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**May 9, 2019**

## **Lehman College Event Roundup May 16-31**

Lehman College hosts and presents a number of performances, concerts, and cultural activities throughout the year. These events are open to the public and admission is free unless otherwise noted. These events are open press; media wishing to attend any of these events should contact [media.relations@lehman.cuny.edu](mailto:media.relations@lehman.cuny.edu) for more information.

Here is a list of what's happening from May 16-31:

### **May 16-17**

#### **The 5th Annual Bronx Borough Arts Festival**

Description: An exhibition (which opens on May 13) of visual arts created by 160 Bronx students from 75 different schools.

Details: The exhibition is on view at 10 a.m.-4 p.m. on Thursday, May 16 and Friday, May 17 in the Lehman College Art Gallery, Fine Arts Building.

Contact: For more information, call (718) 960-8731 or email [lehmancollegeartgallery@gmail.com](mailto:lehmancollegeartgallery@gmail.com).

### **May 18**

#### **Lehman College Summer Camp(us) Open House**

Description: An opportunity to learn about Lehman College's Summer Camp(us) for campers ages 6-12. Learn about camp activities and early bird registration discounts. Lehman summer day camps will be held July 8-26 and July 29-August 16.

Details: 10:30 a.m.-noon on Saturday, May 18 in Room B34, Carman Hall.

Contact: For more information, email [julibeth.veras@lehman.cuny.edu](mailto:julibeth.veras@lehman.cuny.edu).

### **May 19**

#### **Lehman College and Community Band**

Description: "Prelude to Summer" concert, with works by Philip Sparke, Joseph Haydn, Gioachino Rossini, and more. Includes a special guest performance by the winner of the 2019 Jerome Sala Memorial Competition. Directed by Alan Hollander.

Details: 2 p.m. on Sunday, May 19 in the Lovinger Theatre, Speech and Theatre Building.

Contact: For more information, contact the Lehman [Department of Music, Multimedia, Theatre and Dance](#) at (718) 960-8247 or email [music@lehman.cuny.edu](mailto:music@lehman.cuny.edu).

### **May 22-June 2**

#### **2019 Annual Thesis Exhibition**

Description: The Lehman College Art Department hosts the 2019 Annual Thesis Exhibition for graduating M.F.A., M.A., and B.F.A. students. The exhibition features the work of 16 artists in a variety of media, showcasing the contemporary art practice of a rising generation of artists.

Details: The exhibition is on view at 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Tuesday through Saturday, from May 23 through June 2 in the Lehman College Art Gallery, Fine Arts Building. An opening reception will be held at 5-8 p.m. on Wednesday, May 22 in the gallery.

Contact: For more information, call (718) 960-8731 or email [lehmancollegeartgallery@gmail.com](mailto:lehmancollegeartgallery@gmail.com).

### **May 25**

#### **Invincible – A Glorious Tribute to Michael Jackson**

Description: A theatrical tribute to Michael Jackson produced by Bessie Award winner Darrin Ross, which live musical performances and dancing.

Details: 8 p.m. on Saturday, May 25 in the Lehman Center for the Performing Arts. Ticket prices are \$75, \$45, \$40, \$25, and \$10 for children 12 and under.

Contact: For more information and tickets, visit [lehmancenter.org](http://lehmancenter.org). Media are welcome to attend; please RSVP to Leah Grammatica at [leahgram@aol.com](mailto:leahgram@aol.com).

### **May 30**

#### **Lehman College Commencement**

Description: CUNY alumna and champion for public higher education Mildred García will be the speaker at the college's 51st Commencement. García, visual artist Whitfield Lovell, and Ivan G. Seidenberg, retired chief executive officer at Verizon Communications, Inc., will be awarded honorary degrees. Michael W. Yackira ('72) will receive the Alumni Achievement Award.

Details: 10 a.m. on Thursday, May 30 on the South Field. The event will also be broadcast live.

Contact: For more information, contact 718-960-8351.

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<http://www.lehman.edu>

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