Monday, December 9, 2019

Dear SAS Honors Program Students,

After living on campus for a few months, I know I'll miss Rutgers once I move home for winter break. I'll miss long walks on Douglass, brunch at Henry’s Diner, hanging out at the SASHP Main Office, and my weekly Swing Dance club meetings. I love my hometown, but I also enjoy campus. I can’t have them both! Luckily, Rutgers and the SASHP have become my home away from home.

Here are some fun events coming up. If you're looking for a home away from home, SASHP is expanding options for honors housing in 2020-2021! Help out your fellow RU students by becoming a Peer Tutor. Take a break from studying for finals by attending the Honors Peer Mentor de-stress night. The SASHP is seeking a Peer Leader in McCormick! Save the date for our annual SASHP Winter Formal! Show some love for the SASHP by applying to be an Honors Ambassador. Interested in studying abroad? Apply for our newest spring Global Experience, An Amazonian Journey in Peru. If you enjoy writing, take a look at Creative Walking and Writing in England. Keep up with the lives of Honors students by checking out our most recent honors blog posts.

From all of us at the SASHP, enjoy the day!

With warmest regards,
Julianna Rossano
Student Director of Honors Media
Expanded Honors Housing!
Beginning next year, honors housing options are expanding for all Rutgers honors students! In addition to current SASHP spaces, new honors spaces in Sojourner Truth and Newell Apartments, BEST Hall, New Gibbons, Quad 3, and Campbell will also be available to SASHP students! You can live with a student in the Honors Program or any other Rutgers honors community (Honors College, SEBS Honors, or Engineering Academy). Applications for a housing selection number begin Jan 13 (during winter break!), so start planning your housing options now. More details coming soon!

Peer Leader in McCormick
Are you creative and self-motivated? Apply to be the Peer Leader in McCormick for the 2020-2021 school year! This paid position is open to full-time SASHP rising sophomores, juniors, and seniors who are in good standing. Applicants should have strong interpersonal and organizational skills. This position guarantees housing in the McCormick High Rise Suites on Busch Campus for 2020-2021 with up to 5 other students. Visit sashonors.rutgers.edu for more information or email Dean Kim–Lee at jmkim@sas.rutgers.edu. Apply by Jan 5.

Peer Tutor Application
Are you interested in helping fellow RU students succeed in their classes? Apply to be a Peer Tutor! Peer tutors have a 2 hour per week commitment for the spring 2020 semester, have the ability to make your own schedule, and receive comprehensive training. Visit sashonors.rutgers.edu to apply by Jan 17!
An Amazonian Journey in Peru

Interested in traveling abroad? Take a three-credit Interdisciplinary Honors Seminar in spring 2020 and add 1-credit study abroad to experience an Amazonian journey in Peru! Focusing on a combination of Latin American films and fiction in translation from Spanish, and texts or films originally written in English, this seminar will explore the narrative outlined above in the past century as you prepare for your own journey to the Amazon. *Trip features camping in the rainforest and daily travel to sites.* Priority deadline is Dec. 15! Visit sashonors.rutgers.edu for more information.

De-Stress Night

The Honors Peer Mentors invite you to their de-stress night! Celebrate the last day of classes and de-stress before finals over food, music, arts and crafts, cupcake decorating and more! Bring your mentor or mentee! All SASHP students are welcome. Dec 11, 8 - 10 PM, McCormick Lounge, Busch Campus.

Honors Ambassador

Would you like to be a SAS Honors Program Ambassador for spring 2020? Student Ambassadors are an integral part of recruitment for the SAS Honors Program. Ambassadors are trained early in the spring semester for participation in Scholars Days serving as panelists and luncheon hosts. Visit sashonors.rutgers.edu for more information and email Karen Nagy at knagy@sas.rutgers.edu with questions. Click here for the link to apply by Dec 13 at 5 PM.
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Creative Writing and Walking in England
Join Professor Paul Blaney for his summer program, “Creative Writing and Walking in the United Kingdom.” Spend two weeks in Lewes. Enjoy trips to the South Downs National Park, Brighton Arts Festival, London Globe Theatre for a play and workshop, and the homes of Virginia Woolf and Rudyard Kipling while writing creative responses of all genres. Visit global.rutgers.edu for more information and email Professor Blaney at blaney.paul@gmail.com with questions. The RU English Department also offers scholarships. Applications due via Study Abroad by March 1.

Honors Blog Posts
Keep up with the lives of SASHP students! Read our latest blog posts about changing your major as a junior, the newest post for book review Thursday, the Artists' Collective, and more. Visit rutgershonorsblog.wordpress.com to read.

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