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TODAY	TOMORROW	THURSDAY
4:00 Women's Tennis at Houghton College	12:10 Faculty & Staff Bible Study (Students also welcome)	12:10 BERGREN FORUM - "The Interstellar Scout"
5:00 The Community Table Cooking Class: Make the Perfect Wrap with Chef Heidi	6:00 Women's Soccer at Buffalo State	4:30 Lecture by Dr. Hongxia Zhang ♦ ??Body of Desires: Beneath Porcelain Skin
7:00 Women's Volleyball at SUNY Geneseo	7:30 Theater Production Men on Boats	5:00 Theodore Randall Chair Visiting Artist Presentation: Alejandro Almanza Pereda
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		· Engineering Career Fair

2019-20 Tuition Exchange Application Deadline is October 22, 2018

Faculty and Staff - the Tuition Exchange Export Application deadline is October 22, 2018. If your child is planning to begin college (or transfer to another college) next year, 2019-20, you may wish to explore the schools participating in the Tuition Exchange (TE) Program. RENEWAL TE Export

applications are also subject to the deadline of October 22, 2018.

Please read the attached TE Information Memo for application procedures and details on the program. Two application forms are required; specifically, the AU TE Export Application and the AU Human Resource (HR) TR/TE form (links and attachments, herewith).

Link: [AU HR TR/TE Application](#)

Attachment: [TE 2019-20 TE Export Community Memo](#)

Attachment: [TE Export App and General Instructions](#)

Submitted by: Catherine Schnurle

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*****Resume Days*****

The Career Development Center will be holding Resume Days on Tuesday, October 2 and Wednesday, October 3 from 9:00 am - 4:00 pm. This event, is for those students that already have resumes and need them critiqued or need suggestions in preparation for the upcoming career fair. Please bring your resume already printed out for review.

Resume paper will be available at the front desk on these days. For those students that do not have a resume and need help creating one, please make an appointment with a career counselor prior to these dates. You may make an appointment on Handshake or stop into the CDC located in the Steinheim Castle.

For questions about Resume Days, contact the CDC at 607-871-2164 or email cdc@alfred.edu.

Submitted by: Valerie Daciw

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Lecture by Dr. Hongxia Zhang ♦ Body of Desires: Beneath Porcelain Skin

Date of Event: October 4, 2018

Time of Event: 4:30pm

Location of Event: Binns-Merrill 106C

Cost: Free

Sponsored by: Art History Division

This lecture will explore expression in porcelain of the human body within the larger contexts of contemporary Chinese ceramic art. In particular, it will analyze how this art concerns desire and the contemplation of existential states. A professor at the College of Arts of Chongqing University, since November 2017 Dr. Zhang has been a Visiting Researcher at Alfred as a recipient of a research grant from the Ministry of Education of the People's Republic of China. After receiving master's degrees from Zhongnan University of Economics and Law and the Jingdezhen Ceramic Institute, in 2012 she received a doctorate degree from the Chinese National Academy of Arts. Dr. Zhang's scholarship centers on modern and contemporary ceramics history and theory.

Submitted by: SOAD Events

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FEMA to send 'Presidential Alert' to cell phones at 2:18 p.m. Oct. 3

The Federal Emergency Management Agency will test a new national emergency warning system by sending an alert to all cellphones at 2:18 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 3. According to FEMA, the messages will bear the headline "Presidential Alert." Phones will make a loud tone and have a special vibration, said FEMA, which will send the alert.

The test message, scheduled for 2:18 p.m. EDT on Wednesday, will read: "THIS IS A TEST of the National Wireless Emergency Alert System. No action is needed."

Radio and television stations will air an alert two minutes after the cellphone alert.

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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International Folk Dancing

Tuesday nights, 8:30 pm - 10:30 pm, in the Knight Club, PCC. We learn and enjoy dances from around the world. No experience necessary, we welcome beginners!

Link: [Alfred University International Folk Dancing](#)

Submitted by: Otto Muller

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Alfred Art Walk

Date: Thursday, October 18
Time: 5:00 - 8:00 pm
Location: Alfred, NY
Cost: Free
Sponsored by: Alfred Ceramic Art Museum

Alfred Art Walk is a collaborative monthly venture created by the galleries in the Village of Alfred and on the campuses of Alfred University and Alfred State College in an effort to foster dialogue within the local arts communities. Our goal is to support local artists and galleries and to highlight Alfred as the arts destination it truly is.

Alfred Art Walk is open to anyone in the Alfred area who would like to participate. Have an event for Art Walk? Contact us! Submit.alfredartwalk@gmail.com alfredartwalk.org

Link: <http://www.alfredartwalk.org/>

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Artist In Residence Eric Souther

Dates: Monday, October 1 - Saturday, October 5

Sponsored by: NYSCA and The Institute for Electronic Arts

Eric Souther is a video and new media artist whom draws from a multiplicity of disciplines, including anthropology, linguistics, religion and critical theory. These investigations coalesce into works where ritual, materials, and technological assemblages form emergent systems. Work made with these systems arise from the dialog between myself and the codes that constitute our world. He looks for new ways of seeing beyond the seductive qualities of an image to find unseen pathways that help us understand our digital and non-digital existence. His work takes many pathways, which includes single channel video, interactive installation, projection mapping, and audiovisual performance. His work has been featured nationally and internationally at venues such as the Museum of Art and Design, NYC, Everson Museum of Art, Syracuse, NY and the Museum of Art, zhangzhou, China. His work has been screened in The Athens Digital Arts Festival, Athens, Greece, Cronosfera Festival, Alessandria, Italy, the Galerija 12 New Media Hub, Belgrade, Serbia, and the Simultan Festival, Timisoara, Romania. In 2016, Eric won the Juried Award for Time-Based at the international art competition ArtPrize. He received his M.F.A. in Electronic Integrated Arts from Alfred University and is currently an Associate Professor of New Media at Indiana University South Bend.

Submitted by: SOAD Events

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Artist In Residence Monica Duncan

Dates: October 8 - 12, 2018

Location: Alfred University

Sponsored by: NYSCA and The Institute for Electronic Arts

Monica Duncan grew up in Webster, NY-around the apple orchards along Lake Ontario, the industry of Kodak and the tales of the Rochester Rappings. Her time-based work investigates the nature of visual and temporal perception through camouflage, stillness and the surrogate body. Duncan's work has been exhibited at Mousonturm, Frankfurt, The Kitchen, New York City, Parkhaus Projects, Berlin, La Casa Encendida, Madrid, 11th LA Freewaves Festival, Los Angeles, BS1 Contemporary Art, Beijing, ZKM Karlsruhe, LACMA, Los Angeles, and Marcia Wood Gallery, Atlanta. She has attended residencies at the Experimental Television Center and has been a Visiting Artist at Atlanta College of Art. Duncan received her BFA at NYSCC at Alfred University and MFA from the University of California San Diego. She is currently on a D.A.A.D. fellowship to study choreography and performance at the Institute for Applied Theater Studies, Justus-Liebig-Universität Gießen, Germany.

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Artist In Residence Alison Nguyen

Dates: October 15 - 19, 2018

Location: Alfred University

Sponsored by: NYSCA and The Institute for Electronic Arts

Alison Nguyen is a New York-based artist working in film, video, photography, and installation. She uses these forms to raise questions about the circulation of images and the cultural surrounding. Often integrating re-appropriated footage from mass media, Nguyen investigates systems of control found within the visual codes of this material. Alison Nguyen (b. 1986) graduated from Brown University with a B.A. in Literary Arts. Selected screenings and exhibitions include: The Whitney Museum (in collaboration with expanded cinema group, Optipus), Palace Film Festival, The Manhattan Independent Film Festival, Satellite Miami, and BOSI Contemporary. She has received awards and residencies from NYSCA, Vermont Studio Center, Flux Factory, The Santa Fe Photographic Workshops, and Brown University.

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AU's Spanish Culture & Conversation Club, El cafecito

Please join AU's Spanish Culture & Conversation Club, El cafecito, Tuesdays this Fall.

Practice your Spanish speaking skills in a fun, relaxed environment while enjoying a variety of cultural activities.

Where: AU Language House 12 Park Street (across from the Saxon Inn)

When: Tuesdays 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Who: Beginner to Advanced Spanish speakers: Everyone is welcome!

Submitted by: Janet McClain

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Student Organizations Email Account Renewal

Each fall Student Organizations and Clubs need to update their email accounts with the current year's information by completing the online application at the following link: <https://my.alfred.edu/aut...>

Student Organization Leaders and Advisers please note that if you have not taken the steps to complete this process by the end of September the student organization email account will expire.

If you need additional assistance with this process, please contact the ITS Helpdesk at 607.871.2222 or by email at helpdesk@alfred.edu.

Link: [Student Organization Email Account Application](#)

Submitted by: Karen Grice

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Theodore Randall Chair Visiting Artist Presentation

Theodore Randall Chair Visiting Artist Presentation: Alejandro Almanza Pereda

Date: Thursday, October 4

Time: 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Location: Holmes Auditorium

Cost: Free

Sponsored by: Division of Foundations

The Division of Foundations is pleased to present Alejandro Almanza Pereda who is the Theodore Randall International Chair Artist for the fall semester of 2018. Alejandro will be sharing recent studio research and upcoming projects.

Submitted by: SOAD Events

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Jazz HR (Electronic Recruitment System)

Human Resources is pleased to announce that we are going electronic with our recruitment process. We have collaborated with Jazz HR to bring us an electronic application and applicant tracking system that will be user friendly and more efficient than our current processes.

- *Applicants will be able to apply directly online for open jobs at Alfred University.
- *We will be able to place job postings electronically to reach the best candidates for our openings
- *The website will send them automated acknowledgements for their application and can assist in scheduling interviews, etc.
- *Managers, Supervisors, Directors will be able to communicate with the candidate directly through the website
- *The system will ask and track EEO Compliance Questions for all positions

Employees, who are in charge of hiring for their departments will be receiving an email from noreply@jazz.co in the near future. Please do not delete that email, please follow the prompts to set up your account with the system.

Once Human Resources has the system completely set up we will be announcing training dates and roll out dates of when we will go live with the system.

Questions, please contact, Kayleigh Misner.

Submitted by: Kayleigh Misner

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*******2018 Engineering Career Fair *******

The 2018 Engineering Career Fair is coming soon! The fair will be held in the Joyce Walton Center (McLane Annex) on Thursday, October 4 from 12:00 pm - 3:00 pm. Representatives from a wide variety of companies and government agencies from around the country attend this fair to recruit Alfred University students for co-op, internship, and entry-level full-time positions. Make sure to attend in order to see what opportunities are available.

Thank you to our Corporate Sponsors: Owens- Illinois, Kohler, Corning, Samtec, Unifrax & The Collegiate, NSG Group

A few companies that have already registered are:

Kohler Company
Simmers Crane Design & Services
Unifrax I LLC
NYS Department of Transportation
Mercury Aircraft Inc
ISEC, Incorporated
Consolidated Precision Products Corp
HarbisonWalker International
Ferro Corporation
Corning Incorporated
Saint-Gobain Abrasives - US & Canada
Zampell Refractories
IDEX Corporation
United States Marine Corps Officer Programs
Owens Corning
Owens-Illinois, Inc.
Vitro
CertainTeed Corporation
Otis Eastern Service, LLC
Dal-Tile Corporation
BorgWarner
ARVOS Group - Ljungstrom Division
Napoleon Engineering Services
Knowles

Kennedy Valve
Blasch Precision Ceramics
Inscape
NSG
National Grid
Refractory Sales & Service
Saint-Gobain
Hitchiner Manufacturing
Rochester Precision Optics
Alstom
Washington Mills
United Parcel Service (UPS)
Monofrax LLC
Zircoa, Inc.
Ardagh Group
Heany Industries, Inc.
United Precious Metals Refining Inc.
Alcoa Corporation
AVX Corporation
Oxbo International
Anchor Glass Container

Submitted by: Valerie Daciw

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October Years of Service Recognition

The Employee Recognition Committee would like to announce Years of Service dates for the month of October 2018. The Committee will be observing years 1, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, and 50.

At Alfred University, we realize that our employees are our greatest asset, and we are delighted to honor your dedicated service and commitment to this organization. It is our employees who uphold our principles, demonstrate our vision of working for a better future for our University, deliver on our customer promise and make us the passionate organization we are today.

The success of our organization is a direct result of your efforts and dedication. Your commitment to quality and personal and professional integrity is the differentiating factor that sets us apart from our competition.

On behalf of Alfred University, it is with great pride and admiration that we congratulate you on this service anniversary milestone.

Celebrating 1 Year of Service:

October 2- Megan Thomas- Info Specialist/Phone-A-Thon- University Advancement
October 2- Jacob Yale- Director- Admissions
October 9- Mark Riordan- Exec Director- University Advancement
October 9- Erin McGaffigan- Head Women's Lacrosse Coach- Athletics
October 9- Brandon Harrison- Sports Information Director- Athletics
October 16- Kimberly Morisseau- Financial Aid Specialist- Financial Aid
October 23- Marge McEnroe- Payroll Associate- Human Resources

Celebrating 5 Years of Service:

October 21- Amanda Khodorkovskaya- Health & Wellness Coordinator- The Wellness Center

Celebrating 10 Years of Service:

October 1- Gayle Gebhard- Admin Asst. Dean of Students- Student Affairs
October 13- Sara Love- Asst Director- Admissions

Celebrating 15 Years of Service:

October 8- Jen Guarasci- Secretary- Office of Communications
October 15- Elizabeth Niles- Secretary- Center for Academic Success

Celebrating 20 Years of Service:

October 9- David Chamberlain- Grounds/Landscaper- Maintenance

October 12- Carol Sliski- Secretary - Student Services

Submitted by: Kayleigh Misner

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Environmental Studies Speaker- George McGraw

Join us on Friday, October 5 to hear George McGraw give a talk on "Meet the Americans Who Still Don't Have Clean, Running Water".

George McGraw runs DigDeep in Los Angeles, which he founded. DigDeep is the only global water organization working in the U.S. -- empowering the millions of Americans without running water or basic plumbing to build and manage their own water systems, including the award-winning Navajo Water Project.

George is an avid speaker, writer and university lecturer. He has been published by the New York Times, the Nation and several law reviews; he has been profiled by NPR, Vice and CBS News, and he has spoken at events hosted by the Clinton Foundation, WeDay, the World YMCA, and Ford. George was recently named one of the 17 "Local Globalists" by the UN Foundation and is a member of Nexus. He has a master's degree in International Law and Conflict Management from the United Nations University for Peace in Costa Rica.

Friday, October 5
Room Lecture Hall- Science Center
12:20 pm - 1:10 pm

Light refreshments will be served
Everyone is welcome to attend

Submitted by: Shannon Yocum

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Academic Speed Dating Event

The College of Liberal Arts & Sciences is hosting an Academic Speed Dating Event on Thursday, October 18 from 6:00 pm - 8:30 pm in the Knight Club. The goal of the event is to help expose our students to the vast array of majors/minors/resources available to them as they look to discover a field of study that they are passionate about! We especially would like students who have yet to declare a major or are looking to find a minor to attend this event. Participants will go on 5-minute speed dates with up to 18 different academic fields within the 90 minutes allotted for the event. Light refreshments will be provided. To RSVP simply email YES to cooperj@alfred.edu by Friday, October 12. Slots are filling up fast so don't wait!

Attachment: [Academic Speed Dating Poster](#)

Submitted by: Jared Cooper

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