

Environmental speaker to discuss advanced gasification technology

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Alfred University's Environmental Studies Speaker Series continues on Friday, Oct. 6, at 12:10 p.m. in Room 228 of the Science Center with a look at advanced gasification technology. The public is invited free of charge; refreshments will be served. The 50-minute program will feature Dr. Carlson Pian, a faculty member and chairman of the Mechanical Engineering Program in the Kazuo Inamori School of Engineering at Alfred University. Pian will discuss "The Feasibility of Using Advanced Gasification Technology for Farm-Based Bioenergy Power Production." Pian has been at Alfred University since 2000, teaching courses in the thermal sciences and carrying on research in the fields of high-temperature gasdynamics and advanced energy conversion.