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MCS Newsletter

Be on the lookout for these each month to get the inside scoop on what's happening in the MCS department!

This Month's News

UPDATES

- ★ Registration for summer classes still available! MCS is offering three classes across both Summer Sessions: MCS 222, 355, and 377. Learn more and register for these classes here.
- ★ Prof. Yang delivered a talk entitled "Window of the World: Transparency, Digital Placemaking, and Shenzhen Urbanism" at Trent University (Peterborough, Ontario). She was also a featured speaker in the Cultural Studies Graduate Program at Trent University. A recording of her talk is available on YouTube.
- ★ Prof. Yang was an invited speaker at the workshop, "Critical Studies of Race in Dubious Times" at George Mason University on April 15, 2022.

NEWS

- **★** Congrats Spring 2022 MCS Department Award-winners:
 - Award for Academic Achievement This award recognizes exemplary academic achievement in Media and Communications Studies.

Arbutus, Madeline Casey, Morgan Gray, Joshua Iannuzzi, Leah O'Keefe, Emily Tori, Maryam

• **Award for Outstanding Service** - This award recognizes outstanding service to the Media and Communication Studies Department.

Chen, Elisabeth Kim, Elena Gray, Joshua Lomax, Jordan

 Award for Creativity in Media Production - This award recognizes outstanding creativity in Media Production.

Bundy, Grace Iannuzzi, Leah Johnson, Danielle

- ★ Sending a big **congratulations** to our graduating MCS-ers on a job well done! 🁏
- ★ Congrats **URCAD Selfie Contest Winner, MCS-er Joshua Gray** for "Best Selfie with a Mentor" read more here.
- ★ UMBC is featured in this season of The College Tour, a television series about what life is like on college campuses across the United States, and a couple

of our MCS students are featured in the video! Check out the article (which includes a link to the episode) here:

https://umbc.edu/the-college-tour-series-on-amazon-spotlights-the-umbc-st udent-experience/

INTERNSHIP INFORMATION AND OPPORTUNITIES

- ★ Looking for internship opportunities?
 - Contact Dr. Donald Snyder, the MCS internship coordinator, at dsnyder@umbc.edu
 - Contact Kacie Lawrence, the MCS liaison in the Career Center at <u>klawrence@umbc.edu</u>
 - Also visit the Career Center website https://careers.umbc.edu/
 - Look on UMBCworks for internship openings
- ★ Here are some internship opportunities:
 - o Announcer 98 Rock
 - 98 Rock (WIYY-FM) is a mainstream rock station (45 years in the format) and the flagship radio station of both the Baltimore Ravens and Baltimore Orioles. We believe in personality-driven radio, and this is a rare opportunity to join the most talented on-air lineup in Baltimore!
 - Job Responsibilities:
 - Host on-air show
 - Show prep
 - Operate on-air studio console and audio server.
 - Attend staff meetings and one-on-one air-check meetings
 - Monitor Orioles / Ravens programming when it occurs during your shift
 - May be called on occasionally for commercial production

- Apply <u>here</u>.
- <u>UMBC Career Center Social Media Intern 2022-2023</u> <u>UMBC Career Center</u>
 - Are you thinking of a career in social media? Do you love to connect your student peers to campus events and career opportunities while helping them find their passion? The UMBC Career Center is looking to hire a part-time Social Media Intern with strong knowledge and understanding of digital media, including various social media websites such as Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter. The intern will help implement the Center's social media and communications strategy, developing more on-campus awareness and generating increased traffic to the Center's pages, group, and feed. This position is a good fit for an undergraduate Media and Communications Studies or Visual Arts major.
 - Contact Annie Weinschenk (<u>anniew@umbc.edu</u>) if you have questions.
- <u>Digital & social media communications</u> Linguate Academy
 - This is a work study/internship/ volunteer opportunity with Linguate Academy. This is a great opportunity to gain on the job experience where you will work to help Linguate support the next generation of global minded innovators/contributors. This is currently a remote (virtual) position and the person filling this role is provided direction and support via an active board member. Apply through UMBCworks!
- Social Media and Video Editor WTOP AM/FM
 - The Social Media and Video Editor will contribute to making WTOP the leading provider of local, timely and relevant news and information for the Washington, D.C., metro region.

 Reporting to the Digital News Director, the Social Media and

Video Editor will oversee WTOP's day-to-day distribution of news and engagement efforts through social media channels including Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, TikTok, Reddit and YouTube, among others. They will help in shooting and editing video as well as live-streaming projects. In addition, they will use WTOP's social media platforms to expose current and new consumers to WTOP's audio and digital platforms. Find out more and apply through UMBCworks.

- <u>Digital and Social Media Marketing</u> Baltimore Urban Baseball Association
 - Seeking summer intern for digital marketing, video production, and social media marketing for a youth-sports based non-profit. Housing and food stipend available for the right candidate. Start and end dates are flexible. Hours are flexible. Part-time or full-time. Find out more and apply through UMBCworks.

Find more updates and resources on the MCS website and Instagram page!



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