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TODAY	TOMORROW	FRIDAY
10:00 Kathryn Vajda: Snow Cities	10:00 Kathryn Vajda: Snow Cities	10:00 Kathryn Vajda: Snow Cities
The Pottery Show : An Exhibition of Work Made in Junior Pottery	The Pottery Show : An Exhibition of Work Made in Junior Pottery	6:00 Alfred Art Walk
4:30 IART Student Exhibition	11:00 Lain's famous Cider Kits: pre-order ENDS TODAY @ Cohen	6:30 Hillel Latke Dinner and Hanukkah Party!
· Exhibit at the Cohen Gallery: Residue	12:10 Bob Myers - Bergren Forum	7:30 Symphonic Band Concert
· Landscape Residue	2:30 IART Student Exhibition	· Exhibit at the Cohen Gallery: Residue
	· Exhibit at the Cohen Gallery: Residue	· Landscape Residue
		· Scholes Library LEGO Table!

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Join in the Holiday Fun!

Join the holiday fun and participate in the creation of our 2017 Holiday Video! Volunteers will be singing along individually to a version of Jingle Bells. We will be editing the film together for a spectacular video!

Please stop by the WALF radio station on Tuesday, December 5 or Thursday, December 7 between 9:30 AM - Noon or 1 - 4 PM. It will take about 20 minutes of your time.

The more the merrier so please be sure to join us!

For more information, contact Jodi Bailey at baileyj@alfred.edu or at extension 3170.

Submitted by: Jodi Bailey

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Reminder: Scholes Library Materials due Dec. 8th

Please remember to return overdue Scholes Library materials prior to 12/8/17.

*Faculty and Staff may request a renewal by contacting the library.

*Students who need materials over Winter Break, please contact romanchockm@alfred.edu for an extension.

Submitted by: Mechele Romanchock

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Ride Board

Need a ride home or back to campus from break? Search for a ride or post a ride that you can offer to someone else.

Link: [Ride Board](#)

Submitted by: Judy Linza

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"Residue" at Cohen Gallery through Dec 8

The Cohen Gallery presents the work of Caroline Hayes Charuk (BFA '08), Terry James Conrad (BFA '03), Ron Lambert (MFA '04), and SV Randall (BFA '10) in "Residue."

As humans we leave a trail behind us- a record of our personal histories. Some of these marks are egregious like the oil spills in the oceans, others are poetic like the subtly scuffed paint surrounding a well-used door knob. The artists in this exhibition are using residue as a tool for making their art. By making objects to create stains, mimic stains, or employ stains for creative reflection, these four artists reflect how residue can create a metaphor for life's experience.

Learn more about the artists' work here:

[www.carolinehayescharuk.c...](http://www.carolinehayescharuk.com)

<http://www.terryjamesconr...>

<http://www.ronlambertart....>

<http://www.stevenrandalls...>

<https://art.alfred.edu/fa...>

Submitted by: Cindy DeFelice

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Students-Check out Courses in Performing Arts for the Spring !

Check out these courses in Performing Arts for Spring 2018 !

THEATRE

Featuring two courses with NYC based guest director, Eliza Beckwith*

THEA 200 Audition for TV, Theatre & Life! *

THEA 205 The Play's the Thing! Playwriting*

THEA 240 Acting I

THEA 431 Directing II

Performance Design and Technology

Featuring two courses with NYC based visiting designer, Izmir Ickbal*

PDAT 200 Scenic Art for State*

PDAT 200 Visual Storytelling*

PDAT 200 Costuming on the Half Scale

PDAT 224 Entertainment Lighting

PDAT 225 Woodworking for the Stage

DANCE

DANC 120 Fundamentals of Dance

DANC 200 Laban Movement Practice

DANC 200 Laban Movement Plenary

DANC 222 Modern I

DANC 331 Site Specific Composition

MUSIC

Private Lessons available on Guitar, Piano, Strings, Winds, Brass, Percussion and Voice

MUSC 110 Music Appreciation

MUSC 120 Music Theory

MUSC 130 Piano I

MUSC 131 Piano II

MUSC 132 Beginning Voice Class I

MUSC 133 Music of the Guzheng

MUSC 200 Song Writing

MUSC 213 Introduction to Jazz

MUSC 214 Reel Music in America - Music & Film

MUSC 271 University Chorus

MUSC 272 Chamber Singers

MUSC 273 Symphonic Band

MUSC 274 Jazz Ensemble

MUSC 275 University Symphony Orchestra

MUSC 279 Chamber Music

Submitted by: Lisa Lantz

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Chemical Waste Removal

The fall/winter chemical waste removal will occur during December 2017. Both hazardous and non-regulated waste will be accepted.

All chemical waste must be received in your respective Central Accumulation Area (CAA) no later than Thursday, December 14. All colleges (Harder Hall, McMahon, and Myers CAAs) contact Dean Perry x 2196.

Completed Hazardous Waste and Non-Regulated Waste Log Forms MUST be sent to EH&S no later than Thursday, December 14 and may be mailed (117 Myers Hall), faxed to x2086, or scanned and e-mailed to: perrydr@alfred.edu. The hazardous waste packers must have this information prior to packing in order to obtain required approvals from the disposal facility.

All Hazardous Waste/Satellite Accumulation Area labels MUST be filled-out completely with EPA# for respective college, building name, Room # or area name, start date, initials, chemical name(s) of constituents in the accumulation container with volume or weight, and waste characteristics prior to receipt in Central Accumulation. Note: Per EPA regulations you have only 72 hours from an SAA full date to transfer the container to the proper CAA. SAA containers must be capped or sealed with container lid, have clean exterior, and SAA label easily legible. If you have any questions contact Dean Perry.

All Satellite Accumulation Areas must be empty by Dec 14th, with a notation to that effect made on your submitted December 2017 Satellite Accumulation Area Weekly Inspection sheet. Reminder: Any SAA's which collect waste during the break and are not empty must have the weekly inspection log maintained and submitted to EH&S on a weekly basis.

Hazardous and Non-Regulated Waste Log Forms are available at <https://my.alfred.edu/ehs...> under the heading "EH&S Forms".

Link: <https://my.alfred.edu/ehs/>

Submitted by: Dean Perry

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Faculty Members Needed

Currently, we have an open committee on campus. We have Support Staff and ATS represented, however, we need faculty members to join our committee. This committee is, Employee Recognition.

The Employee Recognition Committee is charged with:

- *Developing years of service awards
- *Developing different types of recognition other than years of service
- *Developing specific list of milestone rewards
- *Making recommendations on Retiree gifts
- *Combining faculty/staff service awards

Please email Kayleigh Misner, HR Generalist, if you are interested in joining this committee.
misner@alfred.edu

Submitted by: Kayleigh Misner

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The Pottery Show : An Exhibition of Work Made in Junior Pottery

December 6-7, 2017
10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. both days

Alumnia Lounge, 2nd floor of Powell Campus Center

Cost: Free

Sponsored by: Alfred Clay Collective

The Junior Pottery Students would like to invite you to our pottery show and sale!?

We have been working all semester on pushing ourselves technically and conceptually in order to create quality works in clay. Most of the pieces are utilitarian; displaying a great variety of surface effects in different atmospheres including salt, soda and wood fired works in stoneware and porcelain. Come choose your perfect holiday gifts from hundreds of pieces by students of Matt Kelleher's Junior Pottery Course:

Mariah Addis, Lulu Adler, Francesca Antonello, Genevieve Cromwell, Nikki Croom, Hannah Engelhardt, Chloe Fisher, Seth Howe, Bre King, Maddy Knickerbocker, Emily Rarity, Hannah Roth, Leanne Stephan, Andrew Tran, Andrew Vanamerongen, Koen Vrij, and Megan Whetstine.

Free hot chocolate with a purchase of a mug!!

Submitted by: SOAD Events

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University Conduct Board Board Recruitment:

We are currently recruiting faculty and staff members to serve on our University conduct boards. Our system is designed to hold students accountable for the Student Code of Conduct, change problematic behavior through a structured educational process, and protect the University community. The conduct system enables the campus community to take an active role in the hearing process.

Board members need to possess strong interpersonal and communication skills, sound judgment, personal integrity, and demonstrate respect for others. Hearings are scheduled on an as-needed basis.

Serving on a board depends on your schedule and availability.

We will have a training on Dec 8th from 1:15pm until 2:15pm in the Kenyon Allen rooms. If you are interested, please RSVP studentconduct@alfred.edu or x2132.

Link: <https://my.alfred.edu/student-policies/>

Submitted by: Norm Pollard

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Alfred Pharmacy has flu vaccines available

Stop by the Alfred Pharmacy to get your flu shot while they are still available. Flu shots are covered under the ACA at generally no out of pocket expense to you, under your insurance plan.

Submitted by: Kayleigh Misner

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HR Tip of the Month

Did you know that there is a new New York State law that takes effect January 1, 2018 that will

potentially affect you? This law is called, Paid Family Leave (PFL), and applies to all AU Non-Faculty employees. This leave provides paid leave for employees to bond with a newborn, adopted, or foster child, to attend family matters due to a qualifying military exigency, and to care for a seriously ill family member.

Employees who work 20+ hours a week have to be employed for at least 26 consecutive weeks. Employees working less than 20 hours per week must have worked at least 175 days for their current employer.

This leave provides job protection for up to eight weeks when it is first implemented in 2018. This leave provides 50% of employee's weekly wages to them for a maximum of \$652.96 per week in 2018.

PFL is funded through payroll deductions from employees, this program is not optional for any non-faculty employee at Alfred University. 0.00126% of the employee's weekly wage which is capped in 2018. This translates into a 2018 maximum contribution of \$1.65/week for employee deductions for their paychecks.

Please see the attached document for further clarification and explanation.

Attachment: [Paid Family Leave Information](#)

Attachment: [FMLA vs. PFL](#)

Submitted by: Kayleigh Misner

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ICU looking for presenters on cultural awareness workshops (Spring 2018)

Alfred University's Institute for Cultural Unity is looking for professionals interested in presenting twenty-minute talks on relevant topics as part of our "Wednesday Talk & Response" series. The institute is a source of diversity education and multicultural programming. The institute is a resource center that develops self-awareness and respect for others through the sharing of experiences and cultures. Through this, we hope to create a stronger community here at Alfred and expand our educational philosophy even further.

We would like to invite anyone who would be interested, to hold a short talk of no more than twenty minutes followed by small group discussion based on three questions of your choosing. Our focus areas include diversity, inclusion, tolerance, social justice or any topic that helps unites a community rather than divide.

If you are interested in presenting a topic, or have any questions, you can contact the ICU by e-mail at: ICU@alfred.edu

Thank you for your consideration.

Link: [ICU Connect site](#)

Submitted by: Itan Chait Clemente

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Toshiba - Automatic Toner Replenishment Program

Procurement Services has switched all of the networked Toshiba and Lexmark MFPs (copiers) on campus to an automatic toner replenishment program. This means departments will no longer have to order MFP toner cartridges. When your MFP is down to 20% usage, it will message Toshiba to send a new toner. Your toner will be sent free of charge. When your toner is received, please wait until your MFP is out of toner before replacing the cartridge. There may still be toner left in your cartridge, and we want to ensure toner will not be wasted.

This is only for networked and contracted Toshiba and Lexmark MFPs. This program does not include any desktop printers. Please contact Procurement Services for any questions or concerns.

Submitted by: Cheryl Foster

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Are You Registered for the Right Courses? Run a Degree Evaluation and See!

Every time you plan to register, get registered for the next semester, change your major or add/drop courses you should run a Degree Evaluation in AU Banner Web Secure Area. Degree Evaluation is a tool for you and your advisor to monitor your progress towards graduating, see what courses you still need to take and to be sure that the courses you are taking will fulfill those requirements. View the attached document to learn how to run a Degree Evaluation.

Attachment: [Quick Guide to Run a Degree Evaluation](#)

Submitted by: Tammy Jursza Williams

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Engineering Senior Poster Session

Join us this Wednesday, December 6th, for the School of Engineering's Senior Poster Session. It will be held in the Commons Area in McMahon, beginning at 4:30 p.m.

Authors of posters are expected to wear their job-interview clothes and stand by their posters, prepared to describe and defend their work to the faculty and students in attendance. The poster session is intended to celebrate the accomplishments of our students by focusing on work produced independently as a part of their senior thesis. The poster session emphasizes the importance that the faculty places on the role of the senior thesis as a capstone experience in our students' education. Poster sessions are an important method of engineering communication. We believe that the skills learned in preparing for the poster session will be important to a young engineer in the work place. Finally, the poster session audience of students, staff and faculty will have an opportunity to see the high quality of work that our students present as results of their senior thesis.

We will also be celebrating Rosalie DiRaimondo's upcoming retirement after 30 years of service at Alfred University.

Refreshments and cake will be served. Stop by and support the seniors and wish Rosalie well!

Submitted by: Katie Decker

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BFA Senior Thesis Exhibition, Saturday, December 9th 7-9 pm

featuring the works of
GRACE DICRESCENTIS, ADRIANNA ENOCH, FRANCESCO GATTUSO, KATHERINE GOVIN, ALENE HOUGHTON, YONG HUN JUNG, AHYOUNG KANG, MICHELLE NUGENT, JENNA PEARCE, JESSE SO HANDSOME PLASS, and LUKE TESORIERO. Location of exhibitions: Robert C. Turner Gallery, Holmes Auditorium, Snodgrass Gallery, Sound Studio, and Harder Hall Lobby

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Nominations requested for 2018 Spirit of Service Awards

The Spirit of Service Award recognizes students, faculty, and staff at Alfred State and Alfred University, as well as community partners and leaders in the greater Alfred community who demonstrate a strong commitment to serving others. This award is intended to honor those who are actively living out the principles of Martin Luther King, Jr., including equality, social justice, community, and service. Please consider nominating a deserving person for this recognition.

The 2018 Celebration of Service award ceremony will take place 5:00pm on January 30, 2018. All Spirit of Service Award nominees will be honored and one award winner will be selected from each category. All nominations must be submitted by January 23, 2018 for consideration. Contact Service Learning Coordinator Corey Fecteau with questions: fecteau@alfred.edu or 607-871-2164.

Link: [Spirit of Service Award Nomination Form](#)

Submitted by: Corey Fecteau

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Last Sale of the Semester @ the AU Bookstore, Don't miss it!

25% OFF all outer wear, cold weather accessories, and ALL sweatshirts! NOW thru Dec. 15th!

Link: alfred.bncollege.com

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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Return your RENTALS (before leaving for break)

Remember to return your rented textbooks back to the AU Bookstore BEFORE leaving for break. Textbooks need to be back by December 15. You will not be able to get back into your room after Dec. 12 to get them.

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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CA\$H for your Textbooks at the AU Boosktore.

Sell your textbooks back at the AU Bookstore. No matter where you purchased them, you can sell them back for CA\$H at the bookstore.

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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Walk Like A Penguin

Cold weather, ice and snow can increase the chances of slips and falls, so the office of Environmental Health and Safety wants to remind all Saxons to stay safe this winter. We remind you to dress warmly and wear the appropriate attire, and, when appropriate, walk like a penguin. It may sound silly, but short, shuffled steps can decrease your chances of slipping. Be sure to download a copy of our Walk Like A Penguin poster to post in your area as we enter the winter season.

Attachment: [Poster](#)

Submitted by: Dean Perry

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