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TODAY	TOMORROW	SATURDAY
10:00 Alfred University Blood Drive	11:00 Earth Hour	10:00 Alfred Montessori School Auction
10:20 SOE Graduate Seminar	Our Minds on Japan; Our Actions in Alfred	11:00 Women's Lacrosse Away
11:00 Earth Hour	12:00 When Push Comes to Shove Series - Packed Basket Auction!	1:00 Men's Lacrosse
Our Minds on Japan; Our Actions in Alfred	Want to Learn to Talk to People ...	2:00 E-Board 101
11:20 Pre-Health/Pre-Vet Information Session	12:20 Women's Studies Roundtable	7:00 Chamber Singers Present:
12:10 Bergren Forum - Arts Informed Research	2:30 Men's & Women's Outdoor Track	8:30 Turn Off Your Lights for One Hour
3:30 CYLI Monopoly	4:00 Men's Tennis	9:00 Band: Le Marmotte Art Collective
4:00 Speaker: When Push Comes To Shove	5:00 Glass candidate presentation	· Swim Meet
4:30 Informational meeting on "Istanbul 2011"	8:00 Nevins Film: 'Black Swan'	· Interscholastic Equestrian Association Zone Show
5:30 Pre-Health/Pre-Vet Information Session		

7:00 All My Parts at Peace

- Swim Meet
- Art Auction, Lobby of Holmes

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Istanbul 2011: Informational meeting March 24

An informational meeting on "Istantbul 2011: Crossroads of Civilization" will be held at 4:30 p.m. Thursday, March 24, in Olin 309.

Those enrolling in the class will spend four weeks -- June 27-July 22 -- at Isik University in Istanbul, studying Turkish history, culture and politics. The six-credit course will cost \$2,200-\$2,500 per person, covering tuition, room and board. Airfare is not included.

For more information, contact Laura Greyson at greyson@alfred.edu or Jeffrey Sluyter-Beltrao at jsluyter@alfred.edu

Attachment: [Istanbul 2011 poster](#)

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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Free Pracitce GRE, GMAT, LSAT, and MCAT

Free practice exams provided by Kaplan Testing and Admissions Services

Date: Thursday, March 31, 2011

Time: 6 p.m.

Where: Perlman Hall (exact rooms will be assigned upon arrival)

How to Register: E-mail the name of the exam you want to take to career services - cdc@alfred.edu or use the following link

Link: [Practice Test Registration](#)

Submitted by: Mark McFadden

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AU Financial Aid -- Scholarship

Scholarship - School of Engineering majors (one scholarship) and Elementary Education (Pre-K-6th grade) majors (one scholarship). Application deadline is Friday, April 15, 2011

New York State residents (residing in one of the Home Bureau's chapter counties), United States citizens, and full-time undergraduates --- you may wish to consider applying for the 2011-12 AU/New York State Federation of Home Bureaus, Inc., scholarship.

Open the attachment for more details and application.

Attachment: [Scholarship Application and Details](#)

Submitted by: Catherine Schnurle

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Paper Crane Project

Donate \$1 and add an origami crane to the collection. Our goal is to make 1,000 cranes and raise \$1,000.

Come to Powell during lunch today and bring a \$1 bill. Sit down for a few minutes to make a paper crane yourself or donate your dollar and someone else will make it for you. Help us get to 1,000 cranes and \$1,000 so we can send them to those in need!

Submitted by: Samuel Miller

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Bergren Forum - 'Arts Informed Research in the Academy'

The Bergren Forum sponsored by the Division of Human Studies will be meeting at 12:10 p.m. on Thursday, March 24 in the Nevins Theatre, Powell Campus Center.

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

Speaker: Corrie Burdick

Topic: "Arts Informed Research in the Academy: Coming out from the Margins"

Corrie Burdick, instructor in Education, will discuss the value of arts-based teaching methods from kindergarten to college.

Submitted by: Marilyn Saxton

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Art Auction! Come support "Women's Advocacy in Alfred: A Mural"

Kevin Carr and Ali Garcia, with the help of volunteers, are painting a mural in the Women's Leadership Center. The painting fondly titled, Women's Advocacy in Alfred: A mural, will feature individuals and groups who have advocated for women's rights in Alfred throughout the years. The timeline will start with the Seventh Day Baptist Church and ending with the Women's Leadership Center. Mr. Carr and Ms. Garcia's goal with this project is to call attention to Alfred's strong role as a forerunner in women's rights, bring students into the Women's Leadership Center, and add a much needed mural to the Alfred University campus.

The auction, which runs through Friday, March 25, is located in Harder Hall, next to Holmes Auditorium. The money collected from the auction will go to fund the mural.

Submitted by: Cheryl Foster

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The BookEnd Cafe in Herrick Library has Re-opened

Herrick Library is excited to announce the re-opening of the BookEnd cafe. Regular hours are Sunday through Thursday, 4:30 - 8:30 p.m.

The newly managed cafe is a partnership between Allegany Arc (The Arc), Herrick Memorial Library, and Alfred University. The Arc promotes understanding of the abilities of people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. The cafe will provide individuals with disabilities the opportunity to gain real work experience in a community-based setting. Barb Ramsey of Wellsville is the cafe manager.

For more information, including the cafe menu, see the link below.

Link: [BookEnd cafe menu](#)

Submitted by: Ellen Bahr

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Yoga Club

Yoga Club meets on Mondays and Thursdays in Miller room 300 from 4:45 to 5:45 p.m. starting after spring break. Join us to find peace and tranquility and maybe to gain a little strength and flexibility. Open to the Alfred community as well.

We do accept donations to help the club get props and visiting yoga teachers! But ultimately, it's free!

Submitted by: Cynthia Kelly

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Purple and Gold Day for Accepted Students

The Office of Admissions is hosting its first Purple and Gold Day for Accepted Students this Saturday, March 26. We currently have 160 students registered (and we expect that number to climb), which will bring almost 450 people to campus.

Accepted students and their families will have the chance to meet with academic deans, faculty, staff, coaches, and current students. If you have any questions on the day or the schedule, please contact Michelle at x2015.

Attachment: [PurpleandGold2011.doc](#)

Submitted by: Michelle Pomeroy

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Discussion on Mobile Devices

ITS is pleased to offer the latest installment of its lecture series, Topics in Information Technology & Digital Media on Tuesday, March 29 from 12:20 to 1:10 p.m. Anton Flint, AU's Classroom Technology Specialist, will discuss the features of a variety of mobile devices. Smart phones and the Apple iPad are among the devices that will be discussed.

All students, faculty, and staff are welcome to attend. The presentation will be given in the the Training Center in Howell Hall (side entrance).

Submitted by: Meghanne Freivald

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Educators' Networking Reception

4th Annual Educators' Networking Reception on March 29, 2011

Increase your professional network and receive practical, hands-on advice from teachers and school administrators with respect to resumes, cover letters, interview preparation, and job search strategies.

The event will include a panel discussion with three school superintendents. Topics include, but are not limited to: the application process involves, and how to make you stand out as a candidate.

Panelists include the following superintendents: Douglas H. Wyant Jr. (Whitesville), Marie Blum (Canaseraga), and Kimberly Mueller (Wellsville). The event will also include resume reviews and the chance to informally network with the professional educators.

When: Tuesday, March 29, 2011, from 5-7:30 p.m.

Where: Knight Club located on the 3rd Floor of the Powell Campus Center

Dress: is business casual/professional

Attendees will receive information packets with resource materials for locating job opportunities, preparing for interviews, and contact information of the professional attendees.

Please RSVP by completing our online name tag request - <http://my.alfred.edu/inde...>

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Internal Job Posting - Painter

Employment Opportunity:

Painter

Grade C

Link: [Painter Posting](#)

Submitted by: Kim Wyant

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Women's Studies Roundtable

Friday, March 25, Mary McGee 12:20 p.m.

Women's Leadership Center

The Ordinary Life of an Extraordinary Woman / The story and poetry of Bahinabai, 17th century Indian poet / The Extraordinary Life of an Ordinary Woman

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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RIT student missing

State Police are still searching for George Delaney, a student at RIT who has been missing since March 12. His car was found on Ward Road in Wayland in Steuben County.

Students at RIT are asking anyone with any information about Delaney's whereabouts to call 1-800-346-3543.

Attachment: [Delaney Poster](#)

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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Apply Now for the WNYSLC Service Learning Faculty Fellowship

Applications are now being accepted for the 2011 Service-Learning Faculty Fellowship, to be held May

17-19, 2011. This intensive three-day training is designed to help faculty members learn more about service-learning and help them convert a course to include service-learning activities.

The training is facilitated by nationally recognized service-learning experts and also provides faculty members with opportunities to meet and collaborate with community organizations and to see how service-learning plays a role in the greater community.

Please direct questions to Ryan Arroyo, Graduate Assistant with the Gary Horowitz Center for Service Learning (Arroyo@alfred.edu or X2702)

Submitted by: Ryan Arroyo

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Auction to Benefit the Alfred Montessori School

Saturday, March 26: Preview at 10 a.m., Auction at 11 a.m. John Gill is the auctioneer!

Auction items donated by area and nationally recognized artists including Faculty of NYS College of Ceramics, Allegany Artisans, local area artists, and friends of Montessori.

Monies raised from auction will help establish an infant care room at the Alfred Montessori School.

Tickets are \$15 or 2/\$25 and are available online at www.alfredmontessori.com or by contacting the School at 587.9334.

Submitted by: Cathleen Johnson

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International Conerence: Knowledge, Culture, Change in Organizations

ELEVENTH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON KNOWLEDGE, CULTURE, AND CHANGE IN ORGANIZATIONS

Universidad San Pablo CEU
Madrid, Spain
15-17 June 2011
<http://www.ManagementConf...>

The Management Conference and its companion journal are devoted to those intangible drivers which determine not only the livability of organizations for insiders, and their credibility and attraction to outsiders; but also their tangible results in the form of efficiency, effectiveness and productivity. The intangibles of knowledge, culture and change management do not appear on balance sheets, but ultimately do have an enormous impact on 'bottom lines'.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Strategic Opportunity Stipends Deadline: April 20, 2011

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.

The next deadline is April 20, 2011. This deadline is for opportunities occurring between June 1 - October 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 the designated SOS administrator based on your county of residence:

<http://www.nyfa.org/level...>

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