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Water Off in Science Center Today

The water will be off in the Science Center all day today, Monday, June 1, for repairs. Sorry for any inconvenience.

Physical Plant

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Art & Design Leadership

This is really an announcement of both farewell and welcome. We say farewell and best wishes to Leslie Bellavance as she begins her new appointment as president of Kendall College of Art and Design and vice president of Ferris State University in Grand Rapids, MI. Leslie has provided professional and imaginative leadership to AU's School of Art and Design, and we know she will do likewise at Kendall. Leslie's last day at AU is Friday, May 29, 2015.

We also say welcome to a dear friend and colleague, as Gerar Edizel has agreed to serve as interim dean for AU's School of Art and Design. Dr. Edizel begins his service June 1, 2015.

Gerar's many years of service to AU have prepared him for this moment of new responsibility and we all look forward to working together in the months to come.

Submitted by: Cheryl Monroe

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IEA Visiting Artist: Scott McCarney

Date: June 1-5

Location: The Institute for Electronic Arts at the School of Art and Design, College of Ceramics

Cost to Attend: Free

Sponsored by: The Institute for Electronic Arts and the Division of Expanded Media

Scott McCarney, of Rochester will be participating in the artist-in-residence program of the Institute for Electronic Arts over the week of June 1. A graduate of SUNY Buffalo, McCarney combines his background in photography and design along with his love for the corporeality of craft and the philosophic possibilities of sculpture into his bookworks, an art making practice he has been following since 1980.

During his residency, McCarney intends to revisit his early experiments with the "play of light" on folded paper in book form. Using the IEA's laser cutter, pages with text and image would be turned into patterns that animate as the pages of the book are turned. This system creates activity on both the recto and verso of a singular leaf, creating the opportunity for imagery to pass through pages rather than emerging from them.

The goal is to create a book that, in essence, reads itself like a perpetual motion analogue-information machine. The is the possibility that these book would only be able to be read once, as the process of turning the pages may destroy the book as one progresses through it, creating books that are ephemeral instead of archival.

More information and Scott's work can be found on his website: http://scottmccarneyvisua....

The Institute for Electronic Art's Visiting Artist Program is sponsored in part by the NYS Council on the Arts with the support of Gov. Andrew Cuomo and the NYS Legislature.

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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TIAA-CREF Consultant on Campus

Sign up today. A TIAA-CREF consultant will be conducting one-on-one, 45-minute, individual retirement counseling sessions on Thursday, June 11 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, Non-Statutory employees should call TIAA-CREF at 1.877.209.3144 and Statutory employees should call TIAA-CREF at 1.800.732.8353; remain on the line for assistance.

Submitted by: Kim Wyant

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