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TODAY	TOMORROW	SATURDAY
12:10 Bergren Forum - Alexa Horochowski 3:20 Riley Lecture: Ania Bula Presents De-Valued Bodies: Sexism and Ableism in COVID Times · Kelcy Chase Folsom Gallery Talk	· #SaxonFriday	12:00 Admissions Undecided Open House

Weekend Programming

Our Last Weekend of Programming

Friday

Powell Campus Center Building Takeover - 5:00 pm to 10:00 pm.

- * Make your own fleece blanket station (while supplies last)
- * Nintendo switch station
- * Nevins theater screening (various TV shows)
- * Grab and go kit for pinch pots during the Alfred Art Walk on the 19th! (while supplies last)
- * Foosball

Saturday

Powell Campus Center Building Takeover - 7:00 pm to 10:00 pm.

- * Make your own fleece blanket station (while supplies last)
- * Nintendo switch station
- * Foo Fighters Live from the Roxy at 8pm in Nevins (link will be shared)
- * Grab and go kit for pinch pots during the Alfred Art Walk on the 19th! (while supplies last)
- * Foosball

All events subject to change!

Link: [Weekend Programming](#)

Submitted by: Eliza Ordway

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Payroll for Thanksgiving Week

On the payroll schedule, it is published, that we will be paying all employees on 11/27/2020, however, this pay-day will be moved up to 11/25/2020 to accommodate the holiday per our policy.

It should be noted that payroll processing will be moved up due to the 11/25 pay-date. The electronic timesheet deadlines will remain in place, employees will submit their electronic timesheets by Monday 11/16 at noon and the Supervisors will have until Tuesday 11/17 at noon to approve it. Supervisors are encouraged to approve on Monday if they can.

All paper timesheets that may need to be turned in will need to be received by Wednesday 11/18 by 4:00pm, paper timesheets can be submitted to payroll@alfred.edu from the Supervisor for processing.

Any questions, please reach out to payroll@alfred.edu

Link: [Payroll Schedule](#)

Submitted by: Kayleigh Jones

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Need to Order Business Cards or Stationery?

Order your business cards and stationery quickly and easily through our online Virtual Storefront. You can find the link along with the username and password on my.alfred under Resources; Faculty/Staff; Misc and in the left-hand navigation on the Marketing/Communication page.

Link: [Office of Marketing & Communication](#)

Submitted by: Jodi Bailey

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Flu Shot Available at the Alfred Pharmacy

The Alfred Pharmacy has flu shots available! Please remember to bring your insurance card. If you

have any questions, please give them a call: (877) 744-8823.

Submitted by: Amanda Khodorkovskaya

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Limited Supply of Flu Shots Available at the Wellness Center

The Wellness Center only has 19 flu shots remaining if you are interested in getting your flu shot before the semester is over. The flu shot costs \$15.00 and will be charged to your student account. Please call 607-871-2400 to schedule an appointment.

Submitted by: Amanda Khodorkovskaya

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Bergren Forum - Alexa Horochowski

This Fall the Bergren Forum will continue for its 51st year, but with a reduced schedule. There will be a forum every two weeks, and all presentations will be online via Zoom. A zoom invitation to each forum can be obtained during the week it is scheduled by e-mailing Marilyn Saxton at saxtonmj@alfred.edu. The forums will take place at the usual time on Thursdays from 12:10 to 1:00. They will also be recorded, and made available on the Bergen Forum youtube channel. Tea and coffee will be available as usual, but you'll have to make it yourself.

Speaker: Alexa Horochowski, Prof. of Fine Arts at Saint Cloud State University in Minnesota and was Visiting Prof. of Sculpture at AU in 2019-20.

Title: Material Investigations in the Anthropocene

Date: November 12th

"Chance encounters with various materials, natural or man-made, often provide a starting point for my work in sculpture and video. Attentive to the ramifications of climate change, I aspire to questions the sustainability of a consumer society that exacerbates inequality and degrades the environment. Through this lens, human-kind and its impact on the earth can be viewed as yet another natural force, creating and unleashing materials and substances that are moved around the globe by the jet stream, ocean currents or even industrial systems heedless of how we might define a landscape as urban or rural, developed or undeveloped."

Submitted by: Marilyn Saxton

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In Through the Out Door: MFA Alumni 2020

In Through the Out Door: MFA Alumni 2020 is an exhibition featuring artwork by 2020 graduates from the School of Art and Design's Master of Fine Arts program. It is being shown in the Fosdick-Nelson Gallery and Robert C. Turner Gallery.

The event gives the public a chance to see artwork from last spring's MFA Thesis Exhibition in person. Due to COVID-19, the popular MFA thesis shows were moved to a virtual, online format. Once the Fall 2020 semester reopening plans were announced by the University, the galleries invited the MFA class of 2020 to a group exhibition across two large professional exhibition spaces.

The exhibition highlights the work of the 16 recent alumni. The artists include: Chris Alvashere,

Francesco Gattuso, Lauren Havel, Teisha Holloway, Sam Horowitz, Jing Huang, Taylor Keister, Ara Koh, Haley Nannig, Leslie Rollins, Jamie Rose, Edward Salas, Josh Schutz, Kirstin Willders, ChengOu Yu, and Qinxuan Zhang.

Exhibition hours are:

Turner Gallery: Wednesday-Friday, 11 a.m.-5 p.m., and Saturday, 1-5 p.m.

Fosdick-Nelson Gallery: 11 a.m.-4 p.m. weekdays and 1-3 p.m. weekends

Admission is free. The exhibition opens Friday, Oct. 30, and remains on view through Nov. 20.

Submitted by: Mark Whitehouse

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Get to know the CDO

Dr. Brian Saltsman, the newly appointed interim Chief Diversity Officer is hosting bi-weekly open chats and meetings to hear from the campus community about issues of Diversity, Inclusion, and Equity. This is an opportunity to speak with him and to hear concerns. The meetings will occur over zoom as we are currently observing social distancing and health protocols.

Meetings will occur on the following Thursdays

November 5th (11:00am - Noon)

November 19th (11:00 am - 1:00 pm)

Dr. Saltsman is also willing to speak with other groups or individuals additionally at other times. Please feel free to reach out at saltsman@alfred.edu.

Link: [Get to Know the CDO Zoom Link](#)

Submitted by: Brian Saltsman

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AU Land Acknowledgement Statement

Thanks to the work of Laurie Lounsberry Meehan and Brian Saltsman, in collaboration and consultation with the Seneca Nation of Indians (SNI), Alfred University has adopted a land acknowledgement statement for use and distribution at the University. The statement represents a recognition of the place of the institution within the region and its location on First Nation land. The attached statements have been branded and formatted for Alfred University in accordance with our style guide.

As a reminder November is Native American/First Nation Heritage And Appreciation Month. These statements are just one way that the University strives to recognize and appreciate the contributions and sacrifices that members of First Nations have made in American society. The Institute for Cultural Unity and other entities on campus will also celebrate and commemorate First Nation and Native Peoples in various ways throughout November.

Attachment: [Alfred University Land Acknowledgement Statement](#)

Submitted by: Brian Saltsman

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Students: MUSIC Courses and Lessons are available for the Spring

MUSIC Courses and Private Lessons available to ALL Students

Continue to study your instrument or voice- OR try something new: Private Lessons available to ALL Students from Beginners to Advanced:

Guitar, Mandolin, Piano, Strings, Winds, Brass, Percussion, Voice and the Chinese Guzheng

Courses with No prerequisites and most fulfill certain Gen Ed requirements for your college:

MUSC 110 Music Appreciation- online

MUSC 120 Fundamentals of Music & Technology [basic music theory]

MUSC 215 History of Rock Music

MUSC 226 Music History: Romantic Era to 20th C.
hybrid online and F2F

MUSC 132 Beginning Voice Class

MUSC 133 Music of the Guzheng

PreReq. or by permission offerings:

MUSC 220 Theory II

MUSC 131 Class Piano II - online- keyboards provided

Ensembles are Free Overload credits

Open to All Students- no auditions

MUSC 272 Chamber Singers

MUSC 273 Concert Band

MUSC 274 Jazz Ensemble

MUSC 275 Symphony Orchestra

MUSC 279 Chamber Music

Guzheng Ensemble- instruments available

NO Auditions and Instruments are available- Contact Raul Barcenos: Barcenos@alfred.edu

Lisa Lantz: Lantz@alfred.edu

Submitted by: Lisa Lantz

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New RA Applications are LIVE!

New RA Applications are available through Human Resources (click the link below). We've changed things up this year to better prepare our students for real-world job applications. The use of the Career Development Center is highly encouraged!

You will be scheduled for an interview early spring semester. Hires will be announced once all applicants have been interviewed, usually around the first week of March 2021. Email Lacey Gosnell at gosnell@alfred.edu if you have questions!

Link: [New RA Application](#)

Submitted by: Lacey Gosnell

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BFA Thesis Exhibition

Each year, candidates of the Bachelor of Fine Art (BFA) and Master of Fine Art (MFA) degrees showcase their work in a series of culminating thesis exhibitions. We highly value our students' achievements and they deserve to be showcased. Exhibitions can be viewed online and in person in the Harder Hall Lobby from Nov 20 - 24.

Link: [Alfred University Event](#)

Submitted by: Arts Events

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Student Sick Time

To: Students & Supervisors of Student Workers

Students, you will see a sick leave option on your timesheet, this is because you have started accruing sick time. However, the New York State Paid Sick Leave laws do not go into effect until 1/1/2021. You may not use this sick leave until January of 2021.

Please be on the lookout for future updates of the policies and procedures for this new law. Once HR has these posted a notice will go out to all students.

If you have any questions, please email humanresources@alfred.edu

Submitted by: Kayleigh Jones

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Riley Lecture Series: Ania Bula

As part of the Riley Lecture Series, Ms. Ania Bula will share personal stories that relate to gender, ability, and institutional discrimination, and connect them to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic on Thursday, November 13th at 3:20 pm via Zoom <https://tinyurl.com/AniaB...>

Link: <https://tinyurl.com/AniaBula>

Submitted by: Deb Ohara

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Dissertation Defense in School Psychology

Doctoral Candidate Kim Thurston will publicly defend her doctoral dissertation on Monday, November 16th at 1pm.

Title: VALIDATION OF THE SCHOOL PRINCIPALS' SERVANT LEADERSHIP BEHAVIORS SCALE WITH A POPULATION FROM THE UNITED STATES

The public is invited to attend. Please email burcha@alfred.edu for the zoom invitation.

Submitted by: Andrea Burch

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Submitted by: Lisa Lantz

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Cap & Gown Ordering- December Graduates

December graduates can order regalia (cap & Gown) now if you choose. You can order online and ship it to yourself. Please *Regalia ordered online is non-returnable.*

NOTE: There is NOT a December graduation ceremony, this is only for individuals who want to own regalia now.

Link: <http://alfreduniversity.shopoakhalli.com>

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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Alfred Community Survey

Presented by ACES: Alfred Committee on Equity and Safety

We invite every member of the Alfred Community to share their perspectives of life in Alfred. We encourage students, residents, employees, business owners, landlords, tenants and regular visitors to Alfred to join the conversation.

Responses will be used in conjunction with the Village's completion of the New York State Police Reform and Reinvention Collaborative Executive Order and to improve safety and policing practices, and quality of life in Alfred. Thank you for sharing your experience with us.

Please complete the survey by December 20, 2020 via QR code, link on the Village website, or if you prefer to submit a paper copy, contact info@alfredny.org to pick up and submit at the Village Hall.

ACES is a collection of individuals comprised from the various constituencies that make up the Town and Village of Alfred including representatives from: the faculty, staff and student bodies at Alfred State College and Alfred University; Alfred Police Department, Alfred State College University Police, Alfred University Public Safety, Alfred Village Board, Town of Alfred, A.E. Crandall Hook and Ladder Company, business owners and community members. The purpose of this group is to serve the entire community.

We work together to review policy, make recommendations to propose new or enhanced policy based upon available information, facilitate and develop meaningful collaborations and dialogues within the community, and present actionable opportunities to our community. We have and will continue to work within our shared and unique spheres of influence to gather relevant information to inform our work. Our goal is collaborative in scope and is focused on the development of transformative opportunities and actionable change with social justice, equity, accountability, and community development and improvement at its core for the benefit of our entire community.

We feel it is important to work as one body to address the concerns of students and community members alike.

Link: [Alfred Community Survey](#)

Submitted by: Caitlin Brown

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