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ALLYSHIP DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

JANUARY 2022



HAPPY
New Year

JANUARY 2022

OFFICE OF INCLUSIVE EXCELLENCE

Welcome back Eagles! Let's start the new semester, Spring 2022, with renewed energy and a strategic focus on Inclusive Excellence. The year ahead of us must be genuine and handled with care in order to produce success. In this month's newsletter, we'll be discussing some important January holidays, reviewing great time management tactics, and giving some instructions on how to check out one of OIE's books!

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NEWSLETTER

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STARTING OFF SPRING 2022

The Office of Inclusive Excellence strives for success at Georgia Southern University. We acknowledge that success involves many core values, including embracing and accepting individuals for who they are. While, our focus is to maintain and inclusive environment, we genuinely care about the academic success of our students. One of the most important keys to reaching academic success in higher learning is time management. Check out these quick facts on how you can become more successful this year by learning how to manage your time!



HOW TO PRACTICE ALLYSHIP AT GEORGIA SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY

INCLUSIVE EXCELLENCE

1) READ THE ALLYSHIP NEWSLETTERS

Each monthly newsletter is filled with an abundant amount of information about different religions, races, genders, cultures, and traditions. Knowledge is the key to success, and by learning something new would contribute to the growth of inclusiveness at GSU.

2) STAND UP FOR SOMEONE

The need for inclusiveness exists because of inequity that does exist. Therefore, to become a better ally stand up for someone who has a different lifestyle than you!

3) ATTEND AN EAGLE TALKS

Eagle Talks is a student-led adaptation of Courageous Conversations, which is designed to provide a safe space that is conducive to open, honest, and authentic dialogue about difficult but relevant topics that impact the Georgia Southern community.

(CLICK THE LINK BELOW TO REGISTER FOR THIS SEMESTERS EAGLE TALKS).

<https://president.georgiasouthern.edu/inclusive-excellence/eagle-talks/>

CELEBRATE WITH US!



KOREAN AMERICAN DAY JANUARY 13TH

National Korean American Day respects Americans with full or partial Korean descent. This holiday also acknowledges the arrival of the first Korean immigrants to the States. A fun way to celebrate Korean American Day is to enjoy a Korean meal with your friends!



WORLD RELIGIONS DAY JANUARY 15TH

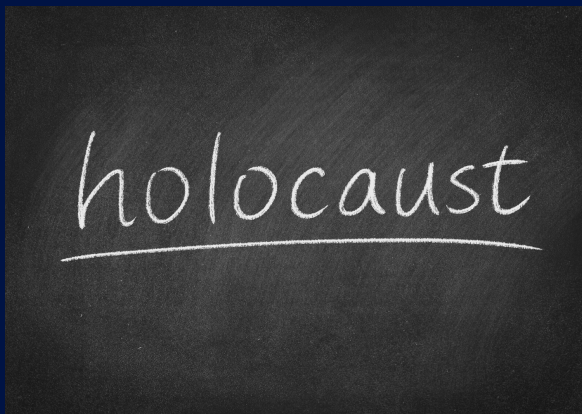
World Religions Day promotes diversity around the world and encourages people to learn about different religions. This holiday advances equity in the world and increases the respect amongst the different religions. One of the ways you can celebrate World Religions Day is to listen to talks and listen to someone of a different faith belief.

CELEBRATE WITH US!



MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.
(MLK) DAY
JANUARY 17TH

MLK Day is a U.S. holiday honoring the phenomenal works of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., a civil rights leader who promoted and practiced non-violent retaliation tactics against racial segregation. To respectfully celebrate MLK Day, you can simply watch his famous "I Have A Dream" speech and remember how far our nation has come. Another excellent way to celebrate MLK Day would be to engage in an MLK Day parade!



INTERNATIONAL HOLOCAUST
REMEMBRANCE DAY
JANUARY 27TH

International Holocaust Remembrance Day is celebrated on January 27th. This holiday commemorates the six million Jews who were massacred by Nazi Germany from 1941 to 1945. Try watching a film about the holocaust in order to honor the millions of lives lost during the genocide of European Jews. "The Boy in The Striped Pajamas", is a great film to watch in remembrance of the holocaust!

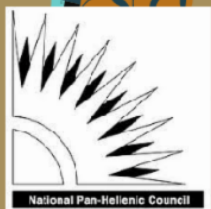
Georgia Southern's
**ANNUAL
BLACK
BUSINESS** POP-UP
SHOP

THURSDAY | FEB 3, 2022 | 5:00 PM
GEORGIA AVENUE

University Housing and the NPHC wants to showcase our Black student entrepreneurs during this special event! If you are interested in tabling for your business at this event, fill out the form below to reserve your space. Requests are due by Monday, Jan 24th. Got questions? Email us! eduffy@georgiasouthern.edu



<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1nLIgx6j0KzA5QXD9RVWG7pbNDVPPMhNtwSzDGkbKd>



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2) FILL OUT THE FORM.



3) STOP BY THE OIE OFFICE
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