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**Amherst BioNews Monthly Newsletter - January 2019 edition**

Greetings biology folk,

Happy new year! It's time for another edition of our monthly newsletter with all that's happening and exciting in Amherst College Biology!

**~~OUTSTANDING NEWS!!!!~~**

- Assistant Professor Alexandra Purdy received a positive tenure decision at the end of December!! We couldn't be more proud and excited for Prof Purdy and thrilled to have her in our department for many years to come!
- Our Visiting Assistant Professor, Dianne Pater, has accepted a position as Assistant Professor of Biology at Vassar College, starting in the Fall of 2019. Congratulations on this outstanding accomplishment Prof Pater!
- Our Visiting Assistant Professor, Nidanie Henderson-Stull will be staying at Amherst for the 2019-2020 academic year. We're so lucky to have her for another year and looking forward to learning more from her courses and research!

Best wishes for a great new year and restful and healthy Winter Break. Stay tuned for another edition next month,

*-the Biology Department*

...have something Department-related to share in the next newsletter? Please email Joe Trapani