

Environmental series to feature nuclear waste talk

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The Fall 2005 Environmental Studies Speaker Series at Alfred University continues on Friday, Sept. 23, with Dr. Thomas V. Peterson of the Human Studies Department, speaking about "NIMBY: Politics of Nuclear Waste." All talks are 12:20 to 1:10 p.m. on Fridays in room 228 of the Science Center. Everyone is welcome and refreshments will be served. Peterson has taught at Alfred University since 1975. He currently teaches courses in world religions and art theory. He has written articles on mythology, ritual activity, and post-modern reflection, and published a book on racial mythology ("Ham and Japheth: The Mythic World of Whites in the antebellum South) and another on Allegany County's fight against a proposed nuclear waste dump ("Linked Arms: A Rural community Resists Nuclear Waste").