Dear Fine Arts Students,

As the fall 2015 semester comes to a close, I want very much to thank you for the inspiration you have given to me, our faculty, staff and audiences for the past few months! Some of my most memorable moments come from you - from your work on the stage, in the shops, in rehearsals, exhibitions, concerts, our Student Advisory Council Meetings, Task Force on Diversity and Inclusion meetings, and during individual conferences in which you generously and graciously shared your concerns, hopes, goals and genuine care for the College of Fine Arts and all our programs. I am amazed and delighted by your fire and enthusiasm, your imagination and passion, and your trust in joining with me to create an environment that is supportive of all your best efforts.

Last January I was excited (and a bit nervous) when asked to become your interim dean and now I am humbled to have been officially appointed your dean just five weeks ago. I will greatly appreciate your continued desire to participate fully as students in the Weitzenhoffer Family College of Fine Arts - your energy is contagious and one of our most important assets. Let that energy carry you to success as you complete the semester (and some of you complete your degrees!), enjoy a safe and happy winter break, and begin to imagine and plan how we can work together to make the spring 2016 semester the best ever!

With devotion,

Mary Margaret Holt, Dean
Weitzenhoffer Family College of Fine Arts
Nichols Chair, Regents’ Professor and
Director, School of Dance

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**Upcoming Dates & Deadlines**

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For a complete Academic Calendar click [here](http://www.ou.edu).

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**Stay in the know! @OUFA_Advising**
Stop by the Fine Arts Dean’s Office!
Fred Jones Center 122
Susie Broach
sbroach@ou.edu
Studio Art, Music, MTHR
Elizabeth Nunley
elizabeth.nunley@ou.edu
Art, Dance, Drama

DECEMBER CONVOCATION

Friday, December 18, 2015
7:00 p.m.
Performance Hall of the Donald W. Reynolds Performing Arts Center

Graduates should gather no later than 6:30 p.m. in the foyer outside the School of Dance offices with their cap and gown. Professor Henry McDaniel will be announcing your name at the convocation ceremony. If you feel Professor McDaniel may require assistance in pronouncing your name, please call 325-4021. Storage will not be available for graduates during the convocation ceremony. Please make prior arrangements for personal items (purses, coats, etc.).

All graduates must have completed an official graduation check in the Fine Arts Dean’s office with Mrs. Broach or Ms. Nunley.

DECEMBER INTERSESSION

INTERSESSION.OU.EDU
DECEMBER 21, 2015 - JANUARY 15, 2016

CLASSES DO NOT MEET DEC. 24, 25 OR JANUARY 1

The Intersession Office will assist students/faculty via email, intersession@ou.edu,
December 24, 2015-January 3, 2016 while the University is closed for winter break.

- Final Day to Register online - December 22
- Last day to drop and receive 100% refund - December 22
- Dec. 23-Jan. 15: Students must contact the Intersession Office to add/drop a class
- Automatic grade of W for dropped courses for undergraduates, Dec. 23 - Jan 4

*Students must contact the Intersession office, intersession@ou.edu, to add or drop after classes begin. Permission is required.

* Visit intersession.ou.edu for the most current information.
FREE Study Sessions

DMAT 0113, DMAT 0123:
Tues 7:00-8:30 pm
Wagner Hall 145

GEOG 1114, Physical Geography:
Mon 5:30-7:00pm
Wagner Hall 240

HIST 1483 & 1493, U.S. History:
Mon 6:00-8:00pm
Wagner Hall 250

MATH 1473, MATH 1503:
Wed 7:00-9:00pm
Wagner Hall 135

MUTH 1511, 1611, 2512, 2612:
Mon 2:30-4:15pm
Tues 4:00-6:00pm
Thurs 3:00-5:00pm
Catlett Music Center 228

P SC 1113, American Gov’t:
Wed 6:00-8:00pm
Wagner Hall 245

Study Abroad 101 Info Session:
Mon 7:30-8:00pm
Housing Learning Center (Muldrow Tower 105)

Plus MANY other subjects! For a complete schedule go to http://uc.ou.edu/action.

Winter break is a great time to finalize your scholarship application!

The new application system allows current students to apply for all OU scholarships in one central location with one deadline.

ou.edu/scholarships

Spring 2016 application due December 14, 2015

2016 - 2017 application due February 1, 2016

Apply early to ensure you have enough time to complete all components of the application process. You can save and edit your answers any time until the application due date.
# Final Exam Study Sessions!

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For a complete schedule click [here](#). Visit their [website](#) for up to date information.

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**School of Art & Art History Alum, Cayla Lewis ★ ★**

Class of 2011

Cayla Lewis, a resident of Oklahoma City and raised in Yukon, serves as Executive Director of the Plaza District. As Executive Director, Cayla works as the primary advocate for district revitalization and the primary coordinator of the association’s activities. Overall responsibilities include engaging the community, marketing the district, directing operations and place management.

Cayla graduated spring 2011 with a Bachelors of Fine Art in Art (Printmaking and Contemporary Sculpture) and minors in Art History and Interdisciplinary Perspectives on the Environment. During her stay at the College of Fine Arts, Cayla was very active in the Print Club. Cayla has interned with Oklahoma Visual Arts Coalition and The City of Oklahoma City’s Office of Arts and Cultural Affairs.

Active in her community, Cayla serves on the board for Classen Ten Penn Neighborhood Association, co-chairs Oklahoma Visual Arts Coalition’s Momentum OKC, as well as serving as Administration Chair for Midtown Rotary. She is also a graduate of Oklahoma Arts Council’s Leadership Arts program and has served as chair for her neighborhood’s annual community festival, as well as volunteering for multiple organizations throughout the city. Cayla was recently named one of [okc.biz](#)’s 40 Under 40 for her creative contributions through business and community leadership, and is also a member of LOYAL Class XI. An avid art lover, you'll find Cayla at many local art shows, adding to her collection.

While being active, Cayla still does her best to make time for art. She has curated a performance art show at IAO Gallery and produced Hub of Creativity in Automobile Alley, making use of found objects to celebrate the historic area. Cayla has also helped manage the process for 9th St. Braid in Automobile Alley and is chairing a mural project in McKinley Park in Oklahoma City. She has also been involved in multiple group shows including the 24:7 Exhibition at The Project Box, multiple shows at Brass Bell Studios, and currently has work in Graphite Elements & Design and Chi Gallery.

When not out and about, Cayla enjoys spending time with her dog Lola and cat Nona.

If she could offer any piece of advice, it would be that you actually have to put in the work. Having big dreams can be fun, but actions make the difference.
Event dates, times, and locations can change. For up-to-date information, call the box office or check online; ou.edu/finearts/events.

Purchase your University Theatre tickets online! theatre.ou.edu

For a complete list of faculty, student, and chamber recitals see “Performances & Events Calendar” at music.ou.edu

For more information on Fred Jones Jr. Museum of Art events please visit ou.edu/fjjma
The Student Success Series workshops have ended for the semester, but you still have access to great information and resources on their website. As you prepare for finals, be sure to visit their website for great tutorials, videos, and study tips!!

studentsuccess.ou.edu

For help with any stage in the writing process, visit the OU Writing Center!

Main Location
Wagner Hall 280: Mon - Thurs 9am to 5pm

Also located in...
Bizzell Memorial Library
Collaborative Learning Center (lower level 1):
Sun - Tues 5:00-9:00pm

Adams Tower
Housing Learning Center, Muldrow Tower
Across from Raising Cane's:
Friday 9:00am - 1:00pm

Their website is full of great resources, too!

http://www.ou.edu/content/writingcenter/.html