



JASNA-NY and JASNA Connecticut invite you to join us in New Haven, Connecticut from **Friday, April 5<sup>th</sup> to Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup> 2019** for our weekend conference, *“Beyond the Written Word” – An Exploration of Jane Austen’s World: Art, Music, and Architecture in the Regency Era.*

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We will meet at the [Omni New Haven Hotel at Yale](#) in New Haven, Connecticut just 75 miles from New York City. The weekend will include your hotel accommodations, FIVE guest speakers, a tour of the Yale Center for British Art, and more. You do **NOT** need to make a separate reservation for the hotel, we will take care of that for you.

Conference lectures include *“A Pair of Fine Eyes: Dora Jordan & Elizabeth Bennet”* and *“Irish, I Dare Say: Satire in PERSUASION”* (Jocelyn Harris, Professor Emerita, University of Otago, New Zealand), *“The Musical Influences in Jane Austen’s Life”* (Lidia Chang, Master of Music in Historical Performance and Master of Arts in Musicology), *“The World Through the Eyes of Jane Austen’s Clergymen Heroes”* (Natasha Duquette, Chair, Department of English, and Professor Of English, Tyndale University College & Seminary), *“Historical New Haven”* (Judith Ann Schiff, New Haven City Historian, and Chief Research Archivist, Yale University Library), and *“Regency Charades”* (Mark Turner, Regency games enthusiast).

Come early on Friday to make sure you catch these two **FREE** pre-conference events:

- [Bibliomania; or Book Madness: A Bibliographical Romance](#) exhibit at the Beinecke Rare Book & Manuscript Library
- *“Vincent van Gogh’s Turning Points: Van Gogh in Arles I: Town, Fields, and Gardens”* lecture by John Walsh on Friday, April 5, 2019, 1:30 PM at The Yale University Art Gallery. Seating is limited. Doors open one hour prior to the lecture which is open to the General Public

The joy of a “destination conference” is the opportunity to explore this historic town. We are providing you with many opportunities to do so as part of the program as well as independently.

**Included in the conference fee are:**

- Overnight accommodations at the Omni New Haven Hotel at Yale on Friday, April 5<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, April 6<sup>th</sup> (No need for you to make hotel reservations; we will do so for you.)
- All lectures
- Breakfast on Saturday, April 6<sup>th</sup>
- Guided tour of The Yale Center for British Art on Saturday, April 6<sup>th</sup>
- Lunch on Saturday, April 6<sup>th</sup>
- Banquet dinner on Saturday, April 6<sup>th</sup>
- Breakfast on Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup>

**NOT included in conference fee:**

- Dinner on your own on Friday, April 5<sup>th</sup>
- Optional guided tour of Yale University on Friday, April 5, 2019 (**Cost: \$10**)
- Optional guided tour of the Center Church on the Green's Crypt on Friday, April 5, 2019 (**Cost: \$10**)
- Optional guided tour of the Yale Collection of Musical Instruments on Sunday, April 7, 2019 (**Cost \$15**)

**Cost: \$470 per person based upon double occupancy;**

**\$700 per person with single supplement**

For those wishing to extend their stay at the Omni New Haven Hotel at Yale the hotel is extending the conference rate (\$206/night/room which includes taxes and fees) from Thursday evening (April 4<sup>th</sup>) through Sunday evening (April 7<sup>th</sup>).

**Optional Tours:**

- **Yale University Tour on Friday, April 5, 2019 (10:15 AM – 11:45 AM)**

Yale College students provide a glimpse into the history and architecture of the University. Hear about Yale's rich 300-year history and aspects of student life at several of Yale's fourteen residential colleges. The tour also includes the Gothic Sterling Memorial Library, Yale's largest, and the Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library. Constructed with more than one hundred panels of translucent marble, the Beinecke is home to one of the world's preeminent collections of rare materials, including the Gutenberg Bible. A video about campus life is offered 15 minutes before each of these scheduled tours. [**NOTE:** The tour will end at the Yale Bookstore, a block from The Yale University Art Gallery if you wanted to attend the free van Gogh lecture starting at 1:30 PM; ticket pick up starting at 12:30 PM.]

**Cost: \$10 per person** (Tour limited to the first 25 people)

- **Center Church on the Green Crypt Tour on Friday, April 5, 2019 (3:30 PM – 5:30 PM)**

In 1812-1814 the current Center Church meeting house was built over a small portion of the town's burial ground. All the remains and gravestones were left in their original positions to be protected by the church's foundation where a crypt, an enclosed chamber around the burial ground, was created. Historically, the New Haven Crypt is one of the exceptional colonial burial grounds to endure untouched. 137 grave stones of New Haven's founders and earliest citizens dating from 1687, including Benedict Arnold's first wife, President Rutherford Hayes' family, and the Reverend James Pierpont (a founder of Yale College), may be seen.

**Cost: \$10 per person**

- **Yale Collection of Musical Instruments on Sunday, April 7, 2019 (1:00 PM – 2:30 PM)**

One of the foremost institutions of its kind, the Collection acquires, preserves, and exhibits musical instruments from antiquity to the present, featuring restored examples in demonstration and live performance. Tour consists of a guided examination of the museum's three galleries with special emphasis on outstanding examples. Tours are led by staff members who place the instruments on display in a historical context and discuss their roles in the cultural life of the period.

**Cost: \$15 per person**

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Art, Music, and Architecture in the Regency Era”  
Registration Form*

Click here to register or fill in the form below and mail it, along with a check payable to JASNA-NY, to:  
Kerri Spennicchia, 520 East 72<sup>nd</sup> Street, Apt 2-M, New York, NY 10021.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Saturday Evening Banquet Choice (select one of the following):**

- Pan Roasted Chicken (whipped potatoes, maple roasted Brussels sprouts, and mustard jus) \_\_\_\_\_
- Grilled Local Sea Bass (basmati rice, bok choy, tomatoes) \_\_\_\_\_
- Lasagna Rollotini (Ricotta cheese, charred tomatoes, mozzarella, and wilted spinach) \_\_\_\_\_

**AMOUNT**

<b>Member Registration (double occupancy) at \$470</b>	\$ _____
<b>Member registration (single supplement) at \$700</b>	\$ _____
<b>Additional Hotel Nights:</b>	
<b>Thursday, April 4, 2019 at \$103 (double occupancy) or \$206 (single)/person     (includes taxes and fees)</b>	\$ _____
<b>Sunday, April 7, 2019 at \$103 (double occupancy) or \$206 (single)/person     (includes taxes and fees)</b>	\$ _____
<b>OPTIONAL Yale University Tour on Friday, April 5<sup>th</sup> at \$10/person</b>	\$ _____
<b>OPTIONAL Center Church on the Green Crypt Tour on Friday, April 5<sup>th</sup> at \$10/person</b>	\$ _____
<b>OPTIONAL Yale Collection of Musical Instruments Tour on Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup> at \$15/person</b>	\$ _____
<b>Donation</b>	\$ _____
<b>(Thank you!) TOTAL</b>	\$ _____

**Roommate:**

**Already have a roommate?**  
    Name: \_\_\_\_\_

	<b><u>YES</u></b>	<b><u>NO</u></b>
<b>Need a roommate?</b>	_____	_____
	<b><u>One</u></b>	<b><u>Two</u></b>
<b>Bed Size?</b>	<b><u>Queen</u></b>	<b><u>Doubles</u></b>
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**Registration:** Registrations accepted on a first come, first served basis. Please note, if companions are joining you, it will be necessary to select the “single supplement” option when registering.

**Cancellation Policy:** Your registration fee will be refunded minus an administrative charge of \$25 until March 5, 2019. After March 5, 2019, a refund (minus the \$25 fee) will be issued *only if* we can replace you.

## How to get there:

### By car

#### FROM I-95 NORTH AND I-95 SOUTH:

- Take Exit 47 and proceed onto Route 34.
- Turn right at first traffic light onto Church Street and follow to the third traffic light.
- Turn left at the third traffic light (Chapel Street) and follow to the first traffic light.
- Turn left (Temple Street) and the hotel is on your left (155 Temple Street).
- *(Directional city signage (large yellow signs) is also available to assist from the I-95 exits.)*

For more detailed directions to hotel visit:

<https://www.omnihotels.com/hotels/new-haven-yale/property-details/directions>

#### PARKING:

- On-site valet (\$28.75 per night) and covered self-parking (\$23 fee includes in/out privileges). *Prices subject to change.*
- Nearby car rental agency
- *Juice Bar*: designated area in the parking garage specifically for electric vehicles to re-charge, including Tesla

### By train

#### MTA METRO NORTH – New Haven Line

Schedule: <http://web.mta.info/mnr/html/planning/schedules/schedules.htm>

Fares: [http://as0.mta.info/mnr/fares/get\\_fares.cfm](http://as0.mta.info/mnr/fares/get_fares.cfm)

Buy your ticket BEFORE boarding train; \$2 extra for on-board purchase

Green Bus: At New Haven station ask for the Green Bus [FREE] which makes a loop from the train station to the Green (across from the hotel) – **ask the driver.**

### By plane:

#### TWEED NEW HAVEN AIRPORT (4 miles from hotel)

<http://www.flytweed.com/>

**HARTFORD BRADLEY INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT** (45 miles from hotel; 50 min drive)

<http://www.bradleyairport.com/>

### Map:

#### Downtown New Haven

<https://www.visitnewhaven.com/images/VNH-Map-2016.pdf>

## ABOUT THE HOTEL:

### ROOM FEATURES

- Non-smoking luxury hotel
- Complimentary turndown service (upon request)
- Plush robes
- Feather pillows
- Makeup mirror
- Hair dryer
- Iron and full-sized ironing board
- Coffeemaker
- AM/FM alarm clock

### IN-ROOM TECHNOLOGY

- 37" HDTV with cable channels and remote control
- Individual climate control
- *LodgeNet* system featuring on-demand hit movies (additional cost)
- Two dual-line speaker phones with voicemail
- Video check-out
- WiFi Internet service – complimentary for *Select Guest®* members
- Work desk.