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Ada Comstock Handbook
https://spark.adobe.com/page/FeOtKwjl0k9Vy/
Though the Ada handbook has some information applicable only to Adas, it does have a lot of useful information for all Smithies, such as information about Smith traditions, downtown Northampton, and more.

Automated Teller Machine (ATM)
The one on-campus ATM is located on the Garden Level of the Campus Center and is operated by UMass Five College Federal Credit Union. You may be charged a fee for using the machine.

Bicycle Kitchen
https://sophia.smith.edu/blog/bikekitchen/
Learn how to care for your bike during Bike Fix’n Fridays. Don’t have your own? Rent one for the Semester – just $20. Look for them on Facebook.

The Botanic Garden
www.smith.edu/garden/
Sometimes you just need to stop and smell the roses! The Botanic Garden incorporates the study of plants into the academic life of the College. You can visit the Lyman Conservatory, the Campus Arboretum, and any one of the many outdoor gardens.

Box Office
www.smith.edu/smitharts/boxoffice.php
Information about theatre, dance and music production can be found here. Discount tickets are generally available for all students.

Campus Center (CC)
www.smith.edu/ose/campus_center.php
- Daily Café Specials: x2233
- Grécourt Bookstore: x4140
- Information Desk: x4801
- Mailroom: x4156
- OSE: x2639
- SGA: x4950
Student mailboxes, TV lounge, the Common Goods Resource Center, the Grécourt bookstore, café, Office of Student Engagement (OSE) and the Student Government Association (SGA) office are located in the Campus Center.

**Center for the Environment, Ecological Design & Sustainability (CEEDS)**
[www.smith.edu/ceeds/](http://www.smith.edu/ceeds/) | Garden Level of Wright Hall
CEEDS helps you integrate classroom gained across the disciplines in support of environmental decisions and action.

**Class Dean's Office**
[www.smith.edu/about-smith/class-deans](http://www.smith.edu/about-smith/class-deans) | College Hall 101
See your class dean to discuss course selection and registration, grades, credit shortages, choosing a major, study abroad, honors, summer school credit, leaves of absence or any other academic questions. You can make an appointment via classdeans@smith.edu or drop in during your dean’s open hours:

- **First Years**: Jane Stangl
  M: 10:30 a.m.-Noon; Th: 2-3:30 p.m.

- **Sophomores/Adas**: Andrea Rossi-Reder
  M: 2-3:30 p.m.; W: 2:30-3:30 p.m.; Th: 11 a.m.-Noon

- **Juniors**: Susannah Howe
  [appts via online signup](http://www.smith.edu/about-smith/class-deans) on M/Th: 9:30-10 a.m.; T/W: 11:30 a.m.-noon; Walk-ins only Th: 9-9:30 a.m.

- **Seniors**: Adela Penagos
  M, 2-3 p.m.; W 10-11 a.m.

**Common Goods Resource Center**
[https://www.smith.edu/student-life/commongoods](https://www.smith.edu/student-life/commongoods) | Campus Center Lower Level
A student-run support hub that provides students in need with basic necessities free of charge. Please note: this is not a store or thrift store; rather it is a place for students facing financial challenges to get the things they need as long as supplies last. Orders can be placed in person on or online.
Computer Centers

Computer centers are equipped to run both Windows and Macintosh operating systems.

Access Locations: Campus Center; Young Science Library; Hillyer Art Library; Josten Performing Arts Library

Knowledge Lab: Alumnae Gym (2nd Floor): open 24 hours all week; workspaces available when classes or workshops are not in session

Technology Learning Commons (Seelye B8) also offers scanning stations. Hours: Monday through Thursday, 8 a.m. to 10 p.m.; Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.; Sunday, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.; 24 Hour Access via doors facing Seelye Lawn (Smith ID required)

Unstaffed Computer Centers: Washburn House and King House

Computer Store

Provides all your computer and accessory needs at discounted (educational) prices. Check out their Back to School packages and make sure you have the correct Smith approved software.

Concentrations

A way for you to delve further into an area of interest by combining academic and practical experiences. Each Concentration offers a gateway course, capstone seminar, four electives (distributed across disciplines) and has two experiential learning requirements. Concentrations as of Fall 2022:

- Archives
- Book Studies
- Collaborative Innovation
- Community Engagement and Social Change
- Environmental
- Global Financial Institutions
- Journalism
- Museums
- Poetry
- Translation Studies
Conway Innovation & Entrepreneurship Center

www.smith.edu/ciec  |  Neilson Library Room 103

The Conway Center hosts and facilitates a slate of programs and activities focused on creative thinking, problem solving, interdisciplinary teamwork and development of business and entrepreneurial skills. The learn & lunch personal finance series (with lunch provided) is designed to help every student regardless of major take charge of their money while in college and beyond. You can also gain practical experience in the areas of consulting, business, finance and entrepreneurship by joining the Consulting Club, Smithies in Business, the Smith College Investment Club or Startup Consulting Group.

CORQ App

www.corqapp.com/

You can search Smith events by the type of event, whether food will be served, or if there are other freebies. Best: you can create a co-curricular transcript of all your activities attended during your Smith years (definitely a helpful tool when it comes time to create a resume).

Design Thinking Initiative (DTI)

www.smith.edu/design-thinking/  |  Capen Annxe

DTI brings eminent designers to campus to facilitate dialogue about how gender, power and ability shape design. Offers a Prototyping Studio where you learn to play, make and collaboratively create. In partnership with the Conway and Wurtele Centers, DTI sponsors a Collaborative Leadership and Design Immersion summer experience (application required).

Disability Services

www.smith.edu/about-smith/disability-services  |  College Hall 104

Provides support and accommodations for any student with a documented need. Also provides information regarding local resources for testing and other services not provided by Smith.
Emergency and Special Funding
https://www.smith.edu/doc/funding.php
The Dean of the College has funds available for students who face an unexpected emergency, need assistance purchasing textbooks, or needs fund to be able to participate in special programs. There are also discretionary funds administered by various departments, centers, programs across the campus. Find the one to fit your needs and how to apply:
www.smith.edu/doc/funding_discretionary.php

First Gen Out Loud
https://www.smith.edu/academics/narratives-project
A community-building and leadership program for those who are first in their families to attend a four-year college. Activities include weekly meals, retreats, and workshops. An application is required.

First Year Experience (FYE)
www.smith.edu/student-life/new-students
The program introduces new Smithies to the academic, cultural, social and residential life of college. Programs include bus trips to the mall, rock climbing with the Smith Outdoor Program, Wellness 101 and many more programs and special activities.

Grab & Go 2.0
Smith dining’s on-the-go system where you receive a token that can be given to dining hall coordinators in exchange for a reusable meal container. Return used containers to the vending machines in Campus Center, Tyler, or Scales (no need to wash them first). The vending machines dispense new tokens for returned containers.

Grécourt Bookstore
www.smithcollegeshop.com | Campus Center Lower Level
The bookstore sells new and used textbooks, school supplies, book bags, and sportswear. The bookstore is located in the lower level of the Campus Center.

Information Technology Services (ITS)
www.smith.edu/its | Help Desk: x4487
ITS provides Smith students, faculty, administration and staff with all the tech support they need. Download needed
software or take online training to sharpen the tools in your technological toolbox.

- Online learning: [www.lynda.com](http://www.lynda.com)
- Technology & Resource Advisor: [www.smith.edu/tara](http://www.smith.edu/tara)

**Jacobson Center for Writing, Teaching and Learning**
[www.smith.edu/jacobsoncenter/](http://www.smith.edu/jacobsoncenter/) | Seelye Hall 307
Offers workshops on time management and study skills. Peer writing assistants and student tutors for all subjects are generally available by appointment or drop-ins.

**Jandon Center for Community Engagement**
[www.smith.edu/academics/jandon-center](http://www.smith.edu/academics/jandon-center) | Wright Hall
A hub for community-driven projects and social change research, Jandon provides you with opportunities to engage with community partners in meaningful ways. Jandon also sponsors the Smith Alliance for Justice & Equity Fellowship program.

**Kahn Liberal Arts Institute**
[www.smith.edu/kahninstitute/](http://www.smith.edu/kahninstitute/) | 21 Henshaw Avenue
Sophomores and juniors are invited at the beginning of the Spring semester to apply for on-campus research fellowships (which pay a bi-weekly stipend). Research must be tied to a yearlong project that the Institute supports.

**Lazarus Center for Career Development**
[https://www.smith.edu/about-smith/lazarus-center](https://www.smith.edu/about-smith/lazarus-center)
Drew Hall | 84 Elm Street
Prepares you for meaningful undergraduate and postgraduate opportunities and helps you develop decision-making skills to use during college, in your career and throughout life. The Center also facilitates the Praxis program that provides funding for you to take on an unpaid internship.

**Lewis Global Studies Center**
[https://www.smith.edu/academics/lewis-gsc](https://www.smith.edu/academics/lewis-gsc) | Wright Hall 127
This center is home to the Offices for International Study and for International Students and Scholars. If you want information about studying abroad or are an international student in need of support, contact them at [global@smith.edu](mailto:global@smith.edu).
The Smith College Libraries advance learning, teaching, research and discovery for students, faculty and staff.

- **Hillyer Art Library**: provides collections covering history, theory, criticism, and visual arts. Hillyer has study spaces, technology, studio space, a digital media center, and reservable student spaces.

- **Josten Performing Arts Library**: provides collections covering music, theatre, dance, and other interdisciplinary areas. Josten has study spaces, reservable spaces, technology, and musical instruments for your use.

- **Neilson Library**: the intellectual heart of the campus, the library celebrates learning and discovery. It is home to the [Compass Cafe](https://www.smith.edu/about-smith/food-companies/search-compass-cafe), [Conway Center](https://www.smith.edu/about-smith/food-companies/search-conway-center), Digital Media Hub, [Learning Commons](https://www.smith.edu/about-smith/learning-commons), and [Special Collections](https://www.smith.edu/about-smith/libraries/special-collections).

**Lounges with Vending Machines**
Bass Hall; McConnell Foyer; Mendenhall (The Gamut); Seelye Hall (Basement)

**Maker Spaces**
Smith provides you many opportunities to explore your own creativity. Find the different maker spaces on campus and what you can make at each by checking out the [Maker’s Map](https://www.smith.edu/about-smith/learning-commons/learning-spaces) curated by the Design Thinking Initiative.

**Mwangi Center**
[https://www.smith.edu/about-smith/multicultural-affairs/cultural-spaces](https://www.smith.edu/about-smith/multicultural-affairs/cultural-spaces)
The center is an important cornerstone on campus, providing a physical space for cultural organizations and students of color to engage in holistic programming, host intellectually enriching discussions and effectively build community. You can look forward to innovative programming, expanded resources and a “platform for possibility.”
Office of Multicultural Affairs
https://www.smith.edu/about-smith/multicultural-affairs
This office strives to create a strong sense of community among students of color while helping you to navigate the diverse cultures of the Smith community.

Office of Student Engagement (OSE)
www.smith.edu/ose/ | Campus Center 106
This office is committed to helping you make intentional decisions about your involvement, both in and out of the classroom, for a more meaningful Smith experience.

OneCard
www.smith.edu/its/onecard/ | Stoddard 207
The OneCard Office accepts either cash or checks for CampusCash accounts T-F between 1:30-3:30p.m. Cash-only deposit machines to CampusCash can also be made at Wright Hall; and the lower level of the CC. OneCard deposits can also be made online with a debit or credit card.

Poetry Center
www.smith.edu/poetrycenter/wp/ | Wright Hall 102
The Boutelle-Day Poetry Center serves as a beacon for students, staff and faculty to enjoy different poetry readings throughout the academic year.

Resource Center for Sexuality and Gender
www.smith.edu/ose/rcsg.php | Wesley House Basement
This Center provides a safe space to discuss gender and sexuality, access resources and borrow reading material from the lending library.

Schacht Center for Health and Wellness
www.smith.edu/health/ | 21 Belmont Avenue
- Counseling: x2840
- Schedule a medical appointment: x2811
- Speak with a nurse: x2813
- After-hours: x1260

Healthcare and counseling services are available for all students. Through the Pelham Medical Service, you can receive comprehensive medical services.
Smith Clubs
https://www.smith.edu/about-smith/alum/classes-clubs-groups
Smith College Clubs want to provide support to current students while also connecting with one another. Check out the listing of the more than 100 active clubs and connect with the club operating in or near your hometown.

Smith College Museum of Art
www.smith.edu/artmuseum
Visit the museum for Free Fun Friday, Night at the Museum and much more. Smith students, Five-College students and children enter for free; adult admission is $5.

Smith Media Studios (SMS)
https://www.smith.edu/edtech/who-we-are/smith-media-studios/media-production-facilities/ | Henshaw Complex
SMS offers support for video and audio production, with over 30 digital video and still cameras, minidisc recorders and production support gear available for free rental with your OneCard.

Smith Outdoor Adventure Program
https://www.smith.edu/academics/exercise-sport-studies
The Outdoor Adventure program at Smith organizes fun outdoor trips throughout the school year. While some of our trips can be more challenging, most of them require no experience and are usually free. Examples:

- Rock Climbing | Hiking | Backpacking
- Canoeing | Kayaking | Whitewater Rafting
- Skiing | Snowboarding | Snowshoeing | Ice Skating
- Excursions during Interterm and Spring Break
- Wilderness First Aid | Outdoor Leadership Training

Smith Radio – WOZQ 91.9
https://wozq919.wixsite.com/home
WOZQ is the student-run radio station. It offers a forum for you to receive and share information, listen to great music, book shows, DJ parties and events, promote new music and engage in cultural exchange. You are encouraged to apply to have a show on the station.
Smith Social Network
https://smith.campuslabs.com/engage/
The Social Network allows you to connect with all organizations and centers on campus. It also helps you stay on top of all upcoming events all around the campus.

Spinelli Center for Quantitative Learning
https://www.smith.edu/qlc/index.html | Seelye Hall 207
Offers tutoring, workshops and class study sessions outside the regular classroom. The center is located in Seelye 307. The Center is open from 9:00am-9:00pm. Be sure to check the website for the different tutoring schedules!

Student Affairs Office
www.smith.edu/sao/index.php | Clark Hall 101
Student Affairs is comprised of many departments — the dean of students/associate dean of the college, counseling services, first-year student programs, medical services, student engagement, residence life and wellness — designed to help every student on their self-discovery journey while at Smith.

Student Financial Services
https://www.smith.edu/about-smith/sfs | College Hall 106
Smith makes every effort to meet fully the need, as calculated by the college, of all admitted students. SFS also offers financial advice to help all families manage the cost of college, regardless of whether you qualify for aid.

The Smith Student Aid Society (SSAS)
www.smith.edu/ssas/grants.php
A separate philanthropic organization, SSAS may be able to provide some help with medical emergencies and other unexpected needs. “Beyond Smith” provides up to $400 to help seniors with expenses related to job interviews, registration fees for graduate school, etc.

Unity Organizations
https://www.smith.edu/about-smith/multicultural-affairs/cultural-spaces
The cultural organizations that make up the Unity umbrella serve as a network of support for their members. Here is a list of active orgs:
- Asian Students Association (ASA)
- Black Students Alliance (BSA)
- Chinese Students Association (CSA)
- Indigenous Students’ Organization (ISSA)
- Korean Students Association (KSA)
- Latin American Students Organization (LASO)
- Multiethnic Interracial Smith College (MISC)
- Smith African and Caribbean Students’ Association (SACSA)
- South Asia Student Association of Smith (EKTA)
- Vietnamese Students’ Association (VSA)

These orgs share meeting and workroom space in Unity House and the Mwangi Cultural Center. To get in contact with any of them, join the Smith Social Network.

**Wurtele Center for Leadership**
[https://www.smith.edu/about-smith/wurtele-center](https://www.smith.edu/about-smith/wurtele-center)

The center provides leadership workshops, programs, talks, and partnerships that guide you in operating your leadership skills from any vantage point while dismantling the current power structures that create and enforce inequalities and hierarchy. Check out their AMPLIFY event and LEAD Scholars program.
THE FIVE-COLLEGES

Main Information

Five College Consortium
www.fivecolleges.edu
Amherst College
www.amherst.edu/
Hampshire College
www.hampshire.edu/
Mount Holyoke College
www.mtholyoke.edu/
UMass – Amherst
www.umass.edu/

GETTING AROUND

Pioneer Valley Transit Authority (PVTA)
www.pvta.com/

The inter-campus buses are run by PVTA. The Smith bus stop is located on Elm Street in front of John M. Green (JMG) hall. Bus stops on the other campuses are:

- B43 Route (Northampton/Hadley/Amherst)
  www.pvta.com/schedules/B43.pdf
  Stops at the Hampshire Mall (near JC Penny); Amherst College on the corner of Boltwood Walk/Route 9; and UMass at Haigis Mall
• B39 Route (Smith/Hampshire/Mt. Holyoke)
  Stops at Hampshire College In front of Johnson Library;
  and Mount Holyoke at Stone Shelter (Route 116)

ValleyBike Share
  https://www.valleyleadshare.org/
  Electric bikes for use with many docking locations in the
  area. Sign up for a monthly $20 membership or an annual
  $80 fee. Convenient, safe and environmentally-friendly local
  transportation option.

Valley Transporter
  800.872.8752 | www.valleytransporter.com
  For transportation between campus and the Springfield Amtrak
  station or Bradley Airport (Hartford, CT).

Zipcar Program
  www.zipcar.com
  Offers vehicle rentals for as little as one hour up to an entire
  weekend to students 18 years or older who qualify for a Zipcar
  membership. Membership starts as low as $7/month.

THINGS TO DO

Downtown Northampton - Music
  • The Academy of Music
    www.aomtheatre.com/
  • Iron Horse
    www.iheg.com/iron_horse_main.asp
  • Calvin Theatre
    www.iheg.com/calvin_theater_main.asp

Student activities, parties and performances
  https://smith.campuslabs.com/engage/events

Volunteer
  www.smith.edu/academics/jandon-center/community-service
UMass Fine Arts Center

https://fac.umass.edu/Online/default.asp

The Fine Arts Center connects audiences with artists from around the world exposing all generations to the wonders of the arts. With five performing arts programs, two galleries, and a museum, the UMass Fine Arts Center is one of the most comprehensive art centers in Western Massachusetts.

Free Activities

You can find information about most events on the Smith Social Network, E*Digest, and the Smith Calendar. Following are just a few things you can do:

- Check the Scott Gym bulletin board for maps of Local running/walking trails.
- Enjoy an evening of stargazing at the McConnell Rooftop Observatory.
- The Student Event Committee (SEC) shows movies in Wright Hall each week throughout the semester.
- Smith To Do offers free DIY programs every Saturday night.
- There are many lunchtime lectures at Smith (with lunch provided at most).
- Visit museums around the area (free passes through Forbes Library)
- Get Fit Smith offers free fitness classes.

For events happening around the Pioneer Valley check out free newspapers that can be found online:

- Daily Hampshire Gazette: www.gazettenet.com/
- The Valley Advocate: http://valleyadvocate.com/
Check out the Conway Center’s online resources page for up-to-date personal finance tips and resources, curated for students by students.

7 Tips for Bargain Hunting

1. Look for free sources or possibilities of renting, bartering or borrowing.
2. Consider used or second hand resources. Look for SmiThrift pop-up sales to find great items at great prices!
3. Look for local bargains.
4. Larger stores and online retailers sometimes offer discounts.
5. Compare prices.
6. Ask about student discounts, especially at bookstores, movie theaters, travel/tourism, restaurants and retail chains.
7. Look online or around campus for coupons and sale papers before making purchases. You can also download apps — such as Groupon, PriceGrabber and ShopKick — that have great deals with excellent shipping perks. An AmazonPrime membership (offered to students at a discount) gets you free two day shipping all year!

Making Money

- Search and apply for a campus job through Workday.
- UMass Amherst research labs often need participants for their research studies, and often pay a flat or hourly rate for the length of time the study takes.
- There are many off-campus jobs/local academic year internships but you'll have to take some initiative to find them, e.g., if you're interested in pursuing a law degree after graduation, contact the Law Library at the Northampton District Court.
Financial Organization

- **Keep Your Personal Information Safe.**
  Store your personal information like passport, social security card, and passwords to your accounts private in a lockbox. Never throw away papers with private information on them without shredding them first.

- **Monitor and Report Identity Theft.**
  If you are a victim of identity theft report it to the police immediately. Contact your creditors to cancel all impacted accounts.

- **File your bills.**
  Review your bills monthly for accuracy. Be sure to keep your past, present and future bills in one folder (on your computer or hardcopy) to help maintain timely payments and records.

Financing Your Education

- **Fellowships** are a great way to earn money to help with college expenses like tuition and books by doing research on topics that suit your interests. Fellowship awards range from $1,000-$20,000 and full tuition payments per recipient. For a list of fellowships and their requirements: [www.smith.edu/fellowships/](http://www.smith.edu/fellowships/)

- If you can, use loans as a last resort. The interest rates on loans can sometimes seem deceiving and will accrue very fast. It can take up to 30 years to repay student loan debt. If you absolutely must take out a student loan make sure to review it carefully and do a comparative analysis of what is offered. Student Financial Services can help you determine the best loan to suit your needs.

Insurance

- Make sure your car, health, dental, and housing insurance are all up to date while attending school.

- If you are living off campus make sure to get renter’s insurance. Personal possessions can be insured for qualifying students living on campus (for more information contact ResLife).
• If you have a car, make sure to have car insurance and make your payments on time. You'll also need to pay for a student parking decal to park in campus spots specifically reserved for students.
ABOUT THE CONWAY CENTER

The Jill Ker Conway Innovation & Entrepreneurship Center is an intellectual hub where students receive the tools to think expansively and develop innovative solutions to pressing problems. The Center hosts and facilitates a slate of programs and activities focused on creative thinking, problem solving, interdisciplinary teamwork, and the development of business, personal finance, and entrepreneurial skills.

The Conway Center classroom (Neilson Library, Room 103) has tools and resources available for student use:

- Bloomberg Terminal
- Business Model Canvas - large size
- Games
- Magnetic Whiteboards
- Mini-maker space tools and materials
- Personal finance and entrepreneurship books

Working at Conway

In addition to the professional staff - Director (vacant), Director of Operations (René Heavlow AC’08), Administrative Coordinator (Lucas Gray and Jennifer Kennedy) - the Conway Center relies on us, the student interns. We work in teams and ensure that the goals and initiatives of the Center are carried out. The team for the 2022-2023 academic year is:

- Adriana Beltran Andrade ‘23 (Web Administration)
- Carla Candido da Silva AC’24 (Club Liaison)
- Helen Glover ‘24 (Web Administration)
- Sydney Jacobs ‘24 (Logistics)
- Serena Keenan ‘23 (Logistics)
- Clara Kim ‘23 (Podcast, Team Lead)
- Malaika Kironde ‘23 (Podcast)
- Handi Liu ‘25 (Bloomberg Terminal)
- Lia Mikhelashvili ‘23 (Communications)
- Parunjodhi Munisamy ‘24 (Draper Competition)
- Peris Mwangi ‘23 (Draper Competition)
Courses - Registration required

- **ACC233 - Financial Accounting**
  Spring, 4 credits
  The course, while using traditional accounting techniques and methodology, focuses on the needs of external users of financial information. The emphasis is on learning how to read, interpret and analyze financial information as a tool to guide investment decisions. Concepts rather than procedures are stressed and class time will be largely devoted to problem solutions and case discussions. A basic knowledge of arithmetic and a familiarity with a spreadsheet program is suggested. *No more than four credits in accounting may be counted toward the degree.*

- **GFX100 - Introduction to Global Financial Markets**
  Fall, 1 credit (meets for 8 weeks only)
  GFX100 is the gateway course for the Global Financial Institutions Concentration (GFIC). This course is designed to provide an overview of the structure of the financial system and its role in the global economy. Faculty, industry professionals and leading scholars in the field will deliver weekly lectures.

- **IDP 155 - Introduction to Innovation**
  J-Term, 1 credit
  Students will learn about and gain immediate experience with entrepreneurial innovation by developing ideas, projects and “start-ups” using the lean launch methodology. This is a fast paced, project-based, hands on course where students learn aspects of design thinking, to develop clear value propositions, and gain an understanding of effective presentations.
• **IDP 156 - Entrepreneurship in Practice**
  J-Term, 1 credit
  Utilizing a case-study approach, including cases that teams developed in IDP155 as well as cases provided by the instructors, students will learn about business and organization finance models, presenting ideas in the pitch format, and planning, testing, and developing ideas, projects, businesses and organizations. *It is strongly recommended (but not required) that students take IDP 155 prior to taking this course.*

**Workshops - RSVP on Smith Social Network**

• **Demystifying Money**
  We don’t talk about money - let’s change that. These workshops will explore everything from technical subjects like credit and taxes to understanding your own psychological relationship with money and how to change it. This is not a math course, an economics course, or a psychology course. It’s a chance for you to understand your own finances to support the life you want to live.

**Fall 2022 dates**
September 16, 23, 30 & October 14, 21, 28
12:15 - 1:15 p.m. | Neilson Library Room 103
Lunch provided

• **Community Conversations**
  You’re on a journey to pursue your passions and find your purpose and we’re here to help. Guest speakers and faculty/staff partners will guide you through an exploration of challenges and opportunities in a variety of areas and provide you with tools to identify problems worth solving.

**Fall 2022 dates**
September 21, 28; October 12, 19; November 2, 9, 30
5 - 6:30 p.m. | Neilson Library Room 103
Dinner provided
Special Events

- Elevator Pitch Contest
- Annual Elizabeth Miller ‘81 Lecture
- Draper Competition for Collegiate Women Entrepreneurs
- Smith Prize in Entrepreneurship

Student Organizations Sponsored by Conway

- Consulting Club | Startup Consulting Group
- Smith College Investing Club
- Smithies in Business
- Startup Smith