Success is not how high you have climbed, but how you make a positive difference to the world.

— Roy T. Bennett

Wishing You and Your Loved Ones Happy Holidays!

As you celebrate with friends and loved ones this season, enjoy every moment. Have fun, spread love, laugh a lot, rest, recharge and take stock as we get ready for the New Year, 2023.

Register for the 2023 MLK Day of Service

The MLK Day of Service helps to empower individuals, strengthen communities, bridge barriers, address social problems, and move us closer to Dr. King's vision of a "Beloved Community." Sign up to participate in GW's 28th annual MLK Day of Service and Leadership (MLK DoS). Registration closes Friday, December 23rd, 2022.

Final Call: Give-A-Gift 2022!

It has been over 3 weeks of sharing and showing love to our neighbors in the D.C. community, and we are grateful to all those who have responded - donating funds and gifts as part of Give-A-Gift 2022. Today, December 20th is our final day to receive your donations. We look forward to those last minute surprises as we continue spreading joy to families around us!

Donate Now
Buy a Gift

All funds raised and gifts purchased off the wishlist go directly to our community partners to provide holiday gifts and winter essentials for D.C. families.

This year our partners are Academy of Hope, CentroNía, Latin American Youth Center, Housing Up!, D.C. Department of Human Services, and DCPS Connected Schools. We will collect contributions through Tuesday, December 20th, 2022. Thanks to those who have already given!

NASHMAN OPPORTUNITIES

Community Engaged Scholarship Courses at GW

There are over 80 Community Engaged Scholarship courses offered at GW each year. For courses available this spring, search by the "CES" course attribute.

Spring Courses include the following:

- BADM 4001: Business Leader Launch
- BISC 1008: Understanding Organisms
- COMM 1041: Interpersonal Communication
- GTCH 2003: GWTeach Program
- HSCI 2050: Foundations of Health Equity
- HSSJ 2177: Social Justice and Public Policy
- PUBH 2117: Service Learning in Public Health
- PUBH 6232: The Autism Experience from a Public Health Perspective
- UW 1020: University Writing - select sections

See course descriptions here

Apply for Paid Opportunities with SMARTDC!

Help someone improve their reading and apply for K-8 literacy tutoring positions (paid and volunteer) with SMARTDC! Learn about the SMARTDC sites here.

SMARTDC FWS application
SMARTDC non-FWS volunteer application

Apply for Service Opportunities with Jumpstart!

Work with preschool children on reading, writing, and social skills. Earn Federal Work-Study, receive professional training, serve 10-12 hours per week, and receive a Segal AmeriCorps Education Award once you receive 300 hours. Apply here!

Seeking Volunteer Readers to Review School Without Walls Senior Theses!

The Nashman Center partners with School Without Walls High School annually to help with grading their Senior Thesis Projects. We are in need of volunteers -- who already have a Bachelor's degree or greater -- to read, grade, and provide feedback on 15-page student papers. Please use this link - Review Senior Papers - to sign-up and share with your networks and anyone who would be interested.

Each volunteer who signs up will receive an email from gwserves@gwu.edu that includes feedback guidelines, assigned papers, and a rubric. All volunteers must hold a bachelor's degree. Papers will be sent out before the holiday break.

Our Instagram is the best place to follow us for regular updates! Stay updated!