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NEXT FACULTY MEETING

The next faculty meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, April 13, 2016, from 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. in the Campus Center South Lounge (CCSL). The May faculty meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 11, 4:00-5:30 p.m., CCSL.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Arcana Albright (French) presented a paper entitled "21st-Century Literary Cosmopolitanism: Jean-Philippe Toussaint's Global Village" at a conference on literary cosmopolitanism hosted by the University of Oxford in March 2016.

Matt Fotis (Theatre) presented two plays at the 2016 Mid America Theatre Conference in Minneapolis, MN. His full length play Patriotic, Iowa received a developmental reading as part of the Plays-in-Progress series. His play The Class of 20/20 received a reading as part of the Dramatist’s Play Lab.

Teresa Gilliams (English) presented a paper entitled "The Black Aesthetic: August Wilson’s Joe Turner’s Come and Gone and Ma Rainey’s Black Bottom" at the 40th Annual Comparative Drama Conference in Baltimore, Maryland on April 2, 2016. Additionally, along with Ian Rhile, Mary McGee, and Gina Crance, she participated in the Association of American Colleges and Universities' Conference on Diversity, Learning and Student Success in Philadelphia from March 17 to 19, 2016.

Beth Kiester (Sociology) presented “‘Tell Me About Yourself’: Understanding the Role of the Employer Interview and Motherhood Penalties” at the Annual Conference of the Eastern Sociological Society March 17-20 in Boston, MA.

Jennifer Koosed (Religious Studies) attended the Mid-Atlantic Regional Meeting of the Society of Biblical Literature, where she was elected the Vice President of the Mid-Atlantic Society of Biblical Literature. In addition, she was an invited speaker at Drew University’s Transdisciplinary Theological Colloquium, where she responded to Donovan O. Schaefer on animality and affect theory.


On March 10 and 11, Rob Seesengood (Religious Studies) attended the annual meeting of the Mid-Atlantic Regional Society of Biblical Literature at New Brunswick, NJ where he presided over two panels on current work in New Testament and on March 18 and 19, he participated in the 15th Transdisciplinary Theology Colloquia at Drew University, “Affectivity and Divinity: Affect Theories and Theologies.” Rob was invited as respondent to Gregory Seigworth.
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Gwen Seidman (Psychology) was a presenter at the Berks County Medical Society Alliance's annual health project, entitled "Status Update: The Connection between Adolescent Mental Health and Social Media." (http://berkmsa.org/register/)

Matt Sonntag (Chemistry), with students Sierra Lambeth and Ashley Lipshaw, presented a poster "Characterization of Materials via Raman Spectroscopy" at the ACS National Meeting in San Diego California and will also be presenting a poster at the Lehigh Valley ACS meeting later this month. Both Ashley and Sierra will be giving talks at the Intercollegiate Student Chemists' Convention detailing their work during their 2015 summer ACRE. Sierra also presented a poster at the Undergraduate Research at the Capitol Day in Harrisburg, PA.

Kristen Woodward (Art) participated in a five-artist show entitled Animalia held from March 18 - April 14, 2016, at the Mikhail Zakin Gallery in Demarest, NJ. Her installation Heads or Tails closed Sunday April 3rd on the Project Wall at the New Arts Program in Kutztown, and she has ten works on paper in a group Eco-Arts show at JAM Gallery in Malvern, PA through April 30th.

Ian Rhile (Chemistry), Teresa Gilliams (English), and Mary McGee (Religious Studies/Provost), along with Gina Crance (VP for Student Affairs) attended the AAC&U conference on Diversity, Learning, and Student Success: Shifting Paradigms and Challenging Mindsets held in Philadelphia in March.

STUDENT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Hilary Aquino (History) accompanied two students from her fall senior seminar to the Undergraduate Women’s and Gender Studies Conference, at DeSales University. Jessica Bracero presented a poster “The Age of the New Woman: Opportunities for Higher Education and Access to the Public Sphere 1870-1930,” much of which was based on research she conducted in Albright’s special collections. Shana Shqair presented a paper entitled “The Woman Turns the Neck of the Man: First Ladies’ Role in the Progression of Women’s Rights.”

Religious Studies major Justine “Ellie” Smith presented a paper titled “Elie Wiesel’s Trial of God: A Modern (Re)Interpretation of Job” in the undergraduate section at the Mid-Atlantic Regional meeting of the Society of Biblical Literature at New Brunswick, NJ. This paper is adapted from her honors thesis project.

Two of Justin Couchman's psychology students, Allison Giannone ’16 and Sarah Isgate ’16, presented their senior honors thesis research at the annual conference of the Eastern Psychological Association in Philadelphia, PA on March 3-5. Gwenievere Birster ’17, Lauren Potts ’17, Laura Van Schaik ’17, and Natalie Wilson ’17 also presented their research at the conference.
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PROVOST’S ANNOUNCEMENTS

UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, April 16  Alvernia University will host the Higher Education Council of Berks County 17th annual Undergraduate Research and Creativity Conference. Albright is well-represented at the conference, sponsoring the largest number of student presentations among the colleges. Presentation formats include oral, poster, visual artwork, performance and film. More information can be found at http://www.alvernia.edu/hecbc/index.html

Wednesday, April 20, 4:00 p.m., Red & White Room, Schumo Ctr.  Department Chairs Meeting

Sunday, May 1, 3:00-5:00 p.m., Memorial Chapel  Honors and Awards Ceremony
Please join us for this celebratory event recognizing the many and diverse accomplishments of our students. RSVP to the Academic Affairs office at 610-921-7643 or academicevents@albright.edu.

May 2-May 5  Honors Week
The students in the Honors Program will give oral presentations in Klein Hall and poster presentations in the Mezzanine Monday through Thursday of Honors Week between 4:00 and 6:00 p.m. A reception for senior thesis students will take place Thursday, May 5 at 5 p.m. A full schedule of presentation times will be distributed closer to Honors Week.

Wednesday, May 11, 4:00 p.m., CCSL  Faculty Meeting

Wednesday, May 11-17  Exam Period

Wednesday, May 18, 4:00 p.m., Roessner 100  Department Chairs Meeting

Saturday, May 21, 4:00 p.m., Memorial Chapel  Baccalaureate Ceremony

Saturday, May 21, 5:30 p.m. onward  Jacob Albright Scholars Ceremony and Dinner
At this event we recognize and induct into the Jacob Albright Society those seniors who have completed requirements for their Albright degree with at least a 3.70 grade point average.

Sunday, May 22, 10:00 a.m., Science Field  Commencement
We will celebrate graduates from all Albright’s programs at this ceremony. Information about Commencement events, including Baccalaureate, can be found at http://www.albright.edu/commencement/spring/index.html
A list of candidates for May degrees will be found at the end of this Bulletin.

Wednesday, May 25, Roessner Hall  Teaching & Learning Collaboratory
Albright’s annual Teaching & Learning conference provides a great opportunity for us to learn from and be inspired by each other as we exchange ideas about teaching strategies and innovations. All faculty, administration, and staff are invited to attend this day of conversation and workshops about pedagogy, student learning and instructional technologies. This event is sponsored by the Teaching
and Learning Committee with support from Academic Affairs and IT Services. Workshop and registration details coming soon.

**FACULTY PERFORMANCE AND EVALUATION DEADLINES:**

**June 8, 2016:** Materials due to department chairs
**June 15, 2016:** Materials due to provost from department chairs or from faculty submitting directly to provost

Each spring the guideline dates for the following academic year are to be published in the April issue of the Chief Academic Officer’s Bulletin. These dates for the upcoming 2016-2017 academic year are:

**May 1 – May 13, 2016**
Letter sent by the Chief Academic Officer to all faculty eligible for tenure and/or promotion decisions, and 2-year, 4-year, and other reviews in the following academic year. Letter outlines information to be submitted and the date files are to be completed (copies of such letter available in Academic Affairs Office).

**No Later than June 17, 2016**
Untenured faculty eligible for an early tenure decision by virtue of credit awarded by Albright College for prior college or university teaching service and faculty eligible for promotion must notify the Chief Academic Officer, in writing, of their request for tenure and/or promotion decision in the following academic year. Eligible faculty candidates reply to the Chief Academic Officer in writing with recommendations for peer reviewers.

Eligible faculty candidates must present scholarly and/or creative works completed on or before the third Friday in June to the Chief Academic Officer and provide a list of external reviewers of those works to the Chief Academic Officer. Department chairperson of candidate must also submit name of external reviewer to Chief Academic Officer.

**From June 17, 2016 through August 12, 2016**
Chief Academic Officer solicits and collects information from alumni and external sources. Peer reviewers are selected by the ACRT and invited to participate in the process by the Chief Academic Officer. The Chief Academic Officer notifies the candidates of the selected peer reviewers. Candidates send fall syllabi to peer reviewers.

**No Later October 14, 2016**
Completed files are due in the office of the Chief Academic Officer for those under consideration for tenure and promotion. Department chairs’ letters of evaluation, peer reviews, and external evaluations are due. Beyond this date no additional information may be added to the candidate’s Rank and Tenure File without the knowledge of the candidate and the department chair.

**From October 14, 2016 through November 18, 2016**
ACRT considers recommendations and all materials in the candidate’s file.
No Later Than December 9, 2016
Recommendations of ACRT and Chief Academic Officer are sent to the President.

No Later Than January 1, 2017
President determines her/his recommendation and communicates it to the candidate and the Chief Academic Officer. The President shall set forth both his or her written recommendation and the grounds thereof and transmit this written statement to the candidate, the ACRT and the Chief Academic Officer.

No Later than 14 Calendar Days after Receipt of the President’s Letter Informing the Candidate of Recommendation
A candidate for tenure and/or promotion may file a statement with the Faculty Appeals Committee appealing an adverse recommendation of the President.

No later than January 20, 2017
Submission to the Academic Affairs Committee of the Board of Trustees the President’s positive recommendations for tenure and promotion. Candidates will be notified in writing of Trustees’ decisions one week following the winter full-Board meeting. The January deadline for Trustees’ consideration does not apply to a candidate who has appealed, by the aforesaid deadline date, an adverse recommendation made by the President. There is no appeal of an adverse decision by the Board of Trustees.

March 6, 2017
Completed files are due for those undergoing 2-year, 4-year, and other reviews. Department chairperson’s letters and peer reviews are due.

No later than May 12, 2017
ACRT sends letter to candidates and their department chairs undergoing 2-year, 4-year and other reviews apprising them of their conclusions regarding their progress toward tenure and promotion.

Spring Board Meeting (Tentatively May 12, 2017)
Trustees consideration and decision for tenure and promotion candidates who had, in a timely fashion, appealed an adverse recommendation by the President to the Faculty Appeals Committee.

May 2016 Degree Candidates

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Kumi J. Balthazar  AB  Tiffany M. Cruz  AB
Alexio Barboza  AB  Dane M. Cuccinello  BS
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Michael A. Barreto  AB  Donald B. Deibler  AB
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