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Pacific is a co-educational university of 1000 which offers a liberal arts program with a career focus. Its roots lie deep in Oregon history: the school was founded by Congregationalist missionaries who were involved in shaping other educational, governmental and religious institutions of the infant state. Today the university looks ahead with a creative, innovative approach to education designed to meet the needs of present and future generations of students.

Here are some of the factors that make Pacific University a special kind of place to learn and grow, including especially the unique "3-1" career internship program, the "7-7-3" academic calendar and the participatory "governance" structure.

- Pacific University has three main divisions:
 College of Arts and Sciences, granting Bachelor of
 Arts and Bachelor of Science degrees, plus a Graduate
 Studies Program leading to Master of Arts in Teaching
 and Master of Science in Teaching degrees;
 - School of Music, granting Bachelor of Music degrees;

College of Optometry, granting Doctor of Optometry degrees.

- The "3-1" plan offers a career focus to liberal arts studies. At Pacific, formal academic work may be condensed into the first three years. From seven to thirty weeks of the fourth year may be spent in an internship geared to giving students supervised, practical experience in careers they hope to pursue.
- Under the "7-7-3" system, the academic calendar is divided into six periods of time: two terms of seven weeks each; a three-week term; two more seven-week terms and a final term of three weeks. During the seven-week session, a student enrolls for two academic courses and for only one during the three-week term. This calendar provides opportunity for more personal attention, for greater concentration of study and, perhaps most importantly, for more creative and innovative education.
- "Governance" promotes participatory educational democracy by bringing students, faculty, alumni, administrators, trustees and staff employees into partnership in all matters of campus concern.

- Students from 40 states and 17 foreign countries come together at Pacific to learn from and with each other.
- 110 full-time and part-time professors result in a student-faculty ratio of 12 to 1, and ensure small classes and much opportunity for student-faculty interaction.
- The campus is 53 tree-shaded acres—a corner of green serenity in environmentally conscious Oregon—located 25 miles west of Portland in Forest Grove, within easy driving range of scenic ocean beaches and challenging ski slopes.
- Through the academic year, special feature events include the Music in May Festival, Parents Weekend, Hawaiian Luau, Black Culture Week, United Nations Week and Homecoming.
- Pacific is affiliated with the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA). It fields varsity teams in various sports, including male squads in football, basketball, baseball, track, tennis, golf, swimming, wrestling, soccer, bowling; female squads in softball, basketball,

volleyball, tennis, swimming, track, field hockey, bowling, gymnastics. Pacific also has an active intermural program.

· Pacific University is an accredited member of the Northwest Association of Secondary and Higher Schools; the National Commission on Accrediting; the American Council of Education; the Association of American Colleges; the Council of Protestant Colleges and Universities; the Oregon Colleges Foundation; the Council for Higher Education of the United Church of Christ; the Oregon Independent Colleges Association. Pacific is also a corporate member of the American Association of University Women. The University is approved by the Oregon State Board of Education for the training of elementary and secondary school teachers, and is a member of the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education. The College of Optometry is accredited by the Council on Optometric Education of the American Optometric Association, and the School of Music by the National Association of Schools of Music.

PACIFIC UNIVERSITY CAMPUS MAP

FOREST GROVE, OREGON

PACIFIC UNIVERSITY CAMPUS MAP

1 MARSH HALL, the central administration building. Built in 1896, this stately, ivy-covered structure is named for Pacific University's first president, Sidney Harper Marsh. Also houses faculty offices, classrooms, and charming Brighton Chapel.

2 OLD COLLEGE HALL, the oldest building in continuous academic use west of the Mississippi River. Built in 1850, it now houses the University Museum, Civil War soldiers were recruited on its front norch.

3 HERRICK HALL, men's residence. This building was a women's residence for many years. It was re-built in 1905 after fire destroyed original frame structure, constructed in 1881.

4 COLLEGE OF OPTOMETRY, Jefferson and Brombach Halls. Jefferson Hall was completed in 1957; Brombach in 1967. This college in early years was boused in the basement of Marsh Hall, now has grown into one of the largest optometry institutions in the nation.

5 WARNER HALL, center for dramatic arts and the Speech and Biology Departments. Named for Dr. and Mrs. Franklin H, Warner; built in 1947. The Tom Miles Theater is located here. About four plays a year are produced at the theater.

6 TABITHA BROWN HALL, named in honor of Pacific's founder. Brown Hall formerly was the home of the student center and University bookstore, now houses the Art Gallery and offices.

7 CARNEGIE BUILDING, built by Carnegie Foundation funds in 1912, to house the University Library. Will soon be the home of the University's electronic self-learning center, and the Education and Speech Departments.

HARVEY W. SCOTT MEMORIAL LIBRARY, completed in summer of 1967, the University's newest building. Named for Pacific's first graduate (class of 1863), a pioneering editor of The Oregonian.

9 BATES HOUSE, headquarters of Dean of Students, and Dean of Women and the Departments of English and Religion. Formerly the President's House.

10 JUDITH SCOTT WALTER HALL, women's residence built in 1952 and expanded in 1963. Currently is the campus home for 250 coeds.

11. McCORMICK HALL, men's residence, Constructed in 1923, refurbished and expanded in 1965, Houses 180 men. Erected as a gift from Mrs. Robert L. McCormick who wanted "a real home for Pacific men as they begin their preparation for duties as fine, upstanding citizens of the United States".

12 WASHBURNE HALL, the University Center. This \$1 million building is the center of compus activity. It houses the University commons, meeting rooms, game rooms, lounge, snack bar, bookstore, and the student infirmary.

13 THE UNIVERSITY GYMNASIUM, built in 1911, one year before the Carnegie Building. Athletic Department offices are located here, as well as a practice basketball court and physical education facilities.

14 HARVEY CLARKE HALL, named after a pioneer who helped found Pacific University. This building now used as two separate residences—one wing for men, the other for women. Some 200 students live here.

15 KNIGHT HALL, School of Music building, Purchased in 1945. The building was originally used as a dormitory for men, then women.

16 WALKER HALL, also used by the School of Music for classroom instruction private instruction and for individual practice.

17 McCREADY FIELD, home of the Badger football team, Pacific University is a member of the Northwest Collegiate Athletic Conference and fields varsity teams in basketball, football, wrestling, tennis, golf, cross country, track and field, and baseball.

18 VISITOR PARKING LOT, should be used only for short periods of time. Public street parking should be used during lengthy visits.

19 TENNIS COURTS, used by Physical Education classes, the varsity team, and individual students

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Facts About PACIFIC UNIVERSITY Forest Grove, Oregon

Historical Synopsis

Pacific University has its roots in a school for orphans that was established in 1841 at North Plains by the Rev. and Mrs. Harvey Clarke. The school was later moved to the present site of the campus in Forest Grove. Clarke, a graduate of Oberlin College, came to Oregon as an independent Congregationalist missionary intending to work with the Indians.

In 1847 Tabitha Moffatt Brown came to Oregon and visited the Clarkes. She became interested in their work and assisted in teaching the children. The Rev. Clarke and Alvin T. Smith, inspired by her assistance, made arrangements for the children of the area to be taught in a log church which they built on what is now the campus of the University. By 1848, Mrs. Brown had become "housemother" of the students and a driving force of the school.

In the summer of 1848, the Rev. George H. Atkinson arrived in Oregon, commissioned by the Home Missionary Society of Boston to "found an academy that shall grow into a college." Atkinson joined with Clarke in proposing the project to a meeting of Congregational and Presbyterian ministers in July, 1848, in Oregon City. The assembled ministers decided to establish the proposed school and Clarke's offer of his orphan school as a nucleus for the new academy was gladly accepted.

One of the first acts of the Territorial Legislature at its first meeting September 29, 1849, was the issuance of a charter establishing "Tuality Academy and a university to be begun." In 1854 a new charter was issued granting full privileges to "Tualatin Academy and Pacific University." Pacific awarded the first baccalaureate degree granted west of the Rocky Mountains to Harvey W. Scott in 1863.

Through the years Pacific has retained its identity as a private liberal arts university. Within the framework of the university, there now are three components—the College of Arts and Sciences; the School of Music, which dates from 1884; and the College of Optometry, which was formerly located in Portland, Oregon, and became part of Pacific in 1945.

Academic Program

Historically Pacific University has conformed to the traditional pattern of education in private colleges across the nation. The fall of 1973 marked the beginning of a new concept of education at Pacific.

This concept could be characterized as a liberal arts education with a career focus. It is the intent of this new program to demonstrate both the personal and career relevance of the liberal arts education. Since the University accepts students as individuals with differing needs, the new approach seeks to tailor the individual's program of study to his specific personal and vocational goals.

The faculty, the administration, the staff and all of the educational facilities exist for one purpose--to provide Pacific University students with the very best possible education. Pacific's professors are aware that teaching and learning are intensely interpersonal experiences.

The new educational program at Pacific University has been designed with the express purpose of involving students and faculty members in the learning experience as fully as possible. The program consists of three basic parts—the 3-1 program; the 7-7-3 calendar; and a Common Inquiry core of courses.

The 3-1 program is a response to a number of suggestions made by the Carnegie Commission on Higher Education. The Commission recommended de-emphasizing classroom work and increasing the involvement of students in the world. In the 3-1 program the bachelor's degree still requires four years of study, but much of the fourth year is to be spent off-campus in career internship experiences or on-campus in individual research and study.

The career internship is designed to re-orient the undergraduate program to make it more career-oriented, and to offer the student launching speed as he moves on toward his next objective, whether it be a job, or entrance into a graduate school.

Pacific University has also adopted a new calendar called the 7-7-3 calendar, so designated to indicate the number of weeks in each term of study. The academic year is divided into two seven-week terms in the fall, a winter three-week term and two seven-week terms in the spring. The student normally enrolls for two regular academic courses and one or two "experiential courses" each seven-week term, and one academic course in a three-week term. One very important reason for the conception and inception of this plan is to permit both the student and the faculty to concentrate on only two courses at a time. This creates a more personalized learning experience.

A part of Pacific's new curriculum is the Common Inquiry courses, designed to demonstrate the personal and social relevance of the liberal arts. In this core of studies each academic discipline brings its own special expertise to the topic of Common Inquiry. Each Pacific University student is required to take three such courses during his college career. Periodic symposia are held drawing on the resources of the Common Inquiry classes, as well as outside experts in each of the fields.

Finances

The operating budget for the 1974-75 fiscal year was \$2,974,000. The largest expenditure, \$1,553,000, was for faculty and staff salaries, most of which is returned directly to the immediate Forest Grove community.

As of June 30, 1974, the total assets of the University were \$15,212,592. Of this amount, \$10,641,694 consisted of physical plant, land and equipment. The remainder was in notes and accounts receivable, investments, advances and deposits.

Sources of income for the University include student tuition, endowment income, gifts and grants from the United Church of Christ, alumni, parents, foundations, business, industry and other friends of the University and payments for services.

During the 1973-74 fiscal year, Pacific received gifts and grants totaling \$736,513.* The largest amount, \$348,883, was given by the Federal government to the College of Optometry.

Student tuition pays about 60% of educational costs. The remainder of the University's operating budget is met through gifts and grants from private, Federal and State sources.

Income from residence halls and the campus food service is used to operate, maintain and amortize long-term Federal loans on those facilities.

The present bonded indebtedness of the University is \$3,773,000.

*This did not include Federal and State aid to students.

Church Affiliation and Governing Board

Pacific is one of 32 colleges and universities affiliated with the United Church of Christ.

The University is governed by a 42-member board of trustees.

Faculty and Staff

The Pacific University faculty, staff, and related personnel in 1974-75 totaled 154 persons, including the president, members of the administration and 70 full-time and 10 part-time faculty members. In addition the University employs 54 secretaries, clerks and other personnel.

Of the 66 full-time faculty, 16 are full professors, 83% of whom have their doctorates, 21 are associate professors, 86% of whom have their doctorates, 25 are assistant professors, 38% of whom have their doctorates, and four are instructors. The student-faculty ratio is 12 to 1.

During the 1974-75 academic year, the average faculty compensation was \$13,364.

Students

Total enrollment for the 1974 first seven weeks was 1,010, including 986 full-time students and 24 part-time students.

Among the students who declared a traditional major for the 1974 fall term the breakdown was as follows:

- 31 Biology 4 Physics 94 Business and Economics 9 Political Science
- 4 Chemistry 36 Psychology
 45 Communications 3 Religion
 39 Elementary Education 26 Sociology
- 14 English 16 Speech
- 11 Foreign Languages / 26 Speech Correction
- 4 General Science 13 Studio Arts
- 9 History 1 Humanities 11 Mathematics
- 4 Philosophy
- 67 Physical Education and Health

Among the students who declared an advisory group major for the 1974 fall term the breakdown was as follows:

- 5 Applied Sciences and Health
- 6 Business Administration and Public Administration
- 9 Coordinated Studies in the Arts and Sciences
- 18 Creative Arts
- 58 Health Services
- 11 Legal and Governmental Services
- 7 Social and Community Services

There were 106 students with undeclared majors, and 33 students enrolled in the School of Music. In the professional program offered by the College of Optometry there were 297 students, and there was one student majoring in optics, and one graduate student majoring in physiological optics. There were also five graduate students majoring in the education of the hearing impaired. Students at Pacific came from 38 states and 15 foreign countries.

About 58% of Pacific's students receive some form of financial assistance. During the 1974-75 school year, approximately \$800,000 was available for financial aid. This money came from Pacific University funds, Federal grants and loans, state grants, work-study programs, and educational loans through local banks.

Alumni

Pacific University has 10,000 alumni. Some of the outstanding alumni are:

Les	AuCoin	U.S. Congressman
		Oregon 1st District

Dr.	William	R.	Baldwin	President			
				Massachusetts	College	of	Optometry

Byron Blankinship	Consul General
	Amsterdam, the Netherlands

Dr.	Jason	Boe	President				
			Oregon S	State	Senate		

Merle E.	Bryan	President
		Forest Grove National Bank

Dr.	James	W.	Bushong	Retired President
				Kamahamaha School, Honolulu

L. H.	. Gregory	Retired Sports	Editor
		The Oregonian	

William	A.	Hilliard	City Editor
			The Oregonian

Dr. Roy E. Lieuallen	Chancellor				
	Oregon State System of				
	Higher Education				

Dr.	Ellis	J.	Lucia	Noted	autho	or and	writer	
Rona	ld M.	McC	Creight	Group	Vice	Presid	dent	

Men's Division, Jantzen, Inc.

Peter Miller

National Director Veterans Administration Volunteer Service

Marjorie Moon

Treasurer State of Idaho

Dr. Donald E. Morrison

Past President
National Education Association

Dr. Robert T. Oliver

Research Professor Emeritus Pennsylvania State University and author of 15 books

Dr. Edward G. Olsen

Noted author, educator and authority on intergroup relations

Capt. Homer Shaver

Retired President
Shaver Transportation Company

Dr. Thomas S. Thompson

President
Morningside College, Iowa

Calvin L. Van Pelt

Vice President White Stag

The Library

Pacific University takes pride in Harvey W. Scott Memorial Library. This is due not only to the attractiveness of the facility, but also to the competence of the staff and the quality of the growing collection of 100,000 volumes. Besides the 100,000 volumes, other materials are available to serve the research needs of Pacific University and the Forest Grove community. Among these are a large United States Government Depository Library, an extensive collection of reference works, and 856 current periodical titles. In addition, the Scott Library has filmstrips, records, tapes, programmed texts and other types of audio-visual learning materials.

The Scott Library not only serves its own immediate clientele, the Pacific University community, but it also furnishes supplementary library service to the local residents of Forest Grove. Involved with both local, regional and national cooperative efforts to share resources, the Scott Library borrows materials from larger libraries and lends to local public and high school libraries. Modern libraries recognize that sharing of individual resources means that, collectively, a wider range of materials is available to all.

The services of the Harvey W. Scott Memorial Library, in keeping with the goals of Pacific University, extend well beyond its own academic environment and are of benefit to a large segment of the county and state.

Membership and Accreditation

American Alumni Council

American Association for Higher Education

American Association of College Registrars and Admission Officers

American Association of Colleges for Teacher Training

American Council of Education

American Personnel and Guidance Association

Association of American Colleges

Association of College Admissions Counselors

Association of Schools and Colleges of Optometry

College and University Personnel Association

College Music Society

College Placement Council

Council of Protestant Colleges and Universities

Council on Optometric Education of the American Optometric Association

Music Teachers National Association

National Association of Admissions Counselors

National Association of College Book Stores

National Association of Schools of Music

National Association of Women Deans and Counselors

National Band Association

National Commission on Education

National Opera Association

Northwest Association of Private Colleges and Universities

Northwest Association of Secondary and Higher Schools

Northwest College Personnel Association

Oregon Independent College Association

Oregon Independent College Foundation

Oregon State Board of Education

Pacific Association of College Registrars and Admissions Officers

Western College Placement Association

Special Programs

Pacific University maintains several special programs to aid local and regional residents.

Speech Therapy Clinic

During 1971-72 and again in 1972-73 the Speech Therapy Clinic saw approximately 20 children per year. The majority of these children were seen on a one-to-one basis with speech therapy student clinicians. In addition, upper division student clinicians have worked in the Forest Grove, Washington County IED, Hillsboro Elementary Schools, Beaverton and Portland Public Schools.

The Clinic provides diagnostic services as well as regularly scheduled therapy sessions with individual patients.

Audiological Testing Service

As part of the Speech and Hearing Clinic, audiological testing services have been performed for local residents since 1970. In addition to these audiometric examinations, the Audiological Clinic performed pre-employment audiograms for Stimson Lumber Company from November 1970 to June 1972. During this time 134 individual tests were administered. The average patient requires approximately four hours for examination, counseling and report development.

Optometric Clinics

The College of Optometry and Pacific University sponsor three optometric clinics in the local and regional area. The Forest Grove Clinic saw approximately 3300 patients for a total of 9150 patient visits during the 1973-74 period. The Portland Clinic saw approximately 1500 patients for a total of 5800 patient visits, and the Albina Clinic saw approximately 1150 patients for a total of 3300 patient visits.

Third and fourth year optometry students, supervised by clinical staff optometrists and College of Optometry faculty members, serve the Forest Grove, Portland, and Albina clinics. Of the 3300 patients visiting the Forest Grove Clinic, 34% were over the age of 40, and 18% were under the age of 18. The Forest Grove Clinic is open to anyone in the local community.

The College of Optometry also has specialty clinics in low vision, strabismus (crossed eyes), vision training, contact lenses, developmental vision, pathology detection and infant/child vision testing.

Physical Therapy

Pacific University is currently in the process of implementing a professional program in physical therapy. The first class will consist of sixteen students who will enroll in September, 1975, for twenty-one months of study. Students who successfully complete the course will be granted a Bachelor of Science degree. Holders of the baccalaureate degree at entrance will be granted a Certificate in Physical Therapy.

The establishment of a physical therapy program at Pacific University will continue the University's long-standing and continuing commitment to provide the fullest range of health services education possible in a small liberal arts private university setting.

Preparatory Department

The Preparatory Department is maintained by the School of Music to provide private and class music instruction for non-college students, including children. In addition to instru-

mental and voice lessons, the students may participate in theory classes geared to their age levels. The purpose is to provide background for students who are not far enough advanced to receive University credit in the applied music branches of study and to offer private music instruction to all who may wish training without University credit. Private lessons are offered in the following: Baritone Horn, Clarinet, Bassoon, Double Bass, Flute, French Horn, Oboe, Organ, Percussion, Piano, Saxophone, Trombone, Trumpet, Tuba, Viola, Violin, Violoncello, Voice.

Other Programs and Services

Other specialty services provided by the University include reading clinics; student assistants in local schools; special programs offered by the Department of Physical Education; auditing free of charge for senior citizens; free or low-cost cultural and entertainment events; citizen use of the Athletic Center for a nominal charge; and a low-cost labor force for local business and industry.



Pacific University

in Oregon

- Founded in 1849 by Congregationalists
- Only college on the West Coast in the Council for Higher Education of the United Church of Christ
- Students who receive scholarship awards from a United Church of Christ are eligible to receive matching scholarships from Pacific. Those students with demonstrated financial need are eligible to have church awards of up to \$800 matched by University funds, provided that the total does not exceed the student's need. For students without need, awards of up to \$500 will be matched.
- School of Music
- College of Optometry
- College of Arts and Sciences with majors in Biology, Business and Economics, Chemistry, Communications, Education, English, Fine Arts (Dance, Theatre, Studio Arts), Modern Languages (Spanish, French, German), History, Mathematics, Music, Optics, Philosophy, Physical Education, Physical Therapy, Physics, Political Science, Psychology, Religion, Sociology, Speech, Speech Pathology, Therapeutic Recreation.

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