

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS NEWSLETTER

International Programs

University of Puget Sound

Greetings from Editor

Hi everyone,

Welcome back to campus! Hope you guys all had a great winter break and are ready for a new semester.

Due to lots of transitions in the office, we haven't seen many of you since the Welcome back Dinner at Allyson's the past semester. Thank you to all of you who have been able to attend the events. We appreciate it a lot as you have set aside some time to be part of this program. This semester, we would love to hear more from you: what kinds of gathering you would like to attend? A hike to Mt. Rainier? A fieldtrip to Seattle? A dinner in the old town? A pizza night at Cellar? You name it and we will try to realize it.

Our dear advisor Allyson, as many of you have known, is now on a maternity leave with her new daughter Jayla. And she is coming back in early April. Before that, please email internationalprograms@pugetsound.edu if you have any questions or concerns.

All the best in your spring semester and 2014!

I-Connect Wants You!



I-connect Program is now looking for current students interested in mentoring or coordinating events for incoming international students and Third culture students.

This opportunity is a great way to enrich (and share) your experiences abroad as well as support the international community on our campus. It would be wonderful if you guys can help us spread the words out as well. Application will be put online soon. And if you are interested or have any questions, please drop by our office or email us!

Upcoming Event — Chinese New Year Celebration

The year of snake is passing and the year of horse begins on Jan 31, 2014. Come participate in calligraphy writing, ink painting, traditional crafts, Gu Zheng music, raising a dragon kite and stay for a sampling of delicious Szechuan food.



Time: Friday, February 7 @ 5-7pm

Location: Wyatt Hall, Second Floor Atrium

Important Dates

The last day to drop a class with no record is — Feb. 3rd.

Textbook refunds will be given for two weeks following the first day of class. Bring your sales receipt to receive a refund.

I-94 update: the I-94 may have been changed after you re-entry to the U.S. You could retrieve the document [here](#).

February 2014

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| 2 | 3 Last day to drop without record | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 Basketball vs Whitworth | 8 Basketball vs Whiteman |
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| 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 Theater: "Iphigenia 2.0" | |

Art & Lectures on Campus

Faculty Recital: Virtuoso Masterworks for Cello and Piano

February 2 @ 2pm, Schneebeck Concert Hall

Orientation and Free Climbing Night

February 3,4,6 @5pm-8pm, Climbing Wall, Warner Gym

Jacobsen Series: Piano Festival Concert

February 7 @ 7:30pm, Schneebeck Concert Hall

24th Annual University of Puget Sound Piano Festival

February 8 @9am-9pm, Schneebeck Concert Hall

Guest Speaker: "The Memory Table," by Myriam J.A. Chancy

February 10 @5:30pm-7pm, Tahoma Room, Commencement Hall

Birds of Prey Night at the Museum

February 12 @6pm-7:30pm, Thomson Hall 295

Film Screening: "The Way of the Dragon" (1956)

(Asian Studies Movie on Tuesday @ 5:30pm every week)

February 18 @ 5:30pm, Commencement Hall, Room 272

Swope Lecture: "The Future of Religion in Higher Education," by Rhonda & Doug "Jake" Jacobsen

February 20 @ 7:30pm-8:30pm, Kilworth Memorial Chapel

Performance: Symphony Orchestra

February 21 @7:30pm - 9pm, Schneebeck Concert Hall

More events can be found [here](#).