

Commencement 2011 Newsletter



NEWS & INFORMATION FOR THE GRADUATING CLASS OF 2011

White House Director of Intergovernmental Affairs to Give 2011 Commencement Address



Cecilia Muñoz, Deputy Assistant to the President and White House Director of Intergovernmental Affairs

The University of Puget Sound is pleased to announce that Cecilia Muñoz, Deputy Assistant to the President and White House Director of Intergovernmental Affairs, will be this year's Commencement speaker.

Muñoz has an outstanding record of achievements in advocacy and legislation for civil rights, education, health, and housing for communities through her work with local and national organizations. In her current role at the White House, she continues to bear influence on these important issues by overseeing the relationships between the Obama administration and state, local, territorial and tribal governments.

The committee composed of faculty, students, alumni, and trustees who selected Muñoz from an impressive list of nominees affirmed that the career of Cecilia Muñoz spoke directly to the university's mission to provide students with a rich knowledge of themselves and others, a recognition of the importance of thoughtful moral discourse, and an appreciation of the demands that lie ahead in our global world.

"Cecilia Muñoz's lifetime of work on critical social issues, her command of the contentious issue of immigration policy today, and her current position in the White House clearly make her someone who will be an inspiration to our new graduates as they set out to become engaged citizens in a pluralistic world," commented President Ronald R. Thomas. "I understand well why she was nominated and selected."

A native of Detroit and the daughter of Bolivian immigrants, Muñoz attended

the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor, graduating in 1984 with degrees in English and Latin American Studies. She continued her education at University of California, Berkeley, where she obtained her master's degree in Latin American Studies.

In 1988 Muñoz became a senior immigration policy analyst at the National Council of La Raza (NCLR), the nation's largest Latino civil rights and advocacy organization. She worked with NCLR for over 20 years, ultimately serving as Senior Vice President of Research, Advocacy, and Legislation, a role in which she supervised all advocacy activities covering a wide range of issues important to the Hispanic community.

In her role at the White House, Muñoz is involved in policy debates around many critical issues, including those of health care and immigration reform, which will be key in determining the course of the country's future. She has been active in a variety of Spanish and English-language media, including numerous appearances on Good Morning America, The News Hour With Jim Lehrer, and National Public Radio. In 2000 she was awarded a MacArthur Foundation "genius grant" in recognition of her work on immigration and civil rights, and in 2007, she served as the Towsley Foundation Policymaker in Residence at the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy at University of Michigan in Ann Arbor. Adding to her many awards and honors, Muñoz will receive an honorary Doctor of Laws degree as Puget Sound's Commencement speaker.



Commencement Weekend
May 13–15, 2011

Graduate Lineup

Sunday, May 15, 1 p.m.
Karlen Quadrangle

Commencement Ceremony

Sunday, May 15, 2–4:30 p.m.
Baker Stadium

*Reception on Todd Field to follow
Commencement Ceremony*

Commencement Ceremony details

Baker Stadium and Seating

Family and friends should arrive at Baker Stadium between noon and 2 p.m., on Sunday, May 15. **Tickets are not required to attend the Commencement Ceremony**, so you may invite as many guests as you choose to celebrate graduation with you. In addition to the seating in the Baker Stadium bleachers, ground-level seating will be provided on Peyton Field. Seating will open at noon, and is first-come, first-served. Seats may not be reserved in advance.

Washington weather, rain or shine!

University of Puget Sound holds the Commencement Ceremony outdoors in celebration of the striking Pacific Northwest environment. Like the graduating classes before you, you might remember graduation in terms of the weather. The Class of



2011 could hold the record for the rainiest, hottest, or most beautiful Commencement Ceremony, so make sure you and your guests dress for unpredictable weather. There is no protection

from the wind, sun, or rain; bring sunscreen, sunglasses, caps, ponchos, and umbrellas. If rain is predicted, graduates and guests seated on Peyton Field will be provided with ponchos. Guests seated in the covered stadium bleachers should come prepared for inclement weather.

Considerations for guests with disabilities

Designated, ground-level seating will be available for guests with disabilities, and a limited number of seats are available for family members accompanying guests with disabilities. Commencement ushers will gladly assist guests in need of these seating accommodations. Wheelchairs may be rented for use during Commencement Weekend from the following Tacoma locations:

Care Medical Equipment Inc.
1902 Tacoma Ave. South
253.474.1774

Discount Medical
3907 6th Ave.
253.752.7900

The ceremony will be interpreted in American Sign Language, and a limited number of assisted-listening devices are available. Please contact the Office of Alumni and Parent Relations at 253.879.3903, 800.339.3312, or parents@pugetsound.edu if you require this service.

A limited number of handicap parking spaces will be reserved in the Memorial Fieldhouse parking lot. Please refer to the campus map on the back page for other designated parking locations. For more information about Puget Sound's disability services, visit www.pugetsound.edu/academics/academic-resources/disabilities-services.

Preparing for graduation

Before the arrival of Commencement Weekend, resources and services are available to assist you in preparing for graduation:

Grad Fair

Puget Sound Grad Fair will take place on **March 30 and 31**, from noon to 4 p.m. each day, in Wheelock Student Center. In a festive setting, you can enjoy treats while you order your cap and gown, take professional graduation portraits, register for LOGGER[net], and access university personnel and resources in preparation for the next phase of life.

Order your cap and gown

All graduates participating in the Commencement Ceremony must wear approved academic regalia. You can order your cap, gown, and hood one of three ways: directly from a Jostens representative at Grad Fair on March 30 and 31, online at www.jostens.com/college, or by phone at 800.854.7464. **All regalia orders must be made on or before April 1.** A late fee of \$10 will be applied to all orders received after April 1. If you have any trouble placing your regalia order, please contact Jostens customer service at 800.448.2173.

All graduates will receive reminder e-mail messages noting instructions and deadlines for placing regalia orders. Gowns will be rented; however, graduates keep the cap and tassel as mementos of the occasion. Master's and D.P.T. graduates also keep their hoods.

Distribution

Caps and gowns will be distributed on Tuesday May 10 and Wednesday May 11, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., in Wheelock Student Center, Room 101. A family member or friend can pick up the regalia for a graduate who cannot attend during these distribution hours. A note of pick-up approval from the graduate, or a receipt of the rental transaction is required.

A last-chance distribution is scheduled for Sunday, May 15, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., on the garden-level in Jones Hall. Master's and D.P.T. graduates will receive their hoods during their departments' hooding ceremonies. Please see page 6 for hooding ceremony times and locations.

Gown return

Please return your rental gown immediately following the ceremony. Gown return will be located in Wyatt 101.

Announcements

When you order your academic regalia, you also will have the option of ordering graduation announcements to distribute to friends and family. Announcements may be ordered from a representative on campus during Grad Fair March 30 and 31. Online and phone ordering is now available at www.jostens.com/college or 800.854.7464. Announcements will be mailed to the address you specify on your order form.

Hometown news release

Let family and friends back home know about your upcoming graduation—announce your achievement in your local newspaper. Complete a hometown news release form at www.pugetsound.edu/hometownrelease. Puget Sound's Office of Communications staff will prepare a news release featuring your graduation from the university and distribute it to newspapers you identify in your local community.

Class rings

You may order your class ring from Jostens at Grad Fair on March 30 and 31, or at www.jostens.com/college, or by phone at 800.854.7464

Professional photographs with iconic campus backdrop

A professional photographer will be on campus to take the classic portrait of you in cap and gown at Grad Fair on March 30 and 31. The photographer will lend you regalia for your photograph. Choose from four iconic campus photos to use as the backdrop in your portrait. These photos are taken without obligation to purchase. Picture proofs will be sent to you individually via e-mail following the event. Please look for the e-mail message to come from Grad Trak Graduation Images.

During the Commencement Ceremony on May 15, a photographer will snap your picture just before you walk on stage, and as you receive your diploma. An e-mail message will be sent to you within days of the ceremony with instructions about viewing your Commencement Ceremony photos. These photos are available online to view without obligation and may be purchased directly from the photographer's website. For more information contact Graduation Images at 800.261.2576 or www.gradtrak.com.

Name pronunciation practice session

Let's make sure your full name is pronounced correctly as you walk across the stage to receive your diploma. If from experience you find that people sometimes mispronounce your first, middle, or last name, Academic Vice President Kris Bartanen invites you to help her practice at a name-pronunciation session on Tuesday, May 11, from 2:30 to 4 p.m., in Trimble Forum.

Graduates' virtual guide to Commencement

Visit the Commencement website in May to access important ceremony instructions. You'll find out how to line up with your classmates for your last student walk across campus, what to do when you are called to approach the stage, where to return your cap and gown, and many more important details. There will be no ceremony rehearsal, so it is vital that you read this information to be prepared for graduation day.

Commencement etiquette

Please respect the dignity of the Commencement Ceremony by dressing appropriately, showing good manners, and refraining from the use of alcohol. Washington state law and university policy prohibit consumption of alcoholic beverages in public areas and on the Puget Sound campus. Complying with state and university regulations and promoting good behavior will help ensure that you, your fellow classmates, and your guests have an enjoyable Commencement experience.

COMPLETING YOUR LAST SEMESTER AT PUGET SOUND

Don't forget the details! Tie up those loose ends and have a smooth and stress-free final semester.

Degree requirements and diplomas

You may participate in the Commencement Ceremony even if you will complete your final courses or requirements at a later date. Any incomplete or in-progress grade in a course must be submitted before you can be awarded a degree. Contact Degree Evaluator Melanie Sullivan in the Office of the Registrar at 253.879.2993 or msullivan@pugetsound.edu to arrange the appropriate degree date. Bachelor's degree candidates are advised to review the degree requirements in the Bulletin. Note that the first degree requirement is to earn at least 32 units.

Your diploma will be mailed to you 8 to 12 weeks after the final term of work has been completed successfully. The diploma will be mailed to each graduate's permanent address, unless you provide a change of address to the degree evaluator. All official "holds" must be removed before your diploma will mail.

Exit loan counseling sessions

Do you have a Stafford Loan or a Perkins Loan as part of your financial aid package at Puget Sound? Each requires you to complete an exit loan counseling session. Watch for more information in mid-March about exit loan-counseling requirements. Details will be posted at www.pugetsound.edu/commencement.

Returning library materials

Please return all library materials to Collins Memorial Library and pay outstanding fines by 5 p.m., on Friday, May 13. Any financial hold on your account will delay the release of your transcript and diploma.

Bookstore refunds

Monies deposited on Bookstore accounts are available for refund. Please bring your student ID card to the Bookstore to receive your refund.

Becoming Puget Sound Alumni

University of Puget Sound is eager to partner with you during this exciting time of transition into the alumni community.

Career and Employment Services

Career and Employment Services (CES) can support you as you align yourself with opportunities leading to a creative, productive, and satisfying professional life. This spring, check out CES resources designed to help you prepare for life after Puget Sound:

- Make contacts with employers to inquire about jobs and internships at the Career Fair.
- Visit the CES Events Calendar at www.pugetsound.edu/ces.
- Connect with alumni by searching the ASK Network online.

Seniors, CES needs your feedback! Complete the Senior Survey in Cascade to be eligible for prize drawings. Watch for more information this spring. To learn more about services available to seniors and recent alumni, visit CES online, stop by Howarth Hall, Room 101, or call 253.879.3161.

Graduate school advising

Interested in graduate school? There are literally hundreds of scholarships for which students and postgraduates can apply. The Office of Graduate and Undergraduate Fellowships can assist you in applying for undergraduate and postgraduate fellowships. Visit the fellowships website at www.pugetsound.edu/fellowships, call 253.879.3329, or stop by Howarth Hall, Room 114 to pick up copies of scholarship and fellowship summaries and to set up an appointment to discuss opportunities.

Health professions advising

Are you interested in continuing your education in a health profession? The university's health professions advising (HPA) staff is happy to guide you through the process of gaining entrance into a health profession graduate/doctorate program. If you are going to apply after graduation please keep in contact with the health professions advising staff for deadlines, packets of materials, and

forms. It is extremely important that the office knows as far in advance as possible of your intentions to apply. For more information visit the HPA Web site at www.pugetsound.edu/hpa or call 253.879.3814.

Alumni Relations

Once a Logger, always a Logger! The Office of Alumni and Parent Relations can help you stay in touch with your friends, make new friends wherever your next journey takes you, and give back to your community and the university. Check out LOGGER[net], Puget Sound's online alumni community, to stay connected to your classmates and to network with fellow alumni across the globe. Go to www.pugetsound.edu/loggernet for more information. Special university-sponsored and alumni-sponsored regional events bring Puget Sound alumni and parents together in many cities throughout the year. View the calendar of regional events at www.pugetsound.edu/alumni to find out how you can get involved. Students, alumni, and parents are always welcome to stop by the Office of Alumni and Parent Relations in Jones Hall, Room 102, or to call 800.339.3312.



Alumni Association welcomes the Class of 2011

After Commencement you and your fellow alumni will leave campus to settle all over the country and in communities across the globe. The University of Puget Sound Alumni Association numbers more than 37,000 and supports regional clubs in cities around the country, including Chicago, Denver, Honolulu, Los Angeles, Twin Cities, New York City, Portland, San Francisco, Seattle, Tacoma, and Washington, D.C. If you move to an area that is new to you, there are fellow alumni who will be delighted to welcome you and give you "the scoop" about your new community, such as where the nice apartment complexes are, where to have your car tuned-up after your cross-country road trip, and popular nightspots you'll want to check out. To help you stay connected with classmates and the university, as well as to make new connections with alumni from other classes, the Alumni Association offers a number of services, programs, and volunteer opportunities. For more information visit the associations website at www.pugetsound.edu/alumni or alumni online community, LOGGER[net], at www.alumniconnections.com/loggernet.

SAVE THE DATE for Homecoming and Family Weekend

Return to campus on **September 16 & 17** to reunite with alumni, parents, students, faculty and friends.

Visit the alumni Web site at www.pugetsound.edu/alumni for the latest developments, and watch your mailbox this summer for event information.

Commencement Weekend 2011 activities and events

Department Receptions

University academic departments host celebratory receptions in honor of your upcoming graduation. Details about various reception dates, times, and locations are printed on page 6.

Friday, May 13

Lavender Graduates Celebration

4–6 p.m.

Wheelock Student Center,
Rasmussen Rotunda

The Graduation Party

8:30–Midnight

Wheelock Student Center, Marshall Hall

Mark your calendars for a special event planned for you, your family, and friends. As you look forward to graduation, Student Activities and The Office of Alumni and Parent Relations are planning an extravaganza celebrating your Puget Sound experience and send off as an enthusiastic member of the Puget Sound Alumni Association. Join your classmates for food, drinks, and live entertainment!

Saturday, May 14

Academic Convocation

2–3 p.m.

Schneebeck Concert Hall

Academic Convocation is a celebration of student achievement in the academic life of the university. The event will feature remarks by selected student and faculty speakers; presentation of university awards, Writing Excellence Awards, and departmental awards; and recognition of initiates into Phi Beta Kappa and Phi Kappa Phi, graduate fellowship recipients, and research scholars.

Graduates of Color Celebration

4–6 p.m.

Wheelock Student Center,
Rasmussen Rotunda

Sunday, May 15

Commencement Brunch

9 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Wheelock Student Center, Marshall Hall

Members of the Class of 2010, families, guests, and faculty are invited to the Commencement Brunch. **Purchasing tickets in advance is strongly recommended.** Refer to page 6 for details.

Interfaith Baccalaureate Service

10–11 a.m.

Kilworth Memorial Chapel

The university's baccalaureate service provides students and families from all religious traditions the opportunity to gather and celebrate your achievements in a spiritual setting. The service draws on resources from the religious and spiritual traditions represented in your graduating class, and is designed and led by graduates from diverse backgrounds with the support of University Chaplain Dave Wright '96. Students interested in participating in the service or anyone with questions about the program should contact University Chaplain Dave Wright at dwright@pugetsound.edu.

Graduate and Faculty Lineup and Last Student Walk Across Campus

1 p.m.

G.E. Karlen Quadrangle

Put on your cap and gown and meet your classmates at Karlen Quadrangle to assemble for the procession to Baker Stadium. Please plan to take any personal photographs prior to the lineup—this will be a busy time, and we need your full attention to start your last student walk across campus on the right foot.

Commencement Ceremony

2–4:30 p.m.

Baker Stadium

The stadium opens for seating at noon.
Tickets are not required.

Commencement Reception

4:30 p.m.

Todd Field

Enjoy refreshments on campus immediately following Commencement. Gather one more time with your family, friends and faculty to celebrate your graduation from Puget Sound.

Accommodations for out-of-town guests

Group reservation rates are available at the Tacoma-area hotels listed below. When making your reservation, mention Puget Sound Commencement to receive the group rate. For additional listings and tourist information, refer to the Visitor Information section of the *Parent Resource Guide*. It is available online at www.pugetsound.edu/parents.

Please be advised that making your accommodation reservations early is highly recommended! Due to other events happening in Tacoma on this weekend, guests are encouraged to make reservations as soon as possible.

Hotel Murano

1320 Broadway Plaza, Tacoma, WA 98402
888.862.3255
3 miles from campus
www.hotelmuranotacoma.com

Courtyard by Marriott–Tacoma Downtown

1515 Commerce St., Tacoma, WA 98402
253.591.9100
3 miles from campus
www.courtyard.com

La Quinta Inn and Suites

1425 E. 27th St., Tacoma, WA 98421
253.383.0146, 800.531.5900
Rates include parking and continental breakfast.
4 miles from campus
www.laquinta.com

Best Western Tacoma Dome Hotel

2611 East E St., Tacoma, WA 98421
253.272.7737, x108
Rates include parking and continental breakfast.
5.5 miles from campus
www.tacomadomehotel.com

Commencement Brunch details

Seating time: 9 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Ticket prices: \$16.95 adults, \$7.95 children 12 and under, \$17.95 on Commencement day. Complimentary for 2011 graduates.

Tickets sales: April 15–May 14

To purchase your tickets, please call the Information Desk at 253.879.3419

or stop by the Information Desk in Wheelock Student Center after April 15.

Purchasing tickets in advance is strongly recommended. Payment may be made by phone or in person April 15–May 14. We accept cash, checks, and credit cards. Any remaining tickets after May 14 will be sold at the brunch for \$17.95. Lost tickets cannot be replaced.

If you purchase 9 or more tickets for the brunch, please contact Phillip Wells, Dining and Catering Services, at 253.879.3263, about group seating.

Menu

Assorted Breakfast Breads and Sour Cream Coffee Cake

Seasonal Mixed Fresh Fruit Salad

Classic Scrambled Eggs

Old Fashion French Toast with Fresh Berries and Maple Syrup

Crisp Bacon Strips

Northwest Crab Eggs Benedict with Hollandaise Sauce

Mediterranean Pasta with Grilled Vegetables

Marinated Vegetable Tray

Rosemary Roasted Red Potatoes

Honey Glazed Baked Ham with Apple Chutney

Assorted Desserts

Assorted Beverages

Department Receptions

Friday, May 13

International

Political Economy

7–9:30 p.m.
Kilworth Memorial Chapel

Saturday, May 14

Art

10 a.m.–noon
Kittredge Gallery

Asian Studies

11:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m.
Wyatt Hall, Room 109

Biology

10 a.m.–noon
Brown Family Courtyard in the Science Center (or McCormick Entry Plaza, 2nd floor, Harned Hall, in case of rain)

School of Business and Leadership

10 a.m.–noon
McIntyre Hall, Room 107

Chemistry

10 a.m.–noon
Brown Family Courtyard in the Science Center (or McCormick Entry Plaza, 2nd floor, Harned Hall, in case of rain)

Communication Studies

10:30 a.m.–noon
Wheelock Student Center, Room 101

Comparative Sociology

10 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
Wheelock Student Center, Rasmussen Rotunda

Economics

10 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
Wheelock Student Center, Piano Lounge

English

10:30 a.m.–noon
Wyatt Hall, 3rd floor foyer

Exercise Science

10–11 a.m.
Memorial Fieldhouse, Dance Studio

Foreign Languages and Literature

10 a.m.–noon
Wyatt Hall, Room 203

Geology

10 a.m.–noon
Brown Family Courtyard in the Science Center (or McCormick Entry Plaza, 2nd floor, Harned Hall, in case of rain)

History

10:30 a.m.–noon
Home of John Lear and Marisela Fleites-Lear (3401 N 8th Street)

Honors Program

Noon–2 p.m.
Langlow House (1218 N. Alder)

Interdisciplinary Programs

- *African American Studies*
- *Environmental Studies*
- *Gender Studies*
- *Latin American Studies*

Noon–1:30 p.m.
Wyatt Hall 2nd Floor Lounge

Math and Computer Science

10 a.m.–noon
Brown Family Courtyard in the Science Center (or McCormick Entry Plaza, 2nd floor, Harned Hall, in case of rain)

School of Music

10:30 a.m.–noon
Music Building, Room 106

Philosophy

10 a.m.–noon
Wyatt Hall, Room 308

Physics

10 a.m.–noon
Brown Family Courtyard in the Science Center (or McCormick Entry Plaza, 2nd floor, Harned Hall, in case of rain)

Politics and Government

10–11:30 a.m.
Wheelock Student Center, Murray Boardroom

Psychology

10:30 a.m.–noon
Trimble Hall Forum

Religion

10:30–11:30 a.m.
Wyatt Hall, Room 204

Science, Technology, and Society

11 a.m.–noon
Niwa House (3201 N. 14th Street)

Theatre Arts

10 a.m.–noon
Norton Clapp Theatre

Sunday, May 15

School of Education

10 a.m.–noon
Howarth Hall, Room 212

Occupational Therapy

Reception and Hooding Ceremony:
10 a.m.–noon
Wyatt Hall, Room 109

Physical Therapy Reception

10–11:30 a.m.
South Hall, Room C129
Hooding Ceremony
11:30 a.m.
Schneebeck Concert Hall

2011 Graduate *Get Ready*

Use this checklist to help make sure you are ready for graduation. Times and location of events are subject to change. Please check with the Office of Alumni and Parent Relations if you have questions. You also will want to access the Commencement Ceremony instructions for graduates available in May on the Commencement Web site at www.pugetsound.edu/commencement

March 30 and 31

Grad Fair

BE INFORMED

Learn about resources for seniors and alumni

12 p.m.–4 p.m.

Wheelock Student Center

GET DRESSED

Order my cap and gown

12 p.m.–4 p.m.

Wheelock Student Center

GET SNAPPED

Have my graduation portrait taken

12 p.m.–4 p.m.

Wheelock Student Center

RING ME

Order my class ring

12 p.m.–4 p.m.

Wheelock Student Center

May 5

CASH OUT

Close my student account with Student Financial Services

Jones Hall, 019

May 10–14

FOCUS

Finals Week

May 10

GET DRESSED

Pick up my cap and gown

9 a.m.–4 p.m.

Wheelock Student Center, 101



May 11

GET DRESSED

Pick up my cap and gown

9 a.m.–4 p.m.

Wheelock Student Center, 10

SAY MY NAME

Name-pronunciation practice session

2:30–4 p.m.

Trimble Hall Forum

May 13–15

CELEBRATE

Attend my academic department reception

Check page 6 for times and locations.

May 13

CELEBRATE

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Graduation Celebration

4 p.m.

Wheelock Student Center,

Rasmussen Rotunda

BOOK IT

Return all library materials by 5 p.m.

Collins Memorial Library

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8:30–Midnight

Wheelock Student Center,

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May 14

BE HONORED

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2–3 p.m.

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Wheelock Student Center

Rasmussen Rotunda

May 15

EAT WELL

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9 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Wheelock Student Center,

Marshall Hall

REFLECT

Attend the Interfaith

Baccalaureate Service

10–11 a.m.

Kilworth Memorial Chapel

FAMILIES GET READY

Family and friends go to

Baker Stadium for seating

Noon

Baker Stadium

SENIORS GET READY

Assemble for the Graduate and

Faculty Lineup and Last Walk

Across Campus

1 p.m.

G.E. Karlen Quadrangle

GRADUATE

Participate in the

Commencement Ceremony

2–4:30 p.m.

Baker Stadium

TOAST

Attend the Alumni Association

Commencement Reception

4:30 p.m.

Todd Field and Ferguson Plaza

May 16

PACK IT UP

Finish packing

Campus housing closes for graduates and ceremony participants at noon.

Archbishop Desmond Tutu visits Tacoma May 13, 2011

On the evening of May 13, Nobel Peace Prize Laureate and the “world’s ambassador for peace” Archbishop Desmond Tutu will make his final U.S. public appearance – at the Tacoma Dome. The University of Puget Sound is pleased to partner with the Greater Tacoma Community Foundation and Pacific Lutheran University on this event to inspire and unite the community on issues of hope, peace and optimism. For more information on this project, please visit www.agreatertacoma.org. We have arranged for special pricing for Puget Sound families. Simply enter the code “UPS11” into the “Special Offers & Promotions” box when purchasing your tickets www.ticketmaster.com. Please contact the Community Engagement Office at 253.879.3530 if you would like additional information.

If you require accommodations for Commencement Weekend celebrations, we recommend you make your reservations as soon as possible. A listing of local area hotels can be found on page 5.

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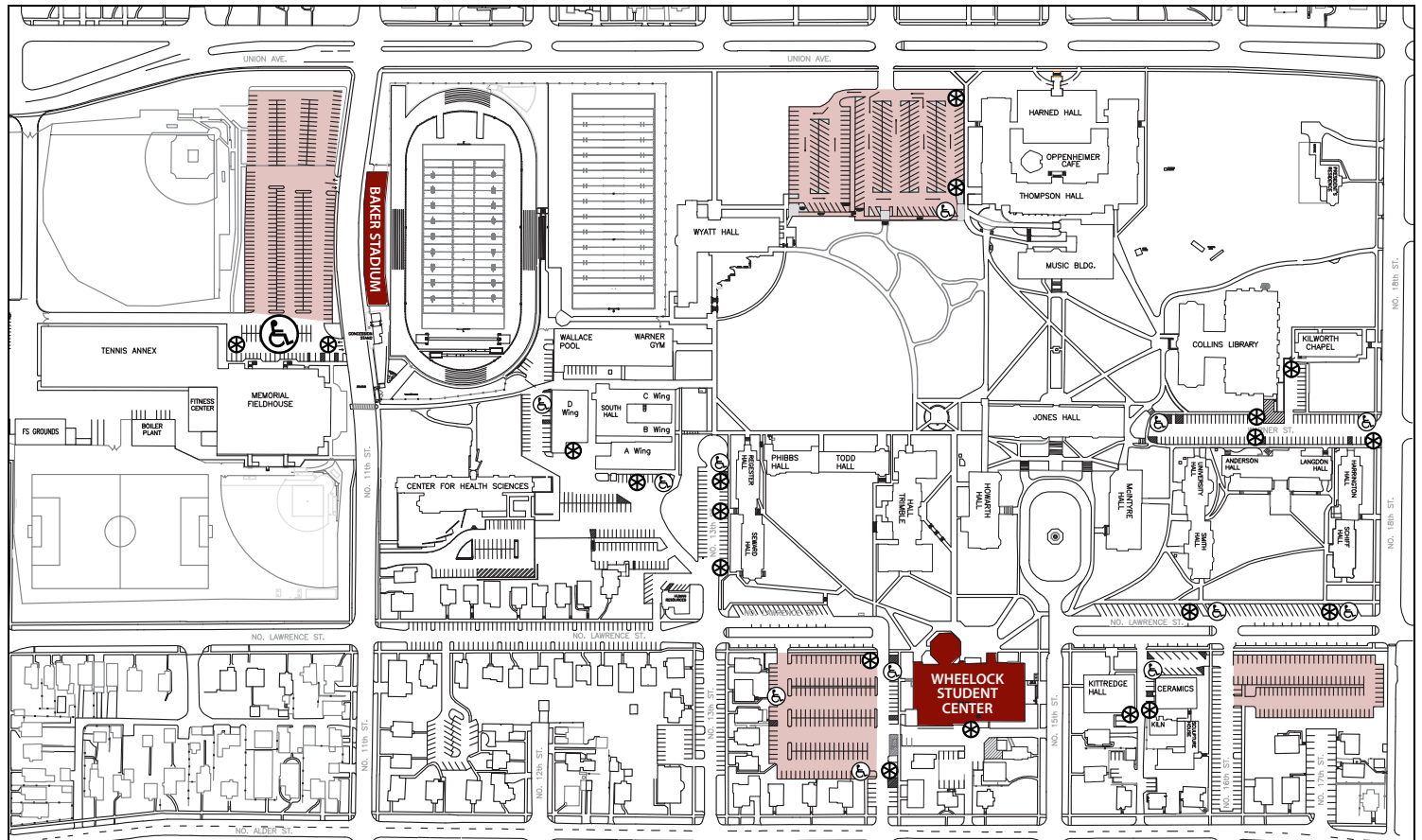
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Commencement Ceremony
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Baker Stadium

First-Class Mail
U.S. Postage
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Permit No. 4



Parking

- Available campus parking
- ♿ Disabled Parking
- ⊗ Loading Zone