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TODAY	TOMORROW	THURSDAY
4:30 Louise Mazanti, Perkins Ceramic History Lecture	9:00 Laurel Jay Carpenter @ STUDIO Visits!	12:10 Bergren Forum - How Allegany County Came to Be
6:30 AU Man Cave!	7:00 Foreign Language Placement Exam	7:00 Swimming Dragon-style Tai Chi Class
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Louise Mazanti, Perkins Ceramic History Lecture

Louise Mazanti will present the 13th Annual Dorothy Wilson Perkins Ceramic History Lecture sponsored by the Schein-Joseph International Museum of Ceramic Art at Alfred University.

The title of her talk is "Ceramics with a Soul - Towards a Highest Standard for Ceramics."

Louise Mazanti lives in Denmark where she works as a free-lance teacher, curator and writer. She is the author of a comprehensive series of articles and catalogue contributions within the crafts. She is a former professor of craft and design theory and history at Konstfack University College of Art, Craft and Design in Stockholm, Sweden, a member of the THINK TANK - A European Initiative for the Applied Arts and exhibition reviews editor of the 'Journal of Modern Craft' at Berg Publishers, Oxford. She has held numerous honorary positions at Danish and foreign institutions and has lectured in a variety of countries. Currently she has undertaken a training program on Transpersonal Psychology at the Psychosynthesis and Education Trust, University of East London, which bridges issues of

consciousness, spirituality and human evolution, thus offering a more holistic view on art and artistic processes.

Date: Tuesday, Nov. 1

Time: 4:30 p.m.

Location: Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center

Submitted by: Susan Kowalczyk

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Laurel Jay Carpenter @STUDIO Visits!

This week we welcome Laurel Jay Carpenter to STUDIO Visits. Laurel is a performance and installation artist, investigating longing, devotion and alchemy in her durational live works.

She has exhibited extensively in New York and internationally presented work at the NMAC Foundation in southern Spain; with Wooloo Productions and the Hebbel Theatre in Berlin, Germany; and as part of the 2007 Venice Biennale. Laurel was one of only two U.S. participants in the Independent Performance Group (2004-07), founded and facilitated by Marina Abramovic.

Currently, Laurel is collaborating with Norwegian video/performance artist Terese Longva as well as serving as Associate Professor of Art at Alfred University. For more information, please see: longvacarpenter.com and laureljay.com.

Join us at 9 a.m. Wednesday in Nevins!

Link: [Studio Visits](#)

Submitted by: Michelle Illuminato

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Foreign Language Placement Exam

Wednesday, Nov. 2

114 Seidlin, 7 p.m.

Exams are given in French, German, and Spanish.

Who needs to take the Placement Exam?

-Students who have taken more than two years of a language in high school and who intend to take the same language at AU MUST take the exam.

-Students who are bilingual or native speaker of a the language they wish to take or who have spoken the language at home.

-Students do NOT need to take the exam if they did not study a language previously or if they are planning to take a different language at AU.

-Students who wish to demonstrate proficiency in another language should contact the Modern Languages Office about procedures.

Results will be posted on Banner under Test Scores but only advisers can look them up.

Please remember to bring your Student ID and a #2 pencil.

Submitted by: Michele Gaffney

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Man Cave Nov. 1 cancelled

Please note that the Nov. 1 session of the Man Cave discussion group is cancelled. We will resume the series on Tuesday, Nov. 29 at 6:30 pm.

Submitted by: Julia Overton-Healy

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Sign Up for Siblings' Weekend! Nov. 4-6

From Friday, Nov. 4 through Sunday, Nov. 6, siblings are invited to stay with their AU student. If you sign up with the Center for Student Involvement ahead of time, you and your sibling will receive free Nevins movie tickets to "The Smurfs."

Also happening that weekend are an R&B/hip hop performer, a comedian with extreme flexibility and goofiness, and a sleepover lock-in in the Knight Club with tons of games and activities.

Please register with bankern@alfred.edu if you would like your brother or sister to join you that weekend.

Submitted by: Nancy Banker

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Paper Planes

Help Middle school kids design paper planes to fly the greatest distance for prizes. Join us at 3:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 2 in the Knight Club. If you are interested contact us at CYLI@alfred.edu.

Submitted by: Christopher Romanchock

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'TableSpace' Lecture Series events open to the public

Four events in the "TableSpace" Lecture Series, to be held Nov. 8-10 on campus, are open to the public. They include:

- *Lecture by Danish artist and designer Ole Jensen, 7 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 8, Nevins Theater
- *Gallery talk by artists Ole Jensen and Mark Pharis and author Howard Risatti, 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, Nov. 9, Fosdick-Nelson Gallery, Harder Hall
- *Lecture by Howard Risatti, author of "A Theory of Craft: Function and Aesthetic Expression," at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 9, in Holmes Auditorium, Harder Hall.
- *Lecture by Mark Pharis, ceramic artist and educator, at 7 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 10, in Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center.

Link: ['TableSpace' Lecture Series](#)

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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The Art Behind Chinese Opera: Costume and Makeup

Confucius Institute is presenting an exhibition of the costume and makeup for Beijing Opera at the east wing of Herrick Library from Monday, Oct. 3 to Friday, Nov. 4.

Video on how to do makeup in Beijing Opera will be shown every Tuesday and Thursday afternoons from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m.

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Submitted by: Jing Zhu

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Walk-In Hours @ The Career Development Center

The Career Development Center will have walk-in hours from 1-4:30 p.m., Tuesdays - Thursdays, during the semester when school is in session. Stop in to see a counselor to talk about any career concerns/issues/questions that you may have.

Submitted by: Peggy Broderick

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Daylight Savings Reminder - 'Fall Back'

Remember to set your clocks back one hour on Nov. 6, 2011.

Submitted by: Cherise Haase

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TIAA-CREF Consultant on Campus

You're invited! Jason Sciotti, Individual TIAA-CREF Consultant, will be conducting one-on-one, 45-minute, individual retirement counseling sessions on Wednesday, November 30, in the Human Resources Conference Room in Greene Hall. Let him help you make financial decisions that are right for you.

To schedule an appointment with Jason, Non-Statutory employees should call TIAA-CREF at 1.877.209.3144 and Statutory employees should call 1.800.732.8353; remain on the line for assistance. If you need assistance with scheduling, please call the Human Resources Office at 607.871.2118.

Submitted by: Kim Wyant

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Foreign Movie: 'The Chorus' (2004) PG 13, French/Swiss

Tuesday, Nov. 1 at 6:45 p.m.
Nancy Howe Auditorium
David A. Howe Public Library
155 N. Main St., Wellsville
585-593-3410

Also known as "Les Choristes," a reform school for "difficult" boys has a new teacher who starts a choir, giving his charges unity and hope. Actors in this French/Swiss 2004 film include Gerard Jugnot, Francois Berleand, and Jacques Perrin. Rated PG-13.

This library-sponsored film is free and open to the general public.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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