

Art history professor to speak at Feb. 3 Bergren Forum

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Dr. Margaret Goehring, visiting assistant professor of Art History at Alfred University, will present the Feb. 3 Bergen Forum at Alfred University. Her talk is scheduled for 12:10 pm in the Nevins Theatre, Powell Campus Center, on the AU campus. Dr. Goehring's talk will be titled "Cloth of Gold and Power: Textiles and meaning in Northern Renaissance Art." Dr. Goehring studied art history at Oberlin College (BA) and Williams College (MA) and received her Ph.D. in art history from Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland, OH in 2000. She is currently continuing research on the subject of her dissertation topic, which concerned the development of landscape painting in late medieval Northern European manuscript illumination. Dr. Goehring will also be working on a study of the "Master of the Older Prayerbook of Maximilian I" a prolific artist of the so-called 'Ghent-Bruges' school of manuscript illumination that dominated manuscript production in late medieval Europe. Alfred University's Division of Human Studies sponsors the Bergen Forum series, held at 12:10 p.m. each Thursday while classes are in session. The Forums are held in Powell Campus Center's Nevins Theatre. Bringing your own bag lunch is encouraged, and tea and coffee will be provided. These forums are open to the public and are free of charge.