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12:20 Environmental Studies Speaker Series- Kacie Dean	1:00 Men's and Women's Swim @ home	10:00 Walk for Haiti
November Women's and Gender Studies Roundtable	Football @ home	7:00 Annual Alfred Clay Collective Exhibition & Auction
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Registration for Spring Semester--Allen Term--Summer 2017

Undergraduate students who will have sophomore standing by the start of Spring Semester can register beginning today, Friday, Nov. 11. Registration continues for graduate students and undergraduates who will have junior or senior standing by the start of next Semester

Registration for Allen Term and Summer Term is available now to all students. Visit the Allen Term Web page for more information about the online and travel courses available Dec. 19 to Jan. 13, 2017.

If you need help with AU BannerWeb registration or have any questions about it, please contact the Student Service Center in Seidlin Hall. Stop in, call 871-2123, or email registrar@alfred.edu.

Link: [Allen Term 2016-17](#)

Submitted by: Larry Casey

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Opening Reception: 6th Annual Alfred Clay Collective Exhibition & Auction

Friday, November 11th, 2016
7:00-8:30pm
Robert C. Turner Gallery
Free
Sponsored by: The Alfred Clay Collective

The Alfred Clay Collective presents their 6th Annual Exhibition and Auction. The exhibition will run November 11th through November 18th, with an opening reception on Nov. 11th and the closing reception and live auction on the following Friday Nov. 18th.

The exhibition features work donated by Alfred University faculty, alumni, graduate and undergraduate students, and other renowned artists in the Alfred community and beyond.

All proceeds go to fund the future endeavors of the Alfred Clay Collective, a student run organization that hosts visiting artists, workshops, and sponsors trips to enrich students ceramic education.

Submitted by: SOAD Events

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Thank You to Our Employee and Student Veterans on This Veterans Day

Veterans Day is a time for us to pay our respects to those who have served. For one glorious day, you are joined by everyone else around the nation who doesn't spend every waking moment breathing this military stuff like you do. For one day, we stand united in respect for our veterans.

This holiday started as a day to reflect upon the heroism of those who died in our country's service, and was originally called Armistice Day. It fell on Nov. 11 because that is the anniversary of the signing of the Armistice that ended World War I. However, in 1954, the holiday was changed to

"Veterans Day" in order to account for all veterans in all wars. Today, we take the charge of Veterans Day to heart and mark the day with celebration, honoring America's veterans for their patriotism, love of country, and willingness to serve and sacrifice for the common good. (thank you to Military .com for this message)

Submitted by: Mark Guinan

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'Iron + Water for Haiti' : 10th Annual MeltDown

Saturday October 29th
2pm - 7pm
National Casting Center, 180 N Main St, Alfred, NY 14802

We welcome everyone to participate and watch the spectacle of molten metal as we raise money by raising the temperature!!

This year the Sculpture students are teaming up with Alfred University First Year Experience Students to help them fund building a well in Haiti !

Joining Alfred Students will be students and faculty from other schools as well as visiting artists and public alike !

Activities INCLUDE :

2pm- 4pm Decorative Water Bowl Molds will be available for the Public to Carve their own Sculpture \$15 each: proceeds of which will go to Water for Haiti!

5pm-7pm Haitian Street Fare with Food and Music !! provided by Professor Luanne Crosby's Music Appreciation Students: all proceeds go to building the well in Haiti!

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Bowl Making for "Cultural Bowl"

Friday, November 11th - Throwing/Hand Building 5:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Sunday, November 13th - Trimming 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Sophomore Wheel Studio Spaces

We're getting artists together to make bowls for a charity event in February. The money we make selling your bowls will be going to the county homeless shelter. Clay is provided! Both throwers and hand builders are welcome.

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Open Forum - Director of Financial Aid Candidates

Faculty and staff are invited to an open forum session in Nevins Theatre presented by the director of financial aid candidates who will be on campus Monday, November 14 - Thursday, November 17.

11/14 - 11/16 from 12:20 - 1:10 pm.
11/17 from 3:00 - 3:50 pm.

Format will include topics presented by each candidate followed by Q & A.

Submitted by: Janet Lynch

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ARGUS Proposals - DEADLINE APPROACHING

Interested in obtaining funding for a research project?

Student proposals requesting spring 2016 funding from the Alfred Research Grants for Undergraduate Students (ARGUS) program are due by midnight Monday, November 14. Instructions for preparing and submitting a proposal and the supporting application materials can be found at the link below. Please be aware that proposals not following the required format will be returned without review.

If you have questions, email Dr. Fred Beaudry at beaudry@alfred.edu.

Link: [ARGUS Proposals](#)

Submitted by: Frederic Beaudry

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Walk for Haiti

Contribute to the Water for Haiti project by participating in a 10-mile walk sponsored by AU Honors Wanderlust course and Green Alfred. Event includes a speech by Dr. Hluchy and food donated by AVI.

Date: Sunday, November 13
Time: 10 am - 2 pm
Location: Start at McLane parking lot
Cost: \$10 per person; [http://commerce.cashnet.c....](http://commerce.cashnet.c...)

Additional donations: [https://www.haitioutreach....](https://www.haitioutreach...)

Link: [Facebook Page](#)

Attachment: [Course_Route.pdf](#)

Submitted by: Lindsay Piraino

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Online Web Request Form and Web Standards

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

Please refer to our Web Standards, at <http://our.alfred.edu/web...>, for any questions.

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.

Link: [Online Web Request Form](#)

Submitted by: Judy Linza

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El cafecito: Multicultural Dinner

Please join the Division of Modern Languages as we host a Multicultural Dinner at the Language House. Dinner will feature cuisine from a variety of different cultures around the world including Chinese, French, German, Latin American and Spanish.

Wednesday, November 16th
5:30pm - 6:30pm
AU Language House
12 Park Street (across the street from the Saxon Inn)

Everyone is Welcome!

Submitted by: Michele Gaffney

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Tuesday Night Bowling

Bowling Club's semester league invites a team of 3 faculty/staff members to bowl with the members of the club each week they go. If you are interested, email ABC@alfred.edu for more information and to choose a week that works best for your schedule. There is a schedule attached.

Attachment: [Schedule_2016_2.0.docx](#)

Submitted by: Keshawn Laplante

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Field Trip with the Cohen Gallery

Career Development for Artists with Gerald Mead

Saturday, November 12, 6-8pm 100 Main Street, CCAC headquarters at 100 W Main, Allegany, NY
Carpooling from Cohen Gallery at 4:45pm sharp

?Gerald Mead, a noted Buffalo artist, independent curator and art collector will discuss strategies for getting broader exposure for you and your artwork through exhibition opportunities, networking and promotion.

ALL students, staff, and faculty welcome to attend.

Register for the workshop by emailing the Cattaraugus County Arts Council at ardyth@myartscouncil.net. Email cohengallery@alfred.edu if you'd like to drive or rideshare.

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Dodgeball Tournament!

The Water Planet class is sponsoring a dodgeball tournament with proceeds to go to Water for Haiti AU. The class thinks they can beat all challengers, do you? Come join us for a fun-filled evening of dodgeball, music and food in the McLane Annex on Saturday, Nov 12 at 5:00. There will be prizes for the winners. 6 person teams. \$20 registration fee per person or, if you don't have 6 people and want to register alone, will be put together a team. \$4 per person. The tournament starts after the football game, so you can go to both!

to register a team, contact Jamie Campbell at jamcam98@gmail.com

Attachment: [dodgeball poster](#)

Submitted by: Michele Hluchy

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November Women's and Gender Studies Roundtable

The next Women's and Gender Studies Roundtable will be this Friday, November 11, from 12:20 - 1:10 p.m., in the Judson Leadership Center. In this roundtable, panelists will discuss the elections of this week and what they might mean for all of us. This is a chance for all of us to share our thoughts. Panelists: Lydia Galarneau, Ana Gauthier, Larry Greil, Karen Porter and Quintin Reed. Moderator: Bianca Barber

The WGST Roundtables are free and open to the public. Light refreshments will be served.

Submitted by: Sandra Singer

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Equine Business and Tax

Larry Rosenblum, President of The Equine Tax Group will be on campus Tuesday, November 15th to speak in two sessions on business and select tax topics in the Equestrian industry. Mr. Rosenblum's firm serves clients from coast to coast in matters that include IRS dispute resolution and general taxation issues. The first session will focus on the importance of having a business plan for business and tax purposes and the second session will focus on select Equestrian tax and tax audit issues. The sessions will be held at: 1:00 PM in Olin 302 and the second session will be held at 4:40 PM in Olin 307.

Co-Sponsored by the School of Business and the Equestrian Program

Submitted by: Judy Scott

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Performing Arts presents THE ASH GIRL

Performances for our production of The Ash Girl run Wednesday Nov 9 thru Saturday Nov 12. It is in

the CD Smith III Theatre, 7:30 each night.

Think Cinderella with a twist..

Tickets required via the online box office or emailing performs@alfred.edu

Link: <http://las.alfred.edu/performing-arts/events>

Submitted by: Nancy Freelove

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Want to Apply to be an RA?

- * Connect to Office of Residence Life through AU Connect [https://auconnect.alfred....](https://auconnect.alfred.edu)
- * After being accepted, click "Forms" and fill out the "New RA Application" form
- o Application Link: [https://auconnect.alfred....](https://auconnect.alfred.edu)
- * Either upload your resume to the application or submit a paper copy to the Office of Residence Life
- * Copy the following link and send to at least 3 references: <https://goo.gl/forms/0TdZ...>
- * Application is due Friday, January 20th, 2017
- * Interviews will be conducted over the weekend of February 18th and 19th
- o 30 minute 1:1 interviews will be schedule for Saturday, February 18th
- o Group interviews will be scheduled for Sunday, February 19th
- o You may call the office or stop in to reserve your 30-minute interview slot. No emails please
- * You will find out your placement as early as February/March

Link: [Application Link](#)

Attachment: [Information and Perks about being an RA](#)

Submitted by: Autumn McLain

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No Open Swim this Saturday

There will be no open swim Saturday 11/12/16.

Submitted by: Brian Striker

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Visiting Sculptor: Rian Kerrane

Monday, Nov 14th

10am

National Casting Center Foundry

180 N Main St, Alfred, NY 14802

Free

Sponsored by: Sculpture Dimensional Studies

You are invited to join us in welcoming Rian Kerrane to Alfred. She will only be here for one day and will talk about her work at the foundry on Monday Nov 14th morning at 10am.

A noted sculptor in cast iron and diverse in other materials, Rian Kerrane's recent installations reframe and reconsider an anti-modern, medievalist aesthetic. Kerrane is associate professor and area head for the sculpture program at the University of Colorado, Denver.

Born in Galway, Ireland in 1968 Rian Kerrane received her BA in Fine Arts Degree from the University of Ulster at Belfast in 1991, her MFA from the University of New Orleans in 1997.

'With much of my production processes centered on the foundry I seek out forms easily replicated in the casting process that also provide a history rich in symbolism and narrative qualities. Incorporating found objects provides a creative outlet for my collector instincts and pays homage to my respect for material, form and recycling. My work is an ongoing exploration of self and social context. My use of materials is inclusive of permanent traditional metals with lowbrow impermanent craft. I value the subconscious aspect of the creative process as a means to resolve my need to apply brain and hands instinctively in a useful manner to maintain sanity. In Cinch the compositional arrangements are intended to engage and interact with the viewer as suggestions of more complete narratives. There is a connection between the corporal and the environment in this work that acknowledges ten years of iron casting. The installation hints at poetic nuances while remaining solid and factual in physical form. This dichotomy speaks to the power of visual "prompts" and the symbolic power any object or form is imbued with.'

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Gallery Talk with Ian McMahon

Wednesday, November 16
12 noon
Fosdick-Nelson Gallery
Free
Sponsored by: FNG

Ian McMahon will give a gallery talk in conjunction with his installation Fugitive at the Fosdick-Nelson Gallery. See Press Release below.

Fugitive, an installation by Ian McMahon, will open October 28th at the Fosdick-Nelson Gallery on the Alfred University campus, with a reception from 7-9pm. The artist will give a gallery talk on Wednesday, November 16th at noon; the exhibition will run through December 1, 2016. Events are free and open to the public.

The billowing forms of Ian McMahon's monumental installation Fugitive, are cast on-site in plaster. Their towering, bone white walls are impossibly thin, and appear to defy the physical limitations of the material. Moving around the immense yet delicate piece one treads lightly as not to disturb these structures - some reaching as high as 12 feet - that swell and press against the metal-bar fencing around the perimeter. The plaster forms have a soft wrinkled surface that resembles skin further heightening the viewer's awareness of their own body while circumnavigating the work. Constructed on-site, and later destroyed at the close of the exhibition, Fugitive, as the title implies, is a contemporary momento mori. We marvel at the artist's ambition yet lament the short life span of the work. Thus reminding us of the ephemeral nature of art and life.

Ian McMahon received a BFA in Ceramic Art from Alfred University and an MFA in Sculpture from Virginia Commonwealth University. He is the recipient of Fellowships from the Virginia A. Groot Foundation (2016) and the New York Foundation for the Arts (2014) and he was awarded artist residencies at the Bemis Center for Contemporary Arts in Omaha, NE (2013) and at Sculpture Space in Utica, NY (2016). His work has been exhibited nationally and internationally at venues including: Crane Arts (Philadelphia), Jingdezhen Ceramic Institute (Jingdezhen, China), The Pacific North West College of Art (Portland), Pierogi Boiler Room (New York), G-Fine Arts (Washington), Bemis Center for Contemporary Art (Omaha), Suyama Space (Seattle), and T&H Gallery (Boston) among others. In 2013 McMahon co-established The Belfry with Ashley Lyon, an artist-run exhibition venue in Hornell, NY.

Fugitive was curated by Sharon McConnell, Director of the Fosdick-Nelson Gallery. The gallery is open 11am-4pm on weekdays and 1-3pm on weekends. The gallery is closed during University holidays. For more information, visit the gallery website at: fosdicknelson.alfred.edu or contact Sharon McConnell at mcconnells@alfred.edu.

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Mark Your Calendar: CLAS Dean Candidate Campus Visits

Starting next week candidates for the CLAS Dean position will be visiting campus. We invite staff and faculty to a forum with each candidate on the following dates:

Monday Nov 14 or Tuesday Nov 15 (TBD)
Thursday Nov 17
Monday Nov 21
Tuesday Nov 29

Meeting times will likely be 12:15pm, and location will be announced soon. Stay tuned for more details.

Thank you,
The CLAS Dean Search Committee

Submitted by: Frederic Beaudry

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