



The Purple Blurb

Thursday August 3

CSSSA 2023

Andrea Pallaoro + Trace Lysette

Bijou A213

Visiting Artist Series - Film Department

1:45 pm - 3:45 pm

Andrea is an acclaimed filmmaker known for his captivating storytelling and evocative visuals. As both a director and writer, Pallaoro has garnered recognition for his thought-provoking films that explore the depths of human emotion and the complexities of the human condition. His film *Hannah* (2017) received critical acclaim, winning the Best Actress award at the Venice Film Festival. Pallaoro's unique approach to filmmaking, characterized by his attention to detail and nuanced performances, continues to captivate audiences and inspire aspiring filmmakers. His latest film, *Monica*, premiered at the 79th edition of the Venice Film Festival.

Trace is a talented actress and prominent advocate for transgender visibility in the entertainment industry. Her captivating performances and unwavering commitment to authentic representation have garnered widespread acclaim. Lysette is known for her work in groundbreaking projects such as the critically acclaimed television series *Transparent*, where she portrayed the character Shea. Her powerful portrayals have helped bring diverse transgender stories to the forefront, resonated with audiences worldwide, and earned recognition from both audiences and critics. She has also made appearances in popular shows such as *Pose* and *Hustlers*. Lysette stars in Andrea Pallaoro's latest film, *Monica*. **Required for all Film students.**

Gamelan + Kecak Concert

Main Gallery

Student Showcase - Music Department

2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Come to the Music Department's gamelan performance, where students will perform exciting music from Bali, Indonesia, including a section of the a cappella accompaniment chants and

dance based off the Hindu epic “Ramayana”. **Required for Music students. Open to all students.**

Final Animation Screening

Bijou A213

3:15 pm - 5:00 pm

CSSSA animators present their work for the final time. Final projects, among other works will be shown to the community, an experience that is sure to inspire all who attend. **Required for Animation students. Open to all students as space allows.**

Final Dance Demonstration

Lund Theater

7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

CSSSA dancers present works explored over the course of the program. Join for this multi-genre demonstration, including works choreographed by CSSSA students. Details of each work will be announced during the session. **Required for Dance students. Open to all students as space allows.**

Amelia Lorenz

Butler Building 3

Visiting Artist Series - Animation Department
7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Amelia Lorenz is a storyboard artist/director living and working in LA for the past 10 years with experience in television and feature animation. Amelia enjoys drawing silly things that make people laugh, and drinks an unhealthy dose of coffee every morning. She graduated from CalArts in 2012 from the Character Animation program, and before that she had the pleasure of attending CSSSA in 2006. **Required for Animation students. Open to all students.**

Final Film Screening

Bijou A213

8:00 pm - 10:00 pm

CSSSA filmmakers present their final projects to the community. Films are sure to move, amaze, and inspire those who attend. **Required for Film students. Open to all students as space allows.**

Final Day Reminders - Friday Aug 4

Parent Arrivals - Friday August 4

Parents and families will be able to enter the CalArts campus starting at 12:00 pm. Please do not arrive before then; the security gate will not let you through. Once you arrive, please park in the main lot right off the security gate to the campus. Please plan to meet your student in the Main Gallery where the Welcome Ceremony took place on Registration Day.

Closing Ceremony - 12:30 pm

Students will spend the morning with their department, receiving both a CSSSA certificate and medal. Starting at 12:30 pm, all students will report to the Main Gallery for a final Closing Ceremony. This is a poignant end to the program, and we encourage all to join. The ceremony will be approximately 30 minutes.

Move Out - Vacate by 6:00 pm

All students and families must vacate the campus by 6:00 pm. All belongings must be packed and removed from your dorm room by this time. No artwork, or any other personal items should remain. CSSSA always leaves the campus in tip-top shape! Damages to the rooms, or failure to return your room key, may result in mandatory fines; students will not receive college credit until the fines are paid.

Airport Shuttle - 2:00 pm

Those of you who reserved the 2:00 pm shuttle to the Burbank Airport will meet the shuttle bus in front of the dorm. (You will receive an invoice by Thursday August 3 if you have not paid for the shuttle already.) The bus departs promptly at 2:00 pm, so do not be late! It is highly advised that you complete your packing the night before. Once the Closing Ceremony is complete, you will have about 45 minutes to head to the dorms and pick up your belongings.

Return Your Library Materials

A quick note to students. Please be sure to return your library materials asap. Students will be charged for unreturned materials, and fees must be paid to receive college credits.

CalArts Cafeteria

Breakfast 7:00 am - 9:00 am

Cheesy Eggs, Sausage, Vegetarian Breakfast Patties, Cinnamon Rolls, breakfast potatoes

Lunch 11:30 am - 1:30 pm

Chef's Selection of Soup and Vegan Soup of the Day

Entrée: Nacho Bar with Chorizo

Vegan: Nacho Bar with Soyrito

Sides: Assorted Toppings

Deli: Buffalo Chicken Wrap

Brown Rice, Black Beans, and Vegan Burgers

Dinner 5:00 pm - 6:45 pm

Entrée: Herb Crusted Chicken

Vegan: Herb Crusted Tofu

Sides: Roasted Potatoes & Mixed Vegetables

Brown Rice, Black Beans, and Vegan Burgers

Late Night 8:00 pm - 10:00 pm (Students Only - Mom's Café)

Whole fruits

Crudites with ranch dip

Assorted cereals with assorted milks

Bagels and cream cheese

Sliced bread and assorted deli meats

Assorted lays chips

Granola bars

Assorted packaged cookies

CSSSA Phone Numbers

CSSSA Office - Room E123 - (661) 291-3409

CalArts Main Line - (661) 255-1050 (dial 0)

Campus Safety - (661) 222- 2702

Housing Office - (661) 253-7897 or (661) 255-1050 / x 2212 or 2118

Field Trip Emergency - (916) 358-0655

CSSSA Hours of Operation

CSSSA Office - E123

Monday through Friday from 7:30 am to 6:30 pm

Saturday 8:00 am to 3:00 pm

CSSSA Counselors

Lily Rodriguez

Mon/Tue/Thu 10:00 am to 6:00 pm

Wed 10:00 am to 3:00 pm

+

Melissa Shepherd

Mon/Tue/Thu/Fri 12:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Wed 12:00 pm to 7:00 pm

CalArts Library

Monday through Friday from 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm. Saturday from 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm.

Chouinard Pool

Monday through Friday 4:30 pm to 8:30 pm.

Saturday and Sunday 12:30 pm to 3:30 pm and 4:30 pm to 8:30 pm.

Health Services and Campus Safety

Health Services and Campus Safety officers are present 24 hours a day for the full program.

See the CSSSA Student Handbook for further program information.

Curfew Hours

Sunday to Friday In Hall: 10:30 pm / In Room: 11:00 pm

Saturday In Hall: 11:00 pm / In Room: 12:00 pm

“Strong communities are born out of individuals being their best selves.”

- Leanne Betasamosake Simpson
