Diversity this Week
A message from the Associate Vice President for Diversity

Doing the work of creating an inclusive culture here at Ball State University

Now more than ever we invite you to "Live Beneficence". Do you want to be part of this effort? Send us your contact information at aid@bsu.edu.

View the complete Diversity This Week here.

This Week in Diversity Now...

"Creating Integrated Employment for Students with Physical Disabilities"
Monday, September 24, 12-1:00 PM, Student Center, Forum Room
Greg Fehrnbach, Distinguished Fellow for the Office of Institutional Diversity and attorney as he presents on developing internships and the upcoming Fehrnbach Center and initiatives. Larry Markle, Eskenazi and previous Ball State Disability Director will be joining him.

“Better Together—Common Ground”
Tuesday, September 25, 9:00 am-10 am, Student Center, Music Room
Ball State’s strength comes from hundreds of individuals working together toward a common goal. Join us for a cup of coffee and a thoughtful conversation with colleagues from all units on campus. Meet someone new, share your story, and learn more about the amazing people who make up our community. RSVP’s appreciated, but not required. Email aid@bsu.edu

Forgotten Places and Faces of Muncie
Tuesday, September 25 from 6:30 to 7:30
Cornerstone Center for the Arts Colonnade Room (520 East Main Street)
Melissa Gentry, University Libraries will highlight the achievements in art of local women from 1930’s on.

Hanif Abdurraqib
Thursday, September 27, 7:00 pm TC 121
Poet, essayist and cultural critic. Visit his website here.

Sponsored by the English Department, African-American Studies, Multicultural Center and the Office of Institutional Diversity.

FRIDAY FUNFEST
Friday September 28, 12:30 pm-1:30 pm, Yuhas Room, Student Center
Friday Funfest is an opportunity to connect with people from different cultures. There will be interactive activities and you never know... you may make a new friend!

“Pathways to Success: Telling our Stories to Empower Others”
Tuesday, September 25 from 6:30 to 7:30
Assembly Hall
The Fall 2018 IABHE Lunch & Learn serves as a space for Black administrators, faculty, staff, and students to professionally network, share stories and provide support.

Register here.

Expand your horizons...

Sukkot (Jewish Feast of Tabernacles)
September 27-October 4
Beginning at sunset on the first day, this seven day festival celebrates the harvest and commemorates the Jews’ passage through the wilderness.

Conversations on Diversity and Equity (CODE). CODE is a monthly inter-group dialogue series designed to increase the awareness and cultural competency among professional staff and graduate students by exploring various dimensions of diversity and equity.

Please click here to attend the next CODE session on, "Allyship" which will be on Thursday, September 27th from 12-1pm at SC 301-2. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Multicultural Center at mc2@bsu.edu or 765-285-1344.

Resource...

EDIT Media is built on Equity, Diversity and Inclusion in Teaching Media. Learn more here.

Live-Beneficence...I see the Beneficence in you

Beneficence is not passive. It is by definition, action taken to benefit others. To "Live Beneficence" is a call to action. Join us. Learn more about OID Fall programming here.

Beneficence challenge: Happiness at work? It might be just what you need. Take the quiz here.

Share examples of the Beneficence you see in others — email your nominations to OID@bsu.edu. Please include your name, the person’s name and the way in which they embodied the Beneficence Pledge.

... & looking back, 1962, 1981

Sandra Day O’Connor, the first female Supreme Court Justice, is sworn in.

Ball State University African American Alumni Oral History
led by Michael Doyle
Associate Professor and Director, Public History Program and the Oral History Workshop
Listen to the Oral History of Mary Pollman Ball State University, class of 1964, Masters 1975

An opportunity to showcase faculty publications 2017-18

David McIntosh
Department Chair of the Department of Special Education

Keeping Diversity, Equity and inclusion as a forethought...not an afterthought
Watch Jay Smooth’s Ted Talk about little packets of prejudice here.

National Center for Faculty Development & Diversity
“Preparing for Parenthood on the Tenure Clock” Use this link to learn more. https://www.facultydiversity.org/webinars/parenthood18
Can’t view the resource? Be sure to register. Ball State University faculty and graduate students can register at https://www.facultydiversity.org/join