COMMENCEMENT 2010

The 153rd Commencement ceremony will begin at 9 am on Saturday, May 15 in the Alex G. Spanos Center on the Stockton Campus. All graduates and faculty members are encouraged to attend this ceremony as degrees are conferred at this time.

President Pamela Eibeck will present an honorary doctorate to Don Shalvey, co-founder of Aspire Public Schools, a non-profit charter school management organization. Shalvey will also deliver the Commencement Address. Shalvey’s more than 35 years in public education have been marked by innovation and excellence. In only 10 years, the Aspire organization grew from one to 21 schools throughout California. Though these schools are placed in neighborhoods that historically have as low as six percent of their graduates going on to higher education, Aspire Schools report 95 percent of their graduates are accepted to college.

Three faculty members will receive the Order of Pacific during the ceremony: James W. Blankenship, David B. Fries, and Roseann Hannon. The Order of Pacific was established in 1952 by the Board of Regents as the highest award the University can give. It honors members of Pacific’s community who have given distinguished service and made outstanding contributions to the University over a significant number of years.

Besides the Order of Pacific, the Distinguished Faculty Award will be presented to College of the Pacific History Professor Caroline H. Cox. The Outstanding Student Leader Award will be presented to Charlie Moynahan and Taylor Skinner.

After the commencement ceremony, the individual colleges on the Stockton campus will host their diploma and hooding ceremonies. Hooding ceremonies for Benerd School of Education, College of the Pacific, Eberhardt School of Business, the School of Engineering and Computer Science and the School of International Studies will be at 1 pm, The Conservatory of Music will hold its ceremony at 4 pm and Thomas J. Long School of Pharmacy and Health Sciences at 5 pm. Pacific McGeorge School of Law will hold its ceremony at 1 pm at the Memorial Auditorium in Sacramento. Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry’s commencement is scheduled for June 13 at the Davies Symphony Hall in San Francisco. For complete information on Commencement, visit www.Pacific.edu/Commencement.

EVENTS:

79TH ANNUAL STRAWBERRY BREAKFAST
May 9 • 8:30 am
Regent’s Dining Room
This sell-out event is the oldest continuous fundraiser in Stockton and a favorite Mother’s Day tradition for many in the community.

President Eibeck and Regent Ron Cordes joined 15 Pacific students, representing all of Pacific’s schools and colleges, who were 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.

SENIOR ART EXHIBITION
Exhibit through • May 16
Reynolds Gallery
Annual exhibition of works by seniors in Studio Arts and Graphic Design. Gallery hours: M–F, 8:30 am – 4:30 pm; Saturdays and Sundays, 1–5 pm. Admission is free.

5TH ANNUAL MULTICULTURAL GRADUATION
May 13 • 5 pm
Janet Leigh Theatre
Recognizing the achievement of graduating students from diverse backgrounds.

FAITH DAVIES LEADERSHIP AWARDS
May 14 • 11 am
DeRosa University Center Ballroom
Recognition of students, faculty and staff.

STAFF YEARS OF SERVICE LUNCHEON
May 18 • 11:30 am
Knoles Lawn
Staff members are recognized for their years of service and the Cavanaugh Distinguished Service Award is presented.

BEYOND OUR GATES: CENTRAL VALLEY ARTS AND CULTURE
May 19 • 9 am
Haggin Museum
Final presidential symposium focuses on strengthening cultural expression and the arts in the region.

FIND OUT MORE AT EVENTS.PACIFIC.EDU
On Tuesday May 18 from 11:30 am to 1:30 pm on Knoles Hall Lawn, the University will recognize the following staff for their years of service and present the Cavanaugh Distinguished Service Award.

**40 YEARS OF SERVICE**
- Federico Adames  Support Services

**35 YEARS OF SERVICE**
- Carole Dillard  Library
- Helen Flores  Support Services
- Arthur Hoggard  Support Services

**30 YEARS OF SERVICE**
- Mike Acosta  Office of Information Technology
- Kaye Mooney  Career Resource Center
- Diana Ramos  Support Services

**25 YEARS OF SERVICE**
- Cindy Bogue  Financial Aid
- Gayle Brady  Advancement Services and Research
- Bernadette Kramer  Student Life
- Kimleang Mil  Support Services
- Melody Parks  Financial Aid
- Monique Pioili  Office of Admission
- Jean Purnell  Development
- Carolina Quiroga  The College-Mathematics
- Martin Van Houten  Support Services

**20 YEARS OF SERVICE**
- Joyce Dal Porto  The College-Humanities Hub
- Rita Kwong  Financial Aid
- Christopher Lozano  Eberhardt School of Business
- Linda MacDonald  Athletics
- Susan Martegani  Institutional Advancement
- Guadalupe Mazuka  Pharmacy and Health Sciences
- Norma Peterson  Pharmacy and Health Sciences
- Janet Schippers  Student Life
- Jay St. Clair  Athletics
- Thomas Wilson  Support Services

**15 YEARS OF SERVICE**
- Michelle Coleman  Athletics
- Marcia Fox  Pharmacy and Health Sciences
- Pamela Hauck  Pharmacy and Health Sciences
- Melinda Leal  Benerd School of Education
- Sherry McGee  Pharmacy and Health Sciences
- Elizabeth Miller  Controller/Accounts Payable
- Anthony Peccia  Support Services
- Susan Ramage Biggs  Advancement Services and Research
- Lori Slawson  Student Loan
- Kathleen Sterner  Financial Aid
- Holly White  The College-Psychology (CRP)

**10 YEARS OF SERVICE**
- Denia Andersen  Student Life
- Sally Berry  Human Resources
- Danielle Bosch  Office of Admission
- Carol Brodie  Research and Graduate Studies
- Robert Brodnick  Office of the President
- Deborah Burdick  School of Engineering and Computer Science
- Suzette Calderone  Student Accounts
- Tracy Castillo  Public Safety
- William Coen  Pacific Alumni Association
- Raul Dacpano  Support Services
- Audrey George  Controller
- Sheri Grimes  Marketing and University Communications
- Lesley Hipolito  Student Loans
- Kevin Hogan  Benerd School of Education
- Lisa Islas  Public Safety
- Ravinder Jain  School of Engineering and Computer Science
- Peggy Kay  Office of Information Technology
- Lynn King  Athletics
- Sara Kleinert  The College-Office of the Dean
- Lou Matz  The College-Office of the Dean
- Randall Ogans  Office of Information Technology
- Deborah Perusse  Pacific Alumni Association
- Christel Poulos  Office of Admission
- Patricia Richards  Library
- Toby Rose  Support Services
- Peggy Shubert  School of Engineering and Computer Science
- Timothy Smith  Support Services
- Faye Snowden  Office of Information Technology
- Edith Sparks  The College-Office of the Dean
- James Thompson  Center for Teaching and Learning
- Jacob Williams  Support Services
- Der Yang  Marketing and University Communications

**5 YEARS OF SERVICE**
- Breanne Beseda  Eberhardt School of Business
- Shannon Chi  Controller/Financial Reporting
- Mylon Kirksey  Housing and Greek Life
- Breanne Scogin  Housing and Greek Life
- Elba Serrano  Financial Aid
- Paul Burdick  School of Engineering and Computer Science
- Karri Johnson  Marketing and University Communications
- Leslie Rudbeck  Student Leadership/Involvement
- David Schmidt  International Programs and Services
- Stacie Turks  Cowell Wellness Center
- Margaret Caldwell  Budget and Risk Management
- Mason Lee  Support Services
- Michael Wurtz  Library
- Valerie Seimas  Center for Professional and Continuing Education
- Foong Lye  Speech-Language Pathology
- Lauri McInnis  Pharmacy and Health Sciences
- Jennifer Wood  School of International Studies
- Brett Williams  The College-Chemistry
- Francisco Martin  Controller/Financial Reporting
- Michael Salas  Support Services
- Jeffrey Dougherty  Support Services
- Louisa Jones  Business and Finance
- Elinore Ceballos  The College-Visual Arts
- Jeremy Hanlon  School of Engineering and Computer Science
- Gerardo Rosales  Support Services
- Fernando Ruiz  Support Services
- Joseph Esposito  Office of Information Technology
- Rebecca Davis  Eberhardt School of Business
- Gina Ledesma  Business and Finance/Cashier
- Candace Geiszler  Support Services
- Robyn Grace Jennings  Office of Admission
- Mongkol Kas  Office of PacificCard
- Cynthia Wilson  Support Services
- Penny Mak  Office of Information Technology
- Diane Farrell  Career Resource Center
- Aaron Woliczko  Athletics
- Helena Ferrill  The College-Office of the Dean
- Holly Trexler  Athletics
- Serjio Acevedo  Student Life
- Nikki Hinshaw  Housing and Greek Life
### Noteworthy

Ken Albala, History, was one of four food scholars featured in Food Studies: An Introduction to Research Methods, edited by Jeff Miller and Jonathan Deutsch (Oxford: Berg, 2009).

Raquel Aldana, Pacific McGeorge School of Law, spoke on “Bilingual/Inter-Cultural Legal Education: The Inter-American Program” at the Global Legal Skills Conference V at the Facultad Libre de Derecho de Monterrey in Mexico. She spoke on “Legal Responses to Intra-Family Violence in a Post-Conflict Society” at a conference on “Vulnerable Populations and Economic Realities” at Golden Gate University in San Francisco.

Steven Alexander ’12, Jacob Rogers ’11, Lauren Yasuda ’11 and Nakako Uritani ’10, Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry, represented the school at the American Dental Education Association (ADEA) Annual Session in Washington, D.C. This year, the Dugoni School of Dentistry’s ADEA Chapter was recognized with the Award for Outstanding Advocacy and Ethics.

Alison Hope Alkon, Sociology, presented her paper “A Fertile Field: Cultivating Space for Food Justice” at the Pacific Sociology Association annual conference in Oakland, Calif.

Dr. Daniel J. Bender, Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry, presented on recruiting underrepresented minority students to health professions schools during the American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers (AACRAO) conference in New Orleans. At the event, he was also nominated to serve on AACRAO’s national Elections and Nominations committee. He currently serves as a member of AACRAO’s planning committee for the Professional/Graduate School section.

Jackelin Chavez ’10, Sociology, presented her paper “Homeless Veterans in California: A Theoretical Examination” at the Pacific Sociology Association annual conference in Oakland, Calif.

Robert Coburn, Conservatory of Music, presented a concert at the Center for Computer Research in Music and Acoustics at Stanford University. The performance included two recent works from Coburn’s “Emptiness Cycle” as well as several video works from his SoundImageSound International Festival of Music and Video. He was joined on the concert by David Henderson, Conservatory of Music.

Grace Chen ’12, Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry, has been selected to represent Pacific at the 16th Annual Dental Students Conference on Research sponsored by the American Dental Association Foundation in Washington, D.C.

Qingwen Dong, Patrick Giblin ’11 and Jeff Toney ’09, Communication, published their paper “Social Network Dependency and Intended Political Participation” in Human Communication, A Publication of the Pacific and Asian Communication Association.

Cynthia Eakin and Stephen Wheeler, Eberhardt School of Business, had their paper, “Beta Alpha Psi Faculty Advisor Profiles and the Incentives to Serve,” accepted for publication in Advances in Accounting Education.

Stephen Eakin, Visual Arts, exhibited work in the International Juried Show at Rogue Space in Chelsea, New York City; in the Axis Gallery 2010 Invitational: Pamela Blotner, Kurt Dyrhaug and Stephen Eakin in downtown Sacramento; and at the Texas National at Stephen F. Austin State University in Nacogdoches, Texas. A review of his last solo exhibition “In Memory Of: Stephen Eakin” appeared in the most recent edition of the New Media Caucus, a quarterly international online journal of new media art.

Susan Giraldez, Modern Languages and Literature, had her article “Fiction, Reality, Identity and Madness: The Prince and the Pauper and Don Quixote” published in the volume Don Quixote: The First 400 Years by Universidad Nacional de San Marcos in Lima, Peru.

Alan Gluskin, Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry, served as General Chair of the American Association of Endodontics Annual Session Planning Committee.

Jennifer Helgren, History, and Colleen Vasconcellos of the University of West Georgia, edited and published the volume “Girlhood: A Global History” with Rutgers University Press.

Lucinda Kasser, Visual Arts, has been invited to give a still life painting demonstration in conjunction with her participation in the exhibit “Interiors: Still Life and Interior Landscapes,” at the Knowlton Gallery.

Amy Landers, Pacific McGeorge School of Law, had her article “Author, Ordinary Creativity in Patent Law: The Artist Within the Scientist” published in the Missouri Law Review.

Brian Landsberg, Pacific McGeorge School of Law, spoke about Pacific McGeorge’s LL.M. in Experiential Law Teaching at the law schools of Beijing Normal University, Renmin University, Shanghai University, Sun Yat-sen University, South China University of Technology, and Jinan University on Integrated Legal Education. He also talked about on “The U.S. Constitution and Voting Rights” at Jinan University Law School.

Sandy Mahoney, Assessment and Student Development Services, and Jon Schamber, Communication, presented a poster on “Engaging Faculty and Students in Writing Intensive Learning through the Use of E-Portfolios and Guided Reflection” at the AAC&U Conference in Philadelphia. Mahoney also presented a LEAP CAN Workshop on “Preparing Faculty for the Future” with Alma Clayton-Pederson and Ashley Finley from AAC&U, and Yi-Ping Huang from University of Maryland.

Husna Mohammadi ’11, Carina Oropeza ’12, and Erin Rausch, Center for Community Involvement, presented “Letting Students Lead the Way: A structure promoting student learning as well as operational needs” at the 13th annual Continuums of Service conference Vision, Courage, Leadership: Engagement to Strengthen Communities in Portland, Ore.

Hee Soo Oh and Sheldon Baumrind, Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry, received awards and funding from the American Association of Orthodontists Foundation. Oh was awarded an AAOF Faculty Development Award of $15,000, while Baumrind received a $25,000 grant for research purposes.

Chris J. Sablynshi, Eberhardt School of Business, recently published the article, “The buffering effects of job embeddedness on negative shocks,” coauthored with colleagues from Georgetown, Washington and Northern Illinois, in the Journal of Vocational Behavior. He also presented on the employee retention topic of job embeddedness to the Compensation and Benefits Association of Sacramento and to Human Resources staff of the UC Davis Health System in Sacramento.

Said Shakerin, School of Engineering and Computer Science, published his article “Vortex Apparatus and Demonstrations” in The Physics Teacher.

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John Sprankling and Robert Hawley, Pacific McGeorge School of Law, presented at a Supervising Attorney Workshop and Luncheon sponsored by the Bay Area Consortium on Externships at the State Capitol.

Tanya Storch, Religious and Classical Studies, participated in a prose and poetry reading for the authors of the fifth volume of the “Blue Moon” in John Natsoulas Art Gallery in Davis, Calif.

Chemistry faculty, graduate and undergraduate students presented their research at the 239th National Meeting of the American Chemical Society in San Francisco.

Mikael A Minier ’10 presented a poster “Effects of water-miscible organic solvents on thermal stability of DNA oligonucleotides.” Farah Shaheen ’11 was a co-author. Manali Aggrawal ’12 presented a poster “Investigation on oxidative damage of G quadruplex DNA.”

Wanbo Liu ’12 presented a poster “Utilizing DNA abasic site to design DNA alkylating agents for potential drug resistance suppression.”

Andreas Franz presented a poster “Solution geometry and long-range coupling in carbohydrate mimetics from glycal dimerization.”

Liang Zhao ’11 presented a poster “Analysis of N-linked oligosaccharides from Xenopus laevis vitelline envelope glycoprotein ZPA by mass spectrometry,” coauthored with Dr. Fan Xiang of Shimadzu Biotech Corp., Jerry Hedrick of UC Davis and Andreas Franz.

Rajeev Pandey co-authored a poster “Theoretical study of binding of base on peptide nucleic acid” together with Anthony Vida, Jie Song, and Jonathan Vida from the University of Michigan.

Nataliya Samoshina presented a poster “trans-2-Aminocyclohexanol-based lipids as pH-sensitive conformational switches for the PEG-grafted liposomes,” co-authored by Xin Guo, Thomas J. Long School of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, Barbora Brazdova ’06, Yu Zheng ’12, Xin Liu ’12, Andreas Franz and Vyacheslav Samoshin.

Xin Guo, Thomas J. Long School of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, gave an oral presentation on the collaboration project with Chemistry, “Design of biocompatible pH-sensitive liposomes for drug and gene delivery,” coauthored with Nataliya Samoshina, Barbora Brazdova ’06, Andreas Franz, and Vyacheslav Samoshin.


Six members of the Pacific swim teams received 2009-10 Big West Winter Sports Academic All-Conference honors: Melissa McGhee ’10, Kevin Byers ’12, Dave Mathews ’10, Aljaz Ojistersek ’11, Danny Platow ’11 and Joey Rossi ’10. To be eligible for the All-Academic team, student-athletes have to maintain a 3.2 cumulative grade point average, have attained a sophomore standing academically and have competed in at least 50 percent of their team’s contests.

Twenty-six faculty members from the Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry’s Restorative Department have collectively authored a textbook focused on esthetic dentistry, “Esthetic Dentistry in Clinical Practice,” which outlines esthetic procedures, and enables dentists and dental students to bring esthetic dentistry to everyday practice.

Faculty and students in the Gladys L. Benerd School of Education Educational Administration doctoral program presented their research at the Council for the Study of Community Colleges in Seattle.

Cassandra Dulin presented her paper “The Alignment between Campus-based and Externally-funded Faculty Professional Development.”

Rachel Rich presented the roundtable “Measuring Impact on Student Learning from Web-based Faculty Professional Development.”

Arrickia McDaniel presented the poster “Students Who Attend Early College High Schools: Primary Factors that Influenced Their Decision to Attend.”

Norena Norton Badway and Jerry Somerville presented their paper “Moving from Compliance to Program Improvement: Perceptions of Leaders in Advanced Technological Education.”

Charles W. Wiseley ’09 had his dissertation “Effectiveness of Contextual Approaches to Developmental Math in California Community Colleges” acknowledged by the Council as one of the top four dissertations nationally related to community colleges.

Pacific’s cross-cultural training program (which originated as part of the Callison College program and continues today in the School of International Studies) was extensively referenced in the article “A Short Conceptual History of Intercultural Learning in Study Abroad” by Milton J. Bennett, published as chapter 10 of “A History of U.S. Study Abroad: 1965 — Present,” edited by William Hofla and Stephen C. DePaul. The volume is A Special Publication of Frontiers: The Interdisciplinary Journal of Study Abroad, which was distributed at the Sixth Annual Forum on Education Abroad in Charlotte, N.C.

Bennett says Pacific’s cross-cultural program is “... a program with a long and distinguished history of intentional intercultural learning” and noted that “the UOP integrated predeparture and reentry courses have become a prototype for how to organize intercultural learning for study abroad.” He concludes that “Until recently, the UOP program stood as an exceptional case of providing real predeparture preparation for intercultural learning, and it was virtually alone in combining that preparation with significant onsite and reentry programming.”

**WELCOME TO PACIFIC**

David Swanson is a structures craftsperson in Support Services.

Todd Sparrow has returned to Pacific as a regulatory compliance officer for e-commerce in Business and Finance.

Kimberlee Heberle is an administrative assistant in Institutional Research.

Michael Quesada is a tax compliance officer in the Controller’s Office.

Arlene Brown is the conference services and events coordinator in the Office of Student Leadership.

Ruth Montes is a medical assistant for Cowell Wellness Center.

Filson Esma and Janie Kause are custodians in Support Services.

Heather Mariani is a senior financial reporting Analyst in Business and Finance.

**NOTABLE CHANGES**

Kaben Kramer is now the full time coordinator in Engineering and Computer Science.

Brett Schumacher is now a communications manager for Marketing and University Communications in the Office of the President. Previously, she was a visiting assistant professor in Visual Arts, College of the Pacific.
DENTAL SCHOOL STUDENTS AND FACULTY SPRING BREAK OUTREACH

In a change of scene from their busy lives as dental school students and educators, representatives from the Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry spent their spring break volunteering overseas. Between sites in the Dominican Republic, Chile and Fiji, 49 students, six faculty and two alumni provided dental treatment to local residents during the last week of March.

Fifteen students accompanied Dr. Eric Salmón, group practice administrator, to the Dominican Republic to provide dental care for hundreds of children and adults. The group organized the trip through the nonprofit group Orphanage Outreach. Patients waited up to six hours to see the volunteer dentists and students, who treated them using portable equipment at various sites. Throughout the week, more than $150,000 of free treatment and materials were donated.

In another corner of the world, 32 students, faculty and alumni volunteered their dental services at a three-operatory clinic in the village of Moala, Fiji. The trip, which was spearheaded by Judy Chau ’10, Jack Gorman ’10, Joyce Kahng ’10 and Jessi Wilson ’10, treated hundreds of villagers, many who had not seen a dentist since Pacific students, faculty and alumni visited the area in 2008. The team provided $344,650 worth of treatment in five days. Dr. Allen Wong and several students also gave a presentation about Caries Management by Risk Assessment (CAMBRA) and Minimally Invasive Dentistry to students and faculty at the Fiji School of Medicine.

Two Dentistry students also traveled to Chile to participate in a trip organized by Operation Tooth Fairy, which provides orthodontic and dental care for children with facial and dental birth defects. Stephen Arnason ’10 and Alex Assatourians ’10 spent five days helping provide care for dozens of underprivileged Chileans.

FULLBRIGHT SCHOLAR TO STUDY IN FINLAND

Benjamin Alldritt ’10, a University of the Pacific Mechanical Engineering and Engineering Management student and Powell Scholar, was awarded a Fulbright Scholarship last week. Nearly 9,000 students applied for the prestigious scholarship this year. Only about 17 percent of those who applied were awarded scholarships.

“Benjamin is impressive academically and in his collaborative approach to leadership,” said Cynthia Wagner Weick, Powell Scholars Director. “The initiative he has taken in identifying and undertaking original research projects is extraordinary.”

Alldritt was awarded a 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.
DIVERSITY TOWN HALL
“CAMPUS CONVERSATION ON ADVANCING DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION”

When it comes to diversity on campus, Pacific has made great strides over the years, but there is still room for improvement. That was the theme of a diversity town hall meeting on April 27 designed to find ways to make Pacific a more welcoming campus for underrepresented students.

About 100 students, staff and faculty attended the “Campus Conversation on Advancing Diversity and Inclusion” led by Lisa Cooper, assistant vice president for Diversity and Community Engagement in Student Life, and Arturo Ocampo, assistant provost for Diversity. During the forum, President Pamela A. Eibeck praised the organizers and attendees for their efforts. Making Pacific more diverse is one of Eibeck’s core missions.

“We all want Pacific to be a great and welcoming place for everybody,” Eibeck said. “We can celebrate differences. But we can also come together and celebrate the commonality of each other.”

The forum was held to address recent instances of racial insensitivity on campus and to update the campus community about successful diversity initiatives. Black Student Union members Angelica Gums ’10, Ty-Licia Hooker ’13 and Kerry Robinson ’13 opened the forum with a spoken word performance of their poem “Letter to Diversity”. The attendees then broke into small groups to discuss ways of creating a more inviting campus climate. Suggestions included:

• Create an “inclusion center” for students who feel unwelcomed on campus
• Add “outreach coordinator” positions to reach out to underrepresented students
• Increase funding for diversity initiatives and ethnic and gender studies programs
• Expand diversity training opportunities for student leaders, staff and faculty

The University’s Diversity Committee recently approved a new diversity course requirement for all incoming freshmen starting in Fall 2010. Students will be able to choose from more than 50, three-unit courses to meet the requirement. Courses include Sex, Gender and the Arts; History of the Holocaust; and American Immigrant and Social Inequality. The University will also offer a week-long diversity seminar in mid-May for faculty.

SUMMER HOURS BEGIN MAY 17

University Administration approved summer hours for 2010 for the Stockton campus. They will go into effect following Commencement Weekend, beginning Monday, May 17 and go through Friday, August 13. The work day for most employees will be eight-hour days Monday through Thursday from 7:30 am to 4:00 pm with a half-hour lunch, and a five and a half-hour day on Friday from 7:30 am to 1:00 pm with no lunch break.

Certain offices may be required to remain open to maintain essential operations, such as those serving prospective students and families, employee relations and special events. Monday through Friday during summer hours will also be designated as casual dress days. For more information on casual dress or summer hours, visit the Human Resources website.

Some departments at Pacific McGeorge will also observe summer hours from May 17 through August 6. Their hours will be 7:30 am to 4:30 pm Monday through Thursday and 7:30 am to 1:30 pm on Friday. Employees should check with their supervisors to determine whether they are participating. Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry will observe normal business hours throughout the summer.

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