## Staff, Faculty, Guest Lecturers, Events

# New Bauhaus - School of Design in Chicago - Institute of Design

The following data has been compiled over the past decade through both research and verbal recollections of school days, kindly provided by many from the school. There exist errors, inaccuracies and incomplete information and we request documentation for any new information you may be able to provide. T. Paul Young, Bauhaus Chicago Foundation

#### **Staff** 1937-1955

László Moholy-Nagy Crombie Taylor Nathan Lerner Serge Chermayeff Crombie Taylor Jay Doblin Mollie Thwaites Madeline Miller Barbara Chermayeff Venice Barton Barringer Trude Morris Helen Aarli Helen Aarli Ruth Soderholm William Korner Crombie Taylor Hope Krushkhov Mary Daily John Leonard Gus Huell Washington	1951-1955 1955-1969 1941-1948+ fall 1945 1949-1951	Assistant Director Interim Director Director Acting Director Director Registrar Registrar Registrar Registrar? Public Relations Secretary to Konrad Wachsmann Evening Registrar Business Manager Business Manager Secretary-Treasurer Librarian School Store School Store Janitor
Huell Washington Casey	c1946+ late 1940s	Janitor Carpenter

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## Faculty 1937-1955+

		reaching	Life Dates	Courses/Subjects
Α	David Aaron	1945+	1924-1984	children's classes
	Calvin Albert	1945-47	1918-2007	display techniques
				modeling/sculpture
				life drawing
	J. Zellers Allen	1942-43 evening		air brush technique
	Franz Altschuler	c1954-61	1923-2009	visual fundamentals
				illustration
	George Anselevicius	spring 1945, 49?	1923-2008	children's classes spring 1945
	Alexander Archipenko	1937-38 1946-47	1887-1964	sculpture

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		Teaching	Life Dates	Courses/Subjects
В	?Bill Bagnall George Barford Frank Barr Richard Barringer Ed Bedno Vera Berdich Fred Berger	1939/1946-47 1941- /1949-50+ mid 1950s -1965 1952+ early 1950s	1923-2000 1913-1998 1906-1955 -late 1970s b1925 1915-2003 1923-2006	basic workshop and photography technician, advanced workshop
	Ferenc Berko Patricia Berkson ?Bruno Bettelheim Eugene Bielawski	1947-50 1940-41+ early 1950s 1939-44	1916-2000 1903-1990 1911-2002	photography asst. music appreciation instructor, design workshop asst. basic and product design soldering, brazing and welding
	George Bonvallet Hin Bredendieck	1949-50+ 1937-38 1946-50+	1908-1986 1904-1995	workshop techniques survey product design industrial design
	James Hamilton Brown	1940-46	1005 1070	technician, light workshop photography
	Robert Brownjohn	1949-50+	1925-1970	
С	John Cage Harry Callahan Cosmo Campoli Arnold Ryan Chalfont	1941-42 1946-61 c1955-72 c1945-48	1912-1992 1912-1999 1923-1997	music photography sculpture
	Serge Chermayeff	1947-51	1900-1997	foundation survey architecture advanced building research
	Carroll Cline Harold Cohen	1949-51	1928-2000 b1925	instructor, Foundation Dept. 1949-52 asst. professor, Product Design head 1954-55 sculpture
	Charles Cooper Victor Corrado Gordon Coster Adelyn Cross (Eriksson)	1948-49+ 1948-50+ 1946, 1950	1903-	airbrush techniques photography photography
D	Eugene F. Dana	1948-65	1912-1996	visual fundamentals drawing and color
	Esther Pérez de King Robert Delson Margaret de Patta (Bielaw		1909-1955 1903-1964	language seminars
	Jane Downey Hugh Dalziel Duncan David Dushkin	spring 1945 1948-50+ 1937-38 1940-41+	1909-1970 1898-1986	children's classes spring 45 cultural studies music appreciation
	John Dyckman	1949-50+	1922-1987	
E	Carl Henry Eckart Robert Edmonds Marli (Heiman) Ehrman	1937-38 1946-50+ 1940-43/1945-47		head of weaving workshop
	Cathline Erickson Robert Donald Erickson	1946-48 1943-45/46-48	b1923 1917-1991	children's classes photography children's classes drawing illustration

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F	Joe Feher Richard Filipowski	1945-47+ 1948-50+	1908-1987 1923-2008	advertising arts visual fundamentals foundation course
	Howard T. Fisher Charles Forberg S. J. Frankel	1945-46+ 1951-54 1948-50+	1903-1979 1919-2013	architectural design shelter sciences
	Maurice Friedlander	1948-50+	1899-1971	product illustration techniques, airbrush visual design
G	R. Buckminster Fuller Hermann Garfield (Gurfinkel)	1948-50+ 1948-49	1895-1983	structure/shelter; first geodesic dome 1948 workshop techniques survey
	Ralph W. Gerard Carl Goldberg Leon Golub Robert Graham	1937-38 1942-43evening 1950s	1900-1974 1922-2004	product design ?sciences model airplane building
	Sidney Green	1942-43 evening		dress design, with Ehrman and Thompson
Н	Milton Halberstadt Howard Hardy Britton Harris Samuel Ichiye Hayakawa Keld Helmer-Peterson Michael Higgins	?1940+ 1948-50+ 1948-50+ 1939-47 1951-? 1948-50+	1919-2005 1914-2005 1906-1992 b1920 -1999	sciences sciences general semantist  foundation survey visual design lettering, typographic techniques
	Eva Hoffman Martin Russell Hurtig	1948-49 1956-57	-2009 b1929	printing techniques survey life drawing visual fundamentals
I	Yuichi (Eugene) Idaka	1945-47+		photography motion pictures
J	Joseph D. Jachna Robert Janes Kenneth Josephson	1961-69 1948-50+ 1969	b1935 b1932	photography sciences photography
K	George Kolaja Gerhard Kallmann George Fred Keck	1949-50+ 1940-43+	b1915? 1895-1980	architecture head of architecture department the Primitive House, architecture architecture and interior design
	William Keck Susan Jackson Keig	1941-42 1956 evening	1908-1995 b1918	technician, light workshop typography graphics
	Jane Kendall György Kepes	1945-46+ 1937-43	1906-2001	children's classes visual fundamentals and advertising arts head of light and advanced workshop drawing and color principles of camouflage
	Juliet Kepes Stothe Peter Kezios Henry Knepler Misch Kohn	1940-41 1949-50 c1951-53 1949-72	?1919-1999 1921-2005 1923-1999 1916-2003	asst. children's classes  English, use of language printmaking 2D foundation course
	George Kolaja Otto Kolb	1949-50 1949-50+		film history architecture

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	Richard Koppe	1948-65	1916-1973	foundation course product illustration visual design
	Robert Kostka Myron Kozman	early 50s 1942-43evenings 1946-50+	1928-2005 s 1916-2002	sculpture, photography graphic techniques foundation course visual fundamentals serigraphy
	?Christine Cris Maynard Krueger Elsa Kula	1948-52+	1906-1991 b1918	visual design
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L	Paul M. Laporte June Leaf Sarah J. Taylor Leavitt	1948-49 c1953-55 1945-49+	b1929	history of art printmaking product design lettering techniques
	George LeBrun Hubert Leckie Abba Ptachya Lerner Nathan B. Lerner	1948-50+ 1940-42 1948-50+ 1940-55	1913-1993 1903-1982 1913-1997	visual design instructor, lettering cultural studies assistant, display and light workshop
				product design theory industrial design photography
	Frank R. Levstik, Jr.	1939-50+	1908-1985	technician, light workshop photography motion pictures
	Leslie L. Lewis Robert Lewis	1945+ 1949-50+		James Joyce and his work sciences motion pictures
	Jeffrey Lindsay ?Franz Lipp			
	Robert John Longini Robert Lundberg	1946-47+ 1952+	1915-1962	?photography
M	Angelo Mangiarotti Gordon Martin	1953+ 1950s	1921-2012	typography
	Raymond L. Martin	1956-57	b1930	visual design, typography
	Daniel Massen Hiller Masker	1940-41+ 1948-52	1897-1971 1923-2015	asst. painting and sculpture photography
	Lyle Mayer	1951-60s	-1968	photography
	?Norman McFarland Martin Metal	1948-50+		cultural studies
	Ray Metzker	1010 10	b1931	photography
	Wayne Miller László Moholy-Nagy	1948-49 1937-46	1918-2013 1895-1946	documentary photography director basic and product design
	Sibyl Moholy-Nagy	1946-47+	1905-1971	motion pictures language and cultural seminars form and civilization
	Johannes Molzahn	1944+	1892-1965	visual fundamentals, painting, sculpture light and color workshop
	?Connie Moran	1007.00	1001 1070	
	Charles Morris	1937-38 1941 summer+ 1944	1901-1979	language and communication

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N	George Nan Leonard W. Nederkorn	late 1950s 1939	b1935 -1969	color photography
	Elic Nekimken	1948-50+	1921-1990	plastic techniques survey product design
	Robert Nickle Charles W. Niedringhaus	1951-54 1940-41	1919-1980 1915-2002	foundation course, communications assistant, design workshop asst. basic workshop and product design
		1944 evening		woodworking/product design with James Prestini
Р	Elmer Ray Pearson	1950-86	1921-1986	foundation courses, wood workshop, shelter
	Herbert Pinzke Davis Pratt James Prestini	1949-52+ ?1947-50+ 1940-41 1944 evening	1917-1992 1917-1987 1908-1993	layout, visual design and package design foundation course assistant, design workshop woodworking/product design with Charles Niedringhaus
	Louis Prunauer Harold Purcell	1945-47+ 1941-42+	?1910-1990	asst. basic workshop and product design technician, light workshop
R	Ralph Rapson	1942-46	1914-2008	architectural design mechanical drawing, drafting workshop
	Jan Jindrich Reiner Jean Otis Reinecke Edgar Richard	1940-41+ 1942-43evening c1946-51	1909-2010 1909-1987	architecture (intro to M-N by William Pereira) design in plastics mathematics (JR class barometer) class on environment control from Berlin, later taught in Chicago
	Else Regensteiner Jesse Reichek John Reynolds Nolan Rhoades	1945-47+ 1951-53 c1947 1946-47+	1906-2003 1916-2006 1921-1993	textile workshop ?basic workshop, architecture product design; Parker Co., Garton Toy Co.
	Edgar Richard Edward Rinker	1945-47/1949-52 1942-45	?+	math, physics, sciences photography motion pictures
	Jack (?John) Rivenburgh Robert (William?) Rose Arnold Rosner Arnold W. Ryan (Chalfont)	1948-60s 1949-50+ c1948	1925-2005	sciences visual design
s	Sue Sager			
J	Aaron A. Sayvetz Andi Schiltz	1940-43+ 1937-38 1945-46+	1917-2007	instructor in mathematics, physics, chemistry product design
	Zero Hans Schlager R. Thomas Schorer Peter Selz Thalia Selz Arthur S. Siegel	1950-51 1951-55 1949-55 1952+ 1946-49/1951-54	1998-1976 b1929 b1919	advanced graphic design visual design art history film history photography
	David Siegel	1963-64/1967-78 1948-49		history of the movie foundation survey
	Arthur Sinsabaugh Aaron Siskind Henry Holmes Smith Frank Sokolik Frederick Sommer Simon Steiner Joseph Sterling	1949-52 1951-71 1937-38 1941-48 1957-58/1963 c 1954-55 1966-68	1924-1983 1903-1992 1909-1986 1910-1984 1905-1999 1916-1984 1936-2010	photography photography photography photography photography photography photography photography photography
	Charles Swedlund Albert Szabo	1969-71 1952+	b1935 1925-2003	photography foundation, intro to architecture

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Т	Robert Bruce Tague	1940-44 1946-50	1912-1984	instructor, architecture department shelter/architecture and interior design mechanical and architectural drawing product design
	Beatrice Takeuchi	c1944	b1921	children's class, student ass't. to Webber
	Ilmari Tapiovaaro	1952+	1914-1999	
	Crombie Taylor	1944-54	1914-1999	architectural design, mechanical drafting, production illustration
	Louis Terebesy	1940-41+	1893-1959	assistant, painting and sculpture workshop
	Robert Thompson	1942-43evening	1001 1005	dress design, with Ehrman and Green visual fundamentals
	Irving Titel	1948-50+	1921-1995	visuai fundamentais
V	John van der Meulen	1947-52+	1914-1994	architecture
-	Margit Varro	1948-52+	1882-1978	cultural studies
	ŭ			music
U	llse Uhlmann			
W	Konrad Wachsmann	1949-53	1901-1980	advanced building research/architecture
vv	John Walley	1949-53	1910-1974	basic workshop/foundation survey
	William Wallis	1040 02:	1310 1374	woodworking
	Harold F. Walter	1946-50+	1909-2007	foundation survey
				visual design
				layout and photomontage
	W. Lloyd Warner		1898-1970	
	Gordon McKinley Webber		1909-1965	head of children's class
	Hugo Weber	1946-52+	1918-1971	sculpture
	Weegee (Arthur Fellig)	summer 1946	1899-1968	foundation survey photography
	Ralph Weir	1945-47+	1699-1906	airbrush techniques
	Marianne Willisch	1942? 1945-52+	1891-1984	interior design
	Warranne Villicen	10121 1010 021	1001 1001	art history
	Gary Winogrand		1928-1984	photography
	Louis Wirth		1897-1952	
	Emerson Woelffer	1942-49	1914-2003	foundation course
				advertising arts
				painting and drawing
				life drawing color
	Robert Jay Wolff	1937-42	1905-1978	head of sculpture & display workshops
	Hobert day Wolli	1949-50+	1303 1370	drawing and color
		.5.0001		painting
Y	Boris Yakovlev (?sp)	?1946+		film/night school
Z	Zeke Ziner	c1952-55	1919-2006	life drawing
_	Laura Zirner	1948-50+	-1984?	calligraphy
	Eddid Elitioi	.5 15 551	10011	typography
				visual design
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## **Guest Lecturers** 1937-1955

	Title/Subject	Date/Term	Life Dates	Avocation
Alvar Aalto Bernice Abbott			1898-1976 1898-1991	architect photographer
Thomas Baird	Visual Propaganda	May 20, 1948		·
Herbert Bayer	and the second second second second	1945-46 term; 50	Os1900-1985	typographer, artist, architect
Bruno Bettelheim Erwin Blumenfeld	seminar, child psychology Photography Symposium participant		1897-1969	photographer
Will Burton		1954		designer
Harry Callahan	Photography Symposium participant	summer 1946	1912-1999	photographer
Paul Caponigro		1950s	b1932	photographer
Jean Carlu		1945-46 term	1900-1997	artist, poster designer
Rudolph Carnap			1891-1970	philosopher
Horace Cayton			1903-1970	sociologist, educator
J.G. Crowther			1899-	scientist
E.E. Cummings		1947	1894-1962	poet
James A. Davis		1948	1929-2016	sociologist
Alexander Dorner			1893-1957	art historian
Henry Dreyfuss	What's Happening to Public Taste	April 30, 1956	1904-1972	industrial designer
Charles Eames and Ray Eames	several talks	c 1951-52	1907-1978 1912-1988	designers, architects
Carl Henry Eckart		1940-41	1902-1973	physicist, oceanographer, U of C professor
Herman Finer	Design of Polity	February 26, 194	18	o or o professor
James Marston Fitch	The Purpose of Design	March 25, 1948	,	architectural historian, educator
R. Buckminster Fuller (invited by Harold Cohen	series of talks	1948-49 term	1895-1983	educator, architect/engineer
Ralph W. Gerard	,	1940-41	1900-1974	neurophysiologist, behavioral scientist, U of C professor
Sigfried Giedion	city planning	1942 1945-46 term	1888-1968	historian, art & architecture
Louis W. Gottschalk	City planning	1343 40 (61111	1899-1975	U of C professor
Dilman W. Gotshalk	The Social Function of Art	March 5 1948	1000 1070	o or o protossor
Walter Gropius	Education Toward Creative Design	Nov. 9, 1937	1883-1969	architect, educator
Walter Gropius	Rebuilding our Communities after the Wa	Feb. 24,1945	1883-1969	architect, educator
Samuel Ichiye Hayakawa	Language in Action	fall 1945 +	1906-1992	psychologist, teacher, writer
Henry Russell Hitchcock	Language III Notion	1011 1040 1	1903-1987	historian, art & architecture
George Fred Keck			1885-1980	architect
Jean Hélion		1944	1904-1987	artist
György Kepes	Form and Motion	Oct. 23, 1947	1906-2001	artist, educator
Katharine Kuh	Tom and Wellen	001. 20, 1017	1904-1994	art historian, curator
Rathanne Run			1004 1004	gallery proprietor
Maynard Krueger		1940-41	1906-1991	politician, economist
F	and the second s	1011	1001 1055	U of C professor
Fernand Léger	on occasion of his exhibit		1881-1955	artist
Abba Lerner Leslie L. Lewis	Design of the Economy Modern Literature: The Psychological Writer		1903-1982	culture/humanities specialist writer
	Marcel Proust, Virginia W			
	D.H. Lawrence; 6 lecture			
Victor Lowenfeld	Creative and Mental Growth of Children from Age 2 to 15	c 1948	1903-1967	art educator
	Hom Age 2 to 10			

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László Moholy-Nagy	Development of Photography; on occasion of the exhibit: A Brief Survey of Photography from 1839-1937	1938 on	1895-1946	director
	Picasso's Guenica	1946		
	Symposium/Photography			
Charles Morris		1940-41		philosopher of language
				and logic, U of C professor
John U. Nef	Industrialism and Wars 6 lectures	fall 1945	1899-1988	economic and cultural historian, U of C professor
George Nelson	The Means for Design	April 8, 1948		
Richard Neutra		c 1944	1892-1970	architect
Beaumont Newhall			-1993	photographer, historian
<b>-</b>				of photography, curator
Taylor Poore	Information and Education	<sup>1</sup> May 6, 1948	1000 1000	artist
James Prestini			1908-1993	artist, teacher
Ralph Rapson			1914-2008	architect
Man Ray Herbert Read			1890-1976 1893-1968	artist historian, art & architecture
Ad Reinhardt		c 1948	1913-1967	artist
Daniel Catton Rich		C 1940	1904-1958	director Art Institute of Chicago
Frank Scherschel			1304 1330	photographer
José Luis Sert	Urbanism versus	March 22, 1943	1901-1983	architect
	Suburbanism			<u></u>
	Problems of Re-planning Our Cities	c1948		
Paul Strand			1890-1976	photographer
Roy E. Stryker			1893-1975	photographer
James Johnson Sweeney	The Four Quartets, T.S. Eliot	1945-46 term	1900-1986	curator, art historian
Szymon Syrkus			1893-1964	artist
Kurt Versen			1889-1943	designer, lighting
Konrad Wachsmann	The Means of Design	April 8, 1948	1901-1980	architect
Lloyd Warner		fall 1941		U of C professor
Weegee (Arthur Fellig)	Photography Symposium participant	summer 1946	1899-1968	photographer
Walter E. Weisskopf	The Cultural Climate	March 11, 1948		
Louis Wirth		1940-41	1897-1952	sociologist, social activist U of C professor
Robert Jay Wolff			1905-1978	designer, painter
William W. Wurster			1885-1973	architect, teacher
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## **Exhibitions** 1937-1955

International Exhibition of Abstract Art	1937	inaugural exhibition
A Brief Survey of Photography 1839-1937	1938	organized by Moholy-Nagy
Moholy-Nagy	c 1939-45	at 247-257 E. Ontario Street
War Art	1942 April 12-May 2	organized by Moholy-Nagy, hosted by the Renaissance Society, U of C; assembled by the School of Design in Chicago and WPA Illinois Art and Craft Project
Camouflage	1943	presented by class of György Kepes
Paintings by Fernand Léger	1944 October 14 - November 8	catalog produced, with essay by Sigfried Giedion
Soviet Architecture	1945 February	
The Work of Jean Carlu	1945 March and April	lecture by M. Carlu on March 3, 1945
The Institute of Design	1940s	hosted by Harvard University
Herbert Bayer	194?	art and design
Richard Filipowski	1947	his art
Moholy-Nagy	1947	Cincinnati Art Museum, sponsored by The Modern Art Society, Contemporary Art Center
	1947 September 18-October 26	Art Institute of Chicago  Sponsored by The Society of Contemporary Art
The Institute of Design	1949 June-July	Murray Hall, Council of Industrial Design, London
Konrad Wachsmann	1950	architecture and structure
The Work of 4 Architects	c 1953-55 December 11-31	faculty Charles Forberg, Angelo Mangiarotti, Robert Bruce Tague, Crombie Taylor
GKF Graphic Arts	1954 November 4 – December	European graphic arts 3
Frank Barr Memorial Exhibition	1955 February 14 – 28	with creation of the Frank Barr Scholarship Fund

#### **Performances**

c 1943-44

John Cage performance on an altered piano

Recital of Contemporary Music, Felix Witzinger pianist
Compositions by Bartok, Chaves, Gershwin, Honegger, Milhaud, Stravinsky
With a brief introduction by Ernst Krenek who played his new piano sonata,
first Chicago performance

Unknown Hungarian quartet

Thursday April 26, 1956 Ziva Lifshitz Piano Recital; Bach, Chopin, Debussy, Bernstein

(last term of the Institute of Design at 632 Dearborn Street, prior to the move to

S.R. Crown Hall on the IIT campus, summer 1956)

1940s Sybil Shearer dance performance

#### **Film Presentations**

May 28, 1953 Evening of Short Films:

Boxing Tonight (1949), directed by Eugene Dana

A Rudy Burkhardt film

A Mize film

An Alexander Hammid film

October 27, 1953 The Span of Life, film and lecture by designer Will Burtin

### **Special Group Projects**

1945	Do Not Disturb	a 16mm film poem project; class of Moholy-Nagy Students: Richard Filipowski, Beatrice Takeuchi, Angelo Testa filming; Performers Richard Filipowsi, Patricia Parker, Joanne Reed, Nick Savage
1947	Group Poems	'Intellectual Integration' class of Sibyl Moholy-Nagy Students: Franz Altschuler, Sandra Fingerman, Harold Grosowsky, Allen Porter, Lou Silverstein
1951	Six week tutorial with Mies van der Rohe	Students: Joe Burnett, Robert Genchek, Daisy Igel, Douglas Rhyn, Robertson Ward arranged by Konrad Wachsmann

### **Field Trips**

1947 Paepcke Farm

Late 1940s Indiana Dunes

Unknown dates, frequent Container Corporation of America

#### **Costume Parties**

December 13, 1947	costume ball ala bauhaus
April 2, 1949	Joker's Holiday, a costume party celebration of April Fool's Day With music by The Four Pastels of Rhythm, four students including Clark Dean
c 1954	Magenta and Orange, Costume Party (Black and white costumes were ok too)