

Bergren Forum speaker to present 'Heart and Seoul,' a Fulbright experience

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Petra Visscher, director of international programs at Alfred University, will present "Heart and Seoul: A Fulbright Experience in Korea" on Thursday, Nov. 29, 2007, at the Bergren Forum, 12:10 p.m. in the Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center. She will talk about her experiences in South Korea, where she traveled on a Fulbright Scholarship in June 2007. Visscher has an extensive background in teaching abroad and directing international programs. She gained her educational experience from the University of Florida; University of Utrecht, Netherlands; and the International Learning Center, Edinburgh, Scotland. Professionally, she has served as the director of study abroad and international student adviser at Illinois Wesleyan University, and as department head of the Dutch Department at the Washington International School, Washington, D.C. She joined the Alfred University community in fall 2004. The Bergren Forum, sponsored by the Alfred University Division of Human Studies, meets Thursdays during each academic semester at the University. Participants are encouraged to bring a lunch; coffee and tea will be available. Admission is free.