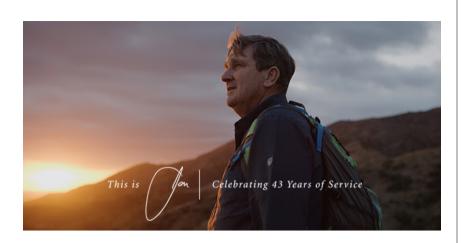




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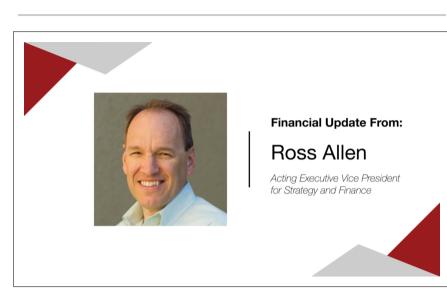
This Is Jon | Celebrating 43 Years of Service

Mark your calendars and plan to join us as the Azusa Pacific University community honors President Jon R. Wallace and his more than four decades at APU.

When: Saturday, April 13, 7-8:30 p.m. Where: Felix Event Center, West Campus

Dessert reception to follow the event.

RSVP to Attend



Financial Updates

The university continues to show positive results, reducing overall expenses while staying on track with enrollment and revenue projections. These positive actions by our community--our faculty, staff, and administration--increases our confidence that we will achieve our financial goals as we finish this fiscal year on June 30, 2019.

Actions taken by our community, and particularly by departmental managers, ensure the university has the required cash flow heading into summer by reducing expenses and working with external vendors to secure flexibility in payment timing. This, together with specific actions to optimize use of our assets, provides confidence that we will achieve our bond covenant liquidity requirement.

Above all, we remain committed to our primary purpose of developing disciples and scholars to advance God's work in the world, while also being good stewards of the financial resources entrusted to us.

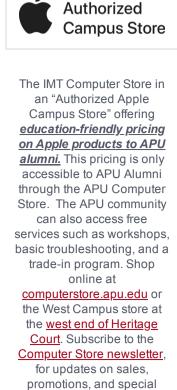
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offers.

Strengths Certification: Leadership & Management

Obtain a professional certification for Strength-Based Approaches to Leadership and Management for the Noel Strengths Academy. The certification is May 30th & 31st and includes an APU alumni discount (saving \$150). Space is limited to 25.

Register Today



Alumni Awards

Alumni Awards nominations were received and specific schools and colleges within the university are identifying award recepients. Thank you to all who provided nominations!



Let's Go Cougs! Congratulations to our Women's Basketball team on a successful season. Click here for other athletic Cougar updates and schedules.

ALUMNI

Alumni Volunteers Needed for Spring **Baccalaureate and Commencement**

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We need local alumni to partner with us at the Baccalaureate and Alumni Initiation Ceremony (May 3rd) and/or Commencement Ceremony (May 4th). We are looking for friendly alumni that can welcome APU family and friends celebrating graduates and future alumni. The Alumni Partners that sign up and show up are entered for a chance to win four tickets to a Los Angeles Dodger game!! Sign up by April 15th.

Count Me In!



APU GIVING DAY

Something big is happening at APU on April 23, 2019! APU Giving Day on April 23 is a 24-hour online and social media fundraising takeover to celebrate Azusa Pacific University and encourage alumni, parents, and friends to give to what they're most passionate about supporting at APU.

It's one entire day dedicated to make a difference and support APU students through academics, athletics, on campus experiences, and scholarships! Just think, because of gifts from alumni like you, our students can make a new discovery, impact a life, serve in countries near and far, and work as Christ's hands and feet around the world.

Do your part on April 23 - Make a gift to whatever you care most about at APU and share about APU Giving Day on your social media pages. You can use the image here to create a post, or repost from our page that day to make it easy!

One Day. One Purpose. Make a Difference.



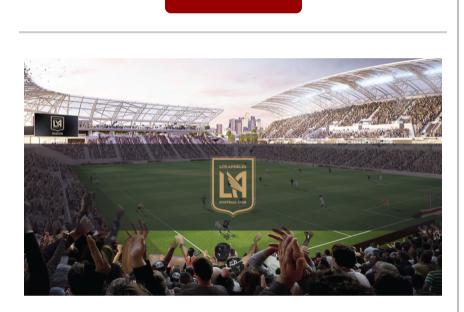
APUSA Spring Benefit

The Azusa Pacific University Scholarship Association (APUSA) invites you to celebrate Mother's Day weekend at our annual Spring Benefit. Bring your mother, daughter, grandmother, and friends to beautiful luncheon and fashion show. Come early for opportunity baskets, silent auction, and boutique.

Saturday, May 11, 2019 10:00 A.M. - Doors open for silent auction items, opportunity baskets, boutique and hors d'oeuvres 12:00 P.M. - Lunch and fashion show Tickets \$40 per person

Proceeds benefit student scholarships at Azusa Pacific University

Register Now



PURCHASE YOUR TICKETS! **APU Alumni at** Los Angeles Football Club (LAFC)

Saturday, July 27th • 5:00 PM The APU Office of Alumni Engagement invites you to watch LAFC face off against MLS Champions, Atlanta United. Get your discounted tickets below!

Score Yourself a Ticket

SOCIAL MEDIA





COUGAR **CLASS NOTES**

IN REMEMBRANCE



James H. Mumme (1949)

Born May 17, 1926, Rev. James H. Mumme passed peacefully to Heavenly Glory on February 21, 2019 in Bakersfield, Calif. Jim was a naval radio operator during World War II, then attended Pacific Bible College in 1949. Jim lived a remarkable life of service as a missionary to Bolivia. He was also a church planter of eight churches in the U.S., Bolivia, Mexico and Chad. He was a prolific writer, contributing to various religious publications and newspapers. Jim was preceded in death by his wife, Vida and survived by his sister, Ramona Flick, and his brother, Lyndel Mumme; six children, nine grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

ALUMNI UPDATES



Olivia Hollon (2018)

Olivia graduated in May 2018, passed NCLEX 15 days later and was able to start PVHMC new Graduate Residency Nursing Program. The program is accredited with distinction as a Practice Transition Program by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. Oliva is grateful and has been very blessed this year.



Jamee Bollinger (2016) On March 22, 2019 Jamee received the CPA license from the California Board of Accountancy. This journey began with an undergrad career at APU, followed by approximately 2 years of preparation for the CPA exam. Jamee's social media posts indicated, "3.22.2019: Jamee N. Bollinger, CPA #finally"



Madeline Brouwer (2016) Madeline currently works as a substitute teacher, tutor and

Theatre Director at her former high school. She recently started a masters program to

become a high school counselor, and got married in June of 2017 to Tim Brouwer who is a sales engineer for California Boiler. They live in their hometown of Visalia CA.



Alumni Mentorship Opportunities with APU GEN1 Scholars

The GEN1 Scholars program supports, celebrates, and recognizes first-generation undergraduate students and their journey navigating the college experience. The program provides resources and opportunities for academic, professional, and personal growth. We encourage our alumni to support GEN1 scholars by volunteering as a mentor, hosting an event, offering internship opportunities, or donating for scholarships. If you are interested in becoming involved, please Click here for more information about GEN1 Scholars Program

APU STORIES

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APU Alumnus Releases Film, The Jade Pendant

Azusa Pacific University hosted a limited engagement screening of the independent film, The Jade Pendant, from February 15-21 at Regency Foothill Cinema 10. Produced by APU alumnus LP Leung, The Jade Pendant tells the tragic love story of two Chinese immigrants living in Los Angeles' Chinatown in 1871. This was the year of the Chinese Massacre, a race riot where a 500-member mob entered Chinatown and killed approximately 20 Chinese men and women. The film received the Golden Angel Award for Best Film by an Independent Producer from the Chinese American Film Festival in Hollywood. Congratulations, LP!

Click here for the continued story >>



APU's 35th Night of Champions Makes Eternal Impact, led by APU Alumnus

Approximately 2,500 California teens filled Azusa Pacific University's Felix Event Center for an evening of food, fun, and fellowship on Saturday, March 23, 2019, at the 35th Annual Night of Champions. Hosted by the East San Gabriel Valley Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA), Pastor Francis Chan shared the Gospel message and hundreds gave their lives to Christ that evening. Alumnus Allen Webster (2006), east area director for Fellowship of Christian Athletes said, "There isn't another event quite like it."

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EVENT HIGHLIGHTS



Jacob Hiles (2016)

After graduating in 2016, Jacob taught in Shenyang, China from 2017-2018. He started teaching at Irma Rangel Young Womens Leadership School in August 2018. In November 2018, Jacob married fellow APU alumna Lisha Cheung and they now live in Rockwall, Texas. They miss APU and everyone

from there very much!



Laura Tabbut (2016) Laura Tabbut was awarded the Juror's Choice Award for her piece Aural Fix at the biennial CIVA conference juried exhibition. Her work was selected from 300 entries. Additionally, her academic paper entitled "Scandinavian Pain: The Nostalgia of Now" was selected for presentation at the conference.



Paul Konadub (2015)

Paul is currently studying law at the Inter American University of Puerto Rico Alongside. He is also a missionary on the island and pastoring a vibrant church.



Kathy Meza (2008)

In July of 2018, Kathy and her husband packed up and moved from San Diego to the Philadelphia area so she could begin serving as Vice President for Advancement at Eastern University. Kathy considers the professional opportunity a blessing to serve in an amazing community at a faith-based institution. She is grateful for her APU education!

Sun Ju Kim (2008)

Praise to the LORD! Sun Ju Kim has been serving Reformed Theological College in Uganda since 2016 as a fulltime volunteer missionary, teaching worship and music! Sun Ju has great memories of APU and misses friends from the university, and wishes God's blessing on everyone!

Tommy Prestella (2006) APU graduate and active Air Force pilot Tommy Prestella recently appeared on the hit ABC television show, Shark Tank, pitching his company, Pick-Up Pools.



Brian Smith (2006)

Brian spent the last year raising money for cancer research by trekking though the mountains of Iceland. Brian thought it was an exciting way to bring awareness to the disease because he was diagnosed with cancer in 2016. Brian has shared his story and the great work being done in reasearch with many people.





On March 17, APU alumni and friends enjoyed Dodgers baseball at Camelback Ranch in Glendale, Arizona. The event included an exclusive tour of Dodger facilities, photos taken by the Dodger's official photographer, John SooHoo, meeting Dodger Manager Dave Roberts and praying with him, and enjoying the Dodger vs. Milwaukee Brewers game.

>">Click here for additional event details and photos >>



Azusa Pacific College Reunion in Northern California

For over twenty years, June and Cliff Hamlow have made the trip from Azusa, California to Turlock, California. The purpose is to host an alumni gathering of graduates from the 1950's, 1960's, and 1970's. On March 30th, alumni shared a meal and fun college memories. Click here for event details and photos.



Students connect with APU Oregon alumni on a Career Trek experience

During spring break in March, The Career Center launched an Inaugural Career Trek to Portland, Oregon where undergraduate students traveled and met with APU Alumni. The students were hosted at work sites and received career advice from APU Alumni employed by Nike Inc., Wieden + Kennedy advertising agency, and Portland Public Schools. The diverse group of undergraduate students enjoyed learning from recent and seasoned graduates as they explored professional opportunites. Follow @apucareer to learn more about the Career Trek experience.

If you would be an alumni interested to serve as an workplace host and provide career insight for future Career Trek

experiences, please contact Alexandra Oliva (aoliva@apu.edu), Experiential Learning Manager in The Career Center.

Tabitha Carnes (2007)

Caera Jane ("CJ") was born April 10, 2018, weighing 7 lb 12 oz and measuring 19" long. Their year with Caera has been a joyful blur! She looks just like her dad when he was a baby.



Dustin Norton (2016)

Dustin is working as an Athletic Trainer at CHI St. Joseph Health Sports Medicine in Bryan College Station, Texas.



Ruth Zvinoera (2011) Ruth and her husband run the Kuvamba Trust, a non-profit organization in Zimbabwe dedicated to transforming the lives of street kids and at-risk youth through education. At their tutoring center in Harare, they help at-risk kids catch up academically and then mainstream them into formal schools.



Marie Towner (Fischer) (1997) Marie recently moved from Germany to Estonia to pursue her PhD in Business Administration from the University of Tartu in Estonia. She consults in International Marketing Strategy and Business Development, and volunteers with Tartu International Fellowship and other local groups.

Want to update your contact information? **Click here!**

If you want to learn more academic and co-curricular activities at APU, please review the following newsletters shared with the APU community.

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