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TODAY	TOMORROW	WEDNESDAY
4:45 Zumba Fitness Classes	11:30 Graduate and Professional School Fair	10:00 Walk-in Hours at the CDC
5:15 Kripalu Yoga Classes	4:00 Men's Soccer	5:30 Kripalu Yoga Classes
	6:30 Film: 'Act of Killing'	Straight Talk
	8:30 International Folk Dancing	6:30 Discussion: 'The Act of Killing'
	9:00 Istanbul 2014 Informational Meeting	7:00 Women's Soccer

100 Years Old! Congrats to the Fiat Lux

The Fiat Lux newspaper is 100 years old today! What an accomplishment and tradition to celebrate. A student newspaper is an essential feature of any university or college. It profiles campus life in a way not accomplished in any other form and helps preserve the University's history through its reporting.

The University Archives celebrates this achievement and encourages the campus to continue its support of the paper. Check out the entire 100-year run of past issues in the campus digital repository, part of the "Campus Publications" collection.

Link: [AURA: Digital Repository for AU](#)

Submitted by: Laurie McFadden

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Istanbul 2014: Informational meeting Tuesday, Oct. 22

An informational meeting for those interested in participating in a four-week course in Istanbul during July 2014 will be held at 9 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 22, in Room 306 Olin. For more information, contact Laura Greyson or Jeffrey Sluyter-Beltrao.

Attachment: [Istanbul_2014_meeting](#)

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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Graduate and Professional School Fair

Over 60 graduate programs will be on campus Tuesday, Oct. 22 to discuss a wide variety of graduate school options. Reasons to attend:

1. Gain insight into application process
2. Find out what goes into a personal statement
3. Request application waivers
4. Discover previously unknown and interesting graduate programs
5. When else will there be over 60 graduate schools on the AU campus?

Link: [List of Participating Graduate Programs](#)

Submitted by: Mark McFadden

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Alfred University Self-Study

To the Alfred University Community,

We have completed one more important step in the process of University reaccreditation with the Middle States Commission of Higher Education. Many thanks to everyone who participated in the visit with Dr. Paul Hennigan, the Chair of the Middle States Evaluation Team. Dr. Hennigan expressed appreciation for the work that has been done thus far and he offered guidance for our next steps.

At this juncture we would like to make the self-study report available to the University community. This is the first full draft reporting on the research conducted during our self-study year (2012-13). We invite you to review the document for factual errors and inconsistencies. Of course, we are also open to any other comments or thoughts you might want to share. To this end, please email your comments to Beth Ann Dobie dobie@alfred.edu and Laurie McFadden mcfadden@alfred.edu by Friday, Nov. 1, 2013.

The next phase of this process will involve turning this report into a unified document, with a single voice, that tells Alfred University's story to the members of the Middle States Evaluation Team who will visit our campus next spring.

On behalf of the Steering Committee,

Dr. Beth Ann Dobie
Chair, Steering Committee

Link: [Alfred University Self-Study Draft](#)

Submitted by: Barbara Timbrook

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Special Seminar Presentation

Dr. Mustafa Yavuz, a current Inamori faculty candidate, will be presenting on "Nano and Micro-Electro-Mechanical Systems (N/MEMS) and Their Packaging and Reliability" on Tuesday, Oct. 22 in Binns-Merrill Hall, room 106 at 9:20 a.m. Dr. Yavuz is a professor and director of the Nano and Micro-Systems Research Lab at the Waterloo Institute for Nanotechnology.

Attachment: [MYavuz_Alfred_Abstract_October_2013.pdf](#)

Submitted by: Katie Decker

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Orthopedic Clinic @ Wellness Center

Oct. 23, 2013
9 a.m. to noon
Appointments available for Students, Faculty, and Staff.
Please call for appointment
607.871.2400

Submitted by: Rene Richardson

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Bergren Forum - Zero Energy House

The Bergren Forum sponsored by the Division of Human Studies and the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences will be meeting at 12:10 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 24 in the Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center.

Bring a brown bag lunch; coffee and tea will be provided.

Speaker: Wallace Leigh
Topic: "How to Build a Zero energy House in 2 Weeks or Less"

Submitted by: Marilyn Saxton

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2013 Lefkowitz Lecture in Jewish Studies

Monday, Oct. 28
5:15 p.m.
Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center

The 2013 Lefkowitz Lecture in Jewish Studies will be delivered by Marc Michael Epstein, Professor of Religion at Vassar College.

In his image-rich presentation entitled "Old Haggadot for New Audiences: Art, Story-telling, and the Religious Imagination," Epstein will expound on how the deceptively quaint pictures found in illustrated Haggadahs (texts used during the Passover Seder) address significant political and moral dilemmas for medieval as well as post-modern audiences.

An exhibit of Haggadahs in the Alfred University collection is currently on display in Herrick Library in conjunction with this lecture. The lecture is free and open to the public and will be followed by a reception.

This event is sponsored by the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences.

Submitted by: Jennifer Posener

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Peace Corps Information Session

When: Tuesday, Oct. 29 at 6:30 p.m.
Where: Alfred Village Hall (above the Police Station)

The AU Career Development Center, in collaboration with the Alfred State College Center for Civic Engagement, will host an information session with Peace Corps representative Dove Russo. The presentation will take about 60 minutes and address the following:

- The application process
- Peace Corps locations
- Primary/secondary projects
- Benefits of service
- Firsthand account of serving in the Peace Corps
- Graduate school partnerships

Submitted by: Mark McFadden

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Opportunity to Publish Your Work!

Phi Alpha Theta, the history honor society on campus, is currently working on publishing its second edition of its journal, The Kanakadea Review.

We are now accepting paper submissions from students and faculty. All papers must be historically related and have received a B+ or higher. Papers not graded are subject to review.

The deadline for all submissions is Friday, Nov. 1.

Please email Jennifer Futterman at jcf2@alfred.edu your submissions or for more information.

Submitted by: Jennifer Futterman

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New schedule for Zumba Fitness class

From now through the end of October, Zumba Fitness classes will be held Mondays only from 4:45-5:45 pm at Davis Gym. Classes are \$3 each; no need to sign up in advance. Just pay as you go.
Instructor: Denise Eck

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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Buy and Sell Board

Have an item you want to buy or sell. Check out the buy and sell board by using the link below.

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New Hire, Position Change September 2013

New Hire:

Sarah M. Blood, visiting faculty member, Sculpture/Dimensional Studies

Position Change:

Kaaren K. Reeder, administrative assistant to the dean, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Join AU for a St. John Fisher Tailgate

You are invited to a Saxon tailgate party!

Alfred trustee Greg Connors '92 and Jeni Wetzel Connors '94 invite you to join them on Saturday, Nov. 16, for a pregame tailgate party at St. John Fisher College!

When: Tailgate begins at 11 a.m.

Where: The Tailgate will be held in the Park and Ride lot adjacent to the St. John Fisher campus at the intersection of Routes 31F and I-490.

Game: At 1 p.m., watch your Saxons take on the SJF Cardinals.

This event is complimentary.

Please register online by Nov. 8 at:

www.alfred.edu/alumni/reg...

or by

Email: alumni@alfred.edu

Phone: 607-871-2144

Submitted by: Audrea Sirianni

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Lecture: The History of Space Travel

Speakers: Tom Moser and Fred Welch from the Challenger Learning Center of the Twin Tier Region

Tuesday, Oct. 22 at 7 p.m.
Nancy Howe Auditorium
David A. Howe Public Library
155 N. Main St., Wellsville
585-593-3410

Our guests, Tom Moser and Fred Welch, from the Challenger Learning Center of the Twin Tiers Region, will explore the history of space travel from its humble beginnings to current times. Learn about the triumphs and tragedies of space exploration and how the former Soviet Union and United States space programs prepared humans for space flight.

Check out the website at: DRCLC.org.

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

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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