Eyes on Successful Latinas: The 2nd Annual Professor Xiomara Torres Scholarship Luncheon! Sponsored by EOF with Metropolitan Food Service and the WISE Women’s Center, Tuesday, March 5, 2013 from 12pm to 2pm, MPR 4th Floor! For more information please contact Joanna Romano, Director, 973-877-3231, romano@essex.edu

On-line Class Registration is Coming... Go For It!

- Web (Online) Registration for Summer I, II and Fall 2013 will begin on March 25 – April 29; please see your EOF advisor for advisement before registering-need help-come in!
- Students on academic probation at the end of Spring 2013 will be required to meet with their EOF advisor during In-person Registration, April 25 – 26.

The March Forum is "Update: Research Skills": March 12th from 2:30—4:00 p.m. at Siegler Hall (Room 2132) and again on March 14th from 3:30—5:00 p.m. held in the Green and Yellow Multipurpose Room across from the EOF Department Green Area Snack Bar. All are welcome! (So good it’s mandatory for all EOF Students)

→ Did you start ECC in the Fall 2012 or SUM II 2012 session? Then you are our EOF Freshman ‘12 group, (or like we say in research- “cohort” ) - and you must take heed: March is an important month to see your EOF Advisor - call and make an appointment or come on in!!!!! And Yes! We are taking attendance!!!

Financial Aid Workshops for those who need help with FAFSA: March 6 & 21; Location: Room 4119; Time: 6:00pm.

College Tours (a Moveable Forum!): If you are thinking about transferring to any of these colleges come to the EOF department and sign-up. The tours are scheduled in March and April. We will visit the following schools: Bloomfield College, St. Peter’s University, New Jersey City University, College of Saint Elizabeth, Kean University, Montclair State University, NJIT, Rutgers-Newark, Seton Hall University, William Paterson University and Ramapo College. You can fulfill your Forum attendance
Alumni Update!............ You have a friend at Kean University!

Quinn McLean, a May 2012 EOF Graduate, started Kean University in Fall 2012 majoring in Computer Science. Quinn said his "transition was a little difficult because you're going from a community college to a university. Quinn noted that trying to go to a new school and having your mind stuck on your previous school rules and regulations can confuse you at times." At ECC Quinn was active in Student Clubs and Organizations, especially the EOF Club: Quinn also worked in the Office of Student Life & Activities. Quinn loves Kean University and is trying to apply for a combined Bachelor's and Master's program that will allow him to obtain both of his degrees at the same time. If any students have any questions about ECC, Kean, majoring in the computer field or just questions in general just let Quinn know. We have his contact info with Ms. Romano and Mr. Ike. Quinn is always eager to talk to students and answer any questions.

News from Student Life and Activities

Ringling Bros Circus
March 3; Location: Prudential Arena
$11 Students, $21 All Others

Guest Speaker -- Maximizing Your Success
Carla Harris
March 13, 10am to 11am, Smith Hall

SLAO Annual Bowling Trip
March 21, Brunswick Zone; 2 hour unlimited bowling, a pitcher & pie or every lane, 10 Students, $15 all others

Motown: The Musical - Lunt-Fontane Theatre
March 28, $40 Student $74 all others; bus leaves ECC @ 6pm

Do Something with your Summer!

Special Opportunities

2013 Mathematics Immersion Program (MIP) is a summer enrichment program designed to help undergraduate students improve their mathematics skills, and broaden their knowledge of the use of math in their chosen fields. MIP is sponsored by the State of NJ Educational Opportunity Fund (EOF) Program and operated out of the office of the Stevens Technical Enrichment Program (STEP) at Stevens Institute of Technology. Bonus features - live on campus and meet some great people! See Ms. Calloway for more info! EOF students who are interested in applying can go to http://www.stevens.edu/mip/cgi-bin/apply.php

Learn more about EOF by visiting us: 3rd Level, Green Area, Main Campus, checking the ECC website (essex.edu), emailing us or call us!!! Joanna Romano, Director, 973-877-3231, romano@essex.edu; Carolina Beretta, Associate Director, beretta@essex.edu, 973 877-3405

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