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McMaster Humanities Society



## MHS Fall Special

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# A LETTER FROM OUR EDITOR

Akosua Asafu-Adjaye Frimpong

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Dear McMaster Humanities Students,

Congratulations for making it this far this semester! Your effort, hard work and dedication to your academics this semester is surely not in vain. This is the second and final edition of the first volume of Navy News, the Humanities' Society quarterly newsletter. As the semester comes to a close, we want to introduce to you new members of our team and members of the Humanities Department. We also present upcoming events and some more tips of how to get even more involved as the new semester approaches. As your faculty society, we pride ourselves in our responsibility to provide guidance, events and opportunities to all undergraduate students here at McMaster.

Feel free to DM us on Instagram @machumsociety or on Facebook (search "McMaster Humanities Society") with any inquiries. You can also email me anytime at [mhs.president@machumsociety.com](mailto:mhs.president@machumsociety.com), and I would be happy to answer your questions or even just chat.

I wish you the very best this exam season! Finish strong!

Akosua Asafu-Adjaye Frimpong

Vice President of Administration, 2021-2022

# NEW ADDITIONS TO THE TEAM

## FIRST YEAR REPS



Rabia Khan

First Year Humanities

Goal: To reach out to first-year Humanities students to get them involved and engaged

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Ori Epstein

First Year Humanities

Goal: To make sure that first years are well-represented during their transition from online to in-person school.

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## VP MARKETING



Emelia Da Silva

Media Arts & Communications

Goal: Increase video production on MHS social media platforms and create a brand guide for the MHS.

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# MEET OUR PERIPHERAL TEAMS

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## MARKETING TEAM



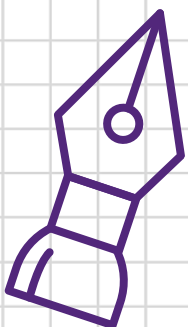
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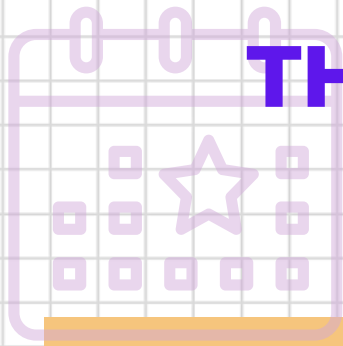
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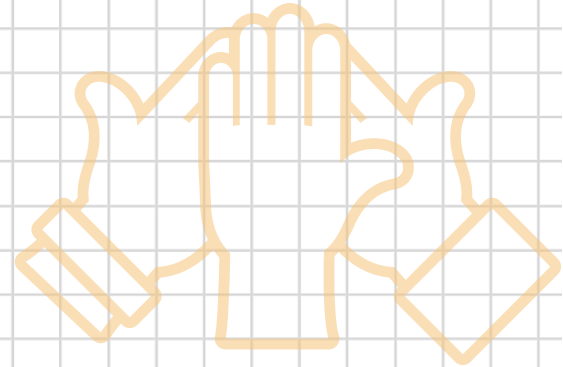
Zaine Zafar [she/her]

# THE EXTERNAL PERIPHERAL TEAM



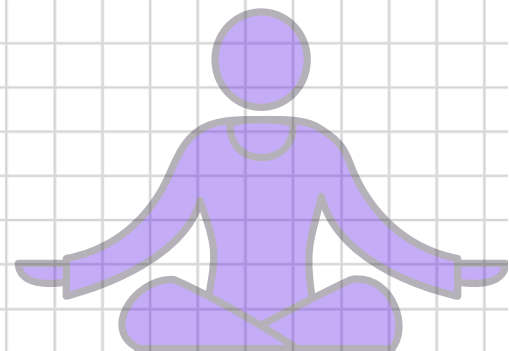
Clare De Souza [she/her]

Equity, diversity, and inclusion coordinator



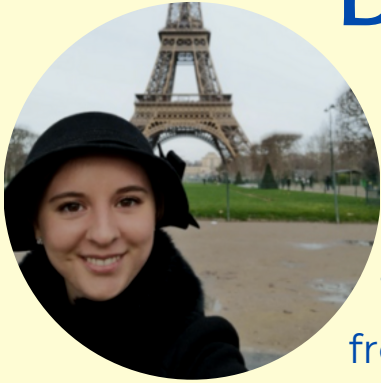
Nicole Jubran[she/her]

Wellness Coordinator





# MEET THE HUMANITIES DEPARTMENT



## Jenna Gloazzo | She/Her/Hers

Jenna is an Academic Advisor &

Experiential Programs Co-Ordinator for

the Faculty of Humanities. She graduated

from McMaster University with an Honours

BA in History (2016) and an MA in History (2017), focusing on

the intersection of 'advice literature' and the early feminist

movements of 19<sup>th</sup>-century England. Jenna first joined the

Faculty as an employee in 2015, and prides herself on

compassionately helping others navigate the complexities of

the higher education system. When she isn't working, Jenna

can be found accidentally cooking way too much food (and

later, delivering care package to friends across Hamilton) or

travelling throughout Canada and beyond, which happily

complements her service as the Faculty's Study Abroad

Advisor and Experiential Programs Co-Ordinator. Jenna, and

the Humanities Academic Advising Office, gives honour and

thanks to the Haudenosaunee and Anishanaabe nations as

the traditional inhabitants of the lands where McMaster

stands with acknowledgement that we are guests on the

territory where we currently have the privilege to study, live

and work.

Jenna Gloazzo, B.A. (Hon.), M.A.

Academic Advisor & Experiential Programs Co-  
Ordinator

Faculty of Humanities, McMaster University



# MEET THE HUMANITIES DEPARTMENT



**Vanessa Hayward | She/Her/Hers**

My name is Vanessa Hayward (she/her) and I have recently joined the Humanities Careers & Experience team as the Programming and Outreach Manager.

For nearly two decades, I have been assisting students in reaching their educational and professional goals. I am a career educator and student services professional with experience designing and delivering career development and work-integrated learning programming for McMaster undergraduate and graduate students, and postdoctoral fellows. I have worked with thousands of students ranging from undergraduate co-op programs, providing career advising, course design and instruction, developing student life programming, coordinating research scholarship competitions, developing and delivering software system training as well as graduate student recruitment and admissions. Always student-centred and collaborative, I look forward to supporting the career- and experience-related needs of Humanities students this year. I am excited to be involved in the launch of the new Humanities Internship Program (HIP), so stay tuned for announcements in the weeks ahead. The HIP is a great way for students to gain new skills, apply your education in a work setting, expand your professional network, and get paid! I care deeply about student affairs, and I am motivated to help students gain meaningful experiences that contribute to their personal

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## DEPARTMENT



**Vanessa Hayward | She/Her/Hers**

and career development. My formal educational background includes a Bachelor of Arts in Sociology, Graduate Certificate in Career Consulting and Master of Education in Post-Secondary Studies. When not at work, I can usually be found outdoors, camping, running and spending time with my husband, daughter, son, and our two dogs. I am always happy to chat with students about career development and further education planning, so don't hesitate to contact me. If you're interested in learning more about careers and experiential learning opportunities for Humanities students, check out the new Careers & Experience website, or request a one-on-one appointment with a member of the Careers & Experience team.

## Leanna Aref



I am a proud McMaster Humanities alumna with a BA Honours in Classics. I also hold a Master of Arts in Egyptology from the University of Toronto. My role in the Faculty of Humanities is to promote, inspire and foster prospective students to study in the Humanities here at Mac. I support students navigating the application cycle through information sessions, one-on-one chats and much more. I work with students, teachers, guidance counselors and parents to teach them about our programs, support services, and community. This year, I am excited to announce the launch of Start-Here, our new recruitment website—a great tool for everyone looking to learn about the Faculty of Humanities!

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## DEPARTMENT

**Cristina Foley**



My role in the Faculty of Humanities is to provide services and activities to support students as they make important career-related decisions and prepare to

transition from academics to the workplace. This year, in addition to our existing programs, career events and workshops, we are thrilled to be offering a new career planning course, HUMAN 2CP2, which supports students in learning how to analyze job postings and create effective employment applications in addition to learning strategies to ace interviews and create an online profile for networking. Interested student can register on MOSAIC. In addition, we are launching a new Internship Program for Humanities. Keep a look out for more information this Fall!



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# IMPROVE YOUR RESUME & COVER LETTER

## Improve Your Resume and Cover Letter

Does your resume still show your high school diploma?  
Do you know how to write a compelling cover letter?

Join us to learn about how to create a professional and impactful resume and cover letter.

**Stand out Cover Letters**  
**Wednesday, November 10<sup>th</sup>**  
3:30 pm, Zoom

**Effective Resumes**  
**Thursday, November 18<sup>th</sup>**  
4:30 pm, Zoom

Register to attend through OSCARplus under  
Humanities > Humanities Events <https://bit.ly/OSCARplus>

Questions? Email [hmcareer@mcmaster.ca](mailto:hmcareer@mcmaster.ca)







# MHS WINTER BREAK SOCIAL

Stay tuned  
for more  
information



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# FIRST YEAR SOCIAL

**November 30**  
**Details coming soon!**



Tis the season to be jolly

# COCO AND CRAM

A hoilday theme pre-exam destress and  
study night!

Date TBA, Stay-tuned!

**DECEMBER BRINGS BOTH THE HOLIDAY SEASON AND EXAM SEASON, SO TO GET IN THE SPIRIT WHILE PREPARING FOR YOUR FINALS BE SURE TO JOIN US FOR OUR COCOA AND CRAM EVENT! THERE WILL BE OPPORTUNITIES TO STUDY WITH OTHER STUDENTS AS WELL AS CHANCES TO UNWIND WITH SOME HOLIDAY GAMES AND ACTIVITIES, AND SOME INCREDIBLE PRIZES TO TOP IT OFF!**



COMING SOON!

# Welcome Week Navy Nation

**2022 Navy Nation  
Planner  
&  
2022 Navy Nation exec**

**Navy nation planner apps out **November 17**  
Navy Nation exec apps out in **January**  
Keep and eye out!**





# EDUCATIONAL JPPL ALUMNI Q&A SESSION

A night to network and  
learn about possible career  
paths after JPPL from our  
amazing alumni



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for more  
information



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# JOIN THE MHS

## COMING SOON...

- Graphic Designer - 1
- Newsletter Designer - 2
- Web Designer - 1

All applications  
coming out soon!  
Keep an eye out!



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# MHS CONTENT SUBMISSIONS

Looking for a fun and meaningful way to contribute to the student body? The MHS is accepting content submissions for its next editions! Feel free to submit any artwork, creative writing pieces or photographs to [mhs.president@machumsociety.com](mailto:mhs.president@machumsociety.com)

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