ISSS NEWSLETTER FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

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ANNOUNCEMENTS
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GLOBAL CINEMASPECTIVES FILM & DISCUSSION SERIES: “STEAM: THE TURKISH BATH”

Francesco and Marta are husband and wife running a small design company in Rome. When Francesco's aunt dies in Istanbul, he travels there to look after the sale of the hamam (one of a few traditional Turkish baths left) he inherited. There he meets the family running the hamam, falls in love with the atmosphere and a member of the hamam, and decides not to sell the hamam.

Date: Friday, November 11
Time: 5:00-7:30
Place: Clemens Hall 119

Dr. Don McGuire, Department of Classics, UB, will introduce the film and lead a discussion following the screening.

ENGLISH CONVERSATION CORNER

The Center for Excellence in Writing's English Conversation Corner provides an informal, relaxed atmosphere for students who would like to practice their English conversation skills.

English Conversation Corner Hours:
Mondays & Fridays, 9:30-11:00
Wednesdays, 12:30-2:00
Baldy Hall 209, North Campus

No need to sign up. Drop in and out at your leisure. For more information, call 645-5139, e-mail writing@buffalo.edu or visit www.writing.buffalo.edu.

UB CENTER FOR EXCELLENCE IN WRITING

The Center for Excellence in Writing (CEW) offers one-on-one writing consultations to UB students. The consultants discuss essays, reports, application materials, theses, dissertations, etc. They serve as a thoughtful, informed audience for writers across the disciplines and help them make choices about revision.

Center for Excellence in Writing Hours:
Monday – Thursday, 9:00-6:00
Fridays, 9:00-3:00
Sundays, 2:00-6:00
The CEW also offers special programs for graduate students: Dissertation Retreats and Writing Groups. For more information, email writing@buffalo.edu or visit http://writing.buffalo.edu.

GRADUATE STUDENT ASSOCIATION EDITORIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Did you know that GSA offers editing services for dues-paying graduate students? It's a great resource to help you polish your seminar papers, theses and dissertations, job application materials and submissions for publications. GSA editors provide constructive feedback, ranging from sentence-level proofreading to content-oriented questions.

You can submit either a paper or electronic (Microsoft Word) file at http://gsaedit.wixsite.com/gpa-editorial.

Questions? Editors hold electronic office hours at gsaedit@buffalo.edu.

INTERNATIONAL ADMISSIONS ADMBASSADOR PROGRAM

International undergraduate students with a minimum 3.0 CGPA, excellent communication skills and fluency in at least one language other than English are invited to apply to become an International Admissions Ambassador. IA Ambassadors work 6-8 hours weekly in the Office of International Admissions throughout the Winter 2017 and Spring 2017 semesters with opportunity to work in the Summer.

Click here for more information, and to download and print the application.

Application Deadline: Tuesday, November 22 at 5:00 p.m. Late applications will not be accepted.

INTERNATIONAL TEA TIME

Do you enjoy meeting new people, playing games and having tea? If so, please join us!

International Tea Time brings together U.S. and international students for conversation and fun. We meet each week, play games, talk and get to know each other.

Dates: Every Tuesday
Time: 5:00-6:30
Place: Student Union 240, North Campus
Organizer: UB Counseling Services

For more information, visit [http://ub-counseling.buffalo.edu/tea.php](http://ub-counseling.buffalo.edu/tea.php)

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ISSS WORKSHOPS
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“Winter Driving”
Wednesday, November 9
4:00-5:00
Student Union 330, North Campus

“Your Passport to Employment: Tips & Strategies from UB Management Alumni”
Friday, November 18
3:00-4:30
Jacobs Management Center 106, North Campus

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ISSS TRIPS & ACTIVITIES
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BUFFALO PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA PRESENTS “BEETHOVEN’S VIOLIN”
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Come hear Tianwa Yang play one of the most famous violin concerti in the repertoire: Beethoven’s Violin Concerto. Ralph Vaughan Williams’ lush Symphony No. 2 rounds out the program. Note: A South Campus (Main Loop) drop-off will be available after the concert.

Date: Saturday, November 19
Meeting Time: 7:00 p.m.
Meeting Place: Flint Loop, North Campus
Performance Time: 8:00 p.m.
Return Time: 10:30 p.m. (approximately)
Cost: $25 (for concert ticket and round-trip bus transportation) (non-refundable)
Sign-Up Deadline: 11:59 p.m. on Thursday, November 17 (or until sold out, whichever happens first)

Sign up at [https://www.ubevents.org/event/1617issstrips](https://www.ubevents.org/event/1617issstrips)


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“Let’s Talk about Cultural Resiliency – In the Native American Community”
Tuesday, November 8
12:00-1:00
Student Union 240, North Campus

“Balancing It All”
Tuesday, November 8
3:30-4:30
Wilkeson Coffeehouse, North Campus

“Tips and Tools for Academic Planning and Course Registration”
Tuesday, November 8
4:00-5:00
Capen Hall 201, North Campus

“Global Competency Series: Responsible Global Citizenship”
Wednesday, November 9
1:00-2:00
Student Union 240, North Campus

“You + Me = ? An Open Discussion about Relationships”
Wednesday, November 9
2:00-3:00
Student Union 250, North Campus

“Leading Self: Articulating Your Service Experiences on a Resume”
Wednesday, November 9
5:00-6:00
Student Union 235, North Campus

“Preparing for Fall 2018 Application to the Professional Health Schools”
Thursday, November 10
4:00-5:30
Student Union 210, North Campus

“How Do You Learn Best?”
Thursday, November 10
4:30-5:30
Baldy Hall 108, North Campus

“Coffee Night with the Alliance: Advocating for Women’s Health and Safety”
Thursday, November 10
5:00-6:00
Student Union 114, North Campus
“Leading Self: Powering Through Burnout”
Monday, November 14
5:00-6:00
Student Union 235, North Campus