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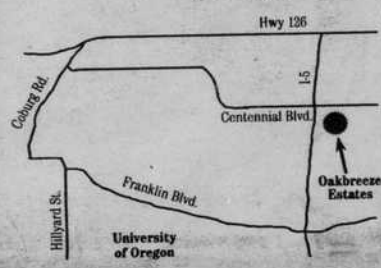
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Convocation

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better understanding of now. We must use our education to overcome ignorance."

Part of the challenge that the University faces during this week celebrating the life of King is "to encourage differences to blossom in the midst of our common community," Frohnmayer said.

In agreement with Frohnmayer, Eugene Mayor Jim Torrey commented that the University's diversity positively affects the Eugene community.

"The University is a major reason that we have a high level of diversity in Eugene," he said. "The makeup of the University provides checks to make sure that all people are respected. We aren't perfect, but Eugene is better than the vast majority of communities, and that has much to do with the fact that students and faculty enlighten us to recognizing people for who they are, not what their

cultural background is."

During his speech, Kitzhaber said that the important thing to "remember is not where we come from, but where we are going."

"We need to respect differences no matter what," he said. "We are all human ... what we share is more important than how we differ."

After the convocation, Kitzhaber commented on the recent diversity controversy surrounding Project Saferide.

Gender issues on campus came to a head during Tuesday's Program's Finance Committee meeting. PFC member Aaron Weck filed a grievance with Affirmative Action against Saferide's rape prevention shuttle service extended to women after dark. He took issue with the fact that the ASUO Women's Center does not extend a similar service to men on campus.

ASUO Vice president Mitra Anoushiravani said she and President Wylie Chen are discussing creating a male version of Saferide.

"We don't want to take Saferide

away but add to it," Anoushiravani said.

While the governor said he recognizes the validity of the federal regulations for and believes very strongly in gender equity, he also said he believes that the issues need to be viewed in terms of the intent. Kitzhaber said that if the intent of the program is to only provide Saferide for women, or even if budget constraints are moving in that direction, students should look for a way so that the service is extended to all students.

"Step back and look beyond your own self interests," he said. "It's one of the things that really holds society back. We need a victory for community over the individual self interests. Work together, instead of fighting and see how you can get the resources extended. We need to ask ourselves what's better for the largest campus community."

Anoushiravani said, overall, she was proud to give Kitzhaber a chance to see how the University is handling diversity issues.

Undergrads

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a faculty mentor for the year. The students generally join an existing research project or assist University professors with their research.

"The real motivation for this program is to get undergraduates interested in research and to promote them going on to graduate school," said Jill Dose, secretary for the Institute for the Development of Educational Achievement, a division of the University's College of Education. The institute administers the undergraduate research program.

This year's undergraduate research fellows are John Carasone, Jenée Hoard, Josh Horton and Annie Wiberg-Rozaklis.

The program is only in its second year at the University. Last year, only three fellowships were offered, and all the research was done in the College of Education. Dose said the program has expanded to four research spots since then, and undergraduates

are allowed to do their research in any field of study that interests them.

This year's group of student researchers agreed the program has already benefited them in several ways, from helping them prepare for graduate school to developing connections with University professors.

"I've learned a lot about the way research is done," said Hoard, an art history major who is participating in a research project involving the study of attraction and courtship.

The program is also an opportunity for students to get a taste of the rigors of graduate school, said Horton, an undergraduate research fellow who is researching the philosophers Michel Foucault and Karl Marx.

"It's an opportunity that's not generally offered to undergraduates," Horton said. "And it really prepares you for graduate school as well."

The program requires the undergraduate fellows to enroll in a one-credit research seminar for

the entire year. While the course is only one credit, it involves a lot of outside work.

"It's been a good experience," said Wiberg-Rozaklis, a geography major who is working on a project to document trends in reforestation. Wiberg-Rozaklis said the most rewarding aspect of the program is being able to contribute to a lasting study.

"I'm doing something that's adding to substantial work," she said. "The research I'm doing will be part of a book."

The program does involve a lot of outside work, but program applicants are required to demonstrate their academic ability when they apply for the research position. The average GPA of the four researchers is 3.76, according to Dose.

Despite the extra workload the fellowship entails, Horton still has time to work on his double major in English and history.

"It's not too much of a time drain," he said.

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