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**January 11, 2018**  
**Faculty/Staff**

your **announcement** by 8:30 a.m. Tuesday

to be included in that day's Campus e-Update.

Example: events, FYIs, and campus notices      your **great news**

Example: remarkable or noteworthy accomplishments,

achievements, or special recognitions

[Announcements page](#) is updated daily. The Campus E-Update is emailed on Tuesday and Thursday.

## **Announcements**

### **Deep Talks: Education and Outreach**

The education and outreach team will be featured at this week's Deep Talks tonight at the Sanford Lab Visitor Center.

Check out the flyer [here](#).

*--Submitted by Connie Walter on 2018-01-11*

### **BHSU Hockey Interest?**

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We are searching for any and all BHSU hockey players that are interested in putting together a group to skate for the remainder of the year. Please, contact [Brock.Anundson@BHSU.edu](mailto:Brock.Anundson@BHSU.edu) if interested.

*--Submitted by Brock Anundson on 2018-01-10*

### **BHSU Welcomes Highest Number of International Students!**

The International office is excited to welcome 20 new international students to BHSU this semester. Along with our returning students (representing 23 different nations) and high enrollment this fall, BHSU is enrolling the most international students in university history! Join us by welcoming our new students and

celebrating this important university milestone for our Academic Year 2018!

--Submitted by Katie Wildman on 2018-01-10

### **BHSU offers Chinese!**

It's not too late: Classes start January 17th!

BHSU is offering Chinese for Travelers (Mandarin) for 1 credit this spring. Register for HUM 291 and use your \$100 faculty/staff scholarship to increase your language skills. The class is offered on Wednesdays from 4-5pm and taught by our Chinese Faculty Exchange Teacher from China Three Gorges University (who comes highly recommended from BHSU students who studied with her last summer!) It's not too late to have some language fun! Anyone interested in exchange programs in China should strongly consider this opportunity!

--Submitted by Katie Wildman on 2018-01-10

### **International Service Learning Program: Faculty Applications Requested Now!**

Are you interested in teaching the International Service Learning Program for the Fall 18 (Philippines) or Spring 19 (Botswana) semester and beyond? We are currently seeking applications for instructors. Deadline: Rolling (please submit ASAP) Responsibilities and Application information are listed below. The International office can also send you the full handbook to learn more about the program. (Will be posted online when the website is fully up and running).

### **Faculty Selection**

Two distinct types of positions are available: Program Faculty and Administrators. The Program Advisory Group will make recommendation to the Vice President for Enrollment and Student Affairs on faculty/administrator selections. The Vice President for Enrollment and Student Affairs will make the final decision. While there are two separate types of position, each will work seamlessly together and help in all areas where needed.

### **Criteria for Faculty Selection**

Commitment to helping students have an international experience with service learning as a main focus along with providing students with academic credit.

Willingness to be responsible for students on a 24-hour basis while in a foreign country.

Commitment to enhancing students overall college experience.

Willingness to help students develop skills to work in a global society.

Willingness to develop and offer students experiences that will academic yield academic credit.

The ability to secure a letter of permission to participate in the program from one's dean or department chair.

### Application Process for Faculty

Faculty will have an opportunity to apply for the program yearly, as determined by the PAG. The proposal application should be signed by the departmental chair and relevant dean.

Faculty should take care to understand the purpose and outcomes associated with the ISLP program before applying.

Submit a letter of interest to the Vice President for Enrollment and Student Affairs addressing the items found here.

*--Submitted by Katie Wildman on 2018-01-10*

### Study Abroad Presentations in Classrooms: Schedule Now!

Do you have study abroad in your syllabus this semester? Need a classroom sub? Are your students needing something different in class?

Invite the International Relations and Global Engagement Office in for 2, 5, 10, 30 or 60+ minutes to facilitate a conversation with your students on study abroad options at BHSU or a topic of your choice. We still haven't heard from many of you, and it's not too late! Book us now at [International@BHSU.edu](mailto:International@BHSU.edu). We will do any time, date and location and can specialize to your discipline!

*--Submitted by Katie Wildman on 2018-01-10*

### Nominate Your Amazing Co-Worker for an Employee Recognition Award!

Do you know a BHSU employee or group who stands out in their service to students, the University, or the community? If you have been admiring from afar, now is the time to take action and show your fellow coworkers that their work is noticed and appreciated! Nominate our stellar employees for an award to be given out at the employee recognition event in March. Visit <http://www.bhsu.edu/Faculty-Staff/Human-Resources/Award-Program> for nomination forms and descriptions of the awards. Deadline for nominations is Thursday, January 25th. Call Cassie Maser at 605.642.6545 or email [Cassie.Maser@BHSU.edu](mailto:Cassie.Maser@BHSU.edu) with any questions or for more information.

*--Submitted by Cassie Maser on 2018-01-10*

### Directory Update

Happy New Year...!

Mail Services is trying to update & maybe improve our campus directory system. Follow the link below and search for your name in the campus directory. Please verify that your Unit No# is correct. If you are not sure of what your Unit No# is

please email or call me and I will find out and let you know what it is...

<http://www.bhsu.edu/About-BHSU/Campus-Directories>

*--Submitted by Raymond Evans on 2018-01-09*

### **2018-2019 Scholarship Application Deadline**

The priority deadline for 2018-2019 scholarships is February 1st. The on-line application can be found on our website under Pay for College.

<http://www.bhsu.edu/Admissions/Pay-for-College/Scholarships/Application>

*--Submitted by Kanda Guthmiller on 2018-01-09*

## **Events**

### **Entrepreneurial Boot Camp**

Join us for a day long, hands-on learning experience specifically designed for current and aspiring entrepreneurs interested in starting a business or nonprofit. SD CEO, The OWN, and Aspiring Business Consulting are excited to announce our second annual Entrepreneurial Boot Camp on January 19th from 8:30am - 4pm at the Rapid City Campus in Room 106.

Gain Knowledge about: preparing a business plan, funding your new business, establishing a For-Profit or Non-Profit Entity, Marketing Your Business, and Successful Networking for entrepreneurs.

Register at <http://www.bhsu.edu/SDCEO>

*--Submitted by Mela Cosme on 2018-01-11*

### **Debate Team First Meeting**

The BHSU Speech and Debate Team will be holding their first official practice on Friday, January 12 at 3:00. The team meets in Jonas 208 and all are welcome! Whether you have forensics experience or not, you're welcome to watch or to participate in practice.

*--Submitted by Megan Wattenhofer on 2018-01-11*

### **Children's Story Time with Tommy Trout**

BHSU Jacket Zone, located at 617 Main Street, Spearfish, hosts Children's Story Time every Saturday from 10-11 a.m. This is a free event for children of all ages, and includes reading a favorite story, making crafts, music & snacks!

This Saturday we have a special guest coming! Tommy Trout, a friendly puppet, will be here to talk about the fish that live in the ponds at the DC Booth Fish

Hatchery in Spearfish. Come and learn about the rainbow, brown, brook, and cutthroat trout. Karen Holzer, executive director for the Booth Society will read the book, *The Rainbow Fish* written by Marcus Pfister and J Alison James. The children will make fish puppets and participate in a fish swimming activity.

*--Submitted by Donnelle Culver on 2018-01-10*

### **Geek Speak: Religious Diversity in the West**

Please join us for the next three Thursdays (January 11, 18, and 25) for a 3-part panel discussion on Religious Diversity in the West. 4:00 p.m. in Jonas 110.

The panel will feature Carrie Gray-Wood (host), Dr. Tim Steckline, Professor Emeritus Jace Decory, Ms. Rosie Sprague, Ms. Naveen Malik, and Dr. Parthasarathi Nag.

This panel will be a series on local faculty/staff/student perspectives about their own religious paths. The panel will be designed to showcase the religious diversity found on the BHSU campus, emphasizing non-Christian minority beliefs and the personal variations in each presenter's perspectives. The overall goals are to allow the audience to become familiar with some of the more common tenets of each organized religion presented, and common linkages between the ethics and belief systems of each, while still emphasizing the idea that each presenter brings their own personal interpretation of their religion. Current possible religions to showcase include Hinduism, Lakota Spirituality, Islam, Buddhism, and/or possibly Judaism, Sikhism, and various Pagan perspectives. Possible speakers have been sounded out, but no definitive speakers have yet been selected. In light of the recent anti-Semite/nationalist fliers found on campus, it is important to promote and celebrate the diversity found in our area.

*--Submitted by Courtney Huse Wika on 2018-01-09*

### **Multicultural Mosaics Radio Features Discussion on Crimea and Catalonia**

A Multicultural Mosaics radio session on comparison of recent political events in Crimea and Catalonia, featuring BHSU faculty Dr. Andrey Reznikov and Dr. John Van Benthuyzen, will run on KBHU 89.1 FM and at [BHSUmedia.com](http://BHSUmedia.com) streaming, on these dates and times:

**WEDNESDAYS 6-7 p.m.:** Jan. 10, 17, 24

**SUNDAYS 10-11 a.m.:** Jan. 14, 21, 28

Note: Start-and-end times may vary slightly depending on run-times of other radio programming.

*--Submitted by Mary Caton-Rosser on 2018-01-09*

## **BHSU in the Media**

**Artist with Asperger's work displayed at the Dahl Arts Center: BHSU graduate**

artist Ethan Engle. Read the [KEVN article](#)

Humane society gearing up for big 2018: Internship opportunity offered to SDSU and BHSU students. Read the [Rapid City Journal article](#)

Dr. Cronin hopes to 'pay it forward': BHSU graduate completes her doctorate and is a Literary Coach. Read the [Onida Watchman article](#)

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