

Additions to October November 2018 Calendar

Communication & Confrontation Workshop with alumni Jonathan Barone (A13) and Barnabas Holleran (A18)

Wednesday, October 17, 2:30, Hodson Room, Mellon

Relationships may be difficult, but they are worth fighting for. (Problem is, we usually just fight *with* each other.) Does the thought of confronting people frighten you? Do you find it easier to just ignore the problem and withdraw from the offender? Do you end up just complaining to your friends about the problem? Come to the workshop to learn some basic skills on how to communicate through difficult issues.

Here's the truth: very few people in this world are taught how to communicate through and confront problems in their lives. And yet, it's one of the most important skills to learn. No matter the relationship: bosses, colleagues, friends, family, subordinates, significant others—conflict is always going to arise in some way. If you don't manage this conflict in a healthy way, it will drive you apart. By learning skills to deal with confrontation, you can approach these conflicts not with fear, but with confidence.

Budgeting—A Workshop with alumnus Jonathan Barone (A13)

Tuesday, October 30, 3:45, Conversation Room, Mellon

More details to come!

Career Conversation with Meir Walters (A01), Foreign Affairs Officer, with the U.S. Dept. of State

Wednesday, November 14, 2:30, Hodson Room, Mellon

Meir Walters is a Foreign Affairs Officer covering human rights policy in the Middle East at the U.S. Department of State. Meir holds a Ph.D. in Government from Georgetown University where he currently teaches graduate courses on the politics of authoritarianism. Meir's dissertation studied censorship and state-managed media in the Middle East, and drew on two years of fieldwork in Egypt and Tunisia. Meir will talk about graduate school in political science and careers in foreign affairs. He will be speaking in his personal capacity, and will not be officially representing the State Department or U.S. government.

Johnnies in Law Panel

Friday, November 26, 3:45, Hodson Room, Mellon

More details to come!