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Thomas J. Long School of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

Commencement

Saturday, May 14, 2011 ~~at~~ 9 am
Alex G. Spanos Center

University of the Pacific
Stockton, California

ACADEMIC PROCESSION

Thomas J. Long School of Pharmacy
and Health Sciences

Banner Bearer

Associate Dean for Student Affairs (Marshal)

Director of Pre-Health Programs (Marshal)

Student Marshal

Candidates for Degrees

Bachelor of Speech-Language Pathology

Masters of Speech-Language Pathology

Masters of Pharmaceutical & Chemical Sciences

Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT)

Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD)

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)

Faculty Marshals

Instructors/Lecturers

Assistant Professors

Associate Professors

Professors

**Department Chair —
Speech-Language Pathology**

**Department Chair —
Physical Therapy**

**Department Chair —
Physiology and Pharmacology**

**Department Chair —
Pharmaceuticals and Medicinal Chemistry**

**Department Chair —
Pharmacy Practice**

Dean Emeritus

Pharmacy Teacher of the Year

**Physical Therapy Outstanding
Full-Time Faculty Member**

**Physical Therapy Outstanding
Part-Time Faculty Member**

**Associate Dean for
Graduate Education and Research**

**Associate Dean for
Academic Affairs**

**Assistant Dean for
External Relations**

**Assistant Dean for
Operations**

**Deans and Academic Officers
of the University**

Members of the Presidential Party

Phillip R. Oppenheimer, *Dean*

Thomas J. Long School of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

Bernard J. Tyson, *Keynote Speaker*

Elizabeth Griego, *Vice President for Student Life*

Patrick D. Cavanaugh, *Vice President for Business and Finance*

Maria G. Pallavicini, *Provost*

Members of the Board of Regents

Pamela A. Eibeck, *President*

Robert Hanyak, *Professor and Department Chair,
Speech-Language Pathology — Mace Bearer*

PROGRAM

Dean Phillip R. Oppenheimer, Presiding

Musical Prelude

Guests will please remain seated during the processional.

Processional

“Pomp and Circumstance,”
March No. 1 in D, Op. 39
Sir Edward Elgar

Welcome and Introduction

of the Platform Party *Dean Phillip R. Oppenheimer*

Invocation *William Kehoe, PharmD*
Chair, Department of Pharmacy Practice

Remarks *Pamela A. Eibeck*
President

Student Responses

Speech-Language Pathology
Graduates’ Response *NellLaine Kilgore, MS*

Physical Therapy Graduates’ Response . . . *Travis Moore, DPT*

Pharmacy Graduates’ Response . . . *Poonam Gandhi, PharmD*

Address *Bernard J. Tyson*
President and COO of Kaiser Permanente

Presentation of Graduates *Dean Oppenheimer*

Conferring of Degrees *Dr. Eibeck*

Bachelor of Science,
Speech-Language Pathology *Robert Hanyak, AuD*
Chair, Department of
Speech-Language Pathology
Announced by
Jeannene Ward-Lonergan, PhD

Master of Science,
Speech-Language Pathology *Dr. Hanyak*
Announced by
Dr. Ward-Lonergan

Doctor of Physical Therapy *Cathy Peterson, EdD*
Chair, Department of Physical Therapy
Announced by
Todd Davenport, DPT, OCS

Physical Therapist’s Pledge . *Katrin Mattern-Baxter, PT, DPT, PCS*
2010 Outstanding Full Time
Faculty Member of the Year

Master of Science,
Pharmaceutical and Chemical Sciences . . . *Xiaoling Li, PhD*
Associate Dean for Graduate Education
and Research and Director, Pharmaceutical
and Chemical Sciences Graduate Program
Announced by Donald G. Floriddia, PhD
Associate Dean for Student and Professional Affairs

Doctor of Philosophy,
Pharmaceutical and Chemical Science *Dr. Li*
Announced by Dr. Floriddia

Doctor of Pharmacy *Eric Boyce, PharmD*
Associate Dean for Academic Affairs
Announced by Dr. Floriddia

Pharmacist’s Oath *Rajul Patel, PharmD, PhD*
Pharmacy Teacher of the Year

Pacific Pharmacy &
Health Sciences *Nancy DeGuire, PharmD*
Assistant Dean, External Relations

Pacific’s Alma Mater *Burr Cochran Phillips*
Associate Professor of Voice
Conservatory of Music

“Pacific Hail!”
Lois Warner Winston ’23, ’58

Concluding Remarks *Dean Oppenheimer*

Benediction *Dr. Kehoe*

Recessional

A reception honoring the graduates of Thomas J. Long School of Pharmacy and Health Sciences will be held immediately following the Commencement ceremony in the hospitality tent across the street from the Alex G. Spanos Center. Parents, students, faculty, honored guests and friends are cordially invited to attend.

COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

**Bernard J. Tyson,
President and Chief Operating Officer,
Kaiser Permanente**

Bernard Tyson is president and chief operating officer of Kaiser Permanente, the nation's largest not-for-profit health plan and health care provider, with annual operating revenue in excess of \$42 billion. Often referred to as the model for the future of health care, Kaiser Permanente serves more than 8.6 million members, focusing on prevention and affordable health care for the members and communities it serves through the use of evidence-based medicine and industry-leading technology.

Reporting to the chairman and CEO, Tyson as president is responsible for the organization's operations and, working with his team of executives and vice presidents, oversees all functions of the Kaiser Foundation Hospitals and Kaiser Foundation Health Plans. Under his leadership is a workforce of 165,000 employees (95,000 of which are in a unique Labor Management Partnership). Tyson and his team partner with the Permanente Medical Group to deliver on the mission of high quality health care for members and in the communities where they exist.

Tyson and Kaiser Permanente are transforming health care. This is driven by a philosophical belief that health care be safe, affordable and accessible to everyone, and that the health care industry be held responsible for its performance, especially in the areas of quality, service and affordability.

Over his 30-year career, Tyson has developed a great understanding of the health care industry and the inner workings of Kaiser Permanente. For the last 26 years, he has served as a respected leader in all areas of the organization, from running individual hospitals to his leadership over the groundbreaking branding effort that resulted in Kaiser Permanente's Thrive advertising campaign. This award-winning campaign successfully clarified Kaiser Permanente's position on health: We stand for health.

A strong proponent of inclusive leadership, Tyson serves as an executive sponsor for Kaiser Permanente initiatives focusing on eliminating disparities in health care and promoting diversity in the workplace. His drive to cultivate and develop leadership is exemplified by the time he dedicates to mentoring and counseling, his proven track record of promoting employees to leadership, and the current makeup of his leadership team, which represents the best in health care.

Tyson has both a bachelor's degree and master's degree in business administration with a concentration in health care from Golden Gate University in San Francisco. He also earned an advanced leadership certificate from Harvard University. Tyson serves as vice chair for the Executive Leadership Council — a leadership network and advocacy organization whose membership is made up of African-American senior executives from the nation's Fortune 500 corporations. He also serves on the organization's board of directors. Tyson has been recognized for his work both within and outside of health care. In 2010 he was named one of the most powerful minorities in health care by *Modern Healthcare* magazine.

HOODING OF DEGREE RECIPIENTS

Bachelor of Science, Speech-Language Pathology

Larry Boles, PhD
Jill Duthie, PhD
Simalee Smith-Stubblefield, MA

Master of Science, Speech-Language Pathology

Larry Boles, PhD
Jill Duthie, PhD
Simalee Smith-Stubblefield, MA

Master of Science, Pharmaceutical and Chemical Sciences

William Chan, PharmD, PhD
Bhaskara R. Jasti, PhD

Doctor of Physical Therapy

Sandra Bellamy, PT, DPT, PCS
Jim Mansoor, PhD

Doctor of Pharmacy

William Kehoe, PharmD, MA
James Palmieri, PharmD, BCNSP
Miki Park, PhD

Doctor of Philosophy, Pharmaceutical and Chemical Sciences

Bhaskara R. Jasti, PhD
Xiaoling Li, PhD
Wade A. Russu, PhD

DEGREES CONFERRED

Bachelor of Science, Speech-Language Pathology

Nicole Christine Bowers
Nicholaus Brock***
Breanne Nicole Cardoza
Prarthana Chib
Jessica Maria Cordero*
Brittney Bianca Gonzalez
Ashley Monique Hauss
Ashley C. Hollingsworth*
Katelynn Nichole Kelso**
Ranvir Singh Khatkar
Shelami Rose Kirk*
McLeod T. Larsen*
Siobhan Ann Larsen
Lizette Lopez
María Mesones
Husna Mohammadi
Blanca Eden G. Ornelas
Lindsey Marie Perkins**
Deanna Laureen Peterson**
Brittney Nicole Rogers
Jasmeet Samra
Chenee S. A. San Marcos
Rosa Isela Sandoval Rios
Hilary Rose Serota*
Rachel Marie Smith**
Samantha Sachi Teramae**
Nam Tran

Master of Science, Speech-Language Pathology

Kasia Janel Alvine
Shirin Ashley Behin
Nicole Janine Bors
Marina Roberta Crain
Megan Minor Daoedsjah
Jennifer Ann French
Norma Gonzalez
Patricia Lee Gosling
Ylicia Marie Hernandez
Haley Murphy Hodgson
Jessica Leigh Johnston
NelLaine Rae Kilgore
Christina M. Luza
Traci Michelle Stahl
Meagan Mim Mack
Lisa Ann Morales
Mona Patel
Sabrina Patel
Hannah Elizabeth Peterson
Christine Piper
Kyle Andrew Renke
Andrea Rachelle Lopez
McKenna Faye Roberts
Gina Marie Rotondo
Diana Torre
Teresa Rene Marshall
Nick Utvich
Jana Deborah Van Marche
Natalie Touron Yokom

*Cum laude **Magna cum laude ***Summa cum laude

The list of names as it appears in this program includes actual and potential graduates for the 2010–2011 academic year. The above “graduation with honors” distinctions are contingent upon final grade point average calculations at the completion of all relevant degree requirements. The official list of graduates and honors awarded for each graduation date of the 2010–2011 year is maintained by the University Registrar.

*Master of Science,
Pharmaceutical and
Chemical Science*

Vijaysri Nannapaneni

Bhaskara Jasti

*Thesis: Preparation of
Amorphous Forms to
Increase the Solubility of
Poorly Soluble Drugs Using
Spray Drying*

Tianmin Zhang

William Chan

*Thesis: Effects of Beta-
tubulin and Ainp2 on the
Arnt-dependent Signaling
Pathways*

Doctor of Physical Therapy

Piper Lee Barnes

Amie Teresa Brewer

Monica Marie Carrazco

Josiah David Danielson

Kristin M. Davey

Thaao deOrnelas

Jill Marie Dietmeyer

Phillip Tatsuya Dobashi

Kathryn Danielle Drago

Emily Marie Dupree

Isabel Maria Brasil Dutra

Carl L. Fairburn III

Kristina Marie Gibson

Andrew Braden Hennings

An Kim Le

Erica Renee Lowe

Bridgette Marie Mason

Renee Nicolle Mercado

Sheila Hemant Mistry

Katie Mockler

Travis Kyle Moore

Jennifer Lyn Myers

Kelly Maureen O'Donnell

Nella Heng Tay

Amanda Marie Tryhorn

John Vincent Barut Viernes III

Robinson Baird Wills

Jason Ross Winslow

Karissa Mai Jun Yee

Doctor of Pharmacy

Andrew Masatoru Abe

Frances May Acasio**

Katie Jung Yoon Ahn

Adenola Akeem

Adeyinka Akilo

Nassim Tina Altomeh*

Ross W. Anderson*

Tina Aong**

Francesca My Au

Angela Au Young*

Jenny Au Young

Carly Claire Auch

Jeffrey Steven Barron*

Megan Marie Besinque**

Katrina Antoinette Bichai

Kristina Marie Brenner

Allyson Marie Brooks

Laura Claire Bussard**

Andy Ho-Jing Chan

Catherine W.Y. Chan

Jeffrey Lu-wei Chan

San San Chan**

Pui Yen Karina Chan Liang*

Joan Yu-Hui Chang

Nikki Chang*

William Chappell

Kernvir S. Chauhan

Jennifer Yuh-Jwu Chen

Yvette Elizabeth Cheng

Sin Ka Cheong

Christopher M. Chin

Michele S. Chin***

Wesley Kazuo Ching

Lianne Yukiko Choi

Lauren Chiemi

Mew-Lin Chong

Larissa Jun Wan Chow**

Terrence Christopher Chow

Timothy Lawrence Chow**

Amy Therese Clark

Samantha Lynn Cua

Sean Lester Ngo Cualoping

Angela Suzanne Damion**

Jennifer Dang

Lawrence Howard Dang

Ly-Na T. Dao

Ariel Renee Davis

Eric Robert Dehner

Janjri Asvinkumar Desai

Kim Minh Diep

Danielle Annette Dixon Willis

Matthew George Dunn

Peter Q. Duong

Jaeho Eom*

Paula Nicolette Perez Erezoz*

Eric Fabian

Kennedy Wingken Fan

Jonathan Yee Fat

Jason Kim Fong

Marisa M. Fontanilla

Nicole Marie Franklin

Michael John Freudiger

Blaire Kisaye Fujimoto

Marisa Emi Fukuda**

Wilson Fung Fung

Timothy Santino Gallegos Jr.

Poonam Jiten Gandhi

Rocio Aida Garcia**

Brandice Lynn Goertzen

Dana Gonzalez Quick

Julie Allison Guglielmo*

Jay K. Gunasekara

Sarah Nicole Hale-Byron

Kevin Han

Julie M. Hana

Myrna Marie Hana

Wendy Hang

Candice Marie Hansen

Jaclyn Renee Hara

Lauren Ann Hill***

Dan Ho

Mabel P. Hoi*

Tina Loan Hua

*Cum laude **Magna cum laude ***Summa cum laude

De Nuan Huang	Sue Lor	Nasser Sabri Shehade	Robert Kin-Hong Yam
De Suan Huang	Tou Lor	Grace Hang Nim Shin	Stacey Leanne Yamada
Bruce Ming Hui	Tony Luu	Courtney Katsumi Shishido	Dawn Mayumi Yara
Holly Ho Yin Hui*	Phong Mai	Anthony J. Shoan	Tiffany Angela Mei Fong Yee
Tesha Marie Huston	Leilani T. Manuel Uganiza	Andrea Siao	Edward J. Yen
Kevin Hwu	Rami Maria*	Pritha Singh	Anthony Wei-Dod Young
Ryan Hyams	Jonathan M. Miano	Marisa N. Smith	Janeva Michelle Young
Matthew Imanaka	Janell Dawn Miller	Brenda Wingmei So*	<i>Doctor of Philosophy,</i>
Eddie Isaac*	Maika Tadashi Murashige	Stavros Michael Stathoudakis	<i>Pharmaceutical and</i>
Heather Mie Isekawa	Nuthana Naidoo*	Matthew E. Stephens	<i>Chemical Science</i>
Shahrzad Jalali-Yazdi	Sairon Ratan Naidu	Stephanie Jean Sun	Sujata S. Mudumba
Robin Jeanne Jung	Nweni M. Naing	Susan Li Ting Sun	<i>Bhaskara Jasti</i>
Chad Toshio Kajiwara	Joey Mitsuo Nakamura	Kallen Mitsuo Takeba**	<i>Dissertation:</i> Mucoadhesive
Alissa Margaret Keoli Kanakaole*	Gordon Kwok Ho Ng	Shannon Keiko Tamura	Controlled Release
Alex Chun Won Kang	Cat-Minh D. Ngo*	Nikmala S. Tan	Ciprofloxacin Nandparticles
Navjot Kaur	Emily Ngo	Nicole Keiko Tanabe	for Pulmonary Delivery
Mia Emiko Kawamura	Shirley Ngo**	Davis Hideharu Tanaka	Hassan Shallal
Andrew Beau Kerby	Thien Thao Thi Ngo	Jared G. F. Taniguchi	<i>Wade Russu</i>
Robert Michel-Thomas Khoury	Hong Uyen Nguy**	Charlie Thai	<i>Dissertation:</i> The Discovery
Caitlin Ellen Killam	Amy Tuong Nguyen	Edwin Thomas	and Anticancer Preclinical
Jay B. Kim	Huong Cam Nguyen	Eric Tran	Investigation of Novel
Matthew Addison Klein**	Kimmai Vu Nguyen	Andrew Quoc-Vu Truong	Piperazinylpyrimidine
Alden R. Klemm	Long Hoa Nguyen*	Jacqueline Thaibinh Truong	Derivatives to Target the
Kortni Ann Knight**	Lynh C. Nguyen	Sally Truong	Human Kinome
Jeffrey G. Koeck**	Vinhien Thi Nguyen	Christopher Tsui	Lauren Michele Wiser
Kimberly Wai Kei Kwan*	Nielsen Nim	Denise Tsui	<i>Xiaoling Li</i>
Cassie Kin Tze Kwok**	Rory Catherine Fumiko Okasaki Gutierrez**	Nicholas John Uchida	<i>Dissertation:</i> Mechanisms
Cam Anh Thi Lam	Gunner John Olsen	Allison Yoshiko Uyeno	of Polymer Adsorption in
Coby Ann La Mattina	Michael Alexander Olsen	Nicholas S. Van Groningen	Nanoparticle Stabilization
Katrina Elise Lattimore	Reena D. Patel	Vanessa Jill Vaupel	for Poorly Water Soluable
Kevin Lau	Corine Peterson	Andres Velazquez	Compounds
Christie Julie Le	Tracy Elizabeth Phan*	Dayne Vivar**	
Quinn Le	Richard Lazaro Pigao	Shirley Vong**	
Elizabeth Young Hwa Lee	Terran Michael Hasbrouck Rice	JoHsin Wang	
Lois Lee	Seth Rishe***	Yumi Watanabe	
Rosanna Lee	Kate Aguila Salazar**	Kathy Wei	
Tanya Mew Hou Lee	Kittiya Joy Sanglimsuwan	Jordan Wong**	
Gordon Maynard Lew	Eric Lee Saulsbury***	Kimberlee Ann Wong	
Melissa Pamela Lock	Jacqueline Nicole Schnee	Scott J. Wong	
Shauna Marie Lopes	Emily Elizabeth Schulz*	Simon Wong*	
Amber Nicole Lopez***	Matthew James Serna	Sonny T. Wong	
		Xuejie Xu	

*Cum laude **Magna cum laude ***Summa cum laude

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Usher services for the Diploma and Hooding Ceremony
are provided by members of the Kappa Psi Fraternity.

Special assistance provided by staff members:

Banner Bearer *Rajul Patel, PharmD, PhD*
Pharmacy Teacher of the Year

Faculty Marshals *Donald Floriddia, PhD*
Associate Dean for
Student and Professional Affairs

Katrin Mattern-Baxter, PT, DPT, PCS
Department of Physical Therapy

Roshanak Rahimian, PhD
Chair, Department of
Physiology and Pharmacology

Michael Susca, PhD
Department of
Speech-Language Pathology

Jim Uchizono, PhD
Assistant Dean for
Pre-Health Programs

Student Marshal *Taya Malone*
2010–11 ASP President

We extend our gratitude to all who have helped
make this an enjoyable and memorable day for
our graduates, their families and friends.

HONOR SOCIETY INDUCTEES

Phi Beta Kappa

Founded in 1776, Phi Beta Kappa is the oldest academic honor society in the United States and the first fraternity to use a Greek letter name. The society embraces principles that lay the foundations of personal freedom, scientific inquiry, liberty of conscience, and creative endeavor. Phi Beta Kappa recognizes the highest achievement in the liberal arts, with a small number of members selected from among the top 10% of their class. Nationwide each year, about one college senior in a hundred is invited to join Phi Beta Kappa.

Rachel Marie Smith

Phi Kappa Phi National Honor Society

Among honor societies that induct members from all academic disciplines, Phi Kappa Phi, founded in 1897, is the nation's oldest, largest, and most selective. Invitation is extended to graduating seniors and graduate students in the top 10% of their class, and to juniors in the top 7.5% of their class. The mission of the society is to recognize and promote academic excellence and to engage the community of scholars in service to others.

Laura Claire Bussard
Rocio A. Garcia
Lindsey Marie Perkins
Deanna Laureen Peterson
Kallen Mitsuo Takeba
Priscilla To

Phi Lambda Sigma National Leadership Society

Phi Lambda Sigma recognizes leaders and supports leadership commitment. Membership comes from all fraternal and organizational groups and supports all pharmacy activities. Members are selected by peer recognition.

Andrew Masatoru Abe	Nuthana Naidoo
Adenola Akeem Adeyinka Akilo	Kimmai Vu Nguyen
Jenny Au Young	Rory Catherine Fumiko
Andy Ho-Jing Chan	Okasaki Gutierrez
Nikki Chang	Reena D. Patel
Janjri Asvinkumar Desai	Tracy Elizabeth Phan
Peter Q. Duong	Richard Lazaro Pigao
Poonam Jiten Gandhi	Kate Aguila Salazar
Julie Allison Guglielmo	Vanessa Jill Vaupel
Kimberly Wai Kei Kwan	Dayne M. Vivar
Elizabeth Young Hwa Lee	
Tony Luu	

Rho Chi Pharmacy Honor Society

Top 20% of all students in the class who must also show strength of character, personality and leadership.

Frances May Acasio	Matthew Addison Klein
Nassim Tina Altomeh	Kortni Ann Knight
Ross W. Anderson	Jeffrey G. Koeck
Tina Aong	Kimberly Wai Kei Kwan
Angela Au Young	Cassie Kin Tze Kwok
Jeffrey Steven Barron	Amber Nicole Lopez
Megan Marie Besinque	Rami Maria
San San Chan	Nuthana Naidoo
Pui Yen Karina Chan Liang	Cat-Minh D. Ngo
Nikki Chang	Shirley Ngo
Michele S. Chin	Hong Uyen Nguyen
Larissa Jun Wan Chow	Long Hoa Nguyen
Timothy Lawrence Chow	Rory Catherine Fumiko
Angela Suzanne Damion	Okasaki Gutierrez
Jaeho Eom	Seth Rishe
Paula Nicolette Perez Erez	Kate Aguila Salazar
Marisa Emi Fukuda	Eric Lee Saulsbury
Rocio A. Garcia	Kallen Mitsuo Takeba
Lauren Ann Hill	Nikmala S. Tan
Mabel P. Hoi	Dayne Vivar
Amy Huang	Shirley Vong
Holly Ho Yin Hui	Jordan Wong
Eddie Isaac	Simon Wong
Alissa Margaret Keoli Kanakaole	

2011 PHARMACY SENIOR AWARDS

Academy of Students of Pharmacy Mortar and Pestle Professionalism Award

For a graduating senior who exhibits characteristics inherent in a professional.

Andy Ho-Jing Chan

Alpha Psi Education, Scholarship and Leadership Foundation/Helen Rowland Scholarship

For a graduating pharmacy student who has demonstrated extraordinary service and unique leadership within the School of Pharmacy, in memory of the wife of Ivan W. Rowland, founding dean and Alpha Psi/Phi Delta Chi chapter founder.

Kimmai Vu Nguyen

American Pharmaceutical Association — Academy of Students of Pharmacy Senior Recognition Award

For a graduating senior who has most contributed to the local chapter.

Vanessa Jill Vaupel

AmerisourceBergen/Good Neighbor Pharmacy Senior Award

For a graduating senior who demonstrates an interest in independent community pharmacy and the desire to own his/her own pharmacy.

Katrina Antoinette Bichai

Central Valley Society Health-Systems Pharmacists Award

For graduating seniors who have demonstrated high academic achievement and service to the Central Valley.

Jenny AuYoung

Rory Catherine Fumiko Okasaki Gutierrez

Dean's Pacific Pharmacy Spirit Award

For graduating seniors who exemplify and carry out the mission of Pacific Pharmacy.

Laura Claire Bussard

Amy Therese Clark

Ariel Renee Davis

Peter Q. Duong

Poonam Jitan Gandhi

Julie Allison Guglielmo

Emily Ngo

Long Hoa Nguyen

Shirley Vong

Xuejie Xu

Eli Lilly Achievement Award

For graduating seniors who demonstrate excellent patient care skills.

Paula Nicolette Perez Erez

Rocio A. Garcia

Facts & Comparisons Award of Excellence in Clinical Communication

For a graduating senior who demonstrates high academic achievement and outstanding clinical communication skills.

Terran Michael Hasbrouck Rice

Flowers Heritage Foundation Cultural Awareness Award

For a graduating senior who demonstrates a commitment to increasing public awareness of the unique needs of the underserved and who provides leadership in the area of cultural awareness.

Adenola Akeem Adeyinka Akilo

MERCK and Company Incorporated Award

For five graduating seniors demonstrating high academic achievement in pharmacy studies.

Michele S. Chin

Shirley Ngo

Seth Rische

Eric Lee Saulsbury

Dayne Vivar

Mylan Excellence in Pharmacy Award

For a graduating senior who demonstrates high academic achievement and professional motivation.

Amber Nicole Lopez

Natural Medicines Comprehensive Database Recognition Award

For a graduating senior with an interest in natural medicines and whose activities demonstrate outstanding promise in the assessment of evaluation/delivery of patient care related to natural medicines.

Kallen Mitsuo Takeba

Pacific Pharmacy Alumni Association Senior Awards

For graduating seniors who have demonstrated service to their profession, service to their alma mater, and service to their community.

Brandice Lynn Goertzen

Janell Dawn Miller

Jacqueline Nicole Schnee

Jordan Wong

Rite-Aid Excellence in Community Pharmacy Award

For a graduating senior who displays an interest in community practice and is involved in a leadership position with the class or student organization.

Adenola Akeem Adeyinka Akilo

Rho Chi Award

For a graduating senior who has achieved the highest GPA.

Lauren Ann Hill

Norman Silva Scholarship-San Joaquin Pharmacist Association Award

For a graduating senior who has demonstrated achievement and service to the School and the profession.

Vanessa Jill Vaupel

TEVA Recognition of Outstanding Achievement Award

For a graduating senior who excels in the study of pharmacy.

Jeffery G. Koeck

Walgreen's Ambassador to Retail/Community Pharmacy Award

For graduating seniors who have held an elected leadership position in a pharmacy organization, demonstrated high academic achievement and intent to pursue a career in community pharmacy.

Laura Claire Bussard

Jacqueline Nicole Schnee

Wal-Mart Community Pharmacy Achievement Award

For a graduating senior who has held an elected leadership position in a pharmacy organization, maintained a strong academic record and has an interest in community pharmacy.

Kate Aguila Salazar

Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges

For graduating seniors who demonstrate outstanding scholastic ability, participate in leadership and co-curricular activities, and exhibit citizenship and service to their school and University community.

Frances May Acasio

Laura Claire Bussard

Nikki Chang

Paula Nicolette Perez Erez

Rocio A. Garcia

Julie Allison Guglielmo

Nuthana Naidoo

Cat-Minh D. Ngo

Rory Catherine Fumiko Okasaki Gutierrez

Kate Aguila Salazar

Jordon Wong

Runner-Up Pharmacy Teacher of the Year

Joel Wagner, PharmD

Pharmacy Teacher of the Year

Rajul Patel, PharmD, PhD

Regional Preceptor of the Year Awards

Jeff Jolliff, PharmD, BCPS — Bakersfield Region

Rick Geller, MD, MPH — Fresno Region

Angela Rosenblatt, MS, PharmD, BCPS — Inland Empire Region

Mabel Dea, PharmD — LA – Long Beach Region

Anthony Ferrar, PharmD — Modesto Region

Akshai Patel, RPh — Monterey Region

Jennie Ung, PharmD — Orange County Region

Courtney E Lang, PharmD, BCPS — Palo Alto Region

Terry Lerma, PharmD — Redding Region

Micki Soehn, PharmD — Sacramento Region

Christine Joy Pascua, PharmD, BCPS — San Diego Region

Steven Protzel, PharmD — San Francisco Region

Seung Bin Kim, PharmD — San Gabriel Valley Region

Susan Yu, PharmD, CDE — San Jose Region

Chris Ray, RPh — Santa Barbara Region

Andrea Hinton, PharmD, BCPS — Stockton Region

Janice Lindsey, RPH, BCOP — Travis AFB Region

Distinguished Service Award

Larry Hall, PharmD — San Jose Region

PHYSICAL THERAPY HONORS AND AWARDS

Gregory Bard, MD, Endowed Scholarship in Physical Therapy

Jennifer Lynn Myers

University of the Pacific Mary McMillan Scholarship

Nominee

Nella Heng Tay

George H. Sanderson Scholarship for Physical Therapy

Thaao de Ornelas

Physical Therapy Class Representatives

Amie Teresa Brewer

Thaao de Ornelas

Outstanding Part-Time Faculty Member

Katie Graves, PT, DPT, OCS

Outstanding Full-Time Faculty Member

Katrin Mattern-Baxter, PT, DPT, PCS

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY HONORS AND AWARDS

Virginia Puich Endowed Scholarship

Nicholaus Brock

Florence Scott van Gilder “Tolley” Award

Samantha Sachi Teramae

Jasmeet Samra

PHARMACEUTICAL AND CHEMICAL SCIENCES GRADUATE PROGRAM HONORS AND AWARDS

Carl C. Riedesel Endowed Scholarship

In 1987 the School of Pharmacy established this endowed graduate research award in honor of Dr. Riedesel, Assistant Dean Emeritus.

He was one of the original founders and faculty members of the School of Pharmacy.

Hassan Shallal

John Shinkai Endowed Graduate Scholarship

As a faculty advisor of many graduate students in the pharmaceutical sciences, Dr. Shinkai honored and appreciated their dedication to research and discovery. This scholarship recognizes outstanding achievement in the Pharmaceutical and Chemical Sciences Graduate Program.

Hassan Shallal*

*2009 recipient

Marvin Malone Pharmaceutical Sciences Graduate Research Fellowship

Dr. Malone was a meticulous ethnopharmacologist who developed several screening procedures to test phytopharmaceuticals, including the well-known Hippocratic Screening. He was an extraordinary mentor, practicing the old-fashioned approach to the master-apprentice relationship. He believed that there were many consequences and responsibilities in bringing new scientists into the world, including maintaining long-term relationships with them.

This fellowship is awarded to a graduate student to assist with travel expenses.

Hassan Shallal*

*2009 recipient

Pacific Pharmacy Alumni Association Travel Award

The PPAA Travel Award was established in 2010 to provide a travel stipend to two graduate students who present their research at a national or international conference. Students must be enrolled in the Pharmaceutical and Chemical Sciences Graduate Program and be advised by a faculty member in the Thomas J. Long School of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

Hassan Shallal

OATH OF A PHARMACIST

I promise to devote myself to a lifetime of service to others through the profession of pharmacy. In fulfilling this vow: I will consider the welfare of humanity and relief of suffering my primary concerns.

I will apply my knowledge, experience, and skills to the best of my ability to assure optimal outcomes for my patients.

I will respect and protect all personal and health information entrusted to me.

I will accept the lifelong obligation to improve my professional knowledge and competence.

I will hold myself and my colleagues to the highest principles of our profession's moral, ethical and legal conduct.

I will embrace and advocate changes that improve patient care.

I will utilize my knowledge, skills, experience, and values to prepare the next generation of pharmacists.

I take these vows voluntarily with the full realization of the responsibility with which I am entrusted by the public.

PLEDGE FOR PHYSICAL THERAPY

As I enter the profession of physical therapy to practice as a physical therapist, I solemnly and willingly pledge the following:

I will respect the rights and dignity of all individuals and will provide compassionate care. I will be trustworthy towards my patients and clients in all other aspects of physical therapy practice. I will place the welfare of my patients and clients above my own self-interest. I will provide accurate and relevant information to patients and clients about their care and to the public about physical therapy services. I will exercise sound judgment and comply with laws and regulations that govern physical therapy and protect the public from unethical, incompetent, and illegal acts. I will maintain professional competence and promote high standards for physical therapy practice, education, and research. I will address the health needs of society and strive to effect changes that benefit patients, clients, and the community. I will respect the rights, knowledge, and skills of colleagues and other health care professionals and seek consultation whenever the welfare of the patients or clients may be advanced. Thus, with this pledge, I freely accept the responsibilities that accompany the practice of physical therapy.

HISTORY OF THE SCHOOL

Thomas J. Long School of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

Pharmacy

Decade of the 50s — A School of Pharmacy at University of the Pacific was first proposed in 1951, and in 1952 at the request of President Robert Burns, a small group of community pharmacists gathered for a discussion of the project. The California Pharmaceutical Association first discussed this project in 1953 and in July 1954 a motion before the association gave encouragement and support to Pacific to develop a school of pharmacy. Martin Winton of Fresno, who offered the motion, made the first contribution of \$1,000 to support the plan. George J. Filpi, William E. McCown, Edward J. Burke, and Louis E. Shoneff, partners in Valley Wholesale Drug Co. of Stockton then offered their support and were among the first pharmacists who contributed substantial sums to assist the project in its inception.

The School's first interim dean, Dr. Bertholf, was appointed by Pacific's Board of Regents in March of 1955. By August 1955, Dr. Ivan W. Rowland, dean of the College of Pharmacy at Idaho State University had been interviewed and offered the deanship of California's new third school of pharmacy, located at Pacific. Dr. Rowland brought the first Pacific Pharmacy professor, Emmons E. Roscoe, with him from Idaho State and together, with Mrs. Bullard as staff, started the first class in Weber Hall Rooms 102 and 104 on February 1, 1956. They were joined by Carl Riedesel and Ina Pearson (also from Idaho State) in 1957. Cisco Kihara and Donald Barker came from Manitoba and joined the faculty in 1958. This group formed the "Founding Faculty."

ACPE awarded full accreditation to Pacific's School of Pharmacy in 1959 and the first graduation ceremony for 16 seniors (15 men and 1 woman) was held in June 1959. By the next year, the school had reached an enrollment of 250 students. The first grant for research support came from the U.S. Department of the Navy. The first graduate student, Cisco Kihara, completed work for a master's degree in physiology-pharmacology in 1961. She became a beloved member of the faculty.

Decade of the 60s — In the early 60s it was determined that a new facility was needed to house the School of Pharmacy. A conversation between Dean Rowland and Henry Herold, a member of the Pfeiffer Research Foundation, resulted in a \$150,000 challenge grant to build a new building. In August 1964, the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare granted \$1,624,683 to assist the efforts in erecting a \$3 million building. Building began in 1966 on the new \$4.1 million facility and was completed on schedule in September, 1969.

Decade of the 70s — The first six-year Doctor of Pharmacy degrees were granted to the class of 1970, after which the accelerated trimester was initiated. Pacific's School of Pharmacy building was dedicated and accepted by the Board of Regents on April 23, 1971. Other milestones that dominated the 70s were the creation in 1976/77 of the Academic Preceptor-Internship Program and Clinical Clerkships for PharmD students, developed by James C. King, thus resulting in a new competency-based curriculum. This new innovative programming decentralized clerkship experiences to sites all over California and Hawaii.

Decade of the 80s — The development and expansion of the clinical program dominated much of the 80s with a significant increase in clinical faculty through new hires and the implementation of the requirement that every third year student complete 6 x 6 week clinical rotations. Founding Dean Ivan Rowland retired in 1980 and Louis C. Martinelli, PhD, dean of Creighton University School of Pharmacy in Omaha was appointed dean. He served at Pacific until February 1983. Warren J. Schneider, PhD, DVM, was appointed acting dean in March 1983, and was named dean in August, serving until his death in February 1984. Robert B. Supernaw, PharmD, was named acting dean the following day, having served as associate dean for academic affairs since 1983. Donald L. Sorby, PhD, who had been dean of the University of Missouri School of Pharmacy for ten years, was chosen in November 1984 to lead the school. Dr. Sorby provided the school the continuity needed to build, sustain and nourish partnerships, alumni relations and the solidification of critical components of the curriculum.

Decade of the 90s and the new century — Donald Sorby retired in 1995 after 11 years as Dean. That fall, Pacific President Donald V. DeRosa appointed Dr. Supernaw as interim dean for another term, until the appointment of Phillip R. Oppenheimer, PharmD, in September 1997. Dr. Oppenheimer came to Pacific from USC where he had been associate dean and, for 24 years, a member of the faculty. In 1998, Pacific's Regents approved a change of name for the school to School of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, reflecting the additions of Physical Therapy and Speech-Language Pathology as degrees offered in the school. The school again saw its name changed in January 2001, when President DeRosa announced that the Regents, in accepting a \$13 million grant from the Thomas J. Long Foundation had renamed the school the Thomas J. Long School of Pharmacy and Health Sciences. This naming honored and recognized a financial commitment of over \$20 million made to the School by the Thomas J. Long Foundation and the Thomas J. Long family since 1985, as well as an even longer relationship with the school since its inception. Groundbreaking for the new learning center was held on February 12, 2002. This new clinics and classroom building opened in 2003 to house clinic facilities for Physical Therapy, Speech-Language Pathology, Pharmacy and Dental Hygiene, as well as much needed classroom space and a 225-seat, state-of-the-art lecture hall. In 2000, Alina Chen became the first student to complete the PharmD/PhD program which was established as part of the Pharmaceutical and Chemical Science Program in 2000.

Under the tenure of Dean Oppenheimer, the faculty, staff, and students have accomplished much in the way of raising Pacific Pharmacy and Health Sciences to the "Next Level of Excellence" and the establishment of a student-centered educational experience at Pacific. The 1997/98 accreditation review resulted in an increase of 7 new faculty positions and a new coordinated pharmacy curriculum. Other curriculum advances included a PharmD/MBA dual degree program; a student laptop program; new admissions guidelines for the pharmaceutical and chemical science graduate program as well as the development of four internship sites for graduate students. The school has refurbished faculty offices, research labs, allocated over \$1,000,000 for new research equipment, renovated the science library into a high-tech, modern information commons, created seven smart classrooms in

existing facilities besides the new clinics and classroom building, upgraded and improved the lecture hall in the rotunda, created a pharmaceutical care lab dedicated to Dr. Donald Barker, expanded recruiting efforts, updated school governance, increased scholarship endowments, raised the standard for consistently higher board passage rates, improved chemical and vivarium safety, created eight new regions for clinical experience for pharmacy students, implemented the Introductory Pharmacy Practice Experience Program, and has seen faculty research grants total over \$2 million dollars with NIH and NSF grant participation high and over 95% of faculty published. In addition to the changes in the pharmacy program, the school has renewed and invigorated alumni programs in both physical therapy and speech-language pathology, expanded faculty, increased salaries, implemented curriculum changes, implemented a Doctor of Physical Therapy degree, achieved renewed full accreditation and self-studies for both programs and increased clinic activity, grants and contracts.

Physical Therapy

In spring 1985, Pacific established a program of study leading to the Master's of Science degree in Physical Therapy. Responsibility for the program was assigned jointly to Pharmacy and the Graduate School. A Physical Therapy department was established within the School of Pharmacy and Jean I. Baldwin, PhD, was appointed its founding chair in June 1985. She served until her retirement in 1990. Additional faculty were recruited in 1986 and 1987.

The first complement of 30 students enrolled in the program in fall of 1986 and graduated in August of 1988. The department received Candidate Status for Accreditation from the American Physical Therapy Association that same year. Full accreditation was awarded in March 1988. Full reaccreditation for eight years was granted in 1994 and for ten years in 2002. Graduates from Pacific's program are invited to sit for the licensure examination.

In spring 1995, the University established a post-professional Master of Science to prepare practicing physical therapists beyond the professional-education level for skills, knowledge and problem-solving strategies. The first graduates under this program completed degree work in August 1997. Carolyn Hultgren, MPH, PT, who had served as interim chair since Dr. Baldwin's retirement in 1990, was appointed to succeed

Dr. Baldwin in January 1992. At that time, Darcy Umphred, PhD, PT was appointed vice chair. Carolyn Hultgren retired in December of 2001 and Dr. Darcy Umphred was appointed department chair in August of 2001. Dr. Cathy Peterson, PT, EdD, was appointed interim department chair in December, 2003 and department chair in July, 2004.

In 2002, Pacific's Board of Regents granted the Department and School the right to transition the Master of Science degree to a Doctor of Physical Therapy degree (DPT). The first DPT class graduated in the fall of 2005. The department also offered transitional DPT degree programs to priority graduates and master clinicians within the profession of physical therapy during the summers of 2003 and 2004.

Since the beginning of the Physical Therapy Program, graduates have attained levels of distinction. Many graduates have gone on to be recognized by the American Physical Therapy Association as advanced clinical specialists while others have attained leadership levels with local, state and national organizations.

Speech-Language Pathology

The program in Communicative Disorders at the University of the Pacific began during the 1930s. It was located in the Department of Speech in the College of the Pacific. In 1936, Roy C. McCall, PhD, and Velma Hooper McCall, MA, joined the faculty after completing graduate degrees at the University of Iowa.

In 1937, the first course in speech-language pathology, "Corrective Speech Methods" was taught. In 1939 a new major in Speech Correction was added to Dramatic Art, Public Speaking and Speech within the department.

For the past 72 years, the supervised clinical practice that students receive at Pacific has been the foundation of the educational process. The student majoring in Speech Corrections in 1939 was expected to reserve his emphasis upon the study of corrective speech until the graduate year. Speech-Language Pathology was designed from its beginnings to be a graduate program. The first thesis for a Master of Arts degree in Speech Correction was completed by William Owen Pugh in June 1947, "A Syllabus of Techniques for Correction of Speech Defects."

The University Speech and Hearing Center began in 1946 with Dr. Roy McCall serving as its first director. A major change in the program occurred in 1948 when Howard L. Runion, PhD, became the chair. Under his direction, the speech-correction credential for public schools was established in 1949. Dr. Runion served as chair for 20 years and led the expansion of program course offerings and the Speech and Hearing Clinic.

In 1970 the major, Speech Corrections, ended with a name change for both the major and the department. The speech-language pathology program became the Division of Communication Sciences in the Department of Communication Arts and Sciences. The speech-language pathology program achieved departmental status in 1972 under the direction of Kenneth Perrin, PhD, who helped establish the Department of Communicative Disorders. This began a major period of growth, with a master's degree program receiving accreditation by the American Speech-Language Hearing Association (ASHA) in 1973.

This program has maintained its ASHA accreditation continuously since 1973. Dr. Perrin remained chair until 1977 when he left the University for an administrative position with ASHA. In August 1978, the clinic moved to the south campus, made possible by a major donation from the Irvine Foundation. It included 15 clinic rooms for supervised clinical experience, making it the largest university speech and hearing center in California. The next chair, Roy J. Timmons, PhD, led the department until 1987.

Virginia Puich, MS, served as chair from 1987 until 1993, retiring in 1997. Dr. Puich's former students honored her with the Virginia Puich Endowed Scholarship Fund, which was first awarded in May 1999. Robert E. Hanyak, AuD, served as chair from 1993 to 1999. The Speech and Hearing Center was remodeled in 1995 adding 1,000 square feet of additional office and clinic space. A departmental computer lab, funded through the generosity of alumni, was established in 1997.

Pacific's Speech, Hearing and Language Center was transformed in 1997 when a partnership and long-term contract between Pacific and the local Stockton Scottish Rite Language Center was established. As a result, children under 18 receive free speech and language services while adults are seen at Pacific's campus clinic. In August of that year, Communicative

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Disorders was administratively assigned to the School of Pharmacy and Health Sciences and in August 1999, the department took its professional name, Speech-Language Pathology. In October 2000, the center moved to its location next to the Thomas J. Long School of Pharmacy and Health Sciences facilities on the North Campus, and in June 2003, the department and adult clinic moved into the new Chan Family Health Sciences Learning Center and Clinics Building.

Simalee Smith-Stubblefield, MA, chaired the department from 2000 to 2005. Through her leadership, Pacific's Speech-Language Pathology Alumni Association was formed. The department has also established an advantage program for Pacific undergraduate students. Ms. Smith-Stubblefield stepped down as chair in September 2005 to become clinic director and director of Summer Sessions. Through the generosity of the Hedco Foundation, the Audiology (hearing) Clinic was established in 2004. Robert Hanyak, AuD, is the current department chair.

University of the Pacific is an independent, coeducational university serving more than 6,000 students on three campuses in Stockton, San Francisco and Sacramento. It was established by pioneer Methodist ministers in 1851 as California's first chartered institution of higher learning. Pacific has earned widespread recognition for its student-centered approach to education, its many innovations, and the accomplishments of its 55,000 living alumni.

As an innovator and leader in higher education, Pacific provided the West Coast with its first medical school in 1858 (which later became part of Stanford, and today is California Pacific Medical Center), its first coeducational campus in 1871, and its first conservatory of music in 1878. In the 1960s, Pacific was the first university in the nation to offer "cluster colleges."

It was the nation's first to offer an undergraduate teacher corps program, the first to send an entire class to an overseas campus, the first to establish a Spanish-speaking inter-American college, and the first to offer a four-year graduation guarantee. With its move from San Jose to Stockton in 1924, Pacific became the first private four-year university in the Central Valley.

Shortly after occupying the new campus, Pacific established one of California's earliest schools of education. It was renamed the Gladys L. Benerd School of Education in 1992 in honor of the alumna's endowed gift.

Pacific has enjoyed extraordinary stability in administration. Dr. Pamela A. Eibeck began her service in 2009 as the sixth President since the University's move to Stockton in 1924 and the 24th since its founding in 1851. The University experienced its greatest growth and an expansion into graduate and professional education under the administration of Dr. Robert Burns (1947–1971). The School of Pharmacy opened in 1955. It is now the Thomas J. Long School of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, in honor of the benefactor and University Regent who, with his brother Joseph Long, founded Longs Drugs Stores. In 1956 the graduate school was created, and in 1957 the School of Engineering was established. Computer Science joined the school in 2002, and it was renamed the School of Engineering and Computer Science.

In 1962, the College of Physicians and Surgeons, a school of dentistry founded in San Francisco in 1896, was acquired by the

University and became the San Francisco campus. In 2004, the school was named the Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry in honor of its dean of 28 years. It was the first time any university in the United States or Canada had named its dental school for the current dean.

A new concept in higher education in the United States found expression in the establishment of cluster colleges in the 1960s. These colleges adapted the Oxford and Cambridge model to an American setting, integrating faculty and students into living and learning communities. Raymond College was established in 1962, followed by Elbert Covell College in 1963, the first bilingual-bicultural college in the country. Callison College, established in 1967, focused on non-Western studies with a year of study in an Asian culture. The cluster colleges were absorbed into the rest of the University in 1982. Their emphasis on global education continued in a new School of International Studies, the first university-based undergraduate school of international studies in California. The learning community concept of the cluster colleges was strengthened in College of the Pacific, the liberal arts and sciences core of the University, recognized for preparing responsible citizen leaders who will contribute in lasting ways to careers and communities.

The expansion of graduate and professional education continued when McGeorge College of Law, an independent law school founded in Sacramento in 1924, merged with the University in 1966 as Pacific McGeorge School of Law. In 1977, the department of business administration in College of the Pacific was reorganized as the School of Business and Public Administration. In 1995 it was renamed Eberhardt School of Business in honor of the Eberhardt family's endowed gifts. In 1985, programs designed specifically for adult re-entry students were reorganized and revitalized through University College, now the Center for Professional and Continuing Education.

Over the last twenty years, Pacific has advanced its legacy of innovation and leadership. In 1992 the University offered the nation's first "four-year guarantee," a promise to students that they will graduate on time if they meet certain requirements. Under the leadership of President Donald DeRosa (1995–2009), the University invested in more than \$200 million in facilities renovation and construction projects on all three campuses. Pacific initiated distinctive accelerated programs that enabled

students to complete undergraduate studies in combination with professional degrees in pharmacy, law, dentistry and business. The University intensified its commitment to experiential learning, including undergraduate research, internships, community service and education abroad. Pacific also launched an environmental sustainability initiative and instituted the Powell Scholars Program, a premier scholarship program for undergraduate student leaders.

In 1999 jazz legend Dave Brubeck and his wife Iola, both Pacific graduates, announced that their papers, recordings and memorabilia would be deposited at Pacific for study and research. In response to this gift, a treasure of historic American music and memorabilia, the University established The Brubeck Institute for the study, promotion and performance of American music.

University of the Pacific began its latest chapter when Dr. Pamela A. Eibeck assumed the presidency in July 2009. Just one month later, the University and Stockton communities gathered on the lawn of the Don and Karen DeRosa University Center to celebrate as Regent José Hernandez '85 launched into space aboard the Space Shuttle Discovery. That fall Pacific sent all of its incoming students on MOVE — the Mountains, Oceans, Valley Experience — an award-winning experience designed to welcome new students to the Pacific community through participation in experiential learning and service projects throughout Northern California.

After an extensive first-year listening campaign, President Eibeck identified seven institutional priorities for the University's future: enhancing the academic enterprise; developing and managing resources; strengthening ties between Pacific's three cities; establishing and communicating the University's core identity; enriching diversity and inclusivity; serving community through partnerships at the local, national and global levels; and expanding international competence as a hallmark of a Pacific education. President Eibeck's listening campaign also inspired the *Beyond Our Gates* community engagement initiative. The President convened six forums throughout spring 2010 to listen to the community's needs and goals. The forums covered topics crucial for the region: healthcare; the economy; energy and the environment; education; diversity; and arts and culture. As a result of community feedback, in November 2010 President Eibeck proposed a new series of University and community

partnerships. These include increased communication and awareness; keeping the community's interests in mind as the University makes operational and business decisions; continued biannual forums about key regional issues; and improving local K-12 college readiness. One highlight of the college readiness partnership will be *The Tomorrow Project*, an intensive, multi-year engagement with our region's youth. More information can be found at www.beyondourgates.org.

Pacific continues to enjoy national recognition for its leadership in higher education. The University has been listed as a "Best Value" (Top 50) every year since 2000 and is consistently ranked among the top 100 national universities in the country. Undergraduate applications have soared from approximately 5,300 in 2008 to over 20,000 in 2011. This fall, Pacific welcomed the largest freshman class in its history, from its most competitive application process to date. The University remains committed to its personal, student-centered approach. Faculty and staff are dedicated to excellence in teaching. Highly interactive student-faculty relations and a broad array of co-curricular activities that develop students' abilities are hallmarks of the Pacific experience.

SCHOOL AND COLLEGE BANNERS

School and college banners signifying each of the academic units of the University precede a unit's faculty in the procession and are displayed during the ceremony. The color of the banner symbolizes the academic discipline.

College of the Pacific—The golden yellow field of this banner represents the sciences, while the white letters signify the arts and humanities. Founded in 1851, the College of the Pacific is the largest and oldest academic unit.

University Library—This banner's lemon-yellow color represents the library sciences. The Library has supported teaching, learning and scholarship since Pacific's founding in 1851. It is home to many special collections, including the papers of naturalist John Muir and musician Dave Brubeck.

Conservatory of Music—The tradition of representing music with the color pink originated at Oxford University. Pacific's Conservatory, established in 1878, is the oldest university-affiliated school of music in the West.

Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry—The lilac color of dentistry forms the field for this banner. Founded in 1896 as the College of Physicians and Surgeons, the School became part of the University in 1962. It is named in honor of the alumnus who served as dean of the school from 1978 to 2006.

Pacific McGeorge School of Law—Purple, a color traditionally associated with royalty and governance, represents the law. Named in honor of its founder, Verne Adrian McGeorge, the School opened in 1924 and merged with Pacific in 1966.

Gladys L. Benerd School of Education—The light blue field signifies disciplines related to education. The School is named in honor of the distinguished alumna who bequeathed the school with an endowment. It was founded in 1924 when the University moved to Stockton.

Thomas J. Long School of Pharmacy and Health Sciences—Pharmacy is represented by olive green, a color associated with healing herbs. The School, established in 1955, is named for the benefactor and Regent who, with his brother Joseph, founded Longs Drugs Stores.

Research and Graduate Studies—Red-orange signifies this division, which was established in 1956 as Pacific expanded its graduate degree offerings.

School of Engineering and Computer Science—This banner's orange represents the engineering and computer science disciplines. Pacific's School of Engineering and Computer Science was founded in 1957 from a department that dates to the 1930s.

Eberhardt School of Business—The School's banner features an olive brown field. Founded in 1977, the School was renamed in 1995 in honor of the Eberhardt Family's endowed gifts.

School of International Studies—Peacock blue symbolizes the field of international studies. The School was established in 1987 with a gift from George and Isabelle Wilson.

HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE OF THE UNIVERSITY MACE

Originally a weapon used in medieval warfare, the mace evolved by the 12th century into a symbolic device used on ceremonial occasions and borne before monarchs, mayors and parliaments. The mace, as an academic symbol, dates back to the 15th century at the University of St. Andrews in Scotland. The use of maces as symbols of academic authority spread to other universities in the British Isles and from there to America.

Robert E. Burns, Pacific president from 1946 to 1971, asked Stuart Devlin, an internationally-known London silver designer, to create University of the Pacific's mace. It was commissioned in recognition of the University's transition from a college to a university and was first used at a Founders Day ceremony on March 6, 1966. Constructed entirely of silver with a gold plated seal of the University in its head, the mace weighs 15 pounds and is approximately four feet long. It was a gift from Mrs. Winifred Olson Raney, a Regent of the University. The mace is displayed at all official University functions, including Commencement and Convocation. It is traditionally carried by the chair of the Academic Council to symbolize the role of the faculty in university governance.

SIGNIFICANCE OF ACADEMIC REGALIA

Distinctive academic dress can be traced back to the universities of the Middle Ages when university students and faculty wore the robes of the clergy. Today three ranks of degrees are distinguished through variations in the robes, which also indicate the discipline and the university that awarded the degree.

In the United States, gowns generally are black. The color of the edging of the hood and occasionally the color of the facing and crossbars on the doctoral gown indicate the field of learning in which the degree is awarded. The colors of the lining of the hood are those of the institution awarding the degree. Generally, bachelor's and master's tassels are black, and doctoral tassels are gold. After graduation the tassel is worn on the left side of the Mortarboard. An individual's degree is revealed by the type of gown and width of the edging on the hood.

Bachelor's gowns have full, pointed sleeves with no trimming. Hoods have a two-inch edging. Master's gowns prior to 1960 had full, closed sleeves with the arm emerging through a slit at the elbow. In 1960, the gown was modified replacing the elbow slit with an opening at the wrist, and the gown was made to close. Hoods have a three-inch edging. Doctor's gowns are of silk, have rounded sleeves, velvet facing down the front and three velvet crossbars on each sleeve. Hoods have side panels and a five-inch facing.



Pacific Hail!

Words and Music by
Lois Warner Winston '23, '58

*From o'er the rugged mountains
standing high;*

*From out the broad low valleys,
'neath the sky;*

Our alma mater calls, we cannot fail,

Our voices blend in praise,

Pacific Hail! Pacific Hail!

Long may her flaming torch give out its light;

Long may her spirit guide us in the right;

*To her we pledge our hearts,
We dare not fail;*

To her we raise our song,

Pacific Hail! Pacific Hail!

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