BOW
Three College Collaboration

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DIGEST

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Welcome back to campus! We hope you are having a great start to the semester! The BOW Digest is a great way for you to stay-up-to date with what is going on at the three campuses. Have an opportunity or event you would like included in next month's digest? Email jengle@olin.edu at least two weeks prior to your event.

BOW UPDATES:

BOW Presidential Innovation Grants
The Presidential Innovation Grant Application is due on **Friday, October 11th**! The Presidential Innovation Grants offer an opportunity for members of the BOW Three College Collaboration – faculty, staff, and students – to submit project proposals related to the enhancement of the collaboration. The number of projects funded and the amount of the awards will vary from year to year based on project merit and available budget. Apply today!

Shuttle Service
The BOW Shuttle will not run on Monday, October 14th.

Cross-Registration Info Sessions
Questions about cross-registering? Need help navigating the process? The BOW Student Ambassadors, in conjunction with the Registrars offices, are hosting cross-registration info sessions. Students can meet members of the registrar staff and ask fellow students questions about the process.

Olin: October 23rd at SLAC, 8:00 PM, Library & October 28th at ACRONYM, 2:00 PM, Milas Hall Lobby
Wellesley: October 24th, 12:45 PM, PNE
Babson: October 29th, 5:00 PM, Tomasso 202

UPCOMING EVENTS

Stammtisch
October 24, 5:00 PM, Bottom Line Lounge (Babson Executive Education Center)
ATTENTION GERMAN-SPEAKERS! Come to our next *Stammtisch*, meet new people and have fun practicing your German (no matter how rusty it may be!). We are getting together regularly throughout the semester at different venues. No strings attached – the only "rule" is that everyone speaks (or attempts to speak) German. Questions? Email Brigitte Mühlmann (bmuehlmann@babson.edu) or Katrin Fischer (kfischer1@babson.edu)

The Intelligent Design of Jenny Chow
October 24-27, 2019
The Empty Space Theater at Babson presents *The Intelligent Design of Jenny Chow,* a play about the power—and limits—of technology to solve our problems. This play is supported in part by the BOW Presidential Innovation Grant Fund.

October 26, 2019
A Large October eVEnt (LOVE) (Frisbee Golf)
Grab your squad and join the Weissman Foundry for LOVE (a Large October eVEnt). LOVE is a frisbee golf tournament spread across all three BOW schools. You have the opportunity to win several prizes and compete amongst your friends! The games will begin at 11am and continue all day. Feel free to utilize the Lyft Code ILOVEBOW for complimentary transportation between destinations. Want to volunteer at the event, or before-hand decorating the "holes"? Contact the volunteer specialist, Antonio, at aperez@olin.edu

WIN/WIN Negotiations
November 4, 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM, Babson College, Weissman Foundry
Negotiation is a critical skill for entrepreneurial leaders – but what does gender have to do with it? In this session, we'll answer this question - plus expand your understanding of the process and strategy behind negotiations that will define your entrepreneurial success and hone your skills to effectively achieve win/win results in any situation. Register here!

The Coming Age of Artificial Intelligence: The Practice of Machine Learning
November 5th, 7:30 PM, Wellesley College, Tishman Commons, Lulu Wang Center
Join us for an evening with Peter Norvig, Director of Research at Google, a leading expert on AI and author of *Artificial Intelligence: a Modern Approach*

EXCITING OPPORTUNITIES
Faculty/Staff Book Club—Social Implications of Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, and Data Science
Supported by a BOW Presidential Innovation Grant in AI, Machine Learning, and Data Science, a group of faculty from the three colleges has established a faculty/staff book club to discuss recent books on the social implications of current technologies powered by these disciplines. Their first book is Shoshana Zuboff's "The Age of Surveillance Capitalism: The Fight for a Human Future At the New Frontier of Power", which they will start discussing on Oct 24 (5:30PM), with two more meetings in November and February (for people who want to read the book during winter break). Zuboff will visit BOW on February 25, 2020 for a public lecture and meetings with book club members and students. If you would like to join them, please fill out this short form, or reach out to any of the co-organizers in your institution: Eni Mustafaraj (Computer Science, Wellesley), Julie Walsh (Philosophy, Wellesley), Clare Gillan (TOIM, Babson), Joe Ricciardi (Economics, Babson), Erhardt Graeff (Computational Social Science, Olin)

First Act Fund

The **First Act Fund**, an initiative from Coding it Forward with support from Schmidt Futures, will provide up to $10,000 to young people who are creating significant technical solutions for some of the most pressing challenges of our time. Deadline for submissions is October 16 and open to all students aged 24 and under.

BOW CONTACT INFORMATION:

Have an idea and don't know who to talk to? Visit the BOW website or reach out to the BOW representatives on each of your campuses.

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