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HAA Undergrad Bi-Weekly Update

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Welcome

We hope everyone is looking forward to the start of classes! A reminder that we are here should you have any last-minute enrollment questions or concerns. Details on how to get in touch are below.

Congratulations again to Hannah Chew (class of '23) and Debbie Casanova-Perez (class of '24) who have been selected as this year's HAA undergraduate student reps. Brandon Calderón (class of '23) will also stay on as rep when he returns in the spring semester. They will serve as another point of contact should you have thoughts on how to support and improve the HAA undergraduate community.

We have recently made updates to the [Undergraduate Program Handbook](#) and ["Writing a Thesis"](#) page in order to improve clarity and answer common questions. We encourage you to bookmark both.

Undergraduate Student Reps

Hannah Chew



Hi everyone! My name is Hannah, and I'm a senior studying HAA and Education at the College. I decided to join the department during my first year after taking a Freshman Seminar with Professor Koerner and touring museums across Boston. Over the past few years, I've had the privilege of meeting and working with the talented students and faculty that make up HAA. This year, I'm hoping to extend the opportunity to get involved with HAA to as many students as possible, as well as foster community across the department.

Debbie Perez-Casanova



My time at HAA has introduced me to the most caring professors and welcoming students. I really hope that I am able to facilitate more conversations between students and the faculty at HAA, and inspire them to become more vocal and active about their experiences within the department.

Brandon Calderón



I could not be more grateful to form part of such an incredible department. I chose HAA because of its illustrious board of professors and staff and the abundance of resources available to everyone who expresses interest in our department. I am studying abroad in the Fall but will return in the spring to complete my final semester at Harvard. In the meantime, I hope to

be a resource for you all and work behind the scenes to align student interests with faculty

Upcoming Events

Find even more events [listed on the HAA website.](#)



Shifting the Paradigm

New Studies in Islamic Art and Architecture in Honor of Professor Gülru Necipoğlu

Thursday, September 8-9

Lower Lecture Hall, 485 Broadway

[More details here.](#)

Join us for a celebration of Professor Gülru Necipoğlu's thirty-five years of teaching at Harvard University. We will gather for two days of talks on Islamic art and architecture, presented by her students.

Fine Arts Library Orientation

Tuesday, September 20, 3:00 – 4:40 pm

Fine Arts Library, Littauer Center, 1805 Cambridge Street

Get to know the staff at the FAL, and the resources available to you. This is a drop-in session, so stop by at any point.



How to Find Jobs & Internships in Architecture, Urban Planning, & Design



Wednesday, Sept 21, 4 - 4:45 pm

Office of Career Services, 54 Dunster Street

[Register here.](#)

Considering a career as an architect or urban planner? Trying to decide whether further education in these fields will be right for you? Learn how to gain experience in these industries while still at Harvard.

Anthony J. Arcieri, Director of Undergraduate Career Advising and Programming

Harvard Art Museums Student Late Night



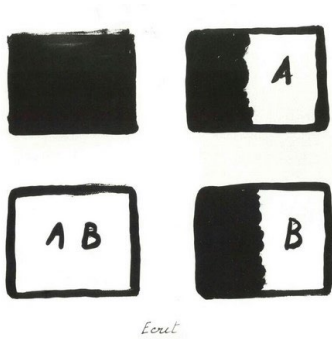
Wednesday, September 21, 8:00 pm – 10:00 pm

Harvard Art Museums, 32 Quincy Street

[More details here.](#)

Join us for the relaunch of our popular Student Late Night—back after a two-year hiatus! Take a guided tour of the special exhibition [Dare to Know: Prints and Drawings in the Age of Enlightenment](#), enjoy specialty mocktails with friends, make art in the Materials Lab, or explore the galleries to experience three levels of art.

Collective Reception



A symposium in Honor of Benjamin H.D Buchloh

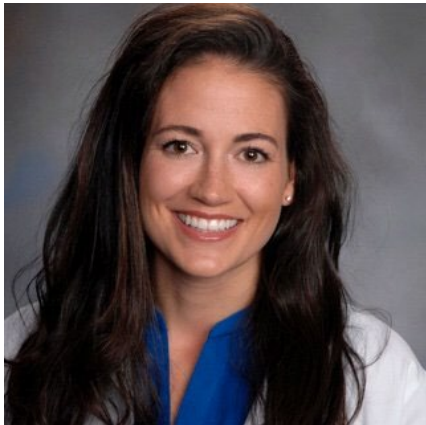
Friday, September 23, 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

Lower Lecture Hall, 485 Broadway

[More details here.](#)

A day of new research in art history and theory, organized to celebrate Benjamin Buchloh's retirement from teaching.

HAA Futures: Undergraduate Alumni Conversations



Wednesday, October 26, 6-7 pm

485 Broadway, Room 422

- **Akili Tommasino**, Assistant Curator, Metropolitan Museum of Art
- **Michelle Young**, writer and founder of *Untapped New York*, adjunct Professor of Architecture at Columbia University GSAPP
- **Paige Newell**, General Surgeon, Brigham and Women's Hospital, Boston

Upcoming Dates and Deadlines

- **Aug 31:** Fall Session 1 classes start. Classes start on a Monday schedule.
 - **Sept 5:** University Holiday (Labor Day).
 - **Sept 19:** 3rd Monday – Last day undergraduates may drop or add a course without a fee | Course withdrawal deadline without a fee.
 - **Aug 30:** GSD class-enrollment begins. You can officially enroll and drop GSD courses via your Crimson Cart in my.harvard after this date.
 - **Oct 3:** 5th Monday – No course may be changed from letter-graded to Pass/Fail or vice versa after this date.
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Internships and Opportunities

All details of upcoming internships and external opportunities are [listed on the HAA website](#).

- A new list of annual internships, grants, scholarships, fellowships and calls for papers is [now available on the HAA website](#).
- Undergraduate Internship Opportunities at the Mahindra Humanities Center
 - o [More information available on the MHC website](#).
 - o **Deadline:** Monday, September 5th, 2022 at 11:59pm

Advising Team

- Please reach out if you have questions or concerns:
 - o Marcus Mayo, Undergraduate Program Coordinator (marcus_mayo@fas.harvard.edu)
 - o Professor Jennifer Roberts, Director of Undergraduate Studies (roberts6@fas.harvard.edu) [Office Hours sign-ups here](#)
 - o Megan Panzano, Program Director of Harvard Undergraduate Architecture Studies (mpanzano@gsd.harvard.edu)