WELCOME to another exciting season of FREE cultural programs brought to you by HCCC’s Department of Cultural Affairs (DOCA). DOCA offers unique opportunities for community members, students, faculty, and administration to engage in art exhibitions, lectures, and events that strengthen our creative Journal Square learning neighborhood. We hope to see you this spring on the 6th Floor of the Gabert Library.

Sincerely,

Michelle Vitale
Director of Cultural Affairs

MUSEUM EDUCATION TRAINING (M.E.T.) AT DOCA

Interested in volunteering at the Dineen Hull Gallery and becoming a certified Docent at the College? Learn to lead tours, administer educational programs, and be a part of our community.

For more information, contact Renato Yon Vasallo at gallery@hccc.edu.

CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS

Do you have objects, photos, or other materials featuring Journal or Bergen Square? DOCA is looking for items to include in an upcoming exhibition. Contact Michelle Vitale, Director of Cultural Affairs at mvitale@hccc.edu.

For up-to-date program and event information, please visit www.hccc.edu/cultural-affairs.
LADIES WHO LECTURE & LUNCH

DOCA continues its yearlong celebration of the hundredth anniversary of the Women’s Suffrage Movement by hosting a three-part cultural lecture series, Ladies Who Lecture & Lunch.

We are looking for woman-identified students, faculty, community members, and administrators to join Session I on March 6 or Session II on May 8. See the DOCA Calendar for details about the featured Ladies Who Lecture & Lunch. We hope to connect and create mentoring relationships for HCCC students.

To self-nominate or nominate a deserving student or community-minded mentor to our FREE lunch and lecture series, email nominations and specify Session I on March 6 or Session II on May 8 to gallery@hccc.edu. Limited seating available. The goal of this series is to connect and create mentoring relationships between HCCC women and community members of all ages and backgrounds.

SPECIAL EDITION: DIVERSITY, EQUITY & INCLUSION

This semester, the President’s Advisory Council on Diversity, Equity & Inclusion will host educational programs at Dineen Hull Gallery, which reflect HCCC’s mission to treat all members of our community with respect, dignity, and kindness. Celebrating diversity benefits everyone; we welcome all people onto our campus and into our community. In this spirit, we proudly present Anne Frank: A Private Photo Album, with a special performance of Letters from Anne to Martin by the Anne Frank Center.

For more information, please visit: www.hccc.edu/cultural-affairs.

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Front Image Credit: HCCC Student Viewing Art on Display in the Dineen Hull Gallery

Photo courtesy of Anne Frank Center
DOCA EVENT CALENDAR

All programs are hosted at the Dineen Hull Gallery, 71 Sip Avenue, 6th Floor unless otherwise noted. All events are FREE and open to the public. Photo I.D. must be shown when entering the HCCC campus. For up-to-date program and event information, please visit www.hccc.edu/cultural-affairs.

FEBRUARY

TEACHER AS ARTIST
Celebrating the Creativity of Educators in Hudson County

The Art of Collecting
February 4 – June 3
Curated by Michelle Vitale
Various locations on College campus
Reception: March 6, 4-7 p.m.
Dineen Hull Gallery Atrium

This semester, we celebrate HCCC professors of excellence Dorothy Anderson, Carrie R. Xiao, and Joseph Gallo, who inspire and are inspired by the art of collecting. Join us for the reception on March 6 from 4 to 7 pm in the Dineen Hull Gallery Atrium, 71 Sip Ave. 6th Fl. Light refreshments will be served.

Beloved history Professor Dorothy Anderson illuminates and educates with this special collection that focuses on the art and culture of African diaspora on display in the Dineen Hull Gallery Atrium.

Fascinated by her grandmother's traditional Chinese folk art, accounting Professor Carrie R. Xiao, shares her collection of paper creations with the HCCC community in the Dineen Hull Gallery Lobby on the 6th floor.

FEATURED IN DINEEN HULL GALLERY
Professor Joseph Gallo received his MFA in Playwriting from Ohio University. He founded the HCCC's Theatre Arts Program and is the current coordinator of the Theatre & Film Department. He is a recipient of the Kennedy Center Prize for Innovative Teaching in Theatre and the playwright-in-residence at Mile Square Theater in Hoboken. This vibrant member of our HCCC community shares highlights from his extensive Broadway Playbill collection, featuring over 250 Playbills in the Dineen Hull Gallery and both campus libraries.

Special Guided Tour with Professor Joseph Gallo: February 24, 2:00 to 3:30 p.m.

Gabert Library
71 Sip Ave., 1st Fl.,
Jersey City, NJ 07306

North Hudson Library
4800 Kennedy Boulevard, 3rd FL.,
Union City, NJ 07087

Dineen Hull Gallery, Atrium & Lobby
71 Sip Ave., 6th Fl.,
Jersey City, NJ 07306

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HUDSON PRESENTS...
February 4 – March 6
Opening Reception: February 4, 4-7 p.m.

A point of pride at the College is the HCCC Art Department, led by Professors Laurie Riccadonna and Jeremiah Teipen. Join us on February 4 for the opening reception. The exhibition celebrates the artistic expression of the faculty of the Art and Computer Arts Department. Light refreshments will be served.

FEATURED ARTISTS
Chris Bors, Eun Young Choi, Anna Ehrsam, Danielle Friedman, Ben Galaday, Dahye Kim, Franziska Lamprecht, Eric Jiaju Lee, Michael Lee, Hajoe Moderegger, Katie Niewodowski, Jon Rappley, Laurie Riccadonna, Monika Sosnowski, Jeremiah Teipen, and Woolpunk.

THINKING IN FULL COLOR
February 4, 6:30 p.m.

DOCA welcomes back Summer Dawn Reyes to lead our artist residency! Thinking in Full Color will light up the gallery with pop-up performances and special workshops planned throughout February. TIFC is an award-winning organization that empowers women of color through education and the arts. www.ThinkingInFullcolor.com

GEORGIA BROOKS LEGACY CELEBRATION
HCCC celebrates the legacy of Georgia Brooks during Black History and Women’s History Month. Ms. Brooks was many things to many people, including a mom, a Black woman IT professional, and an active advisor for the HCCC Gay-Straight Alliance. In her honor, this year DOCA will commemorate Brooks’ legacy with a special Thinking in Full Color performance featuring poets Cindy AnaCaona Peralta and Dujuana Sharese.

WEEKEND WARMUP
Four Film Fridays Discussion
February 7, 14, 21, 28, 2:30-3:30 p.m.
Jaws by Steven Spielberg on February 7
Fences by Denzel Washington on February 14
Les Misérables by Tom Hooper on February 21
Star Wars by George Lucas on February 28

DOCA invites students, staff, faculty, and community to Four Film Fridays, moderated by HCCC student Renato Yon Vassallo. Warm up the start of your weekend with lively film discussions including Jaws by Steven Spielberg, Fences by Denzel Washington, Les Misérables by Tom Hooper, and Star Wars by George Lucas. Watch these featured films in the comfort of your own home and be ready to nerd out in the Gallery on selected dates. Movie snacks will be provided. For more information visit www.hccc.edu/cultural-affairs.

DOCA RESIDENCY
THINKING IN FULL COLOR
Pop-Up Performances in Dineen Hull Gallery
February 11, 6:30 p.m.
Featuring Steph Dinsae and Nicole Cañete
February 25, 6:30 p.m.
Featuring Rescue Phoenix and Nancy Méndez-Booth

2ND ANNUAL ART FAIR 14C
February 21 – 23, 2020
Hyatt Regency at 2 Exchange Place

For the second year, DOCA supports Art Fair 14C as a community partner. Art Fair 14C is an international, nonprofit created to strengthen and support the visual arts in New Jersey, and beyond. With more than four thousand in attendance last year, 50 art exhibitors from around the world, and a Juried Show of NJ artists, there will be thousands of artworks on display. Visit www.artfair14c.com for admission pricing.

For up-to-date program and event information, please visit www.hccc.edu/cultural-affairs.
POETRY OF YOGA
March 3, 12:30-1:30 p.m.
Dineen Hull Gallery Atrium

Join entrepreneur and creator of Mindful Play Yoga Jamie Wilson Murray for four 50-minute yoga sessions this semester. This partnership promotes the poetry in the Art in Cadence exhibit and celebrates National Poetry Month. We recommend bringing your own yoga mat – a limited number of mats will be available.

www.facebook.com/mindfulplayyoga

ART IN CADENCE
March 16 – April 18
Curated by Robinson Holloway and Rashad Wright
Opening Reception: March 19, 4-7 p.m.

DOCA presents Art in Cadence, featuring poetry by Jersey City Poet Laureate, Rashad Wright. His poetry will be paired with selected works of art from the 2020 Art Fair 14C Juried Show artists curated by the Executive Director, Robinson Holloway. The exhibit marries two art forms that inspire and ignite creativity. Join us for a reception on March 19 from 4-7 p.m. Light refreshments will be served. In celebration of National Poetry Month, HCCC will also be hosting the 3rd Annual Jersey City Poetry Festival organized by Jersey City Writers on March 20 and 21.

POETRY OF YOGA
March 17, 12:30-1:30 p.m.
Dineen Hull Gallery Atrium

ANNE FRANK EXHIBIT:
A PRIVATE PHOTO ALBUM
March 16 – April 18
Presented by The Advisory Council on Diversity, Equity & Inclusion in partnership with the Anne Frank Center
Opening Reception: March 19, 4-7 p.m.

As an amateur photographer, Otto Frank had a single theme: his daughters, Anne and Margot. Nothing we see in Mr. Frank’s photos reveals the horrors the family will soon endure. The exhibition consists of over fifty reproduced photographs, many of which are seldom on public display. Additionally, in observance of the assassination of Martin Luther King, Jr. and Holocaust Remembrance Day, on April 16 at 12:30 p.m. the DEI Council proudly presents the award-winning documentary film, The Short Life of Anne Frank, and a special performance of Letters from Anne to Martin, in partnership with the Anne Frank Center. Limited seating available. For more information, please visit: www.hccc.edu/cultural-affairs.
ARTCYCLE: PAPER CRANE CHALLENGE
April 15 – May 15
Dineen Hull Gallery Lobby
In honor of Earth Day, Professor Eric Adamson invites students from all over Hudson County to recycle old homework assignments into origami paper cranes instead of throwing them away.

Selected works will be displayed in the 6th floor lobby of the Gabert Library. Our Museum Education Training team led by Renato Von Vassallo will lead tutorials throughout the semester. Workshops and meeting times TBA. Drop reusable paper at the DOCA office, Room 614L in the Gabert Library.

MAY

BERGEN 360: A PANORAMIC DISCUSSION OF BERGEN SQUARE’S EVOLVING CULTURAL LANDSCAPE
May 1, 12 p.m.
Dineen Hull Gallery Atrium
The Bergen 360 discussion coincides with Bergen Square Day 2020 as well as Hudson County’s first annual History and Heritage Month activities for May 2020. Panelists will discuss the roles of colonization, transportation, immigration, architecture, cultural production, and politics in Bergen Square’s 360-year history. www.bergensquareday.com

POETRY OF YOGA
March 31, 12:30-1:30 p.m.
Dineen Hull Gallery Atrium

POETRY OF YOGA
April 14, 12:30-1:30 p.m.
Dineen Hull Gallery Atrium
HCCC STUDENT ART REVIEW
Closing & Student Presentations
May 15, 10:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Dineen Hull Gallery Atrium

HCCC art students present their portfolios and artistic achievements. Light refreshments will be served.

LADIES WHO LECTURE & LUNCH
May 8, 12:30-2:30 p.m.
Dineen Hull Gallery Atrium

Our cultural lecture series, Ladies Who Lecture & Lunch, continues in partnership with Student Life & Leadership.

Born and raised. Dynamic Duo. Culture Queens. Sisters. Maryanne and Colleen Kelleher have supported the Jersey City art scene in a variety of distinguished roles. In celebration of Mother’s Day, the sister's discussion focuses on the importance of family support in achieving artistic dreams. Details on signing up for this event are listed on page 2.

ART CAFÉ
May 15, 8:30-9:30 a.m.
Dineen Hull Gallery Atrium

DOCA invites students, faculty, and community members to enjoy a complimentary cup of coffee and Manhattan views on the roof terrace and to tour the HCCC Student Art Exhibition.

JERSEY CITY ARTS HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR THESIS EXHIBITION
May 20 – June 3
Curated by Jessica Ward
Opening Reception: May 20, 4-7 p.m.

DOCA welcomes Jersey City Arts High School Senior Thesis Exhibition to the Dineen Hull Gallery!

Since 1981, The Jersey City ARTS High School has supported artistic excellence by helping with college applications and granting arts scholarships. This four-year program is open to all talented college-bound students in Jersey City who want to develop their artistic skills.

CULTURAL AFFAIRS
The Hudson County Community College Department of Cultural Affairs celebrates diversity year-round with a variety of programs and exhibitions. The College’s nearly 3,000 square foot Dineen Hull Gallery welcomes thousands of guests each semester. DOCA’s mission is to provide supplemental programs to stimulate awareness of the arts and foster creativity. We strive to complement the efforts of HCCC with cultural events, community programs, and educational initiatives. Our goal is to transcend the understanding of visual and performing arts by closing the distance between the experience of art and everyday life in the community we serve.

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