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"If we are going to be part of the solution, we have to engage the problems." — Majors Carter

NASHMAN OPPORTUNITIES

9/11 Day of Service & Remembrance

Today is the last day to shine a light and join the [Honey W. Nashman Center for Civic Engagement and Public Service](#) for a day of service on the [20th Anniversary of 9-11](#). [Sign-up here!](#)

GWupstart: Information Sessions

Thursday, September 9, 2021 - 12:30pm at Nashman Center Conference Room 409

GWupstart is GW's central hub for social innovation training, mentorship, and funding. Approximately \$45,000 in funding is available every year. In addition, we provide mentorship and support to students to turn their ideas into action that makes a measurable, sustained difference. Join us to learn how you can be a changemaker! [Click here](#) to learn more!

GWupstart: Changemakers Speaker Series

Wednesday, September 15, 2021 - 6pm at Nashman Center Conference Room 409

GWupstart presents this year's speaker and workshop series to assist students build awareness of social innovation and related skills and practices from experts creating change in the community. The series will provide resources for those who are new to social innovation and want to explore it and will provide deeper learning for those who are already planning a project. [Click here](#) to learn more!

GW Alternative Breaks Applications

The [GW Alternative Breaks](#) program is seeking engaged and enthusiastic leaders and participants for our Spring Break trips! Alternative Breaks aims to support community partners and students through mutually-beneficial service-learning programming, building the skills and experiences to make meaningful change through active citizenship. Leader applications can be found [here](#). Participant applications can be found [here](#).

Serve. Learn. Lead: Change the World

Calling all service-minded student leaders! The [Honey W. Nashman Center for Civic Engagement and Public Service](#) is hiring for several positions:

GW SMARTDC TUTORS

[GW SMARTDC](#) Tutors provide providing quality on-site and/or virtual one-on-one or group tutoring for students in Washington, DC. Tutors build literacy and math skills with students while fostering meaningful relationships. Apply to be a student tutor here! Students with Federal Work-Study, apply [here](#). Students without Federal Work-Study, apply [here](#).

ENGAGEDC PARTICIPANTS

[engageDC](#) is a capacity-building program that connects GW students with direct and indirect service opportunities in Washington, DC. Students provide service to meet the everyday needs addressed by their assigned organization, such as tutoring, meal preparation, or program support and coordination. Students with Federal Work-Study apply [here](#). Students without Federal Work-Study, apply [here](#).

JUMPSTART CORPS MEMBERS

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!](#)

Serve with the GW VISTA Program

VISTA members come to DC from around the world to fight poverty by leveraging community partnerships and recruiting volunteers to increase opportunities and access in Title I schools across the District. [View open positions and apply!](#)

COMMUNITY OPPORTUNITIES

Serve on Focus Group to Tackle Literacy Gaps in Children

Are you an aspiring teacher? Want to win gift cards and help tackle literacy gaps in students? United Way is testing an innovative literacy program to close educational disparities and we're looking for students to serve as our focus group to influence the design of our program. Students will be required to partake in (virtual) interviews. We will mainly be looking for user feedback and sessions will take around 15-30 minutes. Spanish/Amharic speaking is preferred but not required. Sign up [here!](#)

Teaching at Washington English Center

Since 1993, [Washington English Center](#), a community-based program, has offered English and literacy training to low-income adult immigrants in the greater Washington area using volunteer teachers and tutors. We are currently recruiting both [in-person](#) and [online](#) volunteer English teachers for our upcoming Fall 2021 classes. We are also seeking [one-on-one conversation](#) and [writing tutors](#) for online sessions. Tutoring is rolling and an 11-week commitment from the time you are matched. Sign-up [here](#).

UPCOMING EVENTS

National Voter Registration Day

Tuesday, September 22nd 10am - 3pm - Potomac Square

Join us on September 22 for the biggest [National Voter Registration Day](#) ever! For many of you, this is your first time eligible to vote. For others, voting is something you have been able to do for a long time. Either way, NOW is the time to make sure you have a plan to vote so you can be #VoteReady!

Bicentennial Celebration

Ongoing

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

How this after-school program achieved a high vaccination rate in a Black neighborhood where most young adults are unvaccinated



Check out engageDC's partner [Life Pieces to Masterpieces'](#) vaccination efforts in the DC Community.

Learn more [here](#).

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

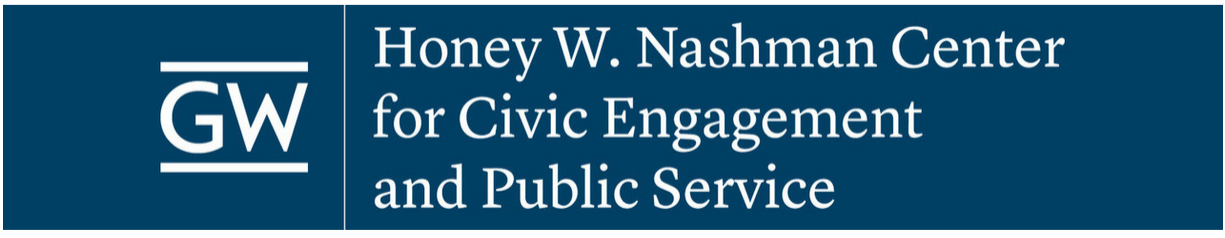
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