

# BenningtonWorks



An intellectual landscape. Join prospective students, their families, and our immediate community for a vibrant showcase of works-in-progress. BenningtonWorks will highlight the close collaborations between faculty and students that set the innovative and rigorous tone of a Bennington education.

**Sunday, Oct 9 2016, 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM**

**Bennington students share their work in a series of talks, performances, and open studios.**

## Program Schedule

**8:00–9:15 am Registration** | Newman Court Breakfast | Greenwall Auditorium

**9:15–9:45 am Welcome remarks** | Greenwall Auditorium

**10:00–11:00 am Languages in Action | CAPA Symposium**

Foreign Language Faculty

Kadidia Kamate '18, "Chinese Characters and Culture" • Maria Urbas '16 and Gabriel Ferreras '19, "Race, Religion and Politics in France during Nazi occupation" • Lucia Pompetti '19 and Anya Smith '18, research projects: "America in Italy" • Kyle Gordon '17, "Teaching and Learning Japanese" • Carolina Roque '17, "Chicano Art in Los Angeles" • Giselle Perez Guzman '19, "Teaching Spanish in North Bennington"

**10:00–11:00 am In Motion, In Progress: Dance Works | VAPA Dance Studio E303**

Faculty: Terry Creach, Souleymane Badolo

Audre Wirtanen '16 with Dani Robbins '18, William Bowers '19, Abbey Starling '19, and Emily Baca '18 • Geoffrey Ballinger '17 with Lucia Ordaz '19, Luke Kinman '20, Paul Birtwistle '20, Alexandra Nordyke '20, and Rachel Yanku '20 • Chloe Amos '18 with Cole Hersey '17 • Dani Robbins '18 with William Bowers '19,

Chloe Amos '18, and Stuart Shugg MFA '18 • Members of Contemporary African II: Geoffrey Ballinger '17, Sophia Mong '19, Ornella Njoya '18, Emma Plotkin '17, Veronica Rodriguez '20, and Anna Saldinger '19

**10:00–11:00 am In Their Element: Scientists at Work | Tour begins in Dickinson Lounge**

Cody Jacobs '18, "Building a Better Yeast with CRISPR" • Olivia Judson '17, "Exploring Similarities between Fungal Communities Found in Grass and in Feces"

**11:15–12:15 Literature Out Loud: New Works | VAPA D208**

Faculty: Doug Bauer

Isabella Casey '17 • Kevin Costello '17 • Samantha Krause '17 • Phoebe Jordan-Reilly '17 • Cheyenne Vaughn '17 • Charlotte O'Dair-Gadler '17

**11:15–12:15 Visual Arts Open Crit: New Student Work | VAPA Galleria**

Faculty: Josh Blackwell

**11:15–12:15 GANAS: Student Engagement with the Local Latino Community | CAPA Symposium**

Faculty: Jonathan Pitcher

"Ganas High School Counseling" with Joaquín Contreras '19, Wendy Ulloa '20, and Stephanie Hernández '20 • "The Ganas ESL Program" with Brian Barry '16

**12:15–1:00 pm Lunch | Greenwall Auditorium**

**1:15–2:15 pm Field Work Term Panel | Student Center**

**2:30–3:30 pm Open Rehearsal: August: Osage County | Lester Martin Theater**

Co-directors: Kirk Jackson and Jennifer Rohn • Design/technical coordinator: Michael Giannitti • Cast members: Kirk Jackson, Jennifer Rohn, Cat Adragna '18, Emma Welch '17, Jade Pope '17, Jessie Berliner '17, Julia Crowley '18, Morgan Morse '18, Rebecca Mitzner '20, Sam Levit '18, Sarah Jack '17, Trevor Gibbons-Reich '18, Will Larsen '17 • Designers: Alixandra Eisen '17, set design; Kyle Gordon '17, sound design; Martin Carrillo '17, lighting design; Emily Shea Messinger '17, props; Sierra Reid '17, costume

design; Sam Wood '19, fight captain • Crew members: Lecil James '18, stage manager; Jamie Catania '17, assistant director • Assistant stage managers: Evan Caldwell '20, Kholiswa Mendes-Pepani '18, Margaret Yassky '20, Talia Martineau '19

**2:30–3:30 pm Mallet Ensemble and Pieces of Time Ensemble | Martha Hill Dance Theater**

Faculty: Michael Wimberly, Susie Ibarra

Mallet Ensemble: Liam Quinn '18, Lecil James '18, Katherine Parker '18, and Joseph Makuch '17 • Pieces of Time Ensemble: Alexandra Burgess '17, Joaquín Contreras '19, Dana Foote '18, Kathryn Henderson '17, Jabeen Murtaza '18, Katherine Parker '18, and Cormac Roth '19

**2:30–3:30 pm Global Challenges: How Bennington Confronts the World | CAPA Symposium**

Faculty: Noah Coburn

Thais Reis-Henrie '17 and Michelle McMillan '17, facilitators, with Kyle Gordon '17, Sage King '17, Varney Glassman '17, and Michael Thomson '15

**3:30–4:30 pm Our Magnum Opus: Student Works in Music | DownCaf**

Faculty: Kitty Brazelton

Lulwama Mulalu '18, Joseph Makuch '16, Kay Henderson '16, and projects by members of Composing for the Choir

**3:30–4:30 pm Set Design: August: Osage County | VAPA Scene Shop**

Scene Shop Supervisor: Mike Rancourt

Alixandra Eisen '17, set designer