NEW! Classes & Workshops Added-REduced FEES for PSU Students

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FALL 2019 Schedule of ART CLASSES

SERVING PENN STATE STUDENTS, STAFF AND FACULTY
An outreach program of the Penn State Student Activities, Student Engagement Programs
IMPORTANT DATES
SESSION 1 Classes begin the week of September 16
SESSION 2 Classes begin the week of October 28
Late Night Crafts begins Friday, August 30, 8:00 p.m.-10:30 p.m.
HUB-Robeson Center Ground Floor

Classes are subsidized for Penn State students by your Student Initiated Fee and are offered at reduced fees to those with a valid and current Penn State Student ID! Class fees for Penn State students may vary from semester to semester depending upon allocated funds.

• Classes and workshops are instructed by Penn State art and art education majors and local professional artists.
• Classes and workshops are non-credit and held in the Ritenour Building or HUB-Robeson Center. Adult classes are designed for Penn State college aged students and older, as well as Penn State Faculty and Staff.
• Students may be responsible for purchasing some of their own materials. Some materials will be provided. Thanks for keeping class fees low!
• The Center for Arts & Crafts (CFAC) program is a Penn State Student Activities program operated by Penn State students; serving students and the Penn State community seven days a week!
• Check out Late Night Penn State Crafts! On Friday nights during the fall and spring semester you can create a different craft each week! The program is held on the ground floor of the HUB-Robeson Center from 8:00 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. A valid Penn State Student ID is required to participate.

LOCATION and PARKING
LOCATION:
Center for Arts and Crafts headquarters is located in 003 Ritenour Building (Basement Level). Entrance to Ritenour faces Pollock Road. The Ceramics Studio is located in LL008 HUB-Robeson Center, lower level.

PARKING:
On Campus: HUB Parking Deck located next to Grange Building. $1.00/hour.
Downtown State College: College Avenue metered street parking and Pugh Street Parking Garage (5 minute walk to HUB-Robeson Center).
REGISTRATION INFO

To Register
• Register in person at 003 Ritenour Building, M-F, 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m., beginning August 21. Registration office hours extend until 8:30 p.m. starting on September 16 and continue throughout the semester.

• OR fill out the registration form at the back of this catalog on page 14 and mail to:
  Center for Arts and Crafts
  003 Ritenour Building
  The Pennsylvania State University
  University Park, PA 16802

• Participants must have a valid PSU ID to register for adult art classes and workshops at the CFAC. This includes students, staff, and faculty
• Payment by cash or check. Credit cards in person 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Mon.-Fri.
• No phone registrations
• Questions, please call (814) 863-0611

Refund Policy
• $10.00 fee for cancellation
• All class and workshop fees must be paid in full at the time of registration
• FULL refunds issued ONLY if the Center for Arts and Crafts (CFAC) cancels a class or changes a class time or date
  Cancellation must be made 3 days prior to the start of class to receive a partial refund. Any cancellation made less than 2 days prior to or after the start date, a refund will not be issued.

*The CFAC cannot guarantee any class will run; it depends upon the enrollment of the class.*

GROUP WORKSHOPS

We host private art workshops for Penn State student organizations, groups, teams, residence hall floors, and staff as stress relief and social opportunities! We offer a wide variety of projects including paint your own pottery, canvas painting, decorative frames and more!

Email craftcenter@psu.edu to set up an art workshop for your group!

CERAMICS STUDIO MEMBERSHIPS

The Ceramics Studio is located in room LL 008 HUB- Robeson Center.

Fees Per Semester:
• Student Membership: $65.00 (available only to PSU students with valid ID)
• Non-Student Membership: $90.00 (must have a valid PSU ID)
• Great value!--Fall Memberships are valid for three months, from Sept. 16 to Dec. 13.

Ceramics Studio Membership includes:
• Unlimited use of Ceramics Studio and equipment available during membership hours
• Eight electric wheels and workspace for hand-building
• Use of house glazes
• *Free firing of pieces
• New and reclaimed porcelain clay for sale- members must purchase clay from the studio (new clay is $1.50/lb and reclaim is $1.00/lb. and sold in 5 lb. blocks)
• Three electric oxidation kilns
• Lockers are assigned on first-come, first served basis, and must be cleaned out by the end of the semester

*Additional firing fees may be applied if large quantities of work are produced*
*No outside clay permitted in the studio- must purchase clay in-house*

History:
The Center for Arts and Crafts (CFAC) has a long history of providing an artistic outlet for Penn State students, staff and faculty. It all began in the 1970s and was located on the third floor of the Hetzel Union Building (HUB). Approximately 40 years later, the Center for Arts and Crafts is now located in the lower level of the Ritenour Building and the Ceramics Studio is located in the lower level of the HUB-Robeson Center.

At the Center for Arts and Crafts, learn new artistic skills or improve current skill levels; design, create and appreciate arts, crafts and performance arts; and develop creative thinking, creative expression, and problem solving. The CFAC provides a wide variety of creative opportunities and offers relaxation and enjoyment through classes, workshops, community outreach events and exhibits.
Session I  T  7:00-9:00 p.m.  Sept. 17, 24, Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22
brush included. Instructor: THEUER
here, but every ability is welcome. Explore the simple use of watercolor from traditional landscapes to
Learn about using watercolor to compose sketches, paintings and illustrations. Beginners are the focus
Session I  TH  6:00-8:00 p.m.  Oct. 31, Nov. 7, 14, 21, Dec. 5, 12

Oil Painting for Beginners
PSU Student $35  PSU Staff/ Faculty $90
Discover how to paint with oils in this class designed for beginners. Learn to paint oil paint from life
as well as from your imagination. Through classical techniques, learn to create still-life, landscapes and
portraits that express who you are. Study color theory, composition, brushwork and color mixing while
allowing the freedom to explore a personal style. Drawing skills are recommended. Beginner set of
Session I  T  5:30-7:30 p.m.  Sept. 17, 24, Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22
Session I  TH  5:30-7:30 p.m.  Sept. 19, 26, Oct. 3, 10, 17, 24
Session II  T  5:30-7:30 p.m.  Oct. 29, Nov. 5, 12, 19, Dec. 3, 10
Session II  TH  5:30-7:30 p.m.  Oct. 31, Nov. 7, 14, 21, Dec. 5, 12

Watercolor Painting
PSU Student $30  PSU Staff/ Faculty $85
Learn about using watercolor to compose sketches, paintings and illustrations. Beginners are the focus
here, but every ability is welcome. Explore the simple use of watercolor from traditional landscapes to
fun, modern illustrations for cards, or even quick sketches. Familiarize yourself with various
Session II  T  7:00-9:00 p.m.  Sept. 17, 24, Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22
Session II  TH  7:00-9:00 p.m.  Oct. 29, Nov. 5, 12, 19, Dec. 3, 10

Altered Journals
PSU Student $30  PSU Staff/ Faculty $85
Make your own rules in a fun and inspiring altered journal!
Use recycled old-hard-cover books, to create a full mixed-media journal that will build skills in collage making, paper crafting, pen
and ink drawing, colored pencil, watercolor, and self-reflection.
These altered journals will expand our imaginations while creating beautiful works of art! Instructor: COFRANCESCO
Session II  W  6:00-8:00 p.m.  Oct. 30, Nov. 6, 13, 20, Dec. 4, 11

Beginning Crochet
PSU Student $30  PSU Staff/ Faculty $85
Learn the basics and grow your skills in the art of crochet in this beginner class. Create a simple hat that you
can replicate and give to all your friends and family this winter. Crochet a comfy and cozy pillow, and
make a retro “granny square” hot pad for your kitchen. Create sustainable reusable produce bags for your next grocery trip. Get lost in the calming and meditative value of the practice of crochet!
Instructor: ERKERT
Session I  W  6:15-8:15 p.m.  Sept. 18, 25, Oct. 2, 9, 16, 23

Yourself in Sculpture
PSU Student $30  PSU Staff/ Faculty $85
In this class, students will be able to sculpt using primarily clay. They will have the task of sculpting
figures or different body parts but it has to be their own. This will allow you to understand the shapes
and shades of your body. Instructor: YEOBOAH
Session I  M  7:30-9:30 p.m.  Sept. 16, 23, 30, Oct. 7, 14, 21

Fabulous Fiber Art
PSU Student $30  PSU Staff/ Faculty $85
Work with textiles to create fun and functional projects in this fiber arts class. Create a chic throw
pillow using all natural turmeric and blueberry tie dyes. Weave a trendy wall hanging, and embroider
your own creative design. Instructor: ERKERT
Session II  W  6:15-8:15 p.m.  Oct. 30, Nov. 6, 13, 20, Dec. 4, 11

PSU Student $30  PSU Staff/ Faculty $75
Explore Pop Art by using vibrant colors and dramatic approaches to painting. Learn a few basics about
acrylic painting, then start creating bold images that are based on simple items. Discover the ideas
behind this style and create paintings that will really be able to Pop. Instructor: YEBOAH
Session II  M  7:30-9:30 p.m.  Oct. 28, Nov. 4, 11, 18, Dec. 2, 9

Acrylic Painting
PSU Student $30  PSU Staff/ Faculty $85
This class is great for any level artist looking to strengthen and improve their painting skills. Explore
themes in art ranging from identity and personal narratives to observation and symbolism. Painting
Session I  W  5:30-7:30 p.m  Sept. 18, 25, Oct. 2, 9, 16, 23

Colored Pencils
PSU Student $30  PSU Staff/ Faculty $75
This class is great for any level artist to improve upon and practice their drawing skills. This class will
explore how to create the illusion of depth on paper through color and value. Colored pencil drawing
techniques, color theory, composition, and will be emphasized along with personal voice and creativity.
Instructor: ZHANG
Session II  W  5:30-7:30 p.m.  Oct. 30, Nov. 6, 13, 20, Dec. 4, 11

How to Get the Best Digital Photo
PSU Student $30  PSU Staff/ Faculty $75
Learn more about your camera and how to take photos to your liking. Control photographs by aperture,
sharpness, ISO and white balance, depth of field, and composition. Recommendations on how to
produce portraits, people, landscapes, sports, close-ups, pets and more.
Instructor: IZAKOV
Session I  M  5:30-7:30 p.m.  Sept. 16, 23, 30, Oct. 7, 14, 21
Session II  M  5:30-7:30 p.m.  Oct. 28, Nov. 4, 11, 18, Dec. 2, 9

Stained Glass, Beginning
PSU Student $40  PSU Staff/ Faculty $90
Construct an intermediate, 11-inch oval window-hanging using the Tiffany Method of assembly. Learn
how to cut and smooth glass into shapes for your project, and piece and solder them together. All
materials will be supplied, excluding the stained glass that you will choose to use for your project.
Instructor: PLATTNER
Session I  W  7:00-9:00 p.m.  Sept. 17, 24, Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22
Session II  TH  7:00-9:00 p.m.  Sept. 19, 26, Oct. 3, 10, 17, 24
Session III  T  7:00-9:00 p.m.  Oct. 29, Nov. 5, 12, 19, Dec. 3, 10
Session IV  TH  7:00-9:00 p.m.  Oct. 31, Nov. 7, 14, 21, Dec. 5, 12

Optical Illusions
PSU Student $25  PSU Staff/ Faculty $75
Discover the world of optical illusions. Make a 2-Dimensional piece that looks like its floating off the
page, as well as a perspective drawing. Create an amorphous drawing and see your stretched image
change to normal proportions with the use of a mirror. Make other mind-bending pieces including a
thaumatrope and agamograph.
Instructor: DURDAN
Session I  M  6:00-8:00 p.m.  Oct. 28, Nov. 4, 11, 18, Dec. 2, 9

Cartooning & Illustration
PSU Student $25  PSU Staff/ Faculty $75
Learn about drawing and creating your own comic books using a variety of techniques and practices.
Create characters, panels and pages with different styles. Learn about comic layout and construction as
well as character creation and development. Use pens, pencils, markers and watercolors to add finishing
touches to your comics. Bring a sketchbook; all other supplies included.
Instructor: YOUNG
Session I  TH  5:15-7:15 p.m.  Sept. 19, 26, Oct. 3, 10, 17, 24

NEW !
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Session I  W  12:00-1:15 p.m. Oct. 2
Paint Your Own Pottery Series
Instructor: CFAC STAFF
Psu Student $10  Psu Staff/Faculty $25
Try your hand at glazing pre-made bisqueware pieces that are ready for you to decorate just the way you would like. Glazes and firing are included. Group workshops available- please call us!
Instructor: Devon
Session I  W  12:00-1:15 p.m.  Oct. 15
8" Dessert Plate
Psu Student $5  Psu Staff/Faculty $15
Session II  M  12:00-1:15 p.m.  Nov. 14
Ornaments
Psu Student $5  Psu Staff/Faculty $15
Session III  M  12:00-1:15 p.m.  Nov. 18
12oz Mug
Psu Student $5  Psu Staff/Faculty $15
Session IV  T  12:00-1:15 p.m.  Nov. 19
Heart Votives
Psu Student $5  Psu Staff/Faculty $15
Session V  TH  12:00-1:15 p.m.  Nov. 21
Step by Step Painting
Psu Student $10  Psu Staff/Faculty $30
Follow along with the instructor to create a bright acrylic painting on canvas in this relaxing workshop! Perfect for those who want to try painting but are not sure where to start. Instructor: Gatto
Session I  W  12:00-1:00 p.m.  Nov. 20

Autumn Leaf Clay Slab Plate
Psu Student $10  Psu Staff/Faculty $25
Create a handbuilt, ceramic slab plate by imprinting autumn leaves and patterns into slabs of clay. The first meeting time will be focused on constructing your plate and then it will be fired. The second meeting time will be spent glazing. Meets twice. Instructor: Gush
Session I  W  12:00-1:15 p.m.  Oct. 16, 23

Wheel-Thrown Pottery
Psu Student $40  Psu Staff/Faculty $90
Six-week introductory class.
Enjoy the relaxation and satisfaction of ceramic wheel thrown pottery. Learn the techniques of wedging, centering, pulling, and shaping. Become comfortable at the wheel and gain proficiency in throwing a variety of forms such as bowls and cups. Basic glazing techniques will be covered. 12.5 lbs. of clay, glazes, and firing are included with class fee. Keep in mind that becoming a successful potter will require a substantial amount of practice. (Ceramics studio memberships are available for those who have previous throwing experience (see page 3). This is one of the center’s most popular classes, so register early to reserve a spot! (An additional $12 fee for a pottery tool kit is collected at the time of registration.) All pottery classes are held in LL 008 HUB (Lower Level).

Session I
BECK  M  5:00-7:00 p.m.  Sept. 16, 23, 30, Oct. 7, 14, 21
SONYA  T  5:00-7:00 p.m.  Sept. 17, 24, Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22
BECK  T  7:30-9:30 p.m.  Sept. 17, 24, Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22
SONYA  W  5:00-7:00 p.m.  Sept. 18, 25, Oct. 2, 9, 16, 23
LINN  W  7:30-9:30 p.m.  Sept. 18, 25, Oct. 2, 9, 16, 23
SONYA  TH  5:00-7:00 p.m.  Sept. 19, 26, Oct. 3, 10, 17, 24
LINN  TH  7:30-9:30 p.m.  Sept. 19, 26, Oct. 3, 10, 17, 24

Session II
BECK  M  5:00-7:00 p.m.  Oct. 28, Nov. 4, 11, 18, Dec. 2, 9
SONYA  T  5:00-7:00 p.m.  Oct. 29, Nov. 5, 12, 19, Dec. 3, 10
BECK  T  7:30-9:30 p.m.  Oct. 29, Nov. 5, 12, 19, Dec. 3, 10
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LINN  W  7:30-9:30 p.m.  Oct. 30, Nov. 6, 13, 20, Dec. 4, 11
SONYA  TH  5:00-7:00 p.m.  Oct. 31, Nov. 7, 14, 21, Dec. 5, 12
TBA  TH  7:30-9:30 p.m.  Oct. 31, Nov. 7, 14, 21, Dec. 5, 12

Handmade Soaps
Psu Student $10  Psu Staff/Faculty $20
Create hand-molded soaps in a variety of scents, colors and shapes. Make your own labels and packaging to give a completed look to your creations. Instructor: Devon
Session I  T  12:00-1:15 p.m.  Sept. 24
Session II  T  12:00-1:15 p.m.  Nov. 5

Canvas Painting Open Studio
Psu Student $5  Psu Staff/Faculty $15
Want a relaxing way to spend your lunch break? Join us for a no-pressure painting workshop. A 9" x 12" stretched canvas and paints are provided. After that, it is up to you to unleash your creativity! Instructor: Cfac Staff
Session I  M  12:00-1:30 p.m.  Sept. 23
Session II  M  12:00-1:30 p.m.  Nov. 4

Lunchtime Workshops
*Most workshops start at noon- however, due to academic class schedules, late arrivals are permitted.
Acrylic Landscape Painting  **NEW!**  
PSU Student $10     PSU Staff/Faculty $35  
Experience the world of acrylic painting by learning new techniques with brushes and color mixing. Practice these skills by painting a landscape of your choosing on a canvas!  
Instructor: LI  
Session I  M  6:00-8:00 p.m.  Sept. 16, 23

Cross Stitching  
PSU Student $10     PSU Staff/Faculty $30  
Use colorful embroidery threads to create a design in fabric. Learn the basics of cross stitching and how to read a stitch chart. Meets twice.  
Instructor: SNYDER  
Session I  W  5:30-7:30 p.m.  Sept. 18, 25

Sumi-e Painting  **NEW!**  
PSU Student $10     PSU Staff/Faculty $35  
Learn how to use a Japanese calligraphy brush and practice painting bamboo with ink! Then, make your own step-by-step landscape ink paintings based on traditional Sumi-e art. Meets twice.  
Instructor: LI  
Session I  M  6:00-8:00 p.m.  Sept. 30, Oct. 7

Painted Jeans  **NEW!**  
PSU Student $10     PSU Staff/Faculty $20  
Up-cycle your old jean clothing in this painting and embroidery workshop! From jackets to jeans to anything-in-between, we can give your jean clothing new life by adding personalized designs in both paint and cloth! Take inspiration from famous artists such as Van Gogh, Monet, Warhol, and many more as we explore our artistic styles. Please provide your own jean clothing, at least 1-2 articles of clothing.  
Instructor: COFRANCESCO  
Session I  W  5:30-7:30 p.m.  Oct. 2

Beaded Earrings  **NEW!**  
PSU Student $10     PSU Staff/Faculty $25  
Learn basic beading techniques to create unique fashion earrings! Create a few pairs using a variety of beads and learn to bend wire and assemble with earring hooks.  
Instructor: SNYDER  
Session I  TH  5:15-7:15 p.m.  Dec. 11

Wire Animal Sculpture  **NEW!**  
PSU Student $10     PSU Staff/Faculty $30  
Do you enjoy animals? Want to explore a new art medium? Transform 2-D animal images into large-scale wire sculptures using wire and wood. The pieces created will be perfect gifts or wall art for every animal lover!  
Instructor: COFRANCESCO  
Session I  W  5:30-7:30 p.m.  Dec. 5, 12

String Art  **NEW!**  
PSU Student $10     PSU Staff/Faculty $30  
Make a fun three dimensional design for your personal space with brightly colored embroidery floss, nails, and wood! Come prepared with an idea, and the instructor will help you make that idea come to life!  
Instructor: BODNAR  
Session I  M  5:15-7:15 p.m.  Nov. 4

Blue Period Guitar Sculpture  **NEW!**  
PSU Student $10     PSU Staff/Faculty $30  
Do you enjoy mixed-media and examining famous works of art? Consider this class where we’ll be exploring Pablo Picasso’s The Guitarist through a 3-Dimensional collage! Construct a life-size cardboard guitar sculpture that mimics Picasso’s style, but with our artistic own visions.  
Instructor: COFRANCESCO  
Session I  W  5:30-7:30 p.m.  Nov. 16

Galaxy Tie Dye Shirts  **NEW!**  
PSU Student $5     PSU Staff/Faculty $20  
Try out this new take on tie-dying! This method mimics the appearance of the stary universe. Make your own with little more than a black shirt, bleach, fabric paint and tie-dyes. Meets twice.  
Instructor: BODNAR  
Session I  W  5:30-7:30 p.m.  Oct. 14, 21

Mondrian Acrylic Silhouettes  **NEW!**  
PSU Student $10     PSU Staff/Faculty $30  
Be immersed into Piet Mondrain’s world, creating an 9”x12” canvas painting in his style but with our own twist! Mondrian’s artwork utilizes bold primary colors to create a distinct abstract style. Impose his unique design onto silhouettes of our choosing- be it a favorite animal, an everyday object, or even your own facial profile! There will be beginner instruction to acrylics as well as a discussion on abstract art and color theory.  
Instructor: COFRANCESCO  
Session I  W  5:30-7:30 p.m.  Oct. 23

Advanced Crochet  **NEW!**  
PSU Student $10     PSU Staff/Faculty $35  
Learn advanced crochet stitches and apply them to creating a bag. Basic crochet knowledge required. Meets twice.  
Instructor: SNYDER  
Session I  TH  5:15-7:15 p.m.  Nov. 14, 21

Stained Glass Gift Box  **NEW!**  
PSU Student $25     PSU Staff/Faculty $60  
Learn to foil and solder precut glass pieces to create an eight inch box. The box will then be filled with a string of lights, and finished off with a decorative bow. All supplies included.  
Instructor: PLATTNER  
Session I  TH  5:15-7:15 p.m.  Dec. 5, 12
**RECYCLED ART WORKSHOPS**

**Relief Cardboard Fall Scene**
PSU Student Free (registration is still required to save a space)
PSU Staff/Faculty $15
Paint cardboard pieces and assemble them in layers to create a fun fall collage! Instructor: GATTO
Session I  W 12:00-1:00 p.m.  Nov. 6

**Woven Wall Hanging**
PSU Student $5  PSU Staff/Faculty $15
Learn how to weave with a variety of yarns and fabric strips on a cardboard loom. Create a fun, colorful textile wall hanging. Instructor: CFAC STAFF
Session I  T 12:00-1:00 p.m.  Oct. 1

**Illuminated Wine Bottles**
PSU Student $10  PSU Staff/Faculty $20
Use beeswax to turn scrap cotton fabrics into reusable wraps for food. A sustainable alternative to plastic bags. Instructor: DEVON
Session I  TH 12:00-1:00 p.m.  Oct. 3
Session II  TH 12:00-1:00 p.m.  Nov. 7

**Reuseable Beeswax Cloth Wrap**
PSU Student Free (registration is still required to save a space)
PSU Staff/Faculty $15
Use beeswax to turn scrap cotton fabrics into reusable wraps for food. A sustainable alternative to plastic bags. Instructor: DEVON
Session I  TH 12:00-1:00 p.m.  Oct. 3
Session II  TH 12:00-1:00 p.m.  Nov. 7

**Woven Fall Owls**
PSU Student $5  PSU Staff/Faculty $15
Use a cardboard loom, a variety of yarns and fabric strips to weave a cute fall owl. Can either be used as a wall hanging or turned into a magnet! Instructor: CFAC STAFF
Session I  W 12:00-1:00 p.m.  Nov. 6

**Button Tree Art**
PSU Student Free (registration is still required to save a space)
PSU Staff/Faculty $15
Create a piece to spruce up your walls! Paint a background and simple tree on a small canvas, then embellish by adding buttons! Instructor: GATTO
Session I  W 12:00-1:15 p.m. Nov. 13

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**STAFF BIOGRAPHIES**

**Program Director**
**Stephanie Gush** enjoys working with Penn State students to develop and promote art programs for all ages! She began her career with the CFAC as an instructor for youth art camps and after school art classes and continues to find excitement in creating opportunities for exploration and expression through art. She freelances in graphic design and illustration, paints, enjoys hiking, and volunteers in the administration of community art events. She has experience teaching printmaking, bookmaking, drawing/painting to children and adults. She is a graduate of Penn State with a degree in Art, with an emphasis in printmaking.

**Administrative Support Assistant**
**Mandi Gatto** is a Penn State graduate with a bachelor of arts degree in Integrative Arts, with a focus in drawing and painting. She joined the CFAC in 2006. She teaches a variety of craft workshops to adults through the CFAC, and is also the Administrative Support Assistant, creating ads, maintaining email lists, and helping PSU students, staff and faculty sign up for art classes! Mandi has past experience teaching drawing/painting, pottery, and woodworking at summer camps. She enjoys doing anything crafty, such as scrapbooking and drawing, and spending time with family.

**Instructors**

**Sonya Aboud** has been teaching ceramics for more than fourteen years and still can’t get enough. Teaching children and adults wheel thrown and hand built ceramics is one of her most fulfilling experiences. She minored in ceramics at George Washington University. She was born in Trinidad and has traveled to Turkey, Florence, Rhodes, England and Crete.

**Kelly Beck** is a local to the State College area and is majoring in Community, Environment and Development at Penn State. Kelly has been working with ceramics for over two years and enjoys learning new ways to work with clay. She participates in 4H Club, where she has held officer positions and taught baking and rabbitry.

**Hannah Bodnar** is a senior at Penn State working on her second bachelor’s degree in Middle School Education with a concentration in Math. Her first degree is in Agri-Business Management which she also earned at Penn State in 2014. Hannah has had the opportunity to work with the CFAC for the past couple of years through their summer Art Camp, Spring workshops and Late Night Crafts. In her spare time, she enjoys reading, hanging out with her cats and dabbling in various art forms such as clay, acrylic painting, and watercolor.

**Clarisse Cofrancesco** is a junior Middle Level Education major with a minor in Education Public Policy at Penn State. She specializes in 3-dimensional art and sculpture. Clarisse has a passion for creating a fun and educational classroom environment where students can effortlessly explore their artistic interests. In her free-time, Clarisse is a member of No Refund Theater and serves as their 2019 President.

**Melanie Devon** is a junior at PSU majoring in Interdisciplinary Studio with a minor in Landscape Architecture. She has had an interest in Art and Design for most of her life but has never been confined to one specific medium as she enjoys creating both 2D and 3D art. She also enjoys working collaboratively with others to help them with their own art.

**Elizabeth Durdan** is a Secondary Education major with a focus in Biology at Penn State. She likes to incorporate science with the arts. She has been an art camp instructor with the CFAC this past summer and is looking forward to instructing adult art classes this fall. She works with multiple mediums, but her favorite is paint.

**Anissa Erkert** is an artist and educator with an interest in three-dimensional soft sculpture, water-based media painting, and sustainable art-making. She has years of experience as a domestic childcare provider, and as a classroom tutor and volunteer. She is a student of the Penn State Schreyer Honors College, a Paterno Fellow, and a double major in Art Education and Anthropology pursuing minors in Theatre, WGSS (Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies), and Disability Studies.

**Rafael Izakov** has extensive experiences in black and white, color, slide, and digital photography. He has worked as a freelance reporter and his works have been published in magazines and newspapers. Rafael has won many photo competitions and enjoys photographing people, landscapes, streets, theatre, sporting events, and travel scenes. He works as a volunteer assistant instructor for photography classes at PSU and is now focusing on digital photography with emphasis on improving photographs using new software.

**Sarah Jameson** is a senior Drawing & Painting BFA student at Penn State. She enjoys painting portraits in oil and watercolor, and also sculpts in clay. Sarah is a member of the Operations Committee as well as a Trilogue member and Graphics Chair for THON. She is happiest when painting and listening to good music.
**STAFF BIOGRAPHIES**

**Lisa Li** is a sophomore studying digital art at Penn State and is in the Schreyer Honors College. She also is an arts ambassador for the School of Visual Arts. In her free time, she loves abstract painting with acrylics, playing video games with her friends, and learning new languages. Although she is young, she has big aspirations, and is really excited to share her love of art with you all this year!

**Andrea Linn** is a sophomore at Penn State, double majoring in French and a Bachelors of Fine Arts in Ceramics. She taught pottery during the summer art camps at the Center for Arts & Crafts, and also serves as the Ceramics Studio manager there as well. Andrea is very excited to share her knowledge with others!

**Erica Parsons** is a 2011 graduate of Penn State with a Bachelor of Science degree in Art Education. She has recently begun substitute teaching within the local school district and her main artistic interest is in drawing and painting. She plans to go to graduate school to pursue a Master of Fine Arts degree in the near future. In her free time, she enjoys camping, reading, and watching Steelers football with friends and family.

**Ken Plattner** has studied at the University of Maryland, in Munich, Germany and at Penn State. In 1977, he opened his own stained glass studio on Beaver Avenue in State College. Ken began teaching stained glass for the CFAC in the late 1970’s.

**Sarah Snyder** has been crocheting since she was eight years old with her mom. She has learned more about fiber arts, through teaching others here at the Art Center and the Drop in Knitting group. She also maintains an Etsy Shop selling her crocheted and needle worked items. She has lived in Happy Valley since 2008 with her two cats, Fleury and Sawyer. Sarah also works in Athletics and helps run the video board, running replays and graphics.

**Mike Theuer** is a professional portrait artist who has been painting and drawing portraits in pencil and transparent watercolor full time these last twelve years. He has been an art teacher for almost twenty years starting from the time he taught his first watercolor class at the CFAC in 1994, continuing until 2015 when he officially retired. Until now. He’s back teaching again! In his class, students from beginner to competent can expect individual attention and development.

**Maritha Yeboah** is a senior at Penn State, studying sculpture and architecture. She is originally from Newark, New Jersey and always had a passion for art but did not recognize it until she became a student at Penn State. Coming from Newark, she was not able to gain access to much art so she would create her own using found objects. Her goal is to work with both forms of art that she is studying once she graduates and create a medium between architecture and sculpture.

**Seth Young** graduated from Edinboro University with a Bachelors in Applied Media Arts. He attended The Governor’s School for Arts in 2007 and studied four years of animation in college. He has always had a lifelong passion for comics and loves to study the different styles and techniques used in them. In his spare time, Seth is working on a comic with a collaborator in Philadelphia as well as participating in upcoming conventions.

**Simon Zhang** is a first-year student at Penn State studying Graphic Design. He enjoys painting, drawing, cartooning, and digital illustration. Simon is passionate about teaching, and he aspires to teach art in his mother’s hometown of Shanghai someday.

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**REGISTRATION FOR FALL 2019**

Mail to:  CENTER FOR ARTS and CRAFTS  003 RITENOUR BUILDING  PENN STATE UNIVERSITY  UNIVERSITY PARK, PA 16802

Register in person at 003 Ritenour Building, M-F, 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m., beginning August 21. Registration office hours extend until 8:30 p.m. starting on September 16 and continue throughout the semester. Questions call (814) 863-0611 or email craftcenter@psu.edu

Payment by cash or check. Credit cards in person 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Mon.-Fri.

**Refund Policy**

• $10.00 fee for class cancellation.
• FULL refunds issued ONLY if the Center for Arts and Crafts (CFAC) cancels a class or changes a class time or date

Cancellation must be made 3 days prior to the start of class to receive a partial refund. Any cancellation made less than 2 days prior to or after the start date, a refund will not be issued.

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*PSU affiliation is required to participate in any CFAC adult class or workshop. See page 4.

**How many classes have you taken at the CFAC previously?**

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