



# Campus Planning and Facilities Management

## News and Information



June 2017

### WELCOME NEW EMPLOYEES!!

Tawnee Gerig-Brunson, Accountant, FASS.....5/15/17

Jeff Butler, Facilities Services Director.....6/12/17

### BEAUTIFICATION

along the Millrace with a nice mulching project, utilizing storm cleanup mulch. This, followed by **University Day**, which brought out the gardener in everyone.



### Gold Duck Winners for Second Quarter

Jon Marchetta.....FASS Director  
Yen-Chu Huberd.....FASS Fiscal Mgr.  
Dustin Hayden.....FASS Purchasing  
Elizabeth Seider.....FASS HR/Payroll  
Jerimiah Igou.....Facilities Services  
Kevin Chandler.....Facilities Services

**Congratulations on going above and beyond!**





# INTERESTING TIDBITS

Correction to last month's newsletter from Scott Campbell: The technician replacing signage on the vehicles is Ryan Baker from the Mobile Equipment Shop.

National Chocolate Chip Cookie Day—as presented by: Judy Peters from Customer Service. Yum!

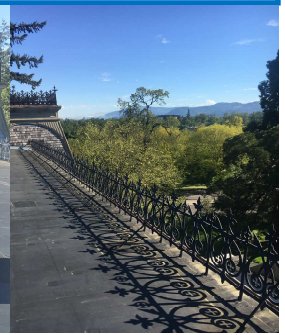
**The Customer Services Shutdown Map** is now live. LeAnna Pitts worked on this project with the GIS group. You can click up to 30 days out and see what's coming! Fantastic tool, LeAnna. Thanks!

<https://map.uoregon.edu/shutdowns>



**CPFM BALL CAPS ARE HERE AND SWANKY!**

George Bleekman took a group out for a tour of Villard, a 5 + year project from many years gone by, when he lead a group of students and taught classes. He was initially hired here as a restoration carpenter, doing the hands-on restoring of that building and parts of Deady Hall as well. They toured the attic and looked at some of George's contributions.



Nothing better than baseball at PK Park on a sunny evening in May, enjoyed for FREE on University Appreciation Night





# Employee News

## SOME OF THE WINNERS AT THE SUSTAINABILITY AWARDS DINNER ON MONDAY, MAY 22ND.



### GREEN RESILIENT OFFICE CERTIFICATION 2017

Each year, the Office of Sustainability certifies offices who elect to go through their Green Resilient Office certification program - a program that teaches offices about best practices and existing services to become more sustainable.

The Office of the VPFA elected to attend the training and submit a scorecard, tracking which efforts and services they are doing/using. After all of the offices submitting were reviewed, VPFA had the highest overall score, earning a Platinum rating with 145 out of 165 possible points!!!

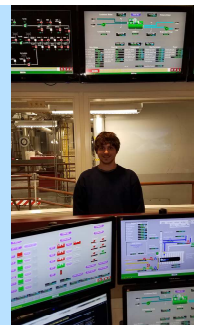
In addition to accomplishing more of the standard practices than other offices, the Office of the VPFA also invited other units in Johnson Hall to participate in a storage area clean out. They offered their student assistants to help other units donate unwanted office supplies to R.O.S.E. (Reusable Office Supply Exchange), and coordinated with their IT unit to collect e-waste for evaluation. The president hand delivered the award to their office. This promises to become an annual event given the enthusiasm from all involved.



Kassy Fisher, President Schill, Jamie Moffitt, Katy Hatfield, Evey Lennon

## MOVIN' ON UP!

On May 22<sup>nd</sup>, Kiles White achieved the qualification of Stationary Engineer. The CPS Stationary Engineer is responsible for the operations associated with the Chiller Plant and Boiler Plant at CPS. Kiles will now be working as a Stationary Engineer, while he continues on towards completing the final stage of his career track - becoming a fully qualified Co-Generation Engineer. Congratulations Kiles!



# EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

## Campus Planning—Emily Eng

### What area do you work in within the VPFA portfolio?

Campus Planning within CPFM

### What is your current position and job responsibilities?

I am a Planning Associate. Primarily, I oversee land use planning and transportation planning for the university. An example of land use planning is the new project that I'm about to start, the North Campus Conditional Use Permit project, which involves developing new a master site plan for the north area of campus previously known as the Riverfront Research Park (CPFM happens to be located in this area). The old master site plan expired; therefore, we need to submit a new plan to the City of Eugene in order for any new development to occur. An example of transportation planning is coordinating with the City of Eugene on the Franklin Boulevard redesign project, which will begin this summer. The City will be developing new design options for Franklin Boulevard, from Alder Street to I-5. Because much of the land along this stretch is owned by the UO, it is essential for someone to represent UO's planning interests. My responsibilities are wide-ranging. I also coordinate all our mapping, respond to sign inquiries and issues, manage the student employees, and respond to campus planning issues like finding locations for sculptures!



### What has been your career path; how did you end up in your current position?

I developed an interest in the built environment as a child and became interested in city planning when I was a senior in high school. It was no surprise that in college I majored in Urban Studies. I later got a master's in Community and Regional Planning from the University of Oregon. Upon graduation I noticed a posting for a Planning Associate in Campus Planning, and it sounded very interesting but I didn't have the years of experience required. I ended up working as a planner for the State Department of Land Conservation and Development, and then at the City of Tigard while living in Portland. When I became ready for a change in my career, I remembered that position in Campus Planning and looked at the university's job postings. Coincidentally, three years later, there was a posting for a Planning Associate and it obviously worked out for me - I've been with Campus Planning for almost 9 years now. I should also clarify that when I was hired, it was initially to be a project planner and worked on a range of projects, including recreation fields, lab renovations, space moves, parking lots, and the Student Recreation Center addition and renovations, while doing some planning. When the opportunity was presented, I switched over to full-time planning.

### What obstacles have you overcome in your career?

I am from New York City and right after graduating from college in 2001, September 11<sup>th</sup> happened. Not only was it a challenging time in all aspects of life, it was almost impossible for new grads to find a job let alone one in their field. However, I plugged along and experienced a lot of rejection, but it didn't stop me from pursuing a career in planning. I eventually found temporary work as a research assistant for a real estate developer (the office was in a former jute factory), teaching an after-school program focused on tree education, and working as a legal assistant while volunteering in planning-related activities. The bad economy led me to apply to grad school sooner than I had planned, and that led me to Oregon. The obstacle early in my career has really been the only one so far, and I learned valuable lessons that made me a stronger person.

### What do you like about your current position?

First, I like working towards a public mission, and I fully support the mission of this university. Then I like the wide variety of tasks that I have, the analytical nature of my work, and working with various groups of people, both within and outside the university. It's always interesting! In addition, planning at the university is kind of like planning for a small city, but with much more flexibility and speed (if you can believe that).

### Share a little about yourself personally.

**Family:** I live with my husband, almost-2-year-old daughter, along with three chickens and a cat.

**Favorite Foods:** I love lots of foods, but I never get tired of eggs from backyard chickens, fresh veggies, and noodles.

## NOTES FROM UNDERGROUND: IT EDITION

### from Kevin McGlinchey, IT Manager

The EAMS project continues to go really well. We've spent the last several months learning how best to use AiM in our organization. During that time, we've discussed (often in a spirited way!) how we want our business to operate. We have documented our process flows and roughly sketched-out what we want our standard operating procedures to be. This was all done with the assistance of AssetWorks personnel, both so that they could help us understand how the system works and also to understand how we work. Now that this activity is complete, we've submitted our documents to AssetWorks, in order for them to give us an estimate of time and money, for the actual implementation of AiM. The goal is to have that plan finalized by mid-June. We'll be sure to communicate that plan once we have it complete.



Recently, a few folks have asked questions about what to do with their computers at night. We'll send out a comprehensive email on this topic later in the week, but the short answer is: don't power it off.




Finally, we're making changes in how we deliver desktop support. We're in the process of setting-up a dispatch function, which involves having someone keeping an eye on the FASS IT ticket queue during business hours as well as answering phone requests as they come in. We'll also be providing routine reporting on open tickets with the goal of eliminating those "what's going on with my ticket" questions. There may be some bumps along the way as we roll this out, but I think you'll see improved service once we get it done. As always, holler with questions!





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25	26	27	28	29 <i>Oregon Bach Festival Begins</i>	30 <i>Pay Day</i>	
						
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