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# Clark College Partners with Portland State

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Clark College and Portland State University have formalize a co-admission agreement designed to improve student access to undergraduate education, increase the efficiency of joint efforts in support of students, and improve the success of student transfer rates through the completion of associate degrees and baccalaureate degrees.

Last year, over 100 Clark College students transferred to PSU, making the downtown Portland campus the second highest recipient of Clark College students behind Washington State University Vancouver.

The new partnership will provide numerous benefits for Clark College students, including coordinated federal financial aid disbursement, early on-site academic advising, special scholarship opportunities for co-admitted students, coordinated student and academic services, credit for prior learning, one application, joint library services, access to computer services and coordinated degree completion.

Clark College students will be encor raged to transition to PSU after completing 90 transferable credits. Students will be advised to pursue educational pathways that include successful completion of an associate degree en route to the baccalau-



R. Wayne Branch



Daniel O. Bernstine

reate degree. Students who complete their program of study at Clark College and satisfy all requirements (including grade point average) will be guaranteed admission to Portland State, which currently enrolls more than 1,500 students in coenrollment programs with Portland Community College, Clackamas Community College, Chemeketa Community College and Mt. Hood Community College.

Clark College President Dr. R. Wayne Branch said, "Portland State University is one of the most diverse institutions in our region with interests in international education, intellectual and cultural offerings, and world-renown research programs. Providing our students with access to the baccalaureate education offered by such a wonderful institution furthers their pathways to success."

"We are very proud to forge this new educational partnership between Southwest Washington and northwest Oregon," said Portland State University President

Daniel O. Bernstine. "Our students have access to top-notch research, faculty, and facilities. That access, coupled with the University's location in the heart of the region's technology and cultural core, create an education unparalleled in the Pacific Northwest. We are delighted to be able to offer these new opportunities to students from Clark College as they take the next step in their education."

As part of the agreement, both institutions have established mutual goals for the future including faculty exchange and professional development activities, career path programs, technology connections (access to student records, library services, course and classroom linkages and other faculty/student communication), as well as a comprehensive evaluation process for assessing the outcomes of the partnership agreement.

PSU offers bachelor's degrees in many majors including business administration, engineering and computer science, biomedical informatics, African American studies, fine and performing arts, foreign languages and literatures, biological and physical sciences, community health, applied linguistics, liberal arts, social sciences, architecture, mathematics and international studies.

Information about Clark College classes can be found on the Internet at www.clark.edu or by calling 360-699-NEXT. Information about Portland State University can be found on the Internet at www.pdx.edu or by calling 503-725-3000 or toll free 800-547-8887.

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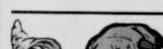
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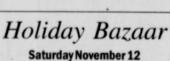
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10:00 am - 8:00 pm

Spaghetti Dinner 2-7:30 pm

Bingo 7:30-9:00 pm

Adults \$7

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Sunday 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Mexican Food 1:30 -: 00 pm

Close of Silent Auction 3:00 pm

**Raffle Drawing to follow** 

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Saturday, November 5th

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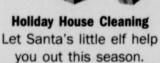
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