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## What's Happening?

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TODAY	TOMORROW	SUNDAY
2:20 Meet the Renewable Faculty Candidate Dr. Javanbakh	1:00 Men's Lacrosse @Home	1:00 Men's Tennis - Away
12:20 1st Annual AU Integration Bee	6:00 Open Reception: 'Terrazza'	· Equestrian
12:45 Biology Majors and Minor Group Advising Meeting	7:00 Swing Showcase Saturday 7 p.m. Holmes Auditorium	
6:00 French Cheese Tasting	9:00 24-Hour Theatre Marathon	
· Men's & Women's Swimming & Diving - Away	· Men's & Women's Swimming & Diving - Away	
	· Outdoor Track - Away	
	· Equestrian	
	· Service Trip to Rochester	

### Bellavance to become president of Kendall College of Art and Design

Leslie Bellavance, who has been dean of the School of Art & Design at Alfred University since August 2010, will become the new president of the Kendall College of Art and Design and a vice president at

Ferris State University in Grand Rapids, MI, effective July 1.

Link: [Bellavance announcement](#)

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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### Biology Majors and Minor Group Advising Meeting

If you are interested in majoring or minoring in biology, please come to to one of two pre-advising week informational meetings. This meeting will get you ready to meet with your adviser - we'll talk about new courses and both old and new curriculum sequences, and who should take what.

It's a great chance to talk with other biology majors and minors about courses both inside and outside the division. We will have advising sign-up sheets for you to sign-up for meetings with your adviser, and you can get the most recent version of our three-year plan.

Attendance is strongly recommended for anyone interested in biology, but not mandatory - if you can't make it this time, please make sure to see a biology faculty member for this information.

Located in the Science Center Room 303  
at 5:20 p.m. on Thursday, March 19 AND 12:45 p.m. on Friday, March 20.

Submitted by: Bailey Grillo

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### French Cheese Tasting

Join us for a fondue party and learn about cheeses from several French-speaking regions!

AU Language House, 12 Park St.  
Friday March 20  
6-7 p.m.

Submitted by: Kevin Tan

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### 24-Hour Theater Marathon

What can you do in 24 hours besides cram for a test? Come and see the culmination of work your fellow Dramatists wrote, directed, and put together in just 24 hours.

Saturday, March, 21, 2015  
9 p.m.  
Nevins Theater

\$2 - Show us your favorite picture from our Instagram/Facebook pages upon admission, and we'll cut the price in half. pow.

Special performance by the AU Naturales!

Link: [Facebook Event](#)

Attachment: [24-Hour Poster](#)

Submitted by: Alfredian Dramatists

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### 'Terrazza'

Open Reception: "Terrazza"  
Details: a solo exhibition of paintings by Stephanie McMahon  
March 21 - April 3

Location: The Belfry, 406 Canisteo St., Hornell  
Open Reception: Saturday, March 21  
Time: 6-9 P.M.  
Cost to Attend: Free/Open to the Public

A specific place or experience creates the initial structure for exploration in McMahon's paintings. From there the painting emerges as she allows for intuitive and contradictory responses to previous layers, creating an active image that fluctuates between deliberate and incidental.

The result is both physical and fleeting, as unexpected and precarious relationships arise between color, shape, and gesture and as they combine through translucent layers. This way of working allows her to extract and distill her observations in the tangible world, while questioning and presenting the possibilities of visual experience and abstraction.

For her show "Terrazza" at The Belfry, McMahon draws from her experience living in the medieval hillside town of Cortona, Italy in an apartment with a rooftop terrace overlooking the Chiana Valley. The terraced landscape, horizon line, fluctuating atmosphere, light quality, and visibility became a daily studied observation.

The simple act of slowing down and noting these subtle or abrupt shifts in a single space over a period of time is realized in a series of expansive paintings that have a deliberate and decisive quality to the interacting layers, challenging one's sense of time and resolve.

For more information about this exhibition please visit:

Link: [The Belfry](#)

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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### The Swing Showcase Saturday 7 p.m. Holmes Auditorium

Come join the Alfred Swing Society in the third annual Swing Showcase Saturday at 7 p.m. in Holmes Auditorium!

Swing is a partner dance full of flips and tricks danced to '20's flapper-style music. Come see us dance like nobody's watching, except you will be because you will be there.

Submitted by: Michael Downie

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### Fall 2015 ARGUS Proposal Deadline

Students interested in funding from the Alfred Research Grants for Undergraduate Students (ARGUS)

program must submit their completed proposals by the end of Tuesday, April 21.

Proposal formatting and submission instructions are available at the ARGUS website below. Proposals that do not meet guidelines will be returned without review. Please contact Geoffrey Bowers at [bowers@alfred.edu](mailto:bowers@alfred.edu) if you have any questions.

Link: [ARGUS Program](#)

Submitted by: Geoffrey Bowers

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### IEA Visiting Artist: Thane Lund

Date: March 23-27, 2015

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

Cost to Attend: free

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

Thane Lund, of Brooklyn, NY, will be participating in an artist residency at the Institute for Electronic Arts the week of March 23.

Receiving his MFA in 2008 from the Burren College Art of Ballyvaughan, Ireland, Lund looks at our relationships of time and space from an objective standpoint, closely examining spatial relationships between our senses and what we know to be more expansive than what can be seen or touched.

During his residency, Lund intends to expand his practice of animating objects found in environments for sculptural performance. Specifically, Lund will be experimenting with video and projection mapping to increase levels of illusions in environmental sculpture.

With the addition of audio and video, Lund hopes his sculptures will expand into a greater sense of depth and life. The addition of Arduino programming will enable further immersion, allowing for interactive elements and effects affected by viewers.

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.

Link: [Thane Lund](#)

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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### Support Staff...King Alfred Wants YOU!

The Support Staff Council is looking for new members to join the Support Staff Council. Please see the attached flyer and contact one of us for any inquiries.

Attachment: [Recruitment\\_Flyer.pdf](#)

Submitted by: Cheryl Foster

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### Stress Management is Medicine: Manage Your Stress, Save Your Life

Save the Date - Tuesday, March 24; 2:30 p.m. in Nevins Theater for this informative Seminar.

Ongoing stress can make people more susceptible to illnesses. It is important to know how to recognize high stress levels and take action to handle it productively. Participants will get familiar with their personal stress symptoms and warning signs of distress which cause them to be prone to illness.

Throughout the seminar, participants will learn to understand the "fight or flight response" and how stress affects their bodies and their health. They will gain an awareness of how thoughts can cause or worsen stress and learn evidence-based methods for reducing stress.

Submitted by: Mark Guinan

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### Internal Job Posting - Secretary

Employment Opportunity  
Secretary for Psychology Department and AU Honors Program

Link: [Secretary for Psychology and Honors Posting](#)

Submitted by: Kathy Costello

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### Online Web Request Form

In order to ensure that requests for new web pages or changes to existing pages are handled in a timely manner, please use our online request form.

This is the only request format that will be accepted. If you have questions regarding the form or its use please contact Webmaster, Judy Linza, at x2727 or e-mail [webmaster@alfred.edu](mailto:webmaster@alfred.edu).

Link: [Web Request Form](#)

Submitted by: Judy Linza

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### Tech Time with Jonas Seburá

Date: Thursday, March 26  
Time: 6:30 P.M.  
Location: Binns-Merrill Hall, Room C  
Cost to Attend: Free

This lecture, sponsored by the Art History Club, will discuss Wood Shop technician Jonas Seburá's art practice and collaborate work with Alex Gartelman. "Our collaboration is a navigation of the space between us. We mine the similarities and oppositions which frame our relationship. This inward conversation of the liminal space of relationship is expanded outward to reflect a larger cultural conversation about communication breakdowns, physical contact, and hierarchies. We question and challenge expectations of traditional roles through subtle moments of tenderness and failure."

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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### 'Thaumatology'

March 27 - April 1

Open Reception: Friday, March 27  
Time: 7-8:30 P.M.

Closing Reception w/ special performance: Wednesday, April 1  
Time: 7-8:30 P.M.

Location: Robert C. Turner Gallery  
Cost to Attend: free

"Thaumatology" features a variety of work from students in the Division of Expanded Media, including print media, graphic design, video, and sonic art.

Closing Reception will feature special performance, Sine Qua Non, by visiting artist Brett Sroka.

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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### Caroline Littell, former AU employee, travel photojournalist, Alfred reside

Caroline Littell, a noted travel photographer and a longtime resident of Alfred, died March 18 in Pasadena, Calif. She was 75.

Mrs. Littell had been in hospice because of complications of acute leukemia, her family said.

In the late 1970s and early 1980s, although she held no university degree, she was employed at Alfred University as director of the language laboratory and as study-abroad coordinator and student adviser. She eventually resigned both positions to devote more time to travel and photography.

In addition to her husband, Alan, she is survived by two sons, Harry Littell of Ithaca and Matthew Littell of Altadena, Calif.; four grandchildren; and two brothers, David and Charles Byass, both of England.

A remembrance ceremony is being planned.

To read a full obituary, please visit the attachment below.

Attachment: [Caroline Littell Obituary](#)

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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### Concert: Andover Ecumenical Choir Lenten Program

Monday, March 23 at 7 p.m.  
Nancy Howe Auditorium  
David A. Howe Public Library

155 N. Main St., Wellsville  
585-593-3410

A favorite of the Howe Auditorium for the past several years, this group will grace the stage with its inspirational Lenten program with musical accompaniment under the direction of Marcy Bledsoe.

This library-sponsored concert is free and open to the general public.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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