**Upcoming Events**

- **Friday, April 11, 9PM-1AM - GLowell:** The Lowell Rave. Join us this Friday night in celebrating the first annual Lowell Rave! Come for the fog, glow sticks, black lights, glowing drinks, and intense fun! Featuring DJ Pong and DJ Rakeem. Open to everyone on campus! HUID +1 ; SEF eligible. Tickets are $5 at the Harvard Box Office or in Lowell Dining Hall during meal hours. Lowell Dining Hall.

- **Saturday, April 12, 8PM - The Musical Worlds of Herbie Hancock.** This tribute to the artistry and influence of composer/keyboardist Herbie Hancock—the 2013-14 Charles Eliot Norton Lecturer at Harvard—will feature repertoire by Hancock and collaborators influenced by him, including works composed by Terri Lynn Carrington and Lionel Loueke. Please note that Mr. Hancock will not perform. $8 tickets are available at the Harvard Box Office. Sanders Theatre.

- **April 17-19, 7:30PM & April 19-20, 2:30PM - A Midsummer Night's Dream.** The Hyperion Shakespeare Company presents an exciting reimagining of Shakespeare's classic text. It's 1999 in sunny, southern California, and as Athens prepares for an illustrious wedding, Hermia and Lysander steal into the forest to elope. Demetrius and Helena follow, entangling the four in a web of obsession and rejection. Unbeknownst to the lovers, the forest has become a hotbed of hedonistic raves. The lovers soon become pawns in a battle of wills between the ravers' Fairy King Oberon and her Queen Titania. Tickets are available through the Harvard Box Office. Agassiz Theatre.

- **Friday, April 18, 7:30PM - A Night at the Movies.** Join the Harvard Ballroom Dance Team for a dance-filled night of heroes, villains, and romance. The show features a series of Latin and ballroom movie-themed performances from Moulin Rouge to Mr. and Mrs. Smith and everything in between. Come enjoy a whirlwind of sparkles, intrigue, and fun! Featuring a guest performance from Harvard Bhangra and a surprise. Student tickets available for $7 at the Harvard Box Office, or from Ballroom Team members. Lowell Lecture Hall.

**Student Initiated Programs**

- **UC Nutrition Kick-off Buffet**
  Monday, April 14, 8-10PM
  Straus Common Room
  Featuring Naked juice, fresh berries, dark chocolate, artisan breads, and more! For more information about this event and other Health Week happenings, contact Stephen Turban: turban@college.harvard.edu.

- **Taste of China Study Break**
  Tuesday, April 15, 6-9PM
  Holworthy Common Room
  Try authentic dinner dishes from various regions of China in this Taste of China study break! We will have dishes that originate from Szechuan, Beijing, and Southern China. We will also be screening Linsanity.

- **Suya Study Break**
  Tuesday, April 15, 9-11PM
  Thayer Common Room
  Didn't get enough food during Africa Week? Well, here's one more chance. Expect fried plantain, puff puff, and this time, there will be suya. If you don't know what that is, you need to come!

- **Sweet Snacks Study Break**
  Wednesday, April 16, 7:30-9:30PM
  Holworthy Common Room
  Midterms and papers filling your schedule? Well, fill your stomach with some snacks and desserts with good company!

- **One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest**
  Sunday, April 20, 6-8PM
  Come watch One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest! We will gather to watch the movie and enjoy fish and chips to go along with the fishing scene in the film. All freshmen are welcome, and can sign up at: tinyurl.com/exposmovie. More information will be sent to those who sign up!

**Reminder**

Yard Fest will be held on Sunday, April 13, 5-8:30PM, in Tercentenary Theatre. Annenberg will be closed, and dinner will be served at the event from 5-7:15PM. Doors open at 5PM. You must have a valid HUID to enter. No guests allowed. Freshmen not wishing to attend may eat dinner in either Dunster or Currier.
### Safety Notice

To contact an FDO representative in the event of a serious, non-academic emergency, please call your proctor, or the Harvard University Police at (617) 495-1212, or, on campus, 5-1212. Safety and other emergency messages are displayed as soon as possible on the News and Notices section of the College home page at www.college.harvard.edu.

### Resources for Freshmen

#### April 14 in Annenberg from 12-2PM.

**LOOK Campaign.** Harvard University Transportation Services, the Harvard University Police Department (HUPD), and the Cambridge Police Department (CPD) announce the launch of the LOOK safety campaign. The LOOK campaign provides specific safety messages for pedestrians, bicyclists and drivers, so that these three groups can co-exist safely within the same environment.

**Starting Monday, April 14,** staff from HUPD, CPD, and Transportation Services will be stationed at high-traffic, conflict areas around campus, promoting safety messages and providing incentives for those demonstrating safe behavior. These incentives include free helmets, Zipcar driving credits, and Hubway annual memberships. In addition, thousands of LOOK stickers will be distributed to motorists designed to combat “dooring” and increase awareness of vehicular surroundings. For more information, including safety tips, visit transportation.harvard.edu.

#### Opportunities for Freshmen

**Attend the Arts & Humanities Dinner Series: Building Lives, Building Careers.** Discover paths to professional success...over dinner! Meet other students and get to know faculty on a more personal level. Hear about new classes and areas of study. Students who attended in the fall said: “It’s one of the best things I’ve done at Harvard!” Featuring: Maria Gough, History of Art and Architecture; Yukio Lippit, History of Art and Architecture; Jonathan Bolton, Slavic Languages and Literatures; Russell Jones, Philosophy; Carrie Lambert Beatty, VES and History of Art and Architecture. A catered dinner will be served. To RSVP, email ocsrecep@fas.harvard.edu, Wednesday, April 16, 6:30-8PM, OCS: 54 Dunster St.

**Serve Society.** PBHA’s Summer Urban Program is still hiring Senior Counselors. Visit www.pbha.org/sup for more information on how to apply! Also, CPIC’s Harvard Clubs Summer Funding is still available. Email tlovett@fas.harvard.edu if you are interested in applying for funding to do public service in your hometown!

**Improve Teaching and Learning at Harvard at #HackTheEDU.** #HackTheEDU is an opportunity to collaboratively develop apps, tools, and ideas to innovate your classroom experience, and the larger learning environment across Harvard. Have an idea to improve your learning experience? Come join us, share your ideas, and make them a reality. All Harvard students are welcome to join! Hosted by the Harvard Initiative for Learning and Teaching. Learn more about it, and register at hilt.harvard.edu/hacktheedu, Friday, April 25 & Saturday, April 26, 10AM-6PM (both days), in Lamont Library Forum Room (3rd floor).

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**Submissions**

Please send submissions by Tuesday at 9:00AM to: yardnews@fas.harvard.edu
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### IM Update

On Sunday, April 6, students competed for IM points in the annual Freshman IM Charles River Run. Congratulations to our top finishers:

- **Kelly Zhang:** Matthews
- **Gloria Chen:** Weld
- **Jacqueline Martinez:** Greenough
- **Greg Parker:** Wigg
- **Luke Heine:** Thayer
- **Al Muzaurieta:** Canaday

The Yard Trophy race is tight, with Greenough and Weld gaining some ground on Matthews, who currently sits atop the standings.

### Academic Events

- **Tuesday, April 15, 12-1PM - Artist Talk: Halsey Rodman.** Rodman is a visual artist whose work proposes a consensual and liberating encounter with objects by rendering apparent the radical instability of their forms. Though appearing disparate and sometimes improvised, his work is executed using specific structural, performative, and/or temporal frameworks. Rodman often integrates gestural painting, diagrammatic drawing, and intense color with sculptural and architectural constructions. Carpenter Center, Room B-04, 24 Quincy St.

- **Wednesday, April 16, 6PM - Werner Sollors: The Temptation of Despair, Tales of the 1940s.** In Germany, the years immediately following World War II call forward images of obliterated cities, hungry refugees, and ghostly monuments to Nazi crimes. The temptation of despair was hard to resist, and to contemporary observers the road toward democracy in the Western zones of occupation seemed rather uncertain. The Temptation of Despair is a book about coming to terms with the mid-1940s, the contradictory emotions of a defeated people, as well as the ambiguities and paradoxes of Allied victory and occupation. Sever Hall 113.