International Education Week

Sunday November 16 - Friday November 21
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NACA Pow-Wow

9am-6pm, Kelly Gym

Triple Tribal - Listen to the beautiful harmonies as they sing traditional and contemporary Native songs accompanied by hand drums, rattles, rain sticks and a guitar. The songs are relaxing, haunting, spiritual and moving and must be heard to appreciate the complexities of modern Native American music being written and performed today.

Educational Workshop by professional educator Claudia Fox Tree. Enjoy Inter-tribal dancing and Dance-style demonstrations. Children to make traditional clay pinch pots with Kerri Helme. Children to participate in craftmaking with Loril and Peter (leather pouches), Storytelling.

Purchase arts, crafts, and supplies. Items include: Wampum Jewelry, Beaded & Quill Jewelry, Silver & Turquoise Jewelry, Moccasins, Furs, Stones, Native Books, Craft Supplies, and much more.

Stop by MCNAA’s Resource, Information, and Membership Table. Pick up information on upcoming events, learn about the organization, join the MCNAA Membership. Buy a T-shirt with the MCNAA Logo. Native Foods for sale offered by ‘Then and Now Native Food’ - fry bread, pow-wow tacos, rice & beans, turkey & cranberry wrap, buffalo stew, clam chowder, hot dogs, chili dogs, pumpkin pie, water, apple cider, and coffee.

The event is Open To The Public!

ADMISSION: Adult - $5.00, Children: 4-16 years - $3.00.
Monday, November 17

World Café: International Culture Club

10-12pm, Minnock Center for International Engagement

Presented by International Student and Scholar Services, Please join us November 17 between 10-12pm in the Maxwell Library, Heritage Room, for World Cafe. This week the International Culture Club (ICC) will be hosting and this is a great opportunity to meet staff members as well as network with other BSU students, faculty and staff. World Cafes are a bi-weekly event where community members can meet and engage in informal learning opportunities. For more information on World Cafe visit us at: https://my.bridgew.edu/departments/InternationalStudents/SitePages/Events.aspx.

Gilman & Fulbright Scholarships Workshop

2-3pm, Weygand South Multipurpose Room

Join us for our workshop to discuss funding opportunities for studying abroad. The Fulbright Scholarship, sponsored by the Institute for International Education, there are many types of research and study grants available to students that can take one around the world. The Gilman Scholarship offers grants for US citizen, undergraduates of limited financial means to pursue academic studies abroad. Learn more about the application timeline, process and supporting documentation for both scholarships.
International Student Dinner Panel

5:30-8:30pm, Catholic Center

A panel of five students from the five geographic regions of the world will talk about their culture’s family relationships, dating protocol, economic development, government regulation, and education systems. Q&A will follow. Dinner afterwards will feature distinctive foods from each of the five geographic regions. The event opens with appetizers at 5:30, followed by the panel discussion at 6 and dinner at 7. The Bridgewater community is cordially invited.

Argentinian Concert

8pm, Horace Mann Auditorium

Please join us for “A Musical Journey through Latin America” featuring Guest Cellist, Adrian de la Rosa Ransom and Faculty Pianist, Deborah Nemko. The concert features an exiting tango by Astor Piazzolla, a piece about the gauchos (cowboys) and pampas (countryside) of Argentina by composer, Alberto Ginastera as well as ‘Brazilian Soul’ (Alma Brazileira, Choros No. 5) by Brazilian composer, Heitor Villa-Lobos. Admission is free and the public and university community is most welcome. (This concert is suitable for children over the age of 7). Parking is available at the nearby Harrington Hall parking lot near the Boyden Hall. For more information, please contact the Bridgewater State University Music Department at (508) 531-1377.
Tuesday, November 18

Office of Study Abroad Lunch & Learn

12-1pm, Minnock Center, Maxwell Library 330

Join the Office of Study Abroad and Career Services for lunch, and gain strategic skills to highlight your international experiences in resumes, cover letters, and during interviews. Learn about international options beyond graduation: graduate school, jobs, and internships! Open to all students, including study abroad alum or anyone thinking about having an international experience while at BSU.

Chinese Visiting Scholars Roundtable

2-3:30pm, Maxwell Library, Heritage room

Please join us for a roundtable introducing the scholarship of visiting scholars from China this year. Dr. Caijun Chen from Jinan University in Guangzhou will introduce his research on history of Christianity in China. Mr. Wengang Liu and Ms. Helen Zhou from Beijing Jiaotong University will discuss teaching of English language in Chinese universities. And Ms. Daisy Guo from Shanghai Normal University will speak about the efforts of promoting Mandarin learning in China and the United States.
The Role of the Moroccan Woman in the Judiciary

11-1PM Maxwell, Heritage

Description: Visiting dignitary, Madam Justice Hlimi from Fez Morocco will discuss the role of the Moroccan Woman in the Judicial system. Madam Justice Rashida Hlimi is a well-respected jurist in her country and will focus on issues related to how women participate in the judicial system.

Wednesday, November 19

Day of Dialogue

8:30-4:30pm, RCC Large Ballroom

Show your support for equity and diversity by attending the Office of Institutional Diversity's Day of Dialogue entitled Compassionate Action for a Just Community.

Economics of Global Resources & Climate Change:
Understanding the How and Why of our Current Planetary Condition

1-2pm, Maxwell Library Heritage room

Every day we are provided with more factual evidence specific to the increasing speed of climate change. Media reporting routinely includes atmospheric changes, species habitat loss and extinction, and increased weather volatility. However, there has been little information shared on the underlying foundation of these observable and disturbing conditions. Dr. Madhavi Venkatesan, assistant professor of Economics, has been
evaluating the role of economics in sustainability and in an hour long interactive lecture will provide a foundation for understanding the current planetary condition, as well as, the potential for improvement from the framework of values, behaviors, and economic outcomes.

Eyes on Africa: A Mandela Legacy Series

12:20-1:45pm, Burnell 104

Join us for the inaugural "Eyes on Africa: a Mandela Legacy Series" event where we will be watching "Brothers in Arms" a film about Ronald Herboldt, the only African to fight in the Cuban revolution. After the film, there will be a discussion about this incredible story with Professor Vernon Domingo and Beryl Domingo, Ronald's sister. Presented by African Studies.

Thursday, November 20

Asia Study Abroad Student Presentations

9:30-10:45am, Maxwell Library Heritage room

As Asia has emerged as an important economic and cultural center of the world, BSU has many active partnerships in Asian countries. In this panel discussion, students from Cambodia, China, Hong Kong, Japan and Korea will introduce their universities to the
campus community. BSU students who have studied abroad in Asia will also share their experiences.

Global Citizenship

10am-12pm, Weygand South Multipurpose Room

Students will be introduced to the many opportunities and resources available at Bridgewater to develop their global competencies and prepare for their role as global citizens. Students would learn about BSU’s available international area studies minors, study abroad programs, foreign language offerings and service and leadership projects overseas. Students would have an opportunity to outline their initial global education goals and objectives and be provided with resources for individualized follow up with specific BSU departments.

Passport Day

11-2pm, RCC Small Ballroom

The Center for International Engagement is sponsoring a Passport Day. Staff from the US Department of State Boston Passport Agency and the US Postal Service will be available to answer your questions and process your application should you have all the necessary documentation. RSVP to studyabroad@bridgew.edu and bring the following materials to your appointment: a Completed application: to speed the process the application is available to download at www.travel.state.gov or you may pick up an application at the event • Proof of citizenship: certified birth certificate, naturalization certificate, certificate of citizenship or previous passport (originals only, no photocopies) • Proof of identity: 2 forms of ID - driver’s license, government ID, Military ID and
school ID, work ID, insurance card • Photocopies of your identity documents: in addition to the originals, please bring photocopies of your identity documents (copier also available at event) • Passport photo: You may bring a passport photo or photo services will be available at the event for an additional fee

• Application Payment: No cash, No credit cards. Two Checks or two money orders only. 1 made out to the “Postmaster” and 1 made out to “U.S. Department of State.”

Speed Traveling!

2-5pm, Weygand South Multipurpose Room

Speed Traveling is a fast-paced interaction event involving students who have studied/traveled/lived abroad and prospective study abroad students. The goal is to educate and advocate specific countries to an interested student in five minutes. Through creative means, students with international experiences will be convincing others why their country is a great place to study abroad or visit! Snacks will be provided, as well as prizes for students who visit the most tables during the event. Co-sponsored by the Office of Study Abroad, Study Abroad Student Ambassadors, the Anthropology Club, and the Center for Multicultural Affairs.

International Cook-off!

5-7pm, Weygand Hall Kitchens & Atrium

Join us for our second annual International Cook off! Meet current residents of the Global Village Living & Learning community and Study Abroad Ambassadors at this exciting cooking event. Residents are from around the world and our Ambassadors
have studied abroad in a variety of locations! Stop by and taste various dishes of such
global cuisine and learn about a new culture!

Canadian Studies Film Series: Arctic Defenders

5:30-9pm, Maxwell Library Lecture Hall

The Canadian Studies program is pleased to host a screening of Arctic Defenders, a
film that examines the story of the Canadian north and the creation of the territory of
Nunavut. The film traces the history of the Inuit people and explores multiple ideas of
sovereignty; the sovereignty of the Inuit within Canada is positioned against and
alongside the Canadian government’s claims for Arctic sovereignty, particularly as
global warming has made the region more accessible in recent decades. Most critically,
Arctic Defenders shines a light on parts of Canadian history and culture that have often
been ignored or overlooked. The event will take place on Thursday, November 20,
beginning at 5:30pm in Maxwell 013. All are welcome to attend.

Friday, November 21

MaCIE Conference

9am-4pm, RCC Large Ballroom

Program Directors and Deans, Study Abroad Advisors, International Student and
Scholar Advisors, Faculty, International Students, Student Leaders, ELL Program staff
and faculty, and especially anyone interested in international programs! Join us for our
23rd annual conference - register online at http://ma-cie.org/annualconference.html.
Fall In To Culture

5-8pm, Dunn A&B

Presented by the International Culture Club, join the BSU community for an evening of autumnal cultural celebrations. Highlighted cultures include Belize, Greece, Middle East and more! Each area will focus on the culture’s fall celebration and feature food, music and more! There will be examples of cultural dress and opportunities for guests to interact with!