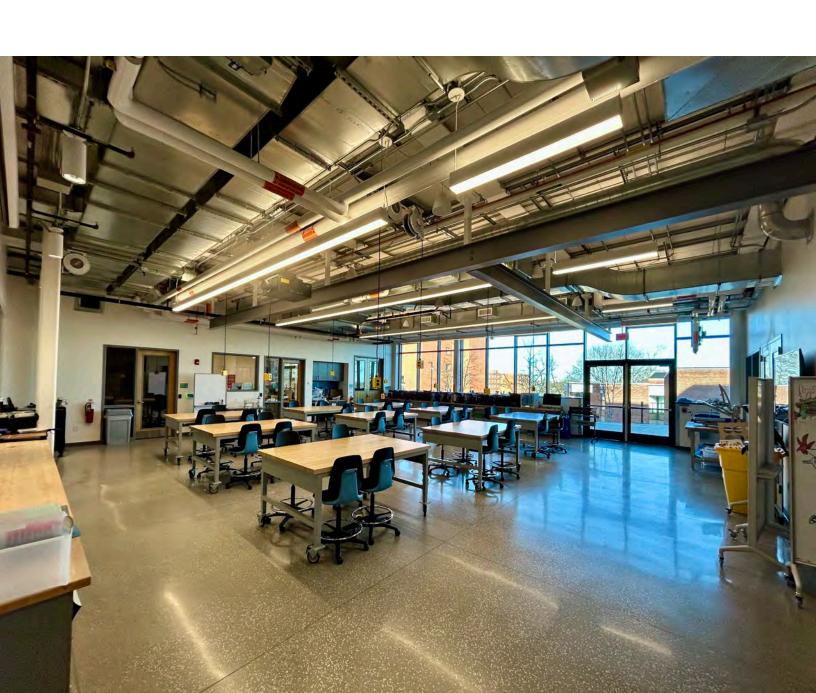


## Welcome to the Schaub Makerspace!



## A Letter from the Makerspace Coordinator:



This semester, I focused on expanding our makerspace's capabilities and strengthening community engagement. We oversaw the addition of nearly \$180,000 in new equipment. Including five Bambu X1C 3D printers, a Formlabs SLA printer, an Artec Spider II 3D scanner, a silkscreen setup, and, coming this summer, a cutting-edge metal 3D printer acquired by Dr. Balasubramanian. This addition will make us one of the select few university makerspaces in the U.S. to offer metal 3D printing.

Our makerspace is the hub for experimental education on campus. We believe that with a growth mindset and a supportive community students can learn new skills, design dream projects, and make anything they set their minds to.

Outreach efforts of the Schaub Makerspace this semester included collaborations with faculty, student groups, the center for teaching excellence, the launch of a community forum, and regular makerspace events hosted by our amazing TAs. These initiatives nearly doubled our academic programing with 22 different classes meeting almost 100 times this spring.

To build external connections, I visited five university/community makerspaces throughout Connecticut and three local businesses to foster collaboration on advanced projects. Looking ahead, I hope to guide the formation of a regional coalition of university makerspace and maker fairs.

Sincerely,

Walker Fuchs

Makerspace Coordinator











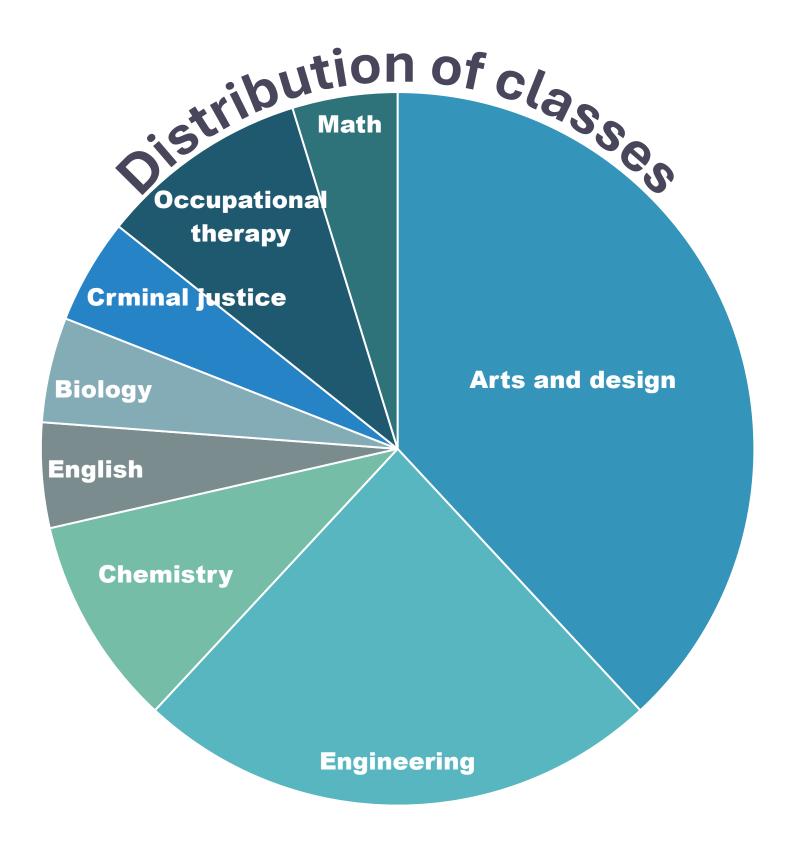












## Thank you to the TA's!



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