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TODAY	TOMORROW	SATURDAY
11:00 Massage Therapist at Ade	4:30 Sculpture/Ceramic Sculpture Candidate Presentation	2:00 IART Senior Shows
12:00 We Need You! Save Our WW At-Work Meetings!	6:00 MFA Thesis Exhibitions	3:00 2015 School of Art and Design Senior Shows
7:00 Praise and Worship	8:00 Study Hours in the Institute for Cultural Unity	· Outdoor Track - Away
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2015 Summer Hours Announced

Summer Hours will begin on Monday, May 18 and will continue through Friday, Aug. 7.

* While most University employees will be working according to the Administrative Office hours, some department schedules may vary. Please speak with your supervisor for your department's schedule.

Administrative Office Hours: 8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Maintenance, Grounds and Custodial: No schedule change

Additional Information

- * On the door of your office, please post Summer 2015 office hours
- * Please change your voice mail message to indicate your specific summer hours
- * Any questions regarding payroll/time sheets, please contact the Payroll Department

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Year-end Cut-off Dates for Business Areas

Business Office:

July 10 - All transactions such as corrections, transfers, budget adjustments, year-end accruals, etc. submitted for fiscal year 2014-15.

Office & Procurement Services:

May 20 - All requisitions are due for fiscal year 2014-15.

June 30 - All Merchandise must be received for fiscal year 2014-15.

Accounts Payable:

June 30 - All merchandise and services must be received and invoiced to the University for fiscal year 2014-15.

July 8 - The cutoff date for travel expense forms that account for travel through June 30 for fiscal year 2014-15.

July 10 - Invoices for fiscal year 2014-15

University One Card Reconciliation for June:

June 19 - Last day for purchases on credit card for fiscal year 2014-15.

July 10 - Card holder review & send paperwork to card manager.

July 14 - Card manager approve & send paperwork to Program Administrator.

Submitted by: Jodi Howe

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Students - Don't Close Bank Account If You Have Direct Deposit!

If you are working through the end of the semester, remember that your final paycheck may be 5/22 if you are a grad or Work Study or 6/5 if you are non-Work Study. If you have Direct Deposit, please leave your bank account open to allow these final checks to clear.

If you do plan on closing your account before returning home, you must terminate your Direct Deposit by completing a form available in the Payroll Office located in Greene Hall and letting us know where to send your final checks.

Submitted by: Kathy Costello

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Students - Where Do You Want Your Final Payroll Checks to Go?

The final two payrolls of the semester will be paid on 5/22 and 6/5. If you receive a payroll check, they will be mailed to the home address we have on file for you.

If you need to make alternate arrangements to mail your check to a different address, please email payroll@alfred.edu or stop in the Payroll Office in Greene Hall.

Submitted by: Kathy Costello

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Summer School 2015/Financial Aid

If you plan to take summer classes at AU and are a current financial aid recipient, we are providing you the following information to help you determine if you may have financial aid eligibility applicable to summer enrollment.

Attachment: [Summer School Financial Aid Details](#)

Submitted by: Catherine Schnurle

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Graduate Students - Financial Aid Filing

If you will be a graduate student at AU for the 2015-16 academic year and use Federal Direct Loans, you will need to file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) as soon as possible. You can complete the FAFSA at www.fafsa.gov.

Link: [Free Application for Federal Student Aid \(FAFSA\)](#)

Submitted by: Elena Wallace

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University Traffic/Parking Reminder

Only authorized University and Emergency vehicles are allowed to pass through or park on Academic Alley. All unauthorized vehicles parked in this area will be ticketed.

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Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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2015 School Of Art and Deisgn Senior Shows

Date: Saturday, May 9

Time: 3-6 P.M.

Location: Mcgee Pavilion, Charles Harder Hall, Binns-Merrill Hall, Cohen Studios

Cost to Attend: Free

On Saturday, May 9 visitors from throughout Western New York and beyond will attend the opening of the annual Senior Shows, exhibitions of work by candidates for the Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA) degree from the School of Art and Design at Alfred University.

Each of the graduating seniors will open his or her show at 3 p.m. Saturday, May 9, in locations including the McGee Pavilion, Charles Harder Hall, Binns-Merrill Hall, and the Cohen Studios. Maps showing the location of the exhibitions will be available in Charles Harder Hall.

Opening receptions continue through 6 p.m. Saturday; work will remain on display through Thursday, May 12 and in the Turner Gallery through Saturday, May 16 at 3 p.m.

The AU Senior Shows, which are a requirement for graduation from Alfred University's acclaimed School of Art and Design, have become a major attraction for art lovers, who are drawn to Alfred for the opportunity to see and purchase work by some of the country's most promising young artists.

The artwork on display during the AU Senior Shows represent a diverse number of art mediums and genres, including: ceramics, painting, sculpture, photography, print-making, video, sonic arts, interactive media, graphic design and drawing.

We look forward to seeing you there.

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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Pool Closing

The pool will close following open swim on Friday. We are hoping to start summer hours the week of May 25.

Submitted by: Brian Striker

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MFA Thesis Exhibitions

Timothy Gonchoroff - Sculpture/Dimensional Studies
www.gonchoroff.com

Opening: Friday, May 8

Time: 7-9 P.M.

Location: Fosdick-Nelson Gallery

Artist Talk: Sunday, May 10

Time: 2 P.M.

Location: Fosdick-Nelson Gallery

New Ecologies are defined as locations that are the result of our material culture interacting with the natural world. The Laboratory has investigated, extracted, and cataloged a variety of materials found in a nearby landfill and will be presenting its research to the Alfred community.

Henry Crissman - Ceramic Art
www.henrycrissman.com

Occupying the grounds and interior of Alfred's historic Terra Cotta Building, Henry James Haver Crissman's MFA Exhibition, "The Mobile Anagama Company", will operate from May 4 - 9, 2015.

The Mobile Anagama Company celebrates, provides access and raises funds to support the Terra Cotta Building while showcasing The Mobile Anagama wood fired ceramics kiln on a trailer, objects created with it and printed matter regarding it and its travels. Additionally, the exhibition engages the public with a diverse program of events and opportunities including:

* Free Public Mobile Anagama Workshop *

"The Mobile Anagama Company" invites non-student ceramicists to participate in a free workshop with The Mobile Anagama wood fueled ceramics kiln on a trailer from May 5 - 8, 2015. The workshop will take place on the grounds of the historic Terra Cotta Building, covering technical aspects of the kiln's design, assembly, and firing as well as its social and conceptual applications. Participants will each donate one finished piece from the firing to "The Terra Cotta Building Fundraiser Silent Auction."

* Terra Cotta Building Fundraiser Silent Auction *

Held in conjunction with the Exhibition Opening from 6-9 p.m. on Friday May 8, 2015, donated ceramics from the Free Public Mobile Anagama Workshop will be silently auctioned during the exhibition opening from 6-8:30 p.m. The funds raised in the silent auction will support the care of the Terra Cotta Building.

* The Terra Cotta: Through the Lens of the Camera Photo Contest *

Prizes of fabulous ceramics will be awarded to the best submitted images of Henry James Haver Crissman's MFA thesis exhibition, "The Mobile Anagama Company" and the associated events which will occur at the historic Terra Cotta Building in Alfred, NY from May 4 - 9, 2015. To submit images #TheMobileAnagamaCompany or email to hjcrissman@gmail.com. All images must be submitted by Noon on Monday, May 11.

* Alfred Terra Cotta Picnic *

Once an annual celebration in Alfred, the Terra Cotta Picnic will be held on the grounds of the Terra Cotta Building and feature musical acts performed on The Mobile Anagama's small stage as well as a Historical Address by the Alfred Historical Society and an oversized check presentation.

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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Alfred Ceramic Art Museum Open 1-3 p.m. Saturday, May 9

The Alfred Ceramic Art Museum will be open on Senior Show Day, Saturday, May 9 from 1 - 3 p.m.

The current exhibition, "Global Flows: Ceramics from the Permanent Collection," will be on view until Aug. 7, 2015. This exhibition features pieces celebrating student research from the fall 2014 ceramics history seminar led by Dr. Meghan Jones.

The museum is located on the top floor of Binns-Merrill Hall.

Like us on Facebook: www.facebook.com/ceramics...

Link: ceramicmuseum.alfred.edu/exhibitions/

Submitted by: Grace Tessein

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Extended Open Hours for 'Calibrating Color'

"The Visible Spectrum and the Ceramic Surface"

Through Saturday, May 9

Location: Cohen Gallery

Cost to Attend: Free

Sponsored By: Supported in part by the Division of Ceramics and the Career Development Center.

Cohen Gallery will have extended open hours on Saturday, May 9, 2015. "Calibrating Color: The Visible Spectrum and the Ceramic Surface" will be on display noon-6 p.m.

With each artist focused on a particular hue, this exhibition celebrates ceramics as a site for the phenomena of color. Curated from their book, "Glaze: The Ultimate Ceramic Artist's Guide to Glaze and Color," by alumni Brian Taylor and Kate Doody.

The exhibition is supported in part by the Division of Ceramics. 18 ceramic artists are included in the exhibition: Adam Field, Bobby Silverman, Daniel Bare, David Hicks, Giselle Hicks, Joe Pintz, Katie Parker & Guy M. Davis, Kristin Kieffer, Linda Lopez, Linda Swanson, Marc Digeros, Matt Wedel, Rain Harris, Rebecca Chappell, Sam Chung, Shannon Goff, Sunshine Cobb, and Thaddeus Erdahl.

Cohen Gallery Hours: Tuesday - Friday, 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.; Saturday 5/9/15: noon- 6 p.m.

Director, Kala Stein stein@alfred.edu

Facebook: Cohen Gallery at Alfred University <https://www.facebook.com/...>

Instagram: @AlfredCohenGallery #AlfredCohenGallery

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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Food and Clothing Drive

The Newman Club is sponsoring a Food and Clothing Drive from May 4 - May 11. Boxes in Residence Halls and the Newman Club Student Lounge.

Submitted by: St. Jude Newman Club

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Summer Shredding Event

Once again, The Division of Business & Finance will be hosting a summer shredding event for your office's sensitive and confidential documents. If you have a preference of when this event is best for your area, please contact procurement@alfred.edu or x. 2698 by Friday, May 15.

Another Alfred Today announcement will follow with the date, time, and location.

Submitted by: Cheryl Foster

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Return Your Textbook Rentals

Remember to return your textbook rentals BEFORE going home. RETURN by 5/11/15 to the AU Bookstore.

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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TIAA-CREF Consultant on Campus

Sign up today. A TIAA-CREF consultant will be conducting one-on-one, 45-minute, individual retirement counseling sessions on Wednesday, May 13 and Thursday, June 11 in the Human Resources Conference Room in Greene Hall. Let him help you make financial decisions that are right for you.

To schedule an appointment, Non-Statutory employees should call TIAA-CREF at 1.877.209.3144 and Statutory employees should call TIAA-CREF at 1.800.732.8353; remain on the line for assistance.

Submitted by: Kim Wyant

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We Need You! Save Our WW At-Work Meetings!

Alfred University and Alfred State have hosted Weight Watchers At-Work meetings since 2007. But, we are in danger of losing our group! We need four more members by May 14 in order to continue the group, which is available to students, faculty, staff and retirees of both institutions.

If you have been thinking about joining, please join now! You will improve your eating habits, lose weight and feel great in the community of friends from Alfred State and Alfred University.

Our Weight Watchers meetings are held every Thursday from noon to 12:45 p.m. in the Pioneer Center HR Conference Room on the Alfred State Campus. In addition, if you sign up for a new monthly pass membership by May 8 you will also receive a free WW Starter Kit.

We have what could be our final two meetings on Thursday, May 7 and May 14. For more information, please contact Marilyn Robin by email at robinmf@alfredstate.edu or by phone at 587-4027.

Please help our group continue and keep this valuable health opportunity available to our campus communities!

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Ca\$h for your Textbooks @ the AU Bookstore

The AU Bookstore is now buying textbooks back for ca\$h. Bring your textbooks and student ID to sell your books. Remember to return your RENTALS by 5/11/15.

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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