Alvernia Faculty Lecture Series
Tuesday, March 10, 4PM

Alvernia University professors Tim Blessing (history) and Takele Mojire (economics) will evaluate the first six weeks in office of the new presidential administration in their presentation, “Six Weeks in Washington: The New Administration.”

Tim Blessing is a renowned scholar on the United States Presidency. Takele Mojire specializes in the fields of international economic development, government and resource allocations, and international trade.

This event will take place at 4PM in the Bernardine Franciscan Conference Center (Tuesday, March 10) as part of the Alvernia University Faculty Series.
Alumni News

The University of Maryland, Baltimore County (UMBC) recently announced that Kevin Daly ’08 has joined the Retriever baseball team coaching staff. Daly will serve as the second assistant coach behind Bob Mumma.

Daly goes to Baltimore after serving as the head baseball coach of the Monroe Chanelcats, a summer collegiate team that competes in the Tar Heel Summer League, and led them to a 2008 Summer Collegiate League Championship last year.

Before coaching the Chanelcats, Daly previously coached numerous summer and fall league teams, including the Lawnton Legends in 2007 and Central PA Captials in 2006, who finished the year with a spot in the USSSA Winter World Series National Championship Game.

Daly graduated in May 2008 with a degree in sport management from Alvernia University.

Alvernia in the NEWS...

Charles Sacavage, history, was the subject of a Pottsville Republican feature article on February 24. He is scheduled to play the assassin John Wilkes Booth in a special performance of “Murder at Ford’s Theatre” at the Sovereign Majestic Theatre tomorrow (March 7). Sacavage has been playing the role in re-enactments and classroom lectures since 1974.

“Alvernia volunteers gain teaching experience; students get help with test skills” was the lead to a Reading Eagle article on February 24. Alvernia students Megan Shelmire and Danielle Shobe were pictured working with students from Amanda Stout Elementary School. “I really enjoy it,” said Alvernia student Sarah Cayless. “I definitely feel more comfortable in the classroom as well as with the planning side of it.”

Faculty & Staff News

Carol Schwanger, music, hosted a folk music workshop featuring the Simple Gifts Duo at the Yuengling Mansion in Pottsville on February 4. In addition, she will perform with the Reading Pops Orchestra in a concert with the New York Voices at the Miller Center this Sunday, March 8.

Roxana Delbene, languages, hosted a screening of the Latino film Mia Familia in October.

Frances Ross, art, (who produced an outstanding Student Art Show in December) will display her own works at Alvernia’s 50th Anniversary Gala on May 2.

BRAND SCENE INVESTIGATOR

Kudos to Kelly Cockrum, education, for working with the Amanda Stout Elementary School and Alvernia students to set up a new after school program. According to Cockrum, the idea was to give aspiring teachers experience in front of a classroom while providing the elementary students a chance to do things they might not have time for in a regular school day.

Click here to read a cover article in the Reading Eagle.
Meet Trustee... Kevin Georgetti

Residing in Nutley, New Jersey, Kevin Georgetti (class of 1985) is currently the general counsel for Broadway National Bank, in New York.

As an Alvernia student, Georgetti was honored as a “Who’s Who Among Students in American Universities and College,” served as president of the History Club and graduated summa cum laude.

Georgetti passed bar exams in both New Jersey and New York in 1988 after graduating as a Juris Doctor from New York Law School. He is a current member of the American Bar Association and the New York Bar Association.

After interning with the IRS as a student, he has gained experience in many different facets of law, including defense litigation, taxes, real estate, foreclosure, bankruptcy, loan transactions in excess of ten million dollars, and commercial leases.

With Broadway National Bank, Georgetti manages all legal matters including contracts, banking regulations, property law, and environmental law. He oversees any work done by outside council and even contributes to new product market strategies and policy-making.


Georgetti has volunteered for several years with the American Diabetes Association, and is a member of the New York Road Runners Club.

The day before yesterday I was 25 and the next year I will be 28. When was I born?

Be the first to answer correctly!
Send your answer to:
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Bragging rights for last week go to Daniel Flynn, campus ministry. Answer: The bear would be white, because the house is at the north pole.

The Alvernia Career and Internship Fair
March 24 — Student Center

Don’t let your students miss this great career search and networking opportunity!

Attending employers:
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Herbein + Co., Inc.
Lancaster Barnstormers
Lancaster Laboratories
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The Reading Hospital & Medical Center
U.S. Army
Waddell & Reed
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