ACADEMIC CALENDAR

6/30 Summer Session I Classes End.
7/1 Summer Session II Classes Begin.
7/5 Independence Day Observed (no classes).
8/6 Summer Session II & 11-Week Session Classes End.

CHILDREN’S ACTIVITIES

Morris Arboretum
6/5 Creek Exploring; an hour of guided wetland and creek exploration at the Morris Arboretum, including learning how to identify animals; ages 9-12; 10 a.m.; $25/ non-members, $20/members.
6/7 Seeds to Sprouts, Spring Adventures; a series of outdoor adventures designed to introduce children aged 2-4 and their caregivers to the wonders of the natural world; 10:30 a.m.; three-week session; members: $65; non-members: $75. Also June 14, 21.

Penn Museum
Online events. Info and to register: https://www.penn.museum/calendar.
6/4 Virtual Passport Day: Africa & Egypt; 11 a.m.-2 p.m.
Summer Exploration Kit: Journey to Ancient Rome and Greece; all day.
6/8 Global Voyagers: Expedition Africa; 11 a.m.
At-Home Anthro: Greek Votives: Meaning and Making; 1 p.m.
6/10 Virtual Passport Day: Mesopotamia; 11 a.m.
6/15 At-Home Anthro: Hawai’i’s Multicultural Food World; 1 p.m.
6/22 At-Home Anthro: Design Your Own Mancala Board; 1 p.m.
6/29 At-Home Anthro: Create Your Own Tapa Cloth Design; 1 p.m.
7/2 Summer Exploration Kit: Archaeology for Beginners; all day.
7/6 At-Home Anthro: Adinkra Symbols and Proverbs; 1 p.m.
Lara Yeager-Crasselt about a piece from the Arthur Ross Gallery’s exhibit on Dutch genre painting; noon; Zoom meeting; register: https://tinyurl.com/12-12-july-7 (Arthur Ross Gallery).

FITNESS & LEARNING

Fitness & Wellness Group Exercise Membership; through August 6, there will be virtual and outdoor programming for the Penn Community; click here to sign up and click here for a pdf of the summer schedule (Campus Recreation).
6/2 Life and Living on Social Media for Penn Nursing Alums; Penn Nursing social media influencers lead a discussion about using social media to build visibility, engage with the public around health and health care issues, and increase the impact of your work; 4 p.m.; Zoom meeting; register: https://tinyurl.com/nursing-social-june-2 (Penn Nursing).
6/6 South Asia Center Summer Institute: Nationalism, Anti-Muslim Racism, and Social Exclusion: India, the U.S., and Beyond; course for K-12 teachers that will focus on current issues in India and the United States; 1-4 p.m.; online event; info: https://www.southasiacenter.upenn.edu/events (South Asia Center). Through June 9, 1-4 p.m.
6/7 2021 Job Search Prep Camp: For PhD students in the humanities and social sciences; 9-11:30 a.m.; online event; info: https://tinyurl.com/careerservices-job-prep-2021 (Career Services). Through June 10, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.
6/11 Admissions Information Session: Doctorate in Clinical Social Work; learn more about the Doctorate in Clinical Social Work (DCSW) program; noon; Zoom meeting; join: https://tinyurl.com/sp2-admissions-june-11 (School of Social Policy and Practice). Also June 16, 3 p.m.; July 16, noon; July 21, 3 p.m.
6/22 Graduate Programs Admissions Webinar; join Penn Nursing admissions staff members for an overview of Penn Nursing’s MSN, DNP, and PhD programs; noon; online event; register: https://tinyurl.com/nursing-admissions-june-22 (Penn Nursing). Also July 13, noon; July 21, noon; August 3, 10 a.m.; August 16, 3 p.m.
6/23 Admissions Workshops; tailored for Penn faculty, staff, and their dependents; info and to register: https://key.admissions.upenn.edu/register/SummerFSJune2021 (Penn Admissions).

EXHIBITS

Upcoming
6/2 12@12; a 12-minute talk from Arthur Ross Gallery curator Heather Mogtaderi about a piece from the gallery’s exhibit on Dutch genre painting; noon; Zoom meeting; register: https://tinyurl.com/12-12-june-2 (Arthur Ross Gallery).
7/7 12@12; a 12-minute talk from Lieden Collection curator

Children can take part in Penn Museum’s At-Home Anthro: Create Your Own Tapa Cloth Design on June 29. See Children’s Activities for a list of varied At-Home Anthro activities.
6/10 Literary Lunch with Juliana; for GSE staff and faculty; noon. Also June 23. Thinking Traps and Gratitude; for GSE and SP2 staff and faculty; 1 p.m.
6/15 Learn Klaxoon By Playing Herd Mentality; 11 a.m.
6/17 Breakroom with the Community-Building Committee; 12:30 p.m.

Penn Libraries
Online workshops. Info and to register: https://guides.library.upenn.edu/workshops.
6/2 Canvas Office Hours; 1 p.m.
6/7 Coffee With a Codex; noon. Also June 14, 21, 28, July 12.
6/8 Remediating Coarse and Canvas Content for Accessibility; 10 a.m.
6/11 Critical Issues in Data and Research Discussion Group; 11 a.m.
6/15 Canvas 101 for Faculty and Staff; 2 p.m.

Morris Arboretum
In-person workshops unless noted. Info and to register: https://morrisarboretum.org.
6/1 Yoga in the Garden—Nourish in Nature; Sara Trohaugh, yoga teacher and therapeutic massage practitioner; 4 p.m. Also June 8, 15, 22.
6/2 Birding at the Arboretum: A Local Hotspot; Sharon Meeker, birder; 8-11 a.m.
Caring for Roses in Your Garden; Eloise Gayer, Chanticleer Garden; online event; 10 a.m.
6/3 Drawing the Mastery of Trees; Henry Martin, artist; 10:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Also June 10.
6/5 Carve a Wooden Spoon; Karl Newman, woodworker; 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
6/6 Native Orchid Conservation: Efforts at Longwood Gardens; Peter Zale, Longwood Gardens; online event; 10 a.m.
6/15 Natural Design for Tooth Supported Restorations; Michael Bergler, Penn Dental; 6 p.m.

Penn Museum
Online events. Info and to register: https://www.penn.museum/calendar.
6/15 Museum Insider: Communicating the Museum During COVID-19; 5:30 p.m.

7/8 The Deep Dig: “Making It” Through Everyday Life in Ancient Egypt; 6:30 p.m. Also July 15, 22, 29.

MEETINGS
6/14 PSPA Board Meeting; 1 p.m.; online event; info: https://ppsa.upenn.edu (PPSA).
6/15 WPXN Policy Board Meeting; 1 p.m.; online event; info: tess@xpn.org (WPXN).

MUSIC
6/17 Performance by Filament (Baroque Ensemble); virtual performance of chamber music on violin, harpsichord, and viola, followed by Q&A; 6 p.m.; online event; info: https://tinyurl.com/filament-june-17 (Arthur Ross Gallery).

Annenberg Center
Online events. Info and to register: https://annenbergcenter.org/events.
6/3 Month of Moderns 1: The Forest; choral performance by The Crossing; 6:30 p.m. Also June 4, 6:30 p.m. June 5, 4 p.m.; June 6, 6:30 p.m.
6/11 Month of Moderns 2: “We Got Time”; choral performance by The Crossing; 6:30 p.m. Also June 12, 3:30 p.m. June 13, 3 p.m.
6/18 Month of Moderns 3: At Which Point; choral performance by The Crossing; 6:30 p.m. Also June 19, 6:30 p.m.

PODCASTS
A list of Penn Podcasts is in the online calendar.

READINGS & SIGNINGS
6/10 Penn Nursing Alumni Book Club: The Great Believers; panel of speakers talk about the book by Rebecca Makkai and the AIDS epidemic of the 1980s; 7 p.m.; Zoom meeting; register: https://tinyurl.com/great-believers-june-10 (Penn Nursing).
6/15 2030: How Today’s Biggest Trends Will Collide and Reshape the Future of Everything; Mauro Guillén, Wharton; 11:30 a.m.; online event; info: https://wsp.whar ton.upenn.edu/blog_post/wsp-meet-the-authors-series/(Wharton Meet the Authors Series).
6/21 Penn Nursing Alumni Book Club: Q&A with NYT Author Michele Harper; includes discussion of Ms. Harper’s book The Beauty in Breaking; noon; online event; register: https://alumlc.org/authorseries/7723/q353 (Penn Nursing).

SPECIAL EVENTS
6/4 Inaugural Robert Suskind, C’59, M’63 and Leslie-Lewinter Suskind Faculty Prize in Global Health; celebrate the inaugural winners; noon; online event; info: https://tinyurl.com/suskind-prize-june-4 (Global Health).

TALKS
6/3 Rising Drug Prices: What are the Drivers?; Inmaculada Hernandez, UC San Diego; 9 a.m.; BlueJeans meeting; join: https://bluejeans.com/368827150 (CCEB).
6/7 Factors Affecting Quality of Life for People Living with Albinism in Botswana; Victoria Williams, Merck; noon; online event; info: https://tinyurl.com/williams-talk-june-7 (Global Dermatology).
6/17 Special Briefing: COVID-19, the American Rescue Plan, and 2022 State and Local Budgets; William Glasgall, Vollerke Alliance; Susan Wachter, Wharton; 11 a.m.; Zoom meeting; register: https://tinyurl.com/tur-talk-june-17 (Penn Institute for Urban Research).

Pen Dental
Online events. Info and to register: https://www.dental.upenn.edu/news-events/events.
6/5 Community-Building Committee: Q&A with NYT Author Dave Barry; 4:30 p.m.
6/11 Donald F. Gibbons-Suskind Faculty Prize Endowment; 6 p.m.
6/17 Mentorship and Community-Building Committee: The Great Believers; noon; online event.
6/23 Building Monuments, Monumentalizing Buildings; David Brownlee, history of art; 6 p.m.

WPXN Public Art; 6 p.m.

Wistar Institute
Online events. Info and to register: https://wistar.org/events.
6/1 Virtual Distinguished Lectures in Cancer Research Series: Metabolism, Cellular Decisions and the Language that Unites Them; Jared P. Rutter, University of Tennessee; 6 p.m.
6/2 Workflow A: Virtual Wax-Up Design for Tooth Supported Restorations; Michael Bergler, Penn Dental; 6 p.m.
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Medical Ethics & Health Policy
Online events. Info and to register: https://medicalethicshealthpolicy.med.upenn.edu/events.
6/1 Using Genetic Information to Make Difficult Decisions in the NICU; Katharine Callahan, medical ethics and health policy; noon.
6/3 Care After COVID: What the Pandemic Revealed is Broken in Healthcare and How to Reinvent It; Shantanu Nundy, Accolade, Inc.; noon.
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Summer Safety Tips from DPS

Contacting Public Safety: Emergencies: Call (215) 573-3333 or dial 511 from any campus phone. Program this number into your cell phone’s speed dial as “Penn Public Safety.” Use this number for all medical and emergency-related calls, including the reporting of suspicious behavior, or to reach Penn Police & Public Safety personnel.

General information: Call (215) 898-7297 or visit www.publicsafety.upenn.edu.

Safety and Security Services: Walking Escort Service: (215) 898-WALK (9255). Uniformed Allied Universal Public Safety Officers provide walking escorts to all campus locations. Officers are dispatched by radio and will accompany you from one campus location to another, to your parked vehicle, to a Penn Transit Stop or to an on-campus SEPTA regional transit stop. Available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, between 30th & 43rd Streets and Market Street & Baltimore Avenue. Escorts are also available from 10 a.m. until 3 a.m. between 30th & 50th and Spring Garden Street & Woodland Avenue via the University’s partnership with the University District Ambassador Program.

How to Request a Walking Escort: Ask any Public Safety Officer on patrol or inside a building. Call (215) 898-WALK (9255) or 511 from any campus phone. Use one of the many building and blue light phones located on and off Penn’s campus.

Business Services’ Penn Ride Service: Penn Transportation and Parking: (215) 898-RIDE (7433). Visit www.upenn.edu/transportation. UPennAlert Emergency application provides fast and efficient dissemination of critical information to members of the University community during a major emergency via text messaging, email, digital displays and the Penn Siren Outdoor System (PennSOS). If you have not done so already, please take a few minutes now to register or update your contact information.

All information is secure and confidential
• Students: Access Penn InTouch via Penn Portal at https://portal.apps.upenn.edu/penn_portal/portal.php
• Faculty/Staff: Access the Penn Directories via www.upenn.edu/directories.

Blue Light Phones: If you observe a potential safety hazard, need a walking escort, or require Penn Police assistance, contact the Division of Public Safety from one of the 300 blue light phones on campus and in the surrounding community. Just pick up the receiver or press the button.

Penn Guardian: Penn Guardian is a free app that is available to all Penn community members. It was developed by the University’s safety partner Rave Guardian, a service utilized on college campuses across the country. Registering is easy—search “Rave Guardian” in the App Store for iOS devices or Google Play for Android devices. You will be prompted to enter your name, phone number, and Penn email address, which provides access to the University’s customized interface. Calls from a registered phone will allow Penn Police to determine your cell phone’s GPS location, which can decrease response time. This information will only be available to Penn Police when you call the Penn Emergency Communication Center (PENNComm) directly through the app or at (215) 573-3333. If a call is made to PennComm, and you are unable to speak—perhaps because of an allergic reaction—a call-taker will send a text message to your phone. You can then communicate directly via text.

The app includes a confidential way to submit information to Penn Police—with a photo, if necessary—through a text message. For more information, please visit the Penn Guardian website at www.publicsafety.upenn.edu/penn_guardian.

(215) 898-HELP Line: The HELP Line is a 24-hour-a-day phone number for members of the Penn community who are seeking time-sensitive help in navigating Penn’s resources for health and wellness. Any member of the Penn community can use this service by calling (215) 898-HELP (4357) or text HELP to 573-3333 (for students). The HELP line is staffed 24 hours a day, 7 days a week by Division of Public Safety professionals trained in mental health referrals by staff from Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS). Students who are dealing with the complex emotional challenges of university life can use the HELP Line to receive information and referrals to the many health and wellness resources at Penn, including CAPS, Student Health Services, Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS), and others. They may also call on behalf of a friend or acquaintance. Parents who are concerned about their student may also call the HELP Line for assistance. Learn more: https://www.publicsafety.upenn.edu/safety-initiatives/help-line-215-898-help/.

Safety Presentations and Materials: Members of the Division of Public Safety will provide safety information, including brochures, videos, and presentations, upon request. To request materials or arrange for a presentation, please contact our Special Services Department at (215) 898-4481 or submit a form online at www.publicsafety.upenn.edu/con tact/presentation-request-form.

Property Registration: Penn students and faculty/staff can register their bicycles, electronic equipment, and other valuable property online with the University of Pennsylvania Police Department. Students can also purchase a U-lock through their SFS account.

• Students: Access Campus Express Online via http://campusexpress.upenn.edu
    • Faculty/Staff: Access U@Penn via www.upenn.edu/u@penn

Preventing Theft on Campus: Theft is the number one crime at Penn. The majority of all theft reported to the Penn Police occurs because items are left unattended or are improperly secured.

• All items should be taken with you at all times.
• U-locks, not cable locks, should be used on bikes.
• You should always lock your doors, even if leaving for only a few minutes.
• Always report suspicious activity by contacting the Division of Public Safety at (215) 573-3333 or 511 from a campus phone.
• Faculty/Staff: Access U@Penn via www.upenn.edu/u@penn.

Safety Practices: The Division of Public Safety asks that all University community members engage the idea that “Safety and Security is a Shared Responsibility.” Please remember to take your personal property with you at all times, don’t leave doors unlocked and report suspicious behavior.

Secure Package Deliveries: If you will not be home when a package arrives, remember to make arrangements for safe delivery. Make use of the Amazon@Penn hub locker in 1920 Commons, the Residential Services Off-Campus package holding service (for students). You can also check with your landlord to see if they offer package services, or use other package service locations.

Prescription Drug Take-Back Box: A Prescription Drug Take-Back Box is located in the lobby of the Division of Public Safety Headquarters, 4040 Chestnut Street, open 24/7/365. Through a partnership with the state of Pennsylvania and Penn Medicine, Public Safety will take back unused prescription drugs. Info: https://www.publicsafety.upenn.edu/prescrip tion-drug-take-back-box.html.

First Amendment Activity Guide: The ACLU has a comprehensive guide for protected behaviors and freedom of expression through protest. Visit their website here for more information: https://catalog.upenn.edu/pennbook/open-expression/.

Fire Safety: As you get ready to enjoy outdoor picnics and BBQs this summer, keep in mind these fire safety tips. Also, be sure to follow local regulations for your residence.

• Keep grilling appliances a minimum of 36 inches from combustibles.
• Keep an eye on your grill, fire pit, or patio torches. Never leave them unattended.
• Never keep spare propane cylinders under or near a grill, or inside the house.

Heat-related Illness: Very hot weather is dangerous for everyone. Review these tips from the Philadelphia Department of Public Health to protect yourself and loved ones during the hot summer months. If you experience or witness a medical emergency within the Penn patrol zone, call PennComm at (215) 573-3333. If you are at any other location, call 911.

• Some people are more likely to get sick: People aged 65 and older; infants and young children; people with a chronic medical condition (like diabetes or heart disease); people experiencing homelessness; outdoor workers; athletes

Ways to protect yourself from heat-related illness: avoid direct sunlight; stay in air-conditioned buildings; wear light, loose-fitting clothing; drink plenty of water (don’t wait until you’re thirsty); avoid alcohol, caffeine, and sugary drinks (they can dehydrate you); stay updated on local weather; Know the signs of heat-related illness; check on elderly and homebound neighbors; never leave people or pets in a parked car on a hot day.

If you think someone is having a medical emergency on campus, call (215) 573-3333, if away from campus, call 911. If you see someone experiencing an overdose who needs help, call (215) 573-3333, if elsewhere in the city, call (215) 232-1984, the outreach number of Project HOME.


Learn more from the Department of Public Health of the City of Philadelphia: https://hip.phila.gov/.

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