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TODAY	TOMORROW	SATURDAY
	12:00 <a href="#">Alfred In Florence - Information Meeting</a>	8:30 <a href="#">MLK Day of Service</a>
	6:00 <a href="#">1/25/13 M/W Basketball AWAY @ Nazareth - 6 &amp; 8pm</a>	1:00 <a href="#">1/26/13 Swim HOME vs. Ithaca - 1pm</a>
	7:00 <a href="#">Gaze/Gage Open Reception</a>	2:00 <a href="#">1/26/13 M/W Basketball HOME vs. Utica - 2 &amp; 4pm</a>
		· <a href="#">1/26/13 Track AWAY at Ithaca</a>

### Partial Cable TV Outage

After Sunday's wind-storm, a large number of our campus cable channels are unavailable. We are actively working on the problem. But, it may be a number of days before we can fully restore all the channels.

We apologize for the outage and appreciate your patience as we get this problem fixed.

Gary Roberts  
Director of Information Technology Services

Submitted by: Gary Roberts

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### 2012 W-2 Forms are Ready

Employee W-2 forms are ready to be picked up in the Business Office in Carnegie Hall. They will be available for pick up through Wednesday, Jan. 30.

\*\*All W-2 forms not picked up by Wednesday will be mailed to the home address on file on Thursday, Jan. 31.

Please bring photo ID with you. If you would like a third party to pick up your form, you must send written permission allowing the Business Office to release your W2 to them.

Submitted by: Kathy Costello

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### Important Fraud Update

Alfred University is currently receiving reports of fraudulent check activity.

If you receive an unexpected check that looks like it is from Alfred University you should assume that it is fraudulent.

If someone tries to pay you for personal goods or services (e.g.: items on Ebay or craigslist, cosmetics, etc.) with a check that looks like it is from Alfred University assume that it is fraudulent.

If someone tries to pay you or get you to cash a check and give them all or part of the money you should assume that the check is fraudulent.

The University has fraud protection on all of its bank accounts which ensures that any check not actually issued by Alfred University will not be honored. The University does not assume any liability for any losses associated with these fraudulent checks. These losses include, but are not limited to, money that your bank may charge you for cashing or depositing the fraudulent check and fees requested by the fraudulent check issuer.

If you have a questionable check that you would like to report to Alfred University, please contact the Business Office at [businessofc@alfred.edu](mailto:businessofc@alfred.edu).

Submitted by: Jodi Howe

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### Undergraduate Students - Financial Aid Deadline 3/15/13

IMPORTANT: MARCH 15, 2013 IS THE DEADLINE FOR FILING THE 2013-14 ALFRED UNIVERSITY FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION AND THE FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID (FAFSA).

If you will be an undergraduate student at AU for the 2013-14 academic year and do not have these documents, please stop by the Financial Aid Office to pick them up. We are located in Alumni Hall and are open 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday - Friday.

Submitted by: Elena Wallace

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### Smoking Policy Reminder

It is Alfred University's policy to comply with all sections of the NYS Clean Indoor Air Act, therefore, smoking is prohibited in all University buildings, fire escapes, outdoor sporting events, and during on-campus outdoor activities/events.

Smoking is also prohibited within 25 feet of all building entrances, open windows, and outdoor air ventilation intakes. This includes extinguishing smoking paraphernalia prior to coming within the 25 foot radius of doors, entrances and open windows.

Thank you for your cooperation by using the appropriate receptacle to safely extinguish your materials.

Submitted by: Cherise Haase

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### Alfred in Florence - Infomation Meeting

Date: FRIDAY, JAN. 25  
Time: NOON  
Location: PHOTO CLASSROOM, HARDER HALL ROOM 269

June 3 to July 4, 2013

Alfred University, in affiliation with Santa Reparata International School of Art, is offering DRAWING AND PAINTING IN FLORENCE, a four-week studio course in the heart of Florence, Italy. Kevin Wixted, Professor of Painting in the School of Art & Design, will lead the group and teach this course for both beginning and advanced students.

Students will discover the city through field trips and assignments that explore the art, architecture, landscape, and culture of Florence and its surrounding areas.

Painting and drawing on location and in the studio, students will create work based on their travels, observations and experiences. A range of techniques and conceptual approaches are addressed as students explore and interpret the rich cultural environment of Tuscany.

This 4-credit course is open to all Alfred University and NYSCC School of Art and Design students.

Estimated cost of \$4,89 and includes Housing, Tuition, Studio Fees, Siena Field Trip, Museum Card, Cultural Program, and Welcome Dinner. Airfare and Meals are not included in this estimated cost.

For more info contact Professor Kevin Wixted at [wixtedk@alfred.edu](mailto:wixtedk@alfred.edu)

APPLICATION DEADLINE IS THURSDAY, JAN. 31, 2013

Link: <http://i>

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

### **MLK Day of Service this Saturday!**

Join us in a Day of Service to commemorate the life and service of Martin Luther King Jr. on Saturday Jan. 26, 2013.

Like us on Facebook for more information and a schedule of events!  
[facebook.com/AlfredMLKdayOFservice](https://facebook.com/AlfredMLKdayOFservice)

Registration will be held at St. Jude's Chapel from 8:15-8:45 a.m.

Projects will take place at various locations throughout Alfred and the surrounding communities. Light breakfast, transportation and a t-shirt will be provided.

To sign up, use the link below. If you have questions or concerns, please contact Jessica Jennings by email [Jennings@alfred.edu](mailto:Jennings@alfred.edu) or phone (607) 871-2162.

Link: [Sign up here](#)

Submitted by: Jessica Jennings

### **Gaze/Gage Open Reception**

Glass Installation by sa Bjrck and Hiromi Takizawa

Exhibition Dates: Jan. 25 - Feb. 23  
Opening Reception: Friday, Jan. 25  
Time: 7-9 P.M.

Location: Fosdick-Nelson Gallery  
Gallery Hours: Monday - Friday 11 A.M.-4 P.M. Saturday and Sunday 1-3 P.M.  
Cost to Attend: Free

Featuring the work of two glass installation artists, this exhibition explores measuring devices and optical observations of inner and outer landscapes.

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

### **International Randall Chair in Sculpture: Ben Woodeson**

Date: Thursday, Jan. 31  
Time: 6:30 P.M.  
Location: Nevins Theater  
Cost to Attend: Free  
Sponsored By: Sculpture/Dimensional Studies

Sculptor Ben Woodeson talks about his work as an artist and lecturer. He is known for making confrontational and often deliberately dangerous sculptures in a variety of materials in private and public spaces.

Woodeson was educated in Glasgow, and now lives and works out of London, England. He has exhibited in numerous international exhibitions, biennales and participates in symposiums and residencies worldwide.

We are pleased to welcome him to Alfred as the International Randall Chair in Sculpture.

To view his work please visit: <http://www.woodeson.co.uk...>

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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### **Brian Brook's Master Dance Class Open to All**

New York City-Based Choreographer Brian Brooks will be teaching a master dance class open to all levels of experience. Friday, Feb. 1 in Miller 300 1 - 2:15 p.m.

Submitted by: Chase Angier

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### **Flu Season**

Flu season is in full swing and, unfortunately, most of us know someone who has had the Flu already this year. Here are some prevention tips from the CDC to help you stay healthy:

Get the Flu vaccine.

Cover your nose and mouth with a tissue when you cough or sneeze. Throw the tissue in the trash after you use it, don't recycle and re-use it.

Wash your hands often with soap and water. If soap and water are not available, use an alcohol-based hand rub.

Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth. Germs spread this way.

Try to avoid close contact with sick people.

If you are sick with flu-like illness, CDC recommends that you stay home for at least 24 hours after your fever is gone except to get medical care or for other necessities. (Your fever should be gone without the use of a fever-reducing medicine.)

While sick, limit contact with others as much as possible to keep from infecting them.

Flu-like symptoms include fever, cough, sore throat, runny or stuffy nose, body aches, headache, chills and fatigue. Some people also may have vomiting and diarrhea. People may be infected with the flu, and have respiratory symptoms without a fever.

For more information go to [www.cdc.gov/flu](http://www.cdc.gov/flu) or [www.flu.gov](http://www.flu.gov)

Submitted by: Amber Hardy

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### **Hispanic/Latino Students & Native Students Focus Group**

A team of students and staff will be leading a Student Affairs Campus Climate Audit throughout the spring semester.

This team is seeking students interested in participating in a focus group based on their identity as a Hispanic, Latino, or Native Student. This focus group will seek to understand the campus experience of certain identity groups on campus to learn more about perceptions of campus spaces. This will be the first in a series of focus groups.

This particular focus group will be held on Thursday, Jan. 31 in the Institute for Cultural Unity on the 1st Floor of the Powell Campus Center from 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

More information about the Campus Climate Audit is attached. Also, please contact Craig Arno via email, [caa2@alfred.edu](mailto:caa2@alfred.edu), if you have further questions.

Link: [caa2@alfred.edu](mailto:caa2@alfred.edu)

Attachment: [Campus Climate Audit Summary](#)

Submitted by: Craig Arno

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### **Time with Michelle Courtney Berry!**

The Judson Leadership Center is hosting Michelle Courtney Berry Feb. 5-7. The title of her talk is "Honoring Superwomen While Deconstructing the Myth of 'The Superwoman.' "

She is very interested in attending classes while she is here and meeting with Staff/Faculty/Students. Please contact me ([folts@alfred.edu](mailto:folts@alfred.edu)) if you would like to schedule time with Michelle.

Attachment: [MCB\\_-\\_Biography.docx](#)

Submitted by: Heather Folts

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### **Freshmen & Sophomores- Be an Overnight Host!**

The Admissions Office is looking for reliable freshmen and sophomore students who are willing to host accepted students through our Overnight Program during the 2013 spring semester.

Overnight hosts are encouraged to share their experiences with prospective students, involve them with campus activities, and show them why you love Alfred!

You do not need extensive experience with Admissions, just a welcoming attitude and a sincere desire to represent Alfred University.

Overnights are offered Sunday-Thursday beginning Feb. 3 and will conclude on April 5. We are willing to work with your schedule and you will be rewarded at the end of the program for hosting!

If you are interested, please fill out the Overnight Host application and send it to Anne at [Campbell@alfred.edu](mailto:Campbell@alfred.edu) or send it intracampus mail to Alumni Hall- ATTN: Anne Campbell.

Students will be required to interview.

Attachment: [Overnight\\_Host\\_Application\\_2013.doc](#)

Submitted by: Anne Campbell

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### **Judson Leadership Center Walk-In Hours**

Got a quick question for JLC but don't need a full appointment? Drop in during our Walk-In Hours! Mondays 9:30 -11:30 a.m., Wednesdays 2-4 p.m., and Thursdays 12:30-2 p.m.

If you need a meeting, call us at 607-871-2971 and we'll set you up!

Submitted by: Heather Folts

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### **Internship & Summer Job Fair**

The Internship & Summer Job Fair, hosted by the Career Development Center, will take place on Friday, Feb. 15, 2013 from noon-2 p.m. in the Powell Campus Center Knight Club.

Over 40 companies are expected to be represented, recruiting all majors. To see a current list of companies which will be represented, please visit the CDC website at [www.alfred.edu/cdc](http://www.alfred.edu/cdc) and click on events.

Bring the postcard that you receive in the mail to enter a raffle to win 1 of 6 VISA giftcards or an AU sweatshirt!

Submitted by: Jill Crandall

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### **Institute for Cultural Unity Seeks Student Employees!**

The Institute for Cultural Unity (ICU) is looking for enthusiastic and motivated students to become Institute Coordinators.

The Institute for Cultural Unity is a resource center that develops self-awareness and respect for others through the sharing of experiences and cultures. The ICU is located on the 1st floor of the Powell Campus Center. Institute Coordinators will be responsible for:

- \* communication on behalf of the Institute for Cultural Unity (including talking with tours, networking with alumni, welcoming students to the space, and social media communications with members).
- \* acting as peer educators (including attending trainings, leading training, conflict mediation, and building a resource library).
- \* managing the facilities (including reservations, ensuring cleanliness of spaces, and preparing spaces for events).

To apply, please fill out the attached application and return via email to [icu@alfred.edu](mailto:icu@alfred.edu) or delivering it to the Institute for Cultural Unity on the 1st floor of the Powell Campus Center.

All applications must be returned by Friday, Feb. 1. Group interviews will be scheduled between 10 a.m. and noon on Saturday, Feb. 9. Applicants are encouraged to attend the first ICU training on Friday, Feb. 8 from 3-5 p.m.

Link: [Questions? Please e-mail us!](#)

Attachment: [Institute Coordinator Application](#)

Submitted by: Craig Arno

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### **Swain Discount Rates for Faculty/Staff, Students**

Swain is extending discounted rates for Alfred University Faculty, Staff and their families plus AU

Students. University employees and their families and AU students may ski at Swain Resort any day after 3 p.m. at reduced rates.

In order to participate in the program please register with Judith Green. Discounted rates available through the ski season.

Questions may be addressed to Judith Green at [jgreen@alfred.edu](mailto:jgreen@alfred.edu) or 607.871.2966

See attachment for 2012-13 rates.

Attachment: [Swain\\_Form.doc](#)

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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### **Sarasota Event at Ringling Museum of Art**

Please join President Edmondson and his spouse, Dr. Laura Greyson, for an evening of fun at the Circus Museum Backyard, located in the John and Mable Ringling Museum of Art, Sarasota, FL, at 6 p.m. on March 2, 2013.

You will enjoy a wine and cheese reception during which you can take a self-guided tour through the attached Circus Museum. A buffet dinner and comments from President Edmondson will follow the reception.

The cost is \$20 for adults and \$10 for anyone under 18.

Please RSVP by 2/22/13:

Email: [alumni@alfred.edu](mailto:alumni@alfred.edu)

Phone: 607-871-2144

Online: [www.alfred.edu/alumni/reg...](http://www.alfred.edu/alumni/reg...)

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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### **Family Program: theatreFiguren - Ferdinand - Puppet Theater**

Saturday, Jan. 26 at 10:30 a.m.

Nancy Howe Auditorium

David A. Howe Public Library

155 N. Main St., Wellsville

585-593-3410

Michele Costa presents "The Story of Ferdinand," penned by Munro Leaf in 1935. It is the story of a little bull who would rather sit and smell the flowers than fight. Considered controversial in the 1930s, it is a story of "being yourself" with the message of nonviolence.

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

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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