



Honey W. Nashman Center  
for Civic Engagement  
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# Nashman News



## HONEY W. NASHMAN CENTER FOR CIVIC ENGAGEMENT AND PUBLIC SERVICE

**“Our nation is asking to hear your voice because November is coming and so is your choice. Do not throw away your shot.”  
— Lin-Manuel Miranda**

### **GW VOTES**

#### **Staying Politically Engaged While Online**

*October 27th | 7pm ET*

Join No Lost Generation GW to learn about the many ways you can stay up-to-date on current issues and continue your civic engagement even while online. We'll be doing a scavenger hunt type event which will be fun and competitive! [Register!](#)

#### **Virtual GW Votes Movie Night**

*October 28th | 7pm ET*

Join GW Votes for a movie night featuring a new political satire movie! Once registered you will receive more information about the movie and how to watch. [Register!](#)

## GW Hatchet 2020 Election Poll

The Hatchet is surveying students' 2020 election preferences through a poll that's currently being shared with students from across the University. The results will be included in the Hatchet's 2020 Election Guide to highlight who GW students plan to vote for and which national issues students care about most. [Vote here!](#)

## 'Getting to the Bottom of It': Encouraging student voter turnout

Executive Director of the Honey W. Nashman Center for Civic Engagement and Public Service and Chair of the GW Votes Taskforce Amy Cohen and Dr. Adam Gismondi, Director of Impact at the Institute for Democracy and Higher Education at Tufts University's Tisch College about student voter turnout. [Listen now.](#)



## NASHMAN CENTER PROGRAMS

### Upcoming Dates in GWUpstart

#### **Public Service Grant Commission**

*Apply by Friday, October 30th 11:59pm PT*

Grant awards provide financial support to the ideas of GW students to deliver solutions through projects and initiatives in partnership with community organizations.



#### **Upcoming Dialogues**

##### **CULTIVATING CIVIC IDENTITY**

Wednesday, October 28th - 7pm via Zoom

*Dr. Rachel Talber, Fellow, Community Engaged Scholarship*

##### **LEADERSHIP FOR SOCIAL CHANGE**

Tuesday, November 17th - 7pm via Zoom

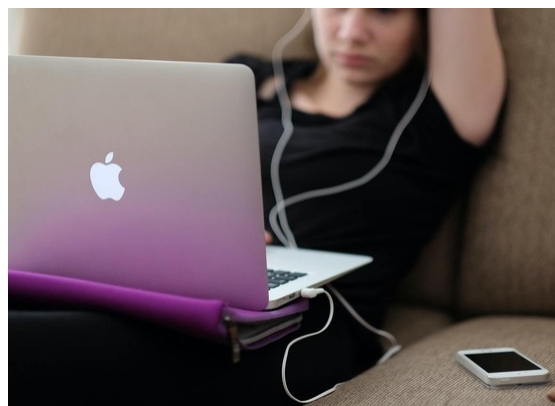
*Dr. Wendy Wagner, Director, Community Engaged Scholarship*



## COMMUNITY OPPORTUNITIES

### Alternative Breaks Rolling Application

There is still time to apply to one of the four completely virtual, free service experiences for this academic year. The services experiences will focus on: Disaster Relief and Sustainability, Community Empowerment and Systemic Racism, Indigenous Rights and Education, and Border Relations and Immigration. [Apply today.](#)



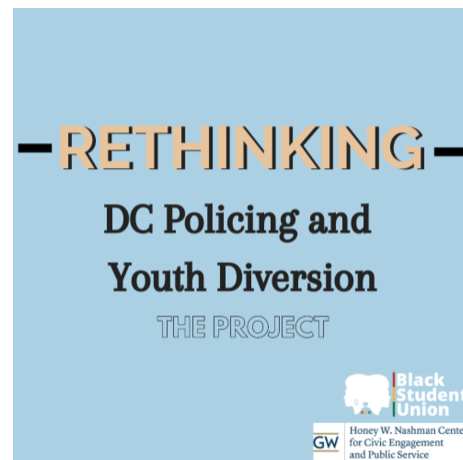
## Lesson Check-In

[Lesson Check-In](#) is a nonprofit organization created to support students and families adjusting to the challenges of distance learning. The organization pairs middle and high school students with undergraduate and graduate volunteers, who "check-in" and assist students on a weekly basis. In addition to helping the students succeed in school, volunteering helps parents and guardians, who may be overwhelmed by the personal and professional challenges stemming from

the pandemic. [Learn more.](#)

## Rethinking DC Policing and Youth Diversion Instagram Launch

The [@rethinking.dc](#) social media platform recently launched as an initiative partnered with the Black Student Union, the Nashman Center, and the GW Sociology Department to study DC Policing.



## Up to Us



Up to Us is a competition aimed at raising awareness and generating non-partisan ideas from our brightest students around issues that affect you and your fiscal future. Build and deepen your network by designing, strategizing, and executing a fiscal future awareness campaign. There is a **\$10,000 grand prize, leadership training and exclusive access to the Up to Us alumni network** when students join

the [Up to Us Campus Competition!](#) [Email](#) for more information.



## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Hocus Focus Yoga

October 29th | 8:00pm

Feeling stressed? Grab your yoga mat and join us for a spooky yoga flow to calm your spirit! This yoga session is open to all skill levels. [Register](#).

## Diversity Summit

**November 11th - November 13th**

The Office for Diversity, Equity and Community Engagement has reimagined and envisioned the 2020 Diversity Summit to meet the current moment and needs of the GW Community in a virtual environment. We are eager to announce the 6th Annual Diversity Summit - Past. Present. Future. What will our legacy be? [Register](#)

## 2020 DC Climathon

**November 13th | 4pm ET**

Hosted by Sustainable GW, the event brings together innovators and entrepreneurs who care about climate change, and challenges them to develop a solution to a local climate-related problem. Last year, the theme was textile waste, and winning ideas included a weighted blanket made from recycled fabric, and a reimagined thrift store. [Register](#)

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## MEET WITH US!

### Front Desk:



- Tuesday [10am-2pm EST](#)
- Wednesday [10am-12pm EST](#); [2pm-4pm EST](#)
- Thursday [10am-12pm EST](#)
- Friday [10am-12pm EST](#); [12pm-2pm EST](#); [2pm-4pm EST](#)

### GWServes Support Desk:

- Monday [11am-2pm EST](#); [2pm-4pm EST](#)
- Tuesday [10am - 2pm EST](#)
- Thursday [9am - 2pm EST](#); [1:30 - 3:30 EST](#)
- Friday [10am - 12pm EST](#)

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**Have a story, opportunity, or event you want to share?**

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