

# Weekly Blast 31/10 - 06/11

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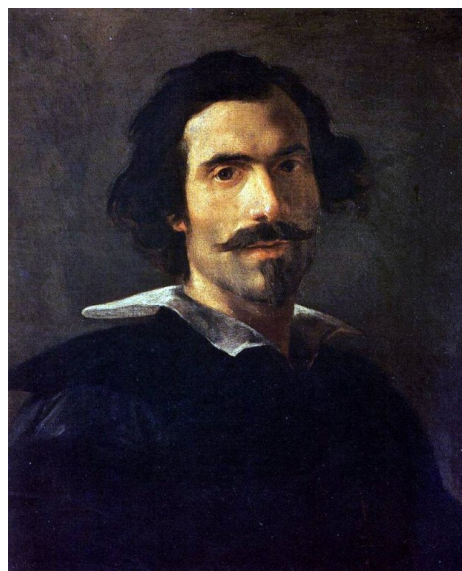
## GENERAL NOTICES

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Courtauld Pub Society are running their annual Movember campaign.

Grow a mustache to raise money and awareness for some of the biggest health issues faced by men: prostate cancer, testicular cancer, and mental health and suicide prevention.

Donate on their Movemeber Mo Team [here](#) and be sure to send the SU a pic of your attempted 'taches and beards by the end of the month!



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If anyone would like a notice or event put on the Weekly Blast, please do contact [students.union@courtauld.ac.uk](mailto:students.union@courtauld.ac.uk)!

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Don't forget to get your NUS extra cards for hundreds of discounts across the country and abroad!

Choose from a 1 year card for just £12, a 2 year card for £22 or a 3 year card for only £32

You can buy any card at any point in your time at University, meaning if you buy a 3 year card in your third year, you will receive student discounts two years after you graduate!

(A little known fact is this card is available to University Staff Members too, so you too can receive student discounts!)



## MONDAY

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1.00pm - 2.00pm

Academic Skills Programme: BA1  
Researching and Referencing: Making the most of the Courtauld Library

In this session, The Courtauld Library Staff will demonstrate how you can use the library catalogue and other online databases to research widely and effectively. They will also give you examples of how to reference your work correctly, according to The Courtauld recommended style guide

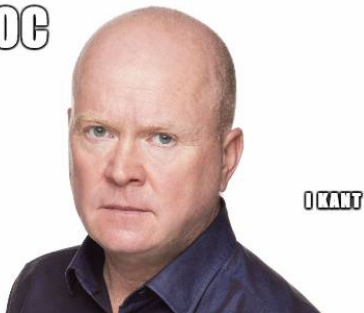
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1.15, Gallery Room 1

Lunchtime Talk of Islamic 14th Century  
Metalwork Bag from Massoumeh Assemi.



## PHIL SOC



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1.30, Student Cafe

Philosophy Society are having an informal meeting today to discuss upcoming events and plans for the rest of the year!

Contact [Annie.Aitken@courtauld.ac.uk](mailto:Annie.Aitken@courtauld.ac.uk) for more information or join their Facebook group [here](#).

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Hallowe'en at  
the Courtauld...

six o'clock till nine  
in the cafe.

£3.00 entry

pumpkin carving from five o'clock.  
party games, free drinks and fancy dress

6.00pm - 10.00pm, Student Cafe

Hallowe'en at the Courtauld!

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Includes party games, free drinks and fancy dress!

Come to the cafe early for Pumpkin carving from 5.00!

If you wish to bring external guests, please email [students.union@courtauld.ac.uk](mailto:students.union@courtauld.ac.uk) with their names for security.

6.00pm, SR3



CCU's screening of the Alpha Series continues with "How can we have faith?"

Come and explore how we can have faith in God - the Father, Son and Holy Spirit!

All are welcome! This course is designed specifically for non-Christians and non-church-goers! It is also a great way for Christians to explore these issues deeper. Tea, coffee, hot choc, sweets etc. will be provided!

## TUESDAY

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6.30pm, SR1

Please join us for our first event of the year, Courtauld to Christie's: Tips & Thoughts from a Recent Graduate, on Tuesday 1st November at 18.30 in SR1, followed by a Q&A and drinks reception.

Tickets are available at Eventbrite. Enter the promotional code BoAS2005 to book your free place. Please note that Courtauld IDs will be checked on the door. Hurry, only a few remaining!

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*Business of  
Art Society*

## WEDNESDAY

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1.15pm, Gallery Room 2

Lunchtime Talk of Alessandro Filipepi  
Botticelli's The Trinity with Saints from Emily LaVay.





1.30 - 4.00pm, Print Room

The Print Room is open every Wednesday 1.30-4 on a drop-in basis (no appointment needed). Please come and explore the Gallery's collection of 7000 drawings and 26000 prints!



4.00pm, Student Cafe.

A reminder that Book Library staff will be holding a drop-in session today at 4pm in the student café.

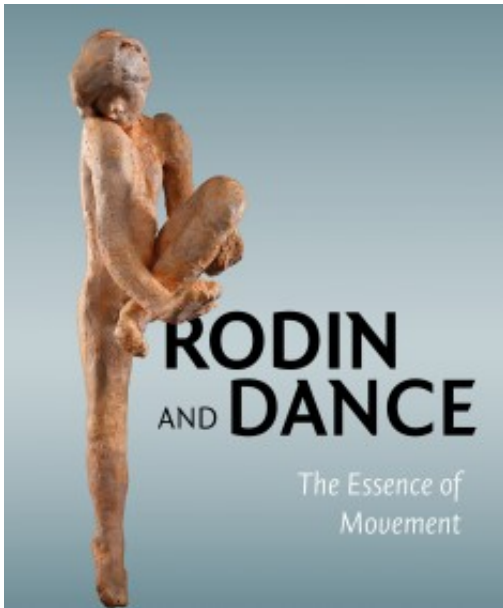
Come and find us if you need help with:

Building a bibliography

Effectively using our online resources  
(journals & databases)

Referencing your essays

Getting hold of the resources you need



5.00pm, Gallery

Curators Talk of Rodin & Dance: The Essence of Movement from Dr Alexandra Gerstein



6.00pm, KCLT

As the third installment of Film soc.'s 'Foreign film Season', we will be showing Matthieu Kassovitz's dark, brooding masterpiece: 'La Haine'. Shot through with vehement social sentiment and a bitter sense of humour, this is a must watch for anyone with even a passing interest in film.



6.30pm - 8.30pm, SR1

Come along to Life Drawing! Art Soc have provided some materials, however feel free to bring your own. It's first come first serve basis and as it's a relatively small space.

## THURSDAY

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12.00pm - 1.00pm, SR1

Are you ready to take The Challenge?  
Come for our second try out to see if you are good enough to make the cut!  
Everyone currently studying at the Courtauld is eligible to attend (anyone with maths or science backgrounds even more warmly welcomed!).



The try-out will involve a mock quiz from the University Challenge Studio. The top 5 scores of which will go on to form this years team and reserve!

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From 6.15pm, St Mary Le Strand

The Courtauld 'Chill-Out' Chamber Choir meet every Thursday at 6.15pm in St Mary Le Strand church opposite the Courtauld. Currently the choir are working towards the annual performance at the Christmas Carol Service held at the end of term.



Contact [William.Elger@courtauld.ac.uk](mailto:William.Elger@courtauld.ac.uk) for more information.

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6.30pm - 8.30pm, Heythrop College Astro turf

The Courtauld Football Society are playing their final match of our first ever 5-a-side Inter-University Football Tournament!

Contact [Hugh.Roberts@courtauld.ac.uk](mailto:Hugh.Roberts@courtauld.ac.uk) or look on their Facebook Group for information about supporting the team!



## FRIDAY

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11.00am - 1.00pm, SR1

Wondering how to decide on your next steps?  
Don't know which career you want to pursue?

This workshop will:

- Be a mixture of information-giving and interactive exercises.
- Inspire self-reflection to better understand the factors that play a role in choosing a career/your next steps.
- Introduce you to tools and techniques that can help you evaluate your options and develop a strategy for starting out.

This is a skills development workshop and will require registration through Eventbrite [here](#).

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[pdu.support@careers.lon.ac.uk](mailto:pdu.support@careers.lon.ac.uk)

For more information, check the careers page on the [VLE](#) or contact [careers@courtauld.ac.uk](mailto:careers@courtauld.ac.uk).



1.15pm, Gallery Room 7

Lunchtime Talk of George Seurat's Young Woman powdering Herself by Christine Slobogin.



3.00pm, West Smithfield Rotunda Garden  
(EC1A 9BD)

Medieval Societies next trip will be to the 12th-century St Bart's the Great (where Hugh Grant was not quite married in 'Four Weddings'), 13th-century St Etheldreda's (where Henry VIII was married in 1531), and the 16th-century pub Ye Olde Mitre (where Elizabeth I danced around a cherry tree that now supports the front of the building).

Entry to St Bart's is well worth the £4.50, St Etheldreda's is free, and the cost of the pub is up to you.

## DATES FOR THE DIARY

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24th November, time and location TBC.

The Student Staff Liaison Committee will soon be meeting for the first session of the year.

More information on how the committee works and how to get involved will be issued soon.

All welcome to attend.

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## Courtauld Association Careers Certificate: Programme of Events 2016-17

Session 1: Careers options for Courtauld graduates (13 October, 17:00-18:00; K.C.L.T.)

Session 2: How do I choose a Career?\* (4 November, 11:00-13:00; Seminar Room 1)

Session 3: Alumni Panel Session: Exploring various careers in the Arts (24 November, 18:30-20:00; K.C.L.T.)

Session 4: Alumni Panel Session: Broader applications for your Arts degree (1 December, 18:30-20:00; K.C.L.T.)

Session 5: Standing out in a competitive jobs market (12 January, 18:30-20:00; K.C.L.T.)

Session 6: How to prepare effectively for job interviews (26 January, 18:30-20:00; K.C.L.T.)

Session 7: Interview practice session\* (16 February, 17:00-18:00; Seminar Room 1)

Session 8: Improving your networking skills\* (24 February, 16:00-18:00; Research Forum)

Session 9: Alumni Networking Event (for CACC completers, 2 March)

\*Practice-based sessions for maximum 30 participants to complement the informative sessions. These sessions require registration.

Students must have a minimum of 5 'Careers Interactions' to obtain the Certificate and be invited to the Alumni Networking event in March. This can be either 5 CACC sessions or 5 1:1 appointments, or a mixture of both, depending on the student's needs.

For more information on the programme, visit the VLE, monitor your e-mails and keep an eye on the events posters!

To contact your Careers Service, e-mail [careers@courtauld.ac.uk](mailto:careers@courtauld.ac.uk).



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