

# **Emphasis:** YOU and COLLEGE...WHY





"Today is not yesterday: we ourselves change; how can our Works and Thoughts, if they are always to be fittest, continue always the same? Change, indeed, is painful; yet ever needful; and if Memory have its force and worth, so also has Hope.

CARLYLE-Essays, Characteristics RESIDENTIAL FOREST GROVE

Never has the concept of the Independent Liberal Arts College been more important than today. Our society requires leaders who have been educated in the traditions of intellectual freedom and challenge.

Pacific University, located at Forest Grove in the Tualatin Valley of Oregon, is proud of the distinction it bears as one of the oldest institutions of higher learning west of the Mississippi River.

It was established on November 11, 1842, as a log cabin school by the Rev. and Mrs. Harvey Clarke from Chester. Vermont.

In 1847, the legendary Mrs. Tabitha Moffat Brown joined the founders and helped to care for the students, many of whom were orphans of the Oregon Trail. in a log church constructed under the oaks on what is now part of the campus of Pacific University.

On September 9, 1849, the Oregon Territorial Legislature granted a charter for a seminary of learning to be known as Tuality Academy. In 1854, a new charter was given incorporating the name of Pacific University.

The history of Pacific University is deeply rooted in a heritage of academic

This view book has been prepared for the purpose of acquainting collegebound students with the opportunities available to young men and women at



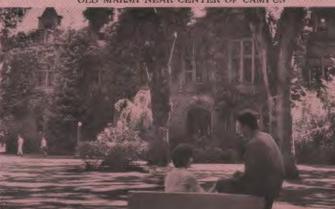
Pacific, and to demonstrate the sense of historical continuity which has produced men and women of purpose who are contributing daily to the worth of our nation.

At Pacific University, it is not accidental that Old College Hall-an excellent example of New England architecture-symbolizes qualities that have become traditional.

Like the people who founded Pacific over a century ago, the building has character. Yet, adjacent to Old College Hall stands modern Washburne Hall, University Center, incorporating all the grace and functional lines of Twentieth Century design.

It is this blend of the Old and New-tradition amidst innovation—which provides a balanced setting for the Pacific student. This environmental concept of learning is broadened in the classroom, through seminars and in associations with faculty and other students.

OLD MARSH NEAR CENTER OF CAMPUS



# Emphasis: The ACADEMIC LIFE...YOU and





"Civilization is a method of living, an attitude of equal respect for all men."

JANE ADAMS— On the Basis of Civilization (Speech, Honolulu 1933) Student life on the campus at Pacific is a more vibrant experience due to the faculty's vital concern for the needs of the individual student. Pacific University has an enrollment of approximately 1,000 students. It is the aim of the University to remain relatively small so that each student can receive the benefits which are made possible by this kind of environment.

The University believes in the dignity and significance of the individual in a society built upon democracy and Christianity. It seeks to develop the individual's highest potentialities—spiritual, intellectual, social and physical.

To help fulfill these objectives, an academic counselor is assigned to each student as he enters the University. Not only is the student assisted in making wise academic choices, but is guided in terms of his total welfare by sensitive people who act in the capacity of friend as well as advisor.

Pacific University is a church-related institution, historically associated with the Congregational Churches, and now a part of the United Church of Christ. However, it is ecumenically oriented in the expressions of the Christian faith, and vitally concerned not only with all expressions of Christianity, but also the other great religions of the world.

In its classroom approach through academic courses, a student at Pacific has the opportunity of deepening his understanding of the Judeo-Christian tradition through a study of Biblical literature. He can seek a relevant faith for his life through an exploration of basic Christian beliefs, A course in religion in American life can acquaint him with many religious currents in his own nation. The offerings in the philosophy of religion and comparative religions gives the student the advantage of seeing religion from a world perspective. A student primarily interested in Christian education will discover that Pacific has much to challenge him in this area.



Dr. William S. Prince, Associate Professor of English, symbolizes Pacific's achievements and stature in the academic world. With an A.B. from the University of California, Ph.D. from Yale and teaching experience at Connecticut and Yale, Dr. Prince is one of the outstanding young men in his field.





# Emphasis: Student LIFE and LEARNING at



"Education is the instruction of the intellect in the laws of Nature, under which name I include not merely things and their forces, but men and their ways; and the fashioning of the affections and of the will into an earnest and loving desire to move in harmony with those laws."

THOMAS HENRY HUXLEY-A Liberal Education



"A University is a place of the mind. If we didn't think well of the mind, we would ignore the humanities and soon lose our common humanity."

With these words, Pacific University patron Philip Dunne—one of America's foremost writers and son of the late satirist Finley Peter Dunne—summed up the aims of educational experience at Pacific University.

Student life at Pacific is indeed an experience in sharing humanity and to this end dormitory life on campus helps the student to develop as a constructive member of a social group. The residence hall program is administered by the students house organization under the supervision of resident counselors.

Washburne Hall, the new \$1,000,000 University Center, offers the student an opportunity to participate in social activities, and through student-faculty colloquiums, test, explore and unify ideas learned in the classroom.





## **Emphasis: The Cost of Education at**



#### **ADMISSION to Pacific University**

Pacific University recommends that all students preparing for admission should take the college preparatory program available in their secondary schools. The admissions policy of the University is based more on evidence of quality of achievement than on paths of study.

#### Procedure

- Applicants are advised to write for the formal application forms.
- Completion of the College Entrance Examination Board Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT), with the results forwarded to Pacific University. (December and January tests recommended.)
- A personal interview, when possible, with the Dean of Admissions or the Assistant Dean of Admissions is advised.

 Completion of application early in senior year.
 Those applicants seeking admission later than April 15 may be subject to a waiting list.

#### **Tuition and Fees**

Tuition	\$1,100.00
Room and Board (21 meals per week)	750.00
All fees (includes Student Body fee,	
Health, General fee)	80.00
Books and supplies, approximately	80.00
Total	\$2,010.00

Although the amount spent by students for personal needs varies, \$150 to \$300 per year is typical of student expenses.

#### **Scholarships**

Pacific University has more than \$250,000 available in scholarships and loans in addition to numerous opportunities for employment on and off campus. College Scholarship Service forms are required for all applicants for scholarships, grants, loans, or guaranteed employment, and may be acquired in your secondary school or by request to the Office of Admissions, Pacific University.

#### **Advanced Placement**

Pacific University participates in the Advanced Placement Program. Students who have taken college level courses under Advanced Placement, and who have taken the Advanced Placement examinations given by the College Entrance Examination Board are eligible to apply for college credit in those courses upon admittance to the University.



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### ADDITIONAL FACTS YOU SHOULD

TODAY Pacific is a dynamic, forward-looking independently supported, co-educational university located in the Tualatin Valley 23 miles west of Portland, Oregon. It is dedicated to educational excellence and the development of the talents of youth—the greatest resources of our nation.

Today, Pacific University encompasses more than 60 acres of choice land in the heart of Forest Grove, on which stand 24 major buildings. Her alumni are professional, business, and civic leaders in all the 50 states and 31 foreign countries.

Distinctly Christian in character, Pacific is today the only Far West university directly and exclusively related to the United Church of Christ. The University welcomes students of all races and all creeds.

Basic requirements in liberal arts undergird every program, general, professional or pre-professional. A high percentage of students attaining the bachelor's degree go on to advanced study.

There are four major divisions of the University: The College of Liberal Arts, The School of Music, The College of Optometry, and the Graduate School.

The College of Optometry was established on the Pacific University campus in 1945. Its antecedent, North Pacific College of Optometry, was a private institution, incorporated in the State of Oregon in 1921.

The College of Optometry is accredited by the Council on Education of the American Optometric Association, the official accrediting agency for optometric educational institutions.

The Pacific University School of Music offers three types of degrees: Bachelor of Music, Bachelor of Music Education and Master of Music Education. The School was established in 1884. Studies in music at Pacific emphasize performance, composition and music education.











## KNOW ABOUT PACIFIC UNIVERSITY



A survey of 35,000 business executives has shown that 88% are college graduates. Of this number 71% came from generally small liberal arts colleges.

How does Pacific University rank in recognized leadership? Among the liberal arts colleges of Oregon, Pacific University is third in representation in the most recent analysis of "Who's Who In America." In the states of Oregon, Washington, Montana, Idaho and Nevada, Pacific University ranks 5th out of 27 private liberal arts colleges.

Pacific University has a plan for the future. It has been developed by the Board of Trustees, administration, faculty and student body working to define the University's future goals. Out of this extensive examination has grown a statement and a program of development for students:

- 1. To involve students in an intellectual, cultural and social experience which will prepare them for balanced leadership.
- 2. To encourage every student to search for ultimate truth:
  - a. By maintaining a core of liberal arts as the life blood of the academic program.
  - b. By maintaining a study program that relates the traditions of our heritage to the problems of contemporary life.
  - c. By offering required and elective courses that deal with fundamental human issues and require creative and independent thinking and research as a regular part of the classroom experience.









