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#### **Upcoming Events**

Oct. 13-17 Fall Break, No Classes

Oct. 19 Sara Bennett, Photography & Video Dept. Atrium Talk, 12:30 pm (see below)

Oct. 19 Board of Trustees meeting

Oct. 20 Admissions Tour of Rock Lititz, 1-3 pm

Oct. 21-22 Lancaster ArtWalk Weekend

Through Oct. 22 Foundation exhibition in Main Gallery

If you have news, an event, or an announcement you'd like to share, please email Jen Kopf, at <u>jkopf@pcad.edu</u> or <u>share in this document</u>.

# Photographer Sara Bennett: Atrium Talk this Thursday

The Photography & Video Department is excited to welcome Sara Bennett to an Atrium Artist Talk this Thursday, Oct. 19, at 12:30 pm. All are invited to hear this former public defender turned photographer discuss her work photographing women who have life sentences, both inside and outside prison.

Bennett's work has been widely exhibited in solo shows including at the Blue Sky Gallery in Portland, OR, Photoville in Brooklyn, NY, and Rotterdam Photo 2023, and in group shows, including the Blanton Museum of Art's Day Jobs, MoMA PS1's Marking Time: Art in the Age of Mass Incarceration and the Museum of the City of New York's New York Now: Home. Her work has been featured in such publications as *The New York Times*, *The New* Yorker Photo Booth, and Variety & Rolling Stone's American (In)Justice.



Sara Bennett (credit Cory Rice)

Like the women she photographs, her website states, "Bennett hopes her work will shed light on the pointlessness of extremely long sentences and arbitrary parole denials." Learn more in the LensCulture article here.



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#### CJ Crossett returns to PCA&D in Student Life

Welcome to CJ Crossett, the College's new Student Engagement Coordinator — and 2014 Photography graduate of PCA&D!

CJ completed her MA in Critical Theory and Creative Research at Pacific Northwest College of Art in 2016, and has worked in the Student Affairs departments of School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Maine College of Art & Design, and Rhode Island School of Art & Design, and has lived in Oregon, Illinois, Maryland, Maine, and Rhode Island. When she was at PCA&D, she worked as the Student Life Coordinator, Library Circulation Assistant, Admissions Ambassador, and Photo Department Lab Tech, and was involved in Student Council as the Photo Department rep and Treasurer. She's happy to be back supporting all

### Hear of gig work, part-time or full-time jobs for students? Let Career Services know

Last year our Student Portal Job Boards were filled with opportunities for our students ranging from gig work to part-time, and even some full-time jobs.

This year the number of inquiries that Career Services has received has dwindled and there is a high demand for work opportunities among our student body in both the creative and non-creative sectors.

If you hear any great opportunities please pass them along to the Career Services Team at <u>CareerServices@pcad.edu</u> so we can connect our students to employment opportunities.

#### ArtWalk opens galleries and studios to the public

Lancaster's free ArtWalk, held this weekend on Oct. 21-22, is a celebration of creativity and community. Held throughout downtown Lancaster City, you'll find a huge variety of artistic expression, from contemporary to traditional, and all of it open to the public. Pennsylvania College of Art & Design will be part of ArtWalk with our Foundation exhibition, now in the Main Gallery.

Hours for ArtWalk are Saturday the 21st from 10 am to 5 pm and Sunday the 22nd from noon to 4 pm. You can find a map of all the locations, and descriptions of what you'll find at each stop on ArtWalk, <u>here</u>.

Also during ArtWalk, our Center for Creative Exploration will be holding a one-day Halloween Mosaic class with **Aya Kinoshita**. You can find more information about the class and sign up <u>here</u>.

# Free 'Traveling While Black' series at Ware Center: virtual reality and speaker series

Traveling While Black, a 360-degree virtual reality experience in the history of restricted movement for Black Americans and the creation of safe spaces in communities, is showing four times a day through Oct. 25, at Millersville University's Ware Center, 42 N. Prince St. just a couple blocks south of campus. Admission is free, but registration is required as seating is limited. Click below to reserve your spot.

Of special interest in a series of accompanying programs is *Traveling While Black Through the Arts*, on Monday, Oct. 23, 7 pm, with free <u>tickets here</u>. Local artists who are part of the panel discussion include **Rita Clark, Keisha Finnie, Dr. Amanda Kemp, Geraldine McCritty, Kellie Turner**, and **Shelby** and **Jordan Wormley**, moderated by **Lenwood Sloan**. This program also will take place at The Ware Center.

'TRAVELING WHILE BLACK' TICKETS

Arte de La Borinqueña highlighted at PCA&D-York



Pennsylvania College of Art & Design is excited to announce that portions of the landmark exhibition *Arte de La Borinqueña* are showcased at PCA&D-York through Dec.10. The exhibition will be open to the public during programming that includes a talk with PCA&D faculty member **Mike Hawthorne**, an award-winning graphic novelist and one of the many artists associated with the <u>La Borinqueña</u> series. All ages are welcome. Additional programming and events can be found online at <u>pcad.edu/event-calendar</u>.

Through the medium of a serialized comic, artist **Edgardo Miranda-Rodriguez** has amplified and highlighted the importance of telling stories about Puerto Rico's history, exploring present-day social

and environmental issues, and celebrating the diversity of the Puerto Rican diaspora.

La Borinqueña has become a real-life superhero with a suite of graphic novels, a special anthology, *Ricanstruction*, benefitting grassroots organizations on the islands of Puerto Rico post-Hurricane Maria, partnerships with DC Comics, Chocolate Cortés, NRDC, and more. PCA&D is delighted to host the ever-growing exhibition dedicated to this character.



#### Main Gallery, final week: Foundation exhibition

Foundation, an exhibition of more than 100 artworks from last year's Foundation class, is featured in the College's Main Gallery. It shows the beginning of a PCA&D student's journey as they learn the principles of design, techniques, and develop the skills they need to pursue a career in the arts. Enjoy a variety of two- and three-dimensional artwork, including digital work. Through next Sunday, Oct. 22, or visit it online <a href="here">here</a>.

## Get ready for a busy October with CCE

PCA&D's Center for Creative Exploration has geared up for an active fall season — check out the highlighted classes for these upcoming weeks below —just click on links for more info!

Pet Portrait Painting, Oct. 19



Abstract Drawing Workshop, Oct. 19

Writing for Performance with House of Poetry at PCA&D-York, Oct. 23

Halloween Mosaic Workshop, Ages 12-Adult, Oct. 21

Be a Hero: Writing Silly Legends for Serious Matters, Oct. 24

<u>Creative Care: Creating Community Through</u>
<u>Photography,</u> Oct. 24

# Interested in a CCE class? Don't forget discounts and community scholarships

New faculty and staff: A reminder that you can request your employee benefit for discounted Center for Creative Exploration classes for yourself as well as for your children or spouses. Email <a href="mailto:ce@pcad.edu">ce@pcad.edu</a> to let them know the class or workshop you're interested in and they can work with you to get you a special code. ALSO, as educators, you can request scholarships for students in grades 1-12 for CCE classes. If you know a student in our community who would benefit, <a href="mailto:head here">head here</a> and complete the request form. Questions? Email <a href="mailto:ce@pcad.edu">ce@pcad.edu</a>.

#### College creative projects in the classroom

Faculty, if you are open to having College creative projects be part of your classroom assignments (think New Year's greeting cards from the College, Admissions welcome boxes for deposited students, etc.), please reach out to <a href="mailto:communications@pcad.edu">communications@pcad.edu</a> for more information. We'd love to work with you!

#### Web resource: The Faculty/Staff Portal

You can find a <u>Faculty/Staff Portal</u> at the very bottom right corner of the <u>PCAD.edu</u> <u>homepage</u>. It links to all sorts of useful information, from retention reports and class schedules to the academic calendar, maintenance and events requests, and much more.









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