

Dear Colleagues,

[Purdue Faculty Association](#)'s **End of the Year Party** will take place at the Historic Fowler House on **Friday, April 27th from 6 to 9pm.**

Built in 1852, the **Fowler House Mansion** is considered one of the finest surviving examples of Gothic Revival architecture in the United States. It was built for Moses Fowler, a business partner of John Purdue who went on to become one of the "Prairie Cattle Kings."

Join colleagues and friends to celebrate the end of the school year, explore this beautiful mansion, and enjoy the view from the porch. Partners, spouses, children, and family are more than welcome to attend.

Appetizers and refreshments from [Sovereign Catering](#) will be served. There will also be a cash bar, but **the first drinks will be on us**, so come early.

[Fowler House Mansion](#)

Friday, April 27th

From 6 to 9pm.

909 South Street, IN 47901

We look forward to seeing you one last time before the Summer.

Yours sincerely,

Your PFA co-chairs,

Catherine Dossin, Rachael Kenney, Robyn Malo, and Yukiko Maeda

As a reminder, if you are interested in serving as next co-chairs of the Purdue Faculty Association (PFA), please get it touch with us.



Dear PFA friends,

Our budget may be running low, but we still have a fun surprise in store!

On **Saturday, May 5**, the Purdue Faculty Association is organizing an **Indianapolis brewery tour**, picking up on a tradition that started five years ago. We'll pick you up and drop you off at the Purdue Memorial Union (**10 am departure**) and shuttle you around to four different establishments. (Provisionally, these are: St. Joseph's Brewery, Flat 12 Bierwerks, Black Acre, and Hotel Tango Artisanal Distillery. **Estimated return 6:45 pm.**)

The goal is partly educational and mostly social, and we hope it will help you to experience our nearest big city in a new way!

Our bus will seat 33, with reservations available on a first-come, first-serve basis. However, **we cannot confirm your reservations until we receive a check**. The cost is \$25 per seat (maximum two per reservation). Please note that this fee only covers transportation; we'll be offering an opportunity to purchase lunch at one of the breweries. Pints of beer won't be free either, but in our experience some breweries are pretty generous with their samples!

So, here are the steps:

- 1) Write to Will Gray (wgray@purdue.edu) to indicate your intention to participate. **The first 32 names will be tentatively reserved**; the rest will be on a waiting list. (We'll let you know which pertains to you.)
- 2) Those who are tentatively reserved can fill out a check (**payable to Purdue University**) for \$25 per person. Please send it to "Will Gray, Department of History, UNIV" in a sealed envelope via campus mail. If we don't receive your check by Monday, April 23, we'll start going through the waiting list.
- 3) When the bus is full and all payments received, the Office of the Provost will cash the checks and we'll send you final confirmation.
- 4) We'll be leaving promptly at 10 am on May 5, so plan to get there 15 minutes early!

Please remember that this isn't the only end-of-semester celebration. You'll receive separate mailings about the **year-end party at the Fowler House on Friday, April 27!**

Your PFA organizers,

Catherine Dossin
Rachael Kenney
Yukiko Maeda
Robyn Malo

Dear Colleagues,

[Purdue Faculty Association](#) would like to invite you to its March event, which will take place at the **Haan Museum on Sunday, March 25th from 1 to 4:00pm.**

The Mansion was originally the State of Connecticut building at the **1904 St. Louis World's Fair**. It was dismantled and moved to Lafayette, Indiana, immediately after the Fair by Mr. and Mrs. William Potter and became their personal residence.

When Bob and Ellie Haan bought the property, they started acquiring **historic American art furniture** as well as **Indiana paintings and potteries** to decorate the house. Over the years they built an exceptionally fine art collection, which they donated in 2015 along with the mansion to the newly created Haan Museum.

Next Sunday, the museum will open specially for the Purdue Faculty Association. Feel free to come by with friends and family* at any time between 1 and 4pm to visit the museum, **explore the mansion, admire the collections, and take a walk through the sculpture garden.** Docents will be there to guide you and answer your questions, and some refreshments will be offered.

Haan Mansion Museum

920 E State Street

Lafayette, IN 47905

Sunday, March 26 from 1 to 4 pm

<http://haanmuseum.org/index.aspx>

Yours sincerely,

Catherine Dossin, Rachael Kenney, Robyn Malo, and Yukiko Maeda
PFA's co-chairs, 2017-2018

*Please note that the visit of the museum is not really suitable for children under 5. However, there is a wonderful playground in the garden that they would certainly enjoy, while adults take turn visiting the house.

Strollers cannot be brought in the mansion but babies in parents' arms are okay



Dear Colleagues,

[Purdue Faculty Association](#) will be hosting its next event in the atrium of the Historical Lahr building in downtown Lafayette on **Friday, February 9th from 6 to 9pm**, in place of our usual happy hours.

Our Winter gathering party will feature Carnival themed **appetizers and sweets** (it is Carnival season!) from [Sovereign Catering](#) and a full bar. The first drinks will be on us so come early, and spend the evening meeting new and old friends.

[Historic Lahr Atrium](#)

Friday, February 9th
From 6 to 9pm.
117 N 5th St. Lafayette, IN 47901

We look forward to seeing you and yours on Friday.

Yours sincerely,

Your PFA co-chairs,
Catherine Dossin, Rachael Kenney, Robyn Malo, and Yukiko Maeda

The Purdue Faculty Association (aka PFA) was created in 2005 as the Purdue Young Faculty Association by a group of junior faculty members as a way to provides opportunities for incoming and existing faculty to socialize and foster friendships and connections across the Purdue community.

With the generous support of the Office of the Provost, PFA organizes events throughout the academic year, which enable faculty from different departments to meet each other and experience Greater Lafayette through monthly Happy Hours and special events including receptions at the beginning and end of the semester.

All faculty are members of PFA, and are welcome to take part in its events along with their partners, spouses, and family. If you are not receiving PFA's email and would like to be added to the mailing list or would like more information on the Association, please contact the current chairs: [Catherine Dossin](#) (Art History), [Rachael Kenney](#) (Mathematics), [Yukiko Maeda](#) (Educational Studies), and [Robyn Malo](#) (English).



Dear Colleagues,

[Purdue Faculty Association](#)'s **Holiday Party** will take place at the Historic Fowler House on **Friday, December 1st from 6 to 9pm.**

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Join colleagues and friends to celebrate the Holidays and the end of the semester, while exploring this beautiful mansion. Partners, spouses, friends, and children are more than welcome to join; especially the little ones since **Santa Claus will be joining us!**

Our Holiday Party will also feature **seasonal drinks, appetizers and sweets** from [Sovereign Catering](#), as well as a **full bar**. As usual the first drinks will be on us, so come early.

[Fowler House Mansion](#)

Friday, December 1st

From 6 to 9pm.

909 South Street, IN 47901

We look forward to seeing you and yours on December 1st.

Yours sincerely,

Your PFA co-chairs,

Catherine Dossin, Rachael Kenney, Robyn Malo, and Yukiko Maeda



Dear Colleagues,

[Purdue Faculty Association](#) will be hosting its next event in the atrium of the Historical Lahr building in downtown Lafayette on **Friday, October 20th from 6 to 9pm.**

Our Halloween party will feature **appetizers** from [Sovereign Catering](#)—a wonderful local caterer—a **full bar** from next door [Knickerbocker Saloon](#) —Indiana’s oldest bar, and **music.** The first drinks will be on us so come early, and enjoy the evening with old and new friends.

The Lahr Hotel, built in 1833, seems a most appropriate venues for a Halloween party, as it has welcomed over the years some infamous guests, like Al Capone, James A. Moon, and, as the rumor has it, some ghosts ...

[Historic Lahr Atrium](#)

Friday, October 20th

From 6 to 9pm.

117 N 5th St. Lafayette, IN 47901

Please note that **costumes** are not required, but if **your little ones** or yourself want to dress up for the occasion, it will certainly add to the fun.

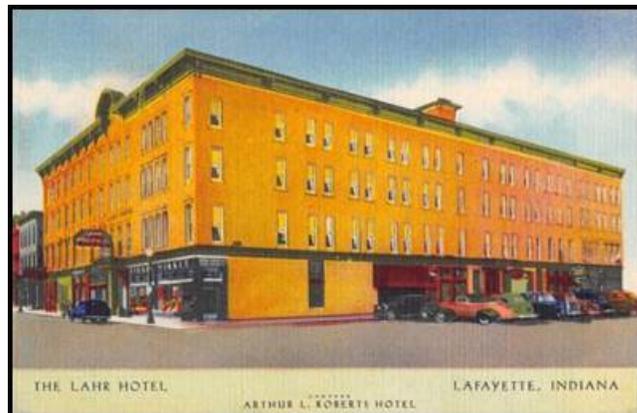
We look forward to seeing you and yours on Friday.

Yours sincerely,

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Happy Friday Everyone!

We would like to announce that we have 40 adult tickets and 10 child (ages 5-17) tickets to tour the Frank Lloyd Wright Samara House in West Lafayette on Sunday, September 24th, 2-3pm. (What is the Samara House, you ask? Read all about it here: <http://www.samara-house.org/welcome.htm>)

Tickets are available on a first-come, first-serve basis and will be given to the first to register using the survey below (Please do NOT respond to this email to register).

Each person may request a maximum of 2 adult tickets and 2 children's tickets. Please make sure you are committed to attending the event if you reserve a ticket. If you find you cannot go, please email Rachael Kenney (rhkenney@purdue.edu) immediately so that someone on the wait list can go in your place.

Survey Link:

https://purdue.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_73C5Oj8HMmyTRQ1

We will be in touch very soon to let you know if you have a ticket or if you are on the wait list!

Have a great weekend!

Your PFA co-chairs
Rachael Kenney
Robyn Malo
Catherine Dossin
Yukiko Maeda

Greetings Purdue Faculty,

This Friday will be the first monthly **PFA Happy Hour at Nine Irish Brothers Pub**. Please join us from 5-7pm to unwind from your week, meet new colleagues from around campus, or catch up with old friends.

PFA Happy Hours will take place on the second Friday of every month (just a note that food and drink are purchased by you (not PFA) at these events, but the friendship is free!).

In addition, we have some great events planned for this year, including an upcoming chance to tour the *Samara House in West Lafayette* on Sept 24th, and a fantastic *Halloween party at the Labr Atrium* on October 20th. Please visit the PFA website to see all current dates and events, and check back for more additions.

<https://www.purdue.edu/provost/faculty/resources/facultyassociation.html>

And remember that ALL faculty are members of PFA, and are welcome to take part in its events along with their partners, spouses, and family.

EVENT: PFA Happy Hour

Date/Time: Friday, Sept. 8th, 5-7pm

Location: Nine Irish Brothers
119 Howard Ave.
West Lafayette, IN

<http://www.nineirishbrothers.com/>

Your PFA co-chairs,

Catherine Dossin

Rachael Kenney

Robyn Malo

Yukiko Maeda

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Welcome and Welcome Back Purdue Faculty!

The Purdue Faculty Association (PFA) would like to invite you to mark your calendars and join together next Friday, August 25th to celebrate the new school year and meet and greet new friends. This year's kickoff will be at the *Lafayette Brewing Company* in downtown Lafayette from 6pm-11pm. With support from the Provost's office, free drinks and food will be provided until our tab runs out - so come early and stay for the fun and friendship!

(Please note that the party is held in the upstairs room of LBC, which only permits those who are 21 and older. So apologies, but children will not be able to attend this event. But keep checking your email for many other family friendly events throughout the year.)

PFA provides opportunities **for incoming and existing faculty of all ranks and ages** to interact, network, and foster friendships at various events throughout the year. Please join us for this opening kickoff and welcome back as we start off another great year at Purdue, and please pass this along to new faculty in your department who may not be on our mailing list.

Boiler Up!

Your PFA co-chairs,
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