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TODAY	TOMORROW	THURSDAY
12:00 Walk for the Walker Book Fund	3:00 Softball vs. RIT	12:10 Bergren Forum - Stacy Bender
12:10 Open Meeting on ITS and Q&A Re: ModernThink Employee Survey	4:00 Men's lacrosse vs. Houghton	3:00 Interdisciplinary Art's Spring Exhibition !
4:00 Men's tennis vs. St. John Fisher	4:30 Interdisciplinary Arts's Spring Exhibition !	4:00 Men's tennis at Ithaca
4:30 Design Disruptors Film Screening	Interdisciplinary Art's Spring Exhibition !	Men's tennis at Ithaca
6:00 Speakers from Planned Parenthood	5:15 Yoga Class	
8:00 \$2 Tuesday Movie Trips	7:00 Women's lacrosse vs. Houghton	
8:30 International Folk Dancing		

Zupan: Alfred University helps the dream come true

In an opinion piece published in the Sunday edition of the Democrat and Chronicle, and in an expanded version on-line, Alfred University President Mark Zupan writes about the role private colleges and universities, including Alfred University, have in making higher education possible for those with modest family incomes.

Link: [Read the op-ed.](#)

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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Athletics Department conducting bone marrow drive

The athletic department led by the football program will be hosting a bone marrow drive registration this Wednesday, April 26. The registration will take place from 11am to 2 pm in the Knight Club in Powell. We are asking all students, faculty & staff and community members to strongly consider registering. It requires nothing more than signing some forms and swiping a Q-Tip swab in your mouth. That simple task could literally save someone's life who is suffering from different forms of Blood Cancer, like Leukemia. We have set a goal of trying to get 300 registrations across campus. All registrants must be between 18-44 years old. We will provide fresh popcorn and bottled water for anyone that stops by. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Bob Rankl
Head Football Coach
Alfred University

#AUSaxonFootball
AU Football Facebook

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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Student Campus Climate Survey - Reminder

Due to some technical problems, the original survey may not have been delivered to all students and has been resent. Until April 28th, every Alfred University student will be given the opportunity to participate in this year's Campus Climate Survey on Sexual Assault and Sexual Misconduct. The primary goal of the survey is to provide our community with information to inform policies to prevent and respond to sexual assault and misconduct. The survey was designed to assess the incidence, prevalence and characteristics of incidents of sexual assault and misconduct. It also assesses the overall climate of the campus with respect to perceptions of risk, knowledge of resources available to victims and perceived reactions to an incident of sexual assault or misconduct. We hope everyone will take 15 minutes and provide your feedback.

Submitted by: Norm Pollard

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Design Disruptors Film Screening

Tuesday April 25, 2017, 4:30pm

Holmes Auditorium

Cost: Free

Sponsored by: Jason Green

THE FUTURE OF BUSINESS IS BEING WRITTEN BY COMPANIES AND PRODUCTS THAT-INTENTIONALLY OR NOT- SHAKE BILLION DOLLAR INDUSTRIES. IN DESIGN DISRUPTORS, ENTER THE WORLD OF 15+ INDUSTRY-TOPPLING COMPANIES-VALUED AT MORE THAN \$1 TRILLION DOLLARS COMBINED-WITH ONE UNIFYING SECRET ADVANTAGE: THE TRANSFORMATIVE POWER OF DESIGN.

DESIGN DISRUPTORS REVEALS A NEVER-BEFORE-SEEN PERSPECTIVE ON THE DESIGN APPROACHES OF THESE COMPANIES AND HOW THEY ARE OVERTAKING BILLION DOLLAR INDUSTRIES THROUGH DESIGN

Film Trailers are available @ <https://www.designdisrupt...>

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Break the Silence! 5K Color Run/Walk

Saturday April 29th
Registration opens at 9:00 AM
Run/Walk begins at 10:00 AM

Entry Fee:
\$5.00 for students (K-College)
\$15.00 for community members

Pre-register by April 12th to be guaranteed a T-shirt at: <https://commerce.cashnet...>

Break the Silence! 5K Color Run/Walk is approximately 3.1 miles and will begin and end at the Alfred Village Bandstand. You will experience hills and inclines during the event. The route will be clearly marked and there will be water stations along the way.

This event is being held to raise awareness about sexual violence. The proceeds will go to Cattaraugus Community Action's Victim Services Division. It's On Us to make a difference and to Break the Silence. Participate at your own pace and help us move towards change!

Link: <https://commerce.cashnet.com/AUPAY?CNAME=WILD>

Submitted by: Amanda Khodorkovskaya

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Student Recital in Howell this Saturday

On Saturday, April 29, at 3 pm, students will perform in Howell Hall. Opening the program will be a cello trio, comprised of Theresa Kenney, Brandon Miller, and Christiana Lehmann. Pianists to perform are Wanrui He, Aodi Liang, Madison Muehl, Yuki Haruna and Weixin Li. Brandon Miller will perform on the erhu, the Chinese two string fiddle. Singers will include Jessica Earle, Rebecca Hunt, Sarah Baumann-Digges, Luna Gong, Nickolette Jones, and Chloe Theodosiou. Accompanist will be Laurel Buckwalter. The program will close with a bass solo by Max Mustardo accompanied by Peter O'Connor. All are invited to this free event.

Submitted by: Laurel Buckwalter

Bergren Forum - Stacy Bender

The Bergren Forum sponsored by the Division of Human Studies, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences and the Provost's Office will be meeting at 12:10 PM on Thursday April 27th in the Nevins Theatre, Powell Campus Center.

Bring a brown bag lunch, coffee and tea will be provided.

Speaker: Stacy Bender

Topic: "Mindfulness and Parent-Child Relationships in Early Childhood"

Asst. Prof. of School Psychology Stacy Bender will describe mindfulness-i.e. paying attention on purpose, in the present moment, and non-judgmentally-within the context of the parent-child relationship.

Submitted by: Marilyn Saxton

sweat silhouette

Opening Reception: May 5, 2017, 7-9pm

Gallery Talk: Sunday, May 7th @ 1pm

Show Dates: Friday, May 5th - Saturday, May 13th

Gallery Hours: Mon-Fri 11 - 4pm and Sat-Sun 1 - 3pm

Fosdick-Nelson Gallery

Cost: Free

Sponsored by: Division of Ceramic Art

William Newman-Wise's MFA thesis show consists of sculpture, photography, and a book.

A is face down, nude, in front of C.

C sits cross-legged on my studio chair.

BACK is written in pencil on a plywood cutout.

C stretches his arm out to A.

A holds the mirror.

W is in the reflection.

"sweat silhouette" explores the artist directing through photography and being directed through sculpture.

Slowness pervades my touch and movements through the studio and minutes walking home. Images and objects move fluidly between abstraction and representation. Focus emerges and slips away. The physical and emotional distance between two people echoes a lingering tension in my studio between myself as photographer, myself as

sculptor, myself and material, and image and object.

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2017 BFA Thesis Exhibition

May 6, 2017, 4-7pm

Alfred University Campus and Alfred Village

Cost: Free and open to the public.

Sponsored by: The School of Art and Design

Please join us for the opening of the annual BFA Thesis Exhibitions, which showcase work by candidates for the Bachelor of Fine Arts degree from the School of Art and Design at the New York State College of Ceramics, Alfred University (AU). The exhibition will open at 4 p.m. on Saturday, May 6th.

Each graduating senior will open their exhibition in sites throughout campus: the McGee Pavilion, Harder Hall, Binns-Merrill Hall and the Cohen Studios (located at 55 N. Main St., Alfred). Maps showing the location of the exhibitions will be available in Harder Hall.

The BFA Thesis Exhibitions, a requirement for graduation from the School of Art and Design, have become a major attraction for art lovers, who are drawn to Alfred for the opportunity to see and purchase work by some of the country's most promising young artists. Work on display represents a diverse number of mediums and genres, including ceramics, painting, sculpture, photography, printmaking, video, sonic arts, interactive media, graphic design, and drawing.

The opening reception continues through 7 p.m. on Saturday. Work will remain on display through Saturday, May 13th at 3 p.m.

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Walk for the Walker Book Fund

First Annual Alfred University Purple & Gold Shoe Day

Purchase Shoe Tags from our Support Staff Members outside the Book store in the Powell Campus Center on Monday April 24th and Tuesday April 25th from 12-1:30pm to Pin to your Purple/Gold shoes & wear them on April 28th to show your Saxon Pride!

Don't Have Purple/Gold Shoes? No Problem! Purchase Shoelaces also!

Proceeds benefit the Gail Walker Book Fund

Email Bailey Grillo grillo@alfred.edu for questions

Submitted by: Bailey Grillo

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Housing accommodations for students to stay late in the residence halls

In an effort to streamline the process of break closing and early arrivals, Residence Life will be utilizing a Google form to collect and share break housing needs. Please submit the linked form if you have students working in your office who will need alternate closing accommodations, i.e. they need to stay late to work Commencement. If you need to submit a request for a large number of students at a

time, please email gebel@alfred.edu for the link to the google sheet to add them directly.

Link: [Housing Accommodation Request](#)

Submitted by: Vicky Gebel

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Speakers from Planned Parenthood

On April 25th (Tuesday) from 6-8 pm in Nevins Theater, there will be two speakers from Planned Parenthood: Rachael Phelps & Sarah Blagg. Sarah is a sex educator who specializes in sexual assault awareness, and Rachel is a doctor who will be discussing Planned Parenthood's medical services. This event is part of a Women's Leadership Academy capstone project, and the final installment of three parts. Rubber bracelets saying "my body, my right" will also be available for purchase at \$2, and proceeds will go directly to Planned Parenthood.

Any questions, please e-mail jss3@alfred.edu. We hope to see you there!!

Submitted by: Jordan Simpson

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Interdisciplinary Art's Spring Exhibition !

Opening : Wednesday, 4/26 -- 4:30-6:00
Brick Studios

IART 102 : Space, Structure, & Environment
&
IART 103: Form, Light, & Perception

Exhibition continues: 4/27 & 4/28 3:00 - 5:00

Artists:
Grace Beekman, Allison Derrick, Keely McGowan
Brian O" Connor, Matt Uhlig, Gray Stanton

Submitted by: Marilyn Saxton

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Drum Set / Percussion Lessons

Drum Set and Percussion lessons are available through Alfred University. These are available for AU and Alfred State students. Lessons are available for \$300 for half hour lessons and \$600 for hour lessons for the entire semester. The class fee can be added to your tuition.

If interested please contact Dustin Woodard at Woodard@alfred.edu

Submitted by: Dustin Woodard

IEA Visiting Artist: Zorica Colic

May 8-12, 2017

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

The IEA welcomes Zorica Colic of New York, NY, as our artist in residence over the week of May 8th. Zorica, who received her MFA from the Electronic Integrated Arts program of the New York State College of Ceramics at Alfred University. Zorica's work researches how contemporary life is structured and manipulated, with particular emphasis on the implications of the biopolitical management of human life. Through various hybridized forms of display, her works explore the complex relationships between politics, art and consumer worlds, examining how our lives are regulated or defined by taste, by products, and by mass-distributed role models. The goal is to identify new ways to subvert normative mass culture in order to re-contextualize images and signs that have become inflated from over-proliferation.

During her residency Zorica intends to further develop a video project titled Well-beings. These videos bring into focus a person defragmenting into commodity through the technological virtual, while investigating themes such as subtle manipulation of human emotions and behavior amidst current conditions that are hyper-mediated, and increasingly focused on self-presentation. A face no longer functions as the site of identity but rather a terrain equally inhabited by intimacy, familiarity, strangeness, and the anxiety. For her residency, Zorica plans to extend her project into a multi-channel video installation with surround sound, presenting different "heads" or "creatures" put into a conversation.

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

The Institute for Electronic Arts at the School of Art and Design of the New York State

Submitted by: SOAD Events

Gwinnett Police Department Hiring Event

The Gwinnett County Police Department will hold a hiring event on April 29, 2017 & April 30, 2017 at Monroe Community College in Rochester NY at the Public Safety Training Center. They will be hiring for 140 positions within the Police Department. Applicants will be able to complete the majority of the hiring process during the event.

Submitted by: Valerie Daciw