This Week at CARL BECKER HOUSE

Sunday, October 22
House Council
Everyone is Welcome
8:00pm, Kramnick Seminar Room

Monday, October 23
Spanish Language Dinner Table
Practice speaking Spanish in a friendly environment over dinner.
Everyone is Welcome
6:15pm, Common Room

MakerSpace
At MakerSpace this week residents will be designing and building a
clock, finishing making a radio and doing pop-up origami.
Everyone is Welcome
9:00pm, Common Room

Wednesday, October 25
Becker Café
conversation over coffee and cookies
Paper, Rock, Scissors: The Necessity of Radical
Perspectives in American Political Culture
with special guest, Professor N.D.B. Connolly,
Herbert Baxter Adams Associate Professor of History,
John Hopkins University
Professor Connolly writes about racism, capitalism, politics,
and the built environment in the twentieth century. His work
pays special attention to people’s overlapping understand-
ings of property rights and civil rights in the United States
and the wider Americas.
7:00pm in House Professor Neema’s Apartment (G50)

Guests-in-Residence
Reichert Guest Suite, 108 Becker

Meet our Guests-in-Residence
Monday, October 23
Dinner, Talk and Video with
Rohan Shivkumar and Avijit Mukul Kishore
Everyone is Welcome
6:00pm, Kramnick Seminar Room

Avijit Mukul Kishore is a filmmaker
and cinematographer based in Mumbai, work-
ing in documentary and inter-disciplinary mov-
ing-image practices. Among the films he has
director are Vertical City, and Nostalgia for the
Future.

Rohan Shivkumar is an architect and
an urban designer practicing in Mumbai. His
work spans architectural and interior design,
to urban research and consultancy on issues
concerning housing, public space and sanita-
tion. He is interested in exploring the many
ways of reading and representing the city.

CINEMA CITY, Rohan Skivkumar
This presentation will explore the relationship between Cinema and
the city of Mumbai by following the people and spaces involved in
the production of cinema. In the post-
industrial landscape of Mum-
bai, while the large studio spaces are being transformed to residen-
tial complexes, the production of films continues in makeshift, tem-
porary establishments in low income housing areas and slums con-
ected by non-physical informational networks.

Certified Universal is a documentary film by Avijit Mukul Kishore.
The city of Mumbai is a living film set that provides the backdrop for
screen lives as well as real lives to unfold.
Certified Universal is a short film that looks at
the city’s engagement with the image and im-
age making. The film- maker deconstructs the
images of both the city and its cinema that
have lived off each other for a hundred years.

CUBS: Feed My Starving Children

Wednesday, October 25 continued
Cornell University Becker in Service (CUBS)
Everyone is welcome.
8:30pm in House Professor Neema’s Apartment (G50)

Thursday, October 26
Baking Social
8:30pm in the 2nd north wing breezeway

Friday, October 27
First Year Parent Weekend - Tours of Becker
Family members of freshman are invited to tour Becker House
and enjoy a meal in the Becker dining room.
1:00 to 4:00pm

Saturday, October 28
Movie Night: The Ring!
A journalist must investigate a mysterious videotape which seems to
cause the death of anyone in a week of viewing it.
Come by and enjoy Halloween with us!
9:00pm, TV Room

Class of 1966 Day!