

WILSON CAREER LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES & UPDATES

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IMPORTANT CRLE REMINDER

Students in the classes of 2022, 2023, and 2024 must participate in and reflect on two Career Related Learning Experiences. After participating in an event, please remember to submit your CRLE Reflection Assignments to Meet your Graduation Requirements.

- CRLE reflection #1 - <https://tinyurl.com/WHSCRLE1>
- CRLE reflection #2 - <https://tinyurl.com/WHSCRLE2>

NOVEMBER EVENTS

Portland Society of Women Engineers Career Panel

Thursday, 11/5, 5:00PM

Hear from local engineers about their professional career path and what it's like to be a woman in this field. *Open to all students.* [Students please pre-register here](#) using your PPS account by Thursday at 2pm to receive the Zoom link to your email.

PPS FUTURE YOU 2 GO (FY2G) - VIRTUAL CAREER & POSTSECONDARY INFORMATION

*Click on the Below Titles to Join these Google Meets; Pre-registration not required
More dates TBA! For the latest offerings, please check the [Future You 2 Go Calendar](#)
Please note Virtual Career Learning Sessions Count as a CRLE when you:*

1. Record your attendance when prompted,
2. Participate and stay engaged during the entire session (ask/answer questions, etc) and
3. Remember to write and submit your [CRLE Reflection](#) about the experience.

FY2G [Career Presentation-Courtney Patterson, Emergency Manager-Metro](#)

Tuesday, 11/10, 3:00-3:45PM

Meet Courtney, Emergency Manager for Metro. From high school, Courtney received a Marine ROTC scholarship to Tulane University (New Orleans). During her time at Tulane, Hurricane Katrina arrived in New Orleans. Find out how this experience affected Courtney's career. Learn about her career pathway through the Marines, City of Portland and now Metro.

Connected Careers: Emergency Management, Government, Military

FY2G [Post-Secondary Presentation-PCC Bioscience Technology, Jenny Kirchler](#)

Wednesday, 11/18, 1:00-1:45PM

Meet Jenny Kirchler, Student Resource Specialist for PCC's Bioscience Technology. Local industry partners have worked closely with the PCC Bioscience Technology program to develop the Biotechnician Certificate and the AAS degree in Bioscience Technology.

Connected Careers-Bioscience, Technology, Manufacturing, Research, Health

FY2G [Career Presentation- X, Aviation \(Drones\) Research & Development Lead for Skyward, a division of Verizon](#)

Wednesday, 11/18, 2:00-2:45PM

Meet X, Aviation (Drones) Research & Development Lead for Skyward, a division of Verizon. In high school, X worked for a computer company. Follow their career pathway from college to military and then to technology and research at Skyward working with drones.

Connected Careers-Technology, Aviation, Military, Research.

FY2G Career Presentation -Caesar Bernardo, Technical Project Manager for IGNW

Wednesday, 11/18, 3:00-3:45PM

Meet Caesar Bernardo, Technical Project Manager for IGNW (Information Technology & Services). Learn about Caesar's individual career pathway that starts in the Navy, goes to education and then 20 years in the technology industry. Learn all of the details of his current position and find out his tips for how to be successful.

Connected Careers-Technology, Computer Science, Education

FY2G Career Presentation - Oregon Public Broadcasting (OPB), Ed Jahn, Executive Editor/Producer

Wednesday, 11/18, 4:00-4:45 pm

In high school, Ed had aspirations to become a rock star. Now he is the Executive Producer of Oregon Field Guide on Oregon Public Broadcasting. Hear Ed's career story and learn about the details of his career at OPB. Connected Careers-Broadcasting, Outdoor, Film Production/Editing, Non-Profits

SAVE THE DATE! PPS CLIMATE CAREERS SUMMIT, Wednesday, 12/2, 10AM-12PM

Pre-registration required @ [Climate Careers](#)



Join us online on Wednesday, December 2 from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Learn about careers that
build a brighter climate future!



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2030**
BUILDING A BRIGHTER CLIMATE FUTURE

OTHER CAREER LEARNING EVENTS OPEN TO PORTLAND AREA STUDENTS

Pre-registration required. Click on date.

Tuesday, 11/10 (2 pm): PWA ZGF Architects Career Day, an immersive experience with a hands-on virtual design charrette. Hear from diverse and caring architects about their college-and-career paths toward designing buildings and making beautiful, inspiring, functional space. (about 2.5 hrs).

Thursday, 11/12 (2 pm): PWA Wieden+Kennedy Career Talk (40-45 min). In this casual conversation with Q&A, hear what it's like to work at one of the world's top advertising agencies and how to get started in a creative career.

Monday, 11/16 (2 pm): PWA KGW News Career Talk (40-45 min). Go behind the scenes at one of the Northwest's leading TV news stations and hear about news, marketing, sales, digital media and more.

BODECKER FOUNDATION VIRTUAL WORKSHOPS

Pre-registration required; first-come, first served.

HOMA with Spencer Garland / BRENDA ARTS

Meets Mondays and Weds 4-5:30pm | November 30, December 2, 7, 9, 14, 16

In this workshop, students will learn about museums and power structures within the art world through a survey of contemporary Black artists and exhibitions. We'll create modern art collections in our homes by way of building original work and using digital video to curate and share our HOMA collections. Using online platforms to explore and exchange ideas, images, and information we'll define our own aesthetics and create personal canons outside the constraints of formal institutions. [REGISTER HERE.](#)

About the Facilitator: Spencer Garland's style has been described as *Afrofutrominimalist*. He aims to create new Black narratives, pulling aesthetics from the cultural zeitgeist combining everything from Michel Gondry-esque tactile props, to African American iconography and Japanese street fashion. Spencer Garland is the founder of BRENDA ARTS, a film program geared for BIPOC youth that involves film history, media literacy and production.

[**Surviving Isolation: Zine Making in the Time of Remote Learning with Inés Paulina Ramírez**](#)

Meets Tuesdays and Thursdays 4-5:30pm | December 1, 3, 8, 10, 15, 17

In an era of remote learning, how do we stay creatively connected to our friends, our school communities, and the experience of being a high schooler in 2020? This workshop offers students the opportunity to use multiple forms of creative expression to document and connect with each other at the intersection of COVID 19, racial justice protests, and a highly polarized election. Students will journal, draw, collage and compile playlists in order to create and share an original zine that encapsulates this moment in time. [REGISTER HERE.](#)

About the Facilitator: Inés Paulina Ramírez is a multidisciplinary artist based in Portland, OR. Her work has traveled between Mexico, the United States and Ecuador. Her videos, performances, publications, community murals, graphics and installations have been presented at the House of Culture Santa Clara, Cuba; the Museum of Modern Art, Cuenca, Ecuador; the Anthropological Museum of Contemporary Art, Guayaquil, Ecuador; and Proceso Contemporary Art Gallery, Cuenca-Ecuador. She is a current fellow of the IPRC Artists & Writers in Residence Program.

[**2020-2021 INTERNSHIP & MENTORING PROGRAMS NOW RECRUITING**](#)

Architecture, Construction & Engineering (ACE) Information Session Tuesday, 11/10, 4:30-5:30PM

Juniors & Seniors! Are you interested in Architecture, Construction and Engineering? Don't miss this chance to learn more about how to gain hands on experience, build your network, and compete for scholarship money. Last year, \$72,000 in scholarships was awarded. This no cost after-school program will meet virtually from January-May 2021 and gives you the opportunity to work directly with practicing professionals in ACE fields. [Click HERE to Register for this Information Session](#)

ACE Application Deadline (Please see above information session) Friday, 11/20, 5:00PM

Please complete the 2-part application.

1. [Oregon application](#) (updated link)
2. [National registration](#) (students new to ACE scroll down to create an account)

For more information: acementoroforegon.com/students

Ted R. Lilley CURE Summer Internship Program

The OHSU Knight Cancer Institute is proud to announce that the Application for the 2021 Ted R. Lilley CURE summer internship program is now open. CURE is an 8-week paid internship program at the Knight Cancer Institute, focusing on Portland-area high school students who excel academically and come from socially or economically disadvantaged backgrounds. The

goal of CURE is to address the issue of health equity by increasing participation of underserved and underrepresented minorities in biomedical research and other health-related fields.

For program information plus the link to the online application:

<https://www.ohsu.edu/center-for-diversity-inclusion/ted-r-lilley-cure-program>. **Applications are due by December 18, 2020.**

The Partnership for Scientific Inquiry (PSI) Now Accepting Applications for 2021

Attention Sophomores and Juniors! The PSI Program introduces high school students to the scientific process, encourages student participation in science competitions, and fosters a relationship between researchers and the local community. Program participants meet Tuesdays from 6:00-8:00 p.m. (February-May) for a lecture series and to learn about ongoing research projects conducted by scientists at Oregon Health & Science University. Each student will be mentored by a researcher and gain firsthand knowledge of research methods, and, with their mentor's help, will present a published research article in journal club format and develop their own research proposal. Please note: no guarantee of summer internship due to COVID restrictions. Interested students should discuss the possibility of applying with their school counselor. Students must submit an application and arrange for one letter of recommendation sent by the **application deadline of December 21, 2020**. For program details and application, visit: <https://www.psiprogramohsu.com/>

Get Connected to Invention Bootcamp 2021

Invention Bootcamp is a free four-week summer camp that offers an authentic, pre-college experience at Portland State University designed to inspire high school students in historically underserved and underrepresented populations to go to college, pursue STEM careers, and be inspired to become inventors! The application for the 2021 camp has not opened yet. Students who would like to apply should [fill out an interest form](#) to receive reminders for next year's application once open (in late fall).

TOOLS TO EXPLORE COLLEGE AND CAREER FROM HOME

****New Resource this Year: MaiaLearning (Replaces Naviance)**

MaiaLearning is a college and career readiness platform that allows students to develop profiles, explore careers that fit those profiles, and build academic, college, and career plans, and manage the college application process.

LOGGING IN

1. Go to [MaiaLearning](#)
2. In the top right corner click Log In
3. Click the "Sign in with Google" and **enter your PPS user name and password**

For an overview of MaiaLearning, watch this [video](#)!

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