Portland State Veteran Services Team
Presented By Allen & Jake
Actual Certifications Per Year

Number of Certifications

- 2006
- 2007
- 2008
- 2009
- 2010
- 2011
- 2012
- 2013 (Projected)

Total Certs
# Certifications Per Term

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<td>576</td>
<td>729</td>
<td>781</td>
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<td>Spring</td>
<td>585</td>
<td>704</td>
<td>742</td>
<td>+ 21%</td>
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<td>Summer</td>
<td>405</td>
<td>412</td>
<td>* 300</td>
<td>- 37%</td>
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<td>Fall</td>
<td>728</td>
<td>819</td>
<td>** 910</td>
<td>+ 20%</td>
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* All Summer 2012 Certification Forms have not been turned in

** Projection based on previous years
Certifications Per Term (by year)
## PSU’s Veteran Demographics
(year over year)

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<td>3.10</td>
<td>3.02</td>
<td>3.17</td>
<td>3.06</td>
<td>3.00</td>
<td>3.15</td>
<td>3.15</td>
<td>2.91</td>
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Some Observations

- 13% increase overall (all chapters)
- 20% increase in Ch. 31 (aka, disabled vets)
- 15% increase in female vets
- Average age increased year-over-year
  - Ch. 31 +2 years, Ch. 33 + 3 years
- G.P.A.s increased year-over-year as well

... and ...
Battle of the G.P.A.s

3.19 3.08
2011:3.12 2011:3.02
New Students

- 223 Total for 2012 (winter, spring and summer)
  - 59 are female
  - 164 are male
- Ch. Breakdown:
  - Ch. 30: 28 (8 female, 20 male)
  - Ch. 31: 26 (7 female, 19 male)
  - Ch. 33: 111 (28 female, 83 male)
  - Other Chapters: 58 (16 female, 42 male)
- 38 are non-residents
Out-of-State Veterans

2010: 130

2011: 147

2012: 175 (so far)

+25%
Where They’re Coming From

Washington: 30%
California: 11%

Honorable mentions: Idaho (3), Alaska, Alabama, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, Michigan, Virginia (2 each).
Branch of Service

- U.S. Air Force (Hoorah): 14%
- Army: 36% (big drop – was 43% in 2011)
- Coast Guard: 3%
- Navy: 27% (big increase – was 17% in 2011)
- Marines: 17%
- Other (T.E.B., etc.): 3%
# Nationalities

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<th>PSU Veteran &amp; Dependents Population Demographics</th>
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<td>96</td>
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<td>White</td>
<td>642</td>
<td>965</td>
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Combat Vets

- 37% of veterans receiving G.I. Bill benefits at PSU have seen combat.
Graduating Vets

2010: 173
2011: 208
2012: 105 (through Spring)
Money Talks … Ch. 33

[Graph showing money amounts for different seasons and years]
Money Talks …

- 2011 Ch. 33 Payments: $4.63 million
  - Ch. 31 Payments: $935,000

- 2012 (Fall projected) Ch. 33 Payments: $4.63 million
  - Ch. 31 Payments: $1.21 million
State-Funded Aid Programs

![Bar chart showing the comparison of SB 1066 and HB 2571 funding in 2011 and 2012]
State Programs and $$$

**SB 1066**
- 2010-2011: 50 = $178,181
- 2011-2012: 77 = $324,169

**HB 2571**
- 2010-2011: 21 = $68,393
- 2011-2012: 94 = $382,313
2012 Accomplishments

- Carnegie Forum on faculty/veteran relations presented by Center For Academic Excellence.
- Veteran Student Transfer Seminar presented by Joan Jagodnik
- Presentation to Teresa Taylor’s class on diversity
- Completely re-designed forms process
- Hired Britni Childs at WRC
Things to Ponder

- Of the 1.6 million vets returning from war, nearly half will claim they are disabled.
  - The VA has a backlog of nearly 1 million already
- 18 veterans commit suicide every day
- Unemployment pushes them to college
  - Unemployment rate for Iraq- and Afghanistan-era veterans was 9.5% in June ‘12, down from 12.7% in May and down from 13.3% in June ‘11
- We should assess what we’re doing to prepare for these situations.
FIN QUESTIONS?

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