**Exhibits**

**Museums**

For up-to-date information about exhibits, prices, hours and COVID-19 restrictions for several museums on and near Penn’s campus, visit these websites:

- Arthur Ross Gallery: [https://www.arthurrossgallery.org/visit/schedule-your-visit/](https://www.arthurrossgallery.org/visit/schedule-your-visit/)
- Brodsky Gallery: [https://writing.upenn.edu/why-involved/series/brodskygallery/](https://writing.upenn.edu/why-involved/series/brodskygallery/)
- Esther Klein Gallery: [https://sciencecenter.org/discover/ekg](https://sciencecenter.org/discover/ekg)
- ICA: [https://icaphila.org](https://icaphila.org)
- Kroiz Gallery, Fisher Fine Arts Library: [http://tinyurl.com/hyr4ld](http://tinyurl.com/hyr4ld)
- Meverson Hall: [https://tinyurl.com/v275dy](https://tinyurl.com/v275dy)
- Morris Arboretum: [http://www.morrisarboretum.org/visit/hours.shtml](http://www.morrisarboretum.org/visit/hours.shtml)

**Penn Museum**

[https://www.penn.museum/visit/plan-your-visit](https://www.penn.museum/visit/plan-your-visit)

**Quorum**

[https://sciencecenter.org/discover/quorum](https://sciencecenter.org/discover/quorum)

**Slought**

[https://slought.org/](https://slought.org/)

**Van Pelt Library**

[https://www.library.upenn.edu/about/hours/vp](https://www.library.upenn.edu/about/hours/vp)

**Wistar Institute**

[https://wistar.org/](https://wistar.org/)

**Upcoming**

11 God Complex: Different Philadelphia; installation by Philadelphia-based artist, ceramicist, social activist, poet, and educator Roberto Lugo that highlights themes of poverty, inequality, and racial injustice; opening reception: September 10, 5:30 p.m.; Arthur Ross Gallery. Through December 19. Also see Talks.

17 FCC On 6, 7, 8; Na Kim; installation comprising bold colors, shapes, and patterns inspired by everyday life, designed by conceptually-driven graphic designer Na Kim; ICA. Through July 10, 2022.

25 The Stories We Wear; reveals how clothing and accessories offer powerful expressions of identity and examines the purpose and meaning behind what we wear, showcasing 2500 years of style via 250 objects, member preview: September 24, 4 p.m.; opening celebration: September 25, 10 a.m.; Penn Museum.

Now

Love and Oblivion; exploring queer possibilities of affirmation, extravagance, and extinction; opening reception: August 5, 5-7:30 p.m.; Slought Foundation. Through September 9.

Socius by Rebecca Rutstein; takes a micro and macro approach to observing the spread of COVID-19, both within our bodies and in the community at large, through large scale paintings, works on paper and an immersive sculpture, light and sound installation; opening reception: August 5, 5-7:30 p.m.; Esther Klein Gallery. Through September 23.

Ongoing

Art By Mail; display of art made by community members with kits that Kelly Writers House distributed in January; Brodsky Gallery, Kelly Writers House.

Morris Arboretum

Loop de Loop; Patrick Dougherty Installation; stick-work sculpture. Ongoing until deterioration.

Out on a Limb; tree adventure exhibit celebrating its 10th year.

**Penn Museum**

Africa Galleries: From Maker to Museum; explore the origins of African civilizations.

Ancient Egypt: From Discovery to Display; examines the process of building an exhibit.

Asia Galleries; view ancient Asian artifacts, many of which show the development of Buddhism.

Canaan & Ancient Israel Gallery; explore ancient artifacts from several civilizations that have inhabited this land.

Egypt Galleries; view highlights from the Museum’s mummy collection and more.

Etruscan Italy Gallery; learn about the first great rulers of central Italy.

Greece Gallery; explore the ancient history of the Greek empire.

Living with the Sea; Charting the Pacific; highlights Penn Museum’s rarely-seen Oceanian collection.

Mexico and Central America Gallery; examine several distinct societies and collections.

Middle East Galleries; trace the histories of Mesopotamian civilizations.

Native American Voices; see ancient Native American artifacts alongside contemporary perspectives.

Sphinx Gallery; view the Museum’s famous Sphinx among sympathetic objects from across the globe.

Rome Gallery; explore everyday items from the Roman Republic and Empire.
Penn Museum Global Guide tours offer a unique chance to view an exhibit, led by a guide who grew up in the region. See Exhibits.

dee-de-sep-2021 (Penn Museum). Also September 16, 23, 30.

10 Almuerzo de Bienvenida; annual welcome reception from the Center for Latin American and Latinx Studies; noon; 2nd floor atrium, McNeil Building; register: https://upenn.co1.qualsitics.com/jfe/form/SV_9-yVgizOb8HFC05K (LALS).

14 Center for Research in Feminist, Queer and Transgender Studies/Gender, Sexuality and Women’s Studies Open House; meet faculty, staff and students in Penn’s GWS program and its affiliated center; 3:30 p.m.; outside Fisher-Bennett Hall (GWS, FQT).

Fall Research Expo and Open House; forum for undergraduates to present their research and learn about research programs available; 5 p.m.; location TBA; info: curf@upenn.edu.

25 Writing Workshop; Levi Bentley, poet; 10 a.m.; location TBA; register: losseman@upenn.edu (Arthur Ross Gallery).

26 American African Resource Center Online and in-person events. Info and to register: https://aar.upenn.edu/events.

15 WOCA Noontime Lunch Series; noon.

16 Men of Color (Monthly Huddle Meeting); 1 p.m.

24 Community Lunch Program—Open Forum with AARC and PWC; noon.

College of Liberal and Professional Studies (LPS) Online events. Unless noted, info and to register: www.upenn.edu/lps-events.

2 Master of Science in Applied Geosciences Virtual Café; noon.

7 Master of Environmental Studies Virtual Café; noon.

14 Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences Virtual Information Session; 5:30 p.m.; register: www.lpsonline.sas.upenn.edu/events, Also September 28, noon.

Organizational Dynamics Virtual Information Session; 6 p.m.

25 Post-Baccalaureate Pre-Health Programs Virtual Information Session; 5 p.m.

23 Fels Institute of Government Virtual Information Session; 6 p.m.

28 Master of Liberal Arts Captive Forum; 5 p.m.

Graduate School of Education (GSE) Online and in-person events. Info and to register: https://www.gse.upenn.edu/news/events-calendar.

14 Medical Education Virtual Information Session; 4 p.m.

Human Resources Workshops Online events. Info and to register: www.hr.upenn.edu/registration.

8 Express Barre; noon.

9 Stretching Express; 12:30 p.m.

10 Guided Mindful Meditation; noon. Also September 23.

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13 30-Minute Guided Meditation; noon. Also September 20, 27.

13 Yin Yoga Express; noon. Also September 28.

14 Gentle Flow; 12:30 p.m. Also September 28.

14 Welcome Back Wellness Walk; noon.

Develop Your Presentation Skills; 12:30 p.m.

15 Chair Yoga; noon. Also September 29.

17 Effective Communication; 12:30 p.m.

20 Express HIIT; noon.

Strength Training; 12:30 p.m.

21 Avoiding Burnout; 12:30 p.m.

22 Developing a Daily Practice for Calm; 12:30 p.m.

24 Conflict Resolution; 12:30 p.m.

28 How to Write a Models of Excellence Nomination; 11 a.m.

29 Estate Planning; 11:30 a.m. 30-Minute Chair Yoga for Posture; noon.

30 Time and Energy Management: Ideas for Sustainable Life Balance; 12:30 p.m.

LGBT Center In-person events at Goodhand Room, LGBT Center. Info: https://lgbt.vupul.upenn.edu/.

3 Sophomore Sup: Continental Breakfast; 10 a.m.

10 First-Year and Transfer Undergraduate Pizza Party; noon.

23 Graduate Gulps: Mocktail Meeting; 4 p.m.

14 Sophomore Sundae; 7 p.m.

26 Journaling Workshop with CAPS and Graduate Student Center; 2 p.m.

17 Lambda Grads Happy Hour; 5 p.m.

24 LGBT Center Open House; 4:30 p.m.

27 Promoting LGBTQ+ Inclusivity; noon.

Morris Arboretum Online and in-person events. Info, prices, and to register: https://www.morrisarboretum.org/.

8 Pennsylvania Pesticide Application Training: Core and Ornamental; Emelie Swackhammer, Genevieve Christ, and Kara Pitman, Penn State Extension; in-person class; 8 a.m.-2 p.m.

11 Carve a Wooden Spoon; Karl Newman, woodworker; in-person class; 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

14 Yoga in the Garden: Autumn Nourish in Nature; Sharon Trohaugh, yoga teacher; in-person class; 4 p.m. Also September 21, 28, October 5.

17 Gardening for Songbirds; Marc Radell, Penn State Extension; online event; 2 p.m.

18 Growing Beautiful Roses: Selection, Care, and History; Erin Conley, Morris Arboretum; in-person class; 10 a.m.-noon.

20 Presenting the Majesty of Trees; Henry Martin, artist; in-person class; 10:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Also September 28, October 5, 12.

22 Great Hardy Ferns for the Garden; Gregg Tepper, West Laurel Hill Cemetery; online event; 7 p.m.

25 Native Bees: Your Garden’s Best Pollinators; Sam Droge, Patuxent Wildlife Research Center; online event; 1 p.m.

26 Get Outside! Tips for Autumn Hiking and Hidden Nature in the Delaware Valley; Lori Litchman, author; online event; 1 p.m.

29 Rambling Tales of Plants and Places; Bob Gutowski, Morris Arboretum; in-person class; 4 p.m.

31 Deer-Resistant Native Plants for the Northeast; Gregg Tepper, West Laurel Hill Cemetery; online event; 7 p.m.

Penn Libraries Online and in-person events. Info and to register: https://guides.library.upenn.edu/workshops.

1 Excel Basics: Get Started in Excel; noon.

2 Excel Basics: Skills for Business Consulting and Industry; noon.

3 Fisher Fine Arts Library Orientation; noon. Also September 3, 1:15 p.m.

Penn Museum Library Tour for Returning Students; 1 p.m. Also September 2, 2 p.m.

7 R Basics: Get Started in RStudio; noon.

8 R Basics: Prepare Data for Modeling and Analysis; noon.

9 Meet Your STEM Librarians; noon.

R Advanced: Write and Publish in Markdown; noon.

Using Canvas Gradebook More Effectively for Faculty and Staff; 1 p.m.

14 Coffee with a Codex; noon.

17 Penn Global Medieval and Renaissance Studies and Schoenbrun Institute for Manuscript Studies Welcome Back Meeting; 5 p.m.

17 Create, Innovate, and Excel at Penn; 11 a.m. and 5 p.m.

16 Canvas Micro Workshops: Assignments; 1 p.m.
Aficionados of nature can take a variety of online and in-person courses with Morris Arboretum that will teach students about birding, wood-carving, sketching, and a number of other subjects. See Fitness & Learning.

**READINGS & SIGNINGS**

8 Strange Objects, New Solids and Massive Things; Wink Dubbeldam; architecture; 6:30 p.m.; room B1, Meyerson Hall (Architecture).

9 Visions of Beirut: The Urban Life of Media Infrastructure; Hatim El-Hibri; George Mason University; 1 p.m.; online event; info: https://tinyurl.com/el-hibri-reading-sept-9 (CARGC).

17 Amazonian-Andean Reading Group; 6 p.m.; Zoom meeting; info: mervic@sas.upenn.edu or jpcvw@sas.upenn.edu (Hispanic and Portuguese Studies).

**KELLY WRITERS HOUSE**

1 Online and in-person events. Info: http://writing.upenn.edu/writing/calendar/0921.php.

2 Printing and Postcards; in-person event; 5 p.m.

3 No Good, Very Bad Poetry Night for Sophomores; in-person event; 6 p.m.

3 Kelly Writers House Activities Fair; in-person event; 1-4 p.m.

9 A Celebration of Rachel Zolf’s New Book No One’s Witness: A Monstrous Poetics; in-person event and YouTube livestream; 6 p.m.

13 A Meeting of the Writers House Planning Committee; in-person event; 5 p.m.

14 A Celebration of Raveinos by Sam Apple; in-person event and YouTube livestream; 6 p.m.

21 Securing Food Insecurity; Toni Hicks; People’s Kitchen; in-person event and YouTube livestream; 6 p.m.

23 We All Feel Like It; Michelle Taransky, English; in-person event and YouTube livestream; 6 p.m.

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

10 Hayden Memorial Walk; a walk from the Hayden Building to the Woodlands Cemetery to memorialize Ferdinand Hayden, whose works led to the creation of Yellowstone National Park; 3-5 p.m.; begins at Hayden Hall (Earth and Environmental Studies).

20 Climate Week at Penn; a week-long series of events about climate change; info: https://climateweek.provost.upenn.edu/ (Office of the Provost).

**SPORTS**

In-person events. Venues and more info: https://pennathletics.com/calendarr.

2 Women’s Soccer vs. UIC; 6 p.m.

3 Women's Volleyball vs. Bucknell; 7 p.m.

4 Women’s Volleyball vs. Canisius; 10 a.m.

5 Women’s Volleyball vs. Coppin State; 7 p.m.

6 Men’s Soccer vs. Colgate; 7 p.m.

10 Field Hockey vs. Drexel; 3 p.m.

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11 Sprint Football Alumni Game; noon.

12 Women’s Soccer vs. George Washington; 4 p.m.

13 Men’s Soccer vs. Loyola (Maryland); 7 p.m.

16 Women’s Soccer vs. Villanova; 6 p.m.

17 Field Hockey vs. Saint Joseph’s; 3 p.m.

17 Men’s Soccer vs. Mount St. Mary’s (Maryland); 7 p.m.

Men’s Tennis hosts Penn Invitational; all day. Until September 26.

19 Field Hockey vs. Towson; 11 a.m.

20 Women’s Soccer vs. Rice; 2:30 p.m.

21 Field Hockey vs. Princeton; 3 p.m.

25 Men’s Soccer vs. Monmouth; 7 p.m.

26 Field Hockey vs. Syracuse; 1 p.m.

**MUSIC**

25 Ten Thousand Birds; new music ensemble Alarm Will Sound performs an experiential, open-ended collection of pieces based on native birdsong; 1 p.m. and 4 p.m.; Morris Arboretum; tickets: $35; register: https://pennlivearts.org/event/alarm-will-sound (Penny Live Arts).

30 Jeremy Dutcher; performance by a two-spirited composer, performer, and activist in Wolastoq culture and language preservation, water and land politics, and anti-pipeline activism; 7:30 p.m.; YouTube livestream; join: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=K3JKkMoicto (FQG/GWS, Music, Native American & Indigenous Studies).

**PENN PODCASTS**

See online version for full listings.
The new-music ensemble Alarm Will Sound will premiere an experimental piece based on the sounds of birdsong at Penn Live Arts (formerly the Annenberg Center for the Performing Arts) on September 25. See Music.

10 God Complex: Different Philadelphias; Roberto Lugo, artist; noon; Zoom meeting; register: https://tinyurl.com/wulster-manzi-sept-14 (Fels Institute).


From the Past to the Future: Recent Advancements in Equine Anesthesia; Kate Walster and Timothy Manzi, Penn Vet; 6:30 p.m.; online event; register: https://tinyurl.com/wulster-manzi-sept-14 (Penn Vet).


10 McGraw Prize Webinar: Catching the Dream for America's Children of Color; Judith Griffin, Pathways to College; 1 p.m.; Zoom meeting; register: https://tinyurl.com/griffin-talk-sept-15 (Graduate School of Education).

16 Bilateral vs. Multilateral Foreign Aid to Less Developed Countries, from U.S. and East Asian Perspectives; Aaron Stern, United States Agency for International Development; 5 p.m.; room 110, Annenberg School for Communication (Center for East Asian Studies).

17 City Form for Sustainable Growth; panel of speakers; 11 a.m.; online event; register: https://tinyurl.com/uir-talk-sept-17 (Institute for Urban Research).

How Are Geochemical Reactions in Aquifers Connected to Climate Change Mitigation?; Chen Zhu, Indiana University; 3 p.m.; room 358, Hayden Hall (Earth & Environmental Science).

20 Leveraging Development Science for Educational Innovation: Lessons from Children in Low- and Middle-Income Countries; Sharon Wolf, GSE; 1 p.m.; Silverstein Forum, Stiteler Hall (Graduate School of Education).

Decolonial Doctoring: Attending to the “Pain without Lesion” in Frantz Fanon; Carolina Uriña, Assistant Dean for Advising; 3:30 p.m.; room 337, Claudia Cohen Hall (History of Sociology and Science).

A Wet and Sweetering Spill-over: Happy Mosquitoes, Dangerous Disease; Julie Ellis, Lisa Murphy, and Michael Povelones, Penn Vet; 4 p.m.; online event; register: https://tinyurl.com/vet-talk-sept-20 (Penn Vet).

22 1.5 Minute Climate Lectures; faculty and University leaders discuss the climate emergency; noon; Benjamin Franklin Statue, College Hall; info: https://www.sas.upenn.edu/60-second (SAS).

Neutralizing Antibodies Against Coronavirus; Pamela Bjorkman, Caltech; time TBA; BlueJeans meeting; register: https://tinyurl.com/cfar/seminar-series.html (Center for AIDS Research).

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24 Climate Change and Extreme Summer Weather Events; Michael Mann, Penn State; 3 p.m.; lecture hall, Carolyn Lynch Laboratory; 3 p.m. (Earth & Environmental Studies).

27 Darwin in the Cold War: Controlling “Foreign Scientists” at a Field Station in the Galapagos Islands, 1950-1959; Susan Lindee, history and sociology of science; 3:30 p.m.; room 337, Claudia Cohen Hall (History and Sociology of Science).

29 Immunological Sequelae of Emerging Viral Infection During Pregnancy; Jae Jung, Cleveland Clinic; noon; BlueJeans meeting; register: https://tinyurl.com/keim-talk-sept-30 (Historic Preservation).

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23 Immunotherapeutic Drug Delivery to Lymph Nodes Augments Cancer Immunotherapy; Susan Thomas, Georgia Tech; 1:30 p.m.; room 216, Moore Building.

Biology
Online events. Info and to register: https://www.bio.upenn.edu/events.
2 Cross-Kingdom RNAi and Extracellular Vesicle-Mediated Small RNA Trafficking Between Plants and Fungal Pathogens; Hailing Jin, UCR Riverside; 4 p.m.
9 The Neural Control of Adaptive Behavior; Nick Betley, biology; 4 p.m.
16 Intra-Genomic Conflict and the Preservation of Genome Integrity; Mia Levine, biology; 4 p.m.
23 Neurobiology of Social Behavior; Catherine Dulac, Harvard; 4 p.m.

Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering
In-person events. Info and to register: https://events.seas.upenn.edu/calendar/tag/cbe/list/.
8 No Equations, No Variables, No Space, No Time: Data and the Modeling of Complex Systems; Yanis Kevrekidis, Johns Hopkins; 3:30 p.m.; Wu and Chen Auditorium, Levine Hall.
15 Design of Sequential Catalytic Solvolysis Process for Selectively Deconstructing Waste Plastics; Hongfei Lin, Washington State University; 3:30 p.m.; Wu and Chen Auditorium, Levine Hall.
22 Engineering the Crystallization of Water Using Molecular and Biomolecular Agents; Ran Drori, Yeshiva University; 3:30 p.m.; Wu and Chen Auditorium, Levine Hall.
29 Shake It Off: Dynamics of Bacterial Adhesions at Interfaces; Jacinta Conrad, University of Houston; 3:30 p.m.; Wu and Chen Auditorium, Levine Hall.

Classical Studies
In-person events. Info: https://www.classics.upenn.edu/events.
9 “I Rode to Rome at Night”: The Ancient Mediterranean World in the Early Writings of W. E. B. Du Bois; Mathias Hanses, Penn State; 4:45 p.m.; room 402, Cohen Hall.
16 Reconsidering the Freeze on the Arch of Constantine; Brian Rose, Penn Museum; 4:45 p.m.; room 402, Cohen Hall.

Economics
Location TBA. Info and to register: https://economics.sas.upenn.edu/events.
7 Private Personal Information; Kevin He, economics; 4 p.m.
8 Producing Health Capital: Value Added in Nursing Home; Liran Einav, Stanford; 3:30 p.m.
9 Measuring Urbanization Land Use Changes By (Machine) Learning from Historical Maps: France 1860-2020; Gilles Duranton, Whatcom; 3:30 p.m.
13 Data Disciplining Theory: Arctic Sea Ice Projections, 1980-2010; Frank Diebold, economics; noon.
27 Structural Stochastic Volatility; Federico Bandi, Johns Hopkins; 4:30 p.m.
30 Understanding Gender Gaps and the Child Penalty: Job Flexibility and Household Labor Supply; Minji Bang, economics; 3:30 p.m.

History of Art
In-person events. Info: https://arth.sas.upenn.edu/calendar/month/2021-09.
10 From Kitabkhana [Library] to Karkhana [Workshop]: The Art of the Book in South Asia: panel of speakers; 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Kislak Center, Van Pelt Library.
17 Monet’s Minutes: The Impressionist Instant in Global Time; André Dombrowski, history of art; 3:30 p.m.; room 113, Jaffe Building.
24 Painting Dangerously in Seventeenth-Century Italy: Controversial Ideas in the Art of Artemisia Gentileschi (1593-1654?); Sheila Barker, history of art; 3:30 p.m.; room 113, Jaffe Building.

Materials Science and Engineering (MSE)
In-person events. Info: https://events.seas.upenn.edu/calendar/tag/mse/list/.
2 Metals and Alloys: A Critical Weapon in the Fight against Climate Change; Eric Detsi, MSE; 12:15 p.m.; auditorium, LRSM.
16 From Conducting Polymers to Conducting Molecular Search: A Materials Science Pathway to the Perkin Medal; Jane Frommer, IBM Research; 12:30 p.m.; auditorium, LRSM.
23 Skin-Inspired Organic Electronics; Zhenan Bao, Stanford; 12:30 p.m.; location TBA.

Middle East Center
Online and in-person events. Info: https://mecc.sas.upenn.edu/events.
14 Twenty Years Later: The Legacy of 9/11; panel of speakers; 5:30 p.m.; auditorium, PCPSE.
22 Sustainability Practices in the Middle East: Past, Present, and Future; panel of speakers; 11:30 a.m.; Zoom meeting.

Penn Dental
Online and in-person events. Info and to register: https://www.dental.upenn.edu/news-events/events/.
23 Environmental Sustainability through Good Quality Oral Healthcare; Nicolas Martin, Sheffield University; 11 a.m.

Population Studies Center
In-person events. Info: https://www.pop.upenn.edu/.
13 A Computational View of the Field of Demography; Giovanna Merli, Duke University; noon; room 395, McNeil Building.
20 Family Norms in Flux; Julia Behrman, Northwestern University; noon; room 395, McNeil Building.
27 An Inside Look: Self-Care Behaviors of African Immigrants with Chronic Diseases; Onome H. Osokpo, Nursing; noon; room 395, McNeil Building.

Sociology
In-person events. Info and to register: https://sociology.sas.upenn.edu/events.
10 Disciplining Docility: How Medical Educators Use the Humanities to Maintain the Professional Status Quo; Lauren Olson, Temple; room 150, McNeil Building.
15 An Ugly Word: Rethinking Race in Italy; Ann Morning, NYU; noon; room 150, McNeil Building.
22 The COVID-19 Pandemic and Inequalities in Infant Health; Florencio Torche, Stanford; noon; room 150, McNeil Building.
29 Scripting the Moves: Culture and Control in a No-Excuses Charter School; Joanne Golann, Vanderbilt University; noon; room 150, McNeil Building.

On September 8, assistant professor of history of art Chenshu Zhou will discuss films and movie viewership in China from 1949-1968. See Talks.