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THE LAST CURRENTLY for fall term will be published Wednesday, Dec. 3. The deadline for that issue is noon Wednesday, Nov. 26. Currently will resume weekly publication on Jan. 12.

PSU raises millions for scholarships

The University has raised over \$44 million in just two years as part of its Creating Futures scholarship campaign. PSU Foundation President/CEO Françoise Aylmer announced the success at an annual reception on Nov. 18 attended by nearly 400 scholarship donors and student recipients. The campaign is now at 88 percent of its initial benchmark of \$50 million and six months ahead of schedule, said Aylmer. The University will continue to raise funds for scholarships after \$50 million is reached. [READ MORE](#)

Performances on campus

The Portland Ballet and the PSU Symphony Orchestra will perform [Tales From Mother Goose and The Enchanted Toyshop](#) Thanksgiving weekend, Nov. 28-30, at 1 and 5 p.m. each day in Lincoln Hall. Tickets range from \$5 to \$35.

The PSU Wind Symphony and Concert Band will give a free concert at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 4. Joining them is the PSU Taiko Ensemble and Olympia High School Wind Ensemble.

The range of PSU music performance—orchestra, jazz, choir, taiko drumming and more—is celebrated at [Music Forward!, a holiday concert benefiting scholarships at the College of the Arts](#). Faculty and students perform at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Dec. 5, in 175 Lincoln Hall. Tickets cost \$25 and are available at the PSU Box Office.

Business School dean finalists to present on campus next week

The last two of four finalists for dean of the School of Business Administration will come to Portland State next week. In open forums they will respond to the question "What are some of the big policy issues facing our urban areas, and how do you see the School of Business Administration playing a role?" The forums are scheduled for 2:30 to 4 p.m. Dec. 2 in 316 Market Center Building, and 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Dec. 3 in 294 Smith Union. Candidate names, along with vitae, cover letter and a feedback form, will be posted on an [Office of Academic Affairs website](#) 24 hours prior to each visit.

Preparing energy stars of engineering and design

A new interdisciplinary program will provide engineering and architecture students the experience, training and skills to address issues of energy consumption in the building sector. The Interdisciplinary, Research-based Engineering and Design (IRED) Green Building Scholars project is led by Cory Griffin and Sergio Palleroni of the School of Architecture and Huafen Hu, Peter Dusicka and David Sailor of the Maseeh College of Engineering & Computer Science. [READ MORE](#)

Correction

An article in the Nov. 17 issue of *Currently*, "Libraries launch \$500,000 study on bridging the 'digital divide,'" incorrectly stated that the Multnomah County Library is working with the PSU Library on the study. [PSU's Literacy, Language & Technology Research Group](#) is working with the county library to study low-income library users' technology habits and needs. [READ MORE](#)

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