eArt Advising August 31  Beginning of the semester information for SAAH majors and minors.

DEADLINES: Sept. 1  Last day to ADD semester long classes. To add you need to use the change of Registration form and first get the instructor’s signature, then the advisor’s, then go to 17 Calvin Hall. Online classes can be added through email. Please contact Lynne for information.

DROP- you can drop through your MyUI, but please notify Lynne as I am not automatically notified. You can also drop with a change of registration form. CHANGE OF REGISTRATION Forms are available on the UI website under A-Z- Change of registration. International students please fill in the eForm for course drops. (More information in the July 31 eArt Advising, which is available on the SAAH webpage- resources for students- eArt Advising.)

DECEMBER GRADUATING SENIORS- You can pick up a graduation checklist outside of Lynne’s office 122 ABW. An updated Fall 2017 checklist will soon be available on the SAAH webpage - resources For students- infosessions. Our website is under construction, so watch for new changes.

Sept. 29- last day to apply for graduation without a fee- do this from your MyUI.

HONORS in the STUDIO ART and ART HISTORY majors- If you are graduating this semester and have A minimum 3.33 UI GPA and a minimum 3.5 GPA for the major, you are eligible to graduate with Honors in the Major. Please contact Lynne for more information. Applications must be filed by Sept. 29 for Honors in the Major. An Honors in the Major course must be added too.

INFOSESSIONS:
Sept. 8- Elise Perea, from the Career Center will be presenting information for SAAH students on Job and Internship Search Strategies. 2-3pm in the DeCaso Room, ABW Library. All welcome.

ADVISING:
Thank you to everyone who made advising appointments early so that we could make sure everything was in order at the beginning of the semester. We are in the process of interviewing another undergraduate advisor and will share information when we have it.

I will be at a conference from Sept. 6-13, so am opening additional advising appointments on Monday, Sept. 5 in the morning, even though it is a holiday. While I am gone, you can see Laura In 120 ABW for general advising questions. For emergency or any other advising questions, Please contact diane-hauser@uiowa.edu.

Sophomores are now required to meet with an advisor prior to registering for classes. Early Registration begins Nov. 6. Please book advising appointments early.

BFAs- BFA clearances will be held the week of Oct. 27-Nov. 3 this year. We are currently in the process of scheduling dates and times for each of the disciplines. There is paperwork involved in preparation for the BFA clearance, and you will need to set up an advising appointment with Lynne, after Sept. 15, to complete it and get signed up for a clearance time. To qualify for Clearance you need to have completed at least basic drawing, design fundamentals, the intro in the discipline you doing the clearance for, as well as have completed or be in two upper levels In the BFA discipline. Graphic Design requires that you have completed, or are in, GD 3 and 4. If you are interested in clearing for 3D Design, please see Monica Correia for readiness.

BFA Galleries- If you are planning on graduating this semester with a BFA, you should have already
signed up for a gallery space for your show with Liz. If you have not done that, please contact her right away. If you are graduating this semester and have not registered for ARTS: 4195, the BFA exhibition, you need to add that as soon as possible.

STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS:
Student Organizations can offer you great value. If you are an officer in one of the student groups related to the School of Art and Art History, please send me contact information for your group.

EPX STUDIOS is holding their first meeting September 1st 5:00 PM E125 Visual Arts Building

It is great to see you all again. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Your professional academic advisor,
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