

Alfred State College Centennial

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Memories: see attached

I was fortunate to teach in the Computer Graphics Technology curriculum starting the second semester of the first class. I retired after the second semester of the last class. It was truly a privilege.

Teaching was a second career for me and I had very little knowledge of grading for my students or the procedures. My department chairman registered for one of my first classes. He attended infrequently, didn't take exams or turn in projects. Mid term grading period arrived so I asked him what to do with a student that acted this way. He said, "flunk him". My next question was: "What if that student is your department chair?" "Oh! That student". Much work suddenly appeared from his office.