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Highlighted Events

December 2022

A Festival of Lessons and Carols
When: Sunday, December 4, 2022, 10:30 AM - 12:30 PM Central
Where: Alice Millar Chapel, 1870 Sheridan Road, Evanston, IL
Cost: Free
Contact: Concert Management Office, (847) 467-4000, events.music@northwestern.edu
Stephen Alltop, conductor; Alice Millar Chapel Choir; Philharmonia; Millar Brass Ensemble
Note: this performance will begin at 10:40 a.m.
In this beloved holiday tradition, readings and musical gems combine to portray the Christmas miracle. The program includes carol settings from medieval to modern for brass, strings, organ, and choir by John Joubert, Giovanni Gabrieli, Hans Leo Hassler, Lester Seigel, John Tavener, and Eric Whitacre. Admission is free; an offering will be accepted.

Global Health Day
When: Friday, December 2, 2022, 12:00 PM - 5:00 PM Central
Where: Robert H Lurie Medical Research Center, 303 E. Superior, Chicago, IL
Contact: Meg Kennedy, (312) 503-9000, meg.kennedy@northwestern.edu
Global Health Day, hosted by the Robert J. Havey, MD Institute for Global Health, is an exciting opportunity to draw together global health researchers, educators and students to celebrate and discover more about global health research, education, and outreach efforts.
This year's event will be held in-person, and will include a panel from the Institute for Global Health Directors, a poster session, and a keynote address:
Satish Gopal, MD, MPH
Director, Center for Global Health at National Cancer Institute
Students, faculty, community members and partners from all disciplines, both at Northwestern and unaffiliated, are welcome to participate.
Please RSVP here: https://forms.feinberg.northwestern.edu/view.php?id=2139889117 - Procession, John Evans Alumni Center, 1800 Sheridan Road, Evanston, IL

2022 ISEN Annual Symposium: Current Perspectives in Sustainability and Energy
When: December 1, 9:00 AM - 7:00 PM Central and December 2, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Central
Where: James L Allen Center, 2169 Campus Drive, Evanston, IL
Contact: Jeff Henderson, jeffhenderson@northwestern.edu
Opportunities to address the pressing global impacts of climate change have never been more critical, particularly in this consequential Climate Decade. From the clean energy economy to intersectional issues like environmental justice, sustainable investing, climate policy, and science communication, there are countless ways Northwestern faculty and collaborators are lending expertise to guide the way forward.
As the University hub for research and education in sustainability and energy, the Institute for Sustainability and Energy at Northwestern (ISEN) will convene faculty and partners on Dec. 1-2 to discuss new and ongoing work that accelerates the speed, broadens the scale, and deepens the impact of climate and energy solutions worldwide.
This 2-day symposium will facilitate discussion at the convergence of more than 20 academic disciplines, departments, centers and institutes, and explore potential points of future University collaboration around Climate and Energy Transition, and Resilient Communities.

18th Annual Heart Failure Holiday Symposium
When: December 2-3, 2022, All day
Contact: Haley Burkhardt, haley.burkhardt@northwestern.edu
Now in its 18th year, this symposium is respected as a top-tier regional heart failure meeting. Critical updates and thoughtful contemporary reviews delivered by
national experts in the field, including recognized Northwestern faculty, have been the hallmark of this program. This year we will once again assemble leading cardiologists, cardiac surgeons, nurses, and psychologists with expertise in heart failure and cardiac surgery to provide updates on the very latest clinical, scientific, genetic, behavioral, and technological advances for managing patients with heart failure.

The Institute for Public Health and Medicine (IPHAM) at Northwestern University is hosting the IPHAM Population Health Forum and 10-Year Anniversary Celebration on Thursday, December 8, 2022. This event will include a poster session. Accepted posters will highlight work supported by Northwestern with a focus on population and public health.

**NU Recreation Group Exercise Classes**

*Where: In-Person and Online*

*Cost: Free*

Stay fit and active all fall with Northwestern Recreation! Classes like cardio, strength, yoga, ZUMBA, HIIT, Kickboxing, and BODYPUMP are online, and a list of instructors and times can be found [here](#). Registration is required and may be done on the Recreation chapter of this Events Listing.
Arts

Art Exhibitions

Looking 101: Teaching Gallery
When: Through Dec. 4
Where: Block Museum of Art
How do we slow down our looking habits to better understand the process of meaning-making? How do our individual backgrounds and lived experiences affect how and what we see?
We invite you to enter our teaching gallery and engage in a typical classroom activity: an exercise in close looking that can be used to analyze any work of art. We have intentionally excluded contextual and interpretive texts from the walls of this exhibition so you can begin your visit with direct observation of the artworks.

The Block Collects 2022
When: October 12 - December 4, 2022
Where: Block Museum of Art
Contact: Lindsay Bosch, lindsay.bosch@northwestern.edu
Every year The Block brings new works of art into the collection to support Northwestern University’s teaching and learning mission. Each work becomes part of an expanding resource that students, faculty, and our wider public can engage with through classes, research visits, and exhibitions like this.
Acquired by The Block over the past five years, these works build on strengths and expand perspectives represented in the collection.

The Story of Ka Makana o’ ka, An Exhibit by Trotter Alexander
When: Through December 7, 2022
Where: Norris University Center, Dittmar Gallery, 1999 Campus Drive, Evanston, IL 60208
Contact: Nancy Cunniff, (847) 467-2294, onebook@northwestern.edu
The Story of Ka Makana o’ ka is an exhibit about a boy from Chicago going into a new world of Hawaii, experiencing numerous different lifestyles, vegetation, and people. Artist Trotter Alexander’s works address topics such as drug use, depression, infatuation, self-hate/love, racial identity, existentialism, and insanity.

The Brahms I Love
When: Friday, December 9, 2022, 7:30 PM - 9:30 PM Central
Where: Pick-Staiger Concert Hall, 50 Arts Circle Drive, Evanston, IL
Cost: Single tickets are $30 for the general public and $10 for students with valid ID.
Contact: Concert Management Office, (847) 467-4000, events.music@northwestern.edu
Part of the 2022-23 Keyboard Conversations series
Jeffrey Siegel, piano
Passionate rhapsodies, charming waltzes, and intimate intermezzos composed by Johannes Brahms.
**Symphonic Band**
When: Friday, December 2, 2022, 7:30 PM - 9:30 PM Central
Where: Pick-Staiger Concert Hall, 50 Arts Circle Drive, Evanston, IL
Cost: Tickets are $6 for the general public and $4 for students with valid ID.
Contact: Concert Management Office, (847) 467-4000, events.music@northwestern.edu
Shaun Vondran, conductor
Valerie Coleman, Roma
John Barnes Chance, Elegy
Gustav Holst, Second Suite in F
David Maslanka, Mother Earth: A Fanfare
Adam Schoenberg, Finding Rothko

**Northwestern University Chamber Orchestra**
When: Thursday, December 1, 2022, 7:30 PM - 9:30 PM Central
Where: Pick-Staiger Concert Hall, 50 Arts Circle Drive, Evanston, IL
Cost: Tickets are $6 for the general public and $4 for students with valid ID.
Contact: Concert Management Office, (847) 467-4000, events.music@northwestern.edu
Robert G. Hasty, conductor; Kaytlin Withers, soprano (Concerto/Aria Competition winner)
W. A. Mozart, Symphony No. 35 in D Major (“Haffner”)
Joseph Haydn, Scena di Berenice
Ludwig van Beethoven, Symphony No. 2 in D Major

**Art Talks! with Block Student Associates**
When: Saturday, December 3, 2022, 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM Central
Where: Block Museum of Art, 40 Arts Circle Drive, Evanston, IL
Contact: Block Museum of Art, (847) 491-4000, block-museum@northwestern.edu
Meet the Block Museum Student Associates in our galleries for a close look at works on view at The Block that spark their curiosity.
Block Museum Student Associates are Northwestern undergraduates representing interdisciplinary fields of study from across the University who lead thought-provoking discussions about art and ideas that are relevant to our lives today. Free, 45-minute talks take place in the gallery.
Years after the emergence of Ni Una Menos in Argentina and #MeToo in the United States, how do feminist activists and general audiences in both countries evaluate and transform communication of sexual and gender-based violence? Drawing from cross-country survey experiments and interviews with feminist actors and general publics, I analyze how two countries in the Americas—loci of some of the largest anti-violence movements in recent times—are constructing, challenging, and resisting communication for gender equality.

Celeste Wagner (Ph.D., University of Pennsylvania) is an Assistant Professor at the College of Journalism and Communications at the University of Florida. Through mixed and comparative methods, her research studies media reception and impact around social and political issues, with a particular focus on intersecting gender inequalities.

Memory, Transformation, and the Communal Leprous Body in Premodern Christian Thought - Lily Stewart
When: Thursday, December 1, 2022, 12:00 PM - 12:45 PM Central
Where: Online for those outside the Northwestern community - register here
Contact: Myria Knox, (312) 503-7962, knox@northwestern.edu
This lecture will examine how medieval people with leprosy imagined the processes by which their bodies and identities transformed. Leprosy was a degenerative condition that often carried a long prognosis and significant changes in mobility, appearance, and social positioning. We will explore how people with the disease were often caught between the memories of their former, healthy identities, and the realities of their ailing presents. At the same time, we will consider how memory was used to craft communities of care around and among leprous people that centered on the inherent mutability of human flesh, and the potential of all bodies to become leprous.

The Ethics of Community-Engaged Work
When: Friday, December 2, 2022, 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Central
Where: Online - Webcast Link
Contact: Jill Mannor, (847) 467-3970, jill.mannor@northwestern.edu
Research that engages with communities beyond the academy often involves serious ethical considerations on both a theoretical and practical level. How can scholars in the humanities and humanistic social sciences create meaningful, mutually beneficial community partnerships? How should ethical considerations inform research aims and outcomes? How can those within the academy manage competing institutional expectations and timelines? This free, virtual event will bring together three panelists from leading public humanities initiatives to share their perspectives on the topic of ethical community-engaged work. Moderated by Ruth Curry of Northwestern’s Center for Civic Engagement, this discussion will offer diverse perspectives and strategies useful to anyone who is exploring or pursuing community-engaged work.
Breaking the School to Prison Pipeline

When: Friday, December 2, 2022, 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM Central
Where: 700, 500 Davis Street, Evanston, IL 60201
Contact: OLLI Northwestern, olli@northwestern.edu
In-person livestream of the OLLI Northwestern lecture sponsored by Northwestern University’s Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI).
School should be the pathway to a bright future. But for many children it is an inequitable pipeline to the criminal justice system. Black children are 2.5 times more likely to be arrested than white children. Join us for an important discussion on what this does to our communities and what we can do to change it.

Speakers:
Dr. Nneka Jones Tapia, the first psychologist to head the Cook County Jail, and Managering Director for Justice Initiatives at Chicago Beyond
Patrick Keenan-Devlin, Executive Director of the Moran Center for Juvenile Advocacy

Friendship: The Evolution, Biology, and Extraordinary Power of Life’s Fundamental Bond

When: Tuesday, December 6, 2022, 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Central
Contact: Julie Deardorff, (847) 467-3147, julie.deardorff@northwestern.edu
Award-winning science journalist Lydia Denworth’s Friendship: The Evolution, Biology, and Extraordinary Power of Life’s Fundamental Bond is a revelatory investigation of friendship, with profound implications for our understanding of what humans and animals alike need to thrive across a lifetime.

In this Family Action Network event, Denworth takes us in search of friendship’s biological, psychological, and evolutionary foundations. She finds friendship to be as old as early life on the African savannas—when tribes of people grew large enough for individuals to seek fulfillment of their social needs outside their immediate families.


Terminal Erythropoiesis and Its Dysregulation in Myeloid Neoplasms

When: Tuesday, December 6, 2022, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Central
Where: Robert H Lurie Medical Research Center, Baldwin Auditorium, 303 E. Superior, Chicago, IL
Contact: Grace Callihan, (312) 503-7815, grace.callihan@northwestern.edu

Peng Ji, MD, PhD
Professor of Pathology (Experimental Pathology) and Pathology (Hematopathology)
Feinberg School of Medicine
Northwestern University

The Ji laboratory studies normal hematopoiesis and myeloid malignancies. Erythropoiesis, the process by which red blood cells mature, must be carefully regulated under steady state conditions and goes awry under stress/disease conditions. The Ji lab and colleagues recently showed important pathways that regulate normal erythropoiesis and how defects in these pathways induce anemia and ineffective erythropoiesis. This talk will highlight implications of this and further research and how dysregulation of erythropoiesis contributes to disease pathogenesis in myeloid neoplasms.
Sexual Deserts and the Urban Stratification of Sexual Networks with Morgan Purrier, Ph.D.

When: Thursday, December 8, 2022, 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Central
Where: 625 N Michigan Ave, 1400, Stonewall Conference Room, Chicago, IL
Contact: Andrew Principe, andrew.principe@northwestern.edu

Northwestern's Institute for Sexual and Gender Minority Health and Wellbeing is thrilled to invite you to the December installment of our "Current Issues in LGBTQ Health" series featuring Morgan Purrier, Ph.D. Urban environments have long been argued to benefit LGBTQ people, especially queer men, through agglomerating queer spaces, resources, and partners. Large cities, such as New York, Chicago, and Los Angeles, frequently garner attention for their gayborhoods, queer leisure, sexual health programs, and dense queer populations. Despite these seemingly queer rich environments, many individuals remain separated, excluded, or dismissed from accessing such dense resources. Dr. Purrier uses the concept of sexual deserts—similar to the term food deserts—to refer to the systematic and structured inequalities in access to quality leisure and space. Focusing on queer men living in sexual deserts, he highlights both the overall difficulty in accessing quality sexual resources and the strategies utilized to build sociogeographic networks of partners and places. The event is free and open to the public. Virtual registrants will receive a Zoom link prior to the event. Lunch will be provided for in-person attendees who register by December 2nd.

Nicholas C. Jacobson, PhD: Utilizing Passively Collected Data in Daily Life to Enhance the Assessment and Treatment of Mental Health

When: Tuesday, December 6, 2022, 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Central
Where: Online - Webcast Link
Contact: Sarah Hill, (312) 503-6585, sarah.hill1@northwestern.edu

2022-2023 Digital Mental Health Lecture Series
The Center for Behavioral Intervention Technologies (CBITs) Northwestern University, in collaboration with the Society for Digital Mental Health. Dr. Nick Jacobson is a tenure-track assistant professor in the departments of Biomedical Data Science and Psychiatry within the Center for Technology and Behavioral Health in the Geisel School of Medicine at Dartmouth College. He directs the AI and Mental Health: Innovation in Technology Guided Healthcare (AIM HIGH) Laboratory. Dr. Jacobson researches the use of technology to enhance both the assessment and treatment of anxiety and depression. He has a strong interest in creating personalized just-in-time adaptive interventions and the quantitative tools that make this work possible. To date, Dr. Jacobson’s smartphone applications which assess and treat anxiety and depression have been downloaded and installed by more than 50,000 people in over 100 countries. Dr. Jacobson is the principal investigator of an R01 Awarded from the National Institute of Mental Health studying the use of personalized deep learning models to predict rapid changes in major depressive disorder symptoms using passive sensor data from smartphones and wearable devices.

Family Action Network: Why You Need a Manifesto

When: Monday, December 12, 2022, 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Central
Where: Online - Webcast Link
Contact: Julie Deardorff, (847) 467-3147, Julie.deardorff@northwestern.edu

Charlotte Burgess-Auburn, the author of You Need a Manifesto: How to Craft Your Convictions and Put Them to Work, speaks with Northwestern University’s Liz Gerber about how to craft a personal creed that will help you face daily tasks and roadblocks and create more purpose in your work. Burgess-Auburn is director of community at Stanford University’s Hasso Plattner Institute of Design (the “d.school”). Gerber is a professor at Northwestern, co-director of Northwestern’s Center for Human-Computer Interaction + Design, and faculty founder of Design for America, a national network of interdisciplinary students who work together to solve problems they care about in their community.

CASMI Virtual Panel - Defining 'Safety' in Artificial Intelligence

When: Tuesday, December 13, 2022, 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Central
Where: Online
Contact: Sarah Spurlock, sarah.spurlock@northwestern.edu

The first principle in the White House’s Blueprint for an AI Bill of Rights is the right to “Safe and Effective Systems.” But what does being safe mean with respect to AI technologies? Do we have a common definition for what safety means in the digital world? How can we know if the intelligent systems that are in use in so many facets of life and
society are endangering or providing safety? What should systems have to demonstrate in order to be considered safe? How do we determine the priority areas that must have focus to define and maintain safety in AI? What should systems have to demonstrate in order to be considered safe? How do we determine the priority areas that must have focus to define and maintain safety in AI?

Our panelists bring multiple distinct perspectives of what AI safety should mean and how it should be approached. Join us for a virtual panel discussion exploring how we understand what it means to be safe in a world that is increasingly incorporating AI technologies.

**Women Paving the Way in Diplomacy**
When: Thursday, December 1, 2022, 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM Central
Where: 1800 Sherman Avenue, Evanston, IL
Contact: Dylan Peterson, (847) 467-2770, buffettinstitute@northwestern.edu

Please join the Northwestern Roberta Buffett Institute for Global Affairs for a panel discussion on women paving the way in diplomacy on December 1 from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. CST (GMT-5), followed by a reception. This event is part of the Women’s Majlis Series, an initiative organized by Executive Women @ State, a U.S. Department of State employee organization advocating for gender equality, to provide space for connection and professional development among senior diplomatic women.

Panelists include **Alison Dilworth**, Managing Director of the U.S. Department of State’s Office of Overseas Citizens Services and President of Executive Women at State, **Beatriz Vivas**, Consul General at the Consulate General of Argentina in Chicago, **Susan Jacobs**, former U.S. Ambassador to Papua New Guinea, the Solomon Islands and Vanuatu, and **Monica Eppinger**, Co-Director of the Center for International and Comparative Law at Saint Louis University.

The discussion will be moderated by **Annelise Riles**, Executive Director of the Northwestern Roberta Buffett Institute for Global Affairs and Associate Provost for Global Affairs at Northwestern University.

**Event schedule:**
- 4:00-5:00 p.m. – Panel Discussion
- 5:00-6:00 p.m. – Reception at Northwestern Buffett

Register to attend **in-person** or **virtually via Zoom**.

**Health Coaching Essentials**
When: Thursday, December 1, 2022, 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Central
Where: Online - Webcast Link
Contact: Institute for Public Health and Medicine (IPHAM), ipham@northwestern.edu

Health and wellness coaching is emerging as one of the fastest growing healthcare professions. In this presentation, participants will learn about the roles of a health coach on a collaborative care team, the requirements for becoming a health coach, scope of practice issues, and research on the effectiveness of the coaching model.

We’ll also explore the future of health coaching.

**Guest:**
*Sandra Scheinbaum, PhD*

**Comparative-Historical Social Science Workshop**
When: Friday, December 2, 2022, 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM Central
Where: Parkes Hall, 222, 1870 Sheridan Road, Evanston, IL
Contact: Jack McGovern, johncgovern2027@u.northwestern.edu

Silyane Larcher: “L’heure de nous-mêmes a sonné!”: A transdisciplinary journey across race, gender and politics in the French Atlantic context
When: Thursday, December 1, 2022, 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM Central
Where: Kresge Hall, Trienens Forum (1-515), 1880 Campus Drive, Evanston, IL
Contact: Eliot Colin, gender@northwestern.edu
In this talk, a Martinican political philosopher and historical sociologist challenges the dominant narratives of French republicanism and of women's history in France. This lecture aims to show the heuristic force of a “black feminist epistemology” in praxis, bringing together the Caribbean, Africa, France, and the United States.
Silyane Larcher is a tenured research scholar in political sciences at the CNRS (French National Center for Scientific Research). With Felix Germain, she co-edited Black French Women and the Struggle for Equality (1848-2016), published at the University Press of Nebraska in 2018. Her main field of research focuses on the tensions between race and citizenship and universalism in France. She is particularly interested in political conflictuality inherited from the colonial past and the democratic present. Her next book (to be published by Le Seuil in 2023), based on a long-term qualitative survey, deals with the social and historical conditions of afrofeminism in France. This will be a Hybrid event (In-person and via zoom). Register to receive the zoom link.

Alzheimer's Disease Seminar Series - P. Hande Ozdinler, PhD
When: Thursday, December 8, 2022, 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Central
Where: McGaw Pavilion, Kellerman Classroom (McGaw 2-322), 240 E. Huron, Chicago, IL
Contact: Darby Morhardt, PhD, (312) 503-5767, d-morhardt@northwestern.edu
The Alzheimer’s Disease Seminar Series provides attendees with an understanding of current issues in clinical and basic science research in neurocognitive disorders and cognitive neuroscience.

Department of Chemistry Special Seminar - Libai Huang, Purdue University
When: Wednesday, December 14, 2022, 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM Central
Where: Technological Institute, L211, 2145 Sheridan Road, Evanston, IL
Contact: Sophie Tidd, (847) 491-4225, sophie.tidd@northwestern.edu
Special Seminar: "Ultrafast Dynamic Microscopy of Charge and Exciton Transport"
Hosted by Michael Wasielewski

Diagnostic Excellence to Improve Outcomes in Severe Pneumonia
When: Thursday, December 15, 2022, 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Central
Where: Robert H Lurie Medical Research Center, Baldwin Auditorium, 303 E. Superior, Chicago, IL
Contact: Institute for Public Health and Medicine (IPHAM), ipham@northwestern.edu
In this presentation we will discuss new approaches to diagnosis and evaluation of hospitalized patients with severe pneumonia and the potential impact these approaches can have on clinical outcomes.
Guest: Chiagozie Pickens, MD
Assistant Professor of Medicine (Pulmonology)
Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine
Dr. Pickens is an assistant professor in the Division of Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine at Northwestern University. She completed her medical training and fellowship in 2021 and her research interest is in improving outcomes in pneumonia through novel interventions that aid in diagnosis and clinical decision making.
Leisure and Social

Astronomy on Tap: Just the Tip of the Ice... Cube: Cold Drinks, Hot Science
When: Thursday, December 1, 2022, 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Central
Where: 1800 W Cuyler Ave, Chicago, IL
Contact: CIERA Astrophysics, (847) 491-8646, CIERA@northwestern.edu
Join Astronomy on Tap for our last event of 2022, on December 1st at Begyle Brewing! We'll have expert local astronomers talk about cool science happening at the South Pole.
Stay cozy in the chilly weather and drink some cold beers while you learn about hot science! The talks will be sandwiched between fun trivia and the opportunity to meet local Chicago scientists!
El Zorro tacos will be serving their delicious Mexican fare, so come hungry!

Friday Nights at the Dearborn Observatory
When: Friday, December 2, 2022, 8:00 PM - 10:00 PM Central
Where: Dearborn Observatory, 2131 Tech Drive, Evanston, IL
Contact: Adrienne Mintz, (847) 491-3644, adrienne.mintz@northwestern.edu
The Dearborn Observatory is open for public viewing every Friday night from 8 to 10 pm during the fall and winter months (Oct-Mar). The sessions are free and open to all. Reservations are required for the first hour but walk-ins are welcome in the second hour. All visitors should note that the dome is neither heated nor air-conditioned so please dress appropriately. Friday evening sessions are held "rain or shine." Unfortunately, the Dearborn is NOT ADA-accessible. Several staircases must be climbed in order to reach the telescope.
To make a reservation go to http://sites.northwestern.edu/dearborn/
For more information on the Dearborn Observatory, please visit our website.

CIERA Astronomer Evenings
When: Friday, December 2, 2022, 8:00 PM - 10:00 PM Central
Where: Dearborn Observatory, 2131 Tech Drive, Evanston, IL
Contact: CIERA Astrophysics, (847) 491-8646, CIERA@northwestern.edu
CIERA Astronomer Evenings are special programs that take place on the last Friday of every month at Northwestern's Dearborn Observatory.
Look through the historic telescope and meet and talk with astronomers from CIERA, Northwestern’s Center for Interdisciplinary Exploration and Research in Astrophysics!
Each month, different experts will be available to answer your astronomy and astrophysics questions. These evenings begin with a 10-minute introduction to a topic in astronomy, followed by an open Q&A session and fun, interactive demonstrations.
Northwestern University’s Music Academy in Evanston has provided music instruction to children and adult students from surrounding communities and the greater Chicago and Northwest Indiana area.

Most Academy instructors also teach in the Henry and Leigh Bienen School of Music and hold masters and doctoral degrees in music teaching and performance. The Academy often serves as a teaching laboratory for college students enrolled in pedagogy courses and is a member of the National Guild of Community Schools of the Arts.

Piano and Organ
The Music Academy Piano Division offers pre-piano class, which serves as an introduction to more formal piano instruction: keyboard instruction in two tracks for students ages 6 to 18, and instruction for adults. Pre-piano serves as an introduction to more formal piano instruction. Keyboard instruction for children begins with pre-staff music and expands to landmark-based intervallic reading. After the first year of study, most children participate in the Illinois State Music Teacher’s Association curriculum assessment, where they demonstrate skills and receive certificates and pins for participation.

Strings
The String Division offers private lessons in violin, viola, and cello, with goals of both providing musical instruction and instilling a love of music and of learning music. The division believes that all children can learn to their potential when placed in an environment that includes clear instruction, an involved parent, and regular opportunities to listen to and perform.

Norris Outdoors

Norris University Center offers a wide range of equipment available to rent for your outdoor adventures including:
- camping equipment (tents, backpacks, etc.)
- grills and stoves sports gear (Frisbees, volleyball and net, etc.)

Visit Norris Outdoors for package deals and a full list of equipment. The office is open Monday to Sunday, 12:30 – 6:00 PM, or at 847-491-2345. They can also be found at www.northwestern.edu/norris/arts-and-recreation/norrisoutdoors or on Facebook and Twitter. Items must be requested at least 5 days in advance.

Religious Services

Northwestern is proud to have a vibrant community embracing diverse religious beliefs. We have regular services on campus as well as events for religious observances. For general inquiries, contact the Office of Religious and Spiritual Life at 847-491-7256 located at 1870 Sheridan Rd. on our Evanston campus.

Christian – Nondenominational

University Bible Fellowship hosts nondenominational Christian worship service on Sundays from 11:00 AM—1:00 PM Central. Join the UBF community on Facebook Live for fellowship, singing, prayer, and preaching. Click here for more information about registration.

Christian – Protestant

Christian worship in a broad Protestant tradition is held most Sundays of the academic year at 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM virtually. Click here for more information about registration.
Christian – Catholic

Daily Mass is celebrated Mondays to Fridays at 5:00–5:30 PM, On Sundays, Masses are held at 9:00–10:00 AM, 11:00AM—12:00PM, and 5:00—6:00PM. Services are posted to the YouTube channel and you can watch and participate at a time convenient for you. Visit [http://www.sheil.northwestern.edu/](http://www.sheil.northwestern.edu/) for a complete list of events.

Jewish

The Fiedler Hillel leads virtual Reform and Conservative Shabbat services every Friday evening from 6:00 – 6:45 PM. A full list of events is at [www.northwesternhillel.org](http://www.northwesternhillel.org)

Spirituality

Northwestern also offers opportunities for the community to engage in interfaith fellowship or spiritual exploration.

Observances

- 12/8 – Feast of the Immaculate Conception (Roman Catholic)
- 12/18 to 12/26 – Hanukkah (Judaism)
- 12/21 – Yule (Pagan/Wiccan)
- 12/25 – Christmas (Christian)
- 12/26 – The Feast of St. Stephen/ Boxing Day (Christian)
- 12/26 to 1/1 – Kwanzaa

Northwestern Wildcat Athletics

The Northwestern Wildcats are Chicago's Big Ten team. Come cheer on the Wildcats at home or on the road.

Sports in season this winter are:
- Basketball – women’s and men's
- Swimming and diving – women’s and men’s
- Wrestling – men's
- Fencing – women's

There are two easy ways to purchase tickets, listed below. Tickets are typically mailed two to three weeks prior to a home event unless the will call delivery method is selected.
- Online at www.nusports.com
- Calling or visiting the ticket office at 888-467-8775, Monday to Fridays from 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM

You can also email the office at cat-tix@northwestern.edu and follow them on Twitter using the handle @NU_Tickets.

Men's Basketball

Men's Basketball plays all home games at Welsh-Ryan Arena, 2705 Ashland Avenue Evanston, IL. Tickets to home games can be purchased online [here](http://www.sheil.northwestern.edu/).

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**Women’s Basketball**

Women’s Basketball plays all home games at Welsh-Ryan Arena, 2705 Ashland Avenue, Evanston, IL. Tickets to home games can be purchased online [here](#).

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**Recreation**

Northwestern Recreation offers opportunities to discover and maintain a healthy lifestyle to members of our community through a diverse array of recreational activities. A full list of activities can be found online at [www.nurecreation.com](http://www.nurecreation.com). For general questions, call 847-491-4303.

Starting Dec. 8, hours may vary for recreational facilities due to winter break. All facilities will be closed Dec. 24 – Jan. 1 for winter recess.

**Facilities**

Membership to Northwestern Recreation offers access to a well-equipped facility with knowledgeable staff to assist you.

In addition to the highlighted offerings in this guide, the 95,000 square foot Henry Crown Sports Pavilion, Norris Aquatics Center, and Combe Tennis Center have space and amenities for all types of exercise, including: space to play team sports like basketball courts, group exercise, cardiovascular equipment, strength and weight training equipment, an Olympic-sized pool, and a wellness suite for fitness assessments and massage.

On top of the benefits from membership to Northwestern Recreation, there are even more ways to be healthy. Additional fees apply for personal training, private courses, massage, and the pro shop.

**Location and Hours**

The Henry Crown Sports Pavilion, which links to other facilities in Northwestern Recreation, is at 2311 Campus Drive, Evanston. Ample parking is available at the North Campus Parking Garage.

Hours for Henry Crown Sports Pavilion (hours during academic breaks differ, and hours for the pool and other areas vary):

- **Monday – Friday**: 6:00 AM – 9:00 PM
- **Saturday – Sunday**: 8:00 AM – 6:00 PM


- **Monday – Friday**: 6:00 AM – 8:00 PM
- **Saturday – Sunday**: 8:00 AM – 6:00 PM

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## Membership

Community members, Northwestern employees, and university alumni are invited to join. There is a one-time registration fee per household of $100.

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Join Northwestern Recreation online at [www.nurecreation.com/membership](http://www.nurecreation.com/membership), by calling the membership office at 847-491-4303, or in person. Children 15 years old and under must be accompanied by a parent, and the child rate only applies if the parent is also a member. Complimentary trial memberships for one week are available upon request. Payment is accepted by cash, check, or credit card.

### Complimentary Pass

We are delighted to offer the opportunity to request a complimentary pass. The trial membership pass provides access to recreation facilities, including the Norris Aquatics Center, and programs, including Group Exercise classes. Beach access is also provided (May – September, weather permitting). This offer is open to first time users. Visit [nurecreation.com/freetrial](http://nurecreation.com/freetrial) for free trial pass guidelines.

## Open Recreational Tennis

- **Indoor Courts** – The Combe Tennis Center provides six indoor courts located within the Henry Crown Sports Pavilion Complex (see aforementioned Location and Hours).
- **Outdoor Courts** – Fifteen outdoor courts are available at the Vandy Christie Tennis Center. Courts are available for recreational play on a first-come, first-served basis late spring through fall. Courts close for the season in late October.
- **Daily Court Reservations** – Reservations are only available for Northwestern faculty and staff and Northwestern students welcomed back to campus.
- **Permanent Court Time Reservations** – Not available at this time.

## Swimming

Contact: Ed Martig, e-martig@northwestern.edu

The Norris Aquatics Center offers a comprehensive program of fitness, instruction, recreational activities, diving, scuba, and life-saving courses. Membership to Northwestern Recreation is not required for aquatics programs. Find more information or register for programs at [www.nurecreation.com/aquatics](http://www.nurecreation.com/aquatics)

The pool is open every day for recreational swim. Lanes are available for laps or free swim. Hours when the pool is open are:

- **Weekdays**: 8:30 AM – 2:00 PM | 4:30 – 8:30 PM
- **Saturday**: 9:30 AM – 5:30 PM
- **Sunday**: 8:00 AM – 5:30 PM

Pool hours during winter break (Dec. 8 – Jan. 2):

- **Weekdays**: 6:00 AM – 2:00 PM | 4:30 – 7:45 PM
- **Saturday - Sunday**: 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM

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## Special Offers

### White Light Therapy

White Light Therapy has returned to the Henry Crown Sports Pavilion Wellness Suite. This service is free for Northwestern students, Henry Crown Sports Pavilion members, and massage clients. To make an appointment or for more information, call 847-467-2607 or visit the [Henry Crown Sports Pavilion Wellness Suite](http://henrycrown.com). Click [here](http://here) for more information.
Massage Services
Massage Therapy is one of the most effective ways to combat stress and enhance wellness. Our massage therapists will work with you to customize your experience and cater to your individual needs. Effective massage therapy techniques, such as Swedish, Deep Tissue, Sports, Hot Stone, Aromatherapy, and Reflexology, are available to students, members, and non-members. Click here for more information.

• COVID Precautions: All of our staff are fully aware of the current requirements. They are undertaking extreme health and safety procedures to ensure the highest possible hygiene standards are maintained throughout every aspect of our operation.
Parking

Evanston Campus Parking Services
1841 Sheridan Rd., Evanston 847-491-3319 parking@northwestern.edu
www.northwestern.edu/up/parking
Open Monday-Friday, 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Permits are required to park in all lots on the Evanston campus every Monday through Friday from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM. No permits are required to park on the Evanston campus after 4:00 PM or on weekends, though reserved spaces require permits at all times.

The cost of a guest permit is $8.25 for a non-refundable, all-day pass. Visitors and guests may purchase a visitor permit at the Parking Services Office (see above for address) or at pay stations located in the North and South Parking Garages.

While there are many scattered parking lots on campus, the largest for guests include:

To the North
• North Campus Parking Garage (has a parking pay station): 2311 N. Campus Drive
• LARC Drive: North Campus Drive
• Noyes/Haven/Sheridan Lot: Haven Street & Sheridan Rd.

To the South
• South Campus Parking Garage (has a parking pay station and it is next to the parking office): 1847 Campus Drive
• South Beach Structure: 1 Arts Circle Drive
• Locy and Fisk Lot: 1850 Campus Drive
• 619 Emerson Lot
• 515 Clark Street

Chicago Campus Transportation and Parking
710 N. Lakeshore Dr., Abbott Hall Room 100, Chicago
312-503-1103 chicagoparking@northwestern.edu
www.northwestern.edu/transportation-parking
Open Monday-Friday, 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

There is no free parking available on the Chicago campus but there are several options available for guests.

Public garages or Northwestern garages open to the public include:
• 275 E. Chestnut Street
• 222 E. Huron Street
• 710 N. Lake Shore Drive
• 680 N. Lake Shore Drive
• 259 E. Erie Street
• 321 E. Erie Street
• 441 E. Ontario Street

If you are going to the Chicago campus as the guest of a department, volunteer, participant in a study, or as a hospital patient, you can also contact the organizer of your event to inquire about potential discounted parking validations or passes.
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