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Donald Treadgold (left), Alexander Riasanovsky (center) and Nicholas Riasanovsky (right), all of whom are Rhodes scholars and University graduates, will be honored at an awards banquet tonight at 6 p.m. in Gerlinger Hall. They will receive honorary memberships in the Webfoot Society.

Awards banquet to honor scholars

Three alumni receive membership in society

By Michael Paparella
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Three distinguished University alumni will be inducted into the Webfoot Society at a banquet tonight at 6 at Gerlinger Hall.

The three, Donald Treadgold, and two brothers, Alexander and Nicholas Riasanovsky, are Rhodes Scholars and have received advanced degrees from Harvard and Oxford Universities.

The Alumni Association created the Webfoot Society in 1984 to recognize distinguished alumni in the fields of education, business, arts and letters, sports, sciences and public affairs. Additional inductees are honored each year, traditionally at homecoming.

This year, however, these three gentlemen will receive their honorary memberships now, in conjunction with the University's observance of the Millennium of Christianity in

Russia.

Treadgold, a former columnist for the Oregon Daily Emerald, graduated from the University in 1943 at the age of 21. While a student, he was a member of a history club that, in his words, was "quite a remarkable concentration of people which produced several notable historians." Since then he has written six books, received numerous honors and supervised the doctoral work of University Professor Alan Kimball.

He currently is a history professor at the University of Washington.

Treadgold's advice to today's students is "Think ahead. Life stretches out in front of you, take the opportunity to prepare. It's not necessary to keep your nose to the grindstone, the college years are to have some fun, but don't throw your life away."

Nicholas Riasanovsky was reportedly one of the all-time

great sports fans who never missed a game. He received his bachelor's degree in 1942 at the age of 19. He has been a history professor at the University of California at Berkeley since 1957 and has written "A History of Russia," widely regarded as a classic. Riasanovsky was unable for comment.

Poet and painter Alexander, Nicholas's younger brother, earned his bachelor's degree in philosophy in 1952 when he was 24 years old. Also a history professor, Alexander has been with the University of Pennsylvania since 1959.

"Oregon prepared me well for a professional career by providing a better slant on life than a lot of other places. I'd be happy to recommend Oregon to anybody," he said. He also said the faculty here "cares more for students in terms of teaching and attention given ... than any of the Ivys."

To students, Alexander says, "There are open doors here, it's your business whether or not to walk through them."

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