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Looking to get involved? Want to make a difference?
Binghamton University offers a variety of ways to become active learners and engaged citizens.

Want to promote your event or opportunity?
Campus or community organizations wishing to publicize their events and service opportunities should e-mail all relevant details to cce@binghamton.edu.

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Facebook  Twitter  LinkedIn  Blog  Pinterest

Record your service experiences on B-Engaged!

**CCE HAS MOVED TO UU 137!!**
We are now located in UU137, across from the Marketplace. Come visit us!

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| **Win a $20 Amazon Gift Card in the CCE Social Media Contest**  
April 7-11, April 28-May 2  
Online and in UU 137-new CCE location! | The CCE wants YOU to get engaged with us through social media. Enter the contest during one of three periods (March 24-28, April 7-11, April 28-May 2) by completing **up to 3** actions listed below. Each action = 1 entry. 5 winners chosen each contest period. **YOU MUST COME TO THE CCE’S NEW LOCATION, UU 137 (M-F, 9AM-4PM), TO SHOW US PROOF THAT YOU HAVE COMPLETED ANY OF THE ACTIONS BELOW.**  
**Ways to Enter:**  
1) Share at least 3 Facebook or Twitter posts;  
2) Register (or already be registered) for the CCE Newsletter;  
3) Respond to our prompts on Facebook or Twitter (e.g. The most important public issue facing my generation is...);  
4) Be connected with us on at least 3 social media platforms;  
5) Enter a photo into the #ServiceSightings Photo Competition;  
6) Come into the office wearing your CCE t-shirt;  
7) Instagram a selfie in your CCE t-shirt with #CCEinUU137.  
**Questions?** Tweet us @ccebinghamton or email cce@binghamton.edu |
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| **Legalization of Marijuana in New York State**  
Wednesday, April 30  
6:00 - 7:30 PM  
Lecture Hall 7 | What are the issues and benefits related to legalization? Which hospitals will have access? How will it affect individuals and communities? Come listen to these panelists speak on the effects that the legalization of marijuana would have on New York State. |

**Contact:**  
cc@binghamton.edu  
(607) 777-4287  
**Website:**  
CCE Social Media Contest  
CCE Events
## Panelists:
1. Dr. Judy Quaranta: Decker School of Nursing: Clinical Associate Professor
2. Dr. Lina Begdache: Health and Wellness Studies/Decker School of Nursing: Research Assistant Professor
3. Claudia Edwards: Broome County Health Department: Director

Refreshments will be served. For more information, click [here](#) or email cce@binghamton.edu

### Volunteer Opportunities

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<th><strong>Volunteers Needed for Binghamton University Sprint Triathlon</strong></th>
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The Eating Awareness Committee is looking for volunteers to help with this year's Binghamton University Sprint Triathlon. The Binghamton University Sprint Triathlon is a community event supporting the mission of the Eating Awareness Committee's commitment to eating disorders prevention, promoting positive body image and nutrition and fitness programming for campus and the greater Binghamton community.

Volunteers are needed to commit to one or more of the following time frames:
- (Friday Set up) 5:00-6:30 pm
- (Saturday Full Event) 6:30 am - 1 pm
- (Saturday Set Up Only) 6:30 am - 9:00 am
- (Saturday Race Only) 8:00 am - 12 pm

If you are interested and available in volunteering for this great community event please contact Sarah Thompson with the time(s) you are available to volunteer. Please help spread the word to others!

| **Rescue Mission: Fundraising for Wish List Needs** | **Contact:** Vikki Collazo victoria.collazo@rmsyr.org (607) 624-7431 | **Looking for a group of volunteers interested in a short term project. The group will create and implement a group project for Whitney Place** |

Looking for a group of volunteers interested in a short term project. The group will create and implement a group project for Whitney Place.
**Rescue Mission: Prepare and Serve a Meal**

56-58 Whitney Ave
Binghamton, NY 13901

**Contact:**
Vikki Collazo
victoria.collazo@rmsyr.org
(607) 624-7431

**Website:**
[Rescue Mission](http://www.rescuemission.org)

**Wish List.** The list and most urgent needs can be provided, along with a tour of Whitney Place residence. For more information, click [here](http://www.rescuemission.org) or contact Vikki Collazo.

**Come help prepare and serve a meal to approximately 32 residents for the Rescue Mission at Whitney Place. Looking for volunteers to prepare meals to be served on either a Saturday or Sunday afternoon. Approximate timing: 4:00pm (prep & cook) 5:00pm (serve)-5:30pm (clean up). Volunteers would be responsible for purchasing and preparing food (in Rescue Mission Kitchen) for an evening meal. For more information, click [here](http://www.rescuemission.org).**

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**Dream Center Seeking Volunteers for 2014 Bike Day**

May 10, 1-4PM
Sarah Jane Johnson Memorial Church
308 Main Street
Johnson City, NY

**Contact:**
Patricia Cardin
gfjdreamcenter@gmail.com

The Dream Center holds a bike drive for youth 8+ each year, to help them get to fun and safe programs and parks as an alternative to the street. Bikes are collected year round and can be dropped off at Sarah Jane Johnson Memorial United Methodist Church, Mon.-Thurs., 8:00 am to 1 PM. The give away takes place May 10 from 1 to 4 PM in the Wilson Hospital parking lot next to Sarah Jane Johnson Church. Youth are referred to the event by area agencies, where they receive a helmet, are fitted to a bike, must take a safety course and agree to wear a helmet while riding. If you can give your time and talent to help-out on Bike Day please submit your info on the [2014 Bike Day Volunteer Form](http://www.rescuemission.org). For more information, please contact Patricia Cardin.
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show our unity and campus pride as a collective unit, and our ability to come together for a greater cause. Organizations are highly encouraged to confirm their attendance for our walk, so that recognition can be given to those organizations that exhibit a high value for giving back to the community. The organization with the highest attendance will receive an award of recognition at the day of the walk. RSVP here!

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<td>Volunteers Improving Neighborhood Environments (VINES) has extended the deadline for applications to <strong>Friday, April 11, 2014</strong> to its Summer Youth Employment Program. Youth ages 15-21 that reside in the CITY of Binghamton are eligible to apply to this opportunity. Youth will work for 6-weeks from July 1-August 8, 2014 Tuesdays-Fridays. Youth will work at the Urban Farm on 16 Tudor St and engage in gardening, working at the Farmers Market and Farm Share program, visit area farms, and participate in professional development trainings. Youth can apply for a job on our website <a href="http://www.vinesgardens.org">www.vinesgardens.org</a> or call (607) 205-8108 to have an application mailed to you.</td>
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| Rescue Mission is looking for undergraduate and graduate students for both a paid and unpaid (has the potential to become paid) client care specialist internship. The intern maintains a safe and supportive environment for clients, while utilizing the resources of the Rescue Mission.
to ensure a healthy and pleasant stay and provide an environment of positive change for clients served. For more information click [here](#).
For the application, click [here](#).

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<td><em>Now Accepting Applications</em></td>
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