Noted scholar to deliver Sibley Lecture

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Dr. Paul Guyer, the Florence R.C. Murray Professor in the Humanities at the University of Pennsylvania, will deliver the annual Sibley Lecture at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 24, in Susan Howell Hall on the Alfred University campus. His topic is The Ethical Value of Aesthetic Experience: Some 18th Century Models."His talk will be open to the public free of charge. Guyer is the general co-editor of the newly published, 15-volume Cambridge Edition of the Works of Immanuel Kant. Within that series, he edited and co-translated sections of "Critique of Pure Reason" and "Critique of the Power of Judgment."He is the author of four books, including Kant and the Claims of Taste and Kant on Freedom, Law and Happiness. In addition, he has edited several anthologies and has published more than 100 articles, primarily on aesthetics and the philosophy of Kant. The Sibley Lecture series was established in the memory of Myron Sibley, the first professor of philosophy hired by Alfred University. Sibley taught at Alfred for more than 30 years, and was highly regarded as a professor and member of the community. The Sibley Lecture, sponsored by the Division of Human Studies, which Sibley helped to organize, annually brings to campus a renowned scholar. Guyer's appearance at AU is supported, in part, by a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities.