

eArt Advising Sept. 3

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### **Deadlines:**

Sept. 13 -last day to add without Dean's permission or drop without a w; this was just extended.

Oct. 2- last day to submit degree application for Fall 2020 graduating seniors, without late fee

### **Drop Procedure:**

#### **Online drops:**

**DROPS:** For drops, please notify Lynne by email, once you have submitted your drop request through your MyUI so that she can approve your drop, then you can finalize the drop. I don't get automatic notifications when drop requests are submitted.

**ADDS:** Last date to add without Dean's permission was Sept. 4. However, you can still add off cycle courses that haven't started yet.

#### **BFA Clearances:**

I am getting questions about BFA clearances and beginning to get some information for you. The Clearances will be the week of Nov. 2-6. Currently, sign up is available for Graphic Design, Painting and Drawing, Metals and Jewelry, Printmaking and Ceramics BFA candidates. Watch the eArt Advising for information on sign up for the other programs.

#### **HONORS in the Studio Art Major for Fall 2020 graduating seniors:**

If you are graduating this semester or are an art education major and will be student teaching next semester and have minimum GPAs of: UI GPA 3.33 and major GPA 3.5, you may be eligible to do the Honors in the Major research project. Deadline for getting signed up is Sept. 18. Please contact Lynne this week, if you are interested.

#### **Honors in the Art History Major:**

If you are an Art History Major and would like more information about graduating with Honors in the Art History major, please contact Prof. Huang for more information. Amy-huang-2@uiowa.edu

#### **ART HISTORY DEGREE REQUIREMENTS:**

The new Art History degree requirements will begin this semester. There is a reduction of 6sh so that the new degree totals 39sh instead of the previous 45 sh. If you are interested in more information about the new degree, please contact Lynne or Prof. Maze. Daniel-maze@uiowa.edu

#### **CAREER CENTER:**

Now is a great time to connect with the Career center and see what they can offer. Need help with resumes? Internships? Job Searching? Graduate school questions? You can book an appointment with our SAAH career counselors:

<https://careers.uiowa.edu/arts-media-entertainment>

<https://careers.uiowa.edu/students>

Also, explore different Art and Art History related careers on our webpage:  
<https://art.uiowa.edu/careers-art>

### **GRADUATING SENIORS:**

Now is the best time to review your degree audit and make sure everything is in order before you submit your graduation application. Make sure any transfer courses are appearing on your transcript, if not please contact the transferring college to make sure everything is in order. Degree applications are available on your MyUI.

We just heard that graduation will **be virtual this** semester. Please watch for more information later in the semester.

### **PROBATION:**

If you are on probation, please watch for information about when to set up your advising appointment with CLAS associate directors in Academic Programs and Student Development. You may schedule online up to two weeks in advance, and their calendars tend to fill up at least one week in advance. They can meet with students by phone or using Microsoft Teams, Skype for Business, or Zoom. In order for this meeting to be most effective, please must meet with the staff by **Friday, November 20, 2020**.

### **HOMECOMING SCHOLARSHIPS:**

Applications are open for 2020 Homecoming Royalty and the 2020 Homecoming Scholarship. Applications for both Royalty and Scholarship are due to Executive Director Alexandra Skores via email at [alexandra-skores@uiowa.edu](mailto:alexandra-skores@uiowa.edu) by **noon on September 14, 2020**. Applications submitted any later will not be considered.

#### Eligibility for Scholarship:

- Full-time student at the University of Iowa (12 semester hours for undergraduates)
- Sophomore or Junior Status (30-89 semester hours)
- Minimum 3.0 Cumulative GPA

### **COVID UPDATES:**

The self-report form for students has been updated to send students to the absence form if that is the appropriate option, instead of the self-report. You are encouraged students to fill out the self-report form and to list your close contacts. Filling out the form is the documentation faculty need so that they know to provide attendance options for the student.

### **UNIVERSITY COUNSELING SERVICES:**

The UCS is using Zoom, a secure and confidential platform, to provide [brief individual therapy](#), [group therapy](#), [case management](#), [weekly psychoeducational programs](#), [support groups](#), and drop-in services such as [Let's Talk, Hawks!](#) to help UI students cope with the psychological impact of the pandemics. We also offer trainings to faculty and staff on responding to students' distress.

You can schedule an appointment with the UCS by calling 319-335-7294 or find out more about our Fall 2020 semester services [here](#). Please also check out [mentalhealth.uiowa.edu](http://mentalhealth.uiowa.edu) to learn about many other campus options that support mental health.

## **HOUSING CONTRACTS:**

### **Contract Release Requests**

Students who are interested in a housing contract release for academic year 2020-2021 or deferral until spring 2021 will now have their request automatically granted until Thursday, Sept. 10, 2020. Move-out must be scheduled by Sept. 10 and completed no later than Sunday, Sept. 13, 2020.

To request a release or deferral, log in to the housing application portal and click “Application Cancellation” across the top. You will receive a confirmation email with next steps when the process is complete. **The deadline to request a contract release without financial penalty is Sept. 10, 2020.**

### **Campus Activities Board**

<https://cab.uiowa.edu/>

## **STUDY ABROAD:**

This year the Study Abroad Fair will be going virtual! The fall [Study Abroad Fair](#) is happening the **week of September 14**.

The fair is an excellent opportunity to learn about the variety of international opportunities available. Students can ask questions about study abroad, discuss programs with study abroad staff, faculty program directors, and returned students, and learn about available scholarships and funding.

## **ADVISING:**

I hope you are navigating the semester well, now, that the courses are settling into more of a routine. I know that these are challenging times. The SAAH is committed to helping you have a safe and positive academic experience. We do welcome your input, concerns and ideas for improvement.

Your senior academic advisor,

Lynne

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