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June 15, 2017

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GUH Open House + Book Fair

Thursday, August 24 5PM-7PM

Morrison Library, UC Berkeley [map](#)

Come celebrate the start of the fifth year of our activities, including the launch of our new undergraduate program. Learn about an exciting international traveling studio on U.S.-Mexico borderlands, an undergraduate studio on art and performance at a landfill, a seminar on populism art and the city, and our new certificate programs. The Open House will also include a book fair with works authored or edited by GUH faculty. RSVP [here](#).



Multiplicity of Knowledges in Socially-engaged Artistic Practice

Cecilie Sachs Olsen examines *invisible Zürichs*, a two month-long curatorial developed by zURBS as part of a residency for independent artistic collectives at the theater Gessnerallee in Zurich in 2013. The endeavor created an urban laboratory that engaged the residents of Zurich in rethinking and rediscovering their city. Olsen's research is featured in GUH's publication *P[art]icipatory Urbanisms*. [More](#)



Fall 2017 Colloquium: City as Nexus

Global Urban Humanities Speaker Series-Open to the Public

The city is a social nexus. It binds people, things, forces, ideas together as a crossroads, grid, and network. But exactly how? And to what end? In this wide-ranging colloquium, speakers from a variety of disciplines will present research on the relational dynamic of cities. This 1-unit colloquium provides an introduction to the cross-disciplinary approaches offered in the new Graduate Certificate in Global Urban Humanities. The talks are scheduled to occur on Wednesdays from 12-1:30PM. Course registration information is available [here](#).



Web/Communications Coordinator

Work-Study Position Starting ASAP

GUH is seeking a creative graphic designer and social media coordinator who can also assist with assignments related to basic program administration and event planning. This work-study position is 8-12 hours per week starting June 26, 2017. Work location is Wurster Hall, with some flexibility for off-site work and hours. Application details are available [here](#).

GUH Picks



Architecture and Design Films Showcase

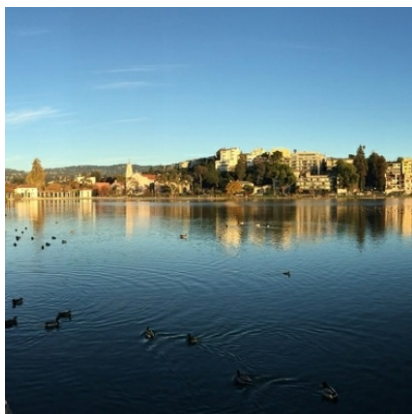
June 17-June 25

Yerba Buena Center for the Arts

701 Mission St., San Francisco, CA [map](#)



YBCA presents its third edition of the Architecture and Design Films Showcase with twelve new films that show how design and architecture are crucial to feeding public imagination. [More](#)



Resilient by Design Challenge

Thursday, June 22 12:30PM

Spur 1544 Broadway Oakland, CA 94612 [map](#)

The bay is a major amenity for our region, but its extensiveness also makes it daunting to anticipate and respond to sea level rise. A new regional design challenge launching this summer, Resilient by Design, will bring together Bay Area communities and designers to envision the resilient waterfronts of our future. Get a sneak peak at the design brief and join a discussion of what's to come before the challenge concludes in the spring of 2018. [More](#)

Opportunities

2017 SACRPH Biennial Awards Competition

DEADLINE: [August 1](#) & [August 15](#), 2017. SACRPH is offering several awards for publications published between August 2015 and July 2017, conference papers, teaching, and student travel. See application details [here](#).

Call for Student Proposals for Interdisciplinary Publications

DEADLINE: September 25, 2017. GUH is offering support for interdisciplinary publications on cities and

urban life. GUH support covers a one-time collection of research, essays, and/or visual materials around an urban topic or theme that draws on the knowledge of a variety of disciplines. Detailed application information is available [here](#).

CFP Undergraduate & Graduate Course Grants 2018-20

DEADLINE: October 1, 2017. GUH invites interdisciplinary two-person faculty teams to submit proposals for two type of courses for the 2018-2020 academic years. The first opportunity is for an undergraduate research studio course on cities and urban experience (at a Bay Area site) that will combine approaches from the arts and humanities and the environmental design disciplines. The second opportunity is for a graduate traveling research studio. GUH will sponsor international research travel by faculty and graduate students to investigate urban form and experience. Proposals received by October 1st will be considered for the 2018-2020 academic years. [More](#)

For more workshops, CFPs, jobs, and fellowship information, visit our [Opportunities](#) page.

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