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TODAY	TOMORROW	FRIDAY
	12:10 Bergren Forum - Back to the Roots	12:20 Environmental Studies Speaker Series- Jane Johnson
	6:00 Crumbshot	3:00 AU Faculty & Staff Coffee Hour
	7:00 Critical Cinema Presents: Expansive Restrictions in 16mm	7:00 Alfred University Men's Basketball- SUNY Delphi Jazz Band Concert

CHAMPION clothing sale 25% OFF @ AU Bookstore

All CHAMPION clothing is 25% OFF at the AU Bookstore now through Friday! Take advantage of the sale before going home for break! Hoods, tees, sweatpants, shorts, and more!

Link: alfred.bncollege.com

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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Faculty and Staff Bible Study

Join us for conversations about being "a light in the workplace" as we study the book of John together this semester, led by co-leaders: Jared Cooper and Mariah Evans. Thursdays at 12:10 pm in the Herrick Conference room 202!

Submitted by: Mariah Evans

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TIAA Consultant on Campus

A TIAA consultant will be conducting one-on-one, 45-minute, individual retirement counseling sessions on Thursday, December 5 in the Human Resources Conference Room in Greene Hall. No matter where you are in life - just getting started or planning for retirement - a session can help you create a plan for your goals. To schedule an appointment, employees should call TIAA at 1.800.732.8353 and remain on the line for assistance; or register at www.TIAA.org/schedulenow.

Submitted by: Kim Wyant

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***** CDC Drop-In Hours Every Wednesday *****

Have a career-related question? Need your resume critiques? Every Wednesday from 9:00 am - 4:00 pm make sure you stop into the Career Development Center (The Castle) to meet with a career counselor.

The availability throughout the day is first come first serve.

An appointment is NOT required.

Submitted by: Faith Piatt

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Years of Service Recognition

The Employee Recognition Committee would like to announce Years of Service dates for the month of November 2019. 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:

November 5- Chris Walsh- A/V Technician- ITS
November 19- Donna Covert- Custodian- Maintenance
November 26- Brianna Jacobs- Front Desk Clerk- Saxon Inn

Celebrating 5 Years of Service:

November 5- Somer Rollins- Barn Assistant- Equestrian Program
November 9- Krishna Amin- Admin Research Assistant- Engineering

Celebrating 10 Years of Service:

November 19- Robin Mazejka- Director, Major Gifts- University Advancement

Celebrating 20 Years of Service:

November 1- Marty Kallier- Research Account Specialist- Sponsored Research

Submitted by: Kayleigh Misner

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Job Opening-Admissions Counselor

Please see the link below for more information on the open Admissions Counselor position

Link: [Admissions Counselor](#)

Submitted by: Tamara Green

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Flute Lessons!

Flute lessons are available for all ages and abilities. If you are interested, please register for MUSC 104 01 or MUSC 304 01 Private Lessons-Flute and/or contact Mrs. Decker deckerr@alfred.edu

Flute Choir also will be available if there is enough interest.

Submitted by: Rachel Decker

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Open Position- Barn Assistant

Please see the link below for more information on the open Barn Assistant position.

Link: [Barn Assistant](#)

Submitted by: Tamara Green

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Canisteo Valley Bees make Honey

The Canisteo Valley lady bees have had a wonderful and productive honey season! We are selling honey with 20% of proceeds going towards the AU Marketing Club.

Quart=\$15

Pint=\$10

Contact Amy Rummel if you are interested. frummel@alfred.edu

Submitted by: Kathleen Hillman

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Umoja Friendsgiving

Join Umoja on Wednesday, November 20th, 2019 as we host our first Friendsgiving in the Community Table at 5:30pm. Plates are five dollars and will go to AIDS charity. See you there!

Menu:

BBQ Chicken

Fried Chicken

Garlic Mashed Potatoes

Roasted Veggies

Baked Macaroni and Cheese

Candied Yams

Biscuits

Banana Pudding

Apple Crisp Crumble

Attachment: [Umoja Friendsgiving](#)

Submitted by: Alexis Harris-Bates

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Holiday Concert with the AU Orchestra, Fri. Dec. 6

Friday, December 6 at 7:30 PM, the Alfred University Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Dr. Lisa Lantz, will present an Evening of Holiday Classics.

Featuring the music of LeRoy Anderson, music minor, Joseph Falvo will team up music faculty Dr. Raul Barcenos, and Christopher Lynn for Bugler's Holiday. And if you missed the Halloween Concert, Dustin Woodard will give a command performance of LeRoy Anderson's The Typewriter. An arrangement of Vivaldi's Winter by the Trans Siberian Orchestra, will show case student soloist, Aaron Vit on electric violin.

This concert is free and will be held in Miller Theater. Families are encouraged to attend.

Submitted by: Lisa Lantz

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Gonzalez-Guarin Music Duo Present Bergren Forum this Thursday, Nov. 21

"Back to the Roots" with Blanca Cecilia Gonzalez (Violin) and Nilko Andreas Guarin (Guitar), will take you on a musical journey, where you will experience a taste of Latin-American and European folk music. The duo will share their knowledge of how traditional music has been an important influence and source of inspiration throughout the years and how the folkloric element has influenced the development of classical music.

This presentation will begin at 12:10 in Nevins Theater at the Powell Campus Center.

Link: <https://www.alfred.edu/student-life/arts-events/calendar/2019/11/bergren-forum--back-to-the-roots.html>

Submitted by: Lisa Lantz

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Last Environmental Studies Speaker Series Talk- Jane Johnson (AU Alum '99)

Please join us this Friday to hear our last speaker of the series Jane Johnson give a talk titled "Roger Tory Peterson: How an Artist Created a World of Naturalists". A native of Bemus Point, NY in Chautauqua County, Ms. Johnson graduated from Alfred University in 1999 with a degree in Environmental Studies. She currently lives in Jamestown, and is the Director of Exhibitions and Marketing for the Roger Tory Peterson Institute of Natural History (RTPI).

Jane has lived and worked in Philadelphia and Washington D.C., before relocating back to the Western New York area in 2014. She is a member of the Chautauqua County Visitor's Bureau Board of Directors, serving as Treasurer. Ms. Johnson is also a member of the Salvation Army Advisory Board and the Carnahan-Jackson Foundation Grants Committee in Jamestown.

Friday, Nov. 22nd
12:20-1:10pm
Roon Lecture Hall, Science Center

Light refreshments will be available

Link: [Roger Tory Peterson](#)

Submitted by: Shannon Yocum

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Holiday Orchestra Concert

Date: Friday, December 6

Time: 7:30 pm

Location: Miller Theater

Featuring the music of Leroy Anderson

Submitted by: SOAD Events

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Concert Band

Date: December 7, 2019

Time: 7:30 pm

Location: Miller Theater

Featuring the music of Russell Holland, Clare Grundman, Charles Booker and more.
Guest Artists Dustin Woodard and Matthew Amedio

Submitted by: SOAD Events

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Topics: Of Heroes and Monsters: Good and Evil in French Pop Culture

Topics: Of Heroes and Monsters: Good and Evil in French Pop Culture (and beyond...) - 28118 - FREN 200 - 01

What makes a hero? How are their stories told? Are they descriptions of history, or just figments of our anxious prodding into the abyss of the world? Between myths and history, we will study this semester various types of hero, and learn how theoretical works define heroic stories and analyze their place in literature. From heroes of epic tales culled from various cultures, to superheroes of the 21st century, we will explore various examples, and try to find a common thread in how their myths are exposed, and what purpose they serve. We will use the intersecting tools of anthropology, gender studies, and linguistics to study the role of gender, sex, race and class in these stories. The class will mostly follow a chronological approach, starting from the Middle Ages, and moving onto the modern era for most of the semester, but we will occasionally jump between medieval texts and contemporary popular culture to study the influence of the former on the latter. The class will study six "pairs" to tease out portraits of heroes in literature and art (and yes, villains too): Knights and Queens; Swashbucklers and Countesses; Revolutionaries and Mad Women; Explorers and Lost Children; Superheroes and Villagers. This class is taught in English, and all the text will be English. French is not a prerequisite to register.

Associated Term: Spring 2020

Registration Dates: Nov 04,2019 to Jan 27,2020

Levels: Undergraduate

Alfred University Campus

Lecture Schedule Type

4.000 Credits

Scheduled Meeting Times

Type Time Days Where Date Range Schedule Type Instructors

Class 3:20 pm - 5:10 pm MW Perlman Hall 112 Jan 21,2020 - May 11,2020 Lecture Anne-Caroline Sieffert (P)

Attachment: [Poster](#)

Submitted by: Janet McClain

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AU Faculty & Staff Coffee Hour

AU faculty and staff, join us at The Community Table this Friday, November 22, from 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm!

Mingle with fellow coworkers and AU Fresh staff!
Refreshments will be available.

The Community Table is on the second floor of Powell Campus Center, next to the bookstore.

Submitted by: Marie Williams

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Gibbs Fitness Center & Joyce Walton Thanksgiving Break Hours

Below are the hours over Thanksgiving Break for the Gibbs Fitness Center & Joyce Walton Center:

WEDNESDAY, 11/27: 6AM-6PM
THURSDAY, 11/28: CLOSED
FRIDAY, 11/29: 6AM-6PM
SATURDAY, 11/30: 10AM-2PM
SUNDAY, 12/1: 10AM - 2PM

In-Semester Hours will resume on Monday, 12/2

Submitted by: Tony Aquilina

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Holiday Band Concert

The Alfred University Concert Band will present its Winter Concert on Saturday, December 7 at 7:30 pm.

Please come enjoy your favorite holiday tunes along with some band standards. Special guests will be Matt Amedio on saxophone and guest conductor Dustin Woodard. This is a concert surely not to be missed.

Submitted by: Raul Barcenos

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Avoid Paycheck Delay with Direct Deposit

Stop down to the Payroll Office located in Greene Hall to sign up for Direct Deposit and avoid having to wait for a paper Check to come in the mail over the Holiday Break.

*We will only accept forms in person, do not send banking information via email.

**Please attach a voided check or a direct deposit form from your bank with the account and routing number attached to ensure accuracy.

Link: [Payroll Web Page - Payroll Forms](#)

Submitted by: Jessica Clinger

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3rd Year School Psychology Cohort's Period Product Drive

The 3rd year school psychology cohort is collecting any unopened boxes of menstrual products as part of their community service project. Donations may be delivered to boxes stationed at Herrick and Scholes library, Powell Campus Center for Student Involvement, Ade Dining Hall, and the Alfred Pharmacy. We will be collecting until the Tuesday prior to Thanksgiving, when we will then deliver all proceeds to the Alfred University Food Pantry, and hopefully a local K-12 school district as well. We appreciate any and all donations, big or small! Any questions can be directed to Nina Mostowfi (nm28@alfred.edu). If anyone feels as strongly as we do, we can provide additional flyers for posting around the community!

Please look at attached flyer for more details

Attachment: [Menstrual Product Drive Flyer](#)

Submitted by: Nina Mostowfi

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Dance Program: End of Semester Showing

Come see what Alfred University students have been working on in the AU Dance Program this semester!

The End of Semester Showing will be held Thursday, December 5 and Friday, December 6 in the CD Smith III Theater of the Miller Performing Arts Center, with each performance beginning at 6:00 pm.

The performances are free and open to the public.

The End of Semester Showing is an informal performance of the learning and growth in Alfred University's dance program. Each night will have a different line up of works that include student performances from Dance Professors Chase Angier and Colleen Wahl's dance courses, Composition 1, Fundamentals of Dance, Modern 1, and African Dance, as well as contributions from independent choreographers.

Submitted by: Colleen Wahl

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Book yourself a spot at the table this Thanksgiving!

Get home easily and affordably this break with OurBus. Grab tickets to head home or even take a quick trip! Book now while tickets are still available and prices are still low! OurBus provides a more convenient way of traveling with access to free water, a free checked bag, and complimentary WiFi and charging on board. Book now with the OurBus app and use KATELYN2019 for \$5 off your purchase.

Link: [OurBus](#)

Attachment: [OurBus Flyer](#)

Submitted by: Katelyn Monroe

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