play space upgrades and in-house events. [Read the complete story]

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**EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES**

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**Echoes of Africa**

Come and join Sankofa African Dance and Drum Ensemble at the Key Bank Rochester Fringe Festival next weekend for a dynamic celebration of African life and culture in their presentation of traditional and contemporary African dance and music. [Read the complete story]

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**ATHLETICS/SPORTS**

**Women’s Tennis hosts Elmira College today at 4 pm!**

Come out and support your Golden Eagles tennis team as they take on Elmira College, with the match slated to start at 4 pm. [Read the complete story]

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**FACULTY/STAFF NEWS**

**EOP is Seeking Peer Tutors**
EOP is seeking peer tutors for one-on-one tutoring positions. Hours are flexible. [Read the complete story]

**Free Open Educational Resources (OER) mini-courses now available**

Six online mini-courses focusing on specific aspects of Open Educational Resources (OER) are now open. Explore them on your own, or register to take as part of a SUNY facilitated cohort. [Read the complete story]

**HUMAN RESOURCES**

**2018 Productivity Enhancement Program (PEP) for UUP Represented Employees**

The recently ratified contract between the State of New York and UUP includes the 2018 Productivity Enhancement Program. Enrollment is now available for eligible UUP represented employees who wish to participate for the remainder of 2018. See details. [Read the complete story]

**Open Forum for the Diversity and Inclusion Program Coordinator**

On behalf of the search committee we would like to invite you to attend the open forum on Monday, Sept. 17. [Read the complete story]

**LIBRARY, INFORMATION & TECHNOLOGY SERVICES**

**Congratulations!! Everyone is now using Office 365!**

As a final step to our Office 365 migration, all Student Google accounts will be deleted on October 1, 2018. [Read the complete story]
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Brockport Basketball Clinic

Brockport basketball will be hosting a one-day clinic that will include live instruction, skill work, and prizes with members of the team. [Read the complete story]

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Seats available at the September 25, 2018 DIRECTIONS Pre-Retirement Planning session in Rochester

Employees who are at least 50 years of age and eligible to retire within five years may attend this pre-retirement seminar to learn more about retirement planning and the benefits available to State retirees. See complete story for registration details. [Read the complete story]

TIAA Financial Education Webinars

Learn about the new SUNY 403(b) Roth Contribution Option. See story for more details. [Read the complete story]

Assistant Director of Energy Management and Utilities Employment Opportunities

INTERNAL POSTING [Read the complete story]

Migrant Education Data Specialist/Administrative Assistant Position Available

A Research Foundation for SUNY position with the Brockport Migrant Education Project [Read the complete story]
Prepare to Teach Online at Brockport

Register for the Fall 2018 Introduction to Online Teaching (IOT) program. [Read the complete story]

Updates for Windows 10 Faculty / Staff Computers

Updates for Mozilla Firefox, Google Chrome, Adobe Reader and Adobe Flash were released to Windows 10 computers on Saturday, September 15 at 2 am. Current versions of managed software can be found in the Service Now knowledge base [Read the complete story]

Voicemail boxes may be full because the voicemail emails are not being completely deleted.

An unexpected side-effect from Office 365’s much larger mailboxes is voicemail emails aren’t being deleted. This causes voicemail quotas to fill up and block anyone from leaving a message. [Read the complete story]

Blackboard Training Series

ASIS & CELT are teaming up to bring you a Blackboard training series this fall. [Read the complete story]

Blackboard Office Hours and Locations

Face-to-Face, Hybrid, & 100% Online – If you provide students with content in your Blackboard courses, let ASIS work with you. Our instructional design team can assist with the design, development, delivery, maintenance, and grading of your courses [Read the complete story]

Blackboard - Ally and Course Content Accessibility for All Courses – Looking for Volunteers

Accessibility of course content is a primary concern for colleges, universities, and students across the country. Be a part of what Brockport – and SUNY – is doing to assist faculty in creating accessible content for all students. [Read the complete story]

Updated Library Information Literacy Services for Fall

The library has updated some of our information literacy services for this fall. Learn about some of these updated services coordinated by the new Information Literacy Team. [Read the complete story]

Blackboard - Where did “My Media” go?

How to turn My Media back on in your Blackboard dashboard. [Read the complete story]

Magic Lantern Slides Presentation

Another great Friends of Drake Memorial Library Event! [Read the complete story]
Jewish Community High Holiday Services

In recognition and support of Yom Kippur, all students, faculty, staff, and community members are invited to attend two (2) on campus services this week. [Read the complete story]

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH & INTERNSHIP DAY

Mark your calendars! [Read the complete story]

Youth genocide survivors advocate for tolerance & peace

Check out The Survivors exhibit, now on display in the Drake Memorial Library. It presents the tragic history of a family, who fled genocide in the Democratic Republic of Congo. [Read the complete story]

FACULTY/STAFF NEWS

Guest Coach Program Kicks Off!

Dr. Dena Levy and Dr. Josh Fegley serve as guest coaches for the Women’s Soccer team! [Read the complete story]

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Some of the updated services coordinated by our new Information Literacy Team:

- Request a face-to-face class session with a teaching librarian
- Request information literacy support for online classes
- Walk-up Ask-a-Librarian support at Drake Memorial Library and Brockport Downtown

Request a face-to-face class session, or online learning support from a teaching librarian: visit our redesigned page, Faculty & Staff Support: Instruction for Classes. There, you can read about our updated guidelines for information literacy support.

We have updated walk-up Ask-a-Librarian services to include Brockport Downtown, as well as Drake Library.

As always, you and your students can visit Ask a Librarian to get remote, real-time librarian support throughout the week, year ‘round. Reach us via live-chat, phone, or email.

Individual research appointments are available, by appointment. We can meet by phone/online, or in person at Drake Library or Brockport Downtown.

If you have questions, please contact the Information Literacy Team via askdrake@brockport.edu.
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**Bluebirds by R.H. Beebe, Arcade NY 1909**

For those interested, on Thursday, October 4, from 6-8 pm, there will be a presentation of historic lantern slides of New York bird images, taken by early major 20th century pioneers of ornithology like Arthur Allen of Cornell, and significant but lesser known figures like Verdi Burtch of Branchport, NY and Guy Bailey of Geneseo Normal. The event will held be in The SERC, Eagle's Nest, and is a fundraiser for the Drake Memorial Library.

Presenting will be Dr. Chris Norment of the Environmental Science Department, and Charlie Cowling, college archivist.
CAMPUS NEWS

Stephanie Powell Watts in the Writers Forum

The award-winning novelist will read from her work on Wednesday, September 19, 7 pm (Cooper Hall, New York Room). [Read the complete story]

Financial Support for Campus Diversity and Inclusion Programming

The Promoting Excellence in Diversity Grant (PED) is available to fund educational and interactive programming opportunities for The College at Brockport community. [Read the complete story]

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HUMAN RESOURCES

Diversity and Inclusion Program Coordinator Evaluation

On behalf of the search committee, we would like to thank you for your participation in the search process and would appreciate if you could provide your valuable feedback. Below you will find the link for Dr. Kiera Duckworth, candidate evaluation. [Read the complete story]

Secretary 1 - Academic Success Center - Employment Opportunity

Academic Success Center, Secretary 1, SG-11, Full-Time, Contingent/Permanent, Monday - Friday from 8 am to 4 pm, Line # 00286 [Read the complete story]

Chair, Department of Dance Employment Opportunity

INTERNAL & EXTERNAL POSTING [Read the complete story]

New York State Teachers’ Retirement System: Fall 2018 Schedule of PREP Seminars
Pension & Retirement Education Program (PREP) sessions are designed to help members of all ages prepare for retirement. The Fall 2018 schedule of seminars is now available. [Read the complete story]
### HEADLINES

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### CAMPUS NEWS

**School of Business and Management Announces Interim Associate Dean**

Dr. Celia Watt has accepted the position of Interim Associate Dean for the academic year 2018-2019. [Read the complete story]

**Special Projects Director for School of Business and Management Named**

Dr. Lerong He has accepted the position of School of Business and Management Special Projects Director for the 2018-2019 academic year. [Read the complete story]

### EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

**Provost Listening Sessions**

Please join the Provost for a Listening Session! [Read the complete story]

**Monday, September 24, College Senate Meeting Is Cancelled**

College Senate News - Please Note [Read the complete story]

### FACULTY/STAFF NEWS

**Professor Elliot Weininger, Sociology, Appears in New York Times**

Professor Weininger was quoted in a recent article on the measurement of social class. Earlier in the summer, he co-authored an op-ed on governance in affluent school districts. [Read the complete story]

### HUMAN RESOURCES
Dental and Vision Eligibility Extended for Dependents of Active UUP Members

The UUP Benefit Trust Fund recently announced that effective September 1, 2018, dependent eligibility extends through age 26 for dental and vision coverage. [Read the complete story]

Outdoor Worker Safety

Sun safety information for state employees who spend more than five hours outdoor each work week [Read the complete story]
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Monday: Rochester-Area Law School Night!

All Rochester-area undergrads and grads are invited to attend the Rochester-Area Law School Night on Monday, September 24, at the University of Rochester. [Read the complete story]

CAMPUS NEWS

College-wide Call for 2019-20 Investment Fund Applications

Letters of Intent are due 10/1/18 [Read the complete story]

EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

Camp Abilities 5K Event On Campus!

At The College at Brockport on October 27, we are hosting an all-inclusive 5K (walk, run, roll) event. Our goal is to fundraise for Camp Abilities, an annual, one-week educational sports camp for children with visual impairments and blindness. [Read the complete story]

Personal Training Sessions Available

Campus Recreation is offering personal training sessions for our faculty and staff. Pick from any of our 8 personal trainers to help you achieve your fitness goals! Please visit the Membership Services desk in the SERC for more information. [Read the complete story]

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FACULTY/STAFF NEWS

**Meteorology Student and Faculty Member Take Division Wins in the 2017-18 National Weather Challenge**

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HUMAN RESOURCES

**Open Forum for the Diversity and Inclusion Program Coordinator Position**

On behalf of the search committee, we would like to invite you to attend the open forum on Friday, September 21. Aaron Schwartz comes to us from SUNY Plattsburgh as a Staff Assistant for the Center for Diversity, Pluralism, and Inclusion. [Read the complete story]

**CSEA Longevity Lump Sum Payments for Employees on the October Cycle**

The CSEA longevity payments will be paid in the 10/17/18 paycheck for individuals on the October cycle. The payments will be made in a separate check. There is no direct deposit for this payment. [Read the complete story]

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Online eLearning Training Opportunities for All UUP-Represented Employees

Empire Knowledgebank (EKB) eLearning Program allows UUP-represented employees to access eLearning products provided by Enterprise Training Solutions. [Read the complete story]

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**Brockport Basketball Clinic**

Brockport basketball will be hosting a one-day clinic that will include live instruction, skill work, and prizes with members of the team. [Read the complete story]

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**TONIGHT: Rochester-Area Law School Night!**

All Rochester-area undergrads and grads are invited to attend the Rochester-Area Law School Night on Monday, September 24, at the University of Rochester. [Read the complete story]

**Health and Wellness Fair**

Join us to learn more about campus and area health and wellness resources. Flu shots, food sampling, chair massages, yoga and more! [Read the complete story]

**EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES**

**Earn 10% off Easy Money Purchases in October!**

Today through September 28, deposit $100 or more in your Easy Money account, and get 10% off your Easy Money purchases in October at our a la carte locations. [Read the complete story]

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**Triangle Factory Fire Project Dramatizes Turning Point for Labor, Women’s and Immigrants’ Causes**

Sweatshop Tragedy Segues to Courtroom Fireworks in Episodic Docudrama [Read the complete story]
**Stage Whispers** Talks Return with Kevin Curtis from Geva’s Production of Hair

Curtis has onstage and backstage roles in this acclaimed musical [Read the complete story]

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**ATHLETICS/SPORTS**

**Brockport Football Works with Spencerport Youth**

The No. 4 ranked College at Brockport football team spent time mentoring the youth of Spencerport, playing and working with the young kids. [Read the complete story]

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**FACULTY/STAFF NEWS**

**Professor Ismael Souto-Rumbo, Modern Languages and Cultures, Presents at Bowdoin College**

Professor Souto-Rumbo, Spanish Professor, presented on “Rethinking Galdos Studies Symposium” at Bowdoin College in Brunswick, Maine. [Read the complete story]

**Activity Insight and Annual Reporting**

Save time and frustration in May 2019 [Read the complete story]

**Environmental Science and Ecology Student and Faculty Publish Peer-Reviewed Article**

Matt Futia, Graduate Student, and Dr. Jacques Rinchard, Associate Professor in the Department of Environmental Science and Ecology, co-authored a peer-reviewed paper in the Journal of Aquatic Animal Health. [Read the complete story]

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**HUMAN RESOURCES**

**COSAC and Human Resources Announce Professional Development Day for Administrative Support Professionals**

COSAC and the Office of Human Resources are pleased to announce a Professional Development Day for Administrative Support Professionals. Come join your colleagues for a full-day program dedicated to your development! [Read the complete story]

**Diversity and Inclusion Program Coordinator Evaluation**

On behalf of the search committee, we would like to thank you for your participation in the search process and would appreciate if you could provide your valuable feedback. Below you will find the link for Aaron Schwartz, candidate evaluation. [Read the complete story]

**Secretary 1 - Student Union & Activities - Employment Opportunity**

Student Union & Activities Secretary 1, SG-11 Full-Time, Contingent/Permanent Monday - Friday, 8:00 am to 4:00 pm Line # 00240 [Read the complete story]
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Staff & Faculty: Please promote this event to students you teach, work with, and advise! Download the flyer attachment to share.

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The First Annual Lavender Ceremony will take place on Friday, May 3, at 4 pm in the Seymour College Union Ballroom. Students, faculty and staff members are welcome to attend the first planning meeting on Wednesday, September 26, from 1:25 to 2:15 pm in the MacVicar Smart Classroom.

This first meeting is to establish the goals and purpose of the Ceremony and how we would like to facilitate it here at The College at Brockport.

For more information on what a Lavender Ceremony is, please see the Human Rights Campaign link below.

contact: Monique Rew-Bigelow, mrew@brockport.edu
HEADLINES

Financial Support for Campus Diversity and Inclusion Programming
The Promoting Excellence in Diversity Grant (PED) is available to fund educational and interactive programming opportunities for The College at Brockport community. [Read the complete story]

CAMPUS NEWS

Got Books?
Brockport's Inter-Greek Council (IGC) is collecting books for the Little Library outside of the Alumni House / Hartwell Hall on Utica Street. [Read the complete story]

STUDENT NEWS

Celebrating McNair Students’ Research Accomplishments
24th Annual Undergraduate Research Conference [Read the complete story]

FACULTY/STAFF NEWS

The College at Brockport's Internal Grants Programs are Open for Fall Submissions
Don't miss out on campus-sponsored support for research and creative activity. [Read the complete story]

Dr. Lauren Lieberman and Dr. Robert C. Schneider deliver Invited Keynotes at International Conference in Accra, Ghana, 9/19 – 9/21
Open to see Invited Keynote titles. [Read the complete story]

Connecting with Students Online Through Blackboard Collaborate
Online, real-time collaboration with students. [Read the complete story]

EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES
Meeting for the LGBTQIA+ Faculty/Staff Resource Group at Brockport

Friday, October 5, 10-11 am, Jitterbugs Cafe [Read the complete story]

5K to Help Support Veterans and Military Service Members

Don't miss the opportunity to participate in this year's Veterans 5K Walk, Run or Roll on Saturday, November 3. Participants can register online (see full story for link). All proceeds fund the Veteran Student Scholarship. [Read the complete story]

HUMAN RESOURCES

Assistant Professor – Biochemistry Employment Opportunity

The Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry at The College at Brockport invites applications for a tenure-track faculty position at the Assistant Professor level to begin August 2019. [Read the complete story]

Employer Relations Coordinator Employment Opportunity

INTERNAL & EXTERNAL POSTING [Read the complete story]

Financial Aid Advisor Employment Opportunity

SEARCH REOPENED [Read the complete story]

Lecturer of Finance Employment Opportunity

The AACSB-accredited School of Business and Management is seeking a Lecturer of Finance to join the Department of Accounting, Economics, and Finance to teach four 3-credit courses at the undergraduate or graduate levels each semester, starting Fall 2019. [Read the complete story]

Assistant Professor – Physics Employment Opportunity

The Department of Physics at The College at Brockport seeks to hire an experimental physicist who is passionate about teaching and working with undergraduates in both the classroom and research lab. [Read the complete story]
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Inter-Greek Council members at the Little Library's Dedication
On October 6, 2017, the Friends of Drake Memorial Library held a dedication for the new Little Library outside of the Alumni House / Hartwell Hall. The Inter-Greek Council has agreed to adopt the Little Library, and they check in to ensure it is fully stocked with books.
Brockport's Inter-Greek Council is comprised of seven organizations: three fraternities (Alpha Phi Alpha, Pi Kappa Phi, and our new colony, Lambda Sigma Upsilon) and four sororities (Delta Phi Epsilon, Delta Sigma Theta, Phi Sigma Sigma, and Zeta Phi Beta).
IGC is collecting books of various genres for various ages to keep the Little Library full. Books can be dropped off at Student Union and Activities in the Seymour College Union (room B105), or you can drop them off in the Little Library.
contact: Fraternity & Sorority Life / Student Union & Activities: greek@brockport.edu
The Daily Eagle Email Edition for Thursday, September 27, 2018

**CAMPUS NEWS**

**Multicultural Mixer**

All Faculty and Staff of Color and Allies are invited to join in our Multicultural Mixer on Thursday, October 4, in the Seymour College Union, Ballroom West. [Read the complete story]

**Support Blue Jeans for Babies – November 16**

Help Inter-Greek-Council in partnership with fraternity and sorority life raise money for the March of Dimes. The March of Dimes was created to improve the health of babies by preventing birth defects, premature birth, and infant mortality. [Read the complete story]

**ATHLETICS/SPORTS**

**Don’t forget to get your tickets to the Courage Bowl!**

No. 4 ranked Brockport Football will host the XIV annual Courage Bowl on September 29 at 6 pm, when they will take on St. John Fisher College. Gates open at 4:30, and all proceeds support Camp Good Days and Special times. Buy your tickets online now! [Read the complete story]

**Women’s Soccer Double Header this Weekend – Featuring Senior Day!**

The Golden Eagles will host a double header this weekend, kicking things off Friday vs Fredonia at 4 pm. Brockport then celebrates senior day on Saturday, hosting Buffalo State at 1 pm and will honor their senior prior to the game. [Read the complete story]

**COMMUNITY SERVICE**

**Upward Bound Tutoring Positions Available**

Upward Bound is a federally funded grant project, sponsored by the U.S. Department of Education. The Upward Bound Program works with high school students in Albion, Lyndonville, Holley, and Medina. [Read the complete story]

**FACULTY/STAFF NEWS**

**Procurement Training**
We would like to invite you to Procurement Training on Tuesday, October 16, from 2 to 3:30 pm in Room 185 in the Seymour College Union. [Read the complete story]

**EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES**

**The EAP (Employee Assistance Program) and the Wellness Committee Present:**

“Pathways to Mindfulness” [Read the complete story]

**Parking and Transportation**

N-1 lot South/West Section closed the morning of September 28. [Read the complete story]

**Fall Textbooks Being Returned**

The Bookstore will soon begin returning unsold textbooks from this semester. [Read the complete story]

**Help Us Choose a Summer Reading Book / Speaker!**

Each year, we choose a book/author to utilize for the Academic Planning Seminar Summer Reading Book and Presentation Series. We want your help! Fill out the form to share ideas. [Read the complete story]

**Join us for First Friday at Alumni House on October 5!**

First Friday: 10/5/18 [Read the complete story]

**“Human Rights?” Event Series Begins**

The “Human Rights?” event series seeks to highlight how people of foreign origins are actually our neighbors and coworkers, not our enemies. [Read the complete story]

**STUDENT NEWS**

**Students and staff from the Department of Environmental Science and Ecology participate in the 30th Annual Conservation Field Days**

The three-day event, hosted by the Monroe County Soil and Water Conservation District, provides hands-on, outdoor educational activities for 5th and 6th grade students. [Read the complete story]

**Journalism Student Earns National Honor**

A Brockport senior is one of only 12 college journalism students nationwide selected to attend and cover the Excellence in Journalism conference for the EIJ News. [Read the complete story]

**HUMAN RESOURCES**
WORKPLACE VIOLENCE PREVENTION TRAINING: MANDATORY FOR ALL COLLEGE AT BROCKPORT EMPLOYEES

In accordance with New York State law, the College is hosting mandatory Workplace Violence Training sessions. Registration is now open. Please read the list of dates and times carefully, as some are specific to one department. [Read the complete story]

Office Assistant 1 (Keyboarding) – Undergraduate Admissions – Employment Opportunity

Undergraduate Admissions, Office Assistant 1 (Keyboarding), Full-Time, Contingent / Permanent, Monday - Friday, 9 am to 5 pm, Grade 6. [Read the complete story]

Library Clerk 2 – Night and Weekend Shift – Employment Opportunity

Library Clerk 2 for the Library, Nights and Weekends: Sunday - Thursday, 4 pm to Midnight, Full-Time, Contingent/Permanent, Line: 00162. [Read the complete story]

Library Clerk 3 – Library Info & Technology Services – Employment Opportunity

Library Clerk 3 in LITS, Monday - Friday, 8 am to 4 pm, Full-Time, Contingent/Permanent, Line: 00219. [Read the complete story]

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Topics presented by students and staff included fisheries management (presented by graduate students Matt Futia and Tom Bianchi), animal migration (presented by graduate student Tiffany Clay and Research Scientist Greg Lawrence), and wetland ecology (presented by graduate student Alex Silva, undergraduate students Nicole Juda and Meredith Koziol, and Instructional Support Andie Graham). Undergraduate student Megan Aubertine works for the Conservation District and helped plan and organize the event.

This is the fourth consecutive year that the Department of Environmental Science and Ecology has participated in this event.
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CAMPUS NEWS

Celebrate National Coming Out Day with Oscar Winning Film Screening, "A Fantastic Woman"

Brockport's 2018-19 International Speaker Series opens with a film screening and talkback, of, "A Fantastic Woman" (Chile), winner of the 2018 Academy Awards for Best Foreign Language film, Wednesday, October 10, 6:30 pm, McCue Auditorium, LAB. [Read the complete story]

ATHLETICS/SPORTS

Field Hockey is back in action at home on Saturday

The Golden Eagle field hockey team returns home for a match-up on Saturday at noon. The Green and Gold host Wells College on the Dr. Linda Arena and Class of '69 Field Hockey Venue. Come out and show the Green and Gold your support! [Read the complete story]

Courage Bowl is TOMORROW! Get your tickets now!

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HUMAN RESOURCES

Assistant Professor – Childhood Literacy Education Employment Opportunity

The Department of Education and Human Development at The College at Brockport, State University of New York, is accepting applications for a tenure-track Assistant Professor of Literacy Education B-12 position in our inclusive education program. [Read the complete story]
Lecturer – Literacy Education Employment Opportunity

The Department of Education and Human Development at The College at Brockport, State University of New York, is accepting applications for Lecturer of Literacy Education B-12 in our inclusive education program. [Read the complete story]

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The College at Brockport is pleased to share that registration for our Workplace Violence Training sessions is now open. These sessions, which are mandatory for all College employees, are in accordance with NYS Labor Law § 27-b and its implementing regulations in 12 NYCRR § 800.6. These laws establish requirements for the creation of programs aimed at the prevention of Workplace Violence, as well as rules governing the training of employees on these programs and procedures and record-keeping requirements for employees. SUNY campuses are required to comply with the provisions of the Workplace Violence Prevention Act and its regulations.

To register, please follow the link at the bottom to QuickReg and click on ‘HR Trainings‘ to see a full listing of dates and times.