Stanford’s Dr. Keith Devlin presents “Video Games for Mathematics”  
7 p.m., Wed., Oct. 9, at BCC

All are invited to attend “Video Games for Mathematics,” 7 p.m., Wed., Oct. 9, with Dr. Keith Devlin. The presentation takes place in BCC’s auditorium, 1st floor, 2050 Center St. Dr. Devlin will demonstrate how casual games that provide representations of mathematics enable children (and adults) to learn basic mathematics by “playing,” in the same way we learn music by learning to play the piano. The event is free and open to the public but seats are limited so tickets are required. Free tickets are at the Brown Paper Ticketing website: http://keithdevlin.bpt.me/

Dr. Devlin, a mathematician at Stanford University, is a co-founder and executive director of the university’s H-STAR institute, a co-founder of the Stanford Media X research network, a senior researcher at CSLI, and co-founder and president of InnerTube Games. The presentation is second in “Not on the Test: The Pleasures and Uses of Mathematics,” a six-part lecture series co-presented by Berkeley’s Mathematical Science and Research Institute (MSRI) and BCC.

BCC Public/Human Services programs attain 90% paid student internship, volunteer placement rates with Bay Area community agencies

BCC partnerships with nearly three dozen non-profit community and public agencies have enabled the college’s Public and Human Services students to achieve a 90% paid internship (many lead to permanent jobs) and volunteer placement rate during the first four-to-six weeks of each semester. Stephanie Green, job developer, reports that with health care changes coming into effect with implementation of the Affordable Care Act, local agencies will double or triple their case loads, which means increased employment opportunities for BCC’s students in Public and Human Services programs. Read more about these successes in the winter issue of BCC Today.

Emmy, Oscar-nominated Multimedia Arts faculty, alums share industry knowledge

Berkeley City College Multimedia Arts students learn their film making craft from top-notch innovators who always are glad to share their industry knowledge and insights. Over the past several years, the films of BCC instructors, alumni and guest lecturers have been nominated for or have won Emmy Awards or Oscar nominations. Most recently, Paige Biema won a 2013 Emmy for “A Brush with the Tenderloin,” a project she developed while studying production and editing in BCC’s Multimedia Arts department. BCC alum Niall McKay and Multimedia Arts instructor Marissa Aroy also won Emmys for “Sikhs in America” (2008), a documentary about the Sikh community and their contributions to American life. And BCC alum and instructor Natalie Newman received an Emmy nomination for Continuous News Coverage (NBC-2009).

Oscar nominees have included “The Most Dangerous Man in America” (2010), a documentary about Daniel Ellsberg and the Pentagon Papers co-produced and directed by BCC’s Judith Ehrlich. “Beasts of the Southern Wild” (2012), produced by BCC guest lecturer Josh Penn, received four Oscar nominations and Jim Capobianco, Pixar story artist and writer received a best screenplay Oscar nomination for “Ratatouille” (2007).

College hosts annual Transfer Day  
10 a.m.-1 p.m., Thur., Oct. 10

Berkeley City College will host its annual Transfer Day, 10 a.m.-1 p.m., Thur., Oct. 10 in the college’s atrium. Representatives from four-year universities will answer students questions about topics such as transfer requirements, financial aid, advising, and how to apply for admissions. For details, contact Paula Coi, Transfer/Career Information Center coordinator at pcoi@peralta.edu or at (510) 981-2811.

Health Education Fair starts 11:30 a.m.,  
Thur., Oct. 17 in BCC atrium

Health education and occupation students will host a Health Education Fair in BCC’s atrium from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., Thur., Oct. 17. Now in its eighth year, the fair will provide the college community with information about a variety of topics about the latest developments in personal and public health. Representatives from health care agencies will be on hand to answer questions. For details, contact Stephanie Sanders-Bad at ssanders-bad@peralta.edu.

Afghan activist Malalai Joya presents, “A Woman among Warlords,” 7p.m.  
Thur., Oct. 17 in BCC’s auditorium

Malalai Joya speaks at 7 p.m., Thur., Oct. 17, in BCC’s auditorium on "A Woman Among Warlords: The Extraordinary Story of an Afghan who Dared to Raise Her Voice." The event is free and open to the public. Joya first gained international attention in 2003 when she spoke out publicly against the domination of warlords in Afghanistan. In 2005 she became one of 68 women elected to Afghanistan’s 249-seat National Assembly. She was a teacher in secret girls’ schools, hiding her books under her burqa. Joya also helped establish a free medical clinic and orphanage in Farah. In 2010, Time Magazine placed Malalai Joya on their annual list of the 100 most influential people in the world. For details contact Joan Berezin at jberzin@peralta.edu (510) 981-2884.
Dr. Tim Rose named BCC’s Phi Theta Kappa adviser

Dr. Tim Rose, BCC history instructor, will be adviser to the college’s Phi Theta Kappa (PTK) Honor Students’ Society. Students may apply for membership if they have completed at least 12 semester units at the Peralta Colleges; earned eight of those units at BCC; and maintained a 3.5 or higher GPA.

BCC alum and Rhodes Scholar addresses trustees

If you were unable to attend the Tue., Sept. 10 Peralta Trustees semi-monthly meeting where BCC alum, Stanford graduate and Rhodes Scholar Tenzin Seldon addressed the board, visit web.peralta.edu/blog/tag/tenzin-seldon to view her outstanding and heartfelt presentation.

BCC community invited to participate in new college Arts Council

Berkeley City College’s new Arts Council, lead by art history and fine arts instructor Jennifer Brain, encourages members of the college community to attend and participate in its meetings this fall. The committee meets twice per semester to create policy for art in highly visible places around campus, review exhibit proposals, selects artwork, and establishes an exhibit schedule. Council membership includes representatives from BCC’s Office of Instruction, Academic Senate, Student Services, classified staff, the Associated Students of Berkeley City College and faculty from the college’s Art and Multimedia Arts departments.

Berkeley City College Oct. 7-18 Calendar

- **Mon., Oct. 7**
  - 11 a.m., Accreditation Committee, Rms. 451A
  - Noon, BCC Roundtable, Rms. 451A&B

- **Tue., Oct. 8**
  - 12:30-2 p.m., TRIO Workshop, Rms. 451A&B
  - 7 p.m., Peralta Trustees, 333 E. 8th St., Oakland

- **Wed., Oct. 9**
  - 9 a.m.-Noon, President’s Cabinet, Rm. 451A
  - 12:15 p.m., Student Ambassadors, Rm. 451A
  - 7-8 p.m., “Video Games for Mathematics,” BCC Auditorium

- **Thu., Oct. 10**
  - 10 a.m.-1 p.m., BCC Transfer Day, BCC Atrium
  - Noon-1:30 p.m., Title III Committee, Rm. 451B
  - Noon-2 p.m., TRIO Workshop, Rm. 451A
  - 6-10 p.m., CIS Group, Rms. 451A&B
  - 6-8 p.m., “Art as Activism” Lecture, BCC Auditorium
  - 6-8 p.m., “Art as Activism” Art Show, Jerry Adams Gallery, 1st Floor

- **Fri., Oct. 11**
  - Noon-1:15 p.m., CTE Meeting, Rms. 451A&B
  - 1:15-3:30 p.m., Department Chairs, Rms. 451A&B

- **Sun., Oct. 13**
  - 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Sunday Streets Berkeley

- **Tue., Oct. 15**
  - 9 a.m.-1 p.m., Acupuncture/Massage Therapy, Rm. 122 (Appointment Only)
  - 2-3:30 p.m., Student Services Council, Rm. 451A

- **Wed., Oct. 16**
  - 9 a.m., President’s Cabinet, Rm. 451A
  - 10:30 a.m.-Noon, Leadership Council, Rm. 451A
  - 12:15 p.m., Student Ambassadors, Rm. 451A
  - 12:30-2 p.m., TRIO Workshop, Rm. 451B
  - 12:30 p.m., Academic Senate, Rm. 341A
  - 5-6 p.m., Digital Arts Club, Rms. 451A&B

- **Thur., Oct. 17**
  - 10 a.m.-Noon, Curriculum Committee, 3rd Fl., Rm. 341 (Teaching/Learning Center)
  - 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Student Health Education Fair, BCC Atrium
  - Noon-1:30 p.m., Counseling, Rm. 451A
  - Noon-1:30 p.m., Title III, Rm. 451B
  - 7 p.m., “A Woman Among Warlords,” The Extraordinary Story of an Afghan Who Dared to Raise Her Voice,” BCC Auditorium

- **Fri., Oct. 18**
  - Last Day for Students to File Petitions for AA/AS Degree

University reps visit BCC in October

Representatives from local universities and colleges will visit Berkeley City College on the days and times below:

- **Thur., Oct. 10**
  - 10 a.m.-1 p.m., BCC Transfer Day
  - 1-3 p.m., UC Santa Barbara
  - Rm. 241
  - 2 p.m., Columbia University
  - School of General Studies
  - Rm. 241

- **Tue., Oct. 15**
  - 10 a.m.-2 p.m., UC Berkeley
  - 1st Floor Lobby

- **Wed., Oct. 23**
  - 10 a.m.-2 p.m., SF State University
  - 1st Floor Lobby

Visit [www.berkeleycitycollege.edu/wp/transfer/calendar/2013-03](http://www.berkeleycitycollege.edu/wp/transfer/calendar/2013-03) for more transfer information.

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