



# Berkeley City College

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## News for the Board Tuesday, April 9

- **College Creates New BCC Arts Council**

A new and important committee is forming called the BCC Arts Council. The committee will create policy for art in highly visible spaces around the campus, review proposals and select artwork, and establish the exhibition schedule. The committee meets twice a semester and is comprised of representatives from the Office of Instruction, Academic Senate, Student Services, Classified Staff, the Associated Students of BCC, and faculty from the Art and Multimedia departments. The first meeting is set for 12:30-1:30 p.m., Thur., Apr. 25 in Rm. 451A. For details, contact Jennie Braman, BCC art department chair, at [jbraman@peralta.edu](mailto:jbraman@peralta.edu).

- **West Hills President Don Warkentin conducts Apr. 2 Accreditation Follow-Up Visit at BCC**

West Hills Community College District President Don Warkentin conducted an Apr. 2 accreditation visit to Berkeley City College to validate BCC's Follow-Up report. The team met with BCC administration, faculty and staff, and will complete a report for ACCJC/WASC with the results of their visit. The commission will meet in June 2013 to review the reports. To view BCC's report and its accompanying evidence, access: <http://www.berkeleycitycollege.edu/wp/accreditation/documents/>

- **Multimedia Arts students create informative videos to let BCC students know about college departments, services**

Students in Multimedia Arts instructor Hannah Chauvet's MM198 class created a series of informative videos about BCC's departments and services. Treating their class as a production business and taking on BCC faculty and unit supervisors as clients, the students produced, filmed and helped to edit their works over the course of the 2012-13 academic year. Chauvet conducted final editing on the projects and posted them on Vimeo. Visit project URLs at the Vimeo addresses below:

**Completed projects include:**

- The Spanish Medical Interpreter Program Fall 2012 Graduation at BCC  
<http://vimeo.com/59121109>
- Transfer and Career Information Center Workshop by Paula Coil  
<http://vimeo.com/58044216>
- The Boundaries of Science by Dr. Paul Doherty  
<http://vimeo.com/53431228>
- The PERSIST Program at BCC (Captioned)  
<http://vimeo.com/58811195>
- The Program for Adult College Education (PACE) at BCC (Captioned)  
<http://vimeo.com/57579442>
- The Global Studies Program at BCC (Captioned)  
<http://vimeo.com/57514673>
- The Public and Human Services Program at BCC (Captioned)  
<http://vimeo.com/57302564>
- Students in PHS Speak About the Program! (Captioned)  
<http://vimeo.com/57351835>
- Counseling at BCC: Making your First Appointment (Captioned)  
<http://vimeo.com/56232084>
- Counseling at BCC: Preparing your Student Education Plan (Captioned)  
<http://vimeo.com/56581328>

**Apr. 9 News for the Board**

- **Global Studies Club Plans BCC Earth Week Exhibits**

Berkeley City College's Global Studies Club will plan Earth Week Exhibits and related activities in the college's Atrium 12:15 to 1:15 p.m., Tue., Apr. 23 and 11 a.m., to 2 p.m., Wed., Apr. 24. The exhibits and events are free and open to the public.

- **Einstein's "biggest blunder" examined in Apr. 11 BCC antigravity lecture**

Dr. Alex Filippenko examines "Einstein's Biggest Blunder? The Case for Antigravity," 7 p.m., Thur., Apr. 11, in BCC's auditorium at 2050 Center St. Filippenko is professor of astronomy and physical sciences at UC Berkeley.

The event is part of a free BCC spring series cosponsored by the college and the California Institute for Regenerative Medicine (CIRM).

- **"How Did Dinosaurs Grow and How do We Know?"—Wed., Apr. 17 at BCC**

Dr. Kevin Padian, professor of integrative biology, stretches our imagination about dinosaurs and their development and demise on earth. The lecture takes place at 7 p.m., Wed., Apr. 17, in BCC's auditorium at 2050 Center St.

The event is part of a free BCC spring series cosponsored by the college and the California Institute for Regenerative Medicine (CIRM).

- **UC Berkeley, Bayer HealthCare, CSU East Bay, Lawrence Berkeley National Lab Partner with Berkeley City College for Apr. 19 STEM Career Awareness Day**

UC Berkeley, Bayer HealthCare, CSU East Bay, and Lawrence National Lab have partnered, with Berkeley City College to host a Science-Technology-Engineering-Math (STEM) Career Awareness Day. The event, which takes place from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Fri., Apr. 19 at Berkeley City College, is designed for 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> graders from Oakland's McClymonds High School, Skyline High School, Berkeley High School, Albany and Emery High Schools, and Richmond high schools. Speakers will include Congresswoman Barbara Lee, Assembly member Nancy Skinner, State Senator Loni Hancock, and leading industry representatives, scientists and educators from Bayer HealthCare, UC Berkeley, Lawrence Berkeley National Lab, California's Institute for Regenerative Medicine, to name a few, are among the participants.

- **"How Vitamin and Mineral Inadequacy Accelerates Aging"—Wed., Apr. 24 at BCC**

Dr. Bruce Ames, senior scientists at Children's Hospital Oakland Research Institute (CHORI), examines how vitamin and mineral deficiency accelerates aging and related diseases. The lecture takes place at 7 p.m., Wed., Apr. 24, in BCC's auditorium at 2050 Center St.

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