

Hello/Hola/Salut from the Department of Language, Literature, & Cultural Studies!

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### 1) ENGL 101 STUDENTS VISIT NEW YORK CITY



**Dr. Shakil Rabbi's** ENGL 101: Expository Writing Honors class took a day trip to New York City to attend a Broadway showing of Stephen Schwartz's *Wicked* on October 19. The class trip was a part a semester-long examination of Frank L. Baum's *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz* under the theme "Lost and Found in Translation." Over the course of the semester, the class has collectively studied various interpretations of the iconic story, from the original novel to the various films to the Broadway stage-play.

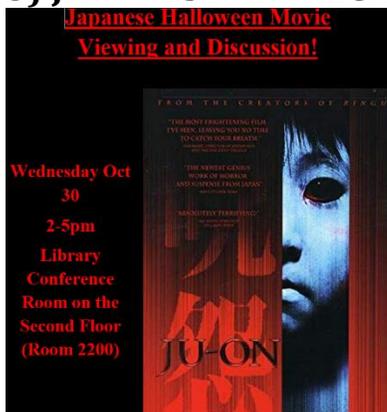
The class trip to New York comprised of attending a performance of *Wicked* at the gorgeous Gershwin Theater, an afternoon exploration of the Big Apple, and ended with a

hearty dinner at Patrick's, a BBQ restaurant located in Times Square. This trip was supported and facilitated by Bowie State University's Scholars Studio. Participants in the trip included students in the class, Dr. Shakil Rabbi, **Mahuwena Djele Goito**, a Senior in the Department of Language, Literature, & Cultural Studies and the embedded tutor for the class, Ms. Monica Turner, Director, Scholars Studio, and Ms. Lisa Nardi, Assistant Director, Scholars Studio.

## 2) MEETING FOR BS SECONDARY EDUCATION MAJORS - WEDNESDAY

Dr. Eva Garin will be in the Praxis Lab on Wednesday, October 30, from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM to advise students on the education portion of their program and answer questions about the education courses, requirements and yearlong internship.

## 3) JAPANESE APPRECIATION CLUB HALLOWEEN MOVIE - WEDNESDAY



## 4) NEW INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY: HBCU IN LA



The Entertainment Industry College Outreach Program (EICOP) is an educational workforce development non-profit organization dedicated to educating, training and recruiting the best and brightest diverse student leaders from our nation's Historically Black Colleges & Universities (HBCUs) and other Predominately Minority Institutions (PMIs) for careers in the media, entertainment and communication industry.

EICOP's Los Angeles-based HBCU in LA Industry Internship Program provides an immersive educational real-world work experience essential for launching and leveraging a career inside Hollywood's coveted inner circle. The program will focus on educating,

developing, training and placing students in internships with major studios, networks, talent agencies and production companies. This innovative pipeline development program is designed to provide access and opportunity to student groups who have traditionally been underrepresented and meet the industry's diversity goals of employing a workforce that is reflective of the communities it serves.

Click here for more information and to apply: <https://www.eicop.org/wordpress/how-to-apply/>

## 5) NEW INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY: NEH



The National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) is an independent federal agency that provides support to advance and disseminate knowledge in all of the disciplines of the humanities: history, literature, linguistics, archaeology, jurisprudence and the history, criticism and theory of the arts. NEH grant programs are designed to achieve four objectives: (1) the creation of new knowledge in the humanities; (2) the dissemination of the humanities to the American people; (3) improving humanities education; and (4) preserving and increasing the availability of resources in the humanities. Representative projects include: fellowships for independent scholars, college and university teachers; support for documentary films for airing over the Public Broadcasting System; summer seminars and national institutes for college and school teachers; development of cultural institutions and exhibits; and the preservation of manuscripts, books and artifacts in the nation's archives, libraries and museums.

### CURRENT INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:

- Administrative Services
- Communications
- Congressional Affairs
- EDSITement
- Education Programs
- Federal/State Partnership
- General Counsel
- Grant Management
- Library
- Planning and Budget
- Preservation and Access

- Publications
- Public Programs
- Research Programs

You must be a U.S. citizen or foreign national residing legally in the U.S. and enrolled in a U.S. academic degree granting institution to apply for a NEH internship. Feel free to list multiple offices and rank them according to your preferences. Please submit a resume, writing sample, and cover letter indicating where in the NEH you wish consideration for an internship. We are now accepting applications for spring internships. Please apply by Friday, November 1, 2019. We can be somewhat flexible on the specific internship dates to accommodate your schools academic calendar. A writing sample and copy of your transcript, if applying for a student internship, is requested but not required. Also, for student applicants from colleges or universities that grant academic credit for internships, please indicate if you are seeking an internship for academic credit. Your application will be directed to appropriate NEH divisions and offices for consideration. Please check each Division/Office page for additional application requirements. Submit materials to [internships@neh.gov](mailto:internships@neh.gov).

If you have any questions, please contact the NEH Internship Coordinator at 202-606-8317 or [internships@neh.gov](mailto:internships@neh.gov). Click here for more information: <https://www.neh.gov/about/human-resources/neh-internship-program>

## 6) SIGMA TAU DELTA



Sigma Tau Delta is always looking to welcome new members. This year's Induction Ceremony will be held December 10.

### Membership Requirements:

- Candidates for undergraduate membership must have completed a minimum of two college courses in English language or literature beyond the usual requirements in freshman English. The candidate must have a minimum of a B or equivalent average in English and in general scholarship and must have completed at least three semesters or five quarters of college course work. Candidates for undergraduate membership need not be majoring or minoring in the discipline of English.
- Candidates for graduate membership who did not hold undergraduate membership must be enrolled in a graduate program in English or one of its specializations, have completed six semester hours of graduate work or the equivalent, and have a minimum grade point average of 3.3 on a 4.0 scale.

•Lifetime Membership Fee: \$80. \$40 goes to the Nu Nu chapter, which will bestow you with Honor Cords and a Medallion at your Induction Ceremony that you can wear during graduation. The other \$45 goes to Sigma Tau Delta's national office, which will supply you with your Sigma Tau Delta society pin and certificate. The fee must be paid in cash.

If you are interested in becoming a member, please e-mail [hsierra@bowiestate.edu](mailto:hsierra@bowiestate.edu)

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