Welcome To Oregon Tech!

Online Orientation

Your Guide to taking flight as a Hustlin' Owl



Starting in Fall Term? Join Us at NSO!

Sign Up Online at oit.edu/orientation!



Contact Information Website: <u>www.oit.edu/orientation</u> Phone: 541-885-1392 Email: <u>orientation@oit.edu</u>

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Winter & Spring New Students

Meal with a Mentor

Orientation is your chance to learn about the wide array of resources available to you as a student. Our team of student Orientation Mentors are excited to welcome you personally to the Klamath Falls campus over a complimentary meal to share their insights with you about Oregon Tech, academic success, and campus involvement.

Orientation Meet & Greet

A special reception hosted by the division of Student Affairs where you can meet the Directors and learn about the areas of involvement and support at Oregon Tech.

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What you will find...







Meet the Dean!

An introduction presented by Dr. Erin Foley, Dean of Students & Vice President of Student Affairs, with all of the information that you need to know on student success at Oregon Tech.

Discover Resources!

Learn about all the resources that Oregon Tech has to offer to assist you along your collegiate journey.

Get Involved!

A guide to all involvement areas including Campus Life, Clubs & Organizations, Leadership & Service, Student Programs, Residence Life, and more!

Meet the Dean of Students

Watch the Meet the Dean video on <u>oit.edu/orientation</u>!

Erin M. Foley, Ph.D. Vice President for Student Affairs Dean of Students



Campus Resources

Student Affairs Mission Statement:

Student Affairs affirms the university mission by enhancing Oregon Tech's dynamic learning community through opportunities for access, development, and success. Student Affairs departments collaborate with students, faculty, staff, and external constituents to promote engagement, encourage holistic wellness, and support persistence to graduation, as well as the realization of educational and professional aspirations for students and alumni.



Admissions

When you contact the Office of Admissions at Oregon Tech, we'll answer all your questions and help you understand why Oregon Tech students are so very successful. We can share with you how externships, collegiate sport programs, academic support services, and many other "beyond the classroom experiences" are available to enhance the work you do within your discipline.

From enrollment, to graduate studies on both our Klamath Falls & Wilsonville campuses, or online, we can provide you with the resources and contacts that you need!

Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/admissions</u> Phone: 541-885-1150 Email: <u>oit@oit.edu</u>





Athletics



As a member of the NAIA, Oregon Tech offers a variety of Men's & Women's Sports.

The athletic center also offers a gym for students to use, and paid positions for students wanting to be a part of the athletic office team.

There are also a variety of intramural leagues that are open to everyone.

Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/athletics</u> Phone: 541-885-1624 Email: <u>athleticsmainline@oit.edu</u>



Financial Aid

The Financial Aid Office is committed to providing high-quality service to all students, their families, and the community. As part of that commitment, the office strives to provide information that is accurate, easy to understand, and enables students to make decisions regarding educational funding.



The Financial Aid Office can also assist with scholarships, work study, and any questions one may have about paying for college.

Contact Information Website: <u>www.oit.edu/faid</u> Phone: 541-885-1076 Email: <u>dollars@oit.edu</u>



Campus Bookstore: Tech Nest



The Oregon Tech Bookstore offers school spirit attire, school supplies, books needed for classes, and more.

Located in the downstairs portion of the CU, The Tech Nest also offers paid positions, as well as a price match program for the textbooks offered.

Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/bookstore</u> Phone: 541-885-1050 Email: <u>oregontech@bkstr.com</u>



Campus Life

Campus Life supports student involvement and growth through a variety of resources and programs, including:

- Student Organizations (Campus Clubs & Student Programs)
- Events & Activities
- Diversity Programming
- International Student Services/Support
- Community Service opportunities (Volunteer Owls)
- Leadership Development (The Leadership Academy)

Our goal is to inspire students to discover their unique place in our world.

Contact Information

- Website: <u>www.oit.edu/campuslife</u>
- Phone: 541-885-1827
- Email: campuslife@oit.edu







Campus Safety

The Campus Safety department administers the university's security and parking programs. The department promotes security on the Oregon Tech campus through emergency and non-emergency response services, problem solving, and enforcement of appropriate laws, rules, and regulations.

Campus Safety also provides:

- Crime Prevention/Safety Information
- Parking Services
- Special Event Assistance
- "Night Ride" Program: Officers are available to escort individuals on campus to vehicles, buildings or the Residence Hall.
- <u>Student Auxiliary Safety Patrol</u>: SASP employees act as an additional level of safety for the campus. Patrols raise the visibility of Campus Safety and increase security on campus.

Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/safety</u> Phone: 541-885-1111 Email: edward.daniels@oit.edu



Parking on Campus

Parking Permits may be purchased online or at the Cashier's Office

- Resident & Commuter (off campus) Student Permit
- Additional Vehicle Fee- \$10.00 for up to 3 vehicles (including motorcycles) on one permit
- Please thoroughly read the <u>Vehicle & Parking Regulations</u> before coming to campus to ensure a positive parking experience



Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/safety</u> Phone: 541-885-1111 Email: <u>edward.daniels@oit.edu</u>



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Cashier's Office



Located in Snell Hall the Cashier's Office allows students to pay for and pickup parking permits, pay tuition & fees, and signup for the 3 payment Revolving Charge Agreement.

Oregon Tech students receive discounts at many local businesses in Klamath Falls. Stop by the Cashier's Office to get your <u>current term sticker</u> to make sure you can access all of these amazing offers.

A schedule of their hours can be found on the Oregon Tech Website.

Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/cashier</u> Phone: 541-885-1202 Email: <u>cashier@oit.edu</u>



College Union

Commonly referred to as the CU, the College Union houses the Admissions Office, Financial Aid Office, Campus Life, The Tech Nest Bookstore, On-Campus Dining Services, and Student Affairs.

The CU is a two-story structure that allows students a space to study, relax, or meet up with friends, and is home to many on-campus events.

The CU offers a variety of services to all students including:

- Meeting rooms & study areas
- Getting your Oregon Tech ID Card
- Free foosball, table tennis, shuffle board and air hockey
- TV lounge area
- Lost and Found
- And more!

Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/collegeunion</u> Phone: 541-885-1030 Email: <u>shellie.wilson@oit.edu</u>



Dining Services



By protecting and improving our environment, the communities where we do business and the students we serve, Sodexo makes every day a better day and every tomorrow a better tomorrow.

Sodexo offers a variety of meals available in the Oregon Tech Marketplace, catering services are also a possibility for special events on campus.

The Oregon Tech Dining Services office can be found in the upstairs CU.

Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.sodexomyway.com</u> Phone: 541-885-1076 Email: <u>Steven.Kappler@sodexo.com</u>



Housing & Residence Life

This office strives to build an on-campus community that promotes academic success and fosters personal growth. The Residence Life program is designed to augment the formal experience of the classroom and laboratory, while providing opportunities for residents to meet others from diverse backgrounds and cultures, and to develop a sense of community within the Residence Halls.

Connect by living on campus. Living on campus is a great way to make life-long friends, meet people from diverse backgrounds and cultures, participate in campus activities, and develop a close-knit community with peers. Students have the option to live in either the Residence Hall or the Village for Sustainable Living. Trained Resident Advisors and Student Success Mentors assist residents with personal and academic needs.

Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/housing</u> Phone: 541-885-1094 Email: <u>housing@oit.edu</u>



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Library

- Access to journals, articles, and books (online and onsite)
- Help with use and citing sources
- Librarians and staff are available to assist you onsite and online
- Study rooms and areas for groups
- Video tutorials



Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/libraries</u> Phone: 541-885-1772 Email: <u>libtech@oit.edu</u>



Registrar's Office

Located in Snell Hall, the Registrar's Office helps students register for classes, transcript processing, and assists with graduation.



Contact Information

Website: www.oit.edu/registrar

- Phone: 541-885-1300
- Email: <u>wendy.ivie@oit.edu</u>



Retention

The goal of the retention office is to ensure that students continue in their academic journey at Oregon Tech, and feel comfortable within its community while doing so.

Some of the Retention Office's initiatives for Oregon Tech students include:

- -The ROCK
- -Owl2Owl text messaging
- -ACAD classes

Contact Information Retention Office, Boivin 102 Phone: 541-885-1646 Email: <u>Barb.Conner@oit.edu</u>



Land on THE ROCK

-All first-time freshmen at Oregon Tech have an assigned Academic Specialist at The ROCK that they will meet with throughout their first year.

> -ROCK Specialists provide individualized support, adapted to each student they meet with. Every freshmen has different

> academic struggles, whether it's getting those straight A's or figuring out how to adapt to college life the ROCK is here to help!

The ROCK, Boivin 102 Phone: 541.851.5267 Email: Lindsey.Davis@oit.edu



Owl2Owl Texting



- -Owl2Owl is an open line of communication between you and a fellow student via texts. We will text you once a week to check in and all you have to do is text back. We will be there for you to answer questions, help you find support if needed, and cheer you on through your successes.
- -All students can opt-in to Owl2Owl texting
- -After their freshman year, all ROCK students will automatically become part of Owl2Owl

Owl2Owl Website: <u>www.oit.edu/owl2owl</u> Phone: 541-885-1276 Email: <u>Paul.Zaiger@oit.edu</u>





-Academic Success Classes, called ACAD classes, are available in many formats, including classes for transfer and veteran students.

-ACAD classes were created to help students acclimate to their learning environments in order to boost success.

Retention Office, Boivin 102 Phone: 541-885-1646 Email: <u>Barb.Conner@oit.edu</u>



Student Success Center



Career Services

To provide the best service possible to students, employers, faculty and alumni, Career Services coordinates programming related to student employment and graduate success.

Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/ssc</u> Phone: 541-885-5179 Email Each Service Directly

> career@oit.edu access@oit.edu peerconsulting@oit.edu testing@oit.edu top@oit.edu



Disability Services

Coordinates academic adjustments and aid for students with disabilities (visual/ hearing/ mobility/ learning & psychological disabilities/ chronic health conditions/other). The DS program also assists in the modification of classroom, laboratory, on-campus housing and University program modifications, & access to adaptive and assistive technology.



Testing Services

Serves the Oregon Tech community for all testing needs with trained student proctors as well as providing a secure, quiet testing center. Services include; make- up testing, early-take testing, Reduced Distraction rooms, and secure online testing.





Peer Consulting

Free service! Provides assistance in all areas, majors, and courses for students by students. Peer Consulting reinforces what you are learning in your classes, fosters your sense of community and strengthens intercultural communication. Peer Consulting helps empower you to become successful in your academic career and reach your graduation goal.



Tech Opportunities Program

The (TOP) provides academic and personal support to Oregon Tech students who are low income/ first generation/ students with disabilities. Students must also have academic need and be enrolled in a bachelor's degree granting program at the Klamath Falls campus.

Safe Campus

Safe Campus is a shared vision and a collaborative effort by Oregon Tech's administrators, faculty, and students. The Oregon Tech community has a right to a safe campus that is free of discrimination and violence. While our focus is on academic achievement, building and supporting an inclusive community that encourages personal growth and mutual awareness is a top priority.

Through campaigns and the provision of resources, safe campus aims to provide an environment in which all students feel safe and comfortable, regardless of gender, sexual orientation, religion, or race.

Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/safecampus</u> Phone: 541-885-1111 Email: <u>safety@oit.edu</u>

Safe Campus Reporting Form

https://oit.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_6kQzMoflfbHfF1H

Sexual Assault Hotline Phone: 541-891-0648



Integrated Student Health Center

The Integrated Student Health Center, located at the main campus in Klamath Falls, provides general medical care for illnesses, accidents, medical referral, counseling, and wellness programs.

The ISHC Goals:

- Provide affordable, quality health care for all students
- Teach students how to be educated health care consumers
- Promote prevention, wellness, and fitness

Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/health</u> Phone: 541-885-1800 Email: <u>health@oit.edu</u>



Integrated Student Health Center



Located near The Village apartments on campus in Klamath Falls, ISHC provides general medical care for illnesses and accidents, counseling and wellness programs.

Students who register for 6 or more on-campus credits automatically pay the Student Health Fee which allows them to utilize ISHC services at no cost – no copays, no insurance needed. Certain procedures (immunizations, blood draws, labs) may incur a small fee.

Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/health</u> Phone: 541-885-1800 Email: <u>health@oit.edu</u> Health promotion efforts encourage students to "Choose Well", and offer resources so students can make informed decisions, as well as providing free promotional items.



International Students

We Serve our students through advising, immigration services, advocacy and outreach. Our professionally trained staff help students understand the benefits and restriction of F-1 visa status.

We provide knowledgeable and empathetic advice to students including general regulatory information, procedures of federal regulations, and university policies.

Our mission is to provide support to Oregon Tech international students so they may reach their educational goals and to create an environment that encourages a successful educational, as well as personal and professional experience.

> Contact Information Website: <u>www.oit.edu/campus-life/international</u> Phone: 541-885-1392 Email: <u>international@oit.edu</u>





More Resources To Remember

- Annual Scholarships Available
- Community Discounts
- Discounted Bus Pass
- Free Meals at Events
- Free Student Planner
- Online Campus Calendar
- TVs Display Events & Announcements
- Work on Campus

Find Out More at www.oit.edu/OWLalerts





Get Involved!

Oregon Tech is a dynamic campus community. A uniquely engaging living and learning environment, where students not only get an education, they get involved on campus. Oregon Tech offers a full array of campus activities and events such as concerts and comedians, intercollegiate, intramural, and club sports, and more than 40 student clubs. Check out the options here and discover ways that you can get involved!



Campus Clubs

There are approximately 50 clubs active on campus each term. It's easy to start a new club, so if you don't find what you are looking for, contact Campus Life for help on how to get your club going! Clubs fall into one of the following categories:

- Academic/Professional
- Cultural
- Greek Life
- Recreational/Sports

- Religious/Spiritual
- Service
- Social

Campus clubs are open to any and all students, and clubs work together to support <u>service</u> <u>learning</u> by participating in a variety of community service projects at home and abroad.

A list of clubs can be found online at <u>www.oit.edu/clubs</u> and on the Oregon Tech app.

Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/campuslife</u>

Phone: 541-885-1829

Email: campuslife@oit.edu



Student Programs

10 Student Programs operate under Campus Life. The Student Programs help to support outreach and resources to specific students on campus, and most have their own office space, paid student leader positions, and budgets to help achieve their goals. They include:

- ASOIT (Student Government)
- Campus Activities Board
- Diversity Center
- KTEC 89.5FM (Radio)
- New Student Orientation

- OTB (Oregon Tech Broadcasting)
- RHA (Res Hall Association)
- Student Veterans Program
- The Edge (Student Newspaper)
- Women's Resource Center

More information on the Student Programs can be found at <u>www.oit.edu/studentprograms</u>.

Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/campuslife</u>

Phone: 541-885-1829

Email: campuslife@oit.edu



Associated Students of OIT

The purpose of the ASOIT is to supplement the social, cultural, physical, and educational interests of its members and to represent the individual and collective interests of the students of Oregon Tech. The membership consists of all admitted students at Oregon Institute of Technology currently holding a valid student body card.

ASOIT general meetings are open to any student, campus clubs, and organizations. These take place at 5:00pm two Mondays per month during the regular school year. Check the ASOIT website for dates.



Campus Activities Board (CAB)



Campus Activities Board is the Student Program dedicated to creating memorable and diverse AOE (activities, opportunities, and entertainment) for social interaction for all Oregon Tech students.

A broad array of events have been offered to students including hypnotist shows, comedians, student talent shows, the Music Garden (an annual music festival), and homecoming week.

Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/cab</u> Phone: 541-885-1829 Email: <u>cab@oit.edu</u>



The DC is committed to fostering a safe and welcoming campus for all students, faculty, and staff by increasing understanding, sensitivity and, awareness to diversity.

The DC supports these efforts by coordinating programs such as cultural hours, special events, discussions, films, and other educational programs.

The DC student lounge provides a comfortable atmosphere where students can gather as well as study. Student-use computers, internet access, a large screen TV, kitchen, and social area are available. Everyone is welcome.

Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/diversity</u> Phone: 541-885-1829 Email: <u>campuslife@oit.edu</u>



Diversity Center


KTEC (89.5 FM) Radio

KTEC is a student-operated free form radio station, broadcasting 24-7, 365 days a year. Reaching all corners of the Klamath Basin, anyone with a passion for radio can become a DJ, hosting their very own show.

Our mission at KTEC is to serve both Oregon Tech and the Klamath Falls community with alternative programming. Our broadcasting agenda is designed to serve the public interest, and our free-form programming platform provides our DJ 's the freedom to share what they love with the world.



New Student Orientation



The mission of NSO is to empower incoming Oregon Tech students by providing opportunities and experiences which are designed to:

- Integrate students with the campus community
- Equip new students with resources and areas of support
- · Connect with their fellow students
- Facilitate transition and foster success in collaboration with other campus departments and Week of Welcome programs



Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/orientation</u> Phone: 541-885-1829 Email: <u>orientation@oit.edu</u>



Oregon Tech Broadcasting (OTB)



Oregon Tech Broadcasting produces weekly videos that are written, acted, performed, and edited by students like you. You can come on by the studio any time the door's open and tap into the energy that is OTB.

In LRC250, OTB can provide open studio space, as well as digital production equipment and expertise to all students.

Members of OTB can also be found around campus and at events documenting the Oregon Tech experience. And remember:

who digs OTB is OTB.

Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/otb</u> <u>www.youtube.com/OTBroadcasting</u> Phone: 541-885-0682 Email: <u>otb@oit.edu</u>





Residence Hall Association (RHA)

Each student living on campus is a member of the Residence Hall Association (RHA). This organization works with the Residence Life staff to promote, organize, coordinate, and implement programming during the academic year. RHA sponsors everything from "Spring Fling" to movie nights. The RHA is funded in part through incidental fees and belongs to the residents.

RHA hosts monthly meetings and the board is elected every spring.

Contact Information Website: <u>www.oit.edu/housing</u> Phone: 541-885-1094 Email: housing@oit.edu



Student Veterans Programs (SVP)

The members of the SVP are dedicated to satisfying the needs of any veteran of the Oregon Tech and KCC community during and after their time as a student, staff, or faculty. With the direction of the elected officers of SVP,



the support of KCC Veterans Club, and the assistance of the Campus Veterans Service Officer (CVSO), the SVP shall reach out to the greater Oregon Tech and Klamath community and seek ways of building friendships and partnerships that are based on the same honor, duty, loyalty, and selfless service instilled in all veterans. The SVP hosts the veterans lounge, a refuge for veterans to enjoy the company of other veterans and their dependents.

> Contact Information Website: <u>www.oit.edu/svp</u> Phone: 541-851-5768 Email: <u>veterans@oit.edu</u> Location: CU 111_C (by KTEC)

The Edge (Newspaper)

The Oregon Tech newspaper, The Edge, is a digital news paper which allows students to publish editorial works pertaining to their specific interests.

Students can become volunteer writers, photographers, or editors and help create this weekly news source. Paid positions are available.

Contact Information Website: <u>www.ottheedge.com</u> Phone: 541-885-1829 Email: <u>campuslife@oit.edu</u> Oregon TECH



Women's Resource Center

Community
Discovery
Empowerment
Education
Support

The WRC is dedicated to enhancing students' educational experience by promoting self-discovery, community, empowerment, and leadership skills.

And to create an environment where lasting relationships can be encouraged and women on campus can come to relax and feel welcomed.

Our purpose is to help women on campus connect, learn, and grow while raising awareness to important issues and amazing achievements of women.









Contact Information

Website: www.oit.edu/womenConnect: https://www.facebook.com/OITWRC/Phone: 541-885-1067

Oregon **TECH**

Email: women@oit.edu

Other Ways to Get Involved!

Between the Campus Clubs, Student Programs and the various volunteer opportunities available on campus, there is bound to be something for everyone here at Oregon Tech.

Campus Rivalry Cup Games

Each team students and employees compete for bragging rights & the CRC Trophy.

> Fall- Flag Football Winter- Basketball Spring- Volleyball/ Soccer Summer- Softball



Remember, if you don't find the club you are looking for, please come to the Campus Life office and we'll tell you how to start your own club!

Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/campuslife</u> Phone: 541-885-1829 Email: <u>campuslife@oit.edu</u>



Get Outside with the Outdoor Program



The Outdoor Program (OP) provides an opportunity to participate in various outdoor activities planned for student enjoyment.

The OP also provides students with the chance to check out various sporting and outdoors equipment at discounted rates.

Contact Information

Website: <u>www.oit.edu/op</u> Phone: 541-885-1834 Email: <u>op@oit.edu</u>





Leadership Academy

The Oregon Tech Leadership Academy is a program for students who want to learn more about effective leadership, teamwork, and goals. The program enables students to showcase how they develop skills academically, professionally, and socially.

Students receive training in the following areas:

CommunicationProfessional DevelopmentConnection & OutreachTeamwork & ServiceDiverse PerspectivesWellness

Contact Information

Website: www.oit.edu/leadershipacademy Phone: 541-885-1829 Email: campuslife@oit.edu

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Volunteer Owls

Provides community service & volunteer opportunities to Oregon Tech

- Monthly Local Volunteering Projects
- Alternative Spring Break Service Trip
- Summer Service Trips







Contact Information Website: <u>www.oit.edu/communityservice</u> Phone: 541-885-1829

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Email: <u>volunteers@oit.edu</u>

Family Weekend

- Open to all Oregon Tech students, parents, siblings, faculty/staff, & families
- Held each November on the Klamath Falls Campus
- Families are invited to visit & see the campus
- Enjoy festive activities including Hootie's Hillish 5k, Athletic Events, Casino Royale, Pumpkin Launch, & more!



Want to be in the know? Get connected with the Oregon Tech App!



Search "Oregon Tech" & look for the Hootie icon then choose your campus- Klamath Falls or Wilsonville



Don't Have a Compatible Smart Phone? All information is available on the Oregon Tech website! Website: www.oit.edu/owlalerts Email: student.affairs@oit.edu



Next Steps

Attend a New Wings Registration Event

- All newly admitted students beginning Fall Term
- Find out more at <u>oit.edu/new-wings</u>
- Winter & Spring new & transfer students contact the Registrar's Office at 541-885-1300 or email <u>wendy.ivie@oit.edu</u>.

Attend New Student Orientation

- Fall Program- Thursday- Sunday the week before Fall Term
- Winter & Spring Meet & Greet and Meal with a Mentor
- Find out more at oit.edu/orientation

Online Orientation

- All new & transfer students will be enrolled into the Online Orientation class on Blackboard
- You will find trainings on many aspects of life at Oregon Tech
- Refer back to these resources while you are student for support along the way!

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Remember to Land on THE ROCK

Go to THE ROCK in Boivin 102 to meet your personal ROCK specialist! -ROCK Specialists provide individuality

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The ROCK, Boivin 102 Phone: 541.851.5267 Email: Lindsey.Davis@oit.edu

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Contact <u>orientation@oit.edu</u> or stop by the Campus Life office in College Union 108.