

# TODAY'S REGISTER

Jan. 14 – Jan 20, 2013

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### **Education on the Fly...Wheel: Engineering graduate kicks studies into high speed towards Cambridge for doctoral degree**

When classes started in August, Kysen Palmer figured he had two semesters left to finish his master's in mechanical engineering at the University of Idaho before heading into the workforce at a research laboratory. But instead, he's graduating early, selling his car and furniture and heading to England to earn his doctoral degree at the University of Cambridge. [Read more.](#)

### **Illustrate Your Talents**

Register now for upcoming training and workshops from Professional Development and Learning. Check out next week's highlights: Adobe Illustrator: Power Shortcuts & Techniques for Beginner to Intermediate Users, Jan. 23; Benefits Orientation, Jan. 22; and 8 Traits of High-Integrity Leaders, Jan. 22.

### **Jazz Festival Tickets on Sale**

Be sure to buy tickets now to get the best seats to the University of Idaho Lionel Hampton Jazz Festival, Feb. 20-23. See 10-time Grammy® Award winning vocal group TAKE 6, pioneer of saxophone funk Maceo Parker, the Jeff Hamilton Trio, vocalist Dee Daniels, Brazilian jazz sensation Trio da Paz, Trumpeter Byron Stripling and [many more](#). University of Idaho faculty and staff members receive great discounts on festival tickets so be sure to have your ID ready when you contact the University Ticket Office. Or be a [Festival volunteer](#) and earn free concert tickets. E-mail [jazzvolunteer@uidaho.edu](mailto:jazzvolunteer@uidaho.edu) for more information on being a Festival volunteer and contact the University Ticket Office to purchase tickets: Phone: 208-885-7212, Kibbie Dome – East End, [tickets@uidaho.edu](mailto:tickets@uidaho.edu), or [www.uidaho.edu/ticketoffice](http://www.uidaho.edu/ticketoffice).

### **Gasser Farewell Social**

Join University Housing in saying farewell to Ray Gasser on Jan. 29, 2013 from 3-5 p.m. in the Commons Clearwater Room. Refreshments will be provided.

### **Accepting Applications for 2013-14 Student Arts Fee Grants**

The University Arts Committee is now accepting applications for 2013-14 Student Arts Fee Grants. Applications are due no later than 5 p.m. March 30, 2013. The University of Idaho recognizes the importance of the arts on campus and within the local community. Arts grants are provided to defray costs related to originating, producing and presenting creative projects. Funds may also be used to defray costs associated with educational opportunities in the arts. Available funds are limited, and past awards have averaged \$6,500. Students, faculty members and academic units are all eligible for arts grants. Further information and applications are available online at [www.uidaho.edu/arts/grants](http://www.uidaho.edu/arts/grants).

### **Violence Prevention Programs Office Coordinating Speaker's Bureau**

Interpersonal violence affects everyone. Research shows that reaching out through sharing personal stories is a powerful way to engage individuals and inspire social change. In that spirit, The Violence Prevention Programs Office is forming a Speaker's Bureau comprised of survivors of sexual assault, relationship violence, stalking and child abuse, as well as individuals who have been touched by these crimes through family and/or friends. Training and ongoing support will be provided to Speaker's Bureau members, who will be asked to share their stories and perspectives at a variety of outreach events and in classroom and training settings on campus. Contact Virginia Solan, coordinator, Violence Prevention Programs, at [vsolan@uidaho.edu](mailto:vsolan@uidaho.edu) or 885-0688 if you are interested in learning more about this and/or other projects the Violence Prevention Programs Office is coordinating in ongoing efforts to make the University of Idaho campus a safe environment in which all members feel safe and supported.

### **Vandal Friday Campus Information Sessions**

Learn about the upcoming 2013 Vandal Friday events, go over the event schedule and have all your questions answered. Wednesday, Feb. 6, 10:30-11:30 a.m., Thursday, Feb. 7, 2:30-3:30 p.m. and Monday, Feb. 11, 1:30-2:30 p.m. in the Idaho Commons Whitewater Room.

### **Jazz Festival Buttons to Allow Entry to Select Festival Workshops and Support Young Artists Concerts**

The University of Idaho Lionel Hampton Jazz Festival announces the return of the commemorative button program in celebration of the 2013 festival. Buttons will be honored at regional outlets Jan. 15 – March 15 and will be required for entry into select festival workshops. [Read more.](#)

### **VandalWeb PIN Will Stop Working Feb. 19**

The PIN authentication system has been available on campus for almost 20 years providing quick access to student and employee information. Recently a cross departmental committee working on improving data security across campus has made the decision to discontinue it due to concerns over limited security. Starting Feb. 19, faculty, staff and students must log into VandalWeb using their University NetID credentials. Contact the Help Desk if you have any questions about your NetID password. More information is available at: [www.uidaho.edu/pinremoval/](http://www.uidaho.edu/pinremoval/).

### **Update Concerning Solid Waste Disposal Guidelines**

As many of you know already, the University has gone to a tow unit/compactor system for handling our Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) generated here on campus. After six months, we are getting good results with the system. One issue though needs to be reiterated. MSW is defined as any solid waste produced, other than hazardous, infectious or unacceptable waste. [Read more.](#)

### **Visiting Professor Applications Now Open -- Due Jan. 30**

If you would like to get paid to teach abroad, this is your opportunity. We are currently accepting applications until Jan. 30 for Visiting Professor positions for the 2014-2015 school year, including the summer of 2014. For more information, or to submit an application, please contact Colton Oliphant ([colton@uidaho.edu](mailto:colton@uidaho.edu) | 208-885-7870) in the International Programs Office.

[www.webs.uidaho.edu/ipo/ui\\_fac\\_staff/teach\\_abroad.html](http://www.webs.uidaho.edu/ipo/ui_fac_staff/teach_abroad.html)

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