Dear Franklinites,

It’s officially fall, which means it’s time to come apple picking with me and Lily and Ada! We’ll bus to a lovely organic orchard in rural Connecticut, about 30 minutes away. Spending money for apples and box lunch provided by Franklin. If you’re interested, here are the details:

**Saturday, September 29 at 11 am**

*Part I – The Farm*
Before Wednesday at noon, come to the College Office to sign up with a **$10 nonrefundable deposit** for your spot on the bus. Once you board the bus you’ll get **$20 back**, the surplus intended for apples! Space is limited, so get on in.

*Part II – The Baking*
For those interested in repurposing those apples, join us at from 2:00-4:00 that afternoon in the HoC kitchen to make apple crisp. All are welcome to join for good food and tunes, whether you went apple-picking or not!

A good week to all,

Dean Hill

*The morns are meeker than they were,*
*The nuts are getting brown;*
*The berry’s cheek is plumper,*
*The rose is out of town.*

*The maple wears a gayer scarf,*
*The field a scarlet gown.*
*Lest I should be old-fashioned,*
*I’ll put a trinket on.*

-Autumn by Emily Dickinson
Tutoring in BF!

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

Yale Tutoring Resources:
Writing Center/Tutors/Partners: http://ctl.yale.edu/writing; http://writing.yalecollege.yale.edu/
Sc/QR Tutoring: http://ctl.yale.edu/tutoring/quantitative-reasoning-science
Language Tutoring: http://cls.yale.edu/foreign-language-tutoring
Advising Resources: http://advising.yalecollege.yale.edu/.

CALENDAR AT A GLANCE

**Oct 5:** Last day to withdraw from a course offered in the first half of the fall term. See Withdrawal from Courses and Grades.

**Oct 15:** Classes begin for courses offered in the second half of the fall term. Deadline to apply for a spring 2019 Term Abroad. See Special Arrangements.

**Oct 16:** October recess begins, 11 p.m.

**Oct 22:** Classes resume, 8:20 a.m.

**Oct 26:** Midterm. Last day to withdraw from a fall full-term course without the course appearing on the transcript. See Withdrawal from Courses and Grades. Last day to convert from a letter grade to the Credit/D/Fail option in a fall full-term course. 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 fall term’s tuition. See Undergraduate Regulations.
Midterms are just around the corner! Our Exam Study Strategies and Succeeding in Lectures workshops can help you get ready with suggestions for planning and reviewing for your exams. Have multiple exams and papers due in a single week? Visit an Academic Strategies Mentor for personalized advice on creating a plan to get it all done.

**Workshops**

**Creating a Timeline for Your Senior Project**
Learn how to plan your writing and research, and how to access support resources for your senior thesis.
- **Monday, September 24, 6:00 PM, Ezra Stiles Fellows Lounge**
- **Thursday, September 27, 7:30 PM, CTL M104A**

**Time Management**
Set priorities and develop a weekly schedule that can lead to a satisfying academic life.
- **Monday, September 24, 7:30 PM, Trumbull Room, Branford College**
- **Wednesday, September 26, 6:00 PM, CTL M104A**

**Pathways for Sophomores**
Sophomore face the challenges of increased course loads, upper-level classes, and identifying a major. This interactive workshops helps students set goals and make long-term plans.
- **Tuesday, September 25, 4:00 PM, Berkeley Walker Seminar Room in Berkeley South Court**
- **Friday, September 28, 1:00 PM, CTL M104A**

**Cultivating Faculty Mentors/Recommendations**
Initiate conversations, ask for assistance, request recommendations, and build mentoring relationships with Yale faculty, teaching fellows and staff.
- **Tuesday, September 25, 6:00 PM, JE Seminar Room L23**

**Exam Study Strategies**
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.
- **Tuesday, September 25, 7:30 PM, Morse College Fellows Lounge**

**Succeeding in Lectures**
Learn strategies for effective note-taking, classroom engagement, and preparing for exams and assignments.
- **Wednesday, September 26, 4:00 PM, CTL M104A**
Reading Analytically
Learn how to read deeply to generate effective contributions to class discussion, develop essay topics, and identify strong evidence for essays.
Wednesday, September 26, 6:00 PM, Room 303, Byers Hall, Silliman College

Pathways for First Years
First years get a lot of advice from a wide variety of sources. But what do you really want to get out of your first year? This interactive workshop helps students identify goals and sources of satisfaction, and offers strategies for avoiding common pitfalls like overextension and burn out.
Wednesday, September 26, 7:30 PM, Seminar Room, Trumbull College

Managing a Heavy Reading Load
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!
Thursday, September 27, 4:00 PM, CTL M104A

1-1 Academic Strategies Mentoring
Want to set up a weekly study routine that works for you? Sign up for a meeting with a peer Academic Strategies Mentor by clicking here, or contact academicstrategies@yale.edu.

First-Generation/Low-Income Community Initiative
FGLI Community Initiative Discussion – “What is the FGLI Experience” (Part 2)
How do we recognize the diversity of experience encompassed by the term “FGLI”? And how do those experiences affect our relationship with each other and with Yale?
Monday, September 24, 6:00 PM, 301 York St. CTL RM 121

First Generation Low Income Community Initiative: Time Management
Set priorities and develop a weekly schedule that can lead to an active and balanced academic life.
Thursday, September 27, 6:00 PM, CTL M104A

FGLI Community Initiative Study Hall
Need a quiet, comfortable place to study? Come to our Thursday study hall for energizing snacks and community support for your academic work.
Thursday, September 20, 7:00 PM 301 York St. CTL 121

Writing Center
Did you know? In addition to dropping in for peer appointments at the Writing Center, you can also make an appointment with any of the professional Residential College Writing Tutors—even ones in other colleges!

Science & QR Tutoring
Many introductory courses have course-based peer tutors—consult your syllabus or look up your course to see if they are available. Don’t have a course-based peer tutor? Residential College Science and QR tutors are available for drop-in appointments throughout the week.
Yale Library—Discover Your Go-To Study Space on a Library Tour
Undergraduates are welcome to register for one-hour library tours! Tours run from 9/24-10/16 where you will have the opportunity to explore library study spaces and the Sterling book stacks – a 15-story tower that holds close to 4 million books. You will also learn about the building’s history (hint: it’s not as old as you might think). Register here, space is limited: http://bit.ly/SMLtours

CIPE

CIPE Presentation and Panel at Family Weekend
CIPE will be presenting on our units (Office of Career Strategy, Fellowships, Study Abroad, and Summer Session) and the resources they have to offer, followed by a student panel who will talk about the CIPE experiences they’ve participated in and their engagement with the center. We hope to see you and your family there, and would love to see you again at the CIPE Office!
Saturday, October 6th 11:30AM-12:30PM in SSS114.

Annual CIPE Calendar Contest
Each year since 2007, CIPE has sought the best photos taken by students who participated in CIPE sponsored programs internationally and domestically for the CIPE calendar. The calendar is distributed to offices around Yale’s campus, and the first place winner receives their photo professionally framed. We want YOUR amazing photos to feature! See our website for more details and to submit your photos by October 7th.

Follow us on Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter to keep up with CIPE announcements!

YALE SUMMER SESSION
There are 200 reasons to choose Yale Summer Session: 200 courses in STEM, pre-med, humanities, arts, and social sciences. Most are small seminars with top Yale faculty. Whether you need to fulfill a distributional, major, or grad school requirement, pick up a WR or QR course, or just want to explore a new subject, Yale Summer Session has lots of options to choose from. And Summer Session offers financial assistance to Yale College students on financial aid!

Summer 2019 course offerings will be posted in December. Sign up for email updates from Yale Summer Session so you hear first when classes are posted.
summer.yale.edu
@YaleSummerSession

STUDY ABROAD

UPCOMING EVENTS
Financial Aid Info Session for Spring 2019 Abroad: Tuesday, September 27, 4:00pm – 5:00pm | 55 Whitney Avenue, 3rd Floor, Room 305

Drop-In Hours: Available every Friday from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. when classes are in session.
APPLICATIONS DEADLINES FOR SPRING 2019

Yale in London Spring 2019 – Deadline to apply October 5, 2018
Credit for Spring 2019 Abroad – Deadline to apply October 15, 2018
Check the Study Abroad Calendar for all study abroad events throughout the academic year.

FELLOWSHIP PROGRAMS

UPCOMING EVENTS

Fellowships 101 Information Session: Thursday, September 27, 12:30pm – 1:30pm | 55 Whitney Avenue, 3rd Floor, Room 305
Fellowship Drop-In Hours Friday, September 28th, 2:00pm – 4:00pm | 55 Whitney Avenue, 3rd Floor

APPROACHING APPLICATION DEADLINES

September 25 - Luce Scholars Program Campus Deadline | Eligible: Seniors/Graduate Students
September 27 - Schwarzman Scholars Program National Deadline | Eligible: Seniors/Alumni
October 5 - Churchill Scholarship Campus Deadline | Eligible: Seniors/Alumni
October 10 - Gates Cambridge Round 1 National Deadline | Eligible: Seniors/Alumni
October 23 - Michel David-Weill Campus Deadline | Eligible: Seniors
October 24 - The Hertz Foundation National Deadline | Eligible: Seniors/Alumni
October 30 - Echoing Green Fellowship National Deadline | Eligible: Seniors/Alumni
November 9 - James C. Gaither Junior Fellows Program Campus Deadline | Eligible: Seniors/Alumni
November 27 - Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship Campus Deadline | Eligible: Sophomores & Juniors
November 28 - Harry S. Truman Scholarship Program Campus Deadline | Eligible: Juniors

OCS

OCS Drop Ins: Available when classes are in session, Monday-Friday, 10:00am-4:00pm

Online Resume & Cover Letter Review: Downloadable resume templates and cover letter samples can help you get started.

Request an Office of Career Strategy Workshop for your Student Organization: Review our website to request a workshop

Job & Internship Offer Guidelines: Check out the OCS guidelines created to help balance the interest of students and employers.

Fall 2018: Industry Networking Events: Check out the Fall 2018 networking events and sign up to attend in Yale Career Link (under Events-OCS Events). Dress code: Business Casual.

Health Professions Mythbusters: Monday, Sep 24, 4:00pm; event will be “live” and by Zoom
Optimizing Success of Physician-Scientists; presented by Dr. Ruth Gotian, Weill Cornell Medicine: Thursday, October 4th, 12:00pm, Office of Career Strategy

Visit the Calendar of Events for more upcoming events and log in to Yale Career Link under Events/Employer Information Sessions to sign up.
CALLING ALL FIRST-GENERATION / LOW-INCOME FIRST-YEAR STUDENTS:

Hello first-years, and welcome to campus! The transition from home-life to Yale-life may be a difficult one to make, but there are many groups here that can help give you a newfound sense of community. Students who are from lower socioeconomic backgrounds may find that they are in need of a distinct group dedicated to bridging the gap between their past experiences, and all the ones they’re bound to make on campus. There are a host of possible issues that may come up when you’re the first person in your family - or community - to set foot on a place like Yale. With that, I would love to invite you to join us at A Leg Even! A.L.E. is a peer-to-peer organization for first-generation and/or low-income (FGLI) students at Yale, administered by first-gen/low-income students at Yale. We work to connect members of our community with resources they might otherwise not know about including academic support, pre-professional guidance, and mentorship services. We also work to create a space where our students feel welcome to share their experiences being FGLI on Yale’s campus, and where we can discuss issues facing our community. If you are interested in our organization or have any questions, please contact me at jason.contino@yale.edu.
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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.
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- Eager to make a positive impact in the applied physical and biological sciences, mathematics and engineering

APPLICATION OPENS
August 15, 2018

DEADLINE
October 24, 2018

REFERENCES DUE
October 26, 2018

FOR DETAILS AND APPLICATION
hertzfoundation.org
Medical School Interview Prep Session

Thursday, September 27 at 7 pm, WLH 117

Daniel Wiznia, MD (YC ’06), MD, Assistant Professor of Orthopaedics & Rehabilitation

Agenda: How to succeed on the interview trail
- Overview of the medical interview process from the mindset of the interviewer
- Review common questions
- Assess frequent pitfalls to avoid
- Q&A

Dr. Wiznia will discuss the overview of the medical school interview process from the mindset of the interviewer. He will review common questions asked and assess frequent pitfalls to avoid. There will be plenty of time for Q&A.