



# PFLA

Professional Faculty Leadership Association

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## Innovative Leadership and the Drive to the Top

Please join us Wednesday, February 7, 2007 when we will be joined by Ron Adams, Dean of the College of Engineering. Ron will share his perspective on innovative leadership and the drive to the top.

Ron brings a unique blend of business and academic experience to his position as dean of Engineering at OSU. After a 14-year "leave of absence" at Tektronix, where he served as R&D manager of the Color Printing and Imaging Division and vice president of technology, he returned to his Alma Mater. Since then his leadership, vision, and teamwork have been helping to build the OSU College of Engineering into one of the nation's top engineering institutions. Under his direction, the college has been attracting top students in record numbers, unprecedented levels of research funding, and outstanding faculty who are bringing state-of-the-art research and teaching to the college.

Prior to his career in industry, Adams had established a successful academic career in mechanical engineering, completing his B.S. at OSU, M.S. at MIT, and Ph.D. at OSU. He also served three years in the U.S. Air Force Space and Missile Systems Organization and two years at MIT's prestigious Lincoln Lab.

## January Recap

Jennifer Hall

At our January monthly meeting we were joined by Jackie Balzer, Dean of Student Life, Dan Schwab, Director of Student Conduct and Paulette Ratchford, Director of Public Safety.

We had an interesting and interactive conversation about dealing with distressed and disturbed students on campus. We also learned about various services available to us on campus to help us when we interact with these students and when and who to call for help when the need arises.

## Everyone Needs a Hero

Nominate someone today to receive the Our Heroes award. Heroes come in all shapes and sizes and not all are members of PFLA. To nominate someone for the award, simply go to the PFLA website and fill out the nomination form.

## Upcoming Opportunities

**February 7, 2007**

**Innovative Leadership: The Drive to the Top.** Presented by Ron Adams  
12:00-1:00 Marketplace West Conf. Room

**February 21, 2007**

**Beyond Coaching, Facilitating Employee Success Through the Disciplinary Process.** Presented by Jerry Hemmer and Deb Fernandez  
8:30-11:30  
Strand Ag 238  
RSVP to Cheryl.Lyons@oregonstate.edu  
PFLA Members only - Join today!

**March 7, 2007**

**Balancing Work and Family.** Presented by Luanne Lawrence, Kavinda Arthenayake and Larry Roper  
12:00-1:00 Marketplace West Conf. Room



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