



THE HONEY W. NASHMAN CENTER FOR CIVIC ENGAGEMENT AND PUBLIC SERVICE

# Nashman News

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**“We need to accept that we won’t always make the right decisions, that we’ll screw up royally sometimes – understanding that failure is not the opposite of success, it’s part of success.” – Arianna Huffington**

#### MAKE YOUR COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT COUNT

The Nashman Center helps GW to record and report the service that we do as a community. Last year, we recorded **722,189** hours of service from more than **5,000** members across GW! This year make your service count and report service hours by Sunday, April 25th. Hours submitted by the deadline are eligible for this year’s **service awards**, including the **President’s Volunteer Service Award**.

Log into our community engagement platform, **GWserves**, using your NetID and password and start recording your impact today! If you have any questions or need assistance email us at [gwserves@gwu.edu](mailto:gwserves@gwu.edu).

#### GW Research Showcase, April 12-16, 2021

A campus-wide celebration of student research, creativity and innovation.

Many Nashman Center programs and students will be highlighted during Research Showcase, including:

**Tuesday, April 13, 2021 | 4:00 – 5:00 pm EDT**  
[The 20/21 Knapp Fellows: Student Community Engaged Scholarship](#)

**Wednesday, April 14, 2021 | 11:00 am – 12:00 pm EDT**  
[Rethinking DC Youth and Policing: Student Research Discussion](#)

[Full Schedule of Events](#)

### NASHMAN OPPORTUNITIES

#### Paid Summer Positions Available with the Nashman Center

The Nashman Center has just received funding for a limited number of positions for 8 weeks in Summer 2021, June 7-July 31. Open to grads and undergrads, students will serve as facilitators, tutors, mentors for K12 school age students in a service-learning civic changemaker program. Some in person expected. Must be available day times 35 hours/week June 7-July 31.

[Apply](#)

#### Serve. Learn. Lead: Change the World

Calling all service-minded student leaders! The **Honey W. Nashman Center for Civic Engagement and Public Service** is still hiring student staff and leaders for the 2021-2022 academic year! If you have an interest in making an impact in the community then please consider applying. **Several positions** are available working in a variety of service roles and programs. Academic year and summer positions available. Federal work study is required. Applications will be accepted on a rolling basis.

[Apply](#)

#### AmeriCorps VISTA

Apply Now to Service with the GW/DCPS AmeriCorps VISTA Program! [Learn more.](#)

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### COMMUNITY OPPORTUNITIES

#### Volunteers Needed: School Without Walls Senior Presentations

School Without Walls is looking for community members in various academic and career fields to serve as judges for the School Without Walls High School Senior Project Presentations. They would love to have professionals, professors, graduate students, and community leaders participate in this process. The seniors must successfully complete the presentation portion of the project in order to graduate and your participation in this process would be greatly appreciated.

Interested individuals would need to be available from **12:00 noon until 4:30 PM on April 21st**

For more information contact [Jenine.Pokorak@k12.dc.gov](mailto:Jenine.Pokorak@k12.dc.gov) or [gwserves@gwu.edu](mailto:gwserves@gwu.edu)

[Register](#)

#### EarthEcho Youth Leadership Council

Join a team of young leaders from around the world who shape EarthEcho’s programs while leading initiatives to inspire global action to protect and restore our ocean planet.

**Apply by May 3**

#### Coalition of Urban and Metropolitan Universities

GW is a member of the Coalition of Urban and Metropolitan Universities (CUMU) which recently started the **Spring Learning & Sharing Virtual Series**. The series is FREE and open to anyone affiliated with GW (including students and community partners). A full schedule of sessions and directions for registering are [at the link](#) and you can register for individual sessions here and enter the password, CUMULS21.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### Feminism Of Color and Feminism of the Global South

April 14th | 7pm EST

Join the MSSC and the LGBTQIA+ Resource Center for "Feminism of Color and Feminism of the Global South," a workshop where we discuss feminist struggles domestically and on a transnational level with the youth organization The Feminist Front (FF).

*Facilitated by The Feminist Front (FF), a national youth organization fighting white supremacist cisheteropatriarchy & all systems of domination.*

[Register](#)

#### #GWInSolidarity

April 14-16th

Programs are open to all members of the GW community. Please choose programs where you can both benefit and uplift others.

[See the Schedule](#)

#### Chalk-In

April 27th | 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM (in-person) or 7:00 PM (virtually)

Start your finals week on a high note and join us for the 40th annual Chalk-In on April 27! On-campus students can join us in-person (compliant with COVID-19 safety guidelines) in Potomac Square to draw with chalk and enjoy food trucks, music, and free giveaways. Students must RSVP for a time slot via Engage (Rain date: April 28) and will be entered to win one of four grand prizes: AirPods, a GW Hydro Flask, a tortilla throw blanket, or an oil diffuser with essential oils.

Or, participate virtually by joining the Capital Peers and Program Board for Jackbox Games! The winner of each game will win JVC wireless earbuds, a tortilla throw blanket, or a copy of the We’re Not Really Strangers game. Reserve your spot via Engage today! The Zoom link will be sent to those who are registered. [Learn more.](#)

#### Bicentennial Celebration

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The George Washington University’s bicentennial is an incredible, historic milestone. February 9, 2021 is officially the 200th anniversary of when the United States Congress established our university’s charter in 1821. [Learn more.](#)



### COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT



#### Maureen Albero

**Congrats on receiving the Undergraduate Studies Award!**

"Interviewing and interacting with students and faculty members, from various academic disciplines, allows me to see the impact of multi-disciplinary collaboration and understand the importance of integrating theory and practice first hand." - Maureen Albero commenting on her work with Community Engaged Scholarship (CES)

**Have a story, opportunity, or event you want to share?**

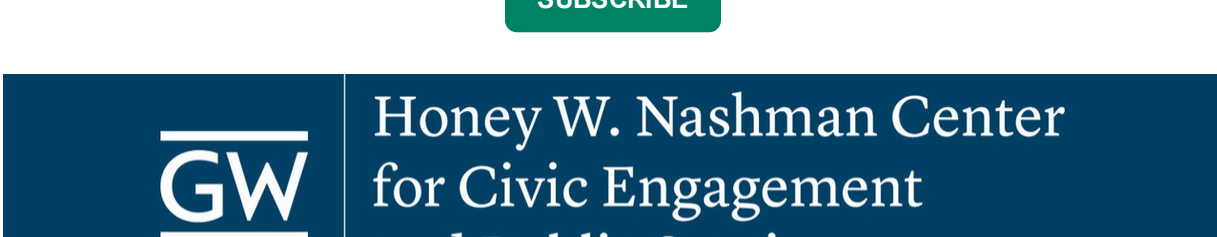
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