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“China’s Unnatural Disaster” Film Screening

Hunter College Urban Affairs Program

Nominated for an Academy Award in 2010, “China’s Unnatural Disaster: The Tears of Sichuan Province” looks at the devastating aftermath of the 2008 earthquake that killed nearly 70,000 people, including many children who were crushed by school buildings. The film follows parents coming to terms with their loss and challenging government officials to explain the inadequate construction.

Please see attached flier for more information.

Tuesday, March 20th, 2012
Lang Recital Hall
North Building, 4th floor
[Enter on 69th Street]

Studio-X Events


Special guest Sean Gorman, founder of GeoIQ, will cover his voyage through these shifts - from navigating the threat of university collected open data being classified by the government, to starting an open data crowdsourcing site funded by the government, and then to trading beer for data in Jalalabad, Afghanistan. What kinds of scenarios will the new streams of data emerging from mobile devices and social media create, and what will their impact be on the city?

Tuesday, March 20th, 2012
6:30 to 8:30 p.m.
Studio-X NYC
180 Varick St., Suite 1610

Social Media For Urban Research

Join Studio-X NYC and the Spatial Information Design Lab for a conversation about the potential of social media in urban research, featuring Sarah Williams of the Spatial Information Design Lab, Brett Martin of Sonar.me, Blake Shaw of Foursquare, and other speakers to be announced.

Tuesday, March 27th, 2012
6:30 to 8:30 p.m.
Studio-X NYC
180 Varick St., Suite 1610
Women in Housing and Finance: Annual Luncheon

Come and enjoy lunch with WHF and Mathew Wambua, Commissioner of the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development (HPD). Commissioner Wambua will be discussing the on-going efforts of HPD to create and preserve affordable housing throughout the five boroughs.

To RSVP: Go to http://www.whf-ny.org and click on the ‘RSVP To Events’ tab to charge payment to your credit card. Send an email to whfnyc@gmail.com if you have any questions.

Please see attached flier for more information.

Thursday, March 29th, 2012
12:00 to 2:00 p.m.
City Hall Restaurant, Granite Room
131 Duane Street
[between W. Broadway and Church Street]

Participatory Budgeting Conference

Just a reminder the International PB Conference is taking place in New York City at the end of March.

For more information, please visit: http://pbconference.wordpress.com/
Internship Opportunities

Harlem Community Development Corporation

Urban Planning Internship

Harlem Community Development Corporation (‘Harlem CDC’), a New York State public benefit corporation and subsidiary of Empire State Development Corporation, serves greater Harlem by facilitating a wide range of urban planning and community development initiatives that restore Upper Manhattan as an economically stable and culturally vibrant community. We are currently seeking a self-motivated individual with excellent graphic design and communications skills who can work both independently and in teams to move forward a number of progressive urban planning initiatives.

For more information, please see attached PDF.

Department of Housing Preservation and Development

Various Summer Internships

Every summer, HPD invites students from colleges, graduate programs and law schools to spend the summer with us learning about affordable housing and experiencing public service. Interns provide valuable work on key agency initiatives. HPD internships are unpaid. To complement the work experience, HPD interns will be invited to meet with the agency’s Commissioner and to participate in a site visit. In addition, all interns working for the City participate in a special seminar series run by the Department of Citywide Administrative Services (DCAS). These seminars feature top City officials presenting overviews of the mechanics of local government, discussing the work of specific agencies and providing insights into issues that confront the City today. In addition, New York City interns are encouraged to participate in a service project through NYCService.

For more information, please see attached PDF.

Open Space Institute

Summer Internship: LTA Accreditation & Governance

This is an ideal internship for a college student interested in land conservation, and nonprofit management and organizational development.

For more information, please visit: