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# Honors Program Newsletter

# Welcome!

Welcome to another edition of the HPSAB Student Newsletter!

On behalf of HPSAB, I hope you all are doing well and keeping up in your classes. Midterms can be a hectic time, so make sure that you don't let your health fall to the wayside when you're caught up studying! Eat right, exercise, and take time out to be with friends and relax. If you need any assistance or are feeling overwhelmed, don't hesitate to reach out for help!

This newsletter is filled with great opportunities for you to get involved, both in HP and on campus in general. Extracurricular activities are an important part of the college experience, as they provide us with opportunities to network and give back to the community. Enjoy, and let us know what you think of this month's newsletter!

Best Wishes, Cheryl Frazier

### Science Museum Trip

As members of HPSAB, part of our mission for the year is to bring the Honors Program closer together as a community. In order to do this, we have planned many activities that mix both academic interests and social opportunities for the students. The first of these planned events is the Science Museum trip!

The trip will be on **Saturday, October 27th.** The time is not yet confirmed.

We will send more information via emails and in class announcements within the next week.



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### Join our Barry University Honors Program Group on Facebook!

An easy and convenient way to connect with classmates, keep up to date on HP events, and become involved by voicing comments, concerns, or ideas to HPSAB.

### **Honors Program Guest Lecture Series**

The Honors Program Guest lecture series on the China Study Abroad trips was a great success! It took place on October 2, and featured several wonderful presentations from undergraduate |students in the program. We are proud to see how their trip this past summer impacted them, and hope to see many of you on the trip this coming summer!



We are currently planning our annual Guest Lecture Series for

the Spring
Semester as well! Last
year's topic was The
Revolution of the 21st
Century: Occupy and
Other Social Movements.
This year's topic is sure
to be just as insightful,
and we look forward to
seeing you all at the
event. Please keep on the
lookout for news
regarding the event in the

upcoming months!

### Lab Information

Did you know that the Honors Program has a computer lab open to your use? Currently located in **Landon 202**, this lab provides students with a quiet place to work and study, whether it be on your Honors Program Thesis or your general coursework! The lab also features free printing to students who have a key.



Currently we have been asked not to issue any more keys since there is no guarantee the lock will be the same once the lab is moved.

If you need access please contact HPSAB Chair Dianna Bellian or Historian Cheryl Frazier and we will do our best to let you in.

### **Upcoming Meetings**

The following dates are currently set for HPSAB meetings. As a reminder, all HP students are more than welcome to come out to any meeting and participate.

October 24

November 14

November 21

November 28

Meetings are from 4-5 p.m. in Lehman 328.

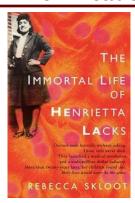
HPSAB is excited to welcome our two newest members Latoya Luke and Hemaghini Das. We thank them for their wonderful ideas and commitment to the betterment of HP. Thank you both for being totally awesome!!!

# **Around Campus**

There are several different opportunities around campus to get involved. Here are some events happening soon:

Thursday, Oct. 18	Friday, Oct.19	Saturday, Oct. 20	Monday, Oct. 22	Wednesday, Oct. 24	Thursday, Oct. 25th
Silent Solidarity	Move for	HP Miami Science	Disability Awareness	Reconciliation	Power and Ethics
9am-5pm	Disability & Disability	Museum Trip	Month 's Movie	4pm-5pm	Annual Mini –
Barry Campus	Quiz	Contact HPSAB	Night	Cor Jesu Chapel	Conference
	11am -2pm	for exact time	Soul Surfer		9:30 am-2:45 pm
Freshman Senate	Thompson Lawn	Leave from	7-10pm	HPSAB	(See link below)
Elections	Plaza	Landon	Landon Events	4-5pm	
11am-2pm			Room	Lehman 328	English Association
2nd Floor Landon	Waiting for Godot	Waiting for Godot			Science Fiction
	7pm	7pm			6:30 pm
Philosophy Club	Broad Auditorium	Broad Auditorium	Tuesday, Oct. 23		Garner 108
5:30pm			Writing Workshop		
Weigand Annex			9:30-10:30 am		
103			Powers 139		

### **Common Reader Discussion**



This year, Barry University's Common Reader is *The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks*.

Philosophy Club, HPSAB, Stamps Scholars, Shalom Curiosity, and many other groups on campus are collaborating to put on a discussion based on the book.

The discussion will be on October 29th from 6:30–8 pm. Location TBA. If interested, please contact Cheryl Frazier for more details.

Also, as noted above, this year's annual Mini Conference "Power and Ethics" was inspired by the common reader. For more information please visit the following link:

http://bucwis.barry.edu/ news/4551 3231373333.htm

# What About You?

### Are you a part of a club or organization around campus?

If so, please forward meeting and event opportunities to one of the HPS-AB officers! We will do our best to get the word out to other HP students and to show our support!



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The mission of the Honors Program is to recruit academically outstanding undergraduates to Barry University, challenge them with a rigorous curriculum, and support them with academic advising and co-curricular programming. Together, the Honors Program and Barry University provide these students with a small, intellectually and culturally vibrant environment within the context of a university actively engaged in exploring all areas of human interest and concern. The Honors Program's students simultaneously benefit from being with others of the same intellectual preparation and commitments but different talents and interests.

## **Questions/ Comments?**

Questions? Comments? Concerns? We're here to help you! If you have any feedback on the program, HPSAB, or the events we host, please do not hesitate to contact us! We rely on the opinions of HP members to make this experience as beneficial as possible. You can contact each of the members through e-mail, and our numbers are available upon request. Also, if you see any of us on campus, don't be afraid to stop us and chat, whether it's to give us feedback or just say hello! We look forward to the rest of the year with each and every one of you. Thanks for reading, and come back next month!

Sincerely,



HPSAB Dianna, Bethany, Aaron, Cheryl, Hemaghini and Latoya Dr. Sirimangkala, Faculty Advisor