



Campus Planning and Facilities Management

News and Information



October 2019

CPFM End-of-Summer Picnic

Well it certainly was end-of-summer! With the pouring rain and thunderstorms the day before, we were fortunate to have the sun we had. Thanks to Ken Straw, Angee Brown, Andrew Silvius, Richard Vaughan, Dave Petersen, and the whole group for feeding our flock and keeping everyone's spirits up.



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13th Avenue Conceptual Design Update



Campus Planning has recently completed the 13th Avenue Conceptual Design project. The final report can be downloaded from the Campus Planning website: <https://cpfm.uoregon.edu/13th-avenue-axis-conceptual-design> As a reminder this project is a conceptual design only. At this time there are no funded or identified projects. The next step for this project is to begin identifying pieces of the project that can be implemented so the transformation of 13th Ave can begin! When future projects are identified they will go through the typical Campus Planning process and there will be many opportunities for continued engagement.

If you would like to meet to discuss the conceptual design in further detail please contact Aaron Olsen, Landscape Planning Associate at aaolsen@uoregon.edu.

Black Cultural Center Open House & Grand Opening

The Lyllye Reynolds-Parker Black Cultural Center Open House was held in August (photos below). The Black Cultural Center’s architecture concept is based on four interrelated Black concepts; the Veil, the shotgun house type, autonomy and curatorial. While attempting to achieve a unique aesthetic, these concepts also address pragmatic conditions throughout the project. The “shotgun” house signifies a Black building type in the form of a domestic/institutional hybrid. A cultural artifact found primarily in the Southern United States, the type is well-suited for the BCC site—a shifting territory between residential and university buildings and the strong north/south configuration of the site. By its nature, the shotgun type is adaptable. Here expressed in the Black Cultural Center, its simple domestic roof forms split and invert, producing a “double” silhouette. Depending on a pedestrian’s approach, the building reflects surrounding domestic and/or institutional structures.

The Grand Opening will be on Saturday, **October 12th, 2019 from 11:30AM—3PM**, and is by registration only. If you want to attend, please fill out the registration form found below:

https://securelb.imodules.com/s/1540/uoaa/blank_centered.aspx?sid=1540&gid=2&pgid=9490&cid=22721&appealcode=imagelink

The celebration will feature choir performances from the UO Gospel Choir and the Powerhouse Praise Team from Powerhouse Church, refreshments, and an opportunity to explore the Lyllye Reynolds-Parker Black Cultural Center and Museum of Natural and Cultural History exhibit, [Racing to Change](#).



Employee News

Some Pictures from the Facilities Liaisons Meeting September 18th 2019



The first round of users for the ANVIL MOBILE APP went live on Friday, September 20th. This was a big day for Facilities Services. Our techs will be able to access more information quickly while out in the field. Thanks to GIS for their help rolling this out. More to come.



Employee News

Environmental Leaders Annual Orientation Trips

Students from the Environmental Leaders Academic Residential Community (ARC), which is managed by the Office of Sustainability, went on their annual orientation trips the week before school started. Nearly 50 incoming students participated in one of five concurrent trips: Pedal Project, which focuses on biking and sustainable transportation; Project Tomato, which focuses on local food and agriculture; Coast Conscious, which focuses on Oregon's coastal ecology; H2Oregon – McKenzie River Trail, a light backpacking trip that traces the source of Eugene's water; and H2Oregon – Waldo Lake, a new trip where students backpack around Waldo and other area lakes and learn about land management from wildfires to trail maintenance to Search and Rescue and recreation. For the rest of the year, this group of students will live together in Justice Bean Hall and take classes together in Environmental Studies along with programming and education from the Office of Sustainability.



SECRET BOOKCASE

Some of the D&C team were working on the remodel of the historic Knight Library Special Collections reading room when they discovered this secret access in the bookcase. It had not been opened since 1994. David Cates, Alison Hake, Brianna Liberty and Theo Davis are pictured.



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DIVERSITY RELATED EVENTS October 2019

At the last CPFM Diversity Committee Daytime Open Forum, there was a brainstorming session, getting feedback on what activities/topics people would like to see this fall.

Updates included:

- Encouraging people to submit ideas for the Diversity Development Fund
- Onboarding committee working on creating a “favorite things to do in Eugene” booklet to be included in a welcome packet for new employees
- CPFM Committee members beginning to prepare for February 2020 Initiative

There will be snacks and beverages provided at the day and night forums so come on by and participate in the topics below:

| Month | Theme/Activity | Facilitators |
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| October | Generational diversity in the workplace | Sara Yilmaz, Anne Schwarz |
| November | Black Cultural Center – presentation by Martina | Jane Brubaker |
| December | Tips for having better conversations activity | Sarah Follett |
| January | Representative from DanceAbility to visit | Megan DeLaney |
| February | Diversity Committee Feb. Initiative | Diversity Committee |
| March | Being a woman in the workplace | Amber Stich |

UPCOMING EVENTS

Thursday, October 3, 12pm-1:30pm: [Race, Ethnicities and Inequalities Colloquium](#) – Tiffany Lethabo King (Assistant Professor in Women’s Gender, and Sexuality Studies, Georgia State), Knight Library browsing room

[Queer Ally Coalition General Training](#) volunteer training workshop on allyship education and development for UO students, staff, and faculty (sign up at <https://dos.uoregon.edu/qac>)

Friday, Oct 4, 1:00–5:00 p.m.; Friday, Oct 18, 1:00–5:00 p.m.; Friday, Nov 8, 1:00–5 p.m.

Wednesday, October 9, 10am-11am: - [Language and Poetry as Resistance with Melissa Lozada-Oliva](#), Knight Library browsing room

Wednesday, October 9, 11am-1pm: [Emotional Reparations as Racial Justice Work](#), keynote address by Dr. Angela Rose Black, Ford Alumni Center, Guistina Ballroom, hosted by the Division of Equity and Inclusion

Thursday, October 10, 4pm: Danny Oredorff - [Doing it Together, Queerness, Craft, Collectivity](#) (Department of Art visiting artist lecture series), 115 Lawrence Hall, 4pm

Monday, October 14, 6pm-8:20pm: [Daryl Baldwin public talk](#) on the occasion of Indigenous Peoples Day, 156 Straub Hall

Monday, October 14, 6pm: Hank Willis Thomas – [All Things Being Equal](#) (Department of Art visiting artist lecture series), 115 Lawrence Hall

Monday, October 21, 4pm-6pm: [Hope to Resist](#) – Battling Erasure and Inserting our Histories into National Narratives, Helena Maria Viramontes (of Under the Feet of Jesus), EMU Ballroom

Tuesday, October 22, 5:30-7:30pm: BE Here – [Hieu Minh Nguyen](#) (queer Vietnamese American writer, poet, and author of *Not Here*), EMU Ballroom

Thursday, October 24, 6pm: [Gay Rodeo](#) – A Celebration of Western Heritage and Gay Culture, a talk by folklorist Craig Miller, Museum of Natural and Cultural History (free with UO ID)

Now through February 23, 2020: [Resistance as Power](#) - JSMA curatorial response to *Under the Feet of Jesus* (UO Common Reader), Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art (free with UO ID)

Implicit Bias Awareness Workshop

Select a session that works for your schedule and **sign up to save a seat via [MyTrack](#)** (note: you’ll need your DuckID (UO email) username and password):

- Friday, October 4, 2019 | 1:00 – 3:00 pm | EMU Cedar + Spruce, Rooms 231+232
- Tuesday, October 15, 2019 | 1:00 – 3:00 pm | EMU Lease Crutcher Lewis, Room 023
- Thursday, October 17, 2019 | 1:00 – 3:00 pm | EMU Cedar + Spruce, Rooms 231+232
- Tuesday, October 22, 2019 | 1:00 – 3:00 pm | EMU Lease Crutcher Lewis, Room 023
- Friday, November 8, 2019 | 1:00—3:00 pm | EMU Swindells, Room 230

KUDOS KORNER

Jeff-

I want make sure that you know how much I appreciate the work that Ken Straw's crew did for the pipe demo project in the Bldg 130 mechanical room. We had less than two weeks to plan, have safety meetings, rent machinery, get notices out, redirect conference room traffic, redirect traffic, move the purchasing staff, perform all of the demo work, and clean up. These guys were a huge help (when I needed it the most). All demo work was completed ahead of schedule, and there were no injuries (that were reported)!

Thanks again for everyone's help on this!!

Tim Allenbaugh
Project Manager
CPFM
Design & Construction

Good morning,

I wanted to share my appreciation for you and your staff. It is obvious that your team's work of maintaining a beautiful campus is reflected in our low crime rate. Your team's dedication to our students is evident in everything you do.

Please accept my sincerest appreciation for your partnership and your commitment to a safe campus as it truly shows in everything your team works on.

Sincerely,

Matthew E. Carmichael
Chief of Police
University of Oregon Police Department

Tim/Nick-

I want to thank Ruby and her floor cleaning team for their outstanding customer support. Her prompt and thorough responses, flexibility, and can do attitude regarding our multiple carpet cleaning requests have allowed us to provide exceptionally clean office spaces for our faculty and staff to move into.

Thank you for your continued support and helping make the University a great place to work.

Regards,

Eric H. Owens
College of Education Complex Manager
Office of the Dean

From: Michael Griffel <mgriffel@uoregon.edu>
Sent: Thursday, September 26, 2019 6:42 PM
To: Tom Shepard <toms@uoregon.edu>
Cc: Darin Dehle <ddehle@uoregon.edu>
Subject: RE: UHC&TC TCO

Dear Tom,

Greatly appreciated! Huge kudos to Colin for his incredible work. He has done incredible work on this project from the moment he began on it-- we have all felt incredibly well served and represented by his hard work. Thank you again.

Michael

Hi Heather,

Yesterday Greg Soderstedt delivered our mail and our front office staff commented to me how he is always friendly and helpful. I have worked with Greg off and on for many years and want to second their view. He is consistently friendly and upbeat even in difficult situations like doing a task he is not familiar with (mail) or dealing with difficult customers (gas pumps going down). It is always a pleasure working with him and I wanted to pass this on to you as his supervisor.

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October



| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| <p>October is... Breast Cancer Awareness Month</p>  | <p>1 First Day of Classes</p> | <p>2 National Custodian Day</p> | <p>3</p> | <p>4</p> | <p>5 V. Cal Home</p>  | |
| <p>6</p> | <p>7</p> | <p>8 Dussehra</p>  <p>Hire-a-Duck Part Time Job Fair</p> | <p>9</p>  <p>Yom Kippur The Day of Atonement</p> | <p>10</p> <p>Payroll Cut Off</p> | <p>11</p>  <p>V. Colorado Home</p> | <p>12</p> |
| <p>13 Sukkot</p> | <p>14 Indigenous People's Day</p> | <p>15</p> | <p>16 National Fossil Day (Museum of Natural & Cultural History)</p> | <p>17</p> | <p>18</p> | <p>19 V. Washington Away</p>  |
| <p>20</p> | <p>21</p> <p>Wear Yellow</p> | <p>22</p> <p>Wear Green</p> | <p>23</p> <p>Campus Pride</p> | <p>24</p> <p>Wear "O" Gear</p> | <p>25</p> <p>Wear Green & Yellow</p> <p>Parade & Feed the Flock Pep Rally</p> | <p>26 V. Washington State Home</p>  |
| <p>27</p> | <p>28</p> | <p>29</p> | <p>30</p> | <p>31 Pay Day</p>  | | |
| <p>Click here for the DUCK Sports Calendar https://goducks.com/calendar.aspx</p> | | | | | | |