WELCOME TO PACIFIC UNION COLLEGE

We’re glad you have chosen the unique educational experience we offer at PUC. The Student Handbook has been prepared to help you become familiar with the resources and opportunities available to you as a student as well as the policies that govern your privileges and responsibilities as a member of the PUC community.

MISSION

Our faculty, staff, and students form a supportive group interested in your spiritual growth, academic success, and overall well-being. Many avenues exist at PUC to maintain a healthy and well-balanced life along with opportunities to cultivate good social and personal relationships. We are committed to our mission, our core values, and the development of the whole person.

MISSION STATEMENT

Pacific Union College is a Seventh-day Adventist learning community offering an excellent Christ-centered education that prepares its students for productive lives of useful human service and uncompromising personal integrity.

CORE VALUES

INQUIRY

Pacific Union College is a community of Christian learners, students and teachers, where sharing knowledge leads to a search for further knowledge.

EXCELLENCE

Pacific Union College offers each learner the opportunity to achieve his or her highest potential mentally, spiritually, socially, and physically. As one of the most valued outcomes of a high-quality education, students will discover the meaning and purpose in their lives. Educational programming, both in and out of the classroom, is intended to facilitate an accelerated stage in a lifetime of continuous improvement.

INTEGRITY IN HUMAN RELATIONSHIPS

All are created equal in God’s sight. The goal is to treat everyone with fairness, dignity, and respect.

SERVICE

Pacific Union College encourages students to plan for a life of engagement in the world, both professionally and personally.

CHRISTIAN WITNESS

In every way, faculty, staff, and students will reflect the love of God as expressed in the life and character of Christ.

COMMUNITY

The core values of Inquiry, Excellence, Integrity, Service, and Christian Witness will be cultivated and passed on within a community of learners who are as committed to one another as they are to Christ. This community will be engaged in the creative pursuit of knowledge and meaning, actively involved in Angwin, the Napa Valley, and beyond as both partner and resource.
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Every effort has been made to ensure that the Student Handbook’s content is accurate at the time of publication. However, policies, prices, fees, and other information may change. Updates will be posted on our website at www.puc.edu/studenthandbook.

It is the responsibility of all students to know and abide by the contents of this student handbook. Failure to abide by all College regulations may result in disciplinary action including, but not limited to, expulsion from the College and may result in eviction from College housing.

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MISSION’S CONTEXT

Founded in 1882 at Healdsburg, California, Pacific Union College moved in 1909 to its current location in Angwin, a former health-resort town that overlooks the renowned Napa Valley, about 70 miles north of San Francisco. With 1,000 acres of forested and agricultural land and 30 miles of on-campus trails, this environment is both breath-taking and conducive to learning. There is unmistakable evidence that, for more than 100 years, this setting has successfully nurtured students. PUC students score very high in national test scores, and the admission rate into professional programs is also high. What’s more, PUC students benefit from one of the most culturally diverse campuses in the nation, according to U.S. News & World Report. The College’s motto, “Where Nature and Revelation Unite in Education,” captures these strengths.

The College offers over 50 associate and bachelor degrees and one graduate degree. Several off-campus adult programs demonstrate the College’s commitment to the educational needs of the broader community. Pacific Union College has chosen to keep the name “college” rather than to change to a “university,” because “college” signifies our primary focus on teaching in a learning community where the student is the only reason for the institution’s existence. Excellence is a goal in all academic offerings. The College is especially known for its strong pre-medical and pre-dental programs. An important ongoing objective is to prepare graduates for careers in the church and in the broader world of work as lay persons.

The core values driving this mission include a continuing search for truth, excellence, integrity in human relationships, and dedication to Christian witness, service, and community. While offering many professional programs, the College focuses on the importance of the broad range of liberal arts through a program of rigorous general education requirements that are part of a student’s preparation for life beyond a specific vocation. These programs center around a Christian world view by integrating faith and learning. They also teach critical analysis and create conversations in which the learning community may discern which understandings of the world are better, may practice the skills of appropriate persuasion, and may cultivate the disposition to do good. The College’s seal containing the phrase from John 6:45—“They shall be all taught of God”—summarizes a major purpose. The words of Ellen White, one of the College’s founders, from 120 years ago, enjoin us to produce “thinkers, not mere reflectors of other people’s thoughts”; and these words remain a constant ideal.

Adventist education focuses on the whole person, emphasizing the importance of helping students improve their mental, physical, social and spiritual life as they serve their fellow human beings. Part of this effort includes an emphasis on art, music, and intramural/intercollegiate sports/recreation. The College concentrates on enabling students to explore and create personal value systems in an independent setting, surrounded by loving Christian adults and peers. The joy of Christian relationships is deliberately cultivated as an essential aspect of truly successful education. The result of this open exploration is committed church members and reflective spiritual individuals who continue to serve others as witnesses to Jesus Christ.
INSTITUTIONAL STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

The Academic Program and General Education Outcomes, together with these Institutional Student Learning Outcomes, comprise a Christian liberal arts education at Pacific Union College.

“Joyful is the person who finds wisdom, the one who gains understanding” (Proverbs 3:13)

PUC facilitates this journey to WISDOM by promoting and modeling:

Wholeness: PUC graduates will make mature, independent choices integrating the needs of body, mind, and spirit.

Integrity: PUC graduates will live lives based on the highest ethical standards.

Service and Stewardship: PUC graduates will practice the Biblical imperatives to serve humanity, resist injustice, and care for the created world.

Diversity: PUC graduates will display intercultural competence and understanding as informed members of a dynamic global church and world community.

Our Adventist Heritage: PUC graduates will understand and value the major tenets of Seventh-day Adventist Christian thought, including the blessing and significance of the Sabbath.

Maintaining Lifelong Learning: PUC graduates will continue to practice the intellectual skills, curiosity, and creativity necessary to live lives of useful human service, both personally and professionally.

STUDENT LIFE AGREEMENT

Pacific Union College is a Christian liberal arts college sponsored by the Seventh-day Adventist Church. Students seeking an education in Pacific Union College’s environment have a responsibility to help preserve the essential qualities that make the College distinctive.

The College desires for its students to become experienced at making personal decisions based on Seventh-day Adventist principles of Christian living. By choosing to enroll at PUC, students are expressing a willingness to make decisions which are guided by the following principles:

1. To seek truth and to consider the Bible as life’s ultimate guidebook.
2. To participate actively in a lifestyle which includes personal devotions, group worship and service to others.
3. To deal honestly in all aspects of life.
4. To maintain high standards of taste and decency in conduct, expression and citizenship.
5. To respect the property, personal dignity, time, and right to privacy of others.
6. To treat others with graciousness, demonstrating tolerance for diversity.
7. To maintain a lifestyle of moral purity.
8. To value and pursue a healthful lifestyle, including good nutrition, regular exercise and adequate rest. (The use of alcohol, tobacco, illegal drugs or the misuse of prescription drugs is not acceptable.)
9. To dress modestly, appropriately and in good taste.
10. To develop an appreciation for great art, music and literature.
11. To help others fulfill their student life agreement.
12. To faithfully abide by PUC’s policies, understanding that failure to do so may result in withdrawal from PUC.

By enrolling in PUC, students understand that Pacific Union College is a unique, Christian institution. Students attend PUC of their own free will, and choose to live by its principles and support its doctrines both on and off campus.
CAMPUS LIFE
ADMINISTRATION

COLLEGE PRESIDENT
Office located in the lower level of Chan Shun Hall, (707) 965-6211
To schedule an appointment with the president, contact the president’s office. For more information, visit: www.puc.edu/president/administration.

VICE PRESIDENT FOR ACADEMIC ADMINISTRATION AND ACADEMIC DEAN
Office located in the lower level of Chan Shun Hall, (707) 965-6234
The vice president for Academic Administration (academic dean) oversees all academic programs on campus. For academic issues which cannot be resolved with a department chair, contact the academic dean’s office for an appointment.

VICE PRESIDENT FOR ADVANCEMENT
Office located in the house behind Chan Shun Hall, (707) 965-7500
The vice president for Advancement oversees fundraising for the College and coordinates Alumni Services programs.

VICE PRESIDENT FOR FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION
Office located in the Financial Services building, (707) 965-6699
The vice president for Financial Administration is the chief financial officer of the College and oversees Student Financial Services, business enterprises, accounting services, payroll, human resources and facilities management.

VICE PRESIDENT FOR MARKETING AND ENROLLMENT SERVICES
Office located in Graf Hall, (707) 965-6303
The vice president for Marketing and Enrollment Services oversees Enrollment Services and the Office of Public Relations, coordinating the College’s recruiters, marketers, writers, designers and web team and maintaining the College’s relationship with the media, constituents, and potential students.

VICE PRESIDENT FOR STUDENT SERVICES AND DEAN OF STUDENTS
Office located in Graf Hall, (707) 965-7362
The vice president for Student Services (dean of students) oversees all student life programs and departments on campus. This VP coordinates campus religious programs, student publications and the activities of student organizations such as clubs and the Student Association. For student life issues which cannot be resolved with a dean or director, contact the dean of students’ office for an appointment.

ADMISSIONS AND ENROLLMENT
Office located in Graf Hall, (707) 965-6425
This office processes all applications, disburses information about the College to all prospective students, and gives free tours of the College campus to visitors.

ENROLLMENT SERVICES HOURS
• Monday-Thursday: 8 am-5 pm
• Friday: 8 am-1 pm

CAMPUS CENTER
Located on the ground floor of the Dining Commons, (707) 965-7121
The Campus Center is the heart of all social activities. The main lobby is a
cozy yet lively place to relax, eat, or sip a hot drink. The campus coffee shop and the Student Association offices are located here.

**CAMPUS CENTER HOURS**
The Campus Center is open seven days a week. Hours are posted.

**CAREER AND COUNSELING CENTER**  
*Located in Angwin Plaza, (707) 965-7080*

The Pacific Union College Career and Counseling Center endorses a holistic approach in working with students by facilitating the integration of the emotional, intellectual, physical, social and spiritual qualities of the individual. We believe that each person is a child of God and is created with a purpose and mission in life. It is our goal to assist each individual client, regardless of race, creed or gender to work toward reaching his/her potential academically, personally, interpersonally, spiritually and occupationally. Other than fees for testing, counseling is offered at no charge to students enrolled at PUC. For more information, call the Center or visit the web page at [www.puc.edu/counselingcenter](http://www.puc.edu/counselingcenter).

**CAREER COUNSELING**

The Center invites students to discuss career options, self-assessment, values, skills, interests, goals and job-seeking strategies with a career counselor. Resources are available to help students in developing effective interview skills and in writing resumés, application letters, and personal statements.

PUC hosts an annual Career Day each November. An average of 60 to 70 on-the-job consultants are invited to spend half a day on campus interacting with students and sharing the pros and cons of their respective professions. An internship fair is held winter quarter in which prospective employers interview our students for internships, volunteer opportunities, and jobs. Additional career preparation events and workshops are held throughout the year.

**PERSONAL COUNSELING**

Short-term counseling (a maximum of 12 sessions in an academic year) is available. A staff of professionally-trained counselors is available to provide students with a supportive, caring, and confidential environment. In addition, support groups are organized if enough students are interested in participating. Appointments can be made through the Center office. Counseling is offered at no charge to students enrolled at PUC. In an emergency, either call Public Safety (707) 965-7111 to page a counselor or contact the Napa County Crisis Hotline (707) 253-4711.

A listing of local, licensed professionals in private practice is available upon request, with financial arrangements, appointments, and evaluation of effectiveness arranged between the student and the individual professional.

**SUBSTANCE ABUSE/ADDICTIONS**

The Career and Counseling Center provides students with education and counseling regarding substance abuse and addictions. For those suffering from an addiction or struggling with substance abuse, the Center provides a safe place to receive information and assistance in a private and confidential setting.

**TESTING SERVICES**

Personality and occupational interest inventories are available to students
through the Career Center. Also, PUC is an official non-Saturday test site for a wide range of national achievement and credentialing tests. For information concerning registration and a list of the tests offered, please contact the Career Center.

**CAREER AND COUNSELING CENTER HOURS**
- Monday-Thursday: 9 am-12 noon, 1-5 pm
- Friday: 9 am-12 noon

**CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS**
College life gets better when shared with friends. For students interested in participating in a campus club, there is a wide variety of academic, departmental and special interest clubs that have been established on campus. All clubs must apply for organization on an annual basis. Clubs vary each year. Students wishing to organize a new club on campus should file a request at Student Services. Only approved organizations are to plan functions and select officers. Visit [www.puc.edu/clubs](http://www.puc.edu/clubs) for current list.

**CULTURAL CLUBS**
- Asian Student Association (ASA)
- Black Student Union
- Chinese Student Association
- Hawaiian Club
- Korean Adventist Student Association (KASA)
- Mabuhay Filipino Club
- Student Organization of Latinos (SOL)

**ACADEMIC CLUBS**
- Biology Club
- Business Club
- Chemistry Club
- Communications Club
- Dramatic Arts Society (DAS)
- Education Club
- History Club
- National Student Nurses Association
- Pre-Law Society
- Pre-Pharmacy Club
- Pre-Professional Club (MED-DENT)
- Psychology Club
- Sigma Tao Delta
- Social Work Club

**CIVIC CLUBS**
- Amnesty International
- REVO
- Thaumatrope

**SPECIAL INTEREST CLUBS (CLUBS VARY EACH YEAR)**
- Angwin Flyers
- Debate Club
- EPIC (Engaging People in Christ)
- Jiu Jitsu Club
MINISTRIES
For Her Ministry
For Him Ministry
Health Ministries
Homeless Ministries
Life Groups
Prison Ministries
PRSM Ministries (Peer-led, Relevant, Small-group Ministries)
Reach Ministries
REVO
Short Term Missions
World Missions

HONOR SOCIETIES
Psi Chi (Psychology)
Sigma Tau Delta, Alpha Delta Delta Chapter (English)

STUDENT ORGANIZATION AGREEMENT
A. PURPOSE OF PACIFIC UNION COLLEGE
   PUC is a Christian liberal arts college sponsored by the Seventh-day Adventist Church which seeks, through its high-quality education program, to create an awareness of human need, to encourage commitment to compassionate human service and to provide opportunities for leadership development.

B. PURPOSE OF STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS
   • To contribute to the educational mission of the College.
   • To enhance the quality of student life.
   • To contribute to the spiritual and personal development of students.
   • To involve students in service to the campus and the community.
   • To enhance and support the College’s curricular programs.

C. ROLE OF STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS
   • To promote shared student interests.
   • To provide opportunities for the development of leadership skills.
   • To provide structured opportunities for self-government.
   • To provide an atmosphere that recognizes individual achievement.
   • To provide opportunities for social interaction.

D. SUPPORT FOR STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS BY PACIFIC UNION COLLEGE
   • Use of College facilities for programs and meetings at no charge.
   • Utilization of College business support services.
   • Programming assistance from Student Services offices.
   • Opportunities for approved fundraising events.
   • A student nominated and College administration approved advisor.

E. CONDITIONS
   • Present a request for recognition to the dean of students.
   • Present a statement of purpose to the dean of students.
   • Receive authorization from the dean of students to organize.
   • Nominate an advisor approved by the dean of students.
   • Present active membership and list of officers to the dean of students.
   • Negotiate and sign the relationship statement.
F. OBLIGATIONS OF AFFILIATION
- Maintain an accurate membership list.
- Maintain a membership of at least 10 members.
- Deposit organization funds in the College’s student bank.
- Maintain a simple accounting system.
- Include signature of advisor for fund disbursement.
- Financial records are subject to audit by the dean of students.
- Activities and advertising shall be cleared through Student Services.
- Off-campus activities requests shall be submitted five days in advance.
- Overnight activities shall include a written schedule of activities.
- Overnight activities shall include appropriate chaperonage.
- Off-campus activities shall include proper transportation arrangements.
- Advisors shall be notified of and invited to all meetings and activities.
- Reimburse the advisor for any directly related expenditures.
  Compliance with and adherence to this relationship statement is necessary for
  the maintenance and support of a student organization that is
  compatible with and in support of the educational mission of Pacific Union
  College. Non-compliance with or disregard for the provisions of this state-
  ment will jeopardize the privilege of affiliation.

G. CLUB FEES AND EVENT CHARGES
- Club fees and club event charges cannot be charged to student tuition ac-
  counts. Funds for these types of events will be paid directly to the club
  or organization by cash, check, or credit card.

H. BY SUBMITTING A PETITION TO ORGANIZE A NEW CLUB/MAINTAIN CLUB
  STATUS, CLUBS AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING:
- To have a faculty/staff advisor at all organizational meetings and events.
- To serve PUC students and the College community.
- To cooperate with other clubs in working for the good of the College.
- To inform ourselves of College policies as they relate to clubs and to ob-
  serve these policies in all activities of the club.

DINING COMMONS
Located in the Dining Commons, (707) 965-6328
The Bon Appetit team at the Dining Commons provides the on site
restaurant for Pacific Union College. Bon Appetit is known for their culinary
expertise and their commitment to create food that is alive with flavor and
nutrition, prepared from scratch using authentic ingredients. They do this in
a socially responsible manner for the well-being of their guests, their commu-
nities, and the environment.

Fresh food and beverages are sold on an a la carte system, with most
items priced individually or packaged together as a meal. This system allows
students more freedom in choosing the variety of food they wish. The Dining
Commons serves only lacto-ovo vegetarian foods. A vegan selection is of-
fered at each food station.

Each quarter, residence hall students are charged a fixed minimum board.
Students and faculty pay by using their ID cards. Any amount over the fixed
minimum is added to the monthly statement.

There is no refund for students who do not use the allotted minimum each
quarter. Students are encouraged to monitor their totals to maintain a steady
rate of board fees. The Dining Commons has no obligation to provide bulk
items to be purchased at the end of the quarter.

For a listing of current menus, visit the web page at www.cafebonappetit.
com/puc.
EMPLOYMENT

Located in the Financial Services building, (707) 965-7198

For students seeking work on- or off-campus, stop by the Student Employment Office for a list of job openings and to complete employment documents. The latest help wanted list is also available online at www.puc.edu/studentemployment.

The U.S. Department of Justice requires verification of citizenship when applying for employment.

- Documents that establish both identity and employment eligibility:
  1. U.S. passport
  2. Certificate of U.S. Citizenship
  3. Certificate of Naturalization
  4. Unexpired foreign passport with I-551 stamp or attached USCIS Form I-94
  5. Alien Registration Card with photograph (Green Card)

If the student does not have one of the above, one document from each of the following lists must be provided:

- Documents that establish identity:
  1. State-issued driver’s license or a state-issued ID card with a photograph
  2. U.S. Military Card
  3. School ID with photograph
  4. Voter’s Registration Card

- Documents that establish employment eligibility:
  1. Original Social Security Number Card (U.S. citizens only)
  2. United States birth certificate issued by state, county, or municipal authority bearing a seal or other certification
  3. Valid USCIS (U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services) I-20 form

FINANCIAL SERVICES

Located in the Financial Services building, (707) 965-7200

Student Financial Services provides a comprehensive financial assistance program including state and federal aid; scholarships and grants are available. Call to schedule an appointment.

FINANCIAL AID

For students anticipating financial aid for the school year, the financial aid file needs to be completed prior to registration. Students are assigned a financial counselor. The financial counselor assists students with completing the file. The director of Student Financial Services is the counselor for international and ACA students.

Students receiving financial aid must maintain “satisfactory academic progress” to keep it. To understand what that phrase means, see listing in PUC’s General Catalog.

FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS

All students should complete financial arrangements before registration. Discuss payment plan choices with the assigned counselor in Student Financial Services. The payment plans are listed in the General Catalog.

For students who have not made financial arrangements, visit Student Financial Services immediately. (Only those students whose payment is received by September 15 are eligible for the Tuition Guarantee Plan or the Cash Discount Plan.)
Students are expected to abide by their agreed payment plan throughout the school year. Counselors understand that problems do occur that can affect a student’s ability to pay according to plans. If this happens, it is the student’s responsibility to talk with the counselor to make other arrangements.

ID CARD
At registration all students can obtain a picture ID card that serves as a meal ticket, library card, and permit to buy or return textbooks. Report lost or stolen ID cards immediately to Student Financial Services, (707) 965-7200. A fee is charged for the replacement of an ID card.

Please note: Students are to present their PUC ID card upon request of a member of Public Safety or other authorized agents of the College. Refusal or failure to comply may result in referral to the dean of students.

STUDENT FINANCE HOURS
• Monday-Thursday: 9 am-4 pm
• Friday: 9 am-12 noon

FIRE DRILLS
Residence halls and all buildings are required to have periodic fire drills. When the alarm sounds, the law requires that the building be evacuated as promptly as possible. Follow the evacuation procedures posted in each room.

GUEST ACCOMMODATIONS
PUC provides a limited number of reasonably priced guest rooms in some of the residence halls. For information, call (707) 965-6313 or visit the web page at www.puc.edu/guesthousing. For a list of area accommodations, visit www.puc.edu/lodging.

HEALTH SERVICES
Located in the lower level of West Hall (Education building), (707) 965-6339; (707) 965-6243 (fax)

Health Services is a confidential service dedicated to providing the campus community with the necessary screening of medical conditions and referrals to either the in-staff physician or local medical providers when appropriate. Service is also provided to faculty/staff family members over the age of 17.

Please visit www.puc.edu/healthservices for information regarding requirements to be eligible for services, local resources in the Napa Valley, exclusions and termination of services.

HEALTH SERVICES HOURS
• Monday–Thursday: 9 am-1 pm, 2-4 pm
• Friday: 9 am-12 noon

*Medical personnel are on-call 24 hours a day and can be accessed after hours by calling (707) 965-6789 for phone advice.

STUDENT HEALTH INSURANCE
Pacific Union College does not provide a primary insurance plan for students. It is the student’s responsibility to have a primary plan in place upon enrollment. If proof of a primary billable insurance isn’t received prior to onsite attendance, students will be signed up and billed for an insurance plan.
In the event of an accident it is the student’s responsibility to contact the Health Services Department for appropriate follow-up care. Outside services received off-campus will be the financial responsibility of the student.

HEALTH SERVICE CLASS EXCUSES

The Health Services Department does not provide class excuses for illness. As the student, it is your responsibility to contact your professor and make arrangements for missing class. Pacific Union College’s Class Attendance Policy states the following: “You are expected to inform your instructor in advance if you are going to be absent from a class session. Regardless of the reason for your absence, you are responsible for all material and assignments presented in class and for meeting assignment deadlines... Each instructor has the right to establish a specific attendance policy best suited to a given course and to publish it in the syllabus. You are responsible for reviewing, understanding, and adhering to the published attendance policies for all your courses.” For more information on Pacific Union College’s Class Attendance Policy, please see the “Academic Information and Policies” section of the General Catalog: www.puc.edu/academics/general-catalog.

Health Services can provide you with a form verifying only the date of your office visit. If your professor requests additional information, please contact our office for the correct procedure to release your confidential medical information.

If you are seeking special accommodations or exceptions to your course syllabus due to medical issues, please contact the Disability Support Services Coordinator in the TLC: www.puc.edu/academics/tlc/disabilities-support-services.

ILLNESS

Students with an illness lasting one or two days are required to contact their professors to make arrangements for missed academic work. It is recommended that illnesses lasting more than one or two days be assessed by the Health Services department. Any residence hall student with an illness requiring constant monitoring will be asked to leave campus until stabilized.

PHARMACIES

Deer Park Pharmacy (St. Helena Hospital), (707) 963-5209
Smith’s St. Helena Pharmacy, St. Helena, (707) 963-2794
Vasconi’s Drugs, St. Helena, (707) 963-1444

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Located in Graf Hall, (707) 965-7362

The international student advisor provides general international student advising services for those students needing assistance with immigration information, medical insurance, visas, and related matters. International students in F-1 status may work on campus up to 20 hours without permission from the USCIS. International students wishing to work off campus may obtain an USCIS request form at Student Services. Information can also be found at www.puc.edu/internationalstudents.

INTRAMURALS

The Intramurals sports program is open to the College family. Activities include a variety of team and individual sports in league and tournament format. For more information, visit the PUC Intramural website at www.recradio.org.
LOST AND FOUND
Located in the Custodial Building, (707) 965-7261
The main campus location for "lost" and "found" items is in the Custodial building so check for "lost" items and turn in all "found" items here.

PUBLIC SAFETY
Located at 180 College Avenue, (707) 965-6551
Public Safety provides 24-hours-a-day security and patrol protection for the campus. Information about Public Safety, rules and regulations, services, etc., can be obtained by calling Public Safety, visiting the office, or accessing their web site at www.puc.edu/publicsafety. The department provides several service-oriented functions to the College community including:

CRIME AND ACCIDENT REPORTS
Any criminal action should be reported to Public Safety. The department maintains a close working relationship with appropriate law enforcement agencies and elements of the criminal justice system. This report does not take the place of the official crime reports taken by the Napa County Sheriff’s Department, but it does provide an effective conduit to ensure the proper agencies are informed.

VEHICLE ASSISTANCE
Public Safety will assist any on-campus person with basic vehicle problems such as a need for battery jumper cables and lockout assistance. Contact Public Safety for a detailed list of available services.

CAMPUS PARKING REGISTRATION AND ENFORCEMENT
Parking on campus is by permit only. All students must register any and all vehicles with Public Safety prior to or immediately upon arrival to campus. Individuals must provide driver’s license, DMV vehicle registration and proof of insurance to register their vehicles. Temporary permits are available from Public Safety 24 hours a day. Parking is enforced by citations, impounding, and towing of vehicles. Contact Public Safety for more detailed information.

CRIME PREVENTION
The College’s crime prevention program is based upon the dual concepts of eliminating or minimizing criminal opportunities whenever possible, and encouraging students and employees to be responsible for their own security and the security of others. The following is a list of Public Safety’s crime prevention programs:

SAFETY ESCORT SERVICE
This service is provided from dusk to dawn for on-campus rides to ensure the safety of the campus populace.

CRIME PREVENTION PRESENTATIONS
Numerous crime prevention presentations are made annually and are available on request.

PRINTED CRIME PREVENTION MATERIALS
Printed crime prevention brochures related to motor vehicle, bicycle, residence and personal safety are widely distributed at crime prevention presentations and are available at Public Safety.

*Note: The information provided above is only summary in nature. Please contact Public Safety for more detailed information.
PUBLIC SAFETY HOURS
- Monday-Friday: 8 am-4 pm for business transactions.
- Dispatchers and officers available 24 hours.

SPIRITUAL EMPHASIS
In keeping with the special character of this Christian college, students are expected to attend regularly a specified number of worship services which are planned to stimulate growth and maturity in Christian living.

Students may participate in a variety of other religious activities: small group meetings, Children’s Church, the Student Missionary program, short-term mission opportunities, off- and on-campus service groups, and retreats. These activities provide opportunities for students to be active in service to humanity and God.

For more information, visit the web page at www.puc.edu/spiritual-life.

AFTRLITE
AFTRlite is an after-vespers, relaxed atmosphere, providing students opportunities to mix and mingle. Some activities include AFTRglow concerts, Sabbath appropriate movies, Sabbath games, and crafts. Drinks and snacks are provided.

CAMPUS CHAPLAIN (OFFICE OF SERVICE, JUSTICE, AND MISSIONS)
The campus chaplain helps students explore their relationship with God and what it means to be a Christian in today’s world. The chaplain is also advisor to the Student Association religious vice president and Campus Ministries. This includes inreach and outreach programs and activities like vespers, revivals, Student Week of Prayer, small groups and student missions. The chaplain’s office is in the Office of Service, Justice, and Missions which is located off the sidewalk that leads from the Campus Center to the church. To arrange an appointment, call (707) 965-7190.

CAMPUS MINISTRIES
There’s nothing like putting Christianity into action. Campus Ministries, sponsored by the Student Association, works with the campus chaplain in planning a variety of community outreach activities, worship opportunities and Friday vespers for students. Campus Ministries include Health Ministries, Homeless Ministries, Interactions, Lighthouse, Prison Ministries, Sabbath School, Short Term Missions and World Missions.

Students can sign up for existing ministries or start their own. For more information, stop by the Campus Ministries Suite between the church office and the Campus Center, call (707) 965-7125 or visit the web page at www.puc.edu/campusministries.

CHURCHES
The Pacific Union College SDA Church is located on campus, (707) 965-7297. Home of the 4,000-pipe Rieger organ, the church serves as the focal point for congregational worship. Majestic is held at 10:00 am on Saturday. The Gathering is the contemporary service with the expressed intent of celebrating our very current God. The Gathering begins at 12:10 pm each Saturday. For more information, visit the web page at www.puccchurch.org/.

Other local Seventh-day Adventist churches are in Calistoga, Deer Park, Napa (English, Korean and Spanish), St. Helena (English and Spanish), and Yountville. For additional choices and/or denominations, check online or call the Office of Service, Justice, and Missions at (707) 965-7190.
ELMSHAVEN
Elmshaven, the former home of Ellen G. White, is located at 125 Glass Mountain Lane, St. Helena. Daily tours are offered Sun-Thurs, 10 am-5 pm; Fri, 10 am-1 pm; Sat, 2-6 pm. For more information, call (707) 963-9039.

HEALTH MINISTRIES
This ministry promotes healthful living, a drug-free lifestyle and general health practices.

HOMELESS MINISTRIES
Ever feed the homeless? Whether a pro or novice at service, a blessing will be gained by the bi-weekly trips to People’s Park in Berkeley where we provide food for those in need.

PRISON MINISTRIES
Every other week this ministry takes a crew to Vacaville State Medical Correction Facility and worships with the inmates.

REVIVALS
Each quarter other than summer, PUC celebrates a Revival. For one of the quarters, the chaplain’s team presents a Student Week of Prayer featuring student speakers. For more information, call (707) 965-7190.

SABBATH
From Friday sundown to Saturday sundown, the PUC community observes the Sabbath. The College invites all students, visitors and employees to help create a special spiritual atmosphere on campus.

SABBATH SCHOOL
College Sabbath School meets from 11:00 am-12:00 pm on Saturday. Sabbath School brings people closer to God and each other. It offers contemporary music, discussion, speakers and more. A variety of other Sabbath Schools are taught around campus, so students are sure to find one that’s just right.

SHORT TERM MISSIONS
What does spring break look like? For students interested in a fulfilling 10-day mission experience, Short Term Missions is just the ticket. For information, call (707) 965-7125.

TASK FORCE
A task force worker (just like a student missionary) makes a commitment to give a period of his or her life, anywhere from three months to a number of years, serving God in one of many varied mission positions. Task force workers generally serve in the United States. They teach, preach, work with children, work maintenance jobs, work secretarial jobs, work in hospitals, and do many other diverse jobs. For information, call (707) 965-7120.

VESPERS
Vespers is the weekly student worship in the Church Sanctuary on Fridays at 8 p.m. Open the Sabbath with fellowship, praise and an inspirational message.

WORLD MISSIONS
Taking a year to serve the Lord in a far away land (or close to home) is a big decision. The world missions office helps to encourage and support stu-
dent missionaries. For information on how to get in touch with SM friends or how to become a student missionary, call the world missions office at (707) 965-7120.

**STUDENT ASSOCIATION**

Every student enrolled for a minimum of six quarter hours is automatically a member of the Student Association, a student government that organizes social and religious activities and represents student concerns to the College administration.

Student Association officers are elected annually during winter quarter by the student body and receive a stipend for their work.

**STUDENT ASSOCIATION OFFICERS**

- President
- Executive vice president
- Religious vice president
- Social vice president
- Financial vice president
- PR/Marketing vice president
- *Campus Chronicle* editor
- *Diogenes Lantern* editor
- Video producer

The video, *Campus Chronicle*, and *Diogenes Lantern* yearbook publications are available to all Student Association members.

Student Senate is the policy-making body of the Student Association. Senate is chaired by the executive vice president and is made up of senators elected annually (unless a vacancy occurs). Senate meets every other week during the school year, and meetings are open to the general student population. Senate minutes, bills and topics are posted on bulletin boards throughout campus.

For more information on the Student Association, Senate, publications, or social or religious activities on campus, call (707) 965-7121 or visit the web page at [www.puc.edu/sa/](http://www.puc.edu/sa/).

**STUDENT ASSOCIATION OFFICER ELIGIBILITY**

To be elected as an officer of the Student Association is both an honor and a responsibility. It is an honor because it means being popularly elected by fellow students to represent them. It is a responsibility because it means meeting those students’ needs and representing PUC as a Christian college.

Officers are to work with the College administration and be fully acquainted with the philosophies and policies of PUC. Officers are to carry out their responsibilities using Christian ethics.

To be eligible for office, students are required to have a cumulative GPA of 2.50 which must be maintained during the term of office, be enrolled for a minimum of twelve hours of college credit per quarter, and be a student in good standing. Student leadership eligibility involves completing eligibility verification, including a recommendation from the dean, and signing the leadership pledge and code of ethics. Students interested in being an officer are to submit a petition to the Student Association elections chair. The Student Life Committee and the Student Association Elections Committee clear students for eligibility before they are allowed to run for office.

(Publication Board clearance is mandatory for all publication candidates.)
STUDENT ASSOCIATION PUBLICATIONS

CAMPUS CHRONICLE

Campus Chronicle, the student newspaper, is issued free to students throughout the academic year. It is distributed to various points on campus. The CC office is located in the Campus Center, (707) 965-6747.

DIOGENES LANTERN

Named after the school flower, the Diogenes Lantern is the yearbook which is available free of charge to full-time students. The DL office is located in the Campus Center, (707) 965-6749.

VIDEO PRODUCER

Monthly videos reflecting the current events or upcoming events are shown at vespers, in the Dining Commons or posted on the SA Facebook page. The video production office is located in the Campus Center, (707) 965-6795.

STUDENT ASSOCIATION PUBLICATION GUIDELINES

Guidelines for Student Association-affiliated materials are provided so that students, in preparing any material for distribution and publication, can ensure that the contents of those materials will be consistent with the basic aims and endeavors of Pacific Union College. Students or student organizations preparing any material that fall under the umbrella of Student Association should be aware of and must conform to the following guidelines, which also apply to all statements, pictures, and illustrations in such material. In addition to the general publication guidelines, specific guidelines are available for each SA publication.

GENERAL PUBLICATION GUIDELINES

1. Pacific Union College is a Christian institution committed to academic excellence in an atmosphere of freedom. Student Association publications may responsibly discuss any issue so long as the basic principles of the Christian or Seventh-day Adventist faith are not denigrated or defamed.
2. Statements may responsibly discuss Pacific Union College policies, stating both supporting and contrary views, provided that criticism meets high journalistic standards and does not defame or attack any individual or attempt to incite defiance of or disobedience to any College policy or regulation.
3. Statements shall not be directed toward inciting defiance or disobedience of federal, state, or local laws or the promotion of civil disorder.
4. Statements, photographs, or illustrations shall not be profane, indecent, or pornographic.
5. The intellectual and/or aesthetic content of Pacific Union College Student Association publications shall be consistent with the standards that one would expect in a serious intellectual or academic environment.
6. No statements shall advertise the sale or use of alcohol, tobacco products, or illegal drugs.

STUDENT LEADERSHIP

Student leadership is valued at Pacific Union College. The College provides opportunities which facilitate student leadership learning experiences. Student leaders are encouraged to become club officers, Student Association officers, campus ministries directors, student senators, and more to not only become closely connected with their campus community, but also to develop an awareness of the leader’s role and responsibilities to that community.
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ACADEMIC LIFE

Pacific Union College is a Christian liberal arts institution of higher education offering studies and activities designed to promote the harmonious development of each student—spiritually, mentally, socially and physically.

Through religious services, classroom instruction, and a varied program of social and cultural activities, the College seeks to assist in the development of both character and intellect.

Character as a code of moral and spiritual values, and intellect as the tool of reason, are integrated in the learning experience in order to provide a firm base for effective, ongoing contributions to the church and society.

In essence, the College seeks to:

• Promote the development of values and a personal philosophy of life as an outgrowth of commitment to the Christian faith.
• Stimulate intellectual curiosity essential to the discovery of truth.
• Encourage creativity in thought and expression.
• Demonstrate that learning is both discipline and pleasure and that meaningful, lasting benefits accrue to those who throughout life continue to experience the satisfaction of learning.
• Introduce students to the great body of knowledge by which people understand and relate to their physical and social environments.
• Develop certain basic skills and abilities that contribute to satisfactory social and occupational relationships.

ACADEMIC INTEGRITY

Academic integrity is highly valued and is expected. Academic dishonesty is an extremely serious offense and is cause for disciplinary action. Students involved in cheating, plagiarizing, fabrication, multiple submissions, abuse of academic materials, deception, misrepresentation, electronic dishonesty, and other types of academic dishonesty, including production of materials for other students, are ordinarily subject to dismissal from the course with a failing grade.

Situations involving academic dishonesty are dealt with by the instructor of the course in consultation with the department chair. A record of any verified instance of dishonesty is forwarded to the academic dean and is kept in the student’s personal file. Whenever such filing occurs, the student involved is notified. Established appeal and grievance procedures provide the student with the opportunity to respond to the situation. A pattern of serious or habitual dishonesty is dealt with by the academic dean and may result in failing grades and/or dismissal from the College.

CODE OF ACADEMIC INTEGRITY

Integrity is expected of every student in all academic work. The guiding principle of academic integrity is that the work one presents as one’s own is one’s own.

Students shall not violate the Code of Academic Integrity and shall avoid situations likely to compromise academic integrity. Students shall observe the provisions of the Code of Academic Integrity whether or not faculty members establish special rules of integrity for particular courses. Failure of faculty to prevent academic dishonesty does not excuse students from compliance with the Code.

Those who engage in academic dishonesty diminish the quality and value of their education and bring discredit to the academic community.

See the General Catalog or view the web page www.puc.edu/catalog for further details on categories of academic dishonesty and procedures for addressing academic dishonesty.
ADVENTIST COLLEGES ABROAD

The Adventist Colleges Abroad (ACA) consortium provides opportunities to qualified undergraduate students for study in other countries while completing requirements of their programs at their home colleges. Students are immersed in the culture and life of another country while becoming conversant in its language. Through such experiences students also may gain an appreciation of and perhaps an inspiration for mission or other multicultural service.

The following countries have affiliates of ACA: Argentina, Austria, Brazil, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Spain, Thailand, and the Ukraine. For additional information about ACA Programs, see the General Catalog, call (707) 965-6425 or (707) 965-6510, or visit www.aca-noborders.org.

ADVISING

A student is assigned an academic advisor from the major field noted on his or her application. Students may learn who their advisor is by checking the listing on Lantern or by calling the Records Office at (707) 965-6676. Advisors guide students through orientation, registration, the freshman year, and beyond. Students are to work actively with their advisor in planning academic programs and schedules. See the General Catalog.

If a student needs to change from one advisor to another, the Records Office will help assign a new advisor.

CHANGE OF MAJOR

Students are not locked into a major. For a change of major, obtain a “Change of Major” request form from the Records Office or download it from www.puc.edu/records-forms.

REMEMBER, THE ACADEMIC ADVISOR IS ONLY A GUIDE

Ultimately, students have to make the choices. Which courses should be taken? How many credit hours should be taken each quarter? Should physiology or golf be taken?

The academic advisor is committed to helping students chart a course (and keep to it) throughout their stay at PUC. However, responsibility to take the right courses at the right times rests on the student’s shoulders.

It is the Advisor’s Responsibility to:

1. Give advice on the student’s academic program and schedule.
2. Direct students to the appropriate campus services.
3. Be available during scheduled advising office hours, by e-mail, or phone mail.
4. Monitor the student’s progress.

It is the Student’s Responsibility to:

1. Understand the General Catalog as it relates to them.
2. Build good class schedules.
3. Add or drop courses.
4. Maintain their academic program.
5. Schedule and keep appointments with their academic advisor, especially if the student is having difficulties.
6. Choose educational and career goals that correspond with their abilities and interests.
7. Make reasonable commitments of their time.
8. Stay on track toward their goals.
To help students plan their academic career, the PUC General Catalog and Class Schedule should be read thoroughly.

BOOKSTORE
Located in Angwin Plaza, (707) 965-6271

The Bookstore accepts VISA, MasterCard, Discover, and personal checks (or a parent’s check if the student and parent have the same last name. Two ID’s are required when paying with a check of this kind.) No cash-back services are available.

The Bookstore recommends that students register for classes before purchasing textbooks. Popular classes fill up quickly, which means plans may change and different books will be needed.

STOLEN BOOKS
For missing books, submit a “Missing Book Report” at the College Bookstore with as much identifying information as possible. If the book shows up during the Textbook Buyback Week, it can be traced.

USED TEXTBOOK BUYBACK
Used Textbook Buyback takes place during final exam week. The Bookstore will pay 50% of the price paid for textbooks purchased at the Bookstore if they will be used the next quarter. Attention: RECEIPTS MUST BE SAVED! If the book is not listed for the next quarter, the buyer may offer a wholesale price. Books purchased from other sources or without receipts may also be sold at this time at wholesale price. PUC ID is required.

BOOKSTORE HOURS
• Monday-Thursday: 9 am-5 pm
• Friday: 9 am-2 pm
• Sunday: Closed

BOOKSTORE ONLINE
puc.bncollege.com

Through the Bookstore webpage, students can purchase PUC memorabilia and textbooks for classes. Also offered are computers, electronics and software from various partner companies, which will be shipped directly from them.

CAMPUS COLLOQUY
The entire College family including students, faculty and staff will gather at a required weekly Thursday Campus Colloquy in order to worship God and to create community and unity across a diverse group of individuals. This time together enables the College to promote essential core values through expressions of faith and scholarship, of praise, of serious application in addressing life’s challenges and choices, and of student leadership opportunities. In a society known for its focus on individualism, the weekly Campus Colloquy attempts to create a Christian community of student and adult scholars. In order for this goal to be accomplished, all campus offices are closed during this time.

All full-time undergraduate students are automatically registered for the course GNRL 100 Campus Colloquy, worth 0.1 units each quarter. Attending at least six meetings each quarter earns a grade of S; failure to attend six meetings results in an F grade, which lowers the grade point average. These grades appear on the College transcript. Additionally, Campus Colloquy
attendance accumulates into your weekly participation expectation after six Colloquy attendances have been recorded.

Proration of Campus Colloquy will be considered on the basis of class or work schedule conflicts. Students requesting proration on the basis of work conflicts must submit a letter from their employer listing the student’s weekly work hours to Student Services. Proration forms may be obtained online at www.puc.edu/participation or at Student Services.

GENERAL CATALOG

The General Catalog describes the academic programs at the College and defines the requirements students must meet to achieve their academic goals. Though students will have the assistance of an academic advisor in working out their course of study, students have the ultimate responsibility for meeting the requirements of the program they have chosen.

The General Catalog also gives an overview of College policies and regulations. Every student is responsible for knowing the information presented in the General Catalog. Copies are available in the Records Office, or visit online at www.puc.edu/catalog.

HONORS PROGRAM

The Honors Program offers academically motivated students an alternative General Education curriculum and is built around the study of the great works of world culture. Honors students explore central themes in the sciences and liberal arts through discussion of works ranging from Homer’s Odyssey to Mozart’s Requiem, from the Analects of Confucius to Emily Dickinson’s poetry, from the Bible to the Dialogues of Galileo. All honors courses are interdisciplinary, discussion-oriented seminars in which students and teachers engage in collaborative learning.

LIBRARY

The W. E. Nelson Memorial Library provides both print and nonprint educational materials and electronic databases for the use of students and faculty. Library holdings include 369,763 items and a current subscription list of 578 periodicals. The Library has close to 70 electronic databases with 30,000 full text sources. The 40,715 item media collection includes slides, tapes, filmstrips, motion-picture films, videotapes, transparencies, recordings, musical scores, and other media. The building provides seating, including 108 individual study carrels, for 255 patrons. For more information, call (707) 965-6241, or visit the web page at www.library.puc.edu/library.

Special collections include the Pitcairn Islands Study Center (one of the most comprehensive collections of material about the Pitcairn Islands) and the Adventist Heritage Study Center. This latter collection includes Adventist books, periodicals, College Archives, and special collections.

LIBRARY HOURS

- Monday-Thursday: 8 am-12 midnight
- Friday: 8 am-2 pm
- Sunday: 10 am-12 midnight

MUSIC GROUPS

There are a variety of academic credit-bearing music ensembles on campus: CHORAL ENSEMBLES

I Cantori (mixed-voice chamber ensemble) and Chorale (large mixed chorus) require audition for membership. For information, call (707) 965-6623.
HANDBELL CHOIRS
PUC offers instruction in English handbells at the beginning and advanced levels. Call (707) 965-6627 for information.

ORCHESTRA
Orchestral masterworks are performed in quarterly concerts and other events. To audition for the orchestra, call (707) 965-6655.

SYMPHONIC WIND ENSEMBLE
Advanced instrumentalists perform a wide variety of music in various settings. To audition for the Symphonic Wind Ensemble, call (707) 965-7137.

TEACHING AND LEARNING CENTER
Located in the building just north of the Dining Commons, (707) 965-7688
The Teaching and Learning Center (TLC) is dedicated to helping PUC students develop their abilities for a successful college experience. TLC services include free group tutoring, academic advising for undeclared students, academic mentoring, and courses designed to help students develop effective learning strategies. For more information, visit www.puc.edu/tlc.

TUTORING
Group tutoring is available to all PUC students and can often significantly improve academic performance. Students may receive free group tutoring each week in almost any lower division general education course. The TLC hires and trains peer tutors each quarter to provide this service. The TLC also organizes and staffs the writing lab for assistance with all college writing assignments.

Students with learning disabilities (LD) have access to special equipment and programs, as well as private and extensive tutoring. (LD students need to have diagnostic documentation on file with the Learning Disabilities Services Coordinator.)

STUDENT SEMINAR I (GNST 104), STUDENT SEMINAR II (GNST 105)
The Student Seminar courses assist students in developing learning strategies that will foster greater success in the classroom. Some of the issues addressed in the class are improving memory, taking good notes, managing time, developing effective test-taking strategies and thinking critically. The goal is to help students get the most out of their college education.

These courses are open to all PUC students, but those struggling with their academic experience are especially encouraged to enroll. Some students may be required to take one or both courses. After taking the Student Seminar courses, students should be better able to actively embrace their education.

TEACHING AND LEARNING CENTER HOURS
• Monday - Thursday: 9 am-8 pm
• Friday: 9 am-2 pm
• Sunday: 5 pm-8 pm
(Summer and vacation hours may vary.)
RESIDENCE LIFE

Half the fun of college is experiencing life in a residence hall: lots of people, great activities, hall worships, and a room with a view. Pacific Union College is primarily a residential college; the majority of our students live in seven gender-exclusive residence halls with nearly 600 rooms combined. Andre, Graf, McReynolds and Winning are women’s residence halls. Grainger, Newton, and Nichol are men’s residence halls.

Persons of the opposite gender are not permitted in residence hall areas (i.e. hallways, laundry rooms, student rooms) or other restricted areas without direct permission from the residence hall dean. Students who choose not to comply with this policy will be subject to immediate discipline, which may include suspension.

For more information on residence hall life, contact the associate dean of students at (707) 965-6315, or visit the web page at www.puc.edu/residencehalls.

AIR CONDITIONERS/HEATERS

McReynolds Hall and Nichol Hall have individual-room air conditioners and heaters. Do not tamper with the unit’s internal service controls: Doing so will subject the resident to a charge. Operation should be limited to the controls on the outside panel. All other residence halls have steam-radiant type heaters. Personal room air conditioners and space heaters are not permitted in College residences.

ANTENNAS

Radio, television, antennas, or other fixtures are not to project out or through the dorm room window screen and are not allowed on the roofs of College residences.

APPLIANCES

The College is required to follow a fire code (see Fire Code); therefore, students may not use certain electrical cooking appliances in residence hall rooms or kitchenettes. Items the California State Fire Code or the insurance carrier speaks to, but are not limited to, include: candles, frying pans, hot plates and pots, incense, open flame cookers, popcorn poppers, toasters and toaster ovens, woks, Halogen lamps, and electric skillets. All extension cords must have attached circuit breakers. Extension cords that do not have a circuit breaker are not allowed.

Students may have coffee makers, irons, rice cookers, blenders, microwave ovens, hot pots with enclosed heating elements, and micro-refrigerators. Due to electrical overload concerns, refrigerators and microwaves are limited to one of each per room.

AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

Automotive parts, flammable liquids such as gas, kerosene, and other types of cleaning fluids are prohibited in the residence halls. Residence hall rooms are not approved automotive shops.

BICYCLE STORAGE

Bicycles may be stored in student rooms, as most residence halls do not have adequately secured bicycle storage. Bicycle hooks should not be placed in ceilings.
BLINDS/CURTAINS OR TRAVERSE RODS
These items are to be installed only by the maintenance department and become permanent fixtures of the room. Request forms are available at the lobby front desk for repairs or installation. In rooms where window coverings are provided, the coverings may not be removed.

CHECK OUT
Students vacating their room and leaving the residence hall for some other place of residence must follow published check-out procedures. The room shall be in good order, clean and free of damages, normal wear and tear expected. Charges will be assessed for repairs of any damage or cleaning. This charge will be billed directly to the student. Failure to follow formal check-out procedures shall result in forfeiture of the room reservation fee.

DEANS’ OFFICE HOURS
Office hours for each residence hall dean are posted in the residence halls. For assistance, contact the lobby front desk and the desk receptionist will contact the dean on duty.

ENTERTAINMENT EQUIPMENT
Computers, TVs, iPods, sound systems, DVD players, amplifiers, video games and other entertainment equipment must conform to the 24-hours-a-day courtesy policy. Sound should not exceed the confines of a student’s room. Failure to control sound may result in the confiscation of entertainment equipment.

FIRE CODE
To provide and ensure a safe living environment, the College is required to abide by California fire codes. Students shall not bring or keep highly flammable materials, air-powered guns, dart boards, fireworks, explosives, firearms, or other flying projectiles into College residences. Open flames, candles, torches, incense, and oil lamps are prohibited in College residences. Disciplinary action, a minimum fine of $100, plus court costs and attorneys’ fees (if prosecution is necessary) will be assessed for possession and/or use of any of these items and for failure to vacate the residence hall during a fire drill, tampering with fire equipment or appliances, or negligence which might endanger others.

Cooking is allowed only in the kitchens. Halls must be free at all times from obstructions which include boxes, trash, shoes, etc. Hall doors within the building are not to be propped open.

FIRE DRILLS
Fire drills will be conducted by the Fire Department each quarter. Fire drill procedures and evacuation plans are posted in each residence hall room. When the fire alarm is sounded, residents are to vacate their rooms immediately in accordance with the posted evacuation procedures. Failure to vacate the residence hall during a fire drill will result in serious consequences (see Fire Code).

FIRE HAZARDS
Electrical appliances such as frying pans, popcorn poppers, hot plates, and woks or anything with an open heating coil, candles, kerosene lamps, incense, and other flammables are not to be used in student rooms. Also, halogen lamps have been shown to cause fire due to extreme heat and are not permitted in the residence halls. All extension cords must have attached
circuit breakers. Extension cords that do not have a circuit breaker are not allowed.

Violation of fire regulations will result in serious consequences (see Fire Code). Fire regulation violators are also liable for any damage that occurs as a result of violation.

**FITNESS CENTER**

A fitness center is located at the gym and limited exercise equipment is available in the Andre Hall rec room.

**FURNITURE/FIXTURES**

Residence hall rooms are equipped with the basic furniture items students need so do not bring beds or additional furniture from home without approval from a residence hall dean. Each room contains two chairs, two desks, two beds, two dressers, two closets, and a sink. Rooms vary in size, depending on the residence hall. Grainger and Newton Halls have some rooms with a three-person bunk.

Rooms are not to be painted by residents, and wallpaper or contact paper are not to be used on walls or furniture. No College furniture, including dresser drawers, is to be moved into, out of, or between rooms in College residences without written approval from a residence hall dean. Beds must remain assembled and mattresses in the frames. Tampering with, disassembling, or moving furniture without the permission of a residence hall dean will result in a minimum $50 fine. Removing any furnishings including, but not limited to, the screens and the door may result in College disciplinary action. Any damage will be charged to the student.

**GUESTS**

Arrangements for overnight guests should be made in advance (no less than 24 hours) with the residence hall dean. A request for an overnight guest may be denied at the discretion of the residence hall dean. Guest requests are to be temporary and infrequent. Guests will be denied for more than occasional visitations.

By securing prior approval, a student may have a guest for up to four nights per quarter without charge. Students shall be charged a per guest per night fee for use of the housing facilities in excess of four days per quarter. The guest fee applies if the guest stays overnight anywhere in the residence halls, uses the shower facilities or temporarily stores belongings in a student’s room or any combination of the above.

Overnight guests should be limited to three consecutive nights. Exceptions to this policy must be approved in advance by the residence hall dean.

The host student is responsible for the guest fee and for the guest’s behavior including any damage done by the guest. A guest may use residence facilities only when accompanied by the host student.

When there are guests in the guest rooms of the opposite sex, students are not allowed to visit in the guest room.

**KEYS**

Each residence hall student is issued a room key or door code when checking in to the residence hall and is expected to keep his or her room locked at all times. The College assumes no responsibility for any property of the student which is lost, stolen, damaged, or destroyed in the College residence at any time including, but not limited to, periods when the student is not in occupancy. Keys are not to be loaned or duplicated and maverick keys will be destroyed. A $20 fine will be levied for lost or broken keys. Private
locks on residence hall doors are prohibited.

The misuse of keys or obtaining keys under false pretenses will result in serious disciplinary consequences which may include a minimum $200 fine, probationary status, suspension, or dismissal from the College.

Students bringing furniture, stereos, bicycles, computers, and other expensive items into the College residences are cautioned to arrange for insurance on these items, as the College carries only limited fire insurance and no theft insurance on personal possessions. Each student agrees to share in the responsibility for maintenance of residence security.

**KITCHENETTES**

Kitchen privileges are provided in each residence hall. In accordance with the standards of the Seventh-day Adventist Church, students are not to prepare meat in College residences. Check with the lobby front desk for reservations and additional regulations.

**LAUNDRY ROOMS**

Coin-operated washers and dryers are available in each residence hall. Do not leave laundry unattended. Machines are not available during the Sabbath hours. The residence hall is not responsible for items lost or damaged in washers or dryers.

**LEAVE POLICY**

It is expected that residents will abide by their Student Life Agreement “to deal honestly in all aspects of life” as they fill out requests for overnight/weekend and vacation leaves. Leave information may be filled out by accessing reslife.puc.edu. Leave approval, curfew violations, and restriction information will also be found at reslife.puc.edu.

**OFF-CAMPUS LEAVES—POLICIES AND PROCEDURES FRESHMEN LEAVE POLICY**

Freshmen are to be in the residence hall by 12 midnight, Sunday-Friday, and by 1 am on Saturday.

**REGULAR LEAVE POLICY FOR NON-FRESHMEN UNDER 21**

All non-freshmen students on regular student status are to be in the residence hall by 1 am every night.

**SPECIAL LEAVE PRIVILEGES AVAILABLE FOR STUDENTS 21 YEARS OLD OR OLDER**

Students who are 21 years or older may apply for special leave privileges. These privileges will be granted to the following students:

- 21 years of age or older
- Good citizenship standing
- Religious service attendance minimum of 80% per quarter
- Acceptable residence life program

Students who are granted special leave privileges must be in the residence hall by 1 am, or they should notify the lobby front desk of their return time. Students may notify the lobby front desk of a late arrival by phone or by filling out a leave slip. This communication needs to occur no later than 1 am. If students have not notified the residence hall desk by 1 am, they will lose this special leave privilege and return to regular student status for a minimum of four weeks. Maintaining a secondary off-campus residence is not allowed and will invalidate special leave privileges.
EXTENDED LEAVES
Extended leaves—till 2 am for students under the age of 21—are for special events and must be arranged and approved 24 hours in advance of the event being requested.
Extended leaves allow students to be out no later than 2 am unless a later time is granted by the residence hall dean. If a student returns to the residence hall after his or her required return time, three pink slips or “pinks” will be given automatically, possibly accompanied by further discipline, such as restriction or suspension.

OVERNIGHT, WEEKEND, AND VACATION LEAVES
A leave is granted for the purpose and destination stated on the leave. Any change in plans must be reported to a residence hall dean. If a student is on campus anytime during his or her stated leave, that leave becomes void. Those wishing to return to campus earlier than stated on the leave must be in the residence hall by the return time of that day. Coming in later will result in “pinks” and/or further discipline.
If leaving for overnight with a school-sponsored group, i.e., band, choir, sports team, clubs, etc., students are expected to have an approved leave signed by a residence hall dean.

LEAVES TO HOME
Home leaves are approved unless the student is on restriction. Home leaves will be granted for a student to visit his or her parent, legal guardian, or someone who plays the parental role.

LEAVES TO PLACES OTHER THAN HOME
Students under the age of 21 requesting an overnight/weekend leave to a place other than home must have an adult the approximate age of their parents in attendance.

LEAVES TO ANOTHER FAMILY
Freshmen under the age of 21 must have an invitation if they are going somewhere other than home.

LEAVES TO PLACES OTHER THAN FAMILY
If a student does not meet the requirement for off campus housing, he or she may not have a leave approved to a location which is not a family situation (house-sitting, camping, etc.).

LEAVES FOR MIXED GROUPS
All leaves for mixed groups must have an adult sponsor. To qualify as an adult sponsor, the person must be a PUC faculty or staff member or someone who is the approximate age of a college student’s parent.

LEAVES FOR THE LOCAL COMMUNITY
Leaves to the local community (Calistoga to Napa) are not generally approved. Exceptions to this policy may be granted by a residence hall dean, at his or her discretion, if the following stipulations are followed:
1. An invitation is received from the parents in the home the student requests to visit. Invitations are needed for students under the age of 21. (This must happen for each leave requested.)
2. Leaves may be permitted to faculty and staff homes, but may also require communication between the faculty/staff member and the residence hall dean.
LEAVE SLIPS
Leave slips are available at the lobby front desk. Leaves should be filled out completely and submitted to the lobby front desk at least 24 hours before departure. Please turn in weekend leaves by 11 pm on Thursday. Leaves will not be approved during the Sabbath hours except as emergencies occur.

LATE RETURNS (COMMONLY REFERRED TO AS “PINKS”)  
In the event that a student finds him/herself out of the residence hall after the return time without having made prior arrangements with the residence hall dean, the following will be used to determine the number of absences that will be incurred: Up to 30 minutes late = 1 absence or “pink”; 31 to 60 minutes late = 2 absences or “pinks”; 61 to 90 minutes late = 3 absences or “pinks.” Thirteen (13) “pinks” are allowed per quarter.

Students entering the residence hall more than 90 minutes after their return time will receive three “pinks” and are subject to further discipline, such as restriction and/or suspension. This policy includes being absent all night without an approved leave.

“PINKS” ARE GIVEN WHEN A STUDENT:
1. Returns to the residence hall after the specified return time
2. Returns to the residence hall after the return time on the overnight leave
3. Calls in for an extended return time, after the return time
4. Is absent overnight and fails to fill out an overnight leave form
5. Fails to be checked in or is unaccounted for at room check

Accumulation of 13 or more pinks will result in restriction (2 to 4 weeks) and/or suspension.

“PINKS” RESTRICTION
Students who have been placed on restriction because of receiving three or more “pinks” in one night, or accumulation of more than 13 “pinks” in a quarter will be subject to the following:
1. No late or extended leaves
2. No permission to return to residence hall after door-closing time
3. No overnight/weekend leaves (even to home). Students are placed on restriction if they are unaccounted for all night.

LOBBY DECORUM
Residents are welcome to visit with friends and family in the residence hall lobbies and lobby parlors. It is the resident’s responsibility to behave in a manner that does not cause embarrassment or discomfort to others. This would include public displays of affection such as kissing or close physical contact. Headphones or earbuds are to be used while watching movies or listening to music in public residence hall areas. Main lobby or parlor living room furnishings may not be removed from those respective areas.

LOBBY FRONT DESKS
Lobby front desks in residence halls are open 24 hours a day (8 pm to 12 midnight at Nichol Hall). There are desk receptionists available during these hours to provide information, forms, mail and message delivery, and access to the dean on duty. Desk receptionists are responsible for lobby and parlor decorum as well as night check-in/check-out procedures. Desk receptionist offices are for dean's staff members only.
NOISE
Since residence halls house many people in a relatively small amount of space, students need to take extra precautions to protect the rights of others. The residence halls maintain a 24-hour courtesy noise policy. Headphones or earbuds should be used as often as possible with entertainment equipment. If stereo speakers are used, students are expected to control the noise level in their rooms. Sound levels should be confined to their living space. Failure to control sound may result in the confiscation of entertainment equipment.

PETS
The only pets allowed in residence hall rooms are fish. Anyone with a pet other than a fish will be assessed a minimum $25 fine. In some cases, a student found with a pet in the room may be given a one-week warning prior to removal of the pet by a member of the residence hall staff.

PIANOS
Residence hall pianos may be played only between the hours of 10 am and 8 pm.

REFRIGERATORS
Refrigerators must not exceed four cubic feet. It is understood that the residence hall dean has the right to inspect all refrigerators at any time.

REPAIRS
Residence hall room-repair forms are available at the lobby front desk. Maintenance employees will attempt to make repairs on a timely basis.

RESIDENCE HALL CLOSING TIMES
Door closing times: Sunday to Friday, 11 pm; Saturday, 12 midnight.
Some residence halls have exit doors that close at sundown. This information is posted at the exits.
Room check begins at 11 pm, Sunday-Friday, and midnight on Saturday. Residents and guests will be asked to check in and out at the lobby front desk after door closing.
Mixed gender visitation is available in residence hall lobbies and lobby parlors beginning at 6 am and ending at midnight every day.

RESIDENT ASSISTANTS
Resident assistants (RA) are students hired specifically to work as residence hall staff and are extensions of the residence hall dean. When on duty, RAs are available to counsel, answer questions, and assist students with their residence hall program.

RESTRICTION
Restriction is a disciplinary consequence. The duration of the restriction will be determined by the residence hall dean and/or Student Conduct Committee. Students placed on restriction will need to meet the following:
1. Be in the residence hall at door closing time and remain in the residence hall throughout the night.
2. Receive no overnight leaves.
3. Receive no late or extended leaves. Failure to abide by restriction will result in further disciplinary action which may include suspension or dismissal, or ineligibility to hold a leadership position or receive a dean’s recommendation to live off campus.
RIGHT OF ENTRY

The residence halls and College housing are College-owned and maintained. The College reserves the right for the residence hall dean or housing coordinator, his or her representative or a College security officer to enter and inspect a student’s room at any time, with or without notice to the student, and with or without the student being present for purposes of management, health, safety, maintenance, and to investigate and assess the student’s compliance with College rules and regulations. Students acknowledge that said acts by the College do not violate the student’s reasonable expectation of privacy. The College reserves the right to seize and remove any Items from the student’s room (or anywhere else on College property) that do not comply with school policy. The student, by accepting a room in one of the College residences, acknowledges and allows the right of the College administration as specified in this handbook.

ROOFS AND WINDOWS

Windows, fire escapes, or other unorthodox means to leave or enter a building are not to be used. Such activity will result in a $50 fine. Tampering with or removal of a screen, screen seal, windows, or doors will result in a $50 fine. Any damage or loss will be charged to the student.

ROOM CHECK

Room check is taken by the RAs at 11 pm, Sunday through Friday, and at 12 midnight on Saturday night. After residence hall closing times, students are expected to use the front entrance only and to check in and out at the lobby front desk. It is the student’s responsibility to be checked in. Failure to be checked in will be considered an unexcused all-night absence from the residence hall, and disciplinary action, which may include suspension, will follow accordingly.

ROOM DÉCOR

Student rooms are to be decorated in accordance with College standards (see Student Life Agreement). Items such as alcoholic beverage containers, posters or pictures including advertisements for products that do not reflect a Christian lifestyle or nude or scantily clad persons are not to be displayed. Pictures, posters, and wall hangings are not to be nailed, tacked, stapled, screwed or taped to the walls or woodwork. Posters and pictures must be put up with poster putty (available at the College Bookstore) only. Charges will be assessed based upon maintenance evaluation of damage incurred during the student’s occupancy of room.

Students must keep their rooms neat, clean, and habitable. Students are responsible for the condition of their rooms when they leave. Students will be charged for damages and cleaning.

The hall side of the student’s room door is not to be used as a bulletin board, message station, or billboard.

ROOM OCCUPANCY

Rooms are assigned for the entire academic year (or the remaining portion of the academic year, if applicable), however, the College may change room assignments at any time during the year for reasons of health, student welfare, or as a result of disciplinary action.

When space is available, students may request single occupancy, but that student will be charged a single-room rate if that student rooms alone. The College may require a student who is renting at a multiple room rate, but
living alone, to move to a room with a roommate or be assigned a roommate. It is the responsibility of the student to find another roommate, or make arrangements to be moved to another room to avoid single-occupancy charges. In the case of larger three-occupant rooms, if there are only two occupants in the room, they may be reassigned to a standard two-occupant room if they are unable to find a third roommate. When three students live in a triple-occupancy room, those students will receive a discount in the room charge.

Students are encouraged to make necessary room changes within the first two weeks of each quarter. A $25 charge will be assessed if a student moves without notifying and receiving permission from the residence hall dean.

**ROOM OCCUPANCY TERMINATION**

The College may revoke the residential license agreement and evict the student for one or more of the following disciplinary causes:

a. As a result of disciplinary action against the student pursuant to the Student Handbook
b. Disorderly, unethical, abusive, or obscene conduct in or near the College residences
c. Misuse, abuse, theft, or destruction of College residence, property, or personal property
d. Possession or use of explosives of any type, flammable materials or items, dangerous chemicals or deadly weapons in or near the College residence
e. Possession or consumption of alcoholic beverages or tobacco products
f. The sale, possession, or use of drugs (other than "over the counter" medications), drug paraphernalia, or narcotics except when lawfully prescribed pursuant to medical or dental care. The sale, use, or possession of marijuana in College housing is not permissible even if prescribed for medical purpose.
g. Violation of guest or visitor policy
h. Failure to comply with a request or directive of College official
i. Disruption of the community
j. Violation of any College policy
k. Student’s status as a student at College being terminated or suspended
l. As deemed necessary or appropriate by the College for the safety of the student or other students or College employees

**ROOM RESERVATIONS AND ASSIGNMENTS**

Room reservations are contingent upon acceptance to PUC, and a $150 room reservation fee must be placed on account. Students who have been admitted to the College for the current year may request a specific room for the next school year. Choice of a roommate should be received by the residence hall dean no later than July 31. Final room assignments are made at the discretion of the residence hall dean. Students who move from one room to another during the school year must make arrangements with the residence hall dean prior to their move.

**SAUNA**

There is a women’s sauna in Graf Hall fourth floor which is open during posted hours. A men’s sauna is located in Newton Hall first floor bathroom, and is operated on a timer during posted hours.
SELLING/FUNDRAISING

Student organizations that wish to sell or solicit goods or services in the residence halls must first request approval from the vice president for Student Services. Otherwise, selling items in the residence halls is prohibited.

STORAGE ROOMS

The College will not be responsible for items left in storage at any time. Storage is limited to one academic year and only during such times as the student is matriculating at the College (except for certain previously authorized exceptions by the residence hall dean). The College reserves the right to dispose of any articles left longer than one academic year (or such earlier time that student is no longer matriculating at the College). Storage is limited to luggage and approved storage cartons which are properly tagged stating student’s name, date of storage, and forwarding address. Items left in storage longer than one academic year (or student’s termination of student status) may be disposed of by the College.

TELEPHONES

Cell service is available on campus. Currently Verizon is the only cell phone service available.

A minimum charge of $500 will be assessed for any of the following misuses of the College telephone system including, but not limited to, accepting collect calls, using any 900 dialing service including 976 and roll-overs, using any College phone number to sign up for services or accounts, and/or tampering with any College telephone wiring.

Leaving sexually suggestive messages on PhoneMail will result in a loss of service.

TRASH FACILITIES

Trash is to be emptied in the dumpsters or trash chutes located at the rear or side of each residence hall. A fine of $25 will be charged for each bag of trash that is left or dumped elsewhere.

VENDING MACHINES/CHANGE

Vending machines are available in each residence hall. Change machines are available in the lobbies of McReynolds, Winning, Grainger, Nichol, and Newton Halls. Malfunctions should be reported to the desk receptionist. Any damage resulting from the abuse of any machine will be charged to the student or may cause the discontinuation of service.

VISITATION DAYS

College Days, music festivals, and other such occasions offer students the opportunity of sharing the residence hall experience with a guest. Enrollment Services also provides a small payment for housing guests. Students will be given an opportunity to sign up for participation in this program and will be notified when groups will be coming to visit.

WINDOWS/SCREENS

Windows are not to be used to enter or exit a residence hall except in an emergency. Screens on all windows are sealed and are not to be removed, nor are items to be pushed through or around the frame of the screen. There is a $100 charge for noncompliance. Any damage or loss will be charged to the student.
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GENERAL POLICIES
STUDENT CONDUCT

Students attending Pacific Union College are expected to embrace and live according to the Student Life Agreement (see p. 3). By enrolling at Pacific Union College, students agree to live by the policies and regulations described in the General Catalog and the Student Handbook. Students are expected to respect and support the lifestyle and values of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. Remembering these basic guidelines can make the years at PUC safe, fun and memorable.

Pacific Union College views the Bible as the ultimate guidebook on human ethics and behavior. As a person being cultivated in this environment, students have responsibilities to their fellow students, school administration, government, and to God.

DISCIPLINE

Membership in this collegiate community precludes dishonesty, including stealing or possessing stolen goods; lying; gambling; using, possessing, or furnishing to others alcoholic beverages, tobacco products, and other non-prescribed or illegal drugs; possessing pornographic material; attending entertainments which are morally destructive; engaging in pre- and extramarital sex; and violating federal laws or California civil, vehicle, and criminal codes. The College also does not allow single community students to live in coed groups.

Students who become involved in any of these activities may be counseled, disciplined, or separated from the College for a definite time. Illegal activities may be reported to local authorities. Action may be taken by the Student Conduct Committee and the incident may become part of the student’s permanent record at the College. The Student Conduct Committee investigates all violations of the Student Life Agreement and makes decisions regarding the disciplinary consequences of student misconduct.

All confidentiality of records and communications is guaranteed to the full extent of the law. However, the College reserves the right to notify a student’s parents or legal guardians in the event of medical emergency or major disciplinary action.

The guidelines listed below are followed by employees of the College when dealing with serious student discipline matters:

1. Students who face serious disciplinary action which could result in suspension or dismissal are entitled to a written statement of the charges and will be asked to meet with the Student Conduct Committee.
2. Students who pose an immediate threat to themselves or others may be subject to an interim suspension prior to the disciplinary hearing.
3. Students entitled to a hearing will be informed of the hearing date, time, and location. A hearing may be held in the absence of a student who fails to appear after campus officials have made a reasonable effort to provide adequate advance notice of the hearing time.
4. The College does not need to delay disciplinary decisions because of pending criminal charges.
5. The accused student shall be offered the opportunity to invite a College faculty member, staff member, or administrator (not a parent) to assist him or her and to meet with the Student Conduct Committee (student advocate).
6. A student’s guilt may be established by “clear and convincing evidence.” Students may appeal disciplinary actions which they feel have been made in an unfair manner (see Appeal Process).
7. Students found guilty may request and receive a written statement of reasons for the decision concerning the case.
8. Decisions to impose differing punishments in similar cases will be upheld if “reasonably and fairly made.”

**APPEAL PROCESS**

Students have the right to appeal in writing a Student Conduct Committee decision within 24 hours of the decision, or a Sexual Misconduct Committee decision within seven days of the decision; however, a student may not appeal based only upon his or her dissatisfaction with a decision. The written appeal should be given to the vice president for Student Services, who will make arrangements for it to be heard by the appropriate committee. In any disciplinary situation (academic or nonacademic), a student has the right to a faculty/staff (not a parent) advocate of his or her own choosing. The appeal level decision is the final decision making body for student conduct/discipline issues. The following should be the basis for an appeal:

- The information presented at the committee was inaccurate.
- New information is available that was not available earlier and is relevant to the decision.
- Failure to adhere to proper procedures as outlined in the handbook or other established guidelines.

**ALCOHOL AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE**

Pacific Union College is a drug-free campus which advocates a healthy lifestyle. The College actively seeks to provide a drug-free environment that is in harmony with state and federal laws as well as the philosophy of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. The use and/or possession of alcohol, tobacco, and/or drugs on and off campus are strictly prohibited. The use of alcohol, tobacco, illegal substances, or illegal use of prescription drugs is prohibited. The sale, use, or possession of marijuana is not permissible even if prescribed for medical purposes. The possession of and/or use of any smoking device or equipment that can be used as a nicotine and/or drug delivery system including but not limited to hookah pipes, hookah pens, and electronic cigarettes is prohibited. Any products intended to mimic tobacco products or contain tobacco flavoring are also prohibited. This policy applies to all students and their guests of the College. Students who choose to disregard the College’s Alcohol and Substance Abuse policy will be subject to disciplinary consequences as described below. Students who realize they have a problem and seek help should immediately talk to Health Services or the Counseling Center (see Safe Zone).

The College reserves the right to require an appropriate drug and alcohol test as well as the right to search a student’s vehicle, residence hall room, College housing, locker, or other personal property, if a reasonable cause exists. The College reserves the right to seize and remove any items from the student’s room (or anywhere else on College property) that do not comply with school policy. The student is responsible for the costs of AlcoholEdu course; evaluations by substance abuse counselors; and random alcohol, drug, and tobacco testing.

Student misconduct which would cause the Student Conduct Committee to meet may include, but is not limited to, the following (This is not a progressive list; consequences are determined by the infraction):

- Participation in any activity where alcohol and/or drugs are being used
- Consuming and/or providing alcohol, illegal substances and/or non-medicinally prescribed substances
- Bringing, consuming, and/or storing alcohol and/or non-medicinally pre-
scribed substances on campus (this includes residence halls, student housing, and campus property)
• Use of tobacco

Student Conduct Committee decisions may include, but are not limited to, the following:
• Receive letter of concern
• Three to five day suspension
• One full quarter suspension
• Remainder of the quarter suspension
• One year suspension
• Mandatory withdrawal, dismissal, or expulsion
• Mandatory withdrawal, dismissal, or expulsion upon violation of probation

Re-entry to PUC, if decided by the Student Conduct Committee, may be possible following a suspension or withdrawal and may include, but is not limited to, any combination of the list below.
• Random alcohol and drug testing
• Alcohol or drug dependency evaluation by a licensed substance abuse counselor
• Completion of a therapy program as recommended by the counselor
• Completion of treatment program as recommended by Health Services/Counseling Center
• Successful completion of the online AlcoholEdu course
• Probationary status
• Pre-admission interview with the Student Conduct Committee

BYSTANDER ENGAGEMENT/INTERVENTION AND GOOD FAITH REPORTS (AMNESTY PROTECTION)

The welfare of students in our community is of paramount importance. PUC wishes to facilitate a safe and caring campus climate for all good faith report of sexual misconduct, domestic and dating violence, and stalking. The College believes that bystanders (peers nearby) can play a key role in the prevention of misconduct. Thus, the College encourages students to offer help to others in need.

In an effort to remove fears and obstacles to reporting, victims or witnesses of misconduct, in the process of helping and making a report, who voluntarily report their own lesser violation of the Student Conduct Policies (such as alcohol consumption, curfew violations, etc.) will not typically receive disciplinary action related to the specific reported incident. To foster healing and growth, complainants and witnesses making good faith reports may be asked to engage in educational opportunities.

SAFE ZONE

For those who are suffering or struggling with a substance abuse issue, the Residence Hall deans, the Career and Counseling Center and Health Services personnel provide students with education and counseling regarding substance abuse and addictions. These are safe places to receive information or assistance in a private and confidential setting. It is expected that students who take advantage of the support available through the safe zone will recommit to living within the policies of the school and discontinue any behavior that is in violation of school policy.

ATTENDANCE EXPECTATION

As a Christian liberal arts college, PUC is committed to assisting students
develop a comprehensive view of life from a Christian perspective. Our rich heritage of Christian values is shared through community worship and service with those students who have chosen to attend the College. Participation in campus community worship settings and service activities reflect PUC’s commitment to the development of the total person. Additionally, each student is challenged to participate in a regular program of personal spiritual nurture.

All students registered for seven hours or more are expected to attend religious service options throughout each week. The attendance expectation policy for each quarter will be e-mailed, posted online at www.puc.edu/participation, and distributed as hard copy to all students. Attendance at services is monitored regularly and equitably.

Classes are not scheduled during Friday evening Vespers. Students are expected to adjust their work schedule so that they can meet this aspect of the attendance program.

Proration of program options will be considered on the basis of class or work schedule conflicts. Students requesting proration on the basis of work conflicts must submit a letter from their employer listing the student’s weekly work hours to Student Services. Proration forms may be obtained online at www.puc.edu/participation or at Student Services.

FUSION

Fusion is a required program for first-time freshmen who are 19 years of age or younger. Divided into small groups, Fusion meets throughout the year and helps students adjust to college life while establishing a support system of peers. For more information, contact Student Services at (707) 965-7362.

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

The human spirit needs an opportunity to serve others. Focusing on meeting the needs of others provides meaning and purpose in life. It adds self-worth and a sense of accomplishment. PUC offers many formal and informal opportunities for students to become involved in outreach as well as inreach.

COMPUTER-INTERNET-NETWORK USE POLICY

Pacific Union College is committed to providing a wide range of computing services to support the needs of students, faculty, and staff. The policies described below are designed to ensure the security and integrity of computer resources available on campus, to assure that users have reasonable access to the facilities, and to ensure that the action of any one user will not adversely affect any aspect of the work of another. PUC respects the individual privacy of its users; however, user privacy does not extend to the user’s use of the PUC provided computer resources. Individual departments have the right to supplement these policies. The College reserves the right to mandate use of precautionary measures, evaluate, and monitor all computers and electronic telecommunications, except as may be prohibited by federal or state laws.

PUC’S RIGHT TO ACCESS INFORMATION

The computer resources have been installed by PUC to facilitate college-related academic communications and research. Although each user may have an individual password to access the system, the system itself belongs to PUC and the contents of any and all Internet usage are accessible at all times by PUC. The system may be subject to periodic unannounced inspections and should be treated like any other shared filing system. The contents or records of Internet usage, properly obtained for legitimate purposes may be disclosed without your
permission. You should not assume that messages are confidential. Back-up copies of any file on the system may be maintained and referenced for business and/or legal reasons and are not confidential. PUC can and will block web addresses at the discretion of the administration. Further, PUC can and will record web sites accessed or hit by users.

PERSONAL USE OF THE INTERNET
Any downloading, distributing, copying or sharing of copyrighted or proprietary material is illegal without the written authorization of the owner of the rights (17 USC 204(a)). If you are sharing, downloading, or receiving copyrighted materials such as music, video, television programs or software without written authorization of the owner of the rights, please immediately stop this to avoid legal penalties including fines of thousands of dollars from the RIAA and MPAA. Please note that downloading copyrighted materials is not anonymous and your computer can be tracked down.

PUC provides computing resources to assist you at PUC; you should use it for academic purposes only. Incidental and occasional personal use of the Internet is permitted by PUC. PUC reserves the right to access and disclose as necessary, all records of Internet usage sent over its system. Since your Internet usage can be accessed by PUC without prior notice, you should not use the system in any way you would not want to be published. You should not use these systems for purposes such as soliciting or advertising for commercial ventures, religious or personal causes, or outside organizations, or other similar non-academic related solicitations. If PUC discovers you are misusing the network, you may be subject to disciplinary action, including, but not limited to, termination of computer privileges.

CONTENT OF INTERNET COMMUNICATIONS
You may not use PUC’s computer system in any way that may be seen as insulting, disruptive, harassing, or offensive. Use of the PUC system in violation of this guideline will result in immediate disciplinary action, including, but not limited to, termination of privileges.

MONITORING OF E-MAIL/INTERNET/COMPUTER USAGE
Please recognize that any activity in the PUC computing resources is not confidential. The system administrators or other College employees can and will access user files at any time. User files may also be subject to search by law enforcement agencies under court order. All computer usage, including, but not limited to, e-mail, word processing, or Internet usage is subject to monitoring and recording. Any website that is hit from a computer attached to the PUC computer network will generate a record of which site was hit.

PASSWORDS
Users of computer resources at PUC are responsible for safeguarding assigned passwords and for using them for their intended purposes only. Each user is responsible for all activity that occurs under authorization of their password. Following the precautions below will help prevent unauthorized use of and liability for unauthorized use of computer resources:

1. IT will never ask for user names and passwords either via email or by phone. Maintain the confidentiality of passwords (do not give your password to another individual).
2. Log off of your account or lock the screen with password re-entry required when leaving (even for a short time).
3. Change your passwords regularly.
4. Only use computer accounts for which you are authorized.

**THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES ARE AUTHORIZED AND ENCOURAGED:**
1. Search the network for information you need or want for academic purposes;
2. Communicate with other people across the network as long as you comply with current policies. (Beware: e-mail is not a private form of communication. It is similar to a postcard or a bulletin board notice, and no communication should be considered confidential and/or private.) All e-mail received or sent on the college network is the property of PUC, and as such may be reviewed at will;
3. Use network time efficiently. During heavy usage times, please refrain from unnecessary activities.

**THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES ARE PROHIBITED:**
1. Engaging in false, misleading, anonymous, or offensive communications with others on the network;
2. Display, access, download or upload obscene, lewd, sexually harassing or pornographic materials or content;
3. Use of “chat” or “talk” rooms excessively on-line;
4. Knowingly or carelessly running, or installing on any computer system, or network, or give to another user, a program intended to damage, or place excessive load on a computer system or network. This includes programs with viruses;
5. Harassment: Users of College computer resources shall not use these resources to harass or annoy others, or prevent them from legitimately using the facilities. Using electronic mail to send other users unsolicited messages of obscene, demeaning and/or menacing content constitutes harassment.
6. Participate in or involvement with software piracy;
7. Use someone else’s computer account or allow others to use your account. (You are responsible for all activity performed on your computer.);
8. Use PUC’s computer resources to gain unauthorized access to other computer systems;
9. Connect unauthorized equipment to the PUC network;
10. Attempt to bypass data protection schemes or uncover security loopholes;
11. Knowingly or carelessly performing an act that will interfere with the normal operation of the computers, terminals, peripherals, or other network equipment;
12. Deliberately waste computer resources by printing unnecessary copies of a document;
13. Use e-mail to harass or threaten others. (This includes sending repeated or unwanted e-mail to another user.)
14. Initiate or advance electronic chain letters;
15. Send inappropriate mass mailings. (i.e., no spamming);
16. Forge the identity of a user or machine in any electronic communication;
17. Transmit or reproduce materials that are slanderous, or defamatory in nature, or that otherwise violate existing laws or College regulations.
18. Monitor or tamper with another user’s communications, i.e., reading, copying, changing, or deleting other user’s files or software without explicit written agreement of the owner.
19. Conduct private business using the computing resources of PUC.
20. Compliance with federal, state, and local laws: No individual shall use any part of the computer resources of the college in any activity that
violates federal, state, or local laws.

21. Network monitoring: Monitoring and/or sniffing of any network traffic, passwords, e-mail, or any other network communications is prohibited.

22. Pornographic and violent material: Any use of College computing resources to view or transmit material with prurient content is prohibited. For purposes of this policy “prurient content” is defined as material unrelated to a legitimate academic purpose and intended for the arousal of sexual or violent thoughts or desires of the recipient and/or the sender.

23. Network servers: Network servers of any kind are prohibited without the express approval of the ITSS Department. A network server is defined as any computer providing services to other computers on PUC’s intranet or the Internet.

RESULTS OF MISUSE
Minor infractions of the policy, when accidental, or unintended, will generally be resolved informally by the Information Technology Systems and Services management. Repeated minor infractions or serious misconduct may result in the loss of system access. Additionally, any misuse may be prosecuted under applicable laws. Users may also be held accountable under applicable College policies. Any offense which violates local, state, or federal laws may result in the immediate loss of college computing resource privileges and will be referred to appropriate College offices or law enforcement authorities.

By my use of any PUC computing facilities, I agree to abide by the stated guidelines and policies.

CYBERBULLYING AND HARASSMENT

BULLYING IS A REPORTABLE CRIME
www.stopbullying.gov/get-help-now/index.html#law

PUC does not tolerate bullying, stalking, or harassment of any kind. As a PUC family, please report bullying or harassment to the proper authorities. Anonymous cyberbullying is also reportable. Please read the information below and follow the instructions and links on how to report cyberbullying.

Harassment, vulgarity, misuse of PUC name and brand, abuse of PUC’s internet policy and student life agreement, identity theft, stalking, impersonation, and other offenses are grounds for PUC discipline including expulsion and civil/criminal charges. PUC will prosecute. Individuals may also prosecute.

WHAT IS CYBERBULLYING?
Cyberbullying is bullying that takes place using electronic technology. Electronic technology includes devices and equipment such as cell phones, computers, and tablets as well as communication tools including social media sites, text messages, chat, and websites.

Examples of cyberbullying include mean text messages or emails, rumors sent by email or posted on social networking sites, and embarrassing pictures, videos, websites, or fake profiles.

STEPS TO TAKE IMMEDIATELY:
• Don’t respond to and don’t forward cyberbullying messages.
• Keep evidence of cyberbullying. Record the dates, times, and descriptions of instances when cyberbullying has occurred. Save and print screenshots, emails, and text messages. Use this evidence to report cyberbullying to web and cell phone service providers.
• Block the person who is cyberbullying.
REPORT CYBERBULLYING TO ONLINE SERVICE PROVIDERS:
Cyberbullying often violates the terms of service established by social media sites and internet service providers.

- Review their terms and conditions or rights and responsibilities sections. These describe content that is or is not appropriate.
- Visit social media safety centers to learn how to block users and change settings to control who can contact you.
- Report cyberbullying to the social media site so they can take action against users abusing the terms of service. For example, Facebook bullying and harassment should be reported to Facebook and to the police (see Napa Sheriff below). Facebook posts have an X on upper right, click on it, click on report/mark as spam; report as abusive, harassing, violent, sexually explicit, or hate speech; message page and/or report to Facebook.

REPORT CYBERBULLYING TO PUC:
- Let school officials know: Submit evidence (screenshots, emails, texts) to your RA; Deans; Conduct Committee Chair; Dean of Students, Public Safety; and Human Resources. For counseling, contact our Counseling Center and/or Chaplain’s office.

REPORT CYBERBULLYING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT:
When cyberbullying involves these activities it is considered a crime and should be reported to law enforcement:

- Threats of violence
- Child pornography or sending sexually explicit messages or photos
- Taking a photo or video of someone in a place where he or she would expect privacy
- Stalking and hate crimes

Some states consider other forms of cyberbullying and cyberstalking criminal. Consult your state’s laws and law enforcement for additional guidance.

Our local law enforcement is Napa County Sheriff: (707) 253-4451 (Sheriff substation is located on the PUC campus near the copy center; the sheriff is available for appointments)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:
https://oag.ca.gov/report-crime
https://oag.ca.gov/cybersafety

DISABILITY SUPPORT SERVICES
POLICY FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES
Pacific Union College complies with Section 504 of the 1973 Rehabilitation Act, the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, and the applicable state and local regulations regarding students with disabilities. The College is committed to promoting and achieving equitable learning opportunities and participation for students with documented disabilities. For more information, see the General Catalog or visit the web page www.puc.edu/tlc.

DRESS CODE
The College’s dress policy guidelines follow biblical goals of modesty and simplicity. Students are encouraged to wear clothing appropriate to the occasion.

Shoes or sandals should be worn outside residence halls and in residence hall chapels and lobbies. Logos, pictures and wording on clothes should be in harmony with Seventh-day Adventist principles.
The College encourages students to respect the Adventist tradition of dressing “jewelry free” as a sign of respecting the Adventist subculture. Dressing “jewelry free” at PUC is not a matter of morality, but rather a part of the Adventist heritage of simplicity.

Furthermore, modesty should be one’s guide in determining appropriate attire. Tight-fitting garments and revealing clothes are not considered appropriate for on-campus attire. Swimming and sports are all encouraged at PUC, but again, let modesty be your guide when choosing something to wear to the field or the pool.

Shorts (near the top of the knee) are fine in any location on campus except in the church sanctuary and the Dining Commons during Sabbath hours.

**FIRE EQUIPMENT**

Using illegally or tampering with fire-protection equipment such as fire alarms, fire escapes, fire exit signs, exposed sprinkler system pipes, and fire hoses is a violation of campus, county, and state fire ordinances. Serious consequences may result (see Fire Code). Hanging items on the sprinkler system pipes will result in a minimum fine of $50.

**FIREARMS AND WEAPONS**

Any student who possesses, uses, or threatens others with any weapon including, but not limited to, firearms, BB guns, paint guns, air rifles or pellet guns on campus will be subject to College disciplinary procedures. It is a felony in California to bring a gun onto a college campus.

**FIREWORKS**

Selling, possessing, or using firecrackers or similar combustibles is a violation of campus, county, and state fire ordinances. Possessing or using an M-80 is a violation of federal law. Students found in possession of any of these items are subject to disciplinary action, including fines (see Fire Code).

**GRIEVANCE POLICIES AND PROCEDURES**

Persons or groups who believe they have been or are being treated in an unjust or unethical manner, or who believe they have been discriminated against because of disability, sex, race, color, ethnic or national origin are encouraged to contact the director of Human Resources at (707) 965-6231 or hr@puc.edu. The complete grievance policy and procedures is located at [www.puc.edu/campus-services/student-services/grievance-policy-procedures](http://www.puc.edu/campus-services/student-services/grievance-policy-procedures).

**HARASSMENT**

Pacific Union College seeks to maintain an environment free from harassment for students and employees. Employees, volunteers, or other individuals providing services to the College, as well as students are prohibited from engaging in unwelcome verbal, visual, or physical conduct that could create a hostile, intimidating, or offensive work/educational environment. Such harassment is not acceptable and will result in appropriate discipline or dismissal.

**SEXUAL HARASSMENT: SEE SEXUAL MISCONDUCT POLICY**

For the entire policy visit the web page [www.puc.edu/titleixpolicy](http://www.puc.edu/titleixpolicy).
WORKPLACE HARASSMENT
For the entire policy visit the web page www.puc.edu/campus-services/student-services/harassment-policy-procedures.

HARM TO SELF
Students who express suicidal ideation will be immediately referred to a therapist for evaluation. Students who choose to purposely harm themselves may be requested to take a leave of absence for a full quarter. Re-admission will depend on recommendation of a licensed therapist.

HAZING, INJURING, OR DEGRADING OTHERS
A student who conspires to engage in hazing or commits any act that injures, degrades, disgraces, threatens, intimidates, or intends to injure, degrade, or disgrace a fellow student or campus guest can expect serious disciplinary action, if not dismissal. A student who throws anything at persons, buildings, or vehicles can expect serious disciplinary action. This includes, but is not limited to, throwing or attempting to throw people into the fountain.

HOUSING
PUC affirms the values gained from being primarily a residential college. By accepting admission, a student 22 years of age or younger agrees to live in a residence hall unless the student applies and is granted an exception. Requests for campus or off-campus housing may be granted according to the following criteria for students in good standing: 23 or older; 22 and turning 23 during the academic year; fifth-year seniors (students who have had continuous full-time enrollment at PUC for four years; student missionary and taskforce years may count as one year); holder of an earned bachelor’s degree; living with parents or immediate relatives—grandparents, aunts, uncles, or siblings who are at least 25 years old and in their primary residence; part-time students taking six hours or less; 22 or younger with significant financial need and offered room and board at substantial savings with a family (must live in the family’s home); married, divorced, widowed; single parents.

All housing must be registered in Student Services. Residence halls are only available for those students who are enrolled at PUC and who meet the eligibility requirements. Students 24 and older may live in the residence halls on a “space available” basis upon application. This policy also applies for all students taking summer school or working full- or part-time on campus during summers.

Off campus housing requests are approved on an annual basis. Thus, approval must be obtained from Student Services prior to signing a lease.

Single community students are not allowed to live in coed groups.

STUDENT FAMILY HOUSING
PUC offers housing designed especially with the needs of married students and single parents enrolled in traditional on-campus programs in mind. To be eligible to live in Brookside Park or Court Place, students must successfully complete at least 12 hours of class per quarter, except during the summer. Students must also agree to abide by all College policies.

Family housing assignments are made on a first-come, first-served basis from a waiting list. To be placed on the waiting list, complete the Housing Request and return it to Student Services with a non-refundable deposit. Older students are eligible to reside in Student Family Housing upon availability and priority determined by Student Services. For more information, call Student Services at (707) 965-7362.
GENERAL POLICIES

HOVERBOARDS
Hoverboards, also known as self-balancing scooters and hands-free Segways, will not be permitted on campus, in any PUC owned building, or on PUC property which also includes PUC Church, Prep, and the Market area.

MARRIAGE, AN AFFIRMATION OF
Pacific Union College supports “An Affirmation of Marriage,” the official statement of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. (Visit www.adventist.org/beliefs/statements for the full official statement.) Marriage was divinely established in Eden and affirmed by Jesus Christ to be both monogamous and heterosexual, a lifelong union of loving companionship between a man and a woman.

Therefore, we expect students to refrain from all premarital and extramarital sexual relationships, as well as all same sex romantic or sexual relationships. Also, only couples united in a legal marriage between a man and a woman will be granted marital rights and privileges by the College.

NON-DISCRIMINATION
Pacific Union College abides, in practice, by the following policies:
The College is committed to providing equal opportunity for qualified persons regardless of gender, race, ethnicity, disability, or age. It extends to them all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to members of the College community. Administration of all educational and admissions policies, financial affairs, employment programs, student life and services, or any other College-administered program is covered by this commitment to equality of opportunity.

The College reserves the right to discriminate on the basis of religion to the extent constitutionally permitted and set forth in 42 U.S.C. section 2000.

NON-FRATERNIZATION
The faculty of Pacific Union College assist the College in meeting its mission of providing a quality higher education in a Christian environment for its students. Students should be assured that the relationships they develop with faculty members will always be built upon the highest ethical precepts of the educational profession.

To promote professionalism and the efficient and fair operation of the College and to avoid misunderstandings, complaints of favoritism, problems with supervision, security, or morale, questions regarding academic achievement, and possible claims of sexual harassment, faculty are strictly prohibited from unethical or inappropriate fraternizing with students, including but not limited to, dating, pursuing to date, and pursuing or having romantic or sexual relationships with students.

PERFORMANCE AGREEMENT (FOR MUSIC, DRAMA, VIDEO)
It is very important for the administration of PUC that students are supported in their endeavors to express their talents and creative arts in ways that create personal memories and measurable successes. We acknowledge that content determines whether performances are spiritually appropriate, and that contemporary culture is not the determining factor of sacred vs. profane. We will do our best to support student performance and we ask that students in turn will support the needs of PUC in the following ways:
1. Avoid content that promotes behavior that is inconsistent with the Christian lifestyle and standards.
2. Avoid content that promotes sexual behavior or contains sexual innuendo.
3. Avoid content that promotes drinking alcohol or partaking of drugs and
other illegal substances.
4. Avoid content that contains profane language, offensive language and/or material, or racially offensive material.
5. Performer(s) are responsible for crowd control personnel if the performance has the potential to cause, but not limited to, the following: moshing, aggressive dance, sexual dance, pit dancing, etc.
If any of these requests are ignored and/or violated, the performer acknowledges that they will not be allowed to perform in any future performance, with the exception of officially planned programs such as choir, etc. at PUC because of the breach of trust.

PERSONAL PROPERTY
The College cannot accept responsibility for stolen items or money, or for damage to personal property. Students' rooms, cars, bikes and/or motorcycles should be kept locked. Various plans of personal property insurance are available. Contact the residence hall dean for more information.

POSTERS/SURVEYS/PETITIONS/QUESTIONNAIRES
The vice president for Student Services is to approve all nonacademic material (including political, religious and business leaflets, petitions, and surveys to be signed by students, faculty, staff and administrators) prior to distribution on campus. All materials to be posted on campus must be approved and stamped by Student Services. The vice president for Academic Administration approves all academic material (class project questionnaires, etc.) prior to distribution.

PUBLIC DISPLAY OF AFFECTION
The College’s philosophy is that students are to act appropriately for the occasion. This includes limiting public display of affection to modest, appropriate, and self-respecting behavior. The residence hall lobbies, halls, stairwells, porches or sidewalks are public areas to be enjoyed by all in a casual, tasteful manner.

SEXUAL MISCONDUCT, RELATIONSHIP VIOLENCE, AND STALKING
Pacific Union College, as a Christian community, recognizes that every person is created in the image of God and should be treated with dignity and respect. Sexual misconduct in all forms violates the sanctity of the human body and spirit and will not be tolerated. The College seeks to establish a safe atmosphere free from any and all forms of harassment, assault, and intimidation. For the entire policy visit the web page www.puc.edu/titleixpolicy.

SKATEBOARDING
Skateboarding on the PUC campus is allowed only for transportation purposes. Skateboarding is not allowed on benches, railings, stairs, steps, curbs, ramps, or in buildings. Violators may be restricted from the campus proper, and the replacement cost of any damage. All skateboarders skate at their own risk.

STEALING
Stealing is considered to be a serious offense and will be subject to discipline and possible suspension. Students should take precautions to protect their personal belongings. Please note: The College is not responsible for items taken.
STUDENT RIGHTS

RIGHT OF ADMISSION
Membership in student organizations, education programs, and activities of the College are to be open to all students without respect to race, ethnicity, age, gender (except residence-hall clubs), sexual orientation, socioeconomic class, religious belief, or disability (see Disability Support Services).

RIGHT OF ASSOCIATION
Students are free to organize and join associations to promote their common interests consistent with the purposes and policies of the College. Each organization will present to the vice president for Student Services a nominee for faculty advisor of the organization’s own choosing.

RIGHT OF PRIVACY
Pacific Union College complies with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 in maintaining student records. Confidentiality of records and communications is guaranteed to the full extent of this law. Except as noted in the General Catalog, including, but not limited to, notifying a student’s parents or legal guardians in the event of medical emergency or major disciplinary action, no student information will be given without the consent of the student.

RIGHT OF PUBLICATION
Student communications media such as the Campus Chronicle, the Diogenes Lantern and the Video Yearbook are aids in establishing and maintaining an atmosphere of responsible discussion and intellectual exploration on the PUC campus. These media communicate the activities and interests of the PUC students as well as help form student opinion.

The College, through the Student Association, delegates editorial responsibility to the editors under the guidance of faculty advisors and the Publication Board (see Publication Guidelines).

RIGHT OF DISCUSSION, COMMUNICATION, AND PETITION
As members of the PUC academic community, students are free, individually or collectively, to express their views on issues of College policy and procedures and on matters of general interest to the students, in keeping both with orderly proceedings and consistent with the functions and objectives of the College. Student organizations are free to examine and to discuss questions germane to the objectives of the College and to express opinion in publicly called sessions.

Interchange of views is encouraged between students and faculty, person to person, in discussion groups or meetings, or by written documents. The conduct of such discussions is to be in accord with the courteous Christian spirit espoused by the College.

CLASSROOM RIGHTS AND APPEALS
Students shall be evaluated academically on the basis of scholastic performance, not on opinions or conduct in matters unrelated to the academic standards of the course.

If a student feels that his or her academic rights have been violated, the student should speak personally with that teacher. If unable to resolve the problems, the student may appeal to the department chair.

If satisfactory resolution does not follow, the student may appeal to the academic dean.
RIGHT TO FAIR PLAY
The academic, administrative, and disciplinary processes at PUC are meant to guarantee fundamental fair play. Students under discipline have the right to be clearly informed of the nature and the consequence(s) of any alleged infraction(s) and to review carefully the facts of the problem with the faculty, staff, residence hall dean, or administrator immediately involved.

RIGHT TO APPEAL
Students have the right to appeal (within 24 hours of the decision) in writing a Student Conduct Committee decision; however, a student may not appeal based only upon his or her dissatisfaction with a decision (see Appeal Process).

SUMMER ROOM & BOARD
There is a special 50% off the full room rate during the summer for students who are either employed on campus and taking PUC classes, taking classes full time, or living in the residence halls.
There is a minimum board fee for Dining Commons use during summer school for students living in the residence halls.
The College reserves the right to adjust rates, rents and fees during the summer to accommodate economic fluctuations.

TITLE IX - SEX DISCRIMINATION AND SEXUAL HARASSMENT
The College’s Sex Nondiscrimination and Sexual Harassment policy addresses issues of sex/gender equity (access to programs, athletics, scholarships, etc.), sexual harassment (including sexual assault, stalking, domestic violence, and dating violence), protecting the rights of pregnant/parenting students, and the rights of students and employees to be free from sex/gender-based discrimination. The College does not discriminate on the basis of sex in its education program or activities (including in admissions and employment), and acts of sex discrimination and sexual harassment by members of the College are strictly prohibited and intolerable. For more information, please review the full policy and supporting procedures at www.puc.edu/titleixpolicy.

The Title IX Office is tasked with administering the College’s Sex Nondiscrimination and Sexual Harassment policy in a fair and equitable manner, as well as address the College’s responsibilities regarding Title IX and the Violence Against Women Reauthorization Act (VAWA) of 2013; Sec 304. If you have any questions regarding the policy, the College’s responsibilities regarding Title IX and VAWA, or wish to file a report or formal complaint, you may contact the Title IX Coordinator in person, by mail, by telephone, or by email using the contact information provided below. Anyone can file a report, you do not have to be the individual harmed to report. Reports can be made at any time and not only within business hours. You may also make a report using the College’s online reporting tool at www.puc.edu/ixreportform or via the LiveSafe app.

Title IX Coordinator: Tanya Healy
titleix@puc.edu
Administration Suite #114
Ground Floor, Chan Shun Hall
(707) 965-6226 (24 hours)
TRANSPORTATION

Minimal transportation options are available to students to assist them in making connections to area airports. Enrollment Services will facilitate transportation from PUC to Evans Airport Service in Napa. Reservations must be made at least 48 hours in advance and are subject to availability of vehicles and drivers. You must cancel 24 hours before departure. For reservations, call (707) 965-6425.

Taxi services are available in the Napa Valley: Check online for contact information. Warning: Taxi service in the Napa Valley can be very expensive.

The VINE, Napa Valley’s fixed-route bus system, provides safe, affordable and accessible transportation up and down the valley, with pick-up/drop-off in St. Helena.

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION BETWEEN NAPA AND SFO/OAKLAND

Evans Airport Service offers transportation to and from the San Francisco International Airport and the Oakland International Airport seven days a week for $29 each way, cash payment only. To make reservations (not required), call (707) 255-1559. Points of departure at the airports are outside the baggage-claim areas.

VANDALISM

Any damage incurred to any campus property carries with it restitution of damages, fines, and possible criminal prosecution. Vandalism may result in a dismissal from school.

VEHICLE

Parking on campus is a privilege, and allowed by permit only. Every vehicle must be registered with Public Safety prior to or immediately upon arriving to campus. Contact Public Safety for current information regarding permits, rules, regulations and restrictions. Public Safety can be contacted by calling (707) 965-6551, visiting their office at 180 College Avenue between the hours of 8 am-4 pm Monday through Friday, or by accessing their web page at www.puc.edu/publicsafety 24 hours a day.

Vehicle registration requires the vehicle’s proper state registration, proof of insurance, and the student’s driver’s license. Failure to register vehicles will result in disciplinary action. Such action includes, but is not limited to, citations, impound, and towing. According to the California Vehicle Code, all citations must be paid or appealed within 21 calendar days of the citation date. Citations older than 21 calendar days will incur penalties and cannot be appealed.

Vehicles need to have current state registration, and carry the minimum liability insurance coverage required by the State of California Vehicle Code.

Public Safety designates different parking areas across the campus for faculty, staff, and visitors. Students need to park in areas allowed by their specific parking permit to avoid a parking violation citation.

Motorcycles, scooters, and electric vehicles brought onto campus must be street-legal. Off-road motorcycles, ATVs, and “pocket” bikes are not allowed on campus.

Motorcycles, scooters, and electric vehicles must only be operated on roadways, not sidewalks or in any other inappropriate manner, and must park only in designated areas, or be subject to parking citations.

Undeveloped campus property is off limits to all motorized vehicles with out proper authorization.
FROM SAN FRANCISCO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
1. Go north on U.S. 101. Follow signs to the Bay Bridge (U.S. 80 east) toward Sacramento.
2. Take U.S. 80 east after crossing the Bay Bridge. Cross the Carquinez Bridge.
3. Turn off at the Napa, Marine World exit onto HWY 37.
4. From HWY 37 turn right (going north) on HWY 29.
5. Continue through the towns of Napa, Yountville, Oakville, Rutherford, and St. Helena. One mile past St. Helena, turn right on Deer Park Road, which turns into Howell Mountain Road. (8 miles to PUC).

FROM OAKLAND INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
1. Take HWY 880 north.
3. Follow directions in number 2 above.

FROM SACRAMENTO
1. Take U.S. 80 west toward San Francisco to HWY 12.
2. Take HWY 12 toward Napa to HWY 29.
3. Turn right on HWY 29 and follow directions in number 5 above.

TRANSPORTATION TO PUC
Evans Airport Service offers transportation from the San Francisco International Airport and Oakland International Airport to Napa seven days a week. Evans can be contacted at 707-255-1559, or on the web at www.evanstransportation.com. Reservations are not required. Only cash is accepted.

Point of departure at SFO is outside the baggage claim area at the center divider by the blue striped concrete pillars. Look for the sign for Napa. At Oakland Airport, cross the street outside of the baggage claim area to the Regional Transit shuttle stop (the same row as hotel, rental car, and parking shuttle stops). Transportation is available from Napa to PUC. Reservations must be made at least 48 hours in advance by calling Enrollment Services at (707) 965-6425.

THE ANGWIN AIRPORT, Virgil O. Parrett Field, located directly above the college, is owned and operated by PUC. Tie down, gasoline and oil sale, and mechanical services are available. Runway length: 3,200 feet. For further information, call (707) 965-6219.

DISTANCES TO PUC
San Francisco Airport: 87 Miles
Oakland: 65 Miles
Sacramento: 92 Miles
Napa: 30 Miles
WHEN MOUNTAIN LIONS MEET PEOPLE

Generally, mountain lions are calm, quiet and elusive. They are most commonly found in areas with plentiful prey and adequate cover. Such conditions exist in mountain subdivisions, urban fringes, and open spaces. Consequently, the number of mountain lion/human interactions has increased. This increase likely is due to a variety of reasons: more people moving into mountain lion habitat, an increase in prey populations, an increase in mountain lion numbers and expanded range, more people using hiking and running trails in mountain lion habitat, and a greater awareness of the presence of mountain lions.

Even so, the potential for being killed or injured by a mountain lion is quite low compared to many other natural hazards. There is a far greater risk, for example, of being struck by lightning than of being attacked by a mountain lion.

IF YOU ENCOUNTER A MOUNTAIN LION

The following suggestions are based on studies of mountain lion behavior and analysis of attacks by mountain lions, tigers, and leopards:

• **Do not hike alone.** Go in groups, with adults supervising children.
• **Keep children close to you.** Observations of captured mountain lions reveal that the animals seem especially drawn to children. Keep children within your sight at all times.
• **Do not approach a lion.**
  Most mountain lions will try to avoid a confrontation. Give them a way to escape.

• **Do not run from a lion.**
  Running may stimulate a mountain lion's instinct to chase. Instead, stand and face the animal. Make eye contact. If you have small children with you, pick them up if possible so that they do not panic and run. Although it may be awkward, pick them up without bending over or turning away from the lion.

• **Do not crouch or bend over.**
  A person squatting or bending over looks a lot like a four legged prey animal.

• **Do all you can to appear larger.** Raise your arms. Open your jacket if you are wearing one. Throw stones, branches, or whatever you can reach without crouching or turning your back. Wave your arms slowly and speak firmly in a loud voice.

• **Fight back if attacked.**
  Some hikers have fought back successfully with sticks, caps, jackets, garden tools, and their bare hands. Since a mountain lion usually tries to bite the head or neck, try to remain standing and face the attacking animal.

For more information about mountain lions, please contact the Department of Fish and Game, 1416 Ninth Street, Sacramento, CA 95814. In case of emergency call the DFG at (916) 445-0411 (24 hours a day).

**BE SNAKE WISE: RATTLESNAKE TIPS**

Rattlesnakes are not typically aggressive toward humans. They will only strike when they feel threatened or provoked. However, they are common in this area (and throughout California), so it’s important for hikers and bikers to be “snake wise.”

- When hiking, stick to well-used trails. Wear over-the-ankle boots and loose fitting long pants.
- Don’t step or put your hands where you can’t see, and don’t wander around in the dark.
- Step **ON** logs and rocks, not over them.
- Be extra careful where you put your hands when climbing rocks or gathering wood.
- Avoid walking through dense brush or thickets.

If someone has been bitten by a rattlesnake, remember these important first aid steps:

- Take the victim to the hospital as soon as possible (even if the bite doesn’t appear serious).
- Have the victim lie flat, with the bite site kept BELOW the heart.
- Do **NOT** elevate the wound.
- Apply a restrictive band three inches above the bite. You should be able to fit one finger between the band and the skin.
- Keep the victim calm and quiet.
- If a snakebite suction cup is available, follow the instructions for poison removal carefully.
- Do **NOT** administer any drugs or alcohol.

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IN CASE OF EMERGENCY... CALL 911

Call 911 from any phone, both on and off campus.

First Aid supplies are at each residence hall front desk.

PUC can text message emergency alerts to cell phones. This will only be used in case of emergency. Register at notifyme.puc.edu.

EARTHQUAKE
Indoor: Get under sturdy desk or table. Hold on to it and be prepared to move with it. Stay there until safe to move. Stay clear of windows and heavy objects. Don’t rush outside. In a crowded public place, do not rush the exits. Stay calm and encourage others to do so.

Outdoor: Get into the open, away from buildings and power lines. In a mountainous area, be alert of falling rock and other debris that could be loosened by the quake.

EVACUATION
This action is taken after a decision is made that it is unsafe to remain in a specific area of the campus, or the entire campus and evacuation is necessary. Evacuees may be directed to a safe area of campus or an off-campus assembly area. Determination will be made as to the projected duration of evacuation and authorized personnel will determine the safest method of evacuation. Note: students and parents may sign up for area alerts via Nixle: Text 94508 (Angwin’s area code) to 888-777. For more information visit www.nixle.com.

FIRE
Please note the posted fire escape routes and fire safety precautions. In the event of a fire, follow the posted procedures quickly. Activate the closest fire alarm. Exit the building. If an area fire necessitates evacuation off site, emergency notification will be sent out, with temporary evacuation site.

HEALTH SERVICES
In case of an emergency needing immediate assistance, call 7111 to access an ambulance. Medical personnel are on-call 24 hours a day and can be accessed after hours by calling Public Safety at (707) 965-6551 for the nurse on call. Remember that accessing outside services without authorization from the nurse on call becomes the financial responsibility of the individual.

COUNSELING CENTER
During office hours, call 7080. To page a counselor after hours, call Public Safety at 6551 or in an emergency, call 7111.

EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBERS
Fire/Ambulance/Any emergency 911
Public Safety emergency 7111
Poison Control 1-800-222-1222

MEDICAL HELP/ADVICE
Substance Abuse 1-800-662-4357
Napa County Mental Health (707) 253-4711
Napa Emergency Women’s Services (707) 255-6397
Rape/Sexual Assault Hotline (707) 253-4711
Suicide Crisis Hotline 1-800-273-8255
St. Helena Hospital & Health Center (707) 963-3611

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