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September 13, 2016 - “Club Fair” 12:30-2pm - MC16 11th floor

Student Involvement and Leadership Development (MA) - Meet NYIT student clubs and organization members. Voter registration information will be made available.

September 14, 2016 - “Talking Politics” 12-2pm - MC16 11th floor *In this fun and interactive workshop the focus is on the performance of curiosity. Can we find a way to our shared concerns as we head into the 2016 Presidential election, even if we don’t agree when it comes to how we will be voting? By creating and performing curiosity we can discover things we never imagined. By learning the basic rules of improvisation – the ability to say “yes” and to actively listen, accept “offers” and build with them – we can find our way to our shared humanity, concerns and passions, even if we “disagree.”*

September 15, 2016

“The U.S. Constitution: Has Big Money Hijacked Democracy” - 12:45-2pm in (MA) EGGC rooms 704 and 706 and (OW) Harry Schure Auditorium 130. *Join a discussion with Professors Nicholas Bloom, King Cheek, Joanne Grasso, Michael Izady, Reginald Jasmin, Ellen Katz, Eugene Kelly, Luis Navia, Leslie Schuster, and Paul Tagliaferri after they provide a 2-3 minute synopsis of the court case, “Citizens United v. FEC”.*

“Meet Ben Franklin” (1:15-2pm) MC16 11th floor *at the Student Employment Fair (12-2pm) where he will quiz you on your knowledge of the US Constitution. Non-profit orgs will be recruiting for NYIT volunteers. Voter registration forms will be made available for guests.*

“The Public Good” 5-7pm opening reception at NYIT Gallery 61, MC16 11th floor. *An exhibition featuring photographs and interviews that document NYIT students’ community involvement.*

September 16, 2016

Constitution Day - 12:00pm – 2:00pm in (OW) at the NYIT Residence Halls. *Student Leaders will be canvassing the Residence Halls to register voters and participants will be asked trivia questions about the US Constitution in order to win prizes!*

September 20, 2016

“Involvement Fair” - 12:45pm – 2:10pm in (OW) Academic Quad. *Come out and learn about all the organizations, clubs, and departments at NYIT Old Westbury!*

Voter registration information will be provided.

September 20, 2016 - “Meet the Media: ETHICS and the Presidential Election” - 6-8pm in the NYIT Auditorium on Broadway. Join PRSA-NY, the New York Institute of Technology and a prestigious panel of journalists for a lively discussion about ethics and the 2016 presidential election.

Moderator: **John Maynard**, Director of Programs, Newseum

Panelists: **Matthew Bishop** U.S. Business Editor and New York Bureau Chief, *The Economist*, **Charity Elder** Executive Producer - Yahoo Studios, Yahoo News, **Matthew Murray** Deputy Editor in Chief, *The Wall Street Journal*, **Noreen O’Donnell** Staff Writer, NBC, **Frank Washkuch** News Editor, PRWeek and Adjunct Professor, City College of New York

September 22, 2016 - “Voter Registration Training” - 12:45-2 - Career Services in MA (MC26 211) and OW (Salten rm3)- Free Hour *In this fun and interactive workshop the focus is on developing a warm, friendly and engaging performance of meeting strangers for the purpose of registering them to vote. Being a “Voter Engagement Consultant” means learning the performance of being so friendly (almost “pathologically friendly”) so as to encourage engagement with strangers in the service of registering people to vote. By learning the basic rules of improvisation – the ability to say “yes” and to actively listen, accept “offers” and build with them – we will learn how to be engaging community organizers.*

September 26, 2016

“First Presidential Debate Viewing” 9pm – 10:30pm in OW at the NYIT Residence Halls (Bear Lair).

Join fellow students in a viewing of the first Presidential Debate with a discussion hosted by the CSC to follow.

September 27 - National Voter Registration Day Events

1-4:30pm - **NYC Youth Convention- Developing a Student Voter Platform** - Sept 27, 2016 at the NYIT AOB - Held in partnership with NYC Votes, John Jay and Juilliard. Lunch will be provided.

Students will cover topics such as:

- What does it mean to create a political platform?
- How do ideas and legislation flow through the different levels of government: local, state, federal?
- How will these legislative agendas affect the students' lives?

Then for those who attend the Convention

6-8pm - **The Red, White and Blue Bash at Lincoln Center** - Rubenstein Atrium 61 W 62nd. *Students celebrate and present their platform to the public. Mingle with politicians, musicians, celebrities and community members and "party with a purpose"*

"Practice Voting" 12:45pm-2:10pm in (OW) Salten Hall. *Practice voting with the Nassau County Board of Elections. Voter Registration tables will be made available in Harry Schure Hall and the Student Activity Center and representatives from the League of Women Voters will be on hand in Salten Hall. with the League of Women Voters on hand in Salten Hall.*

October 13, 2016 "Campus Conversation" 12:45pm – 2:10pm AARH 307 *Come join the Community Service Center in a discussion about the upcoming Presidential Election.*

"Evening Canvassing" 8pm – 10pm in (OW) at the NYIT Residence Halls. *Haven't registered to vote yet? Volunteers will be on hand in the Bear Lair and throughout the residence halls collecting last minute voter registration forms*

October 14, 2016 - *Last day to register to vote in 2016 elections!*

November 8, 2016 - **Election Day** and **"Mock National Election Day"** – *Go to the polls and VOTE!*

November 9, 2016 - **"The Wednesday After"** MC16 11th floor Auditorium - 12-2pm

The election results are in and what does this mean for us? Hear NYIT's Senior Leaders share how policy affects their respective industries and how new government may shape our chosen career fields. Dr. Patrick Love will moderate panelists Len Aubrey, Dr. Jerry Balentine, Dr. Nada Anid, Dr. Richard Pizer and Dr. Jim Simon and Zenna Sewell.

For questions about any of these events, please contact Amy Bravo abravo@nyit.edu



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