

Upcoming Events

Thursdays 6:00-8:00 pm

Campus Conversations
in P24 Room 5

Wednesdays 7:00 pm

Debate
in K24 reading room

Weekly tba

Arabic 101 Classes
on Bard College Berlin Campus

Regular Workshops tba

Clowning
on Bard College Berlin Campus

Saturday, Sept. 30

Application Civic Engagement Fellowship
To Xenia x.muth@berlin.bard.edu

Saturday, Oct. 14

Serve the City Berlin Action Day!

Wednesday, Oct. 25 - Nov. 1

Bard Network Civic Engagement Conference
with students from USA, Russia, Palestine, Kyrgyzstan
on Bard College Berlin Campus & in Berlin

Friday Nov. 3 to Sunday Nov. 5

International Debate Tournament
on Bard College Berlin Campus

Civic Engagement at Bard College Berlin

The Civic Engagement initiative at Bard College Berlin gives you a chance to make a difference on campus and in the local communities of Berlin as well as to develop organizational skills and civic responsibility.

With our campus location in a residential neighbourhood and in the heart of Berlin, there are many options to get involved on and off campus. Teach English in a school or help in a refugee camp – your contribution matters!

Contact

For further information, please contact Xenia Muth (x.muth@berlin.bard.edu) and Kerry Bystrom (k.bystrom@berlin.bard.edu).

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Civic Engagement Initiatives at Bard College Berlin



Campus Conversations

Growing out of a student project, Bard College Berlin Campus Conversations offer a space for refugees, students and anyone interested to share campus and community resources of Bard College Berlin. The project aims to provide a platform that enables everybody to both teach and learn from each other.

Sessions have focused on German language learning but also included discussions of relevant topics (e.g. the refugee crisis), academic writing, film screenings or personal skill development.

Participants meet every Thursday from 6-8pm on Bard College Berlin campus, Platanenstraße 24. Everyone is welcome to participate and to propose an activity or topic.

Volunteer Work

The Civic Engagement Initiative at Bard College Berlin is in touch with a number of organizations and supports students with finding interesting volunteer work positions.

Please contact Xenia (x.muth@berlin.bard.edu) for more information and to sign up.

Apply Now: Civic Engagement Fellowship

In the academic year 2017-18 Bard College Berlin will continue offering the Civic Engagement Student Fellows program. Student Fellows have the opportunity to develop projects aimed at improving the local community in Pankow or greater Berlin. The topic of the projects is open, but projects should involve the participation from other interested students or staff from Bard College Berlin.

Program Details

- four students as Civic Engagement Fellows 2017-18
- fellowship will be noted on official transcripts
- annual scholarship of €1000
- invitation to annual Bard/HESP Network student entrepreneurship conference in Budapest
- invitation to Bard Network Civic Engagement Conference in Berlin

Application

Applications are due on September 30, 2017. The application form is available via email and for download on the Bard College Berlin website.

For further information, please see Xenia Muth (x.muth@berlin.bard.edu).

BCB Student Projects

Join ongoing student projects as a volunteer in the organizing team or attend the offered workshops and events:

Clowning

The project trains student participants to be medical clowns in order to work with children in refugee camps, hospitals or marginalized communities.
– Veronika Rišnovská, BA2

Arabic 101

The idea behind the project is to promote a culture of multilingualism. By reaching out to students from all over the city, the project will bring together different participants to enhance their knowledge of another language and culture.

– Mohammadali Ghods, BA2

Debate

Join the BCB debate team in the Politics, Rhetoric and Debate Society (PRD) for weekly practices, international tournaments and a strong community that loves to debate and help train each other to become great speakers.

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Your Project

Not what you are looking for? What about environment? Maybe more music? Create your own project on a topic you are passionate about!