

2015

ACT OUT!

education through action!

Diversity and Social Action

ActOutNow/TheDemocracy Commitment

Student Speak Out!

Tuesday, April 14, 11 a.m.-12:15 p.m. and 12:30-1:45 p.m.

Wednesday, April 15, 1-2:15 p.m.

Building M, Moraine Room 1

Students will have an opportunity to speak out on social problems in the community that concern them. Students from COM-102 will share their research based on their service and/or advocacy work in the community and call us to action! Join us in this powerful event that will include students, faculty and other members of the Moraine Valley community. Students will show us what it means to be engaged in our communities and in issues that impact our lives.

Student Showcase and Service Fair

Thursday April 23, 9:30 a.m.-4 p.m.

Building U

“Students Share Stories of Self, Us, and Now” Student Showcase

Public narrative is a form of storytelling designed to motivate people to act on important social issues. Over the course of the day, students from Mike McGuire’s COM-102 classes will share their public narratives—telling the story of how they came to the issue; why their story is, indeed, our story; and how we are all in a position to act.

Service Fair

Service organizations from the Chicago area will be onsite to talk about their work and provide information about volunteer opportunities.

Community Change for the Millennials

Thursday, April 23, 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Building U, Room U111

Features a series of TED talks given by young people around the country and their version of community change. The talks will be followed by a discussion focused on the videos and the service work of students in Mike McGuire and Tamarra Coleman-Hill’s COM-102 courses and their participation in the process of deliberative dialogue this semester. Please join us in thinking about your role in our larger community!

Diversity in our Democracy

Thursday, April 23, 11 a.m.-12:15 p.m.

Building U, Room U111

This presentation focuses on the importance of diversity in our democracy and the value of representation from all of the voices in our country, including immigrants. Speaker Nina Shoman-Dajani works with students through our Learning Enrichment and College Readiness program, and she has led the effort to host a Naturalization Ceremony here on our campus the last two years. The presentation will be followed by a discussion of diversity in our community, as well as the nation.



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