



Brooklyn College and CUNY EDGE

Upcoming Workshops

- Every Tuesday Lunchtime Meditation and Yoga with Inna Fredericks Certified Yoga Instructor . It's chair yoga no need for mats or changing!!
- Thurs. October 18—Personal Counseling/Stress Anxiety Workshop
Counter all those exam nerves with these tried and tested techniques [1163 Boylan Hall; 5:00PM-6:30PM]
- Tues. October 23—"Get That Scholarship!" Come to work on a draft of your next scholarship application. [1163 Boylan Hall; 12:30PM-2:30PM]
- Internship Stipend Deadline: October 28th Check Magner Career Center
- Last day to withdraw with a W: November 16th

To register for Career and CUNY EDGE workshops:

Login to BC WebCentral > Career > Career Workshops

BC WebCentral> E-Services> Schedule an Appointment

CUNY EDGE Advisement Scheduling Tool & CUNY EDGE

A Message From Monique:

Hi There Everyone !

Where did the time go? It's midterms and papers due and so many chapters to read and that group presentation!!!!

I know you think you couldn't possibly do anything else but take a moment to drop into our offices and share how your day is going. Spend 30 mins of self care at our new lunch time meditation and yoga session. It's 30 mins no need to change or to lug a mat around. You can do this yoga sitting in a chair.

Before you know it, it will be time for registration for Spring 2019. Are you ready? Do you have to declare your major? Do you have permission to take all your classes. Have you talked to your advisor about how many classes it makes sense to take and in which subjects?

If you come in we are happy to walk you through the questions you need to answer.

See the back page for the redesign of our office space. We also have a new mini library so you can borrow a book.

We look forward to seeing you all soon!

Monique and the CUNY EDGE Team



Welcome Back September 4 2018

Say Hello to Our New Writing Tutoring Service



CUNY EDGE encourages students to place an acute focus on their future and offer various services dedicated to that mission. This Fall, the CUNY EDGE office would like to introduce Field Writing Tutor, Carlos Tituana!

Carlos Tituana is here to assist CUNY EDGE students with a range of writing assignments and professional accounts from class essays to cover letters, personal statements and resumes! Tituana has been a part of the Learning Center since 2011. Since his involvement with the Brooklyn College's Learning Center, he has tutored in a variety of subjects from History, Art History but mainly writing-- "As long as you have an 'A' in the

subject, you can tutor anyone that is available."

Tituana is also a Bulldog himself! He is a second-degree Accounting major. We could expect to have Carlos as our program's Field Writing Tutor for the entire duration of his remaining four semesters at Brooklyn College. He has decided to become CUNY EDGE's field writing tutor because he understands the reservations that students tend to have in seeking tutoring assistance on campus. "Some students feel a bit more comfortable going to their department [in regards to visiting the Learning Center]."

Carlos' tutoring hours are Tuesdays from 11:00 AM-12:00 PM & 2:00 PM-3:00 PM and Thursdays from 12:00 PM-1:00 PM. To schedule an appointment, visit 1163 Boylan Hall or call the CUNY EDGE office at (718) 951-5067. You may also send an email to Carlos at ctitua-na3615@gmail.com or CUNY EDGE at CUNYEDGE@brooklyn.cuny.edu. If there are scheduling conflicts, Carlos has no problem accommodating students' schedules!

"I'm fairly flexible but as the semester goes on, I think it's best that students schedule in advance because I'm also a student here so I have my own demands too."

If you'd like to schedule an appointment with Carlos personally, email will be the most convenient way to contact him. Please include "CUNY EDGE" in the email's headline.

Hope to see you soon!

SUCCESSFUL PREP: SNOW NELSON AND THE NEW CUNY EDGE LIBRARY!

Successful Prep highlights our fellow CUNY EDGE students that are excelling in both their academic and personal ambitions. This month, the spotlight is on Snow Nelson!

Snow Nelson is a senior at Brooklyn College working towards a degree in Psychology with a minor in Health and Nutrition Sciences. Nelson recently received the CUNY EDGE Summer Tuition Grant that allowed her to accelerate her academic progress by covering her tuition costs for her summer courses. With an expected graduation date of Spring 2019, Nelson has not only begun to place focus on her future but CUNY EDGE's as well-- Introducing the CUNY EDGE Library!

The CUNY EDGE Library is a new program implemented for the purpose of encouraging reading amongst our students. "We have a variety of genres including history, fiction, nonfiction, personal development, religion, science fiction and more, The library is currently open to any student registered in our CUNY EDGE program." says library creator, Snow. Reading not only serves as a satisfying and productive pastime but a beneficial way of enhancing one's comprehension skills. "We want our students at CUNY EDGE to feel welcomed into our office; so we have lounge furniture set up within our office so students can start their reading before leaving." Students can browse through an assortment of titles and borrow books for up to two weeks. The books should be returned promptly and in given condition In order to broaden our library's selection, the CUNY EDGE program is currently accepting book donations. If you have any unused literature in your collection, drop by the office!

The CUNY EDGE program continues to add to their list of services to assist students in their current academic obligations as well as helping students emphasize focus on their futures & careers post-graduation and enhancing their job skills simultaneously. Snow has been a CUNY EDGE student since her first semester at Brooklyn College in 2016. "I have received many benefits as a participant such as free workshops, scholarships and many other important factors of student life... I've worked as a [CUNY EDGE office] student-worker for just a short time but have had an amazing experience. I have started a library system for the program and have enhanced my office skills and abilities."

Snow Nelson is a reflection of CUNY EDGE's vision--student success and growth in their personal, academic and career ambitions. Thank you, Snow, for your pivotal role in creating the CUNY EDGE library!

"Our library is growing steadily, so students are encouraged to come in multiple times a week to check out our newer books and materials!"

THE CUNY EDGE OFFICE: REVAMPED!

The CUNY EDGE office has been redesigned! In an effort to create a more effective and student-friendly environment, the CUNY EDGE office has been redecorated and upgraded. We now offer computer services available to our CUNY EDGE students! Whether you need to check your email, make a few modifications to an upcoming paper, amend your resume, create a cover letter or apply for a job online, just drop by 1163 Boylan Hall to request to utilize our student computers.

Amongst our new upgrades is the CUNY EDGE library! Browse through a variety of genres ranging from fiction, non-fiction to personal development and religion. Students can borrow books for up to two weeks and we're currently accepting donations to expand our library's collection.

We have also increased our waiting space! A separate area has been designated near the entrance of the office for students requesting or retrieving FIA letters, as well as an area further in the office for students awaiting advisement or other student-specific inquiries. Stop by and check out the new office decor!



Rosen Fellows Lunch

Several CUNY Edge students attended the Rosen Fellows Lunch on Tuesday October 4th, 2018. It was fascinating to hear students stories of the adventures that they embarked on with their awards. One student returned to her home country to study the health system there following doctors and nurses in their daily work in a system that she hopes to modernize one day. Another spent her birthday with some sharks, while one created a Zine. We were all happy to celebrate the success of our own Rosen Fellow Deborah Alves who took a trip to Greece to study bees and honey production. Looking forward to tasting some honey from a hive on the Brooklyn College campus soon!

Learn More about the Rosen Fellowship Program [here](#). Deadline for applications is January 11, 2019.

Come to our CUNY EDGE scholarship workshop on Tuesday October 23rd to get a head start!

