

## Experiential Education Center (EEC) Newsletter

*Stay informed on what's happening in the EEC*

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Welcome back and happy 2022! We hope everyone had a relaxing break and a wonderful holiday season. The new year is a time to start fresh, and this Spring semester the EEC is looking forward to engaging you in some exciting initiatives.

In this February edition, we spotlight EEC staff, check out page 2 to learn more about our team. Page 3 of this edition features just a few of our upcoming events, including our Facebook Live happening this February, be sure to attend this event to learn about a **Scholarship for Unpaid Interns**. The purpose of this scholarship is to encourage experiential learning opportunities that help Bristol students prepare for their careers while reducing financial challenges. Selected students will be reimbursed for the total cost (\$689) of their 3-credit internship course (INT 210). Application opens Tuesday, February 1, 2022!

Page 4 highlights College Central Network (CCN), and some of the available opportunities recently posted in the system.

EEC wishes you a successful Spring semester! To stay up to date on EEC happenings follow us on Instagram, Twitter, or Facebook at @eecbristol

#### **Sneak Peek March Newsletter Edition:**

**Save the Date!** Virtual Opportunity Fair  
Monday, April 4th through Thursday, April 7th

This 4-day virtual event will provide attendees an opportunity to learn about organizations from a broad range of industries! Representatives will provide comprehensive presentations about their respective organizations, discuss available volunteer, internship, job opportunities & more! Be sure to check out our March edition for more details!

# EEC Staff Spotlight



*Pam Brown,  
EEC Coordinator*

Pam joined Bristol in 2019 and serves as Experiential Education Coordinator for both the Service-Learning and Internship Programs in the EEC, helping students achieve their career & professional development goals.



*Erin Smith,  
Civic Engagement Coordinator*

Erin joined Bristol in 2014 and serves as the Civic Engagement Coordinator in the EEC, helping students build connections with the local community through Service-Learning opportunities.



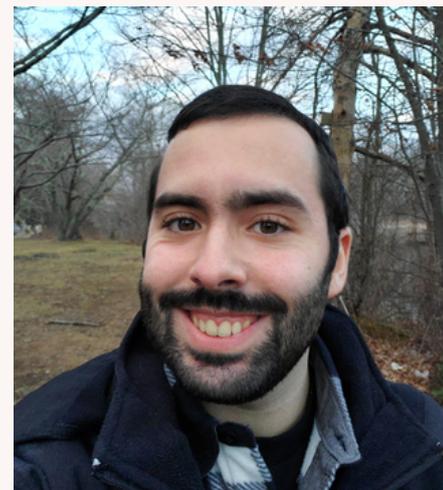
*Maria Friedman, MSW  
Internship Program Coordinator*

Maria joined Bristol in November 2021 as the coordinator for internships at EEC. Maria found out she has a passion for helping college students build career skills in real-world settings after recruiting, training, and supervising student interns at the RI Hispanic Chamber of Commerce in her previous role, and is excited to continue this work at Bristol!



*Mandie Pimental,  
Clerk*

Mandie joined Bristol in July 2021 and serves as Clerk in the EEC. She hopes to help students realize their full potential and achieve their goals.



*Marco Rodrigues,  
EEC Ambassador*

Marco joined the EEC in the Spring 21 semester in a work-study position and serves as a Brand Ambassador, assisting with promotional initiatives and connecting with the campus community to raise awareness of EEC's Civic Engagement and Internship Programs.

# EEC Happenings



**f LIVE**

*We're going Live!*

Join @EECBristol on Thursday,  
February 24th at 6pm

Join us for scholarship details, application best practice tips and to answer any questions you may have

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**Scholarship for Unpaid Interns**

Interested in doing a summer internship? Apply to EEC's scholarship for a chance to receive \$689!

**Scholarship & Application details:**  
[tinyurl.com/internscholarships](https://tinyurl.com/internscholarships)

This February we'll be hosting a Facebook Live, featuring EEC's **Scholarship for Unpaid Interns**. The scholarship will provide funds to support students participating in an unpaid internship experience during the Summer 2022 semester. The purpose of the scholarship is to encourage hands-on learning opportunities that help students prepare for their careers while reducing financial challenges of participating in an unpaid internship. Selected students will be reimbursed for the total cost of their 3-credit summer internship course. Application opens, Tuesday, February 1st, 2022. Click [here](#) for details and to apply. Follow us on Facebook at @eecbristol to join the live session!

**VIRTUAL INTERNSHIP PREP WORKSHOPS**

Students interested in participating in the internship program must attend one of the following workshops. To register, please follow the steps below.

1. Go to [collegecentral.com/bristolcc](https://collegecentral.com/bristolcc)
2. Below the log-in area, select "Activate" (if you've already activated your account, just log-in)
3. Once logged in, click "Events & Programs" from left menu
4. Select the month or calendar tab to sign-up for an available workshop date that you'd like to attend

Below are the available dates and times:

Date	Time
Tuesday, February 8 <sup>th</sup>	11am-12pm
Wednesday, February 16 <sup>th</sup>	4pm-5pm
Thursday, February 24 <sup>th</sup>	5pm-6pm
Monday, February 28 <sup>th</sup>	12pm-1pm

Questions? Contact us:  
Phone: 774-357-2407 | E-mail: [EEC@Bristolcc.edu](mailto:EEC@Bristolcc.edu)

Looking for a Summer 2022 internship? Check out these upcoming workshop dates in February. Preparedness is key when seeking and obtaining an internship.

Within a virtual 1-hour Internship Prep Workshop, students will work with EEC staff to:

- Review policies and procedures of the Internship Program
- Learn what to expect at the internship site
- Begin the process of developing a resume & identify internship sites of interest

To enroll in the Internship Program students must attend one workshop **the semester prior to beginning their internship.**



The Civic Engagement program values service to the community and seeks to find ways to recognize students, faculty, and staff for making a positive social change. The President's Volunteer Service Award is a form of recognition given to members of the Bristol community that completed a minimum of 100 hours of community service during the one-year period of April 1st, 2021 through April 1st, 2022. Student Clubs and Organizations can also be recognized as a group for completing a minimum of 200 hours of community service during the same calendar period.

**President's Volunteer Service Award - applications due by Monday, April 4th 2022**

To apply and for more information, click [here](#).

# College Central Network (CCN)



CCN is a platform to search for volunteer, service-learning, internship and job opportunities posted specifically for Bristol Community College Students and Alumni. Use built-in tools and tips to create an eye-catching resume and career portfolio. View upcoming EEC and Career Services events and programs, access a multimedia career resource library and more!

\*All Bristol students and faculty have a pre-registered account, to activate your account go to [collegecentral.com/bristolcc](http://collegecentral.com/bristolcc)

Check out the following resources from CCN's Multimedia Library:

- Video: [Interview Advice: Thank you!](#)
- Podcast: [Internships: Company Culture 101](#)
- Podcast: [The Indispensable Intern](#)

Find more resources like this in your CCN account by accessing the "Career Document Library" on your dashboard.

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## INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES IN CCN

For additional details on the jobs below, visit CCN at [www.collegecentral.com/bristolcc](http://www.collegecentral.com/bristolcc)

- Whale and Dolphin Conservation-Job ID #6653962-Marin Animal Rescue and Response Internship (Summer)-Plymouth, MA
- Mass CSB-Job ID #6650203-Social Media Consultant-Boston, MA
- Martignetti Companies-Job ID #6651330-Accounts Receivable Intern (Summer 2022)-Taunton, MA
- MassDOT-Job ID #6543387-Highway Engineering Internship (Summer 2022)-Boston, MA
- Travelers Marketing-Job ID #6658171-Customer Development Sales Internship-Natick, MA

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