Monday, December 3, 2018

Dear SAS Honors Program Students,

Ladies and gentlemen, the countdown has begun. We’re entering into our last full week of classes. I don’t know about you, but my next few days will be a whirlwind of finishing up papers and presenting final projects. The end is in sight, and my to-do list is longer than ever. It feels like the clock is ticking, a precursor to the ball drop on New Year’s Eve. I’ll be savoring a few of the “lasts” before the semester ends. Like the last class discussion in a course I really enjoy or the last dinner with a group of friends before our schedules all conflict in the spring. This time of the year goes by quickly, but it also allows you to reflect on the semester’s greatest hits.

Here are some events to help you wrap up your semester. Hear best-selling comic artist Maximilian Uriarte give a talk at Zimmerli Art Museum. Enroll in the Poetry and Politics Honors Seminar for a once-in-a-college-career experience. Get a head-start on your capstone project by taking the intro to the thesis course. Become more involved in the SASHP by applying to be an Honors Ambassador! Sharpen your professional skills by applying to the Columbia Business School Summer Internship. Learn about life after Rutgers by reading our Honors Alumni Spotlight.

The SASHP also has some exciting news: We’re ordering new gear! Click here to take our survey and tell us what merchandise you want to see.

From all of us here at the SASHP, take care when enjoying the rest of the semester.

With warmest regards,
Julianna Rossano
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SASHP Newsletter

Campus Events

Artist Talk: Maximilian Uriarte
Listen in on a talk by Maximilian Uriarte, the creator of the most popular comic strip in the military “Terminal Lance” and New York Times best-selling graphic novel The White Donkey: Terminal Lance (2016). Through the post 9/11 GI Bill, he received a BFA in Animation from California College of the Arts. Selected drawings from The White Donkey, based on Uriarte's first deployment to Iraq, are on view at the Zimmerli through Dec 30, 2018. Dec 6, 7 PM at the Zimmerli Art Museum, College Ave Campus

Poetry and Politics Honors Seminar
Do you have a passion for poetry? Politics? Both? Look no further Mary Shaw (French department) is offering a very special Honors Seminar in spring 2019 as a reprise of her innovative "Poetries-Politics" exhibition from fall 2017. In addition to exploring poetry, students will learn how to create and curate an exhibition catalog. This is a once-in-a-college-career opportunity! Click here for more information and to apply.

Intro to the Thesis Course
Juniors: are you unsure what you want to study for your capstone project? Need a refresher on how to get ready for your research? Take the spring 2019 honors capstone prep course, Introduction to the Thesis (01:090:392), taught by the SASHP’s very own Dean Musu Davis. This course is a 1-credit seminar for senior thesis planning. Meets on Wednesdays at 4:30 PM - 5:50 PM at CAC. Email honors@sas.rutgers.edu for a Special Permission Number to register.

For a full calendar of events, visit www.sashonors.rutgers.edu
Apply to be an Honors Ambassador!
Do you want to be an integral part of recruitment for the SASHP? Apply to be an honors ambassador! Training begins in February for participation in the SASHP Scholars day serving as panelists and luncheon hosts. Click here for more information and to apply (deadline 5 PM Dec 7). Email knagy@sas.rutgers.edu with any questions. For more information about the program, visit sashonors.rutgers.edu.

Columbia Summer Research Internship
Columbia Business School seeks outstanding applications for the 2019 Summer Research Internship program. The highly selective program provides an intellectually stimulating environment and exposes the students to the world of business research. Deadline is March 1. For more information and to apply, click here.

Honors Alumni Spotlight
Life after Rutgers can be daunting. Read about how SASHP alumni have handled it and what they go on to accomplish. This month's spotlight is on Sudha Sarode, a public health major who went on to receive a Masters in Public Health at Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School. She is now a Program Manager at the Crohn's & Colitis Foundation National Headquarters in New York. Read more at sashonors.rutgers.edu.