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	7:00 Wingate Memorial Summer Carillon Recital Series	

Reminder for Faculty - Export Blackboard Course Content

As you are aware, AU will discontinue its use of the Blackboard LMS Monday, Aug. 15, 2016. The Canvas LMS will be used for AU's fall courses.

Instructors have access to their fall courses in Canvas and may begin adding materials at any time.

As a part of AU's Canvas contract, courses from Spring 2016 and Fall 2015 are being imported into Canvas for you. These courses are located in the Migrations Term, and you may copy them into your current or future courses.

Any faculty members wishing to re-use other content from Blackboard will need to export their courses and save them for later use. Course content from Blackboard can be imported into Canvas using the Blackboard course format or the Common Cartridge format.

Instructions for both export file formats are attached.

During the course import process, it has come to our attention that courses containing MP4 files frequently fail upon import. If you have MP4 files in your courses, you should remove them before exporting the course content. All MP4s and video files should be uploaded to the Ensemble streaming service. The resulting URLs should be pasted into Canvas. For assistance, please contact the ITS Helpdesk at 607.871.2222.

Canvas trainings are being offered throughout the summer and fall. If you have any questions, please contact Meghanne Freivald at 607.871.2363 or via email.

Link: [Import Course Content into Canvas](#)

Attachment: [Export courses in Blackboard Format](#)

Attachment: [Export Courses in Common Cartridge Format](#)

Submitted by: Meghanne Freivald

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Carillon Recital--Tuesday, July 12

The Wingate Memorial Carillon Recital Series continues with the performance of Mathieu Daniel Polak. Polak, a graduate of the Dutch Carillon School, is a winner of several international carillon competitions. His program will feature songs from Peru, Japan, Israel, the USA, and his native land of Holland. Time: 7 pm. Rain or shine, the free recital will go on. Come enjoy the 47 bells of Alfred's carillon!

Submitted by: Laurel Buckwalter

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Personnel changes for June 2016

New Hires:

Mary T. Sick, administrative assistant, part-time, Women's Leadership Center

Resignations:

Christopher D. Curry, maintenance, College of Ceramics

Doreen Edwards, dean, Inamori School of Engineering and acting vice president for Statutory Affairs

Bruce Rosenthal, director, School of Business

Stanley W. Tam, director, Counseling and Wellness Center

Barbara Timbrook, secretary, part-time, Provost's office

Katja Gutsche, visiting instructor, Renewable Energy Engineering

Lin Hao, Confucius Institute

Monica Reginio, donor relations officer, temporary, University Relations

Retirements:

Patricia D. Crast, HelpDesk manager, Information Technology Services

Susan Meacham, secretary, Career Development Center

Deborah Clark, acting director of Communications and alumni publications editor

Laura Greyson, professor of Political Science

Charles M. Edmondson, president

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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Monsters of Baseball: Free program for area children

Join us at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, July 12, for an evening of fun for the whole family at the Nancy Howe Auditorium at the David A. Howe Public Library, 155 N. Main St., Wellsville. The sign at the ball park says "No Monsters Allowed!", but that doesn't stop Roscoe from sneaking a little monster named Gus in to see a baseball game. It seems they're not alone as more monsters begin slipping into the ball park to join the fun. Giant puppets bring the history and tradition of baseball alive through songs, stories and poems. There's room for everyone, including the audience, to celebrate America's favorite past time. The performance is funded in part by the NYS Council on the Arts Decentralization Regrant Program with support from Gov. Andrew Cuomo and the NYS Legislature and administered by the Cattaraugus County Arts Council. This event is free and open to the general public.

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