On Campus

# The Short List: Spring 2019

Things to do on and around campus.

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**WATCH**

The venetian blinds lower for Columbia's second annual **Film Noir Festival**. This year's program is based on fiction by Cornell Woolrich, a former Columbia student whose short story "It Had to Be Murder" inspired the film *Rear Window,* directed by

Alfred Hitchcock ’72HON. March 27–31 at the Lenfest Center for the Arts.

**THINK**

Wrap your head around neuroscience at **Saturday Science**, a family-friendly event full of brainy demonstrations and hands-on activities. Learn about new scientific tools and technology at Columbia’s Zuckerman Institute on April 13, and visit the Super Saturday STEM Expo at the Harlem Armory on May 18.

**VIEW**

New work from Columbia art students will be on display at the **2019 MFA exhibitions** at the Wallach Gallery. See works in progress by first-year students from March 30 to April 14 and the thesis projects of this year’s graduates from April 28 to May 26.

**LISTEN**

Love doo-wop? Pop? Barbershop? At the **Harmony Sweepstakes A Cappella Festival** regional competition at Miller Theatre, New York’s most pitch-perfect vocal troupes will compete for a spot in the national finals. March 30.

**LEARN**

Scholars break down surprising historical connections in **“Comic Books, America, and the Holocaust,”** a discussion of how characters from Batman to the X-Men helped introduce Americans to the horrors of Hitler’s Europe. May 2 in Butler Library. Register online.



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