

# GRAND REUNION

**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS** 

OCTOBER 6-9, 2016



Dear Fellow Falcons!

What a joy it is to have you on campus and back home for this historic time in the life of our alma mater. Grand Reunion is a signature event of SPU's 125th Anniversary year.

I hope this reunion weekend is a wonderful time for you to reconnect with fellow

alumni while remembering all the things that make this place so special. Enjoy all the events and activities we have planned for you, from nationally renowned Christian musician David Crowder to the Taste of SPU with emeriti presidents McKenna, Le Shana, and Eaton. Even a rededication of the SPU Story Pole!

And while you're here, I hope you'll take the time to stroll through this beautiful campus and reminisce about all the ways that Seattle Pacific impacted you. While much about Seattle Pacific has grown and changed, our foundation and mission remain the same. Let's celebrate together God's faithfulness to SPU in these first 125 years and look forward together in anticipation of the next 125. Go Falcons!!

Bryan Jones '99

Director of Alumni and Parent Relations

## Schedule of Events



**Double Header Soccer Games** 4:30 p.m.

Women vs. Concordia University

7 p.m.

Men vs. Western Washington University

LOCATION: Interbay Stadium



7 p.m. Volleyball Game vs. Montana State Billings

LOCATION: Royal Brougham Pavilion



#### FRIDAY October 7

#### **SATURDAY** October 8



#### 6 p.m.

#### **President's Circle Dinner**

LOCATION: Upper Gwinn

An invitation-only dinner with President Dan Martin to celebrate and thank SPU donors who give at the President's Circle level (\$1,000 or more annually). Presentation of the President's Award for Philanthropy.

#### 7-9 p.m.

#### Heritage Art Opening, Reunion, and Musical Concert

LOCATION: Nickerson Studios

Come reconnect with graduates during Grand Reunion at the Art Department's opening of Heritage, an art exhibition featuring the oil paintings of Anelecia Hannah Brooks '05. While you enjoy the exhibition, an ensemble of current SPU students will perform original art music inspired by medieval polyphony.

#### 8:30 p.m.

#### All GOLD Gathering and GOLD Reunions ('06, '11, '16)

LOCATION: Mulleady's Irish Pub, 3055 21st Ave W, Seattle All GOLD Alumni are invited to attend the GOLD Gathering at Grand Reunion for the reunion classes of '06, '11, and '16. Meet at Mulleady's to eat, reconnect, and network with fellow SPU alumni. Cost \$11.

## 9–4 p.m. Information Center

LOCATION: Weter Hall, Lounge

Questions? We have answers — and a coffee shop and a place to hang out between events.



#### 9–4 p.m. Future Falcons Nest (Childcare)

LOCATION: First Free Methodist Church, North Queen Anne Childcare Center Childcare provided by North Queen Anne Childcare Center for guests attending Grand

Reunion events throughout the day. Fully licensed, dedicated, and well trained childcare professionals will watch your children age one year through 5th grade. Parents can pick up and drop off children throughout the day for a one-time cost of \$10.



#### **Academic Program Reunions**

#### 9-10:30 a.m.

#### School of Business, Government, and Economics Alumni Breakfast

LOCATION: First Free Methodist Church, Fine Center Food, fun, and fellowship! We look forward to sharing the latest SBGE news with you and also to hearing your thoughts during a table discussion on alumni engagement.

#### 9-11 a.m.

## Departments of Computer Science, Engineering, Math, and Physics Reunion

LOCATION: Otto Miller Hall, Lobby

Coffee and conversation with current faculty such as Don Peter, Elaine Weltz, Mike Tindall, Lane Seeley, Robbin O'Leary, Steve Johnson, Melani Plett, and emeriti faculty including Ed Bauman, Roger Anderson, Bob Hughson, Dick Wood, and Sharon Young. Special Skype appearance from Stamatis Vokos!

#### 9-11 a.m.

#### **English Department Reunion**

LOCATION: Emerson Hall, Lobby

Reconnect over coffee with graduates from the English Department, past and present. Catch up with friends and professors, network with colleagues, and hear about what's new in our program.

#### 9-11 a.m.

#### Family and Consumer Sciences Reunion: Connecting the Generations

LOCATION: Peterson Hall

Feast on delicacies from current and by-gone decades. Get practical advice on how to successfully join the generations within your family, workplace, church, and community.



# 9–11 a.m. **Music Alumni Open House**LOCATION: *Nickerson Studios*Join us in our newest building for coffee, conversation, networking, and a tour of the beautiful new recording studio and performance space!

#### 9-10:30 a.m. Nursing Alumni Breakfast

LOCATION: Upper Gwinn, Queen Anne Room
Complimentary breakfast, fun prizes (including one for
the class with the most number of attendees), and a
short program to retire and pay tribute to the RN to BSN
program. Time for reunion and reflection on the program's
legacy to the Seattle community.

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#### **Academic Program Reunions (cont.)**

#### 9-10:30 a.m.

#### **School of Philosophy Reunion**

LOCATION: *Upper Gwinn, Cascade Room*Reconnect over coffee with graduates from the Philosophy Department, past and present. Catch up with friends and professors, network with colleagues, and hear about what is new in philosophy.

#### 9-11 a.m.

#### School of Psychology, Family, and Community

LOCATION: Eaton Hall, Room 112

A series of TEDx-style presentations from each of our departments. A reception with continental breakfast will follow. Additionally, we will be offering one APA accredited CF for \$20 to all who are interested

#### 9-11 a.m.

#### **Theatre Reunion**

LOCATION: McKinley Hall, Black Box Theatre
An informal breakfast where you can reconnect with
Theatre graduates, past and present. Catch up with
friends and professors, network with colleagues, and
hear about what is new in theatre.

#### 9-11 a.m.

## School of Theology and Seattle Pacific Seminary Reunion

LOCATION: Kingswood House

Catch up with friends and professors, network with colleagues, and hear about what is new. We'll have a light breakfast and coffee, and hear from Dr. Ed Smyth.



## 11 a.m. Campus Tour: Legacy Family Focus

LOCATION: Demaray Hall, Main Lobby
Tour SPU with a current student to hear about new programs, see new buildings, and discover what has changed and what is just the same from your days on campus.

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### **Class Reunions**

12–1:30 p.m.
Reconnect with your classmates, roommates, and friends while

enjoying a catered lunch. Tickets \$22.

Founders (including classes of '56, '61, and '66)

LOCATION: Upper Gwinn, Queen Anne Room Class of '71

LOCATION: Student Union Building, Gazebo Room

Class of '76 and Class of '81

LOCATION: First Free Methodist Church, Fine Center

Class of '86

LOCATION: Student Union Building, Collegium

Class of '91

LOCATION: *Upper Gwinn, Cascade Room* 

Class of '96

LOCATION: Arnett Hall, Lobby

Class of '01

LOCATION: *Emerson Hall, Lobby* 

1:30 p.m.

#### **Totem Pole Rededication**

LOCATION: Near Beegle Hall

Join Emeriti Professor of Anthropology Ken Tollefson and a Tlingit tribal representative at the "story" pole reflecting the history of SPU and presented to the University in 1971 by Tlingit artist Abner Johnson.

2 p.m.

#### **Centurions Reunion**

LOCATION: Student Union Building, Collegium
Reconnect with Centurion alumni and current Centurions
over ice cream sundaes. Celebrate 2016 Roy Swanstrom
Distinguished Centurion Award recipient, Wes Willmer '71.



2 p.m.

#### **Falconettes 80th Anniversary Tea**

LOCATION: First Free Methodist Church, Fine Center Celebrate the heritage and 80 years of Falconettes! Tea, friendship, reminiscences, and updates on the Falconettes today. Tickets \$10.

3 p.m.

#### **University Scholars Reunion**

LOCATION: *Student Union Building, Gazebo Room* Catch up with UScholar alumni over ice cream sundaes.

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#### 3 p.m.

#### **Residence Hall Open Houses**

LOCATION: Ashton, Hill, Moyer, and Marston-Watson Swing by your residence hall and bring back the memories!

#### 3 p.m.

#### Student vs. Alumni Ultimate Frisbee and Soccer

LOCATION: Wallace Field

Fun for all ages, hosted by GOLD Alumni Council. Bring the family for some good-natured competition.

#### 4 p.m.

## 125th Anniversary White Poplar Tree Planting and Dedication

LOCATION: Tiffany Loop

Join President Martin as the community dedicates a genetic offspring of the 125-year-old white poplar that towers over Tiffany Loop, affirming SPU's historic mission for generations to come.



## 4:30 p.m. Taste of SPU

LOCATION: *Upper Gwinn*All-community reunion dinner featuring SPU presidents past and present. Grab some food, reconnect with old friends and professors, and shake hands with SPU presidents before the big concert.



## 7 p.m. (Doors open at 6 p.m.) Mainstage: Crowder Concert

LOCATION: Royal Brougham Pavilion
Grammy-nominated David Crowder
will bring his folktronic worship music
to the stage in this all-ages concert.
Also featuring Tedashii and 2010 SPU
Alumus Evan Egerer. Tickets available
at brownpapertickets.com.

#### SUNDAY October 9

9:15 a.m.

#### **Contemporary Worship Service**

LOCATION: *First Free Methodist Church* Visit ffmc.org for details.

11 a.m.

#### **Classic Worship Service**

LOCATION: *First Free Methodist Church* Visit ffmc.org for details.



#### **EVENT** locations

- 1 Ames Library
- 2 Arnett Hall
- 3 Ashton Hall
- 4 Beegle Hall
- **5** Bookstore
- 6 Demaray Hall
- 7 Eaton Hall
- 8 Emerson Hall
- 9 First Free Methodist Church
- 10 Gwinn Dining Hall
- 11 Hill Hall
- **12** Kingswood House
- 13 McKinley Hall
- **14** Nickerson Studios
- 15 Otto Miller Hall
- **16** Peterson Hall
- 17 Royal Brougham Pavilion
- **18** Student Union Building
- 19 Tiffany Loop
- 20 Wallace Athletic Field
- 21 Walls Advancement Center—Alumni and Parent Relations Office
- 22 Weter Hall





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