

**OREGON PUBLIC BROADCASTING**  
**Radio Quarterly Issues/Programs List**

**January 2020**  
**For Quarter 2019**

Below is a listing of some of the significant issues raised by the Oregon Public Broadcasting radio network of KOAC-AM Corvallis, KOPB-FM Portland, KOAB-FM Bend, KRBM-FM Pendleton, KOAP-FM Lakeview, KTVR-FM La Grande, KOBK-FM Baker City, KTMK Tillamook-FM, KOPB-AM Eugene, KOGL-FM Gleneden Beach, KOTD-FM The Dalles, KOBN-FM Burns, KOAC-FM Astoria, KHRV-FM, Hood River, KETP-FM Enterprise, and KOJD-FM John Day along with the specific programming treatment of these issues for the period **October 1 – December 31, 2019**. The listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

**ISSUE TOPICS**

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| <p><b>Aging and Retirement</b><br/> <b>Agriculture and Environment</b><br/> <b>Arts and Entertainment</b><br/> <b>Business, Economics and Finance</b><br/> <b>Crime and Law Enforcement</b></p> | <p><b>Education</b><br/> <b>Immigration and Refugees</b><br/> <b>Medicine and Health</b><br/> <b>Military, War and Veterans</b><br/> <b>Politics and Government</b></p> | <p><b>Race, Identity and Culture</b><br/> <b>Religion</b><br/> <b>Science and Technology</b></p> |
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**AGING AND RETIREMENT**

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
All Things Considered	10/3/19	3-6p	5:47	Finding affordable senior housing is a challenge for many Americans. Here's why.
All Things Considered	10/6/19	5-6p	4:31	Working past retirement age.
Weekend Edition -Sat	11/30/19	5-10a	3:56	The White House says nursing home regulations are too tough.

**AGRICULTURE AND ENVIRONMENT**

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
OPB Newscast – ME	10/4/19	704-707a	0:51	Deschutes River conservation plan seeks slow change.
All Things Considered	10/15/19	3-6p	3:39	Pacific Northwest tribes face climate change with agricultural ancient practice.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/30/19	804-807a	0:47	New fisher agreements boost conservation on 2 million acres in Oregon.
Think Out Loud	11/5/19	12-1p	11:38	OSU scientists lead urgent climate change warning.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/28/19	804-807a	0:50	Oregon plant may be removed from Endangered Species List.
OPB Newscast – ATC	12/3/19	504-506p	0:50	Oregon Dept. of Forestry releases draft plan for managing Westside forests.
Think Out Loud	12/9/19	12-1p	19:26	The future of dams.
OPB Newscast – ATC	12/25/19	404-406p	0:49	Oregon DEQ develops new low-cost air quality monitor.

**ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT**

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
Think Out Loud	10/10/10	12-1p	15:56	Moonlight Sonata: Deafness in three movements.
Think Out Loud	10/14/19	12-1p	23:18	Native American play at Oregon Shakespeare Festival.
Think Out Loud	10/31/19	12-1p	12:15	Portland band The Slants is retiring.
Think Out Loud	11/6/19	12-1p	29:41	Documentary looks t Vietnamese nail salon industry.
1A	11/26/19	10-11p	53:29	1A Movie Club: 'A Beautiful Day In The Neighborhood'.
Weekend Edition – Sun.	12/8/19	5-10a	4:56	Class warfare in 2019 movies.

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**BUSINESS, ECONOMICS AND FINANCE**

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
Think Out Loud	10/7/19	12-1p	14:41	Chown Hardware
The Daily	10/30/19	630-7p	29:55	What Boeing knew.
Think Out Loud	11/1/19	12-1p	9:45	Longtime Columbia Sportswear leader Gert Boyle dies at 95.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/5/19	704-707a	0:49	Northwest family farm bankruptcies increase.
Think Out Loud	11/13/19	12-1p	12:59	Willamette Falls paper company.
Reveal	11/26/19	10-11p	51:03	Amazon: Behind the smiles.
All Things Considered	12/6/19	3-6p	3:43	Job market surges as employers add 266,000 jobs in November.
All Things Considered	12/11/19	3-6p	3:17	Federal workers poised to get 12 weeks of paid parental leave.

**CRIME AND LAW ENFORCEMENT**

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
Think Out Loud	10/1/19	12-1p	23:39	Black Lives Matter activists weigh in on Portland Police.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/7/19	704-707a	0:53	SCOTUS takes up case that could end non-unanimous juries in Oregon.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/25/19	704-707a	0:46	Oregon memo says Madras Public Defense Group manipulated caseload, concealed dysfunction.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/1/19	804-806p	0:49	Federal judge ends lawsuits against Oregon State Hospital.
OPB Newscast – ATC	11/22/19	404-406p	0:50	Portland officials zero in on new program for 911 calls involving people experiencing homelessness.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/25/19	704-707a	0:47	Oregon Supreme Court bans police officers from asking random questions during traffic stops.
OPB Newscast – ME	12/2/19	704-707a	0:54	Oregon traffic stop data show largest disparity at Portland, Hillsboro police.
Reveal	12/10/19	10-11p	51:02	When tasers fail.
On The Media	12/16/19	10-11p	53:57	Body of Law: Beyond Roe.
OPB Newscast – ATC	12/26/19	404-406p	0:47	Gresham Police bring on newest staffer: a comfort dog.

**EDUCATION**

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
Think Out Loud	10/2/19	12-1p	10:02	Changing roles of Oregon school librarians.
Think Out Loud	10/8/19	12-1p	16:33	Teaching social studies in the age of Trump.
Think Out Loud	10/15/19	12-1p	15:45	Recovery High School opens in Lake Oswego.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/18/19	804-807a	0:46	Oregon Attorney General requests student loan forgiveness extension for closed schools.
OPB Newscast - ATC	11/11/19	404-406p	0:44	Corvallis School Board to accept resignation of anti-cop board member.
OPB Newscast – WE Sun	11/17/19	704-707a	0:54	Report reveals discrimination complaints against former Clark College president.
OPB Newscast – ATC	12/3/19	404-406p	0:48	Outraged Beaverton parents question district’s ‘final’ decision to close middle grade program.
Think Out Loud	12/16/19	12-1p	15:11	David Douglas music program.
OPB Newscast – ME	12/19/19	804-807a	0:47	As school hate incidents continue, Portland Public Schools has a plan.

**IMMIGRATION AND REFUGEES**

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
Think Out Loud	10/4/19	12-1p	15:17	How ICE picks its targets.

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All Things Considered	10/10/19	3-6p	8:12	How the Trump Administration uses ‘workarounds’ to reshape legal immigration.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/16/19	804-897a	0:45	US DOJ Finds Woodburn School District discriminated against immigrant job applicant.
Morning Edition	11/7/19	5-9a	4:44	Searching for ‘common ground’ on DACA.
1A	11/12/19	9-10p	23:59	DACA goes to the Supreme Court.
OPB Newscast – ATC	11/15/19	404-4-6p	0:51	Oregon Supreme Court Justice bars warrantless ICE courthouse arrests.
Philosophy Talk	11/21/19	10-11p	53:00	Sanctuary cities.
OPB Newscast – ATC	11/27/19	804-807a	0:48	Preliminary injunction issued against Trump’s health care mandate for immigrants.

**MEDICINE AND HEALTH**

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
Morning Edition	10/7/19	5-9a	2:17	Virus linked to mysterious disease the weakens children’s limbs.
Morning Edition	10/21/19	5-9a	2:19	Low blood sugar levels may help keep Alzheimer’s at bay.
Philosophy Talk	10/31/19	10-11p	53:00	The limits of medical consent.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/1/19	704-707a	0:45	Multnomah County whopping cough cases almost double since last year.
Think Out Loud	11/14/19	12-1p	15:47	What do premature birth rates mean?
OPB Newscast – ATC	11/20/19	404-406p	0:42	Mental illness treatment is limited and faces imminent risks.
The Daily	12/2/19	630-7p	29:55	Why so many hospitals are using their patients.
Weekend Edition – Sun.	12/8/19	5-10a	5:00	What’s behind decreased life expectancy in the U.S.
Weekend Edition – Sun.	12/15/19	5-10a	4:53	The health of the Affordable Care Act.
All Things Considered	12/23/19	3-6p	2:24	New report shows that an alarming number of children are being poisoned by opioids.

**MILITARY, WAR AND VETERANS**

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
Weekend Edition – Sat.	10/26/19	5-10a	4:33	The importance of preserving videos of war crimes.
Think Out Loud	11/8/19	12-1p	27:32	Thank you for your service.
The Daily	11/11/19	630-7p	29:55	Why military assistance for Ukraine matters.
The Daily	12/10/19	630-7p	29:55	Telling the truth about the American war effort in Afghanistan.

**POLITICS AND GOVERNMENT**

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
The Daily	10/1/19	630-7p	29:55	The impeachment dilemma for Republicans.
OPB Newscast – ATC	10/11/19	504-506p	0:45	Portland Mayor Ted Wheeler will run for a 2 <sup>nd</sup> term.
OPB Newscast – ATC	10/22/19	504-506p	0:43	Oregon Secretary of State rejects ballot proposal on Immigrant driver’s licenses.
Think Out Loud	10/29/19	12-1p	7:38	Walden will not run for re-election.
All Things Considered	11/18/19	3-6p	3:38	Oregon law meant to help mentally ill has ended up putting more of them on the street.
OPB Newscast – ATC	11/30/19	5-6p	0:44	Volunteers sue the city over restrictions against providing food and other services to people in city parks.
OPB Newscast – ATC	12/5/19	504-406p	0:46	Oregon Congressman Kurt Schrader is introducing a bill in the US House meant to reduce the cost of prescription drugs.
Think Out Loud	12/18/19	12-1p	10:58	Democratic Party of Oregon will keep primary closed.
OPB Newscast – ATC	12/28/19	5-6p	0:51	Oregon continues to see increase in nonaffiliated voters.

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**RACE, IDENTITY AND CULTURE**

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
Think Out Loud	10/1/19	12-1p	15:33	Yurok Tribe declare rights of personhood for Klamath River.
All Things Considered	10/12/19	5-6p	6:26	Discovery Docuseries: 'Why We Hate'.
Think Out Loud	10/24/19	12-1p	51:57	Women of color in Oregon politics.
OPB Newscast – WE Sat	10/26/19	804-807a	0:54	Gov. Brown signs updated executive order to strengthen LGBTQ+ protections.
The Daily	11/7/19	630-7p	29:55	"Because of sex".
Think Out Loud	11/13/19	12-1p	14:09	Gender nonbinary in Lane County.
Think Out Loud	11/18/19	12-1p	15:07	Report on healthcare for trans & non-binary youth.
OPB Newscast – ATC	11/30/19	5-6p	0:52	2020 Census strives to more thoroughly count First Nations.
Think Out Loud	12/5/19	12-1p	12:38	Scott Kalama raps about life on Warm Springs reservation.
Think Out Loud	12/18/19	12-1p	22:47	First Native American Washington Supreme Court judge.
Think Out Loud	12/23/19	12-1p	19:05	Trans woman sues beauty pageant for discrimination.

**RELIGION**

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
All Things Considered	10/13/19	5-6pp	2:33	Praying for the impeachment probe to deliver the truth.
Morning Edition	10/29/19	5-9a	3:31	Seminaries start slavery reparation funds amid calls for national program.
All Things Considered	11/4/19	3-6p	8:00	Why there's a divide between environmentalists and evangelicals.
All Things Considered	11/11/19	3-6p	8:03	Evangelical Christians on faith and politics.
All Things Considered	11/14/19	3-6p	7:57	'Who is an Evangelical?' looks at history of Evangelical Christians and the GOP.
Weekend Edition – Sun.	12/8/19	5-10a	3:44	Balancing LGBTQ rights and religious liberty.
All Things Considered	12/11/19	3-6p	4:14	Trump's executive order on anti-Semitism sparks debate.
1A	12/12/19	9-10p	53:29	Beyond Adam and Eve: Religion and the gender binary.
Morning Edition	12/17/19	5-9a	3:54	Pope to loosen secrecy requirements around clerical sex abuse cases.

**SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY**

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
Science Friday	10/11/19	11a-12p	24:47	Understanding the trust (and distrust) in science.
Philosophy Talk	10/17/19	10-11p	53:00	The space-time continuum.
Weekend Edition	10/20/19	5-10a	3:44	Earthquake app provided early warnings.
Philosophy Talk	10/24/19	10-11p	53:00	Conscious machines
All Things Considered	11/4/19	3-6p	4:28	Who's making spyware, who's buying it and how it's being used.
Morning Edition	11/6/19	5-9a	6:48	The changes in science and technology over the last 4 decades.
Weekend Edition – Sat.	11/9/19	5-10a	5:30	Privacy and DNA tests.
Morning Edition	11/13/19	5-9a	3:02	A new way to stop viruses.
Science Friday	11/29/19	11a-12p	34:01	Imagining the future of AI.
All Things Considered	12/5/19	3-6p	5:29	Offshore wind may help the planet – but will it hurt whales?
All Things Considered	12/25/19	3-6p	3:10	How tech has changed out lives in the last 10 years.