

# EOF Matters

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## Advice, Advocacy, Tutoring -

- o 8:30 am to 7pm daily – with tutoring on Saturdays!!
- o Walk-in; email, phone, write, or make an appointment!
- o Check out our section on the ECC website and you will find info on Counselors, newsletters, tutoring schedules and Forums –
- o Need to speak with me? Come on in – Call on x3231 - or email me at [romano@essex.edu](mailto:romano@essex.edu).

## Advisement and Registration

***If you missed registration, there is still time!*** Come in and Register on the following dates: In person registration, January 6-9 (9am – 7pm). Late registration & add/drop (in person & Web) January 12-16 (9am – 6pm).

## Important Reminders

Returning students, reapply for FAFSA for 2009-2010 as soon as you file for taxes. The deadline is April 1<sup>st</sup>. Stick with EOF to learn how you can have your taxes done for *free!!*  
*More on this will be posted in the department a bit later.....*

If you are ready to graduate this June or completed your degree in the Fall 2008 Semester with a GPA of 3.2 and above, please contact your **advisor** **CUCR0**



*Special recognition for top grads!!!!*



Join us for the first EOF Forum of the New Year, **Money Management 101**. It will be held on the following dates: Jan. 27<sup>th</sup> 2:30—4:00 p.m. and Jan. 29<sup>th</sup> 3:30-5:00 p.m. in RM 3234, the Green Multipurpose Room. There will be prizes and information on lowering your bills for food, utilities and housing!

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Contact: Rhonda Jackman 666 Third Ave. New York, NY 10017 (212) 682-2500  
Eligibility: Minority undergraduate and graduate college students who have an interest in the field of communications. The program gives students a realistic view of what advertising is about by placing them in working environments. Award: \$250/week **Fgcf dpg**: Jan 28, 2009

### **Introducing Rockfield Magloire – General Science Majors**

Our newest edition, Rockfield (or Rock or Rocky) will be working with the General Science student population. I am sure that Rockfield will gladly assist you in a way possible. His office number will be 3204. If you have any questions or concerns regarding this change, you may stop by or call the office at 973-877-3420

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Therefore, it is never *O.K. to Withdraw!!*

As always, if you need explanations, and help, see your EOF Counselor!!!

Donate your *textbooks* to the EOF Library – share and you will feel good about it!

**Remember!** As an EOF Student you are required to attend 3 forums per semester. These forums are mandatory in order to fulfill your contract!

***EOF – Get – and Keep – with the Program!!!***

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