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What's Happening?

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TODAY	TOMORROW	SATURDAY
12:10 Bergren Forum - Back to the Roots	3:00 AU Faculty & Staff Coffee Hour	7:30 Music Guest Artists: Back to the Roots
6:00 Crumbshot	4:30 Fish Fry Pop-Up at The Community Table	
7:00 Critical Cinema Presents: Expansive Restrictions in 16mm	7:00 Alfred University Men's Basketball- SUNY Delphi	
	Jazz Band Concert	

CHAMPION clothing sale 25% OFF @ AU Bookstore

All CHAMPION clothing is 25% OFF at the AU Bookstore now through Friday! Take advantage of the sale before going home for break! Hoods, tees, sweatpants, shorts, and more!

Link: alfred.bncollege.com

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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Faculty and Staff Bible Study

Join us for conversations about being "a light in the workplace" as we study the book of John together this semester, led by co-leaders: Jared Cooper and Mariah Evans. Thursdays at 12:10 pm in the Herrick Conference room 202!

Submitted by: Mariah Evans

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Paid Family Leave Training

This is the third training in a 9 month series targeted at any AU employee who has supervisory roles in their department. This training can also be especially helpful for any staff who support the supervisors in their department.

This training will encompass: overview of the new Paid Family Leave laws that went into effect on 1/1/18, timeline and benefits, eligibility, FAQ's, and how FMLA and PFL are different

This is also open to any AU employee who would like to know more about the new changes that are in place.

This training will be held on November 4, 2019 from 11:15am-12:00pm and on November 26, 2019 from 11:15am-12:00pm both located in the Kenyon/Allen Room in the PCC. This is the same training both days.

Attachment: [Flyer for Supervisor Training](#)

Submitted by: Kayleigh Misner

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ARGUS Proposals - Spring funding

Interested in obtaining funding for a research project?

Student proposals requesting spring 2020 funding from the Alfred Research Grants for Undergraduate Students (ARGUS) program are due by midnight Friday, November 22. Instructions for preparing and submitting a proposal and the supporting application materials can be found at the link below. Please be aware that proposals not following the required format will be returned without review.

If you have questions, email Dr. Beaudry at beaudry@alfred.edu.

Link: [ARGUS application information](#)

Submitted by: Frederic Beaudry

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RA APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE ON AU CONNECT

How To Apply

Applications are available on AU Connect!

- * Go to my.alfred.edu > Useful links > AU Connect to create an account or log in
- * <https://auconnect.alfred.edu> > Application - New Resident Assistant
- * Interest Sessions are happening next week in a hall near you! Check AU Connect or keep an eye out for posters with dates and times!
- * Group Process and Interviews will be February 8th, 2020 is. Mark your calendar as you will need to attend one of the two sessions offered this day. We ask for your preference (morning or afternoon) in the application!

Who is Eligible

To be eligible for the Resident Assistant position, you must be in good academic standing and good conduct standing. You must have attended Alfred University for a minimum of 2 academic terms (by the fall of 2020 - so current first-year students are eligible). You must be able to complete a full academic year as a Resident Assistant (Fall semester into Spring semester). Those going on Co-Op or Studying Abroad in the Fall or Spring, and those Graduating in December may not apply.

If you have any questions, comments, or concerns email Lacey Gosnell at gosnell@alfred.edu.

Link: [Applications Available Here](#)

Submitted by: Lacey Gosnell

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Matthew Underwood: Tender Buttons

Reception Date: Saturday, October 19

Time: 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Exhibition Date: October 17 - November 26

Location: Cohen Gallery, 55 N Main Street

Cost: Free

Matthew Underwood was born October 19, 1983 and died March 23, 2018.

This exhibition is a presentation of work assembled and curated by his friend Nadine Sobel (BFA 2006) and made by Matthew Underwood from 2003-2018. Matt was a prolific maker. He worked in layers, manipulating the surface whether it was print, painting, video, or ceramic working with many different materials.

The exhibition title, "tender buttons" comes from Gertrude Stein's book published in 1914, which Matthew references in his thesis book "making strange", on view in the exhibition.

Alfred was a very important place to Matt; sometimes a second home, sometimes home base.

A two time alumn, he received his BFA in the spring of 2006 and was a special student in the fall of 2006. He was an resident artist in the Institute for Electronic Arts in March and December 2008. Matt went on to receive an MFA in 2018.

Note from Nadine: "I have known Matt since 2002. We became friends in freshman foundations. I was always inspired by Matt's process and constant output. We collaborated on many pieces throughout the years."

This exhibition opens on October 19, Matt's 36th birthday.

Submitted by: SOAD Events

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Critical Cinema Presents: Expansive Restrictions in 16mm

This month during the art walk (11/21) critical cinema is pairing up with art history professor, James Hanson to put together a series of 16 mm films titled "Expansive Restrictions in 16 mm" it will be held at our normal time of 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm on Thursday, however instead of our normal location of Holmes Auditorium we will be in Nevins. If you could please include this description with the attached image it would be greatly appreciated: "This program features four 16 mm experimental films that set specific limitations on the film making process in order to activate new potentialities of the medium and its materiality."

Submitted by: SOAD Events

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Polar Plunge For Puerto Rico at Foster Lake

Yes, we are doing a plunge into Foster Lake to raise money again this year. Dr. Sluyter-Beltrao's classes are organizing this year's Polar Plunge for the H2O for Puerto Rico project! The plunge will take place on Nov 24 at 1 PM at Foster Lake. If you want to plunge or if you want to sponsor a plunger, go to this website <https://polarplungeforpue...>

Please come to Plunge or watch the plunging! There will be a campfire and hot chocolate.

All proceeds will go to the H2O for Puerto Rico project1

Link: <https://polarplungeforpuertorico2019.myevent.com>

Submitted by: Michele Hluchy

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Job Opening-Assistant Professor in Computer Science

Please see the link below for more information on the open Assistant Professor in Computer Science position.

Link: [Assistant Professor in Computer Science](#)

Submitted by: Tamara Green

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Grocery Bingo is BACK!

November 16th-24th is National Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week.

In an effort to bring awareness to how this impacts many of our students, we are hosting a Grocery Bingo! Come play bingo and win groceries! Special bingos win bigger meal items! Tuesday (11/19) and Thursday (11/21) in the Link. We only have 30 spots!!

Submitted by: Lacey Gosnell

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Get home easily and affordably this break with OurBus. Grab tickets to head home or even take a quick trip! Book now while tickets are still available and prices are still low! OurBus provides a more convenient way of traveling with access to free water, a free checked bag, and complimentary WiFi and charging on board. Book now with the OurBus app and use KATELYN2019 for \$5 off your purchase.

Link: [OurBus Tickets](#)

Attachment: [OurBus Flyer](#)

Submitted by: Katelyn Monroe

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Job Opening- A/V Technician

Please see the link below for more information on the open A/V Technician position.

Link: [http://A/V Technician](#)

Submitted by: Tamara Green

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12 INPUTS: SOP to the Phong Song

Date: Tuesday, December 3

Time: 6:00 pm

Location: McGee Pavilion Hallway; RM 205

Sponsored by: Expanded Media

Students of the Digital Drawing Course (ART 285) will share their drawings on paper & video in an exhibition in the McGee Pavilion Tuesday, December 3 at 6:00 pm. There will also be a series of performances of live generative drawing & sound both for projection and virtual reality in RM 205.

Submitted by: SOAD Events

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Holiday Concert with the AU Orchestra, Fri. Dec. 6

Friday, December 6 at 7:30 PM, the Alfred University Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Dr. Lisa Lantz, will present an Evening of Holiday Classics.

Featuring the music of LeRoy Anderson, music minor, Joseph Falvo will team up music faculty Dr. Raul Barcenes, and Christopher Lynn for Bugler's Holiday. And if you missed the Halloween Concert, Dustin Woodard will give a command performance of LeRoy Anderson's The Typewriter. An arrangement of Vivaldi's Winter by the Trans Siberian Orchestra, will show case student soloist, Aaron Vit on electric violin.

This concert is free and will be held in Miller Theater. Families are encouraged to attend.

Submitted by: Lisa Lantz

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Gonzalez-Guarin Music Duo Present Bergren Forum this Thursday, Nov. 21

"Back to the Roots" with Blanca Cecilia Gonzalez (Violin) and Nilko Andreas Guarin (Guitar), will take you on a musical journey, where you will experience a taste of Latin-American and European folk music. The duo will share their knowledge of how traditional music has been an important influence and source of inspiration throughout the years and how the folkloric element has influenced the development of classical music.

This presentation will begin at 12:10 in Nevins Theater at the Powell Campus Center.

Link: <https://www.alfred.edu/student-life/arts-events/calendar/2019/11/bergren-forum--back-to-the-roots.html>

Submitted by: Lisa Lantz

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Environmental Studies Speaker Series- Jane Johnson (AU Alum '99)

Please join us this Friday to hear our last speaker of the series Jane Johnson give a talk titled "Roger Tory Peterson: How an Artist Created a World of Naturalists". A native of Bemus Point, NY in Chautauqua County, Ms. Johnson graduated from Alfred University in 1999 with a degree in Environmental Studies. She currently lives in Jamestown, and is the Director of Exhibitions and Marketing for the Roger Tory Peterson Institute of Natural History (RTPI).

Jane has lived and worked in Philadelphia and Washington D.C., before relocating back to the Western New York area in 2014. She is a member of the Chautauqua County Visitor's Bureau Board of Directors, serving as Treasurer. Ms. Johnson is also a member of the Salvation Army Advisory Board and the Carnahan-Jackson Foundation Grants Committee in Jamestown.

Friday, Nov. 22nd
12:20-1:10pm
Roon Lecture Hall, Science Center

Light refreshments will be available.

Link: [Roger Tory Peterson](#)

Submitted by: Shannon Yocum

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AU Fresh Third Annual Food Photography Contest!

Live for food? Love photography?

Submit a photo of your favorite recipe, social dining event or simply fun with food!

Don't miss out on the opportunity to have your artwork displayed next semester in our Community Table location.

First Prize - \$100 Dining Dollars

Honorable Mentions - \$25 Dining Dollars Each

Submit high-resolution entries to williamsmz@alfred.edu by December 13, 2019.

Submitted by: Marie Williams

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Student Recital Sunday 11/24 at 4:00PM

Please join AU music students for a showcase of their talent on Sunday, November 24 at 4:00 pm in Susan Howell Hall.

Performers will include cellist, Catherine Lynch, vocalists Rajaeana Stanley, Nick Weikle, Carson Grover, Tiana Villanueva, Calliope Hoogenboom and Emma Young.

The Guzheng Ensemble (Chinese zither) will also perform.

The recital which begins at 4:00 pm(change from 3:00) will be followed by a reception.

Submitted by: Luanne Crosby

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MS/MSE Thesis Defense Andrew King

We are pleased to announce that Andrew King will defend his M.S. Materials Science and Engineering thesis entitled "Thermodynamically Controlled Replication of Nickel Foams Into Near-Equiatomic Nickel-Titanium Intermetallic Foams" on Monday, November 25 at 2:30 p.m. in Binns-Merrill Hall, room 106. Copies of Andrew's thesis are on display in the SoE Dean's Office, Binns-Merrill Hall, room 160 and in the CACT Office in McMahon Building, room 120.

Attachment: [Abstract - A. King](#)

Submitted by: Emilie Carney

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Dance Program: End of Semester Showing

Come see what Alfred University students have been working on in the AU Dance Program this semester!

The End of Semester Showing will be held Thursday, December 5 and Friday, December 6 in the CD Smith III Theater of the Miller Performing Arts Center, with each performance beginning at 6:00 pm.

The performances are free and open to the public.

The End of Semester Showing is an informal performance of the learning and growth in Alfred University's dance program. Each night will have a different line up of works that include student performances from Dance Professors Chase Angier and Colleen Wahl's dance courses, Composition 1, Fundamentals of Dance, Modern 1, and African Dance, as well as contributions from independent choreographers.

Submitted by: Colleen Wahl

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CANCELED- Environmental Studies Speaker- Jane Johnson

Fridays talk with Jane Johnson has been canceled. She has been invited to reschedule her talk in the near future.

Submitted by: Shannon Yocum

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Holiday Video - We Need Your Help

This year our University Holiday Video will be set to Deck the Halls. We need your help! On Thursday, December 5 at 3 PM join us by the Fiat Lux letters near Powell Campus Center to "decorate" one of our purple holiday trees with gold lights, have some holiday fun & star in our video!

Submitted by: Jodi Bailey

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Design/Video/Photo Requests

Do you have an upcoming print or electronic design project? Do you need a professional photo or video for your program? Be sure to give the Marketing Office enough notice so your deadlines can be met. (We request 6 weeks if possible.) Please complete our online Project Request Form so we can get your project in our project management system!

Link: [Project Request Form](#)

Submitted by: Jodi Bailey

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Bergren Forum - "Back to the Roots"

The Bergren Forum is sponsored by the Division of Human Studies, The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences and the Provost's Office, will be meeting on Thursday ,November 21 at 12:10 pm in the Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center

Musical Presentation by: Violinist, Blanca Cecilia Gonzales and Guitarist, Nilko Andreas Guarin

Blanca Cecilia Gonzalez (Violin) and Nilko Andreas Guarin (Guitar), will take you on a musical journey, where you will experience a taste of Latin-American and European folk Music. The duo will share their knowledge of how traditional music has been an important influence and source of inspiration throughout the years and how the folkloric element has influenced the development of classical music.

Submitted by: Marilyn Saxton

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Fish Fry Pop-Up at The Community Table

Join us this Friday, November 22 from 4:30 pm - 7:30 om, for our Fish Fry pop-up at The Community Table!

Menu:

Beer-Battered or Broiled Fish
Fresh Chips or Sweet Potato Fries
Cole Slaw
Broccoli
Salad
Pie
Drink

\$8.50, plus tax (Half Portion)
(Saxon Swipe, Cash, Credit, Dining Dollars, or Fiat Bux)

\$10.95, plus tax (Whole Portion)

Family Four Pack - Pre-Order Only - \$35.95, plus tax

Preorders: Email April Stuart at stuarta@alfred.edu.

The Community Table is located on the second floor of Powell Campus Center, next to the bookstore.

Submitted by: Marie Williams

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Link: [OurBus](#)

Attachment: [OurBus Flyer](#)

Submitted by: Katelyn Monroe

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