



HOSTOS' 50TH ANNIVERSARY FALL EVENT CALENDAR

Thursday, September 7: Hostos Welcome Day 2017.

As Hostos celebrates its Golden Anniversary, a series of special events will be held to mark the start of the fall semester in the A-Atrium, Bridge, Memorial Garden, and Student Lounge, including the SGA Inauguration and an Alumni Speakers Bureau Recognition Reception.

Thursday, September 14: Las Tres Hermanas: A Historical Retrospective.

The exhibition illustrates how Evelina López Antonetty, the oldest of the sisters, was an iconic activist and champion for social causes; Lillian López, the middle sister, was among the first Puerto Rican librarians in the New York Public Library system and was the first Puerto Rican Administrator; and Elba Cabrera, the youngest of the three sisters, established herself as an ambassador and advocate for the arts. 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. A-Atrium.

Monday, September 18: Hispanic Heritage Month featuring the "Boleros" exhibit.

A dynamic collection of artwork by emerging artists responding to Spanish love-themed music from the 1930s and 1940s, which originated in Cuba and Mexico. Exhibit runs through December 6: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Noon to 5:00 p.m. in the Longwood Art Gallery @ Hostos.

Monday, September 18: Hispanic Heritage Month Kickoff: Distinguished Latino Leaders Awards Reception.

The event will honor Latino leaders Mayra Linares, CUNY Trustee and Director of Public Affairs & Communications Coca-Cola Company for New York and Puerto Rico; The Hon. New York State Assemblyman Marcos Crespo; Business Entrepreneur Jaime Lucero; Rafael Alvarez, CEO of ATAX; and Hostos' Distinguished Professor and celebrated author Isaac Goldemberg. 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. in the Longwood Art Gallery @ Hostos.

Wednesday, September 27: "Love With A Colonial Scent"

– Film Screening. A film by Hostos Professor Joelle G. Laguer uses Puerto Rico's colonial situation with the USA, the island's bankruptcy and breath taking vistas as a backdrop to focus on the debate over gay marriage on the island. 3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. in room B-501.

Thursday, October 12: Día de la Raza - "Hostos the Man, Hostos the College, and Hostos the Bronx" Master Lecture.

Hostos Professor Orlando Hernández speaks about the life and work of Eugenio María de Hostos. 3:30 p.m. Savoy Multi-Purpose Room.

Thursday, October 12: Día de la Raza - Master Forum.

The Council of Latin American Consul Generals of New York is comprised of 16 members, all of whom will be visiting Hostos to speak on *el día de la raza*. They will cover a broad range of issues affecting Latin Americans across the southern, central, and northern continent. 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. in the Savoy Multi-Purpose Room.

Tuesday, October 17: "Hostos Dreams" – Roundtable.

Professor Inmaculada Lara-Bonilla believes one of Hostos' greatest accomplishments is the impact it has had on immigrant communities from all over the world. The dreams of many have been realized because of Hostos Community College. She gathers a powerful group to talk about the power and importance of plural voices. 3:30 to 5:00 p.m. Hostos Café.

Saturday, October 21: Tribute Concert to Pete "El Conde" Rodríguez.

A historical tribute concert to the late Fania All-Star and renowned salsero Pete "El Conde" Rodríguez. The evening will feature his daughter, acclaimed singer Cita Rodríguez, and his son, the multitalented jazz trumpeter Dr. Pete Rodríguez as musical director, with cameo appearances by artists who performed with "El Conde" over the course of his career. 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Main Theater.

Wednesday, October 25: Academic Symposium - "Our South Bronx Today: Educating and Empowering Students for the 21st Century."

Moderated by Hostos Professor Thomas Beachdel, this panel of community leaders and artists will discuss Hostos' crucial role as a leader in urban education in the heart of the changing South Bronx. 3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. in the Savoy Multi-Purpose Room.

Wednesday, October 25: "Fear City" - Book Presentation.

Acclaimed author Kim Phillips-Fein will visit the campus to speak about her new book and how she ended up with a chapter on Hostos Community College. 5:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Longwood Art Gallery.

Thursday, October 26: Noche Flamenca performs "Tres Sueños: When Muslims, Jews, and Christians Dream Together."

New York's leading flamenco dance company performs this powerful work featuring Spanish, Hebrew, Ladino (a Judaeo-Spanish language), and Arabic songs from Andalusia, Spain, spanning the 9th – 15th centuries — the "golden age" of philosophy and culture. 7:00 p.m. in the Repertory Theater.

Thursday, November 16: Panel Discussion on Puerto Rican Migrations.

This timely discussion, moderated by show host, news anchor and producer Javier Gómez, centers on reviewing and analyzing the pattern of the Puerto Rican migration and its repercussions for the diaspora. With special guests. 10:30 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. in the B-Building, 500 Grand Concourse, Room B-501. Reception to follow.

Saturday, November 18: Comité Noviembre. National Puerto Rican Artisan Fair, Book Expo and Memorabilia Exhibit.

This signature cultural festival will feature nearly 100 artisans and authors from the United States and Puerto Rico. An annual, all-day event for all art lovers. Held in the C-Building Lobby, Hostos Café, Gym, and Room C-391.

Wednesday, November 22 - December 1: Who's in Charge?

In *Who's in Charge?* we are introduced to four characters who are fighting for power. Mr. Onion and Mr. Prune are conservatives, while Miss Pepper and Miss Forest Flower favor the liberal movement. In this comedy that very much resembles our political climate nowadays, Eugenio Maria de Hostos forces us in a humorous way to evaluate our differences when it comes to selecting a leader. General Admission: \$10 (Students Free) in the Black Box Theater. For more information visit www.hostoscenter.org

Tuesday, November 28: Hostos Giving Tuesday.

Hostos again joins this international day of giving which allows EVERYONE to be a philanthropist by supporting the College during its 50th Anniversary. Get involved with #HostosGivingTuesday and help support the institution that has supported the South Bronx for half a century.

SIGNATURE EVENTS

- 50th Anniversary Gala on Thursday, April 19 at Guastavino's in Manhattan
- Art Exhibits at Longwood Art Gallery @ Hostos
- Featured Concerts at Hostos Center for the Arts & Culture
- Colloquiums, Panels, and Special Featured Speaker Events
- The Big Event: 50 Mini Volunteer activities in One Year

For more information about Hostos events, please visit www.hostos50.com.