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	6:00 <a href="#">Women's Basketball @Home</a>	
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### Faculty Research Mentor Awards - Extended Deadline

The Office of the Provost will be continuing to acknowledge and reward faculty who are outstanding undergraduate research and scholarly activity mentors across the campus this year, ie. those individuals who are outstanding mentors to students engaged in research or scholarly activity and are actively engaged themselves in advancing scholarship in their field(s).

Up to one award will be offered in each of the following categories this academic year: physical/life and mathematical sciences, undergraduate engineering, social sciences, humanities, visual and performing arts, and professional studies.

Nominations for the award have been extended through Friday, Jan. 9. Students or faculty wishing to nominate a faculty research mentor for this award should send a nomination letter to [argus@alfred.edu](mailto:argus@alfred.edu) by Jan. 9; self-nominations will not be considered.

A more detailed announcement, including the required contents for the recommendation letter, are available on the Office of the Provost website. If you have questions, email Geoffrey Bowers at [bowers@alfred.edu](mailto:bowers@alfred.edu). And if you have an outstanding faculty research mentor, nominate them today!

Link: [Office of the Provost Website](#)

Submitted by: Geoffrey Bowers

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### Study Abroad Grants!

If you are thinking of studying abroad in Berlin or London during the 2015-16 academic year, CIEE is offering \$6,000 grants. The deadline for applications is Thursday, Jan. 15, 2015.

Both campuses have programs in business; communications, journalism and new media; international relations and political science; language, literature, and culture; and health sciences.

More info here: <http://www.ciee.org/study...> Contact Vicky Westacott at [fcobb@alfred.edu](mailto:fcobb@alfred.edu) for

more information.

Submitted by: Vicky Westacott

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### **David Ohara, Professor Emeritus, Dies after Long Illness**

David Ohara, professor of English, emeritus, died Dec. 27, 2014, following a long illness. At his request, there will be no viewing or memorial service.

Link: [David Ohara obituary](#)

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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### **Fitness Center & Health & Wellness Center Hours of Operation**

The Fitness Center and Health & Wellness Center will be open through Monday, Jan. 19 from noon-8 p.m. daily, for winter break hours of operation. Regular, in-semester hours will resume on Tuesday, Jan. 20.

Submitted by: Tony Aquilina

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### **Zumba Classes Resume**

Fulfill those New Year's resolutions by burning lots of calories in Zumba! Tuesdays and Thursdays at noon in the multi-purpose room at the Health and Wellness Center; \$40 for the month. If you can't make the entire month, you can drop in for \$5 a class for faculty, staff and community members, \$3 for students. Minimum number required to sign up for class to be held.

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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