

Bulletin

Monday, January 16th, 2012



"No Country Should Outsource the Higher Education of Its Citizens."

Notices

Study Abroad Applications Available

Applications for all study abroad and student exchange programmes are available on the COB Web site:

<http://www.cob.edu.bs/DOCS/StudyAbroadApplication.pdf>

Please submit completed applications to the Office of Research, Graduate Programmes and International Relations by 4:00 pm on Friday, January 27th, 2012.

Submit applications to:

Valdez K. Russell –

International Relations Liaison

Email: vk Russell@cob.edu.bs

Phone: 302_4379

William Jones Financial Aid Award

Applications are now available for the William Jones Financial Aid Award for students at the Northern Bahamas Campus. Interested persons may collect applications from the Administration Office (Room 112) between the hours of 9:30a. m. and 4:00p. m. The deadline for submission of applications with all supporting documents is: Friday, 27th January, 2012 at 3:00p. m.

American Council on Education Fellows Visit



Several American Council on Education (ACE) Fellows recently visited The College of The Bahamas for a four-day immersion into Bahamian tertiary education, history and culture.

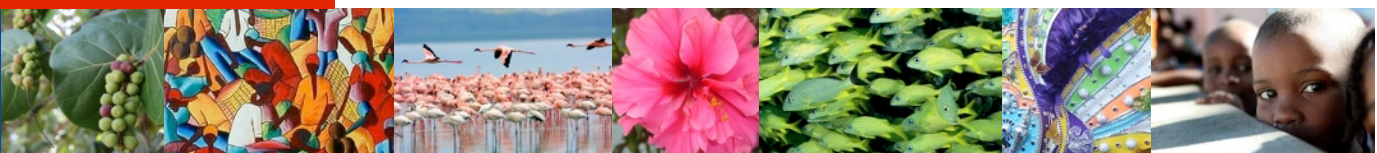
During the visit, President Boze hosted a reception at Seagrape House. Scholar-in-Residence, Dr. Gail Saunders, shared a brief history of The Bahamas. Additionally, the Fellows met with COB management staff and paid courtsey calls on the Governor General, His Excellency Sir Arthur Foulkes; US Embassy Chargé d'Affaires, John Dinkelman; and Police Commissioner, Ellison Greenslade.

Nursing Migration Lecture



Nursing and Health Sciences Librarian, Virginia Ballance delivered a research presentation on "A History of Nurse Migration and Education in The Bahamas: 1900-2011" on Wednesday, January 11th at the Grosvenor Close Campus. It was in furtherance of The College's 2011-2012 Migration theme.

Ms. Ballance highlighted the historical factors that influenced the migration of nurses from Britain to its colonies in the Caribbean and how the phenomenon impacted the development of nursing in The Bahamas.



Semester at Sea Supports Service



The spirit of service enriched local communities through a partnership between Semester at Sea and The College of The Bahamas.

The College organised a day of service on Sunday January 15th for faculty, staff and students from college and universities throughout North America.

85-participants assisted in the creation of community gardens on The College's campus along with a beautification project at the Bahamas Children's Emergency Hostel. Others in the group enjoyed cultural immersions through the Ministry of Tourism's People to People programme, snorkeling with Stuarts Cove and touring historic sites around New Providence.

2011-12 Faculty & Staff Campaign

The deadline for the 2011-12 Annual Fund this June is quickly approaching. Don't miss your opportunity to get the maximum credit for your gift. Just \$10 each month in a payroll deduction greatly helps a student or your department. It is the easiest way to donate now. Submit your gift right away, contact one of your Co-Chairs, Nakessa Beneby Ext. 4464 or Peter McWilliam x. 2632, the Annual Fund Office Ext. 4657 or log onto my.cob.edu.bs. Thanks for your support.

Cake and Conversation - January

President Boze's monthly initiative - *Cake & Conversation* for January will be held on **Monday, January 30th** in the A-Block Boardroom at 1 p.m.

RSVP by calling Ext. 4324 or emailing aseymour@cob.edu.bs.

All information to be considered for placement in the Bulletin should be sent to the address below NO LATER THAN 12 noon on Fridays.

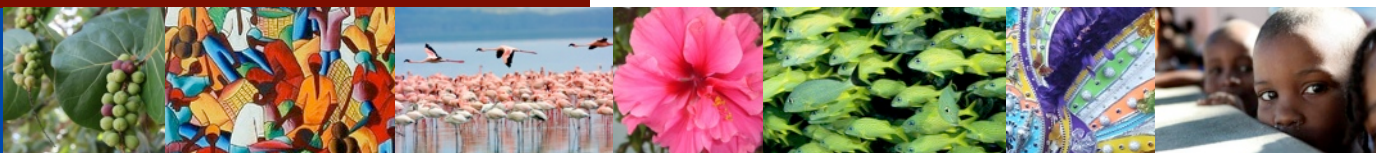
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MIGRATION

2011-2012
Campus Theme



COB Short Film Festival

The College of The Bahamas and the Journalism and Communication department of the School of Communication & Creative Arts proudly announce the **Second Annual COB Short Film Festival**. The 2012 short film festival is free and open to all COB students. Submissions are encouraged across genres, from experimental & microcinema to traditional narrative and documentary. Submissions must have a running time of 15, 30 or 45 minutes.

Completed forms must be submitted by February 10th and DVD-R submissions are due by March 30th, 2012. For more information call SCCA: 302-4483/85 or email: hzarate@cob.edu.bs. Also, pay attention to www.cob.edu.bs <<http://www.cob.edu.bs>> and FB (search for The College of The Bahamas) for more details.

E-books, E-readers and You

Libraries and Instructional Media Services (LIMS) will host an E-Resources Fair on Thursday, January 26th, 11:00a.m. - 1:30p.m. in the auditorium of the Harry C. Moore Library. The guest presenter is Mr. Juan Felipe Longas, Caribbean Regional Manager, Ebrary. Plan to attend. E-reader training sessions will be available. Don't miss it!

Computer Labs Schedule, Spring 2012

A13: Mon., - Fri. 8a.m. - 9a.m., Sat. 9a.m. - 9p.m., Sun. 9a.m. - 5p.m.

BTTC07: Mon. - Fri. 9a.m. - 9p.m., Sat. & Sun. **CLOSED**

T04: Mon. - Fri., 9a.m. - 6p.m.; Sat. & Sun. **CLOSED**

GCC120: Mon. - Wed. & Fri., 9a.m. - 5p.m.; Thurs. 9a.m. - 4p.m.; Sat. & Sun. **CLOSED**

Lab hours effective Tuesday, January 11, 2012.