The Emerson Network Update - January 11, 2013

The Emerson Network is a bi-weekly email for Emerson alumni to share updates and announcements with the Emerson family.


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Boston

Dorchester, MA
Brian Baldeck ’08 is co-founder of Climb for Cerebral Palsy, a charitable team that will be climbing Mount Kilimanjaro this February to raise $30,000 for United Cerebral Palsy of Metro Boston. Brian and his fellow climbers are a third of the way to their fundraising goal! Check out their progress toward their goal and up the mountain, climbing for those who can't, at climbforcp.com or on Facebook.

Matthew Salesses ’09 will be publishing I’m Not Saying, I’m Just Saying, a novel in flash fiction, with Civil Coping Mechanisms in February. Excerpts have been published in Hyphen Magazine, Salt Hill, Puerto del Sol, The Collagist, The Literarian and others.

Iris Febres ’12 will participate in a panel on ebook production at Digital Book World in New York City on January 15. DBW is a premier conference focusing on trends in digital publishing, marketing, and social media. Iris’s segment of the panel focused on regular expressions and strategies for automation within ebook production workflows. DBW will be held at the Hilton New York Hotel from January 14-17. More info »

Los Angeles

Ashley Teague ’06 writes, "Cornerstone Theater Company, the leading community engagement theater in the nation, is offering a 2-day intensive workshop February 23-24. Want to learn about creating community collaborative theater? Whether you are an artist, administrator, organizer, educator, or just interested in grassroots organizing and social activism theater, come experience first-hand a creative methodology that uplifts the issues of our time in a collaborative, supportive and community empowering environment. More info & registration »

The EBONI Alumni Association will be hosting their first general meeting of 2013 on Saturday, January 26 at the Emerson College LA Center, 4001 W Alameda Ave #200, Burbank, CA 91505. We need your voice and support as we shape the foundation of our group. For more information, email ebonialumnila@gmail.com.
Join Emerson alumni at LA GOLD’s 2013 Kick Off Party in Beverly Hills on Tuesday, January 22 from 6-10pm. For more info and to see who will be there, visit the FB event page. »

New York City

Join the NYC Alumni Chapter on Tuesday, January 22 to mingle and connect with alumni in various industries, make professional contacts, and celebrate 2013--Emerson style! $15 in advance/$20 at the door. Price covers admission, appetizers and your first drink! Register now »

New England

Holliston, MA
Barry Schneier '72 is proud to say another one of his photos will be on display at The Rock and Roll Hall of Fame and Museum's upcoming show "Legends of Rock." The photo is from work Barry did with Bruce Springsteen in his early days playing at Cambridge's Harvard Square Theatre in 1974. Check out more photos »

Providence, RI
Roger Tower '10 owns Tower Agency, which has been contracted to continue text-to-speech research on accessible laboratory equipment for students who are blind and visually impaired. Representing Independence Science (ISci), Roger Tower will be presenting his research at the Assistive Technology Industry Association (ATIA) Conference, the American Chemical Society (ACS) Conference, and traveling this summer to Nairobi, Kenya to document the new experiences of science education in three schools for the blind. Learn more about ISci research. » Connect with Roger on LinkedIn. »

San Francisco

San Francisco, CA
Diana DiCostanzo '10 just launched an IndieGogo Campaign to help fund her debut album, "Matters of the Heart." A singer/songwriter in the style of Regina Spektor and Ingrid Michaelson, Diana is very proud and excited to finally be making a 4-year project a reality. Her songs are subtle, poignant, funny, lyrical, and tell stories of love, loss, and everything in between. Check out some of her music at: www.dianadicostanzo.com. Visit Diana's IndieGogo Campaign. »

Emersonians in the Media

Magician Justin Willman '02 was featured on The Tonight Show with Jay Leno. He even mentions Emerson! Watch the clip »

Shameless Plugs

Upcoming Events
January 20 - Boca Raton, FL - Annual South Florida Brunch
January 22 - NYC - New Year, New York: Annual Speed Networking Alumni Event
January 30 - Online - Basic Cinematography and Careers in Cinematography
February 12 - Online - Utilizing Your Alumni Chapter
February 28 - Los Angeles - 13th Annual Emerson Film Festival

For more upcoming events, visit the events calendar.

View an archive of our webinar series and register for upcoming webinars »

Save the Date! Alumni Weekend 2013 is May 31-June 2. We'll be celebrating classes ending in 3 & 8, Rho Delta Omega, Alpha Epsilon Phi, and Orientation Leaders. Interested in joining your reunion committee? Email alumni@emerson.edu.

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