RESOURCES IDENTIFICATION

Current building name: Prince Lucien Campbell Hall
Historic building name: same
Building address: 1415 Kincaid Street
Ranking: Non-Contributing

ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION

Architectural style classification: International
Building plan (footprint shape): irregular
Number of stories: 9 in main building, with 4 story south building and 1 story auditorium
Foundation material(s): concrete
Primary exterior wall material: brick
Secondary exterior wall material: concrete, tile
Roof configuration/type: flat
Primary roof material: adhered elastic sheets, sheet metal flashing
Primary window type: operable casement with fixed transom light above
Primary window material: metal
Decorative features and materials: panels composed of 1” x 1” brown tiles above and below all windows on building
Landscape features: Building surrounded by numerous deciduous trees and small plantings. Low stone walls surround planting beds on west side. East entry courtyard contains bronze sculpture, “The Falconer”, by James Lee Hansen which is surrounded by rose bushes. Sunken courtyard to the south.
Associated resources: Memorial Quad, Knight Library, Knight Library Axis, Johnson Lane Axis
Comments:

ARCHITECTURAL HISTORY

Date of construction: 1963 (4 story unit), 1968 (main portion and auditorium)
Architect: Stanton, Boles, Maguire & Church
Builder/Contractor: unknown
Moved? (yes/no): no Date of move(s): N/A
HISTORICAL ASSOCIATIONS & SIGNIFICANCE

Original use(s) or function(s): University offices/classrooms
Current use(s) or function(s): University offices/classrooms

Area(s) of significance: Education, Architecture
Period of significance: 1968

Statement of Significance (use continuation sheet if necessary):

When Prince Lucien Campbell Hall was built to accommodate the University’s urgent need for office and classroom space. Federal funds were used to pay for the majority of its construction. The modern architecture, which it brought to campus, did not catch on and PLC Hall stands as an anomaly on the Memorial Quadrangle.

The building was partially designed by two University of Oregon Architecture graduates. A memo in the Campus Planning files (Aug. 6, 1991) from Loren Allen to George Shipman states that Keith Robert Maguire was a 1934 graduate of the UO, B. Arch. Rollin Boles was a 1937 B. Arch UO graduate as well, but only Maguire and Stanton signed the drawings. This memo refers to information gained from the UO Alumni Office. The period of significance is the construction date of the final two portions, when the complex was complete.

This building is not yet eligible for the National Register as it is not fifty years old. The resource lacks distinction, is not an outstanding example of the International Style, and therefore will not be eligible for the National Register when it reaches the 50-year mark. It is ranked as a non-contributing resource due to its very low significance compared with other campus buildings.

NATIONAL REGISTER ELIGIBILITY ASSESSMENT

Historic Significance (check one): __ High _ Medium _ Low _ X Very Low or None
Integrity (check one): _ X Excellent _ Good _ Fair _ Poor
Condition (check one): _ _ Excellent _ Good _ Fair _ Poor

Building designation: _ City Landmark _ National Register _ National Historic Landmark _ X Not listed

Preliminary National Register eligibility findings
Building is potentially eligible: _ Individually or _ As a contributing resource in a district only

If eligible individually, applicable criteria (check all that apply):

_ A. Associated with significant events _ C. Distinctive architecturally
_ B. Associated with significant persons _ D. Archaeologically important

If applicable, building qualifies under NR Criterion Considerations: _ Yes _ No If yes, which apply:

Building is NOT eligible: _ X Intact but lacks distinction or _ Altered/loss of integrity or _ X Not 50 years old
**DOCUMENTATION**

Indicate resources consulted when researching this building (check all that apply):

- University archives
- Sanborn maps
- State Archives
- Local Historic Society
- Biographical encyclopedias
- X UO Planning Office files
- Building permits
- State Library
- Personal interviews
- Obituary indexes
- Newspapers
- SHPO files
- State Historic Society
- Historic photographs
- Other

See below

**BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES**


UO Campus Planning Office and Facilities Services files and blueprints.

**RECORDING INFORMATION**

Researched: Susan Johnson/Karl Dietzler, 2/22/06
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PHOTOGRAPH

SITE PLAN

- European Beech
- English Oak
- Pyramidal English Oak
- "The Falconer" sculpture and surrounding roses

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