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# **BHCC Winter Arts Festival 2020**

# Wednesday, December 2 at 6 p.m.

"Hear Us Now": Freedom Stories from COM 110

Introduction to Communication students present their original, creative work on human rights issues affecting their communities. Their stories, in the form of poetry, photo essays, film (and more), are grounded in the African philosophy of *Odu Ifa*: "Humans are divinely chosen to bring good into the world."

Under the Direction of Associate Professor and Chairperson, **Dr. Ayshia E. Stephenson**, Communication Department

## **Sponsored by the Communication Department**

Join by zoom: https://zoom.us/j/97187106481?pwd=VmRDallkSG9kLzVkVjQvd0FLZ1pSUT09

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# Thursday, December 3 at 6 p.m.

BHCC Music Club presents "Fall 2020 Music Showcase"

This showcase is an opportunity for students in the Performing Arts Department to share their work with the community. The event will be presented to a live audience. Participants will have the opportunity to perform live, or share a video to be streamed during the event. All music-loving members of the BHCC Community are welcome.

This event is organized by BHCC music student **Joshua Rajman**, under the direction of **Dennis Shafer**, Adjunct Professor, Performing Arts Department, **Paul Moda**, Director, Student Leadership and Engagement, Student Activities and **Dr. Riikka Pietilainen-Caffrey**, Associate Professor, Performing Arts Department

#### Sponsored by Student Activities and the BHCC Music Club

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## Tuesday, December 8 at 6 p.m.

"The Poem Lives"—Art and Healing in BHCC Students' Literary Works (from Villanelle to Haiku; from Spoken Word to Essay Form)

The abrupt disruption to our lives due to the COVID-19 pandemic, amidst continued social and political unrest, has highlighted the need for utilizing tools that promote healing, as well as exploring, expressing, and managing our emotions in healthy ways.

Experience BHCC Students' literary works generated in interactive workshops with renowned poet, translator, and educator **Rhina P. Espaillat**. Hear poetry and other literary art forms that have been used as a creative technique for understanding and managing our experiences during precarious times. List of classes involved here!

Featuring BHCC 2019-2020 Distinguished Artist Scholar in Residence Rhina P. Espaillat

Remarks by Emmanuela Maurice, Professor, English Department

### Sponsored by the Mary L. Fifield Art Gallery and the English Department

#### Join by webex:

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# Wednesday, December 9 at 6 p.m.

"I Tell You My Story, You Tell Me Yours" (tragedy in eight scenes)

A BHCC Radio Drama, Pandemic Production

Collaborative play dramatized by **Dr. Proshot Kalami**, Professor, English and Performing Arts Departments

Under the direction of **P. Kalami**, and featuring **Students from THR 109** Play Production Workshop, BHCC Faculty and Staff, and guest artists

With original music by **Dr. Mark Popeney,** Associate Professor and Chair, Performing Arts Department, and Guest Composer **Kristin Vining** 

"I Tell You My Story, You Tell Me Yours" is an excerpt of a longer play written by **Proshot Kalami**. Delving into unspoken memories of performers, each actor enacts the impossibility of telling, embarking on a journey towards healing and transformation. The text of the performance is informed through a collaborative process of telling and co-writing. A process that troubles the notion of the "other" by allowing performers to be the "other" and thus defying it at the same time. By performing everyday life realities, the play triggers both the individual and the collective to emerge. The "uprooted" then begins to live in the liminal space of tensions between the familiar and the unknown, the native and the foreign, us and them.

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# Thursday, December 10 at 6 p.m.

"Here I Am" by BHCC College Choir and Chamber Choir

In this program music will be presented by **Abbie Betinis**, **Ysaye Barnwell**, **Zanaida Robles**, and **Karen Siegel**. **College Choir** will be featured in **Camilo Jauregui's** "**Quarantine**," scored for voices and kitchen instruments. **Chamber Choir** will perform "**Dawn's Arrival**," a collectively created piece that spun out of poetry workshops with BHCC 2019-2020 Distinguished Artist Scholar in Residence, **Rhina P. Espaillat**, and set to original music by **Kristin Vining**. The evening will culminate to choirs sharing a piece together, with the audience.

Under the Direction of **Dr. Riikka Pietlainen-Caffrey,** Associate Professor, Performing Arts Department

### Sponsored by the Performing Arts Department and the Mary L. Fifield Art Gallery

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## Friday, December 11 at 6 p.m.

"Hear Us Now": Freedom Stories from COM 110 (Session II)

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## Monday, December 14 at 6 p.m.

"Hear Us Now": Freedom Stories from COM 110 (Session III)

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## Tuesday, December 15 at 6 p.m.

"Beginnings and Endings"--American Music from Its Roots, to the Fruits of Rock and Soul

# Featuring BHCC Popular Music Ensemble and Jazz Ensemble

Join two BHCC performing ensembles for a virtual concert of student musicians. **The Popular Music Ensemble** will present music videos about beginnings and endings, featuring songs popularized by artists such as **Norah Jones**, **Radiohead**, **Alabama Shakes**, and **Chuck Berry**. **The Jazz Ensemble** will present a set of classic works originally by legendary artists including **John Coltrane**, **Miles Davis**, and **Thelonius Monk**. Each track will feature a different member of the ensemble.

Pop Ensemble under of the direction of **Dr. Mark Popeney**, Associate Professor and Chair, Performing Arts Department

BHCC Jazz Ensemble directed by **Dennis Shafer**, Adjunct Professor, Performing Arts Department

## **Sponsored by the Performing Arts Department**

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# Wednesday, December 16 at 6 p.m.

"Painting with Words"--The Art and Poetry of Creative Exile

Join artist, writer and poet Jimmy Valdez Osaku for an evening of live painting and poetry; film screening and engaged conversation. With film makers Oldren Romero and Luz Valdez, and BHCC students sharing their reflections and projects inspired by the artist's work.

Remarks by BHCC 2019-2020 Distinguished Artist and Scholar in Residence Rhina P. Espaillat

#### Sponsored by the Mary L. Fifield Art Gallery

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Event number: 172 725 4844 Password: mEcND8rSs77 Join by phone: 1-877-668-4493 Access code: 172 725 4844

# Thursday, December 17 at 6 p.m.

Tell Magazine Fall Issue — Alison Ruch, Associate Professor, English Department

Hear stories and poems from magazine editors **Allison Collier, Kimberly Cruz, Ardelia To,** and **Dimetrios Tripolitis** and other contributors to the fall 2020 edition of *Tell Magazine*. Pages from the new digital magazine edition will be on display.

With remarks from *Tell Magazine* Faculty Advisor, **Alison Ruch**, Associate Professor, English Department

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# Friday, December 18 at 6 p.m.

## **BHCC Student Recital Program**

Students in the College's Applied Music program present an evening performance of music, showcasing instrumental and vocal selections from a wide range of eras and styles.

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# Recital and Encore: BHCC Winter Arts Festival "Highlights"

Join Faculty, Staff and Students as they offer reflections on performances, presentations and conversations, and re-visit some of the most memorable moments from the festival.

With remarks by **Denise Turner**, Manager of Cultural Planning

## Sponsored by the Office of College Events and Cultural Planning

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