Happy New Year!

It is a great honor to represent all of you as your Alumni Association president from July 1, 2011 – June 30, 2012. All of the volunteers who make up the Pacific Alumni Association Board of Directors are hard at work to fulfill our mission: strengthening the relationships between alumni, students, faculty and staff by encouraging participation in and awareness of the University, while enriching the lives of alumni.

The board continues to provide the Association’s staff with strategic direction in developing and maintaining programming and benefits for all of us alumni. Our focus is on developing leaders to support the Association’s regional and affinity club programs, the Student Alumni Connection’s mentoring program, and our traditional reunion programs. I encourage you to get involved in any (or all!) of these opportunities to connect with Pacific.

Critical objectives for the Pacific Alumni Association in 2011–12 include:
- Participating in the University’s strategic planning initiative
- Bringing together the leaders of Pacific’s main alumni associations from all three campuses for collaboration and idea sharing
- Facilitating the growth of new affinity and regional alumni clubs; connecting a greater number of alumni with Pacific
- Identifying nominees for the Association’s board of directors to ensure we have a board that reflects Pacific’s rich, diverse alumni base
- Operating and programming for our beautiful new Alex and Jeri Vereschagin Alumni House, one of the only buildings on the Stockton campus built almost entirely through gifts from alumni and friends

The Alex and Jeri Vereschagin Alumni House, our new home on campus, has already been the site of scores of events, meetings and activities since its opening last summer. We invite all alumni to take advantage of the facility. Although there are applicable use fees, alumni are offered deep discounts. If you are planning to host a private function on the Stockton campus, consider using the Alex and Jeri Vereschagin Alumni House. Please stop by for a tour anytime you’re on campus. Our Association staff would love to show you around.

It is an exciting time to be involved with the University. Seek out an opportunity to volunteer, or consider a gift to your alma mater. Whatever you do, look for a way to stay connected to our great University. For more information regarding the programs or goals highlighted above, please contact the Pacific Alumni Association at 209.946.2391 or pacificalumni@pacific.edu.

Sincerely,

Norman Allen Esq.
Pacific Alumni Association President
The 2012 Alumni Directory is Coming!
Over the next few months, we will be collecting updated contact information and data from alumni. Please watch your mailbox for the directory campaign postcards and respond with your updated information! In the fall, you will have an opportunity to purchase a hard copy or CD version of the new Alumni Directory.

Please Respond
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PACIFIC ADVENTURES TIGER TREKS 2012
An Exclusive Alumni Education and Travel Experience

Waterways of Russia
July 4–17
Cruise along the imperial waterways of Russia and embark on a cultural odyssey from elegant Moscow to St. Petersburg.

Tuscany, Italy
May 16–24

Spain
with Professors Jim Haffner and Matt Krejci
May 30 – June 7

European Mosaic Cruise — Portugal, Morocco, Spain, France, Monaco and Italy
June 16–27

Oregon Shakespeare Festival
with Professor Courtney Lehmann
August 10–13

Baltic Treasures Cruise — Denmark, Germany, Poland, Sweden, Latvia, Estonia, Russia and Finland
August 10–21

Grand Danube Passage
September 20 – October 5

Dordogne, France
September 20–28

Islands of Antiquity, Athens to Athens
October 15–30

DISCOVER THE WONDERS OF THE WORLD ON PACIFIC ALUMNI TRAVEL TOURS!

The new Vereschagin Alumni House is quickly becoming a popular hub for events on campus. Since opening in August, we have hosted dozens of events for students, faculty, staff, alumni and community members here. Consider renting the Vereschagin Alumni House for your special event. Alumni receive a 50 percent discount on rental fees.

For information or to reserve, contact the Pacific Alumni Association at 866.575.7229 or visit www.PacificAlumni.org/Vereschagin

For more information on these and other trips and cruises, contact Kelli (Williams) Page ’87 in the Pacific Alumni Association toll-free at 866.575.7229 or visit PacificAlumni.org/Travel.
Regional Pacific Clubs

East Bay Alumni Club
In August, more than 100 students at the Boys and Girls Club of Oakland enjoyed a pizza party hosted by Pacific alumni in the East Bay. The director of the Boys and Girls Clubs of Oakland is Cal Stanley ’79.

Hawaii Alumni Pacific Club
Ninety-five alumni, family and friends attended the pregame reception at the Westin Moana Surfrider Hotel in Waikiki before cheering on our lady Tigers during the University of Hawaii-Manoa’s annual volleyball tournament in September.

Sacramento Pacific Club
In July, the club celebrated Pacific’s birthday with Alumni Night at the River Cats — more than 35 alumni attended the baseball game at Raley Field in West Sacramento.

San Joaquin Pacific Club
In September, new transfer students to Pacific were invited to a dinner with alumni at the home of Alumni Association director Bill Coen and his wife, Jan. PAA board members Lee Neves ’97 and Pam Gibbs ’92 shared their Pacific memories.

Monterey Bay Pacific Club
In July, alumni enjoyed beer from a local brewery and pizza and beautiful views of the Santa Cruz Beach Boardwalk as they sailed for two hours on the Chardonnay II yacht. In September, the group got together for their annual meet and greet at the Baja Cantina.

San Diego Pacific Club
In July at Petco Park, 19 alumni enjoyed a pregame pizza reception and spent the afternoon watching the San Diego Padres play the San Francisco Giants.

Valley of the Sun Arizona Pacific Club
In July, Arizona alumni celebrated Pacific’s 160th birthday at Aunt Chilada’s restaurant in Phoenix. Among the guests were two current students, Kelsey Rodriguez ’14 and Matt McClure ’15. In October, alumni enjoyed a picnic lunch at the McCormick-Stillman Railroad Park in Scottsdale.
Affinity Clubs

Black Alumni Pacific Club

Approximately 80 people attended Pacific’s first Intergenerational Tea on April 2. The program celebrated the leadership of women of color through the generations. Featured speakers included PAA board member Pam Gibbs ’92 COP; Dr. Marcia Hernandez, COP history professor; and National Council of Negro Women representatives. Alexandria Savage ’12 BUS emceed the event, which was sponsored by several organizations, including the NCNW-Sacramento Valley Section.

Latino Alumni Pacific Club

In October, the club held a reception honoring our Latino regents: Judge Connie Callahan ’75 (above left), former NASA astronaut José Hernandez ’85 and former Pacific Alumni Association board member Armando Flores ’71. Latino Alumni Pacific Club co-chairs Debi Estrada ’80 and John Castellon ’72 (above right) served as the Mistress and Master of Ceremonies, respectively.

Khmer Alumni Pacific Club

Thirty Cambodian alumni enjoyed a meet and greet in the DeRosa University Center in June. This was their first official event as an Alumni Pacific Club. The group also staffed an informational table at the Cambodian New Year Celebration in 2011.

Kilusan Pilipino Alumni Pacific Club

In October, the Kilusan Pilipino Alumni Pacific Club and the Kilusan Pilipino Student Club hosted the annual Barrio Festival at the Alex and Jeri Vereschagin Alumni House.

PRIDE Pacific Alumni Club

In May, the PRIDE Alumni Club hosted the annual Lavender Graduation. Alumni speakers at the event were Malachy McCormick ’10 and Eric Dingler ’87 (right).
1962 50th Reunion
May 4–6, 2012

Weekend Highlights
Friday, May 4, 2012
Class of 1962 Lounge
Campus Tours
Interfaith Baccalaureate Service
Class of 1962 Reunion Reception
Saturday, May 5, 2012
Continental Breakfast
Commencement and Memorial Rose Walk
Half-Century Club Reception and Luncheon
Class of 1962 Reunion Reception and Dinner
Sunday, May 6, 2012
Closing Brunch

For more information, visit PacificAlumni.org/50thReunion or call 866.575.7229

Other Upcoming Reunions in 2012

SIS 25th Anniversary
April 14, 2012
Raymond College 50th Anniversary Celebration
August 3–5, 2012
Come home to Pacific this summer

Renew old friendships as you celebrate reunions and school or college anniversaries.

Get in on the fun at the “Taste of Pacific” Food and Wine Tasting Festival and much, much more.

Take home memories that will last a lifetime.

See you there!

Go Tigers!!

These groups are hosting special reunions at the event:

- 1972 • 40th Reunion
- 1982 • 30th Reunion
- 1987 • 25th Reunion
- 2002 • 10th Reunion
- School of Engineering and Computer Science 55th Anniversary
- Business 35th Anniversary
- Physical Therapy 25th Anniversary
- Alpha Chi Omega
- Eiselen House
- Ritter House
- Wemyss House
- Farley House

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