

# **GOLD** | GRADUATES OF THE LAST DECADE



**February 2026**  
**NEWSLETTER**



## **Spring Into Connection with GOLD!**

The spring semester is in full swing at Queens College, and GOLD alumni have plenty of opportunities to stay connected! This month, we're excited to highlight events designed to help you network with other alumni, strengthen your skills, and remain engaged with QC.

**[Update Your Alumni Info Here!](#)**

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# A GOLD Night at The Ditty!



Our GOLD Networking Mixer at The Ditty was a night to remember! QC GOLD alumni gathered on a winter night for evening of new connections, great conversations, and community.

If you missed this one, no worries! Our next **GOLD Spring Social will on Thursday, May 14th**. Make sure to save the date and stay tuned for more details!

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## GOLD Guidance

Want to learn how to negotiate your salary or monetize your skills? Join us for GOLD Guidance on **Monday, February 23rd at 5:30pm** via Zoom with Catherine Law '90, Assistant Director for Employer Relations, Job Development & Reporting at Baruch College and Adjunct Lecturer at the Zicklin School of Business.

**RSVP:** [bit.ly/GOLDLaw](https://bit.ly/GOLDLaw)

For more information, email: [qc.gold@qc.cuny.edu](mailto:qc.gold@qc.cuny.edu)



# GOLD Alumni hosts GOLD



QC alumna Janelle Dey '24 is hosting a GOLD alumni-led social on **Thursday, February 26th from 6:30pm-9:30pm** at Jack Jones Gastropub in Astoria.

**RSVP:** [bit.ly/3O4Egoh](https://bit.ly/3O4Egoh)

Interested in hosting your own alumni event? Email [qc\\_gold@qc.cuny.edu](mailto:qc_gold@qc.cuny.edu) to learn more.

## Help Us Welcome the Class of 2026!

Join us as a GOLD Alumni volunteer at the **Senior Class Toast on Wednesday, April 29th** and help welcome the newest graduates into the QC alumni family!

Volunteers will receive free admission to the next GOLD event.

For more information visit:

[bit.ly/SCToast-Volunteer](https://bit.ly/SCToast-Volunteer)

or email: [lorena.carino@qc.cuny.edu](mailto:lorena.carino@qc.cuny.edu).

Explore additional ways to support QC students:

[qc.cuny.edu/alumni/askprogram/](https://qc.cuny.edu/alumni/askprogram/)



## Meet us in Sunny Florida!



You are invited to an Alumni Brunch with President Frank H. Wu on **Sunday, February 22nd at 10:30am** at Fort Lauderdale Marriott Pompano Beach Resort and Spa.

**RSVP by Feb 18th: [bit.ly/QCFLBFL](https://bit.ly/QCFLBFL)**

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## At Home With Queens College

Join us on **Thursday, March 5th at 4pm** via Zoom for At Home With Queens College "Is This For Real?: The Case of a Hat from the Queens College Fashion and Textiles Collection" with Emily Ripley, Director of the Fashion and Design Program.

**RSVP: [bit.ly/AHWQC-ERipley](https://bit.ly/AHWQC-ERipley)**



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## Get Another Degree with QC!

Interested in continuing your education? Join Queens College Graduate Programs information sessions happening all year round!


**For upcoming events visit: [qc.cuny.edu/ga/graduate-events/](https://qc.cuny.edu/ga/graduate-events/)**

# Learn How to be Career Ready

**College 2 Career:  
Transitioning from Student  
to Professional**


Learn How to Be Career Ready:  
Professionalism  
Do's & Don'ts  
Growth Mindset

JOIN US FOR A VIRTUAL EVENT  
**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11<sup>TH</sup>**  
**12:30PM – 1:30PM**



Presented by  
Mae Salinas

**REGISTER NOW**



Join the Center for Career Engagement and Internships for a virtual event on Professionalism, Do's and Don't and Growth Mindset with Mae Salinas on **Wednesday, February 11th, from 12:30–1:30pm [via Zoom](#)**.

For questions email:  
[qc\\_career@qc.cuny.edu](mailto:qc_career@qc.cuny.edu)

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## Gain Confidence with the Tech Incubator

### Level Up Your Speaking & Leadership Skills

Whether you want to overcome your fear of public speaking, sharpen your communication skills, or grow as a leader, you'll find a welcoming community ready to help you succeed. Join on **Thursday, February 12th from 7-8:30pm** via Zoom.



For more details visit: [luma.com/or3ji87s](https://luma.com/or3ji87s)

For more upcoming events visit: [lu.ma/techincubator](https://lu.ma/techincubator)

# Kupferberg Center for the Arts Events

KCA offers 20% off (up to 4 tickets) to most performances for QC Alumni. Use discount code: ALUM2026

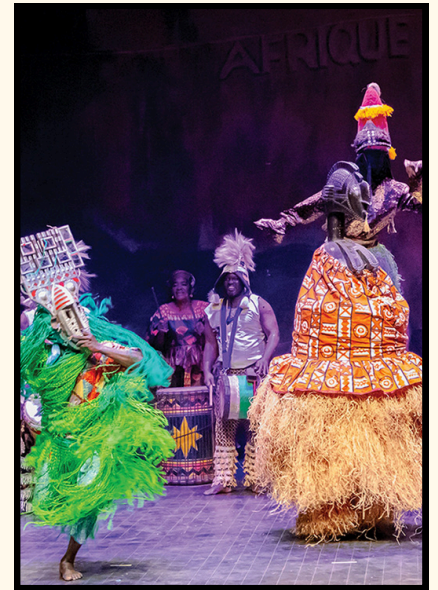
## Les Ballets Africains

Step into a world of color, movement, and tradition with Les Ballets Africains, the legendary national dance company of Guinea.

**Sunday, March 1st at 3pm**

**Colden Auditorium**

**RSVP: [kupferbergcenter.org/event/lba/](https://kupferbergcenter.org/event/lba/)**



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## Connect with Us!



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