

## HOME COMING AND FAMILY WEEKEND

OCTOBER 9-10, 2020

AT-HOME EDITION

### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9

#### 11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. PDT | LEGACY SOCIETY LUNCHEON *(by invitation)*

Join us for a virtual luncheon celebrating you and your membership in the Legacy Society. We look forward to our featured program during which Professor Elise Richman and students from the Department of Art and Art History will share their work and discuss the challenges and opportunities of studying art in an online learning environment.

#### Noon – 1:30 p.m. PDT | SOUP WITH SUBSTANCE: You Can't Make Fufu Alone: Commitment, Compassion, and Community in Studying Abroad to Ghana

In December 2019, Dr. LaToya Brackett took 17 students to Ghana for the first ever faculty-led study abroad in West Africa. The group was the most diverse group in Puget Sound history, and with that came numerous levels of engagement to make the entire experience work, from the fall on campus course to the three week in-country experience.

What Dr. Brackett found to be most insightful while looking back on this trip, were the requirements of having committed students, faculty, and staff on board; having compassion as a professor, but also expecting and requiring such from students; and building community prior to the trip, throughout the trip, and post the trip. She will share some of the highlights and low lights in those spaces and why in the end the trip was imperative for Puget Sound and how much she's looking forward to expanding this in the future.

#### 2:30 – 3:30 p.m. PDT | TREASURES OF THE ARCHIVES AND SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

Join Collins Library Director Jane Carlin and the Archives & Special Collections Staff for a virtual visit to the Puget Sound archives. Learn about how the archives operates, some of their latest projects, and see some of their favorite Puget Sound historical artifacts.

#### 4 p.m. PDT | LIASE KEYNOTE TALK

Finding "Homes" While Going "Global": A Southeast Asian American Perspective

What does it mean to find a "home" in a place where one is treated as a guest? What does it mean to undertake a study of a part of the world that's not your "home?" In a keynote

presentation webinar, Prof. Rick Bonus will talk about the prospects and challenges of answering these questions by sharing some lessons he and his students learned in doing study abroad trips to the Philippines. Join him for a conversation on "homes," studying abroad, Southeast Asian American identities, and ethical practices in transnational exchanges.

#### 7:30 p.m. PDT | SCHOOL OF MUSIC COLLAGES: 10<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL FACULTY AND STAFF SHOWCASE

This annual, fast-paced concert is an anticipated event that delights audience members. Faculty members and students will perform together virtually in an evening of chamber music representing School of Music vocal and instrumental ensembles.

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10

#### 9 - 11 a.m. PDT | PARENTS COUNCIL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING *(by invitation)*

#### 9 a.m. PDT | 10<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL LOGGER 5K

Join other Loggers (at your own pace) for this virtual fun run. We encourage you to run/walk/jog/skip from the comfort of your neighborhood or home. You'll have access to an immersive virtual lap of campus to motivate you during your run and enjoy campus scenery. Remember to wear maroon and white or green and gold to show your Logger spirit!

Register today to order your commemorative t-shirt and race bib.

#### 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. PDT | ALUMNI COUNCIL MEETING *(by invitation)*

#### 11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. PDT | ESTATE PLANNING WORKSHOP

Stump the Estate Planning Expert presented by Robert C. Pittman '75, CAP Pittman Law Office

#### 1 – 2 p.m. PDT | COACHES PANEL

Rick Sassara '87, Alumni Council Athletics Committee Chair, will moderate a conversation with head coaches Jeff Thomas (football), Mark Massey (volleyball), and Kim Calkins (women's soccer).

Register [online](#) to access event links. Events are subject to change.