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[Jack Corbett, Susan Kirtley](#)

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[F. Rudolf Beyl, Nancy Waller, J.J.P. Veerman](#)

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[Mehmet Demirel, Yiping Fang, Jesse Locker](#)

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## Formaldehyde hidden in e-cig vapor uncovered

In a study published Jan. 22 in the *New England Journal of Medicine*, Portland State researchers reveal that e-cigarette vapor can contain formaldehyde at levels five to 15 times higher than regular cigarettes. Professors David Peyton, James Pankow and Robert Strongin led the research. [READ MORE](#)

## Odin Accounts Manager gets makeover

Beginning Tuesday, Jan. 27, Odin Account Manager (OAM) will have a new look. The updated interface features an intuitive design and upgrades to make it easier to manage accounts. Major functionality changes will help new users establish their accounts and eliminate security question-based password protection. Behind-the-scenes improvements will simplify and streamline many tasks. [READ MORE](#)

## Comments sought on revised Student Conduct policy

The University Policy Committee has approved a draft revision to the Student Conduct and Responsibility policy. As part of the policy refinement process, the committee seeks review and comment from members of the PSU community. The revised Student Conduct and Responsibility policy can be found in the [Policy Library webpage](#) of the PSU Office of General Counsel. [Comments may be submitted online](#) by Monday, Feb. 16.

## PSU seeks new faculty athletic rep

Portland State is seeking a new Faculty Athletic Representative to help ensure academic standards are maintained and NCAA rules protecting student-athletes are followed. The one-year position is appointed by President Wim Wiewel and serves from July 1 to June 30, with the possibility of reappointment. Full-time appointed faculty members with status as a tenured associate or full professor are welcome to apply, and applications will be accepted until finalists are identified. [READ MORE](#)

## Faculty Winter Symposium Tuesday

A discussion and interactive session on the [new strategic plan](#) is on the agenda for the Faculty Winter Symposium from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 27, in the Smith Memorial Student Union Ballroom. President Wim Wiewel and Provost Sona Andrews will lead the discussion about PSU's future and are seeking input on key areas of the plan.

## Thor's Party before basketball game

Athletics will host a Thor's Party before the Vikings take on Montana State on Saturday, Jan. 31. The party, which is free to PSU students with school ID, will feature live performances by local artists D3 and Th3rd, free food from Joe's Burgers, and games. Free concessions during the game—including Papa John's pizza, hot dogs and popcorn—are provided all season. Thor's Party begins at 6 p.m. in the small gym downstairs in the Stott Center, and the game begins at 7 p.m.

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