



Dear Franklinites,

Welcome back to the classroom for those who nested close by, and to Ben Frank for those who retreated for a few days. Use these next days to flow from task to task, applying the energy you've conserved to produce really strong work. Glad you're back in action!

Dean's drop-in hours this week: **Thursday 2-4 PM**

Sophomores: It's not too late to [sign up](#) to have dinner in the fellow's lounge Tuesday at 6:00. Hang with your classmates, your dean and head, and meet some graduate students doing fascinating stuff.

-Dean Hill

Amazement by Czeslaw Milosz

*O what daybreak in the windows! Cannons salute.
The basket boat of Moses floats down the green Nile.
Standing immobile in the air, we fly over flowers:
Lovely carnations and tulips placed on long low tables.
Heard too are hunting horns exclaiming hallali.
Innumerable and boundless substances of the Earth:
Scent of thyme, hue of fir, white frost, dances of cranes.
And everything simultaneous. And probably eternal.
Unseen, unheard, yet it was.
Unexpressed by strings or tongues, yet it will be.
Raspberry ice cream, we melt in the sky.*

Translated from the Polish by the author and Lillian Vallee

*How do I Earn Some
\$\$ at Yale*



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Guide to [Job Ops](#)



CALENDAR AT A GLANCE

Oct. 23rd: Classes resume, 8:20 a.m.

Oct. 27th: Midterm.

- Last day to withdraw from a full-term course without the course appearing on the transcript. See [Withdrawal from Courses](#) and [Grades](#).
- Deadline to apply for double credit in a single-credit course. See Special Arrangements.
- Withdrawal from Yale College on or before this date entitles a student to a rebate of one-quarter of the term's tuition. See *Undergraduate Regulations*

Nov. 10th: Last day to convert from the Credit/D/Fail option to a letter grade in a full-term course. See [Grades](#).

- Last day to withdraw from a course offered in the second half of the term without the course appearing on the transcript. See [Withdrawal from Courses](#) and [Grades](#).

Nov. 18th: November Recess begins, 9 p.m.

Nov. 27th: Classes resume, 8:20 a.m.

Nov. 30th: Last day to relinquish on-campus housing for the spring term without charge. See Undergraduate Regulations.

Dec. 1st: Last day to convert from the credit/D/Fail option to a letter grade in a course offered in the second half of the term.

Tutoring in BF!

Resident Writing Tutor

The Benjamin Franklin Writing Tutor is Lesley Finn. Her office is in Room 24, LL. Hours are Tuesdays 12-2:30 p.m. (BF only!), Wednesdays 1-5 p.m. and Thursdays 7-8:30 p.m. To sign up for an appointment go to www.yalewco.com or email lesley.finn@yale.edu.

Resident QR Tutor

Xiaochuan Xing, graduate student in Economics - Room 19, Entryway A, LL. Hours are Sundays 7-9 p.m.

Yale Tutoring Resources:

[Writing Tutors](#)

[Writing Partners](#)

[Sc/ORTutoring](#)

[Language Tutoring](#)

CIPE Summer Opportunities Fair!

Friday, Nov. 10, 2:30-4pm, Silliman Dining Hall

'Tis the season to plan your summer! Stop by our annual [CIPE Summer Opportunities Fair](#) to learn about hundreds of amazing internship, study, and funding opportunities in the US and abroad for next summer. Chat with staff, faculty, and students affiliated with programs run by the [Yale Office of Career Strategy](#), [Study Abroad](#), [Yale Summer Session](#), and [Fellowship Programs](#) to find experiences that are right for you.

STUDY ABROAD

Drop-In Hours

Drop-in hours are held every **Friday from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. when class is in session, at 55 Whitney Avenue, 3rd Floor**. Advisers are available to answer quick questions during drop-in hours. Students are seen on a first-come, first-served basis for a maximum of 15 minutes each. No appointment necessary. Visit the [Calendar of Events](#) for a full list of upcoming events.

Newsletter

Sign up for the [Yale Study Abroad Newsletter](#) to receive updates twice per month about upcoming application deadlines, information sessions by region or program, social events, and more.

GLOBAL HEALTH

Global Health Scholars Application Deadline: Friday, November 3 by 1pm

Interested in understanding and addressing current global health challenges?

[Apply](#) to become a [Global Health Scholar](#).

Questions to suzanne.wirak@yale.edu.

Global Summer Program Abroad & in New Haven

[Have you heard of the Global Summer Program?](#) You can study abroad or in New Haven with the Global Summer Program. Courses are taught in English and funding options available. Imagine a classroom filled with peers from the top research universities in the world ([check the IARU website for the list of partner universities](#)). Every year, participants say that the best part of the course is the mix of students from around the globe. Some courses are for Yale credit, or are offered for general transfer credit. [Learn more about it today!](#)

You can also take a Global Summer Program course in New Haven: Courses for summer 2018 will be:

- [YAL1: The Sustainable Preservation of Cultural Heritage: An Introduction to a Global Challenge of Our Time \(taught by Stefan Simon\)](#)
- [YAL2: The Future of Food \(taught by John Wargo\)](#)

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General Drop-in Advising

Available when classes are in session Monday-Friday, 10:00am-4:00pm at 55 Whitney Avenue, 3rd Floor.

Lisbon Abroad, Internship Program Information Session

Wednesday, October 25, 12:00pm-1:00pm, Office of Career Strategy

[RSVP](#)

[Yale Career Fireside Chats-The Art of Networking Webinar](#)

Thursday, November 9, 4:30pm-5:30pm

[Register](#)

Creating Your Career and Life Vision

Saturday, November 11, 11:00am-4:45pm

[Register](#)-Space is limited.

Humanities in Action–Career Workshops

Sunday, November 12, 1:00pm-5:00pm, Whitney Humanities Center

Join us for insights from alums whose medical, nursing, and/or public health careers began with courses or degrees in the humanities.

[Register](#)

The Art of Public Speaking–Skill-Based Workshop

Friday, December 1, 1:00pm-3:30pm

Join Yale Drama grad, stand-up comic, producer, and college public speaking professor Robert Russell.

Later, be ready to talk for two-minutes on whatever moves you.

[Register](#)

Meet the Yale Public Service Award-Winners

Friday, November 17, 3:45pm-5:00pm, Omni Hotel, Church Room

[RSVP](#)

Resource of the Week

Follow the Office of Career Strategy on social media ([Instagram](#) & [Facebook](#)) for important dates, scheduled events, and peer stories.

Visit the [Calendar of Events](#) for a full list of upcoming events. Log in to [Yale Career Link](#), powered by Symplicity under Events/Employer Information Sessions to RSVP.

FELLOWSHIP PROGRAMS

Upcoming Events

Info Session: Fellowships 101

Monday, October 23, 4:00 - 5:00pm

CIPE, 55 Whitney Avenue, 3rd Floor, Room 305

Learn about fellowships to support research, independent projects, and purposeful activities next summer and beyond. Find out what you need to start thinking about and acting upon now.

National Fellowship Interview Workshop

Friday, October 27, 12:30 – 1:30pm

CIPE, 55 Whitney Avenue, 3rd Floor, Room 305

Applying for fellowships like the Gates, Luce, Marshall, Rhodes, Schwarzman, or Truman? Nervous about interviews, or just looking to improve your skills? All students are welcome. We'll help you get ready to impress the selection committee and to do better in any interview!

Held in conjunction with The Office of Career Strategy (OCS) and featuring Graduate Fellowship Affiliates who will share their personal insights on the interview process

Summer Fellowships Showcase

Friday, October 27, 2:00 - 3:30pm

Branford College, Common Room

Hear student panelists share their summer experiences in conducting research, independent projects, and internships abroad and in the U.S.

Learn how to plan your experience and make it happen with the support of CIPE, Global Health, and other fellowships.

Information Session: Tetelman Fellowship for International Research in the Sciences

Friday, October 27, 3:00 – 4:00pm LC 210

Come meet former recipients and learn about the possibilities for research abroad.

Visit the [Calendar of Events](#) for a full list of upcoming events

Suspended Drop-In Hours

Drop-in hours are suspended on Friday, October 27. Instead we would like to invite students to attend the **Fellowship Showcase** being held at Branford College from 2:00 – 3:30pm.

Upcoming Deadlines

October 23 - [Michel David-Weill Scholarship](#) **Campus Deadline**

October 23 - [The National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship](#) **National Deadline**

October 27 - [The Hertz Foundation Graduate Fellowship](#) **National Deadline**

November 1 - [The Paul and Daisy Soros Fellowship for New Americans](#) **National Deadline.**

November 8 – [James C. Gaither Junior Fellows Program at the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace](#) **Campus Deadline**

November 17 – [Saint Andrew's Graduate Scholarship](#) **Campus Deadline**

November 28 – [Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship](#) **Campus Deadline**

November 29 – [Harry S. Truman Scholarship Program](#) **Campus Deadline**

**Energy Studies will host an information session over dinner
in the Faculty Lounge at Benjamin Franklin College
on Monday, October 23, from 6 to 8 p.m.**

Please join us if you are interested in learning more about the
Energy Studies Multidisciplinary Academic Program at Yale.



**The fall enrollment process in the Yale MAPs is underway.
The deadline for applications is November 3.**

**For more information, go to:
earth.yale.edu/energy-studies**



**I would not have you descend into your own dream. I would have you be a conscious
citizen of this terrible and beautiful world. - Ta-Nehisi Coates**

Yale's Center for Teaching and Learning (CTL) will host Teaching and Learning Lunches in October:

Michael Kane, Assistant Professor of Biostatistics, will host a lunch at the CTL on [Tuesday, October 24, 2017 from noon - 1 p.m.](#) Kane will discuss "Challenges and Strategies for Scaling Class Size."

Please [register in advance with your NetID](#).

All programs will take place at the CTL, located in Sterling Memorial Library, 301 York Street, Room 120A.

Seeking Applications for Head of Summer Colleges for Yale Summer Session

The Summer HoC works in partnership with the Dean of Yale Summer Session, with the YSS administrative staff, and with Yale Conference & Events, to manage the Summer Colleges for ten weeks each summer. These duties include creating community, supervising the residential staff, managing the residential college budget, and maintaining the physical condition of the summer colleges.

You need to be available for consultation during staff hiring in the spring semester, and you must be on campus during Summer Session. Next year, YSS counselors will arrive on May 23 and will stay through August 5. (YSS classes begin on May 28 and end on August 3). It is our hope that the Summer Head will serve for three or more years.

If you are interested in the position, please send [Dean Follansbee](#) an email telling me of your interest, along with your cv, by Wednesday, October 25th.

[Summer HoC Job Description](#)

Franklinites '19 and '20,

As you progress through your "middle years" at Yale, you may be encountering important choices about your path ahead, both here and in the wider world. These are complicated decisions! A group of people who have recently been in your position are the College's graduate and professional school affiliates. They have interesting stories to tell, and they'd like to meet some of the undergrads. We have one more dinner that will serve as a mingling event for sophomores, juniors and affiliates – it will take place on the evening of **Tuesday October 24 at 6 p.m.** in the fellows' lounge.

Please [sign up](#) if you would like to attend!

Town Hall discussion on Science and Society— Save the Date

Save the date: October 30, 4:00, SSS 114

“**The American University in the Twenty-First Century**” is a year-long series of Town Hall meetings for Yale students, faculty, and administrators to discuss the challenges in higher education, as the relationship between the university and the broader society has changed over the last generation.

—The social contract has eroded: college education is seen as a private asset rather than a public good, pitting taxpayers against students, while more and more citizens question the value of a college degree.

—The political economy of the American university has shifted, radically altering the funding models for research and the production of knowledge.

—The university as an institution faces a rising politics of anti-elitism, privatization, and austerity.

—A gulf has widened between the academy and the public. Empiricism and knowledge come under attack, threatening epistemological crisis and a “post-factual” order.

In this Town Hall series, panelists will put recent developments in historical perspective, bringing the challenges into focus and providing a basis for collective problem-solving and action.

The first session on **October 30, 4:00, in SSS 114**, will be devoted to “**Scientific Knowledge in the Public Sphere.**” What are the current challenges to science education? How can scientific knowledge be reintroduced in our public policy debates? What is the future of scientific research, as funding models shift in response to budgetary concerns? What can scholars and universities do to reverse the anti-science trends in the culture at large?

More details to follow; save the date, and please join us on October 30.

Sponsored by the FAS Senate in conjunction with Yale College, the Graduate School, and the FAS Dean.

Credit/D/Fail conversion deadline: November 10

1. Log into Student Information Systems (SIS).
2. On the Course Enrollment tab, click “Yale College Change Course from Credit/D/Fail to Letter Grade.”
3. Change the drop-down selection from “Credit/D/Fail” to “YC – Letter Grade.”
4. Click “Submit Changes” to save the conversion.
5. Check SIS to verify the update, and save the confirmation message sent to your University email account.

You may convert a course from Credit/D/Fail to a letter grade but not vice versa. If you have questions about Credit/D/Fail, please contact Michelle in the Benjamin Franklin Dean's Office.

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.

