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# **Upcoming Events**

April 22 Class of 2024 mandatory graduation rehearsal, 11:30 am, The LookOut

April 22 Cosplay Club, 11:30 am, CoLab

April 24 Food Security Council, 11:30 am

April 24 Mi Gente, 11:30 am

April 25 AIGA, 11:30 am, Room 005 or 501

April 25 SQUIRREL, 11:30 am, The Stacks

April 26 KPOP Club, 11:30 am, Atrium

April 26 Last Day of Classes

April 26 All-School Picnic, Long's Park Pavilion 1, 2-5 pm (see below)

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



# Audry K. Carter appointed interim President of PCA&D

The Board of Trustees is pleased to announce the appointment of interim President **Audry K. Carter.** Ms. Carter will serve as the College's leader throughout the search for a new College President. Ms. Carter has served on the Board of Trustees for nearly nine years, three of them as Chairperson.

Board Chair **Russell D. Urban** noted that Ms. Carter "is the perfect candidate. She has the ability to transition seamlessly into this role, given her extensive knowledge of the

College.

She looks forward to meeting you at events like the All-School Picnic, Commencement, and the Senior Show.

Ms. Carter has served in non-profit leadership for more than 40 years, the majority of which was spent in higher education in philanthropy and public relations at institutions such as Boston University and Ohio Wesleyan University. Her active consulting practice, AQuire LLC, focuses on enhancing the efficiency and effectiveness of nonprofit organizations. She holds a BSFS degree in Foreign Service from Georgetown University and a nonprofit-focused MBA from Boston University.

Ms. Carter has stepped away from her role as a Trustee during this time while the College begins a national search for a new president. She will take on the day-to-day leadership responsibilities for the College until a new president is identified and hired. She will be on campus several days a week as she works closely with members of the Executive Cabinet to continue strengthening and expanding the College's key initiatives.

### Deadline: Financial Responsibility Form FRIDAY

ALL STUDENTS are reminded to complete the <u>Student Financial Responsibility</u> <u>Agreement Form</u>. Please note that you have until **THIS FRIDAY**, **April 26**, to complete the form, **otherwise your Fall classes will be dropped and you will not be able to sign up for PCA&D-sponsored housing**. Below is part of the email you received last week from Bursar **Eliud Diaz**. It also contains instructions on how to sign the form, or **you can click the blue button below**:

I am writing to remind you to complete your Student Financial Responsibility Agreement (SFRA) **by April 26**. This agreement ensures that all students understand the College's billing processes and procedures.

This agreement is mandatory for every student to complete. If you fail to sign it by next Friday, your Fall 2024 classes will be dropped. Additionally, you will not be able to sign up for PCA&D-sponsored housing.

The SFRA contains essential information related to payment of tuition and fees, delinquent accounts, financial aid, communication methods, and other important topics. Acknowledging and submitting the agreement is required for all students each Fall and Spring semester.

You can access the (SFRA) agreement a number of ways (from MyPCAD, from the Student Portal, or from the College's homepage).

SIGN AGREEMENT NOW

#### Seniors: Graduation rehearsal is TODAY

Class of 2024!! We will see you TODAY at the **required graduation rehearsal!!** It will be held from 11:30 am to 12:30 pm in The LookOut, and your graduation gowns will be distributed at that time.

### Two important notes for the Class of 2024

Please remember these important details for two upcoming events, the Beret Ceremony, and your Commencement (graduation) exercises:

#### **Beret Ceremony**

Thursday, May 2 from 5-6:30 pm

The LookOut

Enjoy a special evening with your peers and select faculty and staff that includes a delicious buffet, brief remarks, and the distribution of your berets followed by the

opportunity to view the Senior Show Exhibition. This PCA&D tradition is only open to the graduating class (no guests) and business casual dress is suggested.

#### **Commencement Exercises**

Friday, May 3 at 10 am
Barshinger Center for Musical Arts
620 College Ave.

The invitations you received at the Countdown to Commencement event were meant as a keepsake. The four tickets you received are for family members or friends to attend this ceremony. A limited number of extra tickets are available upon request. See **Amy Gaston**, executive assistant to the president, in Room 109 on the mezzanine.

### Share feedback with 'Open Mike' survey

If you were unable to attend the recent Open Mike feedback session on April 1 — or if you would like to share ideas or provide additional suggestions — a survey has been created to collect any input you may want to share. Suggestions and insights shared at the April 1 event, sponsored by Student Council, already have been shared anonymously with the entire senior leadership team.

Please use the link below to share your ideas, and ensure PCA&D remains a vibrant and thriving community. All suggestions are being collected anonymously.

'OPEN MIKE' SURVEY

## Live in PCA&D housing? Important news:

If you live in PCA&D-sponsored housing, stay tuned for an email from the College listing details for your check-out dates and directions! In the meantime, here are some basics:

**Dates:** Foundation/Sophomores/Juniors Move-out Days 8 am to 8 pm April 27, 28, and 29

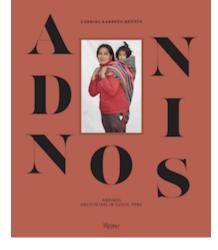
Dates: Senior Move-out Day 8 am to 8 pm May 7

Keys: Key Collection for Steinman/Walnut/North Market (Campus Housing Office)

**Keys:** Key Collection for Seminary/Roost/Crest (Seminary-Harner 303)

# Work by Gabriel Barreto Bentin fills Main Gallery

Last week the Main Gallery welcomed the arrival of *Andinos: Encounters in Cusco, Peru*, the works of **Gabriel Barreto Bentin**, a New York City-based



Peruvian fashion and portrait photographer. His work will be shown in the Main Gallery through June 7.

The artist, who also visited the College in 2022, recently published his debut photo book, by the same name as his PCA&D exhibition, through Rizzoli Books. In collaboration with Peruvian anthropologist Francesco D'Angelo, the work "offers an intimate portrait of the Andean society of Cusco, Peru. This socio-anthropological, photographic study offers a unique perspective on the Andino people..." Check out more of his work on Instagram.

# Alex Eggleston and Jasmyn Stokes wrap up Career Development Fellowships with shows

New exhibitions arrived in the Hayden and CORE galleries Friday with opening receptions. The shows feature the work of PCA&D's inaugural Career Development Fellows, **Alex Eggleston** '23, Photography & Video, and **Jasmyn Stokes** '23, Illustration.

Eggleston's exhibition, *True Americana*, a collection of 13 works, is featured in the CORE Gallery, Mezzanine level. Work by Stokes, *The World Where Mind and Reality Split*, hangs in the Hayden Gallery.

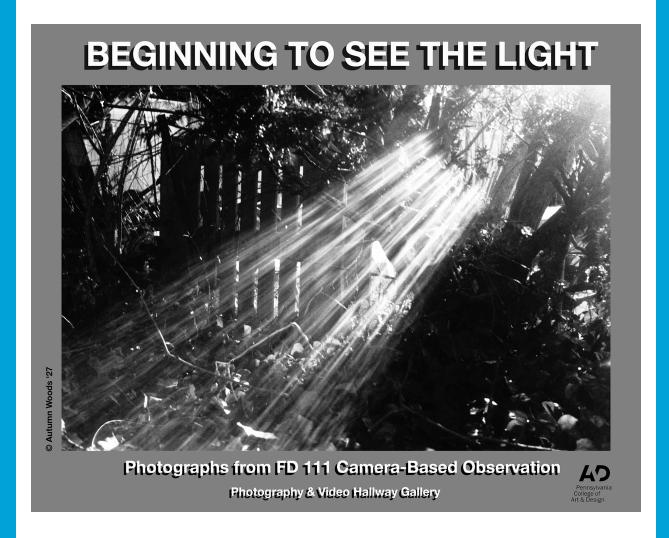
The exhibitions also will be open to the public during the Senior Show weekend, and will be on display through June 30.

To learn more about their Career Development Fellowship experiences, check out <u>PCA&D News</u> on the website. Applications are now being accepted for the 2024-2025 academic year for the Classes of 2023 and 2024, and <u>you can find that application here</u>.



### Time to celebrate! All-School Picnic is Friday

It's always a fun time at the All-School Picnic -- this year, scheduled for this Friday, April 26 from 2-5 pm at Long's Park Pavilion 1, Harrisburg Pike (rain location, Atrium). Come out and celebrate the final day of the spring semester classes! Details in the poster above. Need a ride or can you offer a ride? Sign up for either option here.



#### Foundation PHV students mount exhibition

Next time you're near the Photography & Video hallway, be sure to check out *Beginning to See the Light*, a new exhibition of photos by FD11 Camera-Based Observation students. On display is work by these Foundation students: Aireonna Brewer, Autumn Woods, Charlie Ambers, Dahlia Navarro, Elaina Darr, Jiazell Fernandez, Naeem Holmes, Nicolas Pujato, Owen Knauer, Reece Kane, Robin Salsman, Sarah Hougasian, Tamara Lugardo, and Warren Burke.

# CCE & Exhibitions partner on Amtrak display case art project; here's how to participate

PCA&D's Exhibitions Department and Center for Creative Exploration have teamed up with support from the City of Lancaster Office of Public Art to host an opportunity for the Lancaster community to showcase their visual response to the prompt "Creativity is..." in an exhibition that will be installed at the Lancaster Amtrak station in two of the public art cases from Aug. 9 through Nov. 14. The hope is to engage Amtrak station visitors and travelers through this collaborative installation that will involve the creation of artwork.

From April through July 29, community partners, PCA&D students and faculty, and Lancaster community members are invited to join a workshop, an event, or visit partner curio. Gallery & Creative Supply on West Chestnut Street to pick up a 6-inch-by-6-inch canvas panel to create their response to the prompt. Names of artists will be included on signage in the station cases.



#### Student Life IG

If you want to be the first to know about what's going on around campus — club activities, Student LIfe events, and more — be sure to follow the Student LIfe Instagram account, at <a href="mailto:opena">opena</a>\_studentlife! The Feed and Stories are full of dates, celebrations, and events that you won't want to miss.

#### Your web resource: The Student Portal

The College's Student Portal webpage provides links to some of the most-needed information. You can find this link to the Student Portal at the very bottom right corner of the homepage at PCAD.edu.

There, you'll find official College dates, such as holidays; class times; research links; links to academic support and counseling help; and much more.









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