



FREE
Birth Control Supplies
& Sexual Health Services

Call or Stop to see if you qualify

Planned Parenthood
1670 High St.
Eugene • 344-9411

191800

Nike

continued from page 1A

to let people know that Nike is rectifying the problems."

According to the students' report — available at www.nikebiz.com/labor/index.shtml — the Mexico factories are "up to par with health and safety standards both locally and as written by Nike. In the past, Nike has been accused of placing workers in environments that were toxic in air quality and exposed them to dangerous chemicals. Overall, the as-

essment of safety standards was of a positive nature."

There were some conditions that should be improved upon immediately, Capobianco said. For example, in one factory that he visited, workers put in a 10-hour day with only a half-hour lunch break, which is legal under Mexican law. But such rigorous work days are not in Nike's best interest, Capobianco said.

At most of the factories, students reported that workers' compensation was not a problem. Some overtime grievances were filed, though, and need to be

looked at by Nike management, according to the report.

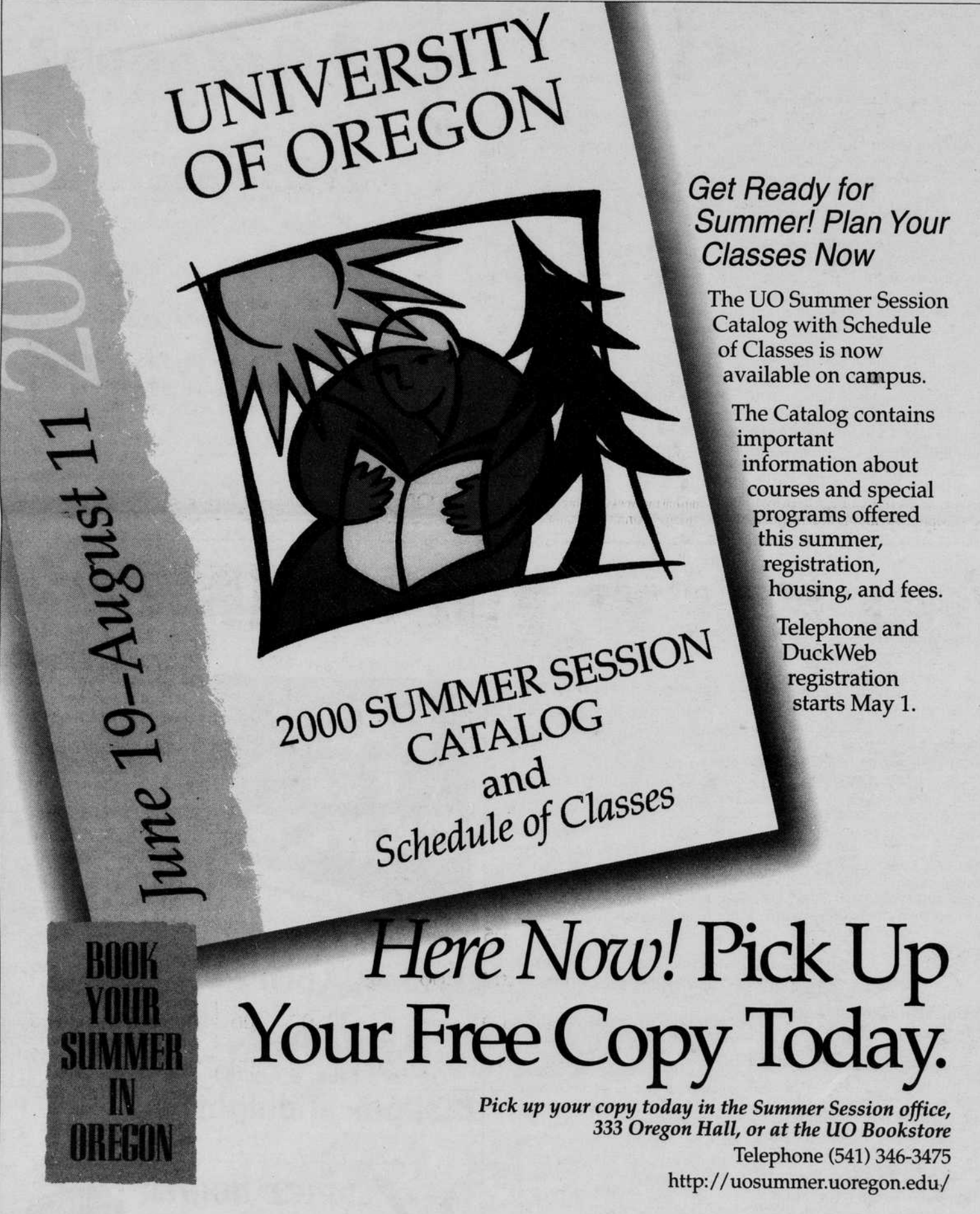
"Factories are a fact of the global economy whether we like it or not," Capobianco said. "We have to accept that and try to make them better."

The students recommended that the factories provide workers with a better education and better information regarding grievance procedures and the Nike Code of Conduct.

The students "have taught us a great deal," Kidd said. "We take their observations and recommendations very seriously and commit to report back in three months what we and the factories have accomplished."

Capobianco and the other students went through three days of training to prepare for their visits. PricewaterhouseCoopers, the Nike factory auditing team, trained the students for 10 hours a day.

"The students challenged Nike and themselves and were wonderful," said St. John's University Father James Maher, who coordinated the student selection and training. "We hope this process of independent monitoring will move the issue forward ... beyond inflammatory rhetoric, toward the global realization of human dignity in the workplace."



UNIVERSITY OF OREGON

June 19—August 11

2000 SUMMER SESSION CATALOG and Schedule of Classes

Here Now! Pick Up Your Free Copy Today.

Pick up your copy today in the Summer Session office, 333 Oregon Hall, or at the UO Bookstore
Telephone (541) 346-3475
<http://uosummer.uoregon.edu/>

Get Ready for Summer! Plan Your Classes Now

The UO Summer Session Catalog with Schedule of Classes is now available on campus.

The Catalog contains important information about courses and special programs offered this summer, registration, housing, and fees.

Telephone and DuckWeb registration starts May 1.

Calendar

Thursday, April 27

Ecological Conversations Seminar: Saskia van Oosterhout, an agricultural biologist from Zimbabwe specializing in the conservation of crop plant genetic resources and the effects of gender dynamics on traditional crop agriculture, discusses "Moyo muti unomera paunoda (A Tree Grows Only Where It Wants To)." 3 - 4:50 p.m., Room 201, Villard Hall. Free. For information, call Lynne Fessenden at 346-5399.

InterSEXions Conference: Brown bag presentation by Molly McClure, Women's Studies student, on "Feminism and Transgenderism: A Thesis in Progress." Noon. Suite 34, EMU. Free. For information, browse darkwing.uoregon.edu/~program or call 346-1134.

InterSEXions Conference: Lecture by Alice Dreger on "The Meaning of Testicles in a Woman: The Medical Politics of Intersex." 4 p.m., Alumni Lounge, Gerlinger Hall, 1468 University Street. Free. For information, browse darkwing.uoregon.edu/~program or call 346-1134.

Creative Writing Reading Series: American Book Award-winning writer Chang-Rae Lee of Hunter College, author of "A Gesture Life" and "Native Speaker," reads and autographs copies of his work. 8 p.m. Agate Hall Auditorium. Free. For information, browse darkwing.uoregon.edu/~cwrweb/events.htm or call 346-0544.

Oregon Daily Emerald
P.O. Box 3159, Eugene OR 97403

The Oregon Daily Emerald is published daily Monday through Friday during the school year and Tuesday and Thursday during the summer by the Oregon Daily Emerald Publishing Co. Inc., at the University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon. A member of the Associated Press, the Emerald operates independently of the University with offices in Suite 300 of the Erb Memorial Union. The Emerald is private property. The unlawful removal or use of papers is prosecutable by law.

NEWSROOM — (541) 346-5511

Editor in chief: Laura Cadiz
Managing Editor: Jack Clifford
Community: Sara Lieberth, editor. Andrew Adams, Darren Freeman, reporters.
Freelance: Eric Pfeiffer, editor.
Higher Education: Ben Romano, editor. Adam Jude, Serena Markstrom, reporters.
Perspectives: Bret Jacobson, Laura Lucas, editors. Jonathan Gruber, Beata Mostafavi, Whit Sheppard, Mason West, columnists.
Pulse: Jessica Blanchard, editor. Rory Carroll, Joe Walsh, reporters.
Student Activities: Jeremy Lang, editor. Emily Gust, Simone Ripke, Lisa Toth, reporters.
Sports: Mirjam Swanson, editor. Matt O'Neill, Scott Pesznecker, Jeff Smith, reporters.

NEWS AIDE: Lorraine-Michelle Faust.
Copy: Monica Hande, Molly Egan, copy chiefs. Jonathan Allen, Michael Kleckner, Tom Patterson, Eric Qualheim, Heather Rayhorn, Jamie Thomas, copy editors.
Photo: Catharine Kendall, editor. Kevin Calame, Azle Malinao-Alvarez, Ryan Starkweather, photographers. Hiroshi Nakamura, Katie Nesse, Tom Patterson, Lindsey Walker, photo technicians.
Design: Katie Nesse, editor. Katie Miller, Melissa O'Connell, Russ Weller, designers. Bryan Dixon, Giovanni Salimena, illustrators.
On-line: Jake Ortman, editor. Timur Insepov, webmaster.

ADVERTISING — (541) 346-3712

Becky Merchant, director. Melissa O'Connell, Van Nguyen, advertising assistants. Rachelle Bowden, Doug Hentges, Nicole Hubbard, Jesse Long, Adam Rice, Amy Ruppert, Hillary Shultz, Chad Verly, Emily Wallace, Lisa Wood, advertising sales representatives.

CLASSIFIEDS — (541) 346-4343

Trina Shanaman, manager. Erin Gauthier, Lauren Howry, Tara Rothermel, staff.

BUSINESS — (541) 346-5512

Judy Riedl, general manager. Kathy Carbone, business supervisor. Sarah Goracke, receptionist. Il-ju Chang, John Long, Sue Ryan, Gretchen Simmons, distribution.

PRODUCTION — (541) 346-4381

Michele Ross, manager. Tara Sloan, coordinator. Laura Lucas, Katie Nesse, Melissa O'Connell, Laura Paz, Ross Ward, ad designers.