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TODAY	TOMORROW	FRIDAY
5:00 Yoga	10:00 Red Cross Blood Drive	6:00 11/9 - Swim HOME vs. Fredonia - 6pm
Career Conversation with Frances Palmer	11:20 McMahon Lecture - 2012	Fascination of Decay
	12:10 Bergren Forum - The Arts and Literature of Senegal	8:00 Film: 'Ted'
	5:30 Women of Influence Series Presents: Christine Hoek	10:00 Music: Newvillager
	6:30 Peace Corps Information Session	11:00 Film: 'Ted'

### Early Deadline for Time Sheets for Current Pay-Period

Due to the Thanksgiving Holiday Break, paychecks will be issued two days early for the pay-period

10/28-11/10. There will be an early deadline imposed to enable this early processing; timesheets must be submitted by midnight, Monday 11/12 and approvers need to approve by midnight, Tuesday, 11/13.

Payday for this pay-period will be moved up from Friday to Wednesday, Nov. 21.

This information will also be conveyed to you in the automated e-mail reminders.

Any timesheets not approved by these early deadlines will be processed in the next available pay-period.

Submitted by: Kathy Costello

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### Please Contact Summer Programs Office if Planning a Summer Event

Summertime here on campus has become a very busy season filled with many different programs including summer school classes, high school institutes, sports camps, day camps, conferences, retreats, reunions, wedding receptions, and other special meetings and events. In fact, the schedule for next summer is already filling up.

If you are planning to hold a program, event or activity on campus next summer and have not already notified the Office of Summer Programs, please do so as soon as possible by sending a message to [mclaym@alfred.edu](mailto:mclaym@alfred.edu). It is important that you contact us to check on space availability prior to confirming any events that will take place from May 20-Aug. 9, 2013. We maintain a master summer calendar and will work with everyone involved to avoid scheduling conflicts.

Thank you. Your understanding and cooperation are much appreciated!

Submitted by: Melody McLay

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### The Women of Influence Series Presents...

Christine Hoek  
Philanthropy: An International Language

WHEN: Thursday, Nov. 8 at 5:30 P.M.

WHERE: Judson Leadership Center

Christine Hoek is an Alfred University Alum who has a reputation as an effective critical thinker, an adept problem solver, and an individual with both strategic and tactical skills. She has built a career around giving... and she believes the philanthropy is a viewfinder to the world beyond your back door. Her perspective will show you how giving is a force for social change, and a viable career path!

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Submitted by: Heather Folts

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### Student Senate Meeting 11/7/2012

Student Senate meeting

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### **CYLI Volunteer Opportunity - Confucius Institute Nov. 7**

Do you have any extra free time during your evenings and would like to participate in a rewarding volunteer experience? Do you want to make a difference in a child's life? Come volunteer for the CYLI, Children's Youth Learning Initiative right on campus! CYLI hosts local students on campus for fun programs during the semester and need your help! (Includes free dinner)

The programs begin at 3:30 p.m. until 6:30 p.m. If you have any questions, would like more information, or are interested in volunteering, email [CYLI@alfred.edu](mailto:CYLI@alfred.edu).

Nov. 7 event: Confucius Institute! Here's your chance to explore Chinese language, Culture and music with the wonderful help of the CYLI team of instructors on campus. More details to follow!

Submitted by: Catherine Mensler

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Nov. 8 event: Telegraph Hill! Two teams of students will compete to build a working Telegraph and transmit a message and confirmation with prizes for the winning team.

Submitted by: Catherine Mensler

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### **Thank You Veterans!**

As we near Veterans Day, we want to make all our veterans aware of two programs occurring in the upcoming weeks. (This includes student veterans, veterans currently serving on staff, and AU retirees in the area.)

On Friday, Nov. 9 - AU will host a luncheon from noon-1 .pm. in the Knight Club. Student (and veteran) Derek Miller will share some ideas for the new Veterans Club (there is no commitment needed to join such a club). Please join us for lunch and casual conversation.

Please rsvp for the lunch by Wednesday, Nov. 7 to Dan at [napolitano@alfred.edu](mailto:napolitano@alfred.edu)

On Monday, Nov. 12, Drawn to Diversity will be reserving and creating a VIP Parking lot for veterans to thank them for their service. If you would like your own reserved parking space for that day, please e-mail Michael Downie at [MGD2@alfred.edu](mailto:MGD2@alfred.edu).

Submitted by: Dan Napolitano

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### **Allegany County People We Need Your Help Now**

Hello,

Allegany County is working to improve Internet service in Allegany County. As part of a study we are working on we need people to take a survey. It is important that we have many of these completed so that our data will improve.

Presently the U.S. Government is basing its understanding of our service capacity on only about 50 respondents to a previous survey. So the greater number of Allegany County users that we can get to respond the better.

I encourage you to forward this to other people that live and/or work within Allegany County and have them complete the survey within the next few weeks [Nov 16th target]. We are looking for businesses, agencies, educators, governments, and local residents to participate.

Near the bottom of the survey is a "speed test" link that is very important to click and complete as this puts your actual Internet connection information into the federal system. Please take a few minutes, click on the link below and complete the survey for us as well as the broadband speed test.

It is important that you take this from computers within Allegany County. It is OK to take the speed test from both your work and home computers as they will have different results. You can also report a Broadband dead zone in this test.

Here is the link to the Allegany County Broadband Survey: <http://survey.constantcon...>

Feel free to forward this note to others who live or work in Allegany County.

Here is that speed test Link direct: <http://www.broadband.gov/...>

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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### **Trip: Graphic Design Exhibits**

The Design Club and Drawn to Diversity are co-sponsoring a trip to the Vignelli Center for Design Studies in Rochester. The bus leaves at 11 a.m. on Thursday, Nov. 15 and returns by 5:30 p.m. The cost is just \$5. Sign up at the link.

Link: [Sign-up Here](#)

Submitted by: Dan Napolitano

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### **Meet the Support Staff**

The AU Support Staff Council is made up of individuals from across campus, representing statutory and non-statutory interests. We meet monthly to discuss issues which have been presented to us by support staff or from the administration.

Our next meeting is this Thursday, noon-1 p.m., in Herrick Library. This meeting is just so you can

meet the representatives! Let us know your concerns - bring your questions!

Come meet us! Bring your lunch - we'll have the dessert!

Submitted by: Nancy Freelove

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### **El cafecito!**

AU's Spanish Conversation Club

Thursdays, 6 - 7

AU Language House, 12 Park St. (across from the Saxon Inn)

Practice speaking Spanish in a fun, social setting! Enjoy free food! Beginners to advanced, everyone is WELCOME!

Join in any Thursday.

Submitted by: Michele Gaffney

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### **Champion Clothing Sale 25% Off**

NOW on Sale- All Champion brand clothing 25% OFF. Shorts, sweatpants, tees, and hoodies. Adult AND children's sizes. Sale now through 11/25/12.

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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### **Barnes & Noble lowers Nook prices!**

Check out the lower prices on Barnes & Noble Nook devices! Now get the Nook Color for \$139.99, Nook Tablet (8GB) \$159, and (16GB) \$179.

\*\*Faculty/staff remember your receive your discount at the AU Bookstore!

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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### **French Group Tutoring**

Every Wednesday  
Language Lab, Perlman 105  
5 - 7 p.m.

Drop In any Wednesday!

Submitted by: Michele Gaffney

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### Art Auction!

The Art History Club will be holding an auction of donated student and faculty work from the school of Art and Design. Bidding will open on Monday morning, Nov. 5 and will end on Friday, Nov. 9 at 4 p.m. Location: Holmes Auditorium

Submitted by: Ian McCoy

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### Human Resources Shares an FMLA Guide to Help Keep You Informed

As part of the Department of Labor's continuing effort to spread the word about FMLA, the Wage & Hour Division has released an Employee Guide to the FMLA, a 16-page, plain language booklet designed to answer common FMLA questions and clarify who can take FMLA leave and what protections the FMLA provides.

Attachment: [employeeguide.pdf](#)

Submitted by: Kathy Costello

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### Genetically Engineered Food Crops Survey

I am asking for your voluntary participation in my Environmental Studies senior research project. In accordance with Alfred University's policy on human subject research, this survey is voluntary. Participant names, though recorded for distribution of participation prizes, will not be used in the presentation or write up of the findings. There will be two respondent prize drawings, the first for five, \$20 gift certificates to a local restaurant of the respondent's choosing for the first respondents; and one for 15, \$10 gift certificates to a local restaurant of the respondent's choosing for randomly selected respondents, not in the first five.

Please click on either the link titled Survey to go to the survey or the URL provided in the message. It should take about fifteen minutes to complete the survey.

The Survey URL is <https://docs.google.com/s...>

Link: [Survey](#)

Submitted by: David Lemmo

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## Alumni Association Call for Award Nominations

URGENT! Dear Alumni, Faculty, Administration - If you know of Alfred University alumni, colleagues or individuals whose achievements or dedication to Alfred University has distinguished themselves in some significant way, PLEASE SUBMIT NOMINATIONS NOW for Alumni Awards to be conferred during Reunion Weekend!

The Alumni Association presents awards annually at Reunion to alumni, faculty and friends of the University who have contributed to Alfred, their workplace, and society in general. Please help us recognize those individuals for their efforts and achievements by nominating them for an Alumni Association Award.

Information regarding awards criteria and NOMINATION FORMS are available online at <http://www.alfred.edu/alu...>

PLEASE SUBMIT ALL NOMINATIONS BY JAN. 15, 2013.

Nominations may be forwarded to the Alumni Relations Office, Welcome Center, 1 Saxon Drive, Alfred, NY 14802. You may also email nominations to [alumni@alfred.edu](mailto:alumni@alfred.edu) or fax your information to 607.871.2391. Please contact us with any questions at 607-871-2144.

Thank you for your support and assistance - Fiat Lux!

Submitted by: Audrea Sirianni

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## International Conference on New Horizons in Education

INTE 2013, ROME - ITALY

25-27 June 2013

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International Conference on New Horizons aims to provide a multinational platform where the latest trends in education can be presented and discussed in a friendly environment with the aim to learn from each other. Prospective presenters are encouraged to submit proposals for papers and posters/demonstrations that offer new research or theoretical contributions. Presentations should be in Italian, Turkish, English, Czech, German, French, Spanish, Portuguese and Russian languages and should address both theoretical issues and new research findings.

Conference Venue

INTE 2013 will be held in Mercure West Rome Hotel, Rome, Italy.

Deadlines

Abstract Deadline : Until June 18, 2013

Full Article Deadline : Until June 19, 2013

Registration Fee Deadline : Until June 19, 2013

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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## Art by Dave Dean-Hinkle Memorial Library Gallery, Alfred State

Over 20 original paintings and a variety of small prints are currently on display through Saturday, Nov. 17. Dean, of Bolivar, was featured recently in local newspapers for his award-winning paintings and skills as both painter and custom frame maker.

View Dave Dean's artwork on his website: [www.artbydavedean.com](http://www.artbydavedean.com) or stop by the library during regular library hours:  
Monday-Thursday, 7:30 a.m.-11 p.m.; Friday, 7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.; Saturday, 1 - 7 p.m.; and Sunday, 1 - 11 p.m.

Opening Reception:  
Saturday, Nov. 10, 5-7 p.m.

Visitor passes available through campus safety for visits during regular library hours. Open visitor parking (without a pass), on lower college drive, during reception Nov. 10.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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