**CALENDAR AT A GLANCE**

**Nov 7:** Last day to withdraw from a course offered in the second half of the fall term without the course appearing on the transcript. See [Withdrawal from Courses](#) and [Grades](#). Last day to convert from a letter grade to Credit/D/Fail option in a course offered in the second half of the fall term. See [Grades](#).

**Nov 23:** November recess begins, 9 p.m.

**Nov 30:** Last day to relinquish on-campus housing for the spring term without charge. See [Undergraduate Regulations](#).

**Dec 6:** Classes end, 5:30 p.m. reading period begins. Last day to withdraw from a fall full-term course offered in the second half of the fall term. See [Withdrawal from Courses](#) and [Grades](#).

**Dec 12:** Reading period ends, 5 p.m., Final examinations begin, 7 p.m. Deadline for all course assignments, other than term papers and term projects. The deadline can be extended only by a Temporary Incomplete authorized by Dean Hill.

**Dec 15:** Applications for 2020 Yale Summer Session Programs Abroad, Non-Yale Summer Abroad, Fall 2020 Term Abroad, and 2020 – 2021 Year Abroad open.

**Dec 18:** Examinations end, 5:30 p.m.; winter recess begins. Deadline for all term papers and term projects. This deadline can be extended only be a Temporary Incomplete authorized by the student’s residential college dean.

**Dec 19:** Residences close, 12 noon.
*Resident Writing Tutor*

The Benjamin Franklin Writing Tutor is Lesley Finn. Her office is in Room 24, LL near Stairwell/Entry A. Hours are Mondays 9 a.m. – 11 a.m., Tuesdays 1 p.m. – 3 p.m., Wednesdays 5 p.m. – 7 p.m. (BF students only), and Fridays 9 a.m. – 11 a.m. To sign up for an appointment go to www.yalewco.com or email lesley.finn@yale.edu.

*Resident QR Tutor*

Nicholas E. Smith, a graduate in Chemistry – Room 19, Entryway A, LL. Hours are Wednesday 8-9:30 p.m.

Yale Tutoring Resources:

Writing Center/Tutors/Partners:
https://poorvucenter.yale.edu/writing/undergraduatewriting

Sc/QR Tutoring: https://poorvucenter.yale.edu/tutoring/quantitative-reasoning-sciencestem-fields

Language Tutoring: http://cls.yale.edu/foreign-language-tutoring

Academic Strategies: https://poorvucenter.yale.edu/academic-strategies-program

Advising Resources: http://advising.yalecollege.yale.edu/
CIPE

UPCOMING EVENTS

**Summer Opportunities Fair**
Friday, November 8th, 2:30-4PM
Silliman Dining Hall
Chart your course to summer with the Center for International and Professional Experience (CIPE)! Stop by the annual CIPE Summer Opportunities Fair to learn about hundreds of amazing internship, study, and funding opportunities in the U.S. and abroad for summer 2020. Chat with staff, faculty, and students affiliated with our four units; the Office of Career Strategy, Study Abroad, Yale Summer Session, and Fellowships- to find experiences that are right for you. There you go, your summer is planned!

Follow us on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), and [Twitter](#)!

**STUDY ABROAD**

UPCOMING EVENTS

**Financial Aid Information Session for Spring 2020 Abroad**
Wednesday, October 30, 4:00pm - 5:00pm
CIPE, 55 Whitney Avenue, 3rd Floor, Rm 305

RESOURCES

**Study Abroad Drop-In Hours** will be held on Friday, November 1, from 2-4PM at 55 Whitney Avenue, 3rd floor.

**Meet with a Study Abroad Adviser** – Schedule an appointment directly from our website!
Search the [Study Abroad Calendar](#) for information sessions and other study abroad events throughout the academic year.

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Yale Degree Audit

Yale Degree Audit (YDA) is a tool that tracks your progress toward the bachelor’s degree. YDA is located on the Academics tab of Student Information System (SIS). YDA displays the Yale College degree requirements that you have already completed and those that are still pending. A “Look Ahead” feature shows you how future course enrollment might apply toward your degree. Yale Degree Audit does not take the place of face-to-face advising, although you may wish to share your audit with your adviser. Instead, it provides an easy-to-read summary of requirements, allowing you and your adviser to spend more time discussing course selection and academic goals.

Do not rely solely on your degree audit when planning your courses; continue to use Yale’s standard systems for schedule planning and employ YDA as an additional tool. More features will be added to YDA in the future, including the ability to track progress toward major requirements.

If you have suggestions, general observations, or questions that are not answered by the FAQs, send them to registrar@yale.edu using the subject line “Degree Audit.” If you believe that academic information in your degree audit is incorrect, contact our office.
FELLOWSHIP PROGRAMS

UPCOMING EVENTS

Richard U. Light Information Session 5
Tuesday, October 29, 11:00am - 12:00pm
CIPE, 55 Whitney Avenue, 3rd Floor, Rm 369

Yenching Academy of Peking University (Master’s Program in China Studies) Information Session
Tuesday, October 29, 4:00pm - 5:30pm
CIPE, 55 Whitney Avenue, 3rd Floor, Rm 369

Imagining your Summer
Wednesday, October 30, 11:45am -12:45pm
Yale Poorvu Center for Teaching and Learning, 301 York St, Room 120A

Summer STEM Fellowship Opportunities
Friday, November 1, 3:00pm – 4:00pm
LC 104

Imagining your Summer
Friday, November 1, 4:00pm-5:00pm
Yale Poorvu Center for Teaching and Learning, 301 York St, Room 120A

Summer Fellowships and Funding Information Session
Monday, November 4, 4:00pm – 5:00pm
Yale Poorvu Center for Teaching and Learning, 301 York St, Room 120B

APPROACHING APPLICATION DEADLINES

November 1, 2:00pm EST - The Paul and Daisy Soros Fellowships for New Americans National Deadline | Eligible: Seniors, Alumni & Graduate Students

November 1 - USAID Donald Payne International Development Graduate Fellowship National Deadline | Eligible: Seniors & Recent Graduates

November 1, 11:59pm EST - The PPIA Junior Summer Institute (JSI) Fellowship Program National Deadline | Eligible: Juniors

November 12, 1:00pm EST - Saint Andrew’s Society Graduate Scholarship Campus Deadline | Eligible: Seniors

November 18, 1:00pm EST - James C. Gaither Junior Fellows Program at the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace Campus Deadline | Eligible: Seniors/Alumni

November 18, 1:00pm EST - Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship Campus Deadline | Eligible: Sophomores & Juniors

November 19, 8:00pm EST - Critical Language Scholarship (CLS) Program National Deadline | Eligible: First-Years, Sophomores, Juniors & Seniors

November 21, 1:00pm EST - Harry S. Truman Scholarship Program Campus Deadline | Eligible: Juniors
December 1 - [Rotary Foundation Global Grant Scholarships](#): Contact the [New Haven Rotary Foundation Chair](#) with application questions | Eligible: Seniors/Alumni

December 6, Noon Beijing Time - [The Yenching Academy of Peking University Scholarship](#) National Deadline | Eligible: Seniors & Recent Graduates

January 9, 1:00pm EST - [National Security Education Program NSEP David L Boren Undergraduate Scholarship](#) Campus Deadline | Eligible: First-Year Students, Sophomores, and Juniors

January 15, 1:00pm EST - [Davis Projects for Peace](#) Campus Deadline | Eligible: First-Year Students, Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors

**RESOURCES**

Visit the [Fellowships Calendar](#) for a full list of upcoming events and deadlines. [Make an appointment](#) directly from the website to discuss these and a host of other opportunities [Fellowship Drop-In Hours](#) will be held on [Friday, November 1](#), from 2pm - 4pm

**OCS**

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Inaugural 1stGenYale Alumni Career Speakers Series**
Saturday, November 2, 1:30pm-3:00pm
Yale Poorvu Center for Teaching and Learning, Sterling Memorial Library
[Register](#)

**Career Lab: Excel Pivot Tables**
Thursday, October 31, 4:00pm-5:30pm
Office of Career Strategy
Curious about how you can use pivot tables to summarize, visualize, and interpret data sets? Pivot tables are one of Excel’s most powerful features and are useful for careers in academia and industry alike. This workshop will provide individuals with a hands-on, interactive opportunity to learn about using pivot tables. It will include an introduction to pivot tables and pivot charts as well as more advanced pivot table techniques. We will present each topic, demonstrate how to use it and then give you a chance to practice each skill using a dataset that we provide. If you are unable to attend in person, you can join us on Zoom by going to [https://yale.zoom.us/j/473172845](https://yale.zoom.us/j/473172845) on the date/time of the event.

**RESOURCES**

The summer internship search can seem daunting—but it doesn’t have to be. The [Your Summer Internship Search Pathway](#) in Yale Career Link provides you with a manageable checklist and various resources to find your summer opportunity. (Available to first-years, sophomores, and juniors).

[OCS Drop Ins](#): Drop-ins are available when classes are in session, Monday-Friday, 10:00am-4:00pm. Visit the [Calendar of Events](#) for a full list of upcoming events. Log in to [Yale Career Link](#), powered by Symplicity under Events/Employer Events to RSVP.
YALE SUMMER SESSION

Earn Yale credit from anywhere in the world this summer with Yale Summer Online courses.

Here are the top 5 reasons to go online this summer.

1. You can earn Yale College credit in just five weeks.
2. Several courses are offered in the evening time, making it easy for you to earn a credit while working, completing an internship, or traveling.
3. Virtual classroom technology allows students and faculty to come together live--and "face-to-face"--each week to discuss course topics.
4. Courses are offered in a variety of subjects, distributional requirements, and class times to fit your academic needs.
5. Completion of an online course looks great on a resume (i.e. technical skills).

Summer 2020 course offerings will be posted in December. Sign up for email updates from Yale Summer Session so you hear first!

summer.yale.edu
@YaleSummerSession

Yale Academic Strategies Program
https://orgsync.com/162209/
https://poorvucenter.yale.edu/academic-strategies-program
Our mission is to help all Yale undergraduate be active, empowered learners at Yale. Though peer academic mentoring, interactive workshops, and connections to resources, we provide you with the tools that can propel you towards your goals.

Workshops
Most workshops are held in the Poorvu Center (the new name for the CTL). Room M104A is located on the Poorvu Center’s Writing Center mezzanine, just up the stairs near the 301 York St. entrance to Sterling Library. You are encouraged to RSVP via Yale OrgSync (https://orgsync.com/162209/).

Managing a Heavy Reading Load
Monday, October 28, 4:00 PM, Poorvu Center, 2nd Floor, M104A
Feeling overwhelmed by piles of reading? Learn some essential strategies to make the most of your limited reading time. Have less stress and create more free time!

Cultivating Faculty Mentors
Monday, October 28, 6:00 PM, Poorvu Center, 2nd Floor, M104A
Thursday, October 31, 4:00 PM Poorvu Center, 2nd Floor, M104A
Initiate conversations, ask for assistance, request recommendations, and build mentoring relationships with Yale faculty, teaching fellows and staff.
Procrastination: How to Work Through It
*Monday, October 28, 7:30 PM, Poorvu Center, 2nd Floor, M104A*
We all procrastinate. When your procrastination habits get in the way of your goals, however, it's time for a change. This workshop offers strategies for identifying the sources of procrastination and pursuing productive habits that can get you back on track.

Writing Emails, Presentations, and Reports: Academic & Professional Communication for Undergrads
*Tuesday, October 29, 4:00 PM, Poorvu Center, 2nd Floor, M104A*
Need to write to faculty or employers about recommendations and summer opportunities? Need to present your ideas effectively to different kinds of audiences? This workshop helps you identify how to tailor your writing to your audience and communicate with confidence.

Exam Study Strategies
*Tuesday, October 29, 6:00 PM, Poorvu Center, 2nd Floor, M104A*
Reduce exam stress by learning new strategies for preparing and studying for midterms and finals. This workshop offers suggestions for preparing for and taking problem-based, short answer, and essay exams.

Fresh Start: Midterm Edition
*Tuesday, October 29, 7:30 PM, Poorvu Center, 2nd Floor, M104A*
Want to refresh your approaches to your academic work? Our mentors will lead you through a series of activities to help you identify your current strengths and develop new strategies for meeting the new challenges presented by your current semester’s courses.

Imagining Your Summer
*Wednesday, October 30, 11:45 AM, Poorvu Center 120A (Lunch provided)  
Friday, November 1, 4:00 PM, Poorvu Center 120A*
Interested in summer study abroad, fellowships, or internships, but don't know how to get started? Come for an information workshop with our Academic Strategies Mentors and representatives from CIPE to help you identify some possible summer opportunities and your next steps to make your vision happen. Deadlines for summer opportunities are coming up very soon, so start planning now!

Public Speaking for Undergraduates
*Wednesday, October 30, 4:00 PM, Poorvu Center, 2nd Floor, M104A*
Professors are increasingly asking students to engage in public speaking, from leading class discussion to more formal presentations. This workshop suggests preparation and performance strategies to help you do your best.

Time Management
*Wednesday, October 30, 6:00 PM, Poorvu Center, 2nd Floor, M104A*
Set priorities and develop a weekly schedule that can lead to an active and balanced academic life.
Pathways for Sophomores  
**Wednesday, October 30, 7:30 PM, Poorvu Center, 2nd Floor, M104A**

 Sophomore year offers new challenges, including increased course loads, upper-level classes, and identifying a major. This interactive workshop helps students set goals and make long-term plans for the year.

**1-1 Mentoring**  
Meet with an [Academic Strategies Mentor](mailto:academicstrategies@yale.edu)! They will help you develop a weekly study routine, offer strategies for approaching complicated readings and p-sets, and help you develop a plan for getting through to the end of the semester. Have questions? Please email us at [academicstrategies@yale.edu](mailto:academicstrategies@yale.edu).

**Academic Strategies Web Guides**  
Midterms thrown you off? Get back on track with our [Academic Strategies web guides](https://www.yale.edu), including [Academic Resources](https://www.yale.edu), our guide to finding the resources you need to support your academic work.

**Yale College Writing Center**  
- Peer Writing Partners available daily, Poorvu CTL tutoring mezzanine  
- Writing Study Halls (Sundays 2-5 pm, Wednesdays 7-10 pm).

See [https://poorvucenter.yale.edu/undergraduates/writing-tutoring-and-programs](https://poorvucenter.yale.edu/undergraduates/writing-tutoring-and-programs) for more detailed information.

**The Community Initiative:** Empowering first-generation and low-income students at Yale  
A partnership between the Yale College Dean’s Office and the Poorvu Center for Teaching and Learning: [https://fgli.yalecollege.yale.edu](https://fgli.yalecollege.yale.edu)

**Meet with an FGLI Ambassador**  
Do you have specific questions about some of the initiatives or resources we offer? Do you have any questions about your professor’s office hours? Are you from the West Coast and want to know more about Winter in New Haven? Then visit our team of ambassadors during their office hours! We are located at the front desk of 55 Whitney Avenue, 2nd floor.

**Career Clothes Closet**  
In partnership with the Asian American Cultural Center, the Community Initiative has developed the Career Closet, a source of professional clothing for students that need professional attire for interviews, receptions, and all other formal events. Students can check out multiple items of clothing for 2 weeks, all free of charge. [https://fgli.yalecollege.yale.edu/financial-resources/deans-office-services/career-closet](https://fgli.yalecollege.yale.edu/financial-resources/deans-office-services/career-closet)
STEM Opportunities

Summer STEM Fellowship Information Sessions
Friday, November 1 - Dr. Alexia Belperron will discuss, *How to Find a Lab*, in LC 104 from 3:00-4:00pm

Guide to STEM at Yale
For [Dean Sandy Chang’s Guide to STEM at Yale](https://science.yalecollege.yale.edu) and other useful information for STEM-interested students, please visit: [https://science.yalecollege.yale.edu](https://science.yalecollege.yale.edu).

Yale Library Resources

**StatLab workshops:** Using a new stats program? Get help from StatLab! Visit their website for workshops on LaTex, R, Stata, and other common programs: [http://statlab.yale.edu/workshops/](http://statlab.yale.edu/workshops/)
Get Your FLU SHOTS!
Free for all Yale staff, faculty, students, seniors, and Yale Health members.

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Why are flu shots important?
- Develop immunity - can fight off the flu faster
- Prevent the spread of the influenza virus
- Prevent risk of hospitalization due to flu symptoms, including body aches, fever, coughing, headaches, and more.
- Flu shots are safe and effective!

For more information, visit https://yalehealth.yale.edu/flu-information