

New Faces, Big Changes

Can You Name These Pacificans?



Vice President for Development Appointed

Christopher M. Johnston has been appointed as vice president for Development. Johnston will oversee fundraising for the University and begin planning for a future comprehensive campaign. He begins his new role at Pacific in August.

Johnston is currently interim assistant vice chancellor for University Advancement at the University of California, Irvine, where he is responsible for the strategic management of the university's campus development operations. Under the vice

chancellor, he played a key role in directing UC Irvine's \$1 billion "Shaping the Future" comprehensive campaign, which recently surpassed its halfway point (currently at \$524 million), involving nearly 128,000 gifts and donors.

Not a newcomer to Pacific, Johnston was senior director of development for the Eberhardt School of Business and the School of Engineering and Computer Science from 1997 to 2000. He was also acting director of the Office of Alumni and Parent Programs at Pacific.

Two New Regents Appointed to Pacific's Board

Randy Hayashi '85, '88 and Doug Eberhardt '59 were appointed to the Pacific Board of Regents. Their three-year terms started July 1.

Hayashi is a graduate of College of the Pacific and Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry. A Modesto dentist, he is a leader in his profession and is active in national and regional dental associations. He serves on the Board of Directors for CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates) of Stanislaus County and is a founding supporter of the Gallo Center for the Arts and the State Theatre in Modesto.

Last year, Hayashi served on the Presidential Search Committee. He is a member of the Pacific Tigers Athletics Association and past president of the Pacific Alumni Association. He has been active on committees including the National Commission, the Alumni Center Campaign Committee, the Pacific Fund panel and the Alumni House Committee.

Eberhardt is a graduate of the Eberhardt School of Business, which was named for the family in 1995 in recognition of their generous and substantial support to the school and the University. He served on the Board of Regents from 2000–2009 and also on the National Commission. He was inducted into the Pacific Athletics Hall of Fame in 2003 for his participation on the 1956 championship water polo team.

Eberhardt is president and CEO of the Bank of Stockton which has \$2 billion in assets and 17 branches. He has been very active in the community, serving in leadership roles on various boards and commissions. In 2007, he received the Central Valley Association of Realtors and the Stockton Chamber of Commerce Stocktonian of the Year award for his support of numerous philanthropic endeavors in the city of Stockton.

Ferrillo to Serve as Interim Provost

With the retirement of Provost Phil Gilbertson on June 30, 2010, the search is on for a new provost. President Eibeck announced the appointment of Dr. Patrick J. Ferrillo Jr., dean of the Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry, to serve as interim while the search is conducted.

Dr. Nader Nadershahi, currently associate dean for academic affairs at the dental school, will step into the role of acting dean and will have day-to-day management responsibility for the dental school while Ferrillo serves as interim provost.

The Provost Search Committee under the leadership of Dean Phil Oppenheimer will continue an aggressive national search for the new provost. The administration hopes to complete the search in the next nine months, with a new provost in place by summer 2011.

Interim Dean for School of International Studies

Cynthia Wagner Weick was appointed to serve as interim dean to the School of International Studies beginning June 1. Pacific will begin a nationwide search this fall for a permanent dean.

Weick, a professor in both the Eberhardt School of Business and the School of Engineering and Computer Science and director of the Powell Scholars Program, has been at Pacific since 1990.

She has extensive industry experience as a consultant,

strategic planner and research scientist, and teaches periodically at Mikkeli Polytechnic in Finland, the Helsinki School of Economics and the Monterey Institute of International Studies. Over the course of her career, Weick has worked in 24

different countries.

In addition to her responsibilities for day-to-day operations at the school, Weick will oversee a university-wide planning process related to international education.



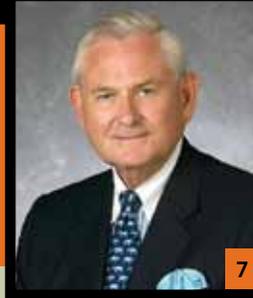
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Fox to Oversee Undergraduate Research

Lydia Fox, associate professor and chair of the Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, has been named director of Undergraduate Research effective July 1. She will oversee all aspects of undergraduate research, including applications for research grants, faculty involvement and the expansion of undergraduate research programs. She will continue to coordinate the annual campus-wide Pacific Undergraduate Research and Creativity Conference, now in its 10th year, which showcases research and original creative projects by undergraduate students.

Fox has been an active member of the Council on Undergraduate Research, a national organization that supports faculty who involve undergraduates in research, for 15 years. She has served on the Council’s executive board and chaired its 2008 National Conference. She has led numerous workshops, funded by a National Science Foundation grant, to help faculty across the country develop undergraduate research programs.

Pacific’s strategic plan, “Pacific Rising 2008–2015,” calls for advancing undergraduate research. Each year, more than 300 undergraduates are involved in a research project at Pacific. These projects have helped students earn top honors and national grants.

Dean Appointed for School of Business

Lewis R. Gale has been appointed dean of the Eberhardt School of Business. Gale has been serving as dean of the John B. Goddard School of Business and Economics at Weber State University in Utah since 2005. He began at Pacific July 12.

Gale, who grew up in the Sacramento area, earned his undergraduate degree in economics from California State University, Fresno, and his master’s and doctorate in economics from Arizona State University. His research interests are in international economics. He has taught courses in international economics, macro and micro economics, banking, monetary

theory and international business.

At Weber State, Gale led a large business school of 2,400 students and 46 faculty. He increased annual donations to the business school by 20 percent, increased its endowment by more than \$2 million and oversaw the creation of a new website for the school. He successfully created numerous community partnerships, expanded an existing relationship with Shanghai Normal University in China and established new relationships with organizations in Europe and Asia.

Dean Ensign to Head African University

School of International Studies (SIS) Dean Margee Ensign announced earlier this year that she was appointed president of the American University in Nigeria, West Africa. Her last day at Pacific was June 30. The American University, established in 2005, is located outside Nigeria’s capital city of Abuja. Board members include Archbishop Desmond Tutu. It has a student body of 1,400 in its three schools. Ensign will be the only female university president in the country.

Ensign came to Pacific in 1998. Under her leadership, SIS has doubled its undergraduate enrollment; added a master’s degree in intercultural relations; established the Gerber endowment and lecture series; and moved the California International Studies Project from Stanford to Pacific, which trains California K–12 teachers in international education and world history.

She re-engaged Callison and Covell college alumni, started the InterAmerican program, established the Global Center for Social Entrepreneurship, moved the Katalysis microfinance organization to Pacific, and established an undergraduate international law program with Pacific McGeorge School of Law.

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- 1: Dr. Patrick J. Ferrillo Jr.
 - 2: Dean Margee Ensign
 - 3: Lydia Fox
 - 4: Randy Hayashi '85, '88
 - 5: Lewis R. Gale
 - 6: Christopher Johnston
 - 7: Doug Eberhardt '59
 - 8: Cynthia Wagner Weick

CAMPUS HAPPENINGS



COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Children's Carnival Encourages Healthy Living

More than 200 students from Lodi Unified School District visited the Thomas J. Long School of Pharmacy and Health Sciences Campus on May 7 for the annual Children's Awareness Carnival Health Fair. The event was hosted by The Children's

Awareness Committee, a pharmacy student group.

Students viewed presentations about asthma, dental hygiene, circulation of the heart, drug awareness, a healthy diet and more, including a firsthand look at the anatomy of the heart by examining a goat heart. Afternoon hands-on learning activities covered sun safety, first aid, hand washing, human anatomy and make-your-own trail mix. Students also participated in basketball, miniature golf, bowling, face painting, and arts and crafts.



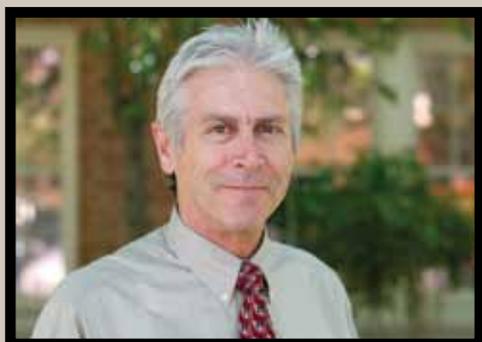
Dental Hope for the Homeless

Several times each year, students and faculty from the Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry volunteer their time and talent to provide dental care for San Francisco's homeless through Project Homeless Connect, a city-supported event offering health and human services to people in need.

The dental school has participated in PHC since 2007. At each event, held at the Bill Graham Civic Auditorium, volunteers spend the day providing screenings and oral health education to the public. Those needing immediate

care are sent to dental clinics throughout the city, including Pacific's own emergency clinic. In early 2010, the dental school furthered its commitment to PHC through a denture pilot project, which provided partial or full dentures for 10 clients. San Francisco Mayor Gavin Newsom publicly thanked the University for its long-standing commitment to San Francisco's most vulnerable population.

To watch a video of PHC volunteers, visit the dental school's YouTube channel at www.YouTube.com/PacificDental.



Christopher Snell

FACULTY SPOTLIGHT

Snell Chairs National Committee

Christopher R. Snell, chair of the Department of Sport Sciences, was appointed as chair of the Chronic Fatigue Syndrome Advisory Committee by Department of Health and Human Services Secretary Kathleen Sebelius. The role of the committee is to make recommendations on CFS that will guide government response to this important healthcare issue. Other members of the committee include representatives from the

Centers for Disease Control, Food and Drug Administration, Health Resource Services Administration, National Institutes for Health and Social Security Administration. Snell's appointment as committee chair places the Pacific Fatigue Laboratory and University of the Pacific in the national political spotlight. The appointment is a tribute to Snell's long-standing contribution of research and public service in this arena.

GRAMMY Foundation Helps Preserve Brubeck Recordings

The GRAMMY Foundation awarded Pacific a \$5,000 grant to preserve Dave Brubeck's recording collection. Pacific was one of only four academic institutions to receive a preservation planning grant in 2010. The project will determine which audio and video recordings are most endangered and develop a plan for implementing the measures. It will start this summer.

The Brubeck Collection, housed in Pacific's Holt-Atherton Special Collections, contains music from rehearsals, jam sessions and audio recordings from the 1940s to the present, numerous interviews with Brubeck, and rare trio and solo recordings. Many of the recordings have never been released to the public, making their preservation even more important, since there are few, if any, other copies of these works. More information on the Brubeck Collection can be found at: <http://Library.Pacific.edu/HA/Brubeck>



SEEN AND HEARD

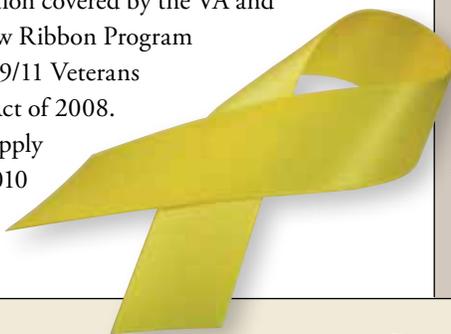
Walter Robb

Robb Advocates Sustainability

Whole Foods CEO and Pacific Regent Walter Robb was the featured speaker for the Pacific Business Forum in February, sponsored by Eberhardt School of Business. Robb's talk on "Business and Sustainability in the 21st Century: Observations of a Retailer," discussed the advantages of sustainable business practices in the modern environment, using examples from Whole Foods Market.

Yellow Ribbon Program Comes to Pacific

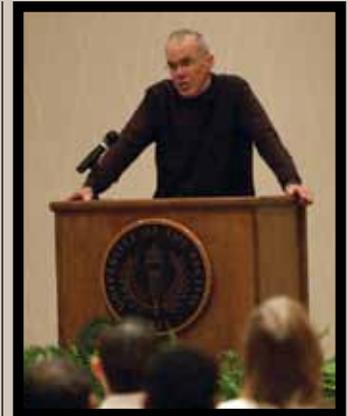
Pacific was notified by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs that it was accepted as a qualified institution under The Yellow Ribbon GI Education Program. The program allows veterans to attend Pacific, with a significant portion of their expenses and tuition covered by the VA and the University. The Yellow Ribbon Program is a provision of the Post-9/11 Veterans Educational Assistance Act of 2008. Qualified veterans may apply for benefits for the fall 2010 semester.



Pacific Named One of the Top "Green" Colleges in the U.S.

The Princeton Review's "Guide to 286 Green Colleges," released in April included Pacific in its list, which recognizes institutions that have comprehensive policies that encourage energy conservation, recycling, sustainability and environmental literacy. The announcement came two days before Earth Day and near the end of Pacific's "Sustainability Month," which included: lectures with well-known environmentalists such as Rick Bass and Bill McKibben; joining the RecycleMania national competition to enhance recycling efforts; and other activities designed to increase the University community's awareness of environmental issues.

In October 2009, Pacific's Board of Regents passed a new policy that requires all new buildings to be LEED-certified or the equivalent. The LEED Green Building Rating System is



Environmentalist Bill McKibben, author of "The End of Nature" and "Deep Economy," kicked off a month-long focus on sustainability at Pacific.

a third-party certification program and the nationally accepted benchmark for the design, construction and operation of high-performance green buildings. Find out more about the University's sustainability efforts, activities and educational programs at Pacific at <http://go.Pacific.edu/Sustainability>.

CENTER STAGE

Black History Month

CNN's Soledad O'Brien was the keynote speaker for Pacific's annual Black History Month Celebration in February. The popular annual Gospel Fest Concert featured rising star Deon Kipping and was held for the first time in Atherton Auditorium at San

Joaquin Delta College. Other events included a screening of O'Brien's "Black in America" documentary, a poetry reading by Samiya Bashir, roundtable discussions and a health and heritage fair.



Left: Soledad O'Brien Above: Deon Kipping

CAMPUS HAPPENINGS



Pacific Hosts Regional College Fair

University of the Pacific hosted a regional college fair for the Western Association for College Admission Counseling on May 2 in Alex G. Spanos Center. More than 100 universities and colleges from throughout the nation, Canada and the British Isles were represented. An estimated 1,200 students and family members came to learn about college opportunities.

“ENOUGH IS ENOUGH” A Campaign Against Violence

Students and staff at Pacific explored different approaches to reducing violence as part of the national “Enough Is Enough” campaign in April. “Enough Is Enough” was initiated by NASPA, the national organization for student affairs professionals, in response to the Virginia Tech shootings. It combines the resources of colleges and universities, K-12 schools and various community agencies to reduce societal violence. Pacific was selected by NASPA to serve as a model school for “Enough is Enough” as the first school to host the program.

The campaign kicked off with a student art show and a performance by “Kelly and Becca” that focused on different aspects of sexual

assault. At the Heroes Awards Ceremony, 20 awards were given to individuals in the local and university community acknowledging their work to reduce violence. Other highlights were a fund-raiser which raised \$2,100 for the Women’s Shelter of San Joaquin County, a play by Naomi Ackerman, and an exploration of all the factors that can lead to violence called “Conflict: Everyone Plays a Role.”



WORLD CHANGERS

Students Attend Clinton Global Initiative-University

President Eibeck joined 15 Pacific students representing all of Pacific’s schools and colleges chosen to attend the Clinton Global Initiative-University event in Miami, Florida. To be selected, each student had to make a commitment of what they would do to spark positive change. At the event, they met students, university faculty, celebrity icons and global leaders, including former President Bill Clinton.

IT TAKES A RAINBOW CONFERENCE

Focuses on Issues of the LGBTQIA



Miss Coco Peru

Pacific hosted the second “It Takes a Rainbow: Bridging the Mountains to the Bay” conference for the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Questioning, Intersex and Ally (LGBTQIA) community on February 20. The conference included a variety of programs

and speakers, including Peter Paige of the hit television series “Queer as Folk,” Stockton City Council Member Susan Eggman and the closing act, Miss Coco Peru. More than 225 people attended from throughout California and Arizona.

Peter Paige



EXTREME GRADUATES

Law School Graduates the Youngest and Oldest

All graduation ceremonies have their inspirational moments, and Pacific McGeorge's 2010 Commencement on May 15 packed a little more excitement as it marked two milestones to hearten both young and old. Alice Thomas, 79, walked the stage at Sacramento's Memorial Auditorium as the oldest-ever graduate, to a deafening roar from the crowd and a standing ovation from the faculty. Minutes later, Zachary Powell, 19,

was announced as the youngest-ever graduate as the audience let out an audible, collective gasp.

Thomas' journey through law school has been chronicled in national publications. The former construction company controller and paralegal attended law school, she said, to refute the media stereotype of older adults as "doddering fools." Her studies were delayed while she cared for a dying loved one, and she later found time to spend 20 hours a week working in Pacific McGeorge's free Elder Clinic. Thomas is studying to take the State Bar of California exam

in July — just days after her 80th birthday.

Powell is a Japanese-American prodigy from Rio Vista. At age 9, he started taking classes at Solano County Community College. At 13, he transferred to UC Berkeley after earning his associate degree. He commuted to Cal and graduated two years later with a bachelor's in mathematics and environmental science.

Powell never discussed age with his classmates, who accepted him as a rather young-looking peer. After he



Zachary Powell '10 and Alice Thomas '10

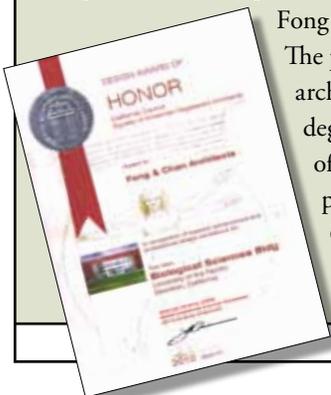
crossed the graduation stage, one of his best friends said, "Hey, dude, I never knew you were 19!"



AWARDS AND ACCOLADES

Design Award to Biological Sciences Center

Pacific's Biological Sciences Center received an Award of Honor from the California Council of the Society of American Registered Architects in recognition of superior achievement and professional design excellence. The entry was submitted by Fong & Chan, the building's architects. The professional jury of practicing architects in California cited a high degree of detailing and great use of brick masonry. The award was presented during the Society's annual Celebration of Architecture event held in San Francisco in April.



STUDENT SCHOLARS

Engineering Students Receive High Honors

Mechanical engineering and engineering management major Benjamin Alldritt '10 was awarded a Fulbright Scholarship in April. Nearly 9,000 students applied for the prestigious scholarship this year, and only about 17 percent received them.



Benjamin Alldritt '10

Alldritt, who is also a Powell Scholar, was awarded the Fulbright for his research involving the design and construction of a new exoskeleton system that allows paraplegics to operate their legs without external supports such as crutches. He will use the award during the 2010–2011 academic year for research at HAMK University of Applied Sciences in Hämeenlinna, Finland.

He is one of three engineering students who reached the final stages of competition for prestigious national awards in 2010. Matthew Lemmon '11 received an Honorable Mention for a Goldwater Scholarship, and Grant Hollis '09 was one of a select group who made it to final interviews for a Rhodes Scholarship. Pacific's Fellowship Office recognized all the students who applied for national scholarships this year at a reception in May.