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TODAY	TOMORROW	FRIDAY
12:20 Research Talk	12:00 Bake Sale	2:20 Right-to-Know Training
1:20 CPR-AED Training	12:10 Bergren Forum -	
7:00 FBI Internship Information Session	'Superwoman of the 19th Century'	
FBI Internship Presentation		
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Undergraduate Students - Financial Aid Deadline 3/15/09

IMPORTANT: MARCH 15, 2009 IS THE DEADLINE FOR FILING THE 2009-10 ALFRED UNIVERSITY FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION AND THE FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID (FAFSA).

If you will be an undergraduate student at AU for the 2009-10 academic year and do not have these documents, please stop by the Financial Aid Office to pick them up. We are located in Alumni Hall and are open 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday - Friday.

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Right-to-Know Training

Right-to-Know (Hazcom) training is mandatory for all employees - each year.

The next training session will be held Friday, March 6 from 2:20 - 4:10 p.m., Nevins Theater/Powell Campus Center

Don't forget to pre-register via e-mail: **cartella@alfred.edu** or **perrydr@alfred.edu** or telephone 2196 (Beth) or 3020 (Dean)

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Support Relay for Life! Buy a Luminaria!

Relay for Life representatives will be in Powell Campus Center all this week from 11 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. selling Luminarias.

Luminarias are paper bags that you can decorate in honor or in memory of someone you know that has been affected by cancer. They will be used in a special Luminaria Ceremony at the event to help us remember those fighting against cancer in our past and present.

It only costs \$5 to purchase one, and the money goes to support Relay for Life and the American Cancer Society. Stop by anytime this week and help support Relay for Life! Link: http://www.relayforlife.org/alfreduniversity

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Alfred in Florence!

We have extended the deadline for the Alfred in Florence program! There are still a few spots left, so sign up today!

Deadline to sign-up is Tuesday, MARCH 17.

Please see the attached flier for more information.

Attachment: Alfred_in_Florence_(2)3.doc

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ITS Faculty/ Staff Trainings 3/16 - 3/20

Microsoft Excel 2007 Monday 3/16, 10-11 a.m. Friday 2/20 9-10 a.m.

Microsoft Word 2007 Thursday 3/19, 10:20-11:10 a.m.

Microsoft PowerPoint 2007 Thursday 3/19, 2:20-3:10 p.m.

Multipoint Interactive Video Conferencing Friday 3/20, 1-2 p.m.

To sign up for one of these workshops, please contact Meghanne Freivald at 871.2363 or via e-mail. All trainings will be held in 306 Perlman Hall.

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Become a Tour Guide! Now hiring -- applications due Friday, March 13th!

Do you have a dynamic personality? Do you love talking about all the great things AU has to offer? Do you want to be an integral part of the recruiting process? Then apply to be a tour guide!

When we ask incoming freshmen why they chose Alfred, many say "I knew I wanted to come to AU after my campus tour - it just felt right!"

We in Admissions know that a great campus tour with an excellent tour guide is critical to our success. We will be hiring tour guides for the 2009-10 academic year.

If you are interested, please fill out the attached application and return it to the Admissions Office receptionist, Vicky, in the lobby of Alumni Hall, or e-mail the completed form to Andrea Lichtman (**Lichtman@alfred.edu**), by Friday, March 13.

This can be either a Work-Study or non-Work-Study job. We look forward to meeting you!

Faculty: Please encourage your most engaging students to apply!

Attachment: **Tour Guide Application 2009-10**

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Gaming Board

Use the Gaming Board to organize LAN parties, card games, or even sporting events. Great for X-Box (need I say Halo 2?), PS2, Dungons and Dragons, intramural sports, and computer games. Link: **Gaming Board**

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Professional Image Makeover Contest!

The Career Development Center is looking for one junior or senior from each of the colleges - Liberal Arts and Sciences, Engineering, Business, and Art & Design - to undergo a professional image makeover. You will work with the CDC to develop a unique image or "brand" as a way to present and market yourself to potential employers.

Creating a personal, professional image will help you to:

- *Differentiate yourself from others in similar fields
- *Position yourself clearly in the minds of others (especially potential employers)
- *Project credibility
- *Develop loyalty
- *Make emotional, visceral connections

This image makeover will include a clothing, resume, business card and portfolio makeover, aided by personalized wardrobe and graphic design consultations.

The image makeover will culminate in a presentation at the annual Etiquette Dinner and Professional Image Show, sponsored by Kohler Co. on March 26, 2009. There is a minimal time commitment necessary, but the experience will be a valuable one - plus you will come away with a stellar resume, portfolio, and some nice clothes! Selection will be based on a review of the application and personal statement.

Interested in applying? E-mail Kevin Jacobs (**jacobsj@alfred.edu**) with the following information by Thursday, March 5:

Name: College:

Major: Year:

Email:

One faculty reference:

Tell us (in approximately 75 words) how you would benefit from a professional image makeover:

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Concert: LeeRon Zydeco & the Hot Tamales

Thursday, March 12 at 7 p.m.

Nancy Howe Auditorium at the David A. Howe Public Library in Wellsville

This group from Buffalo plays an upbeat, spicy musical gumbo of Louisiana Zydeco, Cajun, Blues, Caribbean, Tex-Mex and New Orleans Funk.

Join us for a combination of transitional roots style with well-known classic and blues - New Orleans style!

This library-sponsored program is free and open to everyone.

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Free Tax Assistance Available

The Tax Counseling for the Elderly Program (TCE) offers free income tax assistance for low to moderate-income Allegany County senior citizens. Volunteer Counselors are trained and certified to help people who are 60 and over with federal, state and local returns. TCE is sponsored by the Allegany County Office for the Aging in conjunction with AARP and the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).

E-filing tax assistance is also available. This service assists filers in completing their tax forms and submits their applications electronically. E-filing is available at the Wellsville David A. Howe Library on Mondays from 10 a.m. to noon and 1-4 p.m. and at the Belmont Town Hall on Fridays from 9 a.m. to noon and 1-4 p.m. during February and March. Appointments are necessary and can be made by calling the Office for the Aging at 585.268.9390 or toll free 1.866.268.9390.

For more information on the program and additional tax sites and dates see attached. Attachment: Tax_Assistance_OFA.doc

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Attention Senior Citizen Artists

You've heard it said that "youth is a gift of nature, but aging is a work of art." The Office for the Aging's Senior Forum will be celebrating the art of aging. As part of the program, the Office for the Aging is looking for artists over age 60 to display their work at the Forum which will be held at the Genesee Valley Central School on April 17, 2009.

If you or someone you know is over age 60 and has art to share, please contact Kim Toot at 585.268.9390 or toll-free at 1.866.268.9390.

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Adirondack Chair Project

Stealing an idea from Hammondsport the Music on the Lawn Committee, Wellsville, has come up with an interesting way to raise funds for this season's concert series - the Adirondack Chair Project.

Students in the Busy Bee woodworking program at Keshequa Central School in Nunda have made 16

modified Adirondack chairs for MOTL. The thought is to have local artists paint scenes on the chairs or cover the chair in a theme. The chairs will then be displayed in Main Street windows during May and part of June.

At a special MOTL Event in June local auctioneer Scott Burt, who teaches the Busy Bees, is donating his talent to auction the chairs.

"We're hoping to raise a significant amount of money for MOTL. This year's series will cost over \$4,000," said Kathryn Ross chairman of MOTL and we hope businesses and the public will support us and attend the auction. "

Currently six more display sites and 12 volunteer artists are needed. Any business interested in displaying a chair from May until mid-June or any artists who would like to help support MOTL please contact Kathryn at 585.610.5343, or 585.808.3243.

Both the name of the artist and the craftsman will be displayed on each chair and in a booklet authenticating the MOTL Adirondack Chair Project will include an artist's bio and contact information along with photos of the chair, craftsman and artist.

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