# From the Benjamin Franklin College Dean's Office

## **CALENDAR AT A GLANCE**



Apr.F Classes end; reading period begins. Last day to withdraw from a full-term course and/or a course offered in the second half of the spring term, 5:00p.m.

Apr. F Last day to convert from a letter grade to Cr/D/F option for a full-term course and/or a course offered in the second half of the spring term, 5:00p.m.

May W Applications for fall-term Leaves of Absence due.

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May Th Reading period ends, 5:00 p.m. Final examinations begin, 7:00 p.m.

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May Th Deadline for all course assignments, other than term papers and term projects. This deadline can be extended only by a Temporary Incomplete authorized by Dean Rencher.

May W Examinations end, 5:30 p.m.

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May W Deadline for all term papers and term projects. This deadline can be extended only by a Temporary Incomplete authorized by Dean Rencher.

May Th Residences close for underclassmen, 12 noon.

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May F Registration closes for Yale College students.

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May M University Commencement.

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### Registration Office Hours for Students

The University Registrar's Office has set up office hours over Zoom for students with registration questions.

#### May 14, 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

- Course registration deadlines, instructions, explanations of error messages, FAQs, and a
  growing library of system tutorials and instructional documentation can be found on the
  registration website.
- Blue Forms: Several professional schools register on a different timeline than Yale College. You can submit a blue form at any time during registration, however, you might not hear whether you are accepted into the course and whether it will count for a full credit until the add/drop period. See <u>Blue Forms</u> on the <u>registration website</u>.

#### Opening of Yale Course Search 2024-2025

#### **Fall Term Registration**

April 15, 8:00 a.m.	Registration opens for Yale College students in the Class of 2025
April 16, 8:00 a.m.	Registration opens for Yale College students in the Class of 2026, visiting students, and Eli Whitney students (without a class year)
April 17, 8:00 a.m.	Registration opens for Yale College students in the Class of 2027
April 26	Classes end after last academic obligation; reading period begins
May 17, 5:00 p.m.	Registration closes for all Yale College and Graduate School students

Refer to the registration website for all dates, instruction, and FAQs.

#### Resident Writing Tutor

The Benjamin Franklin Writing Tutor is Lesley Finn. Her office is in Room 24, LL near Stairwell/Entry A. Hours are: Tuesdays 10am - 2pm and Wednesdays 12pm - 4pm (with 2pm - 4pm reserved for BF students only)

To sign up for an appointment go to <a href="https://www.yalewco.com">https://www.yalewco.com</a> or email <a href="lesley.finn@yale.edu">lesley.finn@yale.edu</a>.

#### Yale Tutoring Resources:

Writing Center/Tutors/Partners: <u>Writing Tutoring and Programs | Porvoo Center for Teaching and Learning (yale.edu)</u>

Sc/QR Tutoring: <u>Small-Group and 1-1 Tutoring | Poorvu Center for Teaching and Learning</u> (yale.edu)

Language Tutoring: <u>Center for Language Study | Poorvu Center for Teaching and Learning</u>
(yale.edu)

Academic Strategies: <u>Academic Strategies Program | Poorvu Center for Teaching and Learning (yale.edu)</u>

Advising Resources: Welcome | Advising Resources (yale.edu)

#### **Course Change Forms**

Online Course Change Notice forms will be available on the <u>University Registrar's Office website</u> for you to request course withdrawals and late additions. The normal \$5 administrative fee will apply to all course withdrawals and late additions, including late adds due to instructor permission granted after add/drop period has closed.

Additional course enrollment information, instructions, and FAQs can be found on the <u>registration</u> <u>website</u>. Review your fall enrollment schedule on <u>Yale Hub</u> or <u>Degree Audit</u>.

#### Withdrawal and Cr/D/F Deadlines for Full and Half-term Courses

Important deadlines for courses offered in the second half of the term:

- Friday, April 26 by 5:00 p.m. deadline to change the grade mode to Credit/D/Fail for a full-term course or a course offered in the second half of the term
- Friday, April 26 by 5:00 p.m. deadline to withdraw from a full-term course and a course offered in the second half of the term

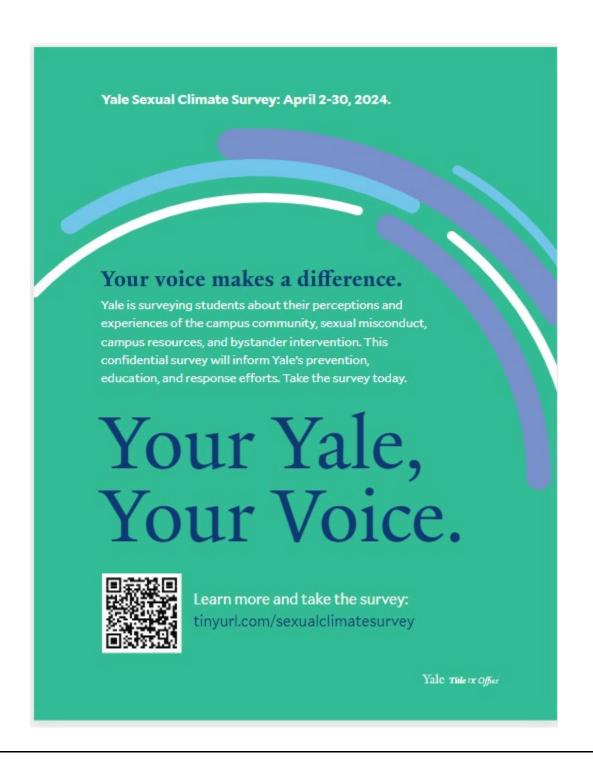
Note: Professional school courses cannot be changed to Credit/D/Fail. Some professional school courses end before the April deadlines listed here; the deadline to withdraw from these courses is the last day of the course.

If you wish to convert a course offered in the second half of the term to Credit/D/Fail, take the following steps. Once you convert your grade mode to Credit/D/Fail it cannot be reversed.

- 1. Log into Yale Hub.
- 2. Select the Course Enrollment tab and click "Yale College Change Course from Letter Grade to Credit/D/Fail."
- 3. Change the drop-down selection from "YC Letter Grade" to "Credit/D/Fail."
- 4. Click "Submit Changes" to save the conversion.
- 5. A confirmation of the change will be sent to your University email account. If you do not receive the confirmation email, your change was not processed. You can confirm all of your course grading modes by viewing your "Course Schedule Details by Term" in <u>Yale Hub</u>.

#### The 2024 Yale Sexual Climate Survey

Yale is surveying students about their perceptions and experiences of the campus community, sexual misconduct, campus resources, and bystander intervention. This confidential survey will inform Yale's prevention, education, and response efforts. Your response to the 2024 survey is critical: with everyone's help, we can gather the fullest data possible. Please visit <a href="tinyurl.com/sexualclimatesurvey">tinyurl.com/sexualclimatesurvey</a> and fill out the survey now. Yale will report on the results in Fall 2024. For more details about the survey and Yale's resources, please see <a href="titleix.yale.edu">titleix.yale.edu</a>. For information, advocacy, and support, contact SHARE (203-432-2000).



#### Yale College Speech Competition

Dear Student,

I write to invite you to join the 2024 Yale College Speech Competition, open to sophomores, juniors, and seniors according to the categories below. Top prize in each category is \$1000, with prizes of \$500 & \$250 for second and third place.

The competition will take place on Monday, April 29. After you sign up, you'll be assigned a two-hour block between 9am and 5pm on April 29; you must be available for the entire two hours. Please use this link to sign up—the deadline is Monday, April 22, 11:59pm.

All speeches must be original works created by the student and they must be delivered from notes or recited from memory. They must be between 5-8 minutes long; longer or shorter speeches will be disqualified. No visual or audio aids are permitted as part of the oration.

Rules for each category are listed here:

**The Buck-Jackson Prize**: Awarded to a Sophomore for the best original oration on a subject of a patriotic nature. [Note that this does not need to be on an American subject.]

The Henry James TenEyck Prize: Awarded to orators among the Junior Class on a subject of the speaker's choice.

**The David C. DeForest Prize & Townsend Premiums**: For the Senior[s] "who shall write and pronounce an English oration in the best manner." [Note that there are no special requirements for an "English oration."]

Good luck, and please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Alfred E. Guy Jr.

Deputy Director, Poorvu Center for Teaching and Learning

R.W.B. Lewis Director of Writing

Assistant Dean of Academic Affairs, Yale College

Please contact <u>alfred.guy@yale.edu</u> with questions.

#### Library workshops for the week of April 22, 2024

#### **NEXT STEPS WITH ZOTERO | Online**

- Monday, April 22 at 8pm | Register: <a href="https://schedule.yale.edu/event/12242398">https://schedule.yale.edu/event/12242398</a>
- Thursday, April 25 at 10am | Register: https://schedule.yale.edu/event/11937443

Learn how to get the most out of Zotero's advanced research management features for your unique needs, including removing duplicate citations, filtering citations with tags, creating annotations, and integrating Zotero with Microsoft Word and Google Docs.

#### TOUR: HIDDEN TREASURES IN STERLING LIBRARY

• Thursday, April 25 at noon | Register: <a href="https://schedule.yale.edu/event/12242377">https://schedule.yale.edu/event/12242377</a>

Learn how to get around to find what you need and discover lesser-known special collections hidden in plain sight!

#### **RECHARGE** with Yale Library during Reading Week

• Friday, April 26 – Thursday May 2 | Learn

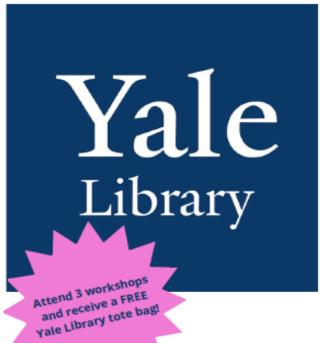
more: <a href="https://guides.library.yale.edu/RECHARGE">https://guides.library.yale.edu/RECHARGE</a>

Yale Library will be hosting wellness events and study breaks during Reading Week, including button making, (not quite) midnight breakfast, free cookies, coffee, and cocoa, and much, much more!

# Upcoming workshops and events from Yale Library









Yale University Library schedule.yale.edu/calendar/instruction



## Yale Degree Audit

Yale Degree Audit is a web-based tool that calculates and displays how an individual student's courses may count toward the requirements for the bachelor's degree. The degree audit enables students to monitor their own progress toward the completion of degree requirements. It also helps students, and their advisers discuss course selection for current and future terms more meaningfully by clarifying what requirements the student still needs to complete. Currently, major requirements are not included in the audit. Log into <u>Yale Hub</u> to pull up your audit.

Unlike a transcript, your degree audit is an unofficial document provided for your information and convenience. The audit serves as a tool to provide you with helpful and timely information when you are planning your course schedule, discussing your schedule with your adviser, and reviewing your progress toward completing the requirements for the bachelor's degree. Your degree audit is **not** an official academic transcript.

#### Yale Degree Audit will help you:

- Determine what requirements you need to fulfill in order to complete your bachelor's degree.
- View a list of all courses in which you have enrolled and the distributional designations each course carries.
- View individual course grades and cumulative grade-point average (GPA)



# **EXPLORE YOUR OPTIONS**

# **Community Wellness Specialists**

College Care Clinicians

During a wellness session, we focus on skill building and strategies.

During a therapy session, we focus on therapeutic support and processing.

Check out our common list of topics, we provide support on in a wellness or therapy session, by scanning the QR Code below.

Specialists



Corinne Coia Silliman #403



Ricky Belizaire Morse Gatehouse



Cindy Avila Branford #012A



Whitney Simmons Hopper #020



Angie Makomenaw Pierson #049

Clinicians



Zelekya Fowler WLH #105



Nicole Cepeda WLH #106



Kayla Reid TD #007



Lauren Moss-Racusin New Clinician Davenport #N11



Branford #012B

SCAN TO **GET STARTED** 

