## CAREER EDUCATION

## Women Pass Men in Advanced Degrees

(AP) -- For the first time, American women have passed men in gaining advanced college degrees as well as bachelor's degrees, part of a trend that is helping redefine who goes off to work and who stays home with the kids.

The latest census figures highlight the latest education milestone for women, who began to exceed men in college enrollment in the early 1980s. The findings come amid record shares of women in the workplace and a steady decline in stay-at-home mothers.

The educational gains for women are giving them greater access to a wider range of jobs, contributing to a shift of traditional gender roles at home and work. Based on demographer's estimate, the number of stay-at-home dads who are the primary caregivers those working part-time or look- Measured by shares, about 10.2 10.9 percent of men — a gap professional subcategories for their children reached nearly ing for jobs. 2 million last year, or one in 15



A woman talks to an employer at a jobs fair. For the first time, American women have passed men in gaining advanced college degrees as well as bachelor's degrees.

Among adults 25 and older, vanced degrees compared to years. Women still trail men in engineering. fathers. The official census tally 10.6 million U.S. women have was 154,000, based on a nar- master's degrees or higher, rower definition that excludes compared to 10.5 million men.

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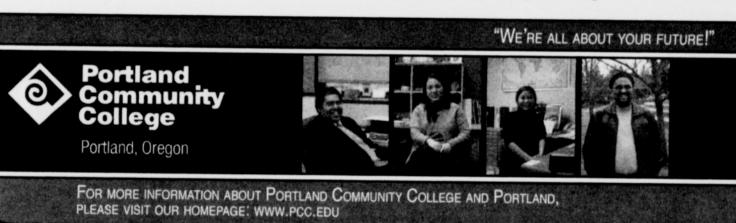
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