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BROOKLYN CAMPUS  
LONG ISLAND UNIVERSITY



## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

All events open to the public free of charge unless otherwise indicated.

### COMMENCEMENT

Tickets required.

**Thursday, May 14, 10:15 a.m./Athletic Field**

Long Island University's Brooklyn Campus

Commencement exercises. For information, call (718) 488-1001.

**Friday, May 15, 1 p.m./Athletic Field**

Arnold & Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

Commencement exercises. For information, call (718) 488-1004.

### ANNUAL GEORGE POLK SEMINAR

The seminar will be held at the Kumble Theater for the Performing Arts at the Brooklyn Campus. Reservations are required. For information, call (516) 299-3298.

**Wednesday, April 15, 5:30 p.m., reception; 6:30 p.m., seminar**  
"Missing the Story? Press Coverage of Politics and Finance"

Free panel discussion with George Polk Award winners David Barstow of The New York Times, Adam Davidson of National Public Radio, Stefan Forbes, documentary producer and director, and Paul Salopek of the Chicago Tribune.

### EXHIBITIONS

Gallery hours are Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Saturday/Sunday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. (Humanities Building Gallery is closed on weekends.) Admission is free. For more information, call Nancy Grove at (718) 488-1198.

**April 1 to April 30/Humanities Gallery**

Nidhi Jalan and Kiran Chandra Installation: "Bengal to Brooklyn"

**April 1 to April 30/Salena Gallery**

Jenny Tango Paintings

**April 1 to April 30/Resnick Gallery**

English Professor Deborah Mutnick/Class Work

**May 4 to May 30/Humanities Gallery**

Caroline Cox Installation

**May 4 to May 30/Salena and Resnick Galleries**

Visual Arts and Media Art Senior Thesis Exhibition

### NEW MEDIA ART

For more information, call (718) 488-3031.

**Friday-Saturday, May 8-9, 7:30 p.m./Kumble Theater**

M.F.A. in New Media Arts and Performance

Individual and collaborative works exploring experimental applications of computer technology to the performing arts, including a video created by graduating student Yu-Chien Cheng.

### ENGLISH

For more information, call (718) 488-1050.

**Friday, April 24, 6 p.m./Humanities 4th Floor Lounge**

M.F.A. Program

Reading of new work: Anne Waldman and Jaime Manrique.

### DANCE

"Afternoons at LIU" is a series of free concerts, supported in part by a grant from Target, the Mary Duke Biddle Foundation, NYC Dept. of Cultural Affairs, administered by the Brooklyn Arts Council, and the Provost's Office. For more information, call (718) 488-3355.

**Friday, April 3, 4 p.m. to 5 p.m./ Humanities Room 109**

RAWorkshop: Dance Students Works in Progress

**Wednesday, April 8, noon to 1 p.m./Kumble Theater**

HUNTERDance

Part of "Afternoons at LIU" series.

**Friday, April 24, 7:30 p.m.; Saturday, April 25, 2 p.m. and**

**8 p.m.; Sunday, April 26, 3 p.m./Kumble Theater**

Dance Department Spring Concert

Dance majors perform exciting program of modern dance works by guest artists Nathan Trice and Alexandra Beller, and a restaging of a historic dance work, "Skylight," by master choreographer Laura Dean. Tickets: \$15, \$10, students and seniors with ID

### KUMBLE THEATER

For more information, call (718) 488-1624 or visit [www.kumbletheater.org](http://www.kumbletheater.org).

**Saturday, April 18, 1 p.m., 4 p.m. and 7 p.m.;**

**Sunday, April 19, 2 p.m. and 5 p.m.**

Cynthia King Dance Studio presents "FRESH! (not frozen)"

This delightful cast performs in a fast paced production featuring Ballerinas, B-Boys, Trappers, a Maypole, and purely abstract surprises! Tickets: \$21.50

**Monday, May 11, 10:15 a.m. and 12:15 p.m.**

"Make a Little Room for Me"

A bossy bathtub, a breathtaking bicycle race and an elegant paper lady are only some of the characters and fantasies in these short musical plays, live music and drawings by the OBIE award-winning Paper Bag Players. Tickets: contact Paper Bag Players at (212) 663-0390.

**Saturday, May 16, 8 p.m.**

BGB's Grind High...come get lettered

For one night only, come experience what you wish your high school was like. Bandies, jocks, freaks and prom queens collide, with live music by Mackie Riverside and the Street Pushers. For grown ups only. Tickets: \$25

**Saturday, May 30, 8 p.m.; Sunday, May 31, 3 p.m.**

651 Arts Presents "Black Dance - FLY: Five First Ladies of Dance"

Performances by Germaine Acogny, Carmen de Lavallade, Dianne McIntyre, Bebe Miller and Jawole Willa Jo Zollar. For tickets, call (718) 488-1624.

### LIU DAY

For more information, call (718) 488-1001.

**Sunday, April 26, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m./Schwartz Athletic Center**

Spring Open House



## MUSIC

"Jazz Clinic and Concert Series" features top names in jazz. Admission is free. For more information, call Bob Aquino at (718) 488-1668.

**Tuesday, April 14, 4 p.m./Kumble Theater**  
Faculty Jazz Concert

**Thursday, April 21, 4 p.m. to 6 p.m./Humanities Room 106**  
Guitarist Freddie Bryant

**Wednesday, April 29, 7 p.m./Kumble Theater**  
LIU Chorus and LIU Vocal Jazz Ensemble Concert

**Thursday, April 30, 1 p.m./Kumble Theater**  
Student Jazz Ensembles Concert

**Friday, May 1, 1 p.m./Kumble Theater**  
Solo Vocal Jazz Workshop

## EDUCATION

For more information, call (718) 488-1055.

**Wednesday, April 15, 4 p.m. to 6 p.m./Pratt Building 2nd Floor**  
Human Development and Leadership Open House

**Saturday, May 2, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m./Health Sciences Room 107**  
Center for Urban Educator's Annual Conference

## READINGS

The English Department's multicultural "Voices of the Rainbow" series is funded by the Provost's office. Admission is free. For more information, call Louis Parascandola at (718) 488-1109.

**Thursday, April 2, 6 p.m./Health Sciences, Room 119**  
Colum McCann

A native of Ireland, McCann has written two short-story collections and four novels. His latest, "Let the New World Spin," will be published shortly.

**Tuesday, April 7, noon/Library Learning Center, Room 124**  
Ellen Litman and Nathalie Handal  
Litman is author of the short-story collection, "The Last Chicken in America," on Russian- Jewish immigrants trying to assimilate in America. Handal, born in Haiti to Palestinian parents, has written essays and plays as well as two poetry collections, "The Neverfield" and "The Lives of Rain."

**Wednesday, April 15, 1:30 p.m./4th Floor Humanities Lounge**  
Graduate Students and Adjuncts

## BUSINESS

For more information, call La'Shaina Dickerson at (718) 488-1132.

**Tuesday, April 7 and May 5, Wednesday, April 22 and May 20, 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m./LLC 515**  
Toastmasters International Club Meetings  
For more information, call (718) 488-1121.

## DISCOVERY DAY

For more information, call (718) 488-1001.

**Wednesday, April 22, 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.**  
Schwartz Athletic Center  
Poster presentations of works by students and faculty.

## THEATER

For more information, call (718) 488-1252.

**Wednesday-Saturday, April 1-4, 7:30 p.m.; Saturday-Sunday, April 4-5, 3 p.m./Kumble Theater**

"George Dandin or the Deceived Husband" by Moliere  
Presented by the Communication Studies, Performance Studies and Theater Department, this 1668 comedy by the famous French playwright showcases the follies of a man who marries a woman of higher rank than his. Tickets: \$15, \$13, students with ID

**Thursday, April 9, 7 p.m./Kumble Theater**  
Kong and Other Works by Pamela Sneed  
New York-based poet, performer, writer and actress, Pamela Sneed will read excerpts from her latest book. Free Admission.

## SOCIAL WORK/COMMON GROUND

For more information, call Amy Krentzman at (718) 488-3372.

**Tuesday, April 7, 6 p.m./Health Sciences Room 119**  
"Race, Sexuality & Social Justice"  
An evening with Dr. Juan Battle, professor of sociology at CUNY Graduate Center. Free.

## SPORTS/HOME GAMES

For more information, call (718) 488-1420.

### LIU Blackbirds Softball

Saturday, April 4, 1 p.m. — Monmouth (DH)\*  
Sunday, April 5, 3 p.m. — Mt. Saint Mary's (DH)\*  
Thursday, April 16, 4 p.m. — St. John's (DH)\*  
Saturday, April 18, 1 p.m. — Central Connecticut State (DH)\*  
Sunday, April 19, 11 a.m. — Quinnipiac (DH)\*  
Wednesday, April 29, 6 p.m. — Hofstra

### LIU Blackbirds Baseball

Thursday, April 9, 3 p.m. — Mount St. Mary's\*  
Friday, April 10, noon — Mount St. Mary's\* (DH)  
Saturday, April 11, 1 p.m. — Mount St. Mary's\*  
Tuesday, April 14, 3:30 p.m. — Saint Peter's  
Wednesday, April 22, 3:30 p.m. — Rider  
Friday, April 24, 3 p.m. — Central Connecticut State\*  
Saturday, April 25, noon — Central Connecticut State\* (DH)  
Sunday, April 26, 1 p.m. — Central Connecticut State\*  
Friday, May 1, 3 p.m. — Wagner\*  
Saturday, May 2, noon — Wagner\* (DH)  
Sunday, May 3, 1 p.m. — Wagner\*  
Thursday, May 14, 3 p.m. — Quinnipiac\*2  
Friday, May 15, noon — Quinnipiac\*2(DH)  
Saturday, May 16, 1 p.m. — Quinnipiac\*2

### LIU Blackbirds Lacrosse

Friday, April 3, 4 p.m. — Saint Francis (Pa)\*  
Sunday, April 5, 11 a.m. — Robert Morris\*  
Friday, April 17, 4 p.m. — Monmouth\*  
Sunday, April 19, 5 p.m. — Bryant

\*-denotes Northeast Conference game  
DH-denotes doubleheader  
2-denotes at Keyspan Park

## HONORS CONFERENCE

For more information, call (718) 488-1657.

**Friday, April 3, 10 a.m. to noon/Library Learning Center, Room 124**  
"Current Challenges to the Realization of Human Rights"  
Annual conference.

**Deadline for the September/October Calendar is July 15.**

**Send event information to: Alka Gupta, Office of Public Relations, M-407 or e-mail to: alka.gupta@liu.edu.**

## TRAVEL DIRECTIONS

**By Subway** The Brooklyn Campus of Long Island University is served by all subway lines. IRT: 4 or 5 trains (Lexington Avenue Line) or the 2 or 3 trains (Seventh Avenue Line) to Nevins Street Station. BMT: B, M, Q, or R trains to DeKalb Avenue Station. IND: A, C, or G trains (Eighth Avenue Line) to Hoyt-Schermerhorn Street Station.

**By Railroad** The Flatbush Avenue terminal of the Long Island Rail Road is four blocks away.

**By Automobile** From Queens — Take the Brooklyn-Queens Expressway west to the Tillary Street Exit. Follow Tillary Street to Flatbush Avenue. Make a left onto Flatbush Avenue. The Brooklyn Campus is on the corner of Flatbush and DeKalb Avenues.

From Staten Island or Brooklyn — Take the Brooklyn-Queens Expressway east to Cadman Plaza West. Follow Cadman Plaza West to Tillary Street. Turn left on Tillary Street, then right on Flatbush Avenue. The Brooklyn Campus is on the left.

From Manhattan — Via Manhattan Bridge: proceed along Flatbush Avenue Extension to Myrtle Avenue, left to Ashland Place, right to DeKalb Avenue (2 blocks). Via Brooklyn Bridge: proceed along Adams Street, make left turn onto Tillary Street; after crossing Flatbush Avenue Extension bear right onto Navy Street which becomes Ashland Place and continue to DeKalb Avenue (2 blocks after Myrtle Avenue).