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TODAY	TOMORROW	SATURDAY
10:20 <a href="#">SOE Graduate Seminar</a>	6:00 <a href="#">ALANA Traditions Dinner</a>	9:00 <a href="#">Community Service: Poverty Walk-A-Thon</a>
12:10 <a href="#">Bergren Forum - Heather Yanda, Poetry Reading</a>	8:00 <a href="#">Nevins Film: 'Sex and the City 2'</a>	11:00 <a href="#">Volleyball Game</a>
1:00 <a href="#">Walk-In Hours - Career Development Center</a>	10:00 <a href="#">Music of the Caribbean</a>	<a href="#">Volleyball Game</a>
4:00 <a href="#">Women's Tennis Match</a>	11:00 <a href="#">Nevins Film: 'Sex and the City 2'</a>	3:30 <a href="#">Women's Tennis Match</a>
		4:00 <a href="#">Men's Soccer Game</a>
		7:00 <a href="#">Women's Soccer Game</a>
		10:00 <a href="#">Music: Zeus</a>
		· <a href="#">Cross Country Meet</a>

### Counseling and Health Services Closed Today from 9 am to 11 am

The Wellness Center Counseling and Health Services will be closed today, Thursday, 9/10 from 9 to 11 a.m. for a Division meeting. For health emergencies, call 911 or Public Safety (x2108) for assistance.

Submitted by: Kimberly O'Rourke

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### **Is Your Information Correct for the Directory?**

It is time to make sure information is correct for the publication of the 2010-11 AU Faculty/Staff Directory. To check your business phone and office location, use the Outlook Global Address list to verify your information. This data is pulled directly from Banner and is the same information used for the Directory and Employee Phone List.

Corrections to your office information can be requested by using the Personnel Data Form below and forwarding it to Human Resources.

The numbers for emergencies, department phones and fax are not housed in Banner. Please review the attachments to make sure the numbers are correct for your area. Changes to department information can be e-mailed to [costello@alfred.edu](mailto:costello@alfred.edu).

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR INFORMATION IS CORRECT SO THAT OUR DIRECTORY IS ACCURATE!

Link: [Personnel Data Form](#)

Attachment: [Office Phone List](#)

Attachment: [Most Frequently Called and Emergency Numbers](#)

Submitted by: Kathy Costello

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### **Banner INB & BannerWeb Down During Fall Break**

Banner 8 upgrade is scheduled for Oct. 9- 2. The installation process is considerable and will take 4 days to complete. During this time, both Banner INB and BannerWeb will be unavailable.

Blackboard will be available, but will not be receiving daily updates from Banner.

We have scheduled the upgrade for the Fall Mid-Term Break timeline so that the impact on the campus community will be minimized.

Banner will be down from Friday night, Oct. 8 until Wednesday morning, Oct. 13.

We apologize for the inconvenience that this will cause the campus, but it is required so that we can benefit from the revisions to Banner, but more importantly, receive federal and state updates for Payroll and Financial Aid.

More information will be forthcoming, but I wanted to get this out to the campus so you can plan in advance for this downtime.

The link below will take you to our Banner Web page for more detailed information on the new release of Banner 8.

Please contact me with any questions at [kirschdj@alfred.edu](mailto:kirschdj@alfred.edu) or at 2602.

Link: [Link to Alfred Banner Web Page for Details](#)

Submitted by: Denise Kirschner

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### **Bergren Forum - Heather Yanda, Poetry Reading**

The Bergren Forum sponsored by the Division of Human Studies will be meeting at 12:10 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 9 in the Nevins Theatre, Powell Campus Center.

Bring a brown bag lunch; coffee and tea are complementary.

Speaker: Heather Yanda

Topic: "Because everyone has a story to tell--a poetry reading"

Submitted by: Marilyn Saxton

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### **Cohen Center Closing Reception: Alumni Ceramics**

Sept. 9, 5-7 p.m.  
at the Cohen Center, Alfred  
All welcome.

Attachment: [cohen\\_poster\\_small.pdf](#)

Submitted by: Kala Stein

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### **Service and Leadership Fair 2010**

The Student Leadership and Engagement Consortium is holding it's 2nd annual Service and Leadership Fair on Thursday, Sept. 16, 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m. in the Knight Club. Stop by to speak with campus- and community-based organizations that will help you develop your leadership skills through service and civic engagement.

We will have a number of door prizes that students will be able to win, including a four-pack of Buffalo Bills Tickets.

If you have any questions, please contact Ryan Arroyo, Service Learning Coordinator ([servicelearning@alfred.edu](mailto:servicelearning@alfred.edu), or X2720)

Submitted by: Ryan Arroyo

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### **Give Blood Sept. 14!**

Sooner or later, most of us will face a time of great vulnerability in which we will need blood. Why not donate on Tuesday, Sept. 14, any time from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m.? Your donation will take between an hour and 75 minutes. This drive is sponsored by the Residence Life Office.

Link: [Click here to make an online appointment!](#)

Attachment: [Flyer - please print and post!](#)

Submitted by: Brenda Porter

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### **University Judicial Board and Peer Review Board Recruitment**

We are currently recruiting students, faculty and staff members to serve on our University judicial boards. Our judicial system is designed to hold students accountable for the Student Code of Conduct, change problematic behavior through a structured educational process, and protect the University community.

The judicial system enables the campus community to take an active role in the judicial hearing process. Board members need to possess strong interpersonal and communication skills, sound judgment, personal integrity, and demonstrate respect for others. Hearings are scheduled on an as-needed basis. Serving on a board depends on your schedule and availability.

If you are interested, please contact [judicial@alfred.edu](mailto:judicial@alfred.edu) or x2132.

Submitted by: Norm Pollard

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### **Class of 2009 Graduate Survey Results**

The First Destinations Report for the class of 2009 is available online.

If you would like a hard copy of the report sent to you, please contact Mark McFadden at the Career Development Center by phone, 871.2164 or by e-mail, [mcfaddenm@alfred.edu](mailto:mcfaddenm@alfred.edu).

Link: [2009 First Destinations Report](#)

Submitted by: Mark McFadden

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### **ITS Faculty & Staff Training Course Listing 2010-11**

Each semester, ITS offers a variety of trainings for faculty and staff. Scheduled trainings are advertised in Alfred Today. In addition to the advertised sessions, all workshops are available to individuals and groups by request. Please see the attached flyer for the list of available topics.

If you are interested in scheduling a session, please contact Meghanne Freivald at 607.871.2363 or via e-mail.

Attachment: [ITS Course Listing 2010-2010](#)

Submitted by: Meghanne Freivald

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### **Job Posting - Special Academic Services**

Employment Opportunity:  
Interim Director of Special Academic Services

Link: [Interim Dir, SAS Posting](#)

Submitted by: Kim Wyant

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### **Environmental Studies Seminar Guest Speaker**

Fred Beaudry, Assistant Professor of Environmental Studies at Alfred University presents "Artificial Nesting Sites: a Good Idea for Endangered Freshwater Turtles?"

12:20 to 1:10 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 10  
Roon Lecture Hall (Room 247) of the Science Center.

Everyone is welcome and refreshments will be served.

Link: [Press Release](#)

Attachment: [Environmental Studies Speaker Series 2010 schedule](#)

Submitted by: Billie Kunsman

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### WLC Closed

The Women's Leadership Center will be closed from 9-11 a.m. on Thursday, Sept. 9 so that the staff can attend the Student Affairs Division kick-off. Thank you.

Submitted by: Cheryl Foster

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### Strategic Opportunity Stipends

Strategic Opportunity Stipends (SOS) Deadline:  
Friday, Sept. 24, 2010

Strategic Opportunity Stipends (SOS) provides grants designed to help individual artists of all disciplines take advantage of specific, unique opportunities that will significantly benefit their work or career. These are \$200-\$1,500 grants for forthcoming opportunities (not necessarily projects) that are distinct from an artist's ongoing work.

Please note that you may now request a maximum amount of up to \$1,500 for your SOS opportunity. There will also be a total of two SOS deadlines this year.

The next deadline is Sept. 24, 2010. This deadline is for opportunities occurring between November 1, 2010 and May 31, 2011.

To apply:

1. Applicants must be at least 18 years old and a full-time resident for the past year of one of the participating New York State counties (see step 3 or page 6 of the application. NOTE: SOS is NOT available to residents of the 5 boroughs of New York City). Applicants cannot be enrolled in a graduate or undergraduate degree program at the time of application.

2. Complete the application by downloading the PDF:  
<http://www.nyfa.org/level...>

3. Submit the application to your regional SOS administrator: <http://www.nyfa.org/level...>

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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### Office Services and Procurement Services Join Forces

Office Services and Procurement Services have joined forces to better serve the needs of the campus. Through these efforts we are better equipped to provide departments with opportunities to save time and money.

Our goal is to streamline procedures, create a better work flow, focus on key vendors, and standardize the purchasing process through collaborative efforts with departments.

Our staff - Lynne Billings, Shelly Grant, Sue Peck, Mary Schaumberg, and Donna Sturdevant - can be reached by calling x2698, or e-mailing [procurement@alfred.edu](mailto:procurement@alfred.edu). Our office is located on the first floor of Greene Hall. We look forward to assisting with your office needs.

More updates to follow in Alfred Today.

Submitted by: Sue Peck

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### **Full-time Staff Update August 2010**

The following have joined the Alfred University Community as full-time staff members:

Kaitlynn E. Frawley, advancement services assistant, University Relations

Robert A. Freeland, grounds/landscaper, Physical Plant

Jeffrey K. Grover, equipment/facilities/fitness manager, Athletic Department

Jodi L. Howe, senior financial analyst, Business Office

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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### **Rochester Memorial Art Gallery Clothesline Weekend**

This year's Clothesline Festival features more than 400 artists from 32 NYS counties, including several AU alums. A complete list of exhibitors is available at <http://mag.rochester.edu/...>

The Clothesline boasts fine art and crafts, live entertainment, food and drink, and family fun. Join us rain or shine on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 11 and 12, on the Memorial Art Gallery grounds, 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. and 10 a.m. - 5 p.m., respectively.

Visit <http://clothesline.roches...> for more information.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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### **Family Movie Matinee: 'A Little Princess' (1995) G**

Saturday, Sept. 11 at 1:30 p.m.  
Nancy Howe Auditorium  
David A. Howe Public Library  
155 N. Main St., Wellsville

This film, from Frances Hodgson Burnett's classic novel, relates the story of a young girl whose father places her in a boarding school when he leaves to fight in WWI, unaware that the headmistress is spiteful. This 1995 film is rated G. Stars include Eleanor Bron, Liam Cunningham, and Liesel Matthews.

This library-sponsored movie is free and open to the general public.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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