

AMERICAN The Pavilion

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Greetings from The American Pavilion!

You may know us as the only student program officially sanctioned by the Cannes Film Festival, bringing Hospitality, Event, Media, and Business students to Cannes since 1989. This fall, AmPav's proud tradition of creating real-world opportunities for students continues as we launch the first of three new initiatives! Inspired by our colleagues around the world who are forging new ways to celebrate cinema, we are excited to be part of this new frontier with our newest program, **Road to Cannes!**

ROAD TO CANNES

An exciting new slate of virtual programming designed to provide key insights and expert knowledge from a roster of industry thought leaders, while providing ongoing networking opportunities with like-minded peers and burgeoning industry talent.

This summer's online programming included revered industry talent such as:

- **Stephen Frears** (Director)
- **John Cameron Mitchell** (Director)
- **Graham King** (Producer)
- **Col Needham** (Creator, IMDb)

ROAD TO CANNES is AmPav's new hub for continuing to connect our global community with the industry's top players.

Enrolled students will have the option to apply for the Cannes Worldwide Student Program at the next live Cannes Film Festival. Those who opt-in to the Cannes student program will have their ROAD TO CANNES fee (\$350) applied toward their Cannes student program fee.

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ROAD TO CANNES			
FALL 2020 - SPRING 2021			
	SOCIAL EVENTS	FILM TALKS	EVENT/HOSP TALKS
OCTOBER	TUE, OCT 20 @ 4pm PT VIRTUAL HAPPY HOUR	WED, OCT 28 @ 4pm PT THE ART OF THE PITCH	FRI, OCT 30 @ 11AM TBC FESTIVAL FREELANCERS
NOVEMBER	TUE, NOV 10 FILM CLUB*	THU, NOV 12 TO V(R) ... OR NOT TO V(R)	THU, NOV 19 CORPORATE EVENT PLANNING
DECEMBER	TUE, DEC 1 FILM CLUB*	THU, DEC 10 WHY A FILM FESTIVAL DIRECTOR SHOULD BE YOUR FRIEND	THU, DEC 10 WHY A FILM FESTIVAL DIRECTOR SHOULD BE YOUR FRIEND
JANUARY	TUE, JAN 12 FILM CLUB*	DATE TBC HOW SALES AND DISTRIBUTION CAN BE SEXY	DATE TBC BEHIND THE SCENES AT A RED CARPET EVENT
FEBRUARY	TUE, FEB 9 FILM CLUB*	DATE TBC THE PROCESS OF SCREENWRITING	DATE TBC CATERING TO VIPS
MARCH	TUE, MAR 9 FILM CLUB*	DATE TBC PRE-CANNES PREP SESSION #1	DATE TBC PRE-CANNES PREP SESSION #1
APRIL	TUE, APR 6 FILM CLUB* & GENERAL MEETING	DATE TBC CANNES ORIENTATION	DATE TBC CANNES ORIENTATION

***WHAT IS FILM CLUB?**
Film Club is our monthly social meeting! Each month, we will either share your short films or recommend a Cannes-related film to watch on your own and discuss together! If you've made a short film you'd like to share with your fellow Road to Cannes participants, be sure to keep an eye on your inbox for the sign-up form. For Cannes film discussions, we'll announce each film a month in advance, with suggestions of where to find it online.

All students are welcome at all events! Unless listed, times for all events are TBC and speakers will be announced as they are confirmed. Schedule is subject to change and will be continually updated throughout the coming months.
(Last Updated: 9/18/20)

[View full schedule here](#)

Please contact Michael Bremer or Jessica Hokanson if you are an educator interested in scheduling a remote presentation about our programs for your students. Otherwise, be sure to keep an eye on your inbox in the coming weeks for information about more new initiatives coming soon, and share this email with any interested colleagues or students!