

FEB. 8, 2016

Black Lives Matter founders to speak

Two founders of the Black Lives Matter movement will speak at Portland State at 7 p.m. on Feb. 16 as part of Black History Month and the "Living the Legacy" series of campus and community events honoring the memory of the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Tickets for the event in the Stott Center are sold out, but PSU will livestream it to the Smith Union Ballroom. Overflow tickets are free from the PSU Box Office. [READ MORE](#)

Carnegie conversation on ePortfolios

"EPortfolios: Effective Implementation for Student Success" is the keynote talk for the Winter Carnegie Conversation at 3 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 9, in 209M Smith Union. The presenter, Helen L. Chen, is director of ePortfolio initiatives in the registrar's office at Stanford University. Wine and hors d'oeuvres will follow the talk. [Reservations requested.](#)

PDXScholar hits 1 million downloads

PDXScholar, the University's online digital repository managed by the PSU Library, has achieved a major milestone. Readers around the world have collectively downloaded a million articles, dissertations, master's theses, conference papers, books, data sets, oral histories, projects, and more from PDXScholar. [READ MORE](#)

Help feed struggling students

Did you know the student-run PSU Food Pantry operates entirely on donations? A \$5 donation can provide fresh fruits and vegetables and other non perishables (i.e.: peanut butter, rice, canned goods) for one student who visits the pantry. Consider giving online each month by signing up on the [pantry's donation site](#).

Free science lecture tickets

Free tickets are available from the PSU Box Office for the upcoming Linus Pauling Memorial Lecture, "[The Surprising Role of Viruses in Biological Evolution](#)" featuring Eugene Koonin. The lecture is at 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 18, at First Congregational Church, 1126 SW Park Ave.

Tracking food waste one lunch at a time

Students eating in Victor's dining hall the week of Jan. 25-29 were presented with an unusual lunch buffet—one that displayed all the uneaten food from students' lunch plates. The Food Waste Buffet is a new initiative of the Campus Sustainability Office and PSU's food services provider, Aramark, aimed at educating students about healthy, responsible eating. During Victor's inaugural buffet last November, students discarded 128 pounds of food throughout the week—a substantial amount, but about half of what students toss out in a normal week when their food waste is not on display. [READ MORE](#)

Encourage students to attend...

[The Engineering & Technology Career & Internship Fair](#) Wednesday, Feb. 10, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in 355 Smith Union.

[The All Majors Career & Internship Fair](#) Thursday, Feb. 11, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in 355 Smith Union.

Volunteers needed for goalball tournament

Elite American and Canadian athletes are competing at the Cascade Classic Goalball Tournament Friday through Sunday, Feb. 12-14. Volunteers are needed to help run the tournament and learn

about this [unique sport](#) designed for blind and visually impaired athletes. The tournament is played at Washington State School for the Blind's Kennedy Fitness Center in Vancouver. Various shifts are available and transportation is provided for select shifts. Visit [Campus Rec's website](#) for details and registration.

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EVENTS

February 8
[14th Annual Urban Ecology and Conservation Symposium](#)

[OIT Workshop: Intro to DataMaster](#)

[OIT Workshop: Exploring DataMaster](#)

[Free Fresh Fruits & Vegetables](#)

[Gentle Yoga with Erica Wagner](#)

February 9
[Ethnic Minorities in Asia: A Round Table Discussion](#)

[OAI Winter Carnegie Conversation: Helen Chen](#)

[Library Workshop: Organizing Your Information](#)

[James Luna: MFA Studio Lecture Series](#)

February 10
[An Open Forum to Discuss Future PSU Cultural Resource Centers](#)

[Poetry Reading: Linda Gregerson](#)

February 11
[15th Annual New Partners Conference](#)

[Women's Basketball: PSU vs. Idaho State](#)

[Performance Series: Hamilton Cheifetz and Julia Lee](#)

[OIT Workshop: Google Sites Intro](#)

[Faculty & Staff Second Thursday Social Club](#)

[Understanding Urban Sustainability Pathways from a Knowledge-Action Systems Perspective: The KASA Approach](#)

[Outdoor Program Trip: Whitewater Kayaking Seminar](#)

February 12
[OAI Workshop: Acrobatic Presentation - Adaptive Learning Platform](#)

[Transportation Seminar: An Analysis of Cyclist Path Choices Through Shared Space Intersections in England](#)

[Center for Public Interest Design: Blue Star Studio](#)

[Adding Communication to Ecological Models of Health](#)

[Equitable Development as Environmental Justice](#)

[Chemistry Seminar Series: Prue Talbot](#)

[Architecture Fridays@4: Community Building Activity](#)

February 13
[Women's Basketball: PSU vs. Weber State](#)

[fEARnoMUSIC: Bonnie Miksch](#)

February 14
[Outdoor Program Trip: Tree Canopy Experience](#)

PEOPLE

[Christian Ancicete, Talya Bauer, Berrin Erdogan](#)

PRESENTED

[Brad Buckley, Steven Carnovale, Maurice Hamington, Annie Lindgren, Meiru Liu, Michele Miller, Jason Podrabsky, Anna-Louise Reysenbach, Nicole Rigelman, Ken Stedman, Sue Taylor, Dilafruz Williams, Sybil Kelley](#)

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