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RUTGERS SASHP NEWSLETTER

Wednesday, November 1, 2023
Dear SAS Honors Program Students,

Happy November! I can’t believe we’re already halfway through the semester. Time always feels like it’s going by slowly, but then I look back and an entire month is gone. The weather is finally starting to crisp up, and I have to wear a coat with pockets that I can shove my hands into now when I go outside. Even as I write this newsletter, I am bundled up in a plush blanket pulled up to my chin and still freezing. Speaking of which, I’m always cold. I’ve often been told I have cold hands, but I never thought much of it. Only recently did I discover just how strange my body temperature really is. I’m the person who blasts the heater but also hates warm weather. I would rather be shivering and covered in layers and layers to keep me warm, than have the sun radiating me with its heat. Perhaps that’s just a product of half my closet being sweaters, but alas. It’s time to toast mugs of hot cocoa and tea to wool coats, thick blankets, and colder days!

The cold doesn’t mean that there are any less events though! Attend SparkNight: Día de los Muertos. Join a webinar about Propaganda and Extremism Today. Come out for the Fall Colors Hike. Watch NBCO@Zimmerli: A Haunting Dance.

Stay warm,
Halima Niazi
Your Newsletter Editor

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Halloween Costume Contest

There is still time to enter the Halloween Costume Contest! DM a picture of your costume to @hpmentor on Instagram. Winners will receive a $20 Amazon e-gift card. Open to all SASHP students. Voting begins tomorrow, Nov. 2.

SparkNight: Día de los Muertos

Celebrate the Day of the Dead tomorrow, Nov. 2, from 4:30-8 PM, at the Zimmerli Art Museum! Marvel at intricate face paintings, colorful altars, and sugar skull decorations, while enjoying live performances of traditional Mexican music and dance. Come out for an unforgettable evening! Find more information here.

Webinar: Propaganda and Extremism Today

Now more than ever, it is important to understand the impact of propaganda on our society. The Counterterrorism Education Learning Lab (CELL) presents a virtual webinar on Propaganda and Extremism Today. Attend on Nov. 3 @ 12-1 PM to hear the stories of former white supremacist Christian Picciolini, Holocaust educator Rudi Florian, and renowned national security expert Tom Sanderson. Register here.
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**NBCO@Zimmerli: A Haunting Dance**

The New Brunswick Chamber Orchestra presents “A Haunting Dance” on Sunday, Nov. 5 from 1-3 PM at the Zimmerli Art Museum. Imagine ghosts dancing to ragtime, witches doing the minuet, and skeletons waltzing. Enjoy chatting with musicians, NBCO staff, and fellow audience members over light snacks.

Space is limited, so reserve your spot [here](#).

**Fall Colors Hike**

Join the PMP on Sunday, Nov. 5th @ 11 AM for an autumn hike through the Livingston Ecological Preserve. The meeting location is the 100 Rockafeller Rd (RBS) main entrance. All hikers will receive a free SASHP bucket hat!

Also, submit your best fall photos to be displayed in the SASHP main office parlor. For more updates, join the GroupMe [here](#).

**Frank T. Gorman, Jr. Scholarship**

The Frank T. Gorman, Jr. Scholarship for Excellence in the Humanities recognizes students who are in SAS and demonstrate excellence in the humanities, both academically and through a diverse and challenging program of study. Those interested should complete the application [here](#) by Nov. 10, 2023 @ 12 PM. Late submissions will not be accepted.