Welcome back everyone! I hope that after a few days back in academia, you have gotten back into a rhythm and are not reading this in a panic. Anyway, we're here! The first official day of spring was last weekend and since then Buccleuch Park has been filled with people. Since last year, one of my favorite things to do in the warmer months is to find a scenic spot somewhere in nature and set up a hammock there... something about it just feels so care-free. So my challenge for all of you today is to get out there, spring has recently sprung so just go enjoy it!

Speaking of getting out there, we've got a huge line-up of events planned for the next few weeks. Help a brand new batch of freshmen find their sea-legs by applying to be a peer mentor. Remember those Nickelodeon fitness challenges from the late 00's hosted by Michelle Obama? Relive something similar at the upcoming Step it Up Challenge. Considering the medical track? Dr. Paul Dicker is back to make your transition a little bit easier. Speaking of, if you want to be part of a team pioneering the study of bioethics, apply to be the RU Journal of Bioethics Editor or Designer. Not quite your thing? Applying to be a Student Center Building Operations Manager may suit you better. STILL not suit you? We got one more. Applications are open for TA positions at Qubit by Qubit. If you're looking for some of that calm energy you lost after break, stop by the Artists' Collective General Member Meeting. Despite being so popular, STEM fields tend to be VERY male-dominated. Learn about steps to remedy that at the upcoming talk, Ensuring that Women are Well-Represented in the STEM Disciplines. Show off some skills and win some money by showing off your talent at Rutgers Got Talent.

Warm Regards,
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Peer Mentor Application
I’m sure many SASHP students remember meeting their Peer Mentors during their first year at Rutgers. Well, now’s your chance to be the one on the sending end. Peer Mentors provide life advice, break mentees into the college culture, and provide support however else they can. Those interested in being the next group of mentors can apply here.

Step it Up Challenge
Get a team together and compete with fellow students to see who can log the most steps! Good options for team-mates include the roommate who has a door-frame pull-up bar, that one friend who keeps trying to get you on creatine, or that guy who keeps sending you home workouts (kinda guilty of this one myself). Jokes aside, this is a great way to shake off the covid-rust in time for the beautiful weather. This challenge takes place Apr 5 - Apr 25, so find your team and start training! Register by Mar 31 here.

Zoom With Dr. Paul Dicker
Join ’88 alum, Dr. Paul Dicker, for our next Honors Alumni Night of the semester, on Wed, Apr 7 at 8pm EST. After Rutgers, Dr. Dicker attended NYU Medical School and completed residency at the NYU/Bellevue Medical Center. Today, he is a board member of Lifeline Medical Associations. Asking Dr. Dicker about his trials and tribulations will be incredibly beneficial for students pursuing a career in medicine. I’m told these events fill up quickly. RSVP here.
RU Journal of Bioethics: Call for Editors and Designers

The Rutgers Journal of Bioethics is an undergraduate journal exploring the intersection of ethics, biology, society, public health, and public policy. They are currently seeking students with a passion for scientific communication with writing/editing or design experience to join their team. This application is due by Apr 7 and requires a resume and writing sample to be sent to rubioethics.journ@gmail.com.

Student Centers Building Operations Managers Recruitment

Student Centers and Activities is recruiting Student Centers Building Operations Managers. Student Operation Managers serve as the primary liaison between the Student Center and university offices. Any interested students must attend a mandatory information session (there are several dates during the week of Mar 22). Be sure to apply here by Apr 5.

Qubit by Qubit (QxQ) TA Applications

Qubit by Qubit (QxQ), a nonprofit whose mission is to train the future diverse quantum workforce, is hiring TAs for their middle and high school/college Quantum Computing Camps. This paid and fully remote position requires no prior experience in quantum computing and only asks you to show up with a friendly attitude and a want to learn. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis! More info can be found here, and the application can be found here.
Ensuring that Women are Well-Represented in the STEM Disciplines

Join Dr. Kelly Mack, Vice President for Undergraduate STEM Education and Executive Director of Project Kaleidoscope at the Association of American Colleges and Universities for a talk on equity for women in STEM fields. This event takes place next Tues, Mar 30 at 5pm EST and will double as a presentation of the Douglass Project Award for Advancement of Women in STEM. Register here.

Artists’ Collective General Member Meeting

Looking to meet some new folks at one of RU's best-known clubs? Stop by the upcoming Artists’ Collective General Member Meeting taking place this Fri, Mar 26 at 3pm EST. Learn more about what it means to be a general member, talk about potential future events or just stop by to hang out with a really laid-back group. Any interested students can register here.

Rutgers Got Talent

Got a solo or group talent you want to show off? Want to win $175? Compete in the Rutgers Got Talent Contest. The contest will have students submit a video of an original solo or group talent, and The deadline for submissions is next Mon, Mar 29, and more info/where to submit your talent can be found here.