

# A Record 1260 Brothers Kick-Off Deltasig's Centennial Celebration!

Highlights of the Grand Chapter Congress—August 8–12 in Orlando



Listen up or you'll walk the plank! Past Grand President Kathy Jahnke leads fellow pirates in the Golden Knights Ceremony during the Grand President's Dance. Grand President Mitch Simmons (left) and Western Provincial Vice President Chuck Brown assist in the festivities.

or those of you at the Hilton Walt Disney World Resort in Orlando, thanks for making this Congress an unforgettable one—with record attendance! For those of you unable to attend, make plans now for the 2009 Congress, August 12–16 at the Marriott Crystal Gateway in metro Washington D.C.

Congress got off to a great start Wednesday with a keynote address by the motivated Brad Karsh, from Campuspeak and JobBound, who provided attendees valuable information on resume writing and the hiring process. Following an afternoon of educational sessions, ranging on topics from Ritual to personal finances, 2006 National Collegian of the Year Jason Campbell addressed the attendees. The day ended with the always-popular Grand President's Dance and Golden Knights Ceremony, led by Past Grand President Kathy Jahnke. This year's pirate themed dance was a definite crowd pleaser, with many exceptional costumes!



Thursday kicked-off with the honorary initiation of Oreck Corporation Founder David Oreck. After Brother Oreck's motivational speech, he graciously stayed for photos and autographs—a real treat for those in attendance. Following, was the opening business ses-

sion, alumni recognition lunch, where many alumni were recognized and honored, and provincial and regional awards presentation. An afternoon treat, fitting for our Centennial celebration, was "Founders' Families: A Personal Legacy," a history presentation featuring Jim Jacobs (son of Founder Harold Valentine Jacobs) and George and Roger Tienken (son and grandson of Founder Henry Albert Tienken). The Grand Chapter legislation sessions resulted in some strong debate. Thanks to Brother Todd Mirell for a wonderful job as Congress chancellor! See page 39 for legislation results.

Friday featured the National Awards lunch program, where many chapters and individuals were rewarded for their achievements (see page 13), followed by a moving and inspirational speech by 2007 National Collegian of the Year Vicki Frantz. Regular Deltasig presenter Brother Tim Augustine gave his popular "Interviewing Techniques" and (Story continued on page 38)



True Congress icons, Golden Council member Bob Hughes and his wife, Arlene, enjoy their 31st and 30th, respectively! They have the distinction of having attended the most Congresses of any brother!



Past Grand President Mike Mallonee (right) led the "farewell performance" of the historical series he has coordinated for many years, "The First 100 Years." From left, fellow panelists Past Grand President Randy Hultz, Golden Council member Kevin Zachman and Atlanta Alumni Chapter Vice President Donna Zachman. Other panelists, not pictured, were Past Grand President Kathy Jahnke, 2001 Lifetime Achievement Honoree Bob Hughes and co-host Golden Council member Rich Garber.



It was a banquet centerpiece that doubled as dessert! Golden Council member Beth Bivona, Buffalo, cut her table's birthday cake after a toast was made by Grand President Mitch Simmons.







ABOVE: 2007 National Honorary Initiate David Oreck (right) receives his membership certificate and plaque from Grand President Mitch Simmons, after his Thursday morning initiation. Brother Oreck's acceptance remarks were patriotic, inspirational and motivational.

LEFT: The Deltasig "celebrities" table was truly a Congress highlight. Here Leadership Foundation Trustee Jeff Berlat (left) receives a greeting, and treat, from 2004 Lifetime Achievement Honoree Nick Steinkrauss.



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# New Kid on the Block

A century ago, four complete strangers with one thing in common decided to form a bond that would strengthen their relationship not only in the professional world but with each other for a lifetime. They developed an idea and platform of what we know today as Delta Sigma Pi. Without the courage and dedication of these four brothers, and many others to follow in their footsteps of leadership, I would not have the opportunity to address my brothers today as your new Vice President-Finance.

Over the past 13 years as a brother, I never dreamed of doing what I am doing today. Looking back over the years to my first Grand Chapter Congress in Orlando in 1995, I understood what my role was in Delta Sigma Pi. It was not just for four years, but for life. That Congress I heard from many Fraternity leaders who stressed the welfare and progress of our Fraternity. One consistent message that week was to get involved in leadership roles and give back to Delta Sigma Pi what it has given you.

Involvement after graduation is an important process to the growth of Delta Sigma Pi. After I graduated from Lewis (located 30 minutes southwest of Chicago), I stayed involved locally as an active alumnus at my chapter. Many brothers stay involved with their local chapters, but without your involvement in an alumni chapter it is hard for the leaders of tomorrow to be recognized and used to their fullest potential. I knew I could give more to Delta Sigma Pi and decided to join the Chicago Alumni Chapter. Not long after, I was asked to serve on their board, but I didn't stop there. I stepped up my leadership involvement again by serving as president for four terms. I had the honor of accomplishing many great things in Chicago and working with great brothers



Joe Ward, Lewis, was elected Vice President-Finance at the August Congress and is serving his first term on the National Board of Directors.

that will be future leaders of Delta Sigma Pi.

Toward the end of my presidency, Past Grand President Kathy Jahnke made a comment that stuck with me. She said the leadership qualities I showed on a local level could help the Fraternity as a whole nationally. I'll be honest, I never thought of doing anything other than working at the local level. I felt my role in Delta Sigma Pi was to stay and help my local alumni and regional chapters. I thought about many other brothers and friends that had taken the same path I was considering. I decided it was time I share my ideas at a national level . . . but how? Like many of you, I had no current national exposure with the Board of Directors. I thought of the changes that took place a few years ago. There was a position created that would fit me well, VP-Finance. Not only would I be able to share my knowledge of the business world, but would also be able to share my ideas with the Fraternity.

So what can I bring to the table as the new kid on the board? This position is about representing you, the membership, and understanding the numbers behind the numbers that spell out the future of Delta Sigma Pi. My goals have one focus in mind, the well-being of our Fraternity. I asked you at Congress to "Invest in Me" and elect me your next VP-Finance and now I have the honor of "Investing in You."

As I look back at the changes my fraternal career has taken, I thought to myself what can I tell my fellow brothers about my journey? Well, if I learned one thing it is to never underestimate yourself or your commitment to Delta Sigma Pi. Each one of you was probably in the same boat at one point in your fraternal career. Unsure about joining Delta Sigma Pi, unsure about running for a chapter position, unsure about running for VP-Finance or even unsure about running for Grand President—but believe in yourself and you will succeed. Everyone has to start somewhere and work up the ladder. As it is in the corporate world, it is similar in the fraternal world. Get involved with Delta Sigma Pi!

When I pledged I had a professor, a fellow Deltasig, tell the class if you go through school and don't get involved, you will regret it years later. I have no regrets. I tell you the same thing—get involved in Delta Sigma Pi and stay involved for years to come!

I look forward to meeting many of you over the next two years and look forward to working for you. I am very proud to be a Deltasig!

Fraternally,

oe Ward, Vice President-Finance

"Fraternal Forum" allows elected leaders, staff, and interested members to offer updates, viewpoints and commentaries on issues facing the Fraternity.

Contact the Central Office if you have an interest in authoring a column. Final determination of content rests with the editorial staff.

# Rider's Harry Gamble Honored with 2007 Deltasig Career Achievement Award

Prother Harry Gamble, *Rider*, was presented Delta Sigma Pi's 2007 Career Achievement Award on June 15. The award ceremony fittingly took place during Rider University's Reunion Weekend on the beautiful campus in Lawrenceville, New Jersey. The university sponsored the event to help honor Harry—a Rider Trustee.

Those gathering to honor Brother Gamble included: Rider President Mordechai Rozanski, who provided a welcome; Business Dean Larry Newman, *Rider*, who presented Gamble career highlights and some Beta Xi history; Golden Council Brother Dean Ferguson, *Georgia State*, who told of Harry's Deltasig involvement; and Executive Director Bill Schilling who presented Brother Gamble with a Golden Helmet Award and the Career Award.

Brother Gamble retired in 1997 from a long and interesting career centered around football. His last position was Coordinator of Football Operations and Club Relations for the National Football League, in which he served as a liaison between the 30 clubs and the NFL officiating department. Other responsibilities included matters involving the competition committee, college scouting, the World League, and youth football development.

Upon appointing Gamble to that position in 1995, NFL Commissioner Paul Tagliabue said, "Harry brings the seasoned and critical perspective of a top club executive, former coach, and member of the competition committee. He knows all facets of the game, and enjoys an outstanding relationship with people at every level of the sport."

Prior to joining the league office, Brother Gamble was the president-chief operating officer of the Philadelphia Eagles from 1986 to March 1995, playing a key role in elevating the Eagles to one of the top organizations in the NFL, both on and off the field. In doing so, he earned the respect of his peers both for his business acumen and patience.

During his tenure as president-chief operating officer, the Eagles returned to their winning ways. Over Gamble's nine seasons in that role, the Birds post-

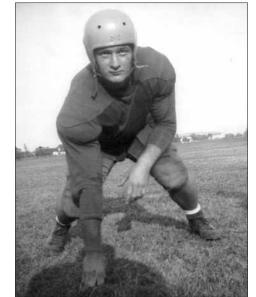


Presenting Brother Gamble with his award were Executive Director Bill Schilling (left) and Alan Wiman (right), long-time Rider chapter advisor.

ed a 79-62-1 regular season record, including five straight winning campaigns from 1988–1992, each of which culminated in 10-or-more wins—a feat matched only by the San Francisco

49ers during the same span—and a berth in the playoffs in four of those years. That string of successful seasons was highlighted by an NFL East division crown in 1988.

Brother Gamble began his rise through the Eagles' organization in 1981 as a member of Coach Dick Vermeil's coaching staff. He then concentrated his efforts in administration in 1983 as an assistant for both the coaching and personnel staffs before being named director of football operations in 1984; and vice president-general manager in 1985. Prior to joining the Eagles, Harry was a head football coach at Lafayette College (1967-1970) and the University of Pennsylvania (1971-1980). In 1972, he was chosen by his peers as the NCAA District One Coach of the Year and by the New York Sportswriters Association as the University Division Eastern Coach of the Year.



During college (1948–52), Brother Gamble was an offensive lineman with the Rider football team. In 1987, he received an honorary Doctor of Laws degree from his alma mater.

Born and raised in Pitman, NJ, Brother Gamble has master's and doctorate degrees in business education from Temple University. He was an offensive lineman at Rider, and then became a player-coach with the 2nd Army Headquarters team at Fort Meade (MD) in 1953. After coaching and teaching in the New Jersey high school ranks from 1954–1961, Gamble became an assistant coach at Penn from 1962–66.

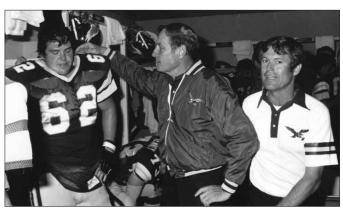
Throughout his career, the personable brother has received much recognition. In 1987, he received an honorary Doctor of Laws degree from Rider. Four years later, he was honored as the Distinguished Citizen of 1990 by the South Jersey Council of the Boy Scouts and received the First and Goal Award from the Philadelphia High School Football All-Star Game for his commitment to the community and to the game itself. He was then honored as the 1992 Professional Sports Executive of the Year by the New Jersey Sports Writers Association. In 1994 Gamble was named Man of the Year by the Archdiocese of Philadelphia's Catholic Youth Organization (CYO) and was also honored by the American Red Cross' Camden County Chapter with their Good Neighbor Award. In May of 1995, he was inducted into the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame. The Deltasig Career Achievement Award is clearly well-deserved among all these accomplishments and honors!

A strong 'believer' in both Delta Sigma Pi and Rider, as he outlined in his moving and heartfelt acceptance remarks, Harry has long appreciated and supported both. In the last decade he has attended and provided motivational and keynotes at a number of Fraternity student gatherings. He is well-remembered for his role at the Leadership Academy in Oxford.

Gamble and his wife, Joan, reside in Haddonfield, NJ. They have two sons, Harry, a landscape designer, and Tom, director of pro personnel for the San Francisco 49ers. An avid hobbyist, Gamble is a licensed private pilot, an owner of thoroughbred race horses, and enjoys gardening and riding his motorcycle.

Several of Harry's Rider brothers from school days attended the event, as did current chapter members, District Director Jason Yourman and Chapter Advisor Alan Wiman, Eastern Regional Vice President Kathy Lazo-Thompson, Golden Council members Walt Brower and Heather Bailey Ferguson, Philadelphia Alumni President Tom Calloway and National Community Service Chair Liz Calloway.

Brother Harry Gamble's passion, enthusiasm and approach toward success provide outstanding examples for all Deltasigs to follow!



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# **Introducing Your 2007–09 Leadership Team!**

The final business session of each Grand Chapter Congress is devoted to the election of the Board of Directors and Regional Vice Presidents...the men and women who will lead Delta Sigma Pi for the subsequent biennium. In August, an outstanding group of dedicated Deltasigs became your new leaders. Here they are!

#### **Board of Directors**

**Grand President** Mitch Simmons, *Southern Mississippi* 

Vice President-Organizational Development Mark Chiacchiari, Pennsylvania

Vice President-Finance Joe Ward, Lewis
North Central Provincial Vice

**President** Amy Briggs, *Minnesota-Mankato* 

Northeastern Provincial Vice President Onuke Ibe, *Truman State* 

South Central Provincial Vice President Jeff Gallentine.

**President** Jeff Gallentine, *Missouri-Kansas City* 

**Southern Provincial Vice President**David Ross, *Florida Atlantic* 

Western Provincial Vice President Chuck Brown, San Diego

2006 Collegian of the Year

Jason Campbell, *Penn State-Erie* **2007 Collegian of the Year** Vicki Frantz,

Penn State-State College

### **Regional Vice Presidents**

Atlantic Coast-Mary Moon, *North Florida* Bay Area-Lisa Brown,

Cal Poly-San Luis Obispo

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**Capital**–Frank Hodas, *George Washington* **Central**–Hillary Burkett.

Indiana-Purdue at Indianapolis

Central Gulf-Michelle Cain, Troy

**Desert Mountain**–Justin Cranmer, *Arizona* 

East Central-Brad Blanton, South Florida
Eastern-Tom Calloway, Penn State-Erie
Gateway-Kevin Weber, Missouri-St. Louis



gathered September 28–30 in Oxford, Ohio for the National Leadership Retreat.

The newly elected

leaders

Great Lakes-Kim Ward, *Lewis*Great Plains-Nichelle Dawkins, *Drake*Gulf South-Jason Campagna,
Our Lady of Holy Cross

**Gulf Western**–Brandi Taylor, *Texas-Austin* **Huron**–Matt Carrington, *Western Michigan* 

Mid-Atlantic-John Cookson, Detroit

Midwestern-Allen Whitmer.

Missouri-Kansas City

Mid-South-Derrick Singletary, *Bellarmine* New England-Laura Bittner, *Connecticut* 

Niagara-Aaron Beauregard, *Buffalo* North Central-Jodi Schoh, *Winona State* 

Northwestern–Chuck Brown, San Diego

**Pacific Coast**–Paul Dawson, Wayne State-Detroit

**Rocky Mountain**–Sheri Powers, *Colorado-Colorado Springs* 

**Sierra Nevada**–Marcial Hoyos, *Pacific* **South Atlantic**–Nathan Powers.

**South Atlantic**–Nathan Powe *Florida Atlantic* 

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**South Pacific**–Corey Polton, *Cal State-Fullerton* 

**Southeastern**–Darrick Williams, South Carolina

**Southwestern**–Amanda Wood, *North Texas* 

Steel Valley–Wayne Lauer, Penn State-Erie

#### **National Committee Chairs**

**Alumni Development**–Rochelle Siegrist, *Cal State-Long Beach* 

**Centennial**–Heather Ferguson, *Tampa*, and Randy Hultz, *Truman State* 

**Community Service**–Tracey Florio, *Houston* 

Finance-Joe Ward, Lewis

**Nominations**–Kathy Jahnke, *Northern Illinois* 

**Organizational Development**Mark Chiacchiari, *Pennsylvania* 

**Professional Development**–Katie Koch, *Eastern Illinois* 

**Scholastic Development & Awards**James "Duckie" Webb, *Houston* 

#### **VOLUNTEERS ARE ALWAYS NEEDED!**

Visit www.dspnet.org (Alumni/How to Get Involved) for ways to get involved with your local collegiate and/or alumni chapters.

# 2007 Lifetime Achievement Honoree Mark Roberts Shares his Fraternal Journey

n some respects, it's difficult for me to express the impact that Delta Sigma Pi and my involvement in it has had upon my life over the past 30 years. Then again, as I look around this room tonight and think about the hundreds of friends I've made over the years and through my travels for the Fraternity—many of whom are here tonight—and the incredible energy, excitement, enthusiasm and potential for the future represented by the collegiate members and young alumni that I'm meeting for the first time, I know that my reasons for wanting to be a part of this organization haven't changed since February 1977."

And with that moving intro, Brother Mark Roberts, San Francisco, in front of 1260 brothers during the Centennial Grand Chapter Congress banquet, accepted the 2007 Lifetime Achievement Award. Mark shared what led him to join Deltasig, "I saw a photo of a group of about 30 fellow students at San Francisco who were wearing shirts and ties but engaged in a definitely social activity. They were having a great time and really enjoying each other's company. When I learned they were all business majors like me and that they were members of a professional business fraternity, I knew I wanted to join them."

He also shared how joining the Fraternity led him to meet his wife (Claire Sammon Roberts, San Francisco State). "I was initiated in April of 1977, graduated about two years later, and was almost immediately appointed district director (for San Francisco State) by the late and truly great Brother Skip Loomis, California-Berkeley. Let me pause to thank Skip again for his trust in my interest and enthusiasm and for appointing me as district director where I met a collegiate member who has had by far the most profound and positive



Grand President Mitch Simmons presents the 2007 Lifetime Achievement Award to Golden Council Member and Trustee Emeritus Mark Roberts (right). In the '80s, both Mitch and Mark served as chapter consultants for the Fraternity.

impact on my life and fraternal career—my wife and brother. Claire."

In closing, Mark thanked all brothers in attendance. "I look forward to continuing to work together with all my brothers in the future. I was born the year the Fraternity celebrated its golden anniversary and I was privileged to participate in our diamond jubilee 25 years ago. I have many payments still to make to truly earn the Lifetime Achievement Award. It will be my pleasure to keep participating and contributing in the years ahead. But nothing will give me greater pleasure than to see other brothers present here tonight—many of you -being honored with the same recognition in the future. I challenge you to give me the pleasure of being able to

acknowledge and recognize you for your service to the Fraternity during Delta Sigma Pi's second century."

Brother Roberts started his Deltasig service as a district director for the Western Region immediately after he graduated in 1979. A year later, he moved to Oxford to work for the Central Office—first serving as a consultant and then as the first director of chapter services. He then went on to serve as a district director on several occasions for many different chapters, as a trustee of the Leadership Foundation (and eventually its second chairman), and as a member of the Fraternity's Board of Directors and old Executive Committee as the last vice president for alumni benefits and services. He also served as chapter advisor for San Francisco.

Mark, a member of the Golden Council, currently serves on the Centennial Steering Committee and is a Trustee Emeritus of the Leadership Foundation serving as a member of the Major Gifts Committee and was also a recipient of the Anthony Z. Fernandez Distinguished Alumni Service Award.

Professionally, Mark has enjoyed a career in development, currently as development director with Chabot Space & Science Center. The Roberts' are longtime donors to the Leadership Foundation. Both are members of the 2007 Centennial Society and Centennial Founders of the 10K Club. They have lived in Orinda, California, in the San Francisco Bay Area, for the past 14 years. They have two "very pampered" cats, Bud and Lou, and enjoy travel, wine, Giants baseball and volunteering their time for the Fraternity, Leadership Foundation, their church and other organizations.

# COLLEGIANS OF THE YEAR

# Congratulations 2007 Collegians of the Year!

rach year, a collegiate member from every chapter who demonstrates what it truly means to be a Deltasig, is chosen as their chapter's Collegian of the Year.

The following criteria, in order of importance, are taken into consideration in the selection of chapter candidates, the regional and provincial winners, and finally the selection of the National Collegian of the Year: Fraternity involvement; attendance at inter-chapter Fraternity events including but not limited to Grand Chapter Congress, LEAD Schools and Provincials, regional initiations, chapter activations, etc.; essay outlining goals if selected as National Collegian of the Year, degree of Leadership exhibited in Delta Sigma Pi; university/community involvement and leadership; scholastic aptitude/GPA; additional essays required by the application and letters of recommendation. Other criteria considered includes, in no particular order: ability to represent the Fraternity on the national Board of Directors, leadership ability, dependability, responsibility, honesty, integrity, and sincerity, moral character, personality and professional attitude.

Regional winners are selected by a committee appointed by the Regional Vice President. One provincial winner is selected by each Provincial Scholastic Development and Awards Committee. The National Scholastic Development and Awards Committee selects the national winner from among them.

Regional Collegian of the Year winners received: a pearl and ruby badge and a \$400 award from the Delta Sigma Pi Leadership Foundation made possible by the Clyde Kitchens/Thoben Elrod and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney A. Sparks Scholarship Funds. Provincial winners, in addition to their regional awards and recognitions, will receive an additional \$500 scholarship (if they enroll in graduate studies within five years after being selected). The national winner also serves as a voting member of Delta Sigma Pi's Board of Directors for a two-year term and becomes eligible for a \$5,000 scholarship from the Foundation's Sparks Fund.

#### **Congratulations 2007 Provincial COYs!**







Vicki Frantz Tina Mistry Northeastern Western





Ryan Saffer South Central



Heather Smith Southern

"I've learned that it takes the passion of one to inspire many. I truly believe you can do anything you set your mind to. I look forward to serving you over the next two years as your 2007 Collegian of the Year."—VICKI FRANTZ

#### **Regional Honorees**

Atlantic Coast - Janene Winton, Central Florida

Bay Area - Rae de Mesa, San Francisco

Capital - Amanda Moretto, George Washington

Central - Katie Abraham, Illinois-Urbana

Central Gulf - Mackenzie Tew, Troy **Desert Mountain** – Adam Angstadt, Arizona State

East Central - Krista Detmer. Cincinnati

Eastern - Vicki Frantz, Penn State-State College

Gateway - Ryan Saffer, Truman

Great Lakes - Julia Napolitano, Marquette

Great Plains - Rachelle Divis, Wayne State-Nebraska

Gulf South - Dorothy Kemp, Louisiana State

Gulf Western - Gilbert Landras. Houston

Huron - Joseph Brooks, Saginaw Valley State

Mid-Atlantic – Amy Swayne, Longwood

Mid-South - Heather Smith, East Tennessee State

Midwestern - Katelyn Pirnie, Rockhurst

New England - Yelena Zaytsev, Massachusetts-Boston

Niagara - Jillian Dorans, Cornell North Central - Jennifer East, Wisconsin-La Crosse

Pacific Coast - Courtney Fujara, San Diego

Rocky Mountain - Daniel Schaller, Colorado State

Sierra Nevada – Tina Mistry, Cal State-Fresno

South Atlantic - Amanda Selian.

South Pacific - Christopher Meadows, Cal Poly-San Luis Obispo

Southeastern - Demarcus Patrick Francis Marion

Southwestern - Javo Creixell Jr., Southern Methodist

Steel Valley - Ryan Watson, Ohio State

#### Chapter Honorees

Alabama - Charis Wilder Albany - Jeff Lasker Arizona State - Adam Angstadt Auburn - Tara Inman Ball State - Summer Goreham Baylor - Megan Needham **Bellarmine** – Bradley Cropper Bentley - Maxwell Kinkade **Binghamton** – Danielle Rosenberg Bowling Green State - Rebecca Call **Bryant** – Kristina De Angelis

Buffalo - Daniel Ryan Jr. Cal Poly-San Luis Obispo -

Christopher Meadows Cal State-Fresno - Tina Mistry Cal State-Fullerton – Anthony Carmona

Cal State-Northridge - Tifanie

Cal State-Pomona - Adam Bell California-Davis - Bo Sun

California-Los Angeles - Pearl

California-San Diego – Ian Nguyen Central Florida – Janene Winton Cincinnati – Krista Detmer

Colorado-Colorado Springs -Michelle Herbst

Colorado State - Daniel Schaller Cornell - Jillian Dorans

**Dayton** – Karen Buffington

**Denver** – Charles Ng **DePaul** – Calvin Yu

East Tennessee State - Heather

Eastern Illinois - Brian Bartels Florida Atlantic - Geno Roefaro III Florida Southern - Casey Rabon Florida State - Nadeige Sterlin

Francis Marion - Demarcus Patrick George Washington - Amanda Moretto

Georgia – Priyanka Verma **Houston** – Gilbert Landras

Howard - Elyse Ambrose Illinois-Urbana – Katie Abraham Illinois State - Stephanie Glasscock

Indiana - Carol Dangelmajer **Indiana-Purdue at Fort Wayne** Matthew Clark

Indiana-Purdue at Indianapolis Michele Knoy

Indiana State – Samantha Hilpisch **Iowa** – Robert Myhlhousen Iowa State - Daniel Poggensee Johns Hopkins - Rachel Berkowitz

Longwood - Amy Swayne Louisiana at Lafayette – Kristi Gregoire

Louisiana State - Dorothy Kemp Loyola Marymount - Walter Luceno Marquette – Julia Napolitano

Massachusetts-Boston - Yelena Zavtsev McNeese State - Nicholas Kohrs

Miami-Florida – Jessica Yates Miami-Ohio - Jordan Carnevale Minnesota – Alexis Hartzler Minnesota State - Ashley Hilton Missouri-Columbia – Skyler

Johnson Missouri-Kansas City - Darrell Tindal

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#### **Believe**

"Believe deep down in your heart that you're destined to do great things."—Joe Paterno, Penn State football coach

This quote by Joe Paterno, the Penn State football coach for over 40 years, has become a motto that I live by.

I grew up in a working class town where the expectations for students were set extremely low and were epitomized by an assembly held on my first day of high school. The speaker explained that "not everyone is meant for college" and that "there is a need in this world for all types of occupations; not just doctors, lawyers, and business people." While most students were disheartened by this lecture, I was inspired to defeat this sentence of mediocrity. So in order to compensate for the major disadvantage of a non-supportive high school, I pursued excellence with my academics and my extracurricular activities. At the end of my high school career, standing before my counselor with an exemplary grade point average and an impressive amount of extracurricular activities, she recommended I go to community college. Although she didn't believe in me and my abilities, I continued to believe in myself. Placing my counselor's recommendation aside, I knew I possessed the ability to succeed in a four-year university. I applied to a few local colleges as well as The Pennsylvania State University. I had dreamed of going to Penn State since I was a little girl, but I doubted the likelihood of my acceptance there. When I found out I was admitted, I was thrilled because I knew all my hard work had finally paid off.

I have experienced many exciting and rewarding moments over the past four years at Penn State. However, perhaps the best experience of my college career would be my involvement with the Penn State Dance Marathon (THON), through Deltasig. Over the past 35 years, the students who participate in THON have raised more than 46 million dollars and have helped thousands of children and their families fight pediatric cancer. My senior year, I was afforded the opportunity to dance on behalf of our chapter. Dancing for 46 hours for children with cancer was the most amazing experience of my life, but it was by far the most difficult. My inspiration during the whole event was a 4-year-old girl named Sydney, who had been diagnosed with brain cancer two years ago. Her family chose the Alpha Gamma chapter as their sponsor for THON. From the second we heard the news, they were nothing less than family to us. It wasn't until the final hour of THON when I realized what a difference all the dancers were making. We were all joined with our arms inter-locked singing "Somewhere Over the Rainbow' when Sydney's mom looked at our THON dancers with tears in her eyes and said, "If it weren't for you, we don't know how we would have the strength to get through this ordeal." Her words touched me very deeply. I learned an extremely valuable lesson through this emotional experience. When the opportunity arises to help others, you must believe that you can make a difference.

It wasn't until June 14 of this year that I really understood what the THON families were going through. That was the day I received a call from the dermatologist informing me I had been diagnosed with skin cancer. She told me I had a malignant melanoma (the most aggressive form) and it had already progressed to stage 2. I scheduled surgery immediately. I received my test results a few weeks ago. I am truly thankful that the cancer did not spread to any other organs. Even when the battle seems insurmountable, you cannot give up and must not lose hope that everything will work out in the end. You can overcome the most difficult obstacles by believing in yourself and drawing strength from your friends and family.

I hope you will take this quote by Joe Paterno and apply it to your everyday life. I've learned that it takes the passion of one to inspire many. I truly believe you can do anything you set your mind to. I look forward to serving you over the next two years as your 2007 Collegian of the Year. I cannot wait to work with you!

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# COLLEGIANS OF THE YEAR

# **Building Fences**



Through research and interviews, I have found that people do not like change. However, change is inevitable. Think about all the change that has occurred within our own Fraternity in the past 100 years. Do you think our founding fathers would ever have envisioned Delta Sigma Pi's success, or even the 1260 brothers in attendance in Orlando? Delta Sigma Pi has changed my life . . . and for the better. I have no idea where I would be today without the Fraternity. Through the support of our brothers, myself and others have been able to adapt to change. In fact, Delta is the mathematical symbol for change. We are here to change and impact peoples lives.

Founder Henry Albert Tienken used the following analogy to describe the purpose that Delta Sigma Pi serves: "We are like fence posts, and Delta Sigma Pi is the fence that bonds us all together. Without Delta Sigma Pi, we share no common purpose, have no common bond, but with Delta Sigma Pi we do."

This purpose and foundation have been constant, and will remain constant throughout our history. However, we must continue to work toward the future of our organization through brotherhood and teamwork.

We have taken great steps in the past two years to allow brothers and chapters to work together and collaborate on best practices as well as create open lines of communication. *Deltasig inCircle* is a fantastic networking tool allowing chapters to share their ideas and thoughts throughout all provinces. I encourage all brothers to share your chapters' best practices, instead of duplicating efforts. This will help all chapters learn from one another as well as move forward into the next 100 years. If everyone works a little, no one person or chapter has to work a lot. We are here to support each other and share ideas, to become better, stronger chapters.

Another change that has occurred over the past two years is to our Collegian of the Year program. The Board of Directors recently passed new selection criteria for the award based upon survey feedback. This new criteria is easier to understand, providing for clearer and more concise instructions on how to select the chapter, regional, provincial, and national Collegian of the Year. We have also expanded the application to include a new essay asking the question, "What makes you a leader?" Look for more changes to the Collegian of the Year program as the task force continues to work on improvements.

In closing, let me say it has been the greatest honor of my life to serve as the 2005 National Collegian of the Year. I hope that, at least in a small way, I was able to help bridge the gap between collegiate chapters and the Board of Directors. To the many brothers I had the pleasure to meet over the past two years, I hope you will take what you have learned from the various events and share them with your local chapters. I hope to see all of you very soon. Although my time serving on the Board as Collegian of the Year has passed, I am still going to be involved in Delta Sigma Pi. To those of you who have just graduated, I encourage you to do the same. Until I see you again, remember my phone is always on and my door always open!

Fraternally,

Dave Glanzrock, 2005 National Collegian of the Year COY Task Force Chair

#### Will YOU Be One of Next Year's COYs?

Each chapter may nominate one collegiate member for the Collegian of the Year award annually. A chapter member other than the nominee must complete the nomination form on the Awards & Recognition section of www.dspnet.org no later than October 15. The nominee must then complete an online application (for higher levels of recognition) no later than November 15. For complete guidelines, review the Awards & Recognition Guide at www.dspnet.org.

**Missouri-St. Louis** – Jonathan Weinberg

Nebraska-Omaha – Carley Hunzeker New Jersey – Cono Sanseverino

New Mexico - Jane Sweeney
New Mexico State - Tania Rogers
North Carolina Chanel Hill Pyon

North Carolina-Chapel Hill – Ryan Davis North Florida – Ashlie Graham

North Texas – Shanna Hancock Northern Arizona – Cristina Valencia Northern Colorado – Jeremy Walsleben

Northern Illinois – Stephanie Lee Ohio Dominican – William Markowitz III

Ohio State – Ryan Watson Oklahoma – Bron Deal

Oklahoma State – Jacqueline Noble Penn State-Erie – Adam Gaton

Penn State-State College – Vicki Frantz

Pittsburgh – Lee Every Radford – Gregory Peck Redlands – David Muchlinski

Rider – Cassan Ingalsbe Rockhurst – Katelyn Pirnie

Roger Williams – Stephanie Ingalls Saginaw Valley State – Joseph

Brooks
San Diego – Courtney Fujara

San Diego State – Rebecca Norman San Francisco – Rae Fatima de Mesa Shepherd – Mary Simpson

Siena – Kristin Wernig St. Joseph's – Bryan Berzins Saint Louis – Allison Mehlhorn

South Dakota – Becky Rice South Florida-Tampa – Shantel Dean

**Southern Methodist** Javo Creixell Jr.

**Southern Mississippi** – Ollie Moses **Syracuse** – Alicia Luboch

Tampa – Amanda Seljan
Texas-Arlington – Thomasina Kierig

Texas-San Antonio – Yagna Pate Texas Tech – Brenton Bellamy

Troy – Mackenzie Tew Truman State – Ryan Saffer Valparaiso – Susan Strietelmeier

Virginia Commonwealth – Marquia McLendon

Virginia Tech – Walter Johnson Washington-St. Louis – Brian McIntosh

**Wayne State-Michigan** – Amy-Jo Hollister

**Wayne State-Nebraska** – Rachelle Divis

West Alabama – Jennifer McClusky West Florida – Wesley Morris West Virginia – Julie Cerrone Western Illinois – Erica Kopp Western Kentucky – Lindsay

Western Michigan – Kyle Uhen Western State – Brett Johnson Winona State – Kristi Dargiewicz Wisconsin-La Crosse – Jennifer East

# Congratulations to our 2006–07 National Award Winners!

# Individual Recognition

(Chapter shown is the chapter the recipient serves as volunteer)

**District Director of the Year** Patrick I. Flynn, *Pittsburgh* 

Chapter Advisor of the Year David D. Dawley, West Virginia

### Collegiate Chapter Awards

**Outstanding Chapter** Penn State-State College

**Most Improved Chapter** Indiana-Purdue at Fort Wayne

Outstanding Service and Scholastic Development California-Riverside

Outstanding Professional Activities Pittsburgh

Outstanding Financial
Operations
Cal Poly-San Luis Obispo

Outstanding Alumni Relations Southern California



David Dawley, West Virginia, was named National Chapter Advisor of the Year for his dedication to the West Virginia chapter. Congratulations!

#### Alumni Chapter Awards

Outstanding Chapter Philadelphia

Most Improved Chapter Arlington Area Lone Star Outstanding Community

Service and Professional Activities Atlanta

Los Angeles

Outstanding Collegiate Relations



Congratulations Patrick Flynn—named National District Director of the Year! From left: Northeastern Provincial Vice President Onuka Ibe, Grand President Mitch Simmons, Flynn, and Steel Valley Regional Vice President Wayne Lauer. Flynn, a Penn State-Erie initiate, was district director for Pittsburgh.

Turn to the back cover for pictures of the winners for National Outstanding Collegiate and Alumni Chapter. Visit *www.dspnet.org* for a complete list of provincial and regional award winners, as well as honor roll and honorable mentions. A full spread of all award winners, including photos of National winners, will be featured in the upcoming March '08 issue of *The DELTASIG*.

Ten National Collegians of the Year enioved a reunion during their stint at the convention "celebrities" table. Front, from left: Missy Ekern ('00), St. Thomas. Mark Chiacchiari ('99). Pennsylvania. Dave Glanzrock ('05), Arizona State and Stephanie Menio ('04). Pittsburgh. Back, from left: Chris Robinett ('89), Nebraska-Lincoln, Brandon Trease ('01). Wayne State-Nebraska. Kevin McLean ('02), Drake, Vicki Frantz ('07), Penn State-State College, Jason Campbell ('06), Penn State-Erie, and Gus Schram ('76), McNeese State. During Congress, Brother Chiacchiari was re-elected to the Board for a second term as Vice President-Organizational Development.



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# Did you?

Start a new business or job? Get a promotion? Get recognized for an achievement?

Share your good news here!

**Todd Whisenant**, *Alabama*, is the director of performance development for Campus Crusade for Christ, U.S. Information Technology Group in Orlando.

**Seth Crawford**, *Arizona State*, is a factory marketing manager with John Deere Harvester Works in East Moline, Ill.

**Dave Glanzrock**, *Arizona State*, is an implementation specialist with CXT Software in Phoenix.

**Nancy Powell**, *Baker*, is a corporate merchandise planning manager with JCPenney's corporate office in Plano, Texas.

**Sydney Sorkin Radford**, *Baker*, is a marketing analyst with National Seminars in Kansas City.

**Michael Edmundowicz**, *Ball State*, is vice president of Salin Bank & Trust in Indianapolis.

**Brian Mabry**, *Baylor*, is the deputy associate administrator in the Congressional Affairs Company with the U.S. General Services Administration in Washington, D.C.

Vik Murty, Bentley, is vice president of the SellPath® Manufacturer Solutions product line with Channel Intelligence in Orlando.

**Patrick Johnson**, *Bryant*, is an accountant with Beers, Hamerman & Company in New Haven, Ct.

**Beth Bivona**, *Buffalo*, partner with Damon & Morey LLP in Buffalo was appointed the first female chair of the Bar Association of Erie County's Commercial and Bankruptcy and Law Committee. She also received the Business First's 40 Under Forty Award.

**Parry Shen**, *Buffalo*, plays Shawn in "Hatchet," an independent horror film released into select theatres this fall

**Shelley Frost**, *California-Berkeley*, is the owner of Enlightened Arts in Redondo Beach, Calif.

**Rosemary Kyompa**, *Cal Poly-Pomona*, is a casualty adjuster with Mercury Insurance in Brea, Calif.

**Stephen Ropfogel**, *Cal Poly-Pomona*, is an account manager with Goldman Promotions in Glendale, Calif.

Christopher Meadows, Cal Poly-San Luis Obispo, is an emergency medical technician with San Luis Ambulance in San Luis Obispo, Calif.

**Stephanie Azores**, *Cal State-Chico*, is a corporate events planner with Guidance Software, Inc. in Pasadena, Calif.

**Keith Beck**, *Cal State-Long Beach*, is a certified tax professional with J & S Financial Services in Lakewood, *Cal*if

**Richard Gutierrez**, *Cal State-Northridge*, is an account manager with The Regan Group in Hawthorne, Calif.

**Traci Taplin**, *Cal State-Northridge*, is a claims examiner with Mercury Insurance Company in Santa Clarita. Calif.

**Juelle Thode**, *Central Florida*, is a junior associate with Aruba Investment Bank in Oranjestad,

**Janene Winton**, *Central Florida*, is a bookkeeper with Focus Wines in Orlando

Andrea Bieri, Central Missouri, is a senior accountant with HSMC Certified Public Accountants, P.C. in Lee's Summit. Mo.

**Bryan Bieri**, *Central Missouri*, is the chief financial officer with the Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center in Kansas City.

**Jeff Brawand**, *Cincinnati*, is a program manager-international trucking and offline sales with Delta Air Lines in Atlanta.

**Scott Ayer**, *Clemson*, is a supervisor of transportation with Kohl's in Corsicana, Texas.

**Shane Bohlender**, *Colorado-Boulder*, is a senior manager with Deloitte & Touche in New York.

**Amr Hamdan**, *Colorado-Boulder*, is an investment banking analyst with Jefferies & Co in New York.

# Lang Named National Mortar Board Fellowship Recipient

In August, Leslie Lang, California-Berkeley, was named recipient of the Ellen North Dunlap Fellowship, a \$3,000 award. Fellowship recipients are chosen based on academic excellence, recommendation, promise, financial need and Mortar Board involvement. Mortar Board is a national honor society that recognizes college seniors for outstanding



achievement in scholarship, leadership and service. Brother Lang was initiated into Mortar Board in 2005, where she served as chapter president. She will be attending Harvard Law School to obtain her Juris Doctorate (J.D.) beginning this fall.

Brother Lang served as collegiate vice president-chapter operations, speech coordinator and pledge class community service chair.

**Joyce Orr**, *Connecticut*, is a general accounting supervisor with Muehlstein in Norwalk, Conn.

**Angela Homm**, *Dayton*, is an auditor with Deloitte & Touche LLP in Cincinnati.

**Mike Homm**, *Dayton*, is a commercial real estate market analyst with CB Richard Ellis in Cincinnati.

**Steve Black**, *Eastern Illinois*, is the leader of State Farm's underwriting and pricing of auto insurance for Florida in Winter Haven, Fla

**Kristen Sutter**, *Evansville*, is an RFP response team manager with RR Donnelley in Bannockburn, Ill.

**Jill Miller**, *Florida Atlantic*, is an accountant executive with Carrera & Partners in Deerfield Beach, Fla.

**Danielle Ramberg**. *Georgia*, is first executive vice president with Mortgage Services, Inc. in Newport Beach, Calif.

**Michael Metcalf**, *Georgetown*, is a sales consultant with Stanley Brownfield Motorplex in Brownfield, Texas.

**Salome Tinker**, *Howard*, is a senior manager-accounting policy with Fannie Mae in Washington D.C.

**Robert Corder**, *Illinois State*, is a sales accountant manager with CDW Government in Vernon Hills, Ill

**Brett Scholfield**, *Illinois State*, is a financial advisor with O'Connor Wealth Management in Quincy, Ill.

**Ryan Smith**, *Indiana-Purdue* at Ft. Wayne, is an area sales manager with GE Consumer & Industrial in Ft Wayne

**Jonathan Westercamp**, *Iowa*, is a real estate analyst with Appraisal Associates Co. in Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

**Shawn Heyderhoff**, *Iowa State*, is a financial manager with Kroger in Indianapolis.

**Craig Mathison**, *Iowa State*, is a senior tax accountant with Gainer, Donnelly & Desroches, LLP in Houston

**Jaymie Hill**, *Kent State*, is a seasonal service rep with the Cleveland Cavaliers and the Lake Erie Monsters in Cleveland.

**Samuel Sanchez**, *Lewis*, is a financial consultant with AXA Advisors in Oakbrook. Ill.

Christian Galoci, Longwood, is an administrative assistant IVsupervisor with the Fairfax-Falls Church Community Services Board's Mental Health Services-Adult Residential Services.

**Cailyn Platt**, *Loyola-Chicago*, is a risk consultant with Crowe Chizek and Company LLC in Oakbrook, Ill.

**Malinda Russo**, *Loyola-New Orleans*, is a financial advisor with Edward Jones in Baton Rouge.

**Stephen Prostor**, *Miami-Ohio*, is the director-financial sponsors lending with Citibank in New York.

**Nicholas Dontje**, *Michigan State*, is a buyer with Kohler Company in Kohler. Wisc.

**Jeannie Ender**, *Minnesota State*, is an admissions officer with Minnesota-Mankato in Mankato,

**Jason Roberts**, *Missouri-Kansas City*, is a presentation coordinator with Eastdill Secured LLC in Los Angeles.

Cleavie Lyerla, Missouri-St. Louis, is a COMSEC/secure voice manager with NCI Information Systems. Inc. in Belleville, Ill.

**Kevin Miquelon**, *Missouri State*, is president of the Pfoodman Group in Ballwin, Mo.

**Grant Mathison**, *Nebraska-Omaha*, retired as president & CEO of GM Manufacturing Co., Inc. in Hubbard, Iowa.

**Andrea Schrum**, *New Mexico State*, is a district AIDS specialist with the Peace Corps in Botswana, Africa.

April Spruill, North Carolina-Greensboro, is an accounting technician with the University of North Carolina Department of Pediatrics in Chapel Hill.

# 2003 National Honorary Initiate Greg Jones Joins State Farm's Chairman's Council

Brother Greg Jones, Senior Vice President of State Farm's California operations, is now a member of the Illinois-based corporation's thirteen-member Chairman's Council. The Chairman's Council is State Farm's top management office, with oversight responsibilities for all the operations of the nation's largest insurer of homes and autos. Jones will remain based in California while focusing his full-time efforts to further the company's education outreach and reform efforts.

As California Senior Vice President, Jones was responsible for a workforce of 6,000 employees and agents and served as president and CEO of State Farm General Insurance Co., the company's California homeowners and property insurer.



Brother Jones currently serves as chairman of the board of the California Business Roundtable; immediate past chairman of California Business for Education Excellence; member of the board of the California Chamber of Commerce; member of the boards of the Los Angeles and national Urban Leagues; past chairman of Junior Achievement of Southern California and a member of the board of Operation Hope. Among his many awards, in 2006 he was chosen Executive of the Year by the Los Angeles African American Chamber of Commerce and in that same year received an honorary doctorate degree from Franklin University.

**Ron Natherson**, *North Florida*, is vice president with Southern Oak Insurance Company in Jacksonville.

**Melissa Valdez**, *North Florida*, is a financial assistant with A.G. Edwards & Sons, Inc. in Jacksonville.

Victoria de la Cruz Bayona, Northern Illinois, is a candidate researcher/office manager with LionSearch, Inc. in Chicago.

Christina Hartnett, Northern Illinois, is an area rental manager with Enterprise Rent-A-Car in Springfield, Ill.

Mark Chiacchiari, Pennsylvania, is an IT manager with Progressive Insurance in Mayfield Village, Ohio. Mark currently serves Delta Sigma Pi as the Vice President-Organizational Development.

**Larry Mroz**, *Penn State-Erie*, is a team leader for the National City Private Client Group in Erie, Pa.

**Aaron Gross**, *Pittsburgh*, is selfemployed with Ohio Bath Solutions in North Olmsted, Ohio.

**Heather Thayer**, *Redlands*, is an inventory analyst with FiveTen in Redlands, Calif.

# Bedell Joins Mobil Steel's Board of Directors



Brother Leonard Bedell, *Texas A&M Kingsville*, president and chief executive officer of Mobil Steel for the past year, was recently named to the company's board of directors. Mobil Steel's board and shareholders recognized Bedell for his efforts in improving the company's production efficiencies, contract procurement and financial

strength, as well as customer service and vendor partnerships. Bedell has focused on initiatives to enable Mobil Steel's personnel to improve operational efficiencies, customer delivery schedules, and vendor partner relationships. "We have focused on our personnel and providing resources necessary to improve our goal of meeting and exceeding our customers' required scheduling and quality of product," Bedell said.

Linda Fritschy, Rider, has been certified as a PHR and is an accounting and HR manager with Endot Industries Inc., in Rockaway,

Nicholas Johnson. Rockhurst. is a staff accountant with Americo Life. Inc. in Kansas City. Mo.

Courtney Fujara, San Diego, is a marketing coordinator with Legacy Professionals LLP in Mt. Prospect,

Rebecca Norman, San Diego State, is an account coordinator with Blattel Communications in San Francisco

**Alice Tang.** San Jose State, is a project specialist with Cisco Systems in San Jose.

Sanjay Trivedi, San Jose State, is an executive team leader with Target in Hayward, Calif.

Michelle Allen, Savannah State, is a computer systems analyst with

**Brother Mark Mikelat Provides** 

"50 Tips for Effective Networking"

Brother Mark Mikelat, Arizona State, a professional

speaker, can now add author to his resume. His book, 50

Tips for Effective Networking covers networking strategies,

relationship building, personal communication, personal

image, and event management. "If you need to speak to

people to promote your business, your organization, or

Mikelat's "Building Aspirations" program. Using the

mantra, "Achieving What You Want for Yourself and Your

Life" (also the title of his next book), Brother Mikelat has

developed a three-step plan for achieving your aspira-

50 Tips for Effective Networking is just one piece of

yourself, you'll benefit from this book," says Mikelat.

SDS International in Atlanta.

Megan McGaulev. Siena, is an examiner with the NY Office of the State Comptroller in Hauppauge,

Brad Blanton, South Florida-Tampa, is a marketing manager with The Scotts Company in Marysville, Ohio. Brad currently serves Delta Sigma Pi as the East Central Regional Vice President.

David Sumrall, Southern Mississippi, retired as the Forrest County administrator and chief financial officer in Jackson.

Elizabeth Hoenshell, St. Ambrose, is an office assistant with Plant Equipment Company in Davenport, Iowa.

Mallorie Brugh, St. Cloud State, is a marketing intern with Lifetime Fitness Corporate Headquarters in Eden Prairie, Minn

Tyra Guennigsman, St. Cloud State, is a customer service represen-

tions. According to Mikelat, aspirations are your lifeblood, "what you truly and sincerely

want for yourself and your life. They are not what you could have, should have, or would

In addition to his Building Aspirations Corporation, Brother Mikelat also provides on-

sight training for corporations such as Acxiom, Bank of America, Gap.com, Wachovia

National Bank, and Mineshare. He has also served as emcee for various events including

the Miss Long Beach and Miss Greater Los Angeles USA Pageants. Finally, Mark teaches

international business and finance, import/export management, and general business at

Building Aspirations guide books are available at www.buildingaspirations.com.

Brother Mikelat's book 50 Tips For Effective Networking as well as numerous other

tative with St. Stephen State Bank in Sauk Rapids, Minn.

> **Aleah Howell**. St. Cloud State. is a server/bartender with Applebee's in Delano, Minn.

> **Joe Mayne**, St. Cloud State, is a region manager with W.J. Deutsch & Sons, Ltd., in Elk River, Minn. Joe currently serves Delta Sigma Pi as a Leadership Foundation Trustee.

Cory Stopka, St. Cloud State, is a contract processor with Preferred Credit, Inc. in St. Cloud, Minn.

Kevin Antes. St. Louis. is a commercial banking representative with Southwest Bank of St. Louis in St.

**Faith Hinchman**, St. Mary's, is a human capital specialist with UTSA Human Capital Program in San

Susan Avalos, Tampa, is a recruiter with Shulman Fleming & Partners William Bishop, Temple, is a lead software engineer with Vertex, Inc. in Berwyn, Pa.

Jayson Massey, Temple, is a QA analyst with eMoney Advisor in Conshohocken, Pa.

Thomasina Kierig, Texas-Arlington, is a financial analyst with Accuro Healthcare Solutions, Inc. in

Athena Andrade, Texas A&M-Corpus Christi, is the assistant manager with Dillard's in Corpus

LaShawn Dunbar, Trinity, is a meeting planner with Child Welfare League of America in Arlington,

Onuka Ibe, Truman State, is a business intelligence project manager with College Summit, Inc. in Washington, D.C. Onuka serves Delta Sigma Pi as the Northeastern Provincial Vice President.

president & COO with FNC, Inc. in

Brothers in New York.

Nebraska, is a senior training specialist with Information Technology, Inc. in Broken Arrow, Ok.

Mollie Trease, Wayne State-Nebraska, is a finance assistant manager with State Farm Insurance in

**Gus Allen**, Western Kentucky, is an IT director with Clear Channel Radio in Louisville

Winston Dsouza, Western Michigan, is a staff accountant with Rose Financial Services, LLC. in

Neely Lantz, West Virginia, is an

Jeffery Triplette, Wake Forest, is Oxford, Miss.

Daniel Covich, Washington-St. Louis, is an analyst with Lehman

Brandon Trease, Wayne State-

Rockville. Md

executive team leader with Target in Morgantown, W.V.

Nicholas James, Winona State, is in the retail development program with Nike Inc. in Beaverton, Ore.

Maggie Staff, Winona State, second vice president with Fiduciary Wealth Management Group was awarded the Certified Trust and Financial Advisor (CTFA) designation from the Institute of Certified Bankers (ICB), a nonprofit organization sponsored by the American Bankers Association, in Washington, D.C..

## **Milestones**

Did you just tie the knot? Welcome a new bundle of joy? Do you know a brother who has recently passed away? If so, please inform us. Email your mergers, gains, and losses to magazine@dspnet.org or mail your news to the Central Office.

### Mergers:

Kristen Bray, Central Missouri, and Henry McDaniel, Missouri-Kansas City, on July 17, 2006. They live in Kansas City.

Angela Cape and Michael **Homm**, both *Dayton*, on July 7. They live in Madeira Ohio.

Kelly Baluta, Drake, on September 2, to Kevin Rabin. They live in Issaquah, Wash.

William Bivens and Pamela Haynes, both New Mexico, on December 30, 2006. They live in Albuquerque.

Phillip Gaudreau and Adrienne Lesher, both Philadelphia, on May 27. They live in Philadelphia.

Matt Kitchie, Philadelphia, on October 21, to Megan Levengood. They live in Farmville, Va.

Stephanie Solomon and John Wolff, both Philadelphia, on June 23. They live in Philadelphia.

Kimberly Mynatt, Rockhurst, and Brad Kliethermes, Central Missouri, on July 7. They live in Kansas City.

Justin Strauss and Kelli Ecker, both St. Cloud State, on October 6. They live in Waconia. Minn.

Joseph Brooks, and Natalie **Evans**, both Saginaw Valley State, on July 21. They live in Saginaw, Mich.

#### Gains:

Bryan and Andrea Bieri, both Central Missouri, on April 24—Jackson William. They live in Independence, Mo.

Jeff, DePaul, and Jennifer, Lewis, **Zvch.** on April 17—Jackson Daniel. They live in Lemont, Ill.

Chris Thompson, George Mason, and **Kathy Lazo-Thompson**, New York, on October 17—Aidan and Brady. They live in Colonia, N.J.

Jeff, Georgia State, and Amy, Eastern Illinois, Corrigan, on April 18—Emily Kathryn. They live in Marietta, Ga.

Pete Diebel. *Iowa*, and Tami, on May 20—Reilly Patrick Quinn. They live in Winter Park, Fla.

#### Jeffrey Blanchard, Kennesaw

State, and Kate, on June 11—Brenna Rose. They live in Smyrna, Ga.

Christian Galoci, Longwood, and Lisa, on May 23—Seth William. They live in Springfield, Va.

Veronica DeLaGarza Craven, Louisiana State, and Chad, on December 1, 2006—Lindsey Leanne. They live in Greenwell Springs, La.

Ben, Missouri State, and Michele Henke, Truman State, on September 24—Anna Bernice. They live in Liberty, Mo.

Pamela and William Bivens, both *New Mexico*, on February 25—Brianna Kathryn-Emily. They live in Rio Rancho, N. M.

Ron Natherson. North Florida. and Jenny, on August 22, 2006—Lainey Everett. They live in Jacksonville.

Joel Wicker, North Texas, and Jennie, on February 27—Emma Grace. They live in Grapevine, Texas.

Kristi and Stan Sliva, both Northern Illinois, on June 2, 2006—Spencer John. They live in Itasca, Ill.

Holly McCall, Roger Williams, and Christopher, on February 26—Alexander Everett. They live in Vienna, Va.

Brad Quello, St. Thomas, and Barbara on June 14—Morgan Elizabeth. They live in Maple Grove, Minn.

Cheryl Bradley Smith, Virginia Tech, and Bryan, on March 15—Peyton Sloan. They live in New Burn, N. C.

#### Losses:

#### Auburn:

Charles L. Jones, Jr. (February 24) **Central Florida:** 

Maurice "Marty" Cruz (June 15)

#### DePaul:

Frank Kocimski (April 24)

#### Florida Atlantic:

Edward Zita (July 13) Georgia State: David Long

(February 19) Illinois-Urbana:

Ronald D. Brown (unknown)

#### Iowa:

Corv Schuster (March 29)

#### Louisiana Tech:

Charles William Rov. Jr. (unknown)

#### Maryland:

Edward G. Polivka, Jr. (May 30)

#### Menlo:

George Markham (April 12, 2006) James Whyte (February 10)

#### Miami-Florida:

Gary Salzman (July 3)

Minnesota-Minneapolis: Arthur Graham (Sept. 10, 2006)

#### Mississippi: Henry Christopher Henick, Jr.

(June 1) North Florida:

#### John Sapp (October 9)

Northwestern-Chicago: Robert Rebeck (June 2007)

Constantine Babalis (May 21)

#### **Penn State-State College:**

Robert Koehler (January 3)

#### Pittsburgh:

Robert Sekera (November 27, 2006)

#### Rockhurst:

Rick Downing (July 2007)

#### San Francisco State:

Sean McEneaney (August 25)

#### Southern Mississippi:

William Gene Yeatman, Jr. (May 25, 2000) John Boney (May 15, 1990)

#### St. Cloud State:

Jennifer Dolan (October 5)

#### Wayne State-Michigan:

Walter Akkashian (March 6) William Hazel (October 2) John Karr (March 13) W. Douglas "Spike" McKenzie (February 2, 2006)

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have, but simply what you want."

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#### Bellarmine/Kappa Psi

In August, Bellarmine hosted "Mini DSP Day," held the day before school began, to welcome brothers back to campus. In the spirit of Harry Potter, the event started with the announcement of "houses" (named for each of our Founders) and its residents. A breakout session followed where the goal was to network and come up with trivia questions about each brother to ask the other teams. Then the "houses" reconvened to compete against each other in a trivia game consisting of questions about the history of Deltasig and the submitted trivia questions. The grand prize was a gift certificate for a dinner at a local favorite restaurant.—P. Kime Le

#### California-Davis/Nu Rho

California-Davis brothers joined hundreds of students and residents in April for Relay For Life, a fundraiser for cancer research. Teams raise money and take turns walking the track. The goal is to keep at least one team member on the track for 24 hours, from 10 a.m. Saturday to 10 a.m. Sunday. According to the event's web site,

the Deltasig team received the most donations, raising over \$5,192. —Courtesy of The California Aggie Online

#### Cornell/Omicron Rho

Two Cornell organizations, the Mutual Investment Club of Cornell (MICC) and the Sustainability Enterprises Association (SEA). joined to launch the Sustainable Investment Challenge (SIC), a creative investment competition. SIC, an interdisciplinary competition, brings the concept of environmental-consciousness in business and industry to college campuses in the form of a hands-on contest. With the slogan "Money Should Be Green," SIC introduces business students to sustainability through awareness of both social and environmental issues and introduces environmentally conscious students to the concepts of investment and business. The pairing came about as the presidents of both organizations are members of Deltasig (MICC-Ariel Tan and SEA-Richard Weidel). "We came together as two members of Delta Sigma Pi wanting to make a difference in the undergraduate business community



In April, CINCINNATI brothers hosted a philanthropy golf outing at Neumann Golf Course benefiting Junior Achievement. In addition to the golf scramble, participants enjoyed hole competitions, raffles, and a silent auction where they bid on items ranging from a beach vacation to a Carson Palmer autographed football. Over 75 members of the university and local business communities attended the event, helping raise \$2,600 for Junior Achievement and Delta Sigma Pi. From left: James Clodfelder (non-brother), Phil DiCiero, Jeff Brawand, and Andrew Laskey.



DRAKE brothers participated in a spirited mud volleyball tournament during the spring Drake Relays. Back row, from left: Jenica Johnson, Justin Ernst, Sarah Tangerstrom, Erin Toomsen, Carly Hurley, Sara Ballou, Aaron Plond and Matt Branding; Middle, from left: Jackie Ketchum and Ashley Henry; Front, from left: Laura Pettengill and Amy Zsenai.

through our roles as business leaders on campus," Tan said. "Instead of investing in just any security, we challenge participants to critically think about investor responsibility by analyzing a company not only through its fundamental business operations, but through a holistic approach of its economic, social and environmental impacts to society. If the principles of sustainability and social responsibility are exposed to college students at an early stage, perhaps the future generation of business leaders will be influenced for the better —both in their thoughts and activities. We plan to make this huge, by increasing awareness at campuses across the nation and even other countries, in hopes of influencing the next generation of business leaders to have more socially responsible thought regarding business decisions." -Courtesy of The Cornell Daily Sun

# **Georgia Southern/** *Epsilon Chi*

On June 2, over 80 Georgia Southern brothers came together for a day of food, fun and fellowship. The idea of this first-ever Epsilon Chi Reunion was conceived by Jana James, Lorenzo West and Evette Lovelace—however, many additional brothers helped implement the event. During the reunion, initiation roll-call took place to recognize the oldest (Adrienne

Freeman) and newest (Mistura Onifade) brother in attendance. Plans to attend Congress were discussed and the dean of the College of Business Administration, Brother Shiffler, graciously paid for the registration of two brothers. The event was a huge success and next year's is already being planned. We hope to see many more familiar and new faces in 2008!—Evette Lovelace

#### Georgia State/Kappa

In the spring, we had Seashols N. Starks come and speak with our chapter on "Positioning You in the New Economy." Seashols gave an entertaining and excellent presentation about varying individual personalities that combine and make up a successful team. Each person's input helps to assure balance and perspective. The speaker brought in different items to associate with each type of individual. The presentation taught us that no matter what team we eventually end up on, we'll recognize what type of team member we are, as well as those around us-all leading to a successful working environment.—Tamara Cabarris

#### Purdue/Kappa Omega

Purdue brothers came up with a unique way to advertise their chapter—a video commercial. Brother Ahmad Bari combined his hobby of videography with marketing ideals to create a video advertisement for



This spring, SAN JOSE STATE brothers competed in Brotherhood Games – chapters from the Bay Area compete for the coveted BroGames Cup while gaining friendships and networking. Participants included San Jose State, Cal State-East Bay, San Francisco State, San Francisco, Santa Clara, California-Berkeley, Cal State-Sacramento and Cal State-Chico. This year, San Francisco State brothers named the cup in honor of Jimmy Yip, Cal State-East Bay, who died earlier this year.



For the second year in a row, brothers from COLORADO-BOULDER participated in the largest volunteer-driven fundraising program for childhood cancer, hosted by the St. Baldrick's Foundation ("Shaving the Way to Conquer Kids' Cancer"). Five brothers volunteered to shave their heads and the chapter raised over \$3,400 for the charity! Visit www.stbaldricks.org to find out how your chapter can get involved. From left: Steven Gilman and Jonathan Steuck.

his chapter. "It is my way of combining my interests to benefit the Fraternity," Bari said. The video started out as a promotional tool to be played at Fraternity recruiting events, but was changed to an advertisement played during classes pertaining to business. Feedback to the video was so positive that the chapter plans to continue using video messages to help recruit new members.—Courtesy of The Exponent Online

#### St. Louis/Beta Sigma

Alumni brother John Cook gave a university-wide lecture September 12. Motivated by his desire to give back to Deltasig, Cook spoke on how he was able to build his professional career through honesty, integrity, compassion, and hard work. He advised fellow students to pay attention to opportunities for community service in both the corporate and private sectors. He shared a story on how he exposed

an internal thief while working for local department store Stix, Baer & Fuller. He reported the theft to his superiors, eventually leading to his promotion to an internal auditor. As a result, in 1991 Cook founded his own successful company called The Profit Recovery Group, which thrived on helping companies find and regulate theft or inaccuracies within the financial aspects of the business. He also spoke on his humanitarian efforts (helping children in Nepal) and that empathy is a key point to building a successful leader that can understand and have compassion for his subordinates—Courtesy of Associated Content

#### Southern California/Phi

The Southern California chapter, along with the USC Marshall School of Business and the USC Viterbi School of Engineering sponsored, "The Business of Gaming Conference" September 28. This event focused on marketing,

finance, licensing, and entrepreneurship in the industry—a job fair also took place. Panelists and speakers included executives from Shiny Entertainment, Naughty Dog, High Moon, Insomniac Games, and other game industry companies.

—Courtesy of www.gamasutra.com.

#### Texas A&M-College/ Lambda Nu

Lambda Nu brothers held their first-ever golf tournament, April 14, at Pecan Lakes Golf Course in Navasota, benefiting the Candlelighters Children's Cancer Center. We'd like to thank the 60 players who took part in this event. In addition to the golf tournament, we also held a raffle and silent auction—prizes included golf clubs and Houston Astros baseball tickets. Thanks to our participants and volunteers, we raised \$3,000! Plans are already underway for our second tournament, taking place in the spring. —Corinne Baumgartner

### **Share Your Chapter's News!**

Here is your chance to share your chapter's activities with the rest of the Fraternity. Send your On Campus News to *magazine@dspnet.org* for publication in a future issue. You may include a photo. However, digital photos must be high-resolution (300 dpi or higher is required for printing). Also, please provide a detailed caption with your photo.

**Beyond Campus Beyond Campus** 

# "Beyond Campus" provides

opportunities for alumni chapters and brothers to share their activities and events with brothers across the country. Does your chapter have something to share? See the contents page for details on where to send your articles and pictures.

#### Atlanta

To kick off the Centennial year. we showed up in strength for Grand Chapter Congress with over 30 members in attendance! We networked, participated, helped influence the direction of our great organization and enjoyed the brotherhood that only Congress can provide.

Our first event was the annual Bill Borland picnic where 40 plus members, family and friends enjoyed terrific brotherhood and a wonderful BBQ lunch. We've also had our first monthly dinner meeting and a casual Saturday lunch social event. Our Centennial Celebration at the Vinings Club in Atlanta, November 3, was a night to remember. Reviewing the program, the presentations, the planned menu, our Fraternity history Quiz Show, the Cigar Aficionado initiation and, most importantly, the brotherhood, this was a once-in-alifetime event! —Wendy Braxton, Kennesaw State



LOYOLA-NEW ORLEANS alumni (from left) Jason Del Toro, Rachel Hicks, Brandy Harrington, Kelly Covington, and Brent Munster gathered together at the Orpheus Mardi Gras Ball in New Orleans February 19.

#### Chicago

In September, we had our first ever whirlyball event. With a mix of bumper cars and lacrosse, everyone had a competitive and fun time working in teams. October 6 provided a fun night out at Improv Comedy watching Christian Finnegan. On November 10, in connection with the North Central LEAD School, we hosted our Founders' Day event at the



The ARLINGTON LONE STAR Alumni Chapter celebrated National Alumni Day with a start to a new Mardi Gras tradition. Over 40 brothers from Texas Arlington, Texas Christian, North Texas and alumni from Arlington and Dallas were in attendance. The winners for the best beads are pictured (from left): Arlington Lone Star Alumni Chapter President Paul Brodie, with Texas-Arlington brothers Kallee Valentine, Tiffany Gooden, Sophia Chang and Sarah Kelsven.

Renaissance North Shore in Northbrook. We will end the year with our annual holiday, sharing the joy of the season with fellow brothers. —Meghan Konrad, Truman State

#### El Paso

We started off the year with great events and alumni members! With the cooperation of "Border to Border Ministry," we set up playgrounds for



On September 15, the DC METRO Alumni Chapter held its 2nd Annual DCMAC Fall Cookout, bringing together old friends and new faces throughout the DC metropolitan area. From left: Christine Screnci, Heath Marell, Jose Escobar, Dominique Joseph, Frank Hodas, Julia Roderique, Drew Hammel, Ben Trajtenburg, Northeastern Provincial Vice President Onuka Ibe, Adam Duncan and Marie Escobar.



Past Grand President Bill Tatum, Southern Mississippi, an extremely dedicated member of the Fraternity has added a Golden Helmet to his list of achievements. Congratulations, Bill!

neighborhoods with financial limitations in Colonia Casas Grandes. The main focus of the project was to provide entertainment opportunities for the kids in order to keep them away from crime and drugs, which unfortunately is a big problem. We also hosted speaker Vicki Mihalyov, recognized for her contributions to the business community by the United States S.B.A. in March of 2007. She presented a lecture on tax strategies for a part-time home or small business.—Juliana Maio, New Mexico State

#### **Philadelphia**

Our 5th annual putt-putt tournament was well attended with Brother Phil Almquist, Bentley, winning bragging rights for another year. We also hosted our 3rd annual Philadelphia Phillies Tailgate, bringing brothers near and far together for a game. Special thanks to the DC Metro Alumni Chapter brothers for joining us! Last, we kicked off the start of another school year with the Eta Xi (Philadelphia) chapter with an alumni recruitment picnic. Look for upcoming activities on our redesigned web site www.phillydsp.com. —Vice President Liz Calloway. Penn State-State College

### Congratulations Golden Helmet Honorees for 50 years of service!

Past Grand President Bill Tatum, Southern Mississippi, is the 1992 Lifetime Achievement Award Honoree, a Golden Council Member, and a Trustee Emeritus. His contributions to our Fraternity and Foundation are legendary—yet he continues to visit chapters and assist with their recruiting efforts as well as present recruiting sessions at LEAD events and Congress.

Ben Whisenant, North Carolina-Chapel Hill, has been involved for a number of years at local chapter events. His son Todd is also a brother, Golden Council member and former chapter consultant at the Central Office.

Harry Gamble, Rider, the 2007 Career Achievement Award Recipient (see page 6), also received a Golden Helmet award in June.

# Congratulations to Ben Whisenant, North Carolina-Chapel Hill, for his 50 years of fraternal service! Grand President Mitch Simmons presents

his Golden Helmet at the Orlando Congress.

### **Congratulations Silver Helmet** Honorees for 25 years of service!

**Alan Brunton**, *Akron*, is a Golden Council Member, District Director, past Regional Vice President, and active in the Cleveland-Akron Alumni Chapter. He also chairs the Northeastern Professional Development Committee.

Esther DiGiacinto, Johns Hopkins, is active in the Baltimore Alumni Chapter and served on its Board for many years. She is an RN and has earned 3 degrees in nursing. She is credited with being a founding charter member of the National Intravenous Therapy Association.

Paul J. P. Garcia, Southern California, has served as a District Director, Regional Director, Provincial Vice President and Vice President for Alumni Benefits and Services. He is a Golden Council Member and remains active in the Los Angeles Alumni Chapter and Southern California chapter.



Baltimore Alumni Chapter Member Esther DiGiacinto, Johns Hopkins, is honored with the Silver Helmet Award, presented by Grand President Mitch Simmons.

Joseph Goldblatt, Texas Christian, is a Golden Council Member and has most recently served as District Director for the Phoenix-Thunderbird Alumni Chapter. He served 27 years in the military. In the July 2005 issue of The DELTASIG, he was featured for his Bone Appetite Bakery and Boutique (better known as a doggie bakery) in Phoenix.

Carlos Hazday, Miami-Florida, is a Golden Council member: former Provincial Vice President, Regional Vice President and District Director: and most recently involved in the installation of the Florida International

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During the Centennial Congress in Orlando, alumni chapter members (from left) Kim Ward (CHICAGO), Amy Tyler (NORTH TEXAS), Allan Schuster (DENVER), Jeanne Levesque (NORTH TEXAS), Austin Radus (WEST PALM BEACH), Jeff Berlat (SPACE CITY HOUSTON) and (front row) Claire Moomjian (DC METRO) and Heath Marrell (DC METRO) tried to cool off by hopping on Splash Mountain at Disney World.

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#### **Beyond Campus**

**James Higgins**, Ball State, is a Golden Council Member and past Regional Director. Professionally he is a partner with an accounting firm in Indianapolis.

**Frederick Karr**, *Johns Hopkins*, is active in the Baltimore Alumni Chapter. He is a retired training superintendent for Domino Sugar Refinery.

Marlow Kee, Missouri-Columbia, is a Golden Council Member, past Provincial Vice President and past Regional Director. He is chief financial officer for a large international medical technology organization based in Seattle.

Beth Keith, Bowling Green State, is a Golden Council Member, past Provincial Vice President and Regional Director. She is president of the Atlanta Alumni Chapter and is a marketing and sales consultant for The Beren Group.

Larry Lunsford, Truman State, remains active with the university and his collegiate chapter. He is vice president of finance for Bernstein-Rein Advertising in Kansas City.



Leadership Foundation Trustee Emeritus Russ Brown (center), Arizona State, and wife, Sally, catch up with Silver Helmet recipient Joe Goldblatt, Texas Christian.

**Denita Morin**, *Georgia State*, is active in the Atlanta Alumni Chapter and currently treasurer of the chapter and a past District Director. She serves as manager, trusts and probate, for the Arthritis Foundation.



Brother Paul Garcia (far right), an extremely proud Southern California Trojan, really got into the spirit of his Šilver Helmet award presentation at the Orlando Congress! From left: Fellow Silver Helmet Honoree Beth Keith, Bowling Green State, Leadership Foundation Trustee Greg Howell, Past Grand President Bill Kinsella. Golden Council Member Fred Lipsey, Houston, and Garcia.

### **Alumni Chapters and Contacts**

For a list of all current alumni chapters and contacts, and information on how to start and/or franchise an alumni chapter (information normally found on the "Brotherhood Network" page), please visit www.dspnet.org (Alumni/Alumni Chapter Info).

# Delta Sigma Pi Leadership Foundation

# **DREAM BIG!!**

#### You never know what might happen.

When the Delta Sigma Pi Leadership Foundation announced its intention to raise \$100,000 in celebration of our Centennial Congress, some cautioned our goal was too aggressive and suggested perhaps we should be more realistic. The Leadership Foundation does have aggressive goals, and thanks to the financial contribution of the brothers highlighted on the following pages, we not only met our Congress goal



Eddie Stephens

of raising 100k, we surpassed it by 15%!!! This accomplishment is unprecedented in our fraternal history!!!

Thanks to you, the Leadership Foundation is strong. Our total account assets have grown to \$1,448,766, up from \$1,238,240 in 2006, \$1,068,545 in 2005, and \$878,225 in 2004. The list recognizing our cumulative givers appeared in July's Centennial issue. This and other past issues of The DELTASIG can be viewed at www.dspnet.org (Publications & Forms).

The Delta Sigma Pi Leadership Foundation now offers more than 70 scholarships and fellowships to brothers annually, as well as grants to some collegiate and alumni chapters for professional and educational development opportunities. These awards total more than \$80,000 each year.

We will continue to dream big. One of our strategic goals is to fully fund all programming (such as LEAD events and Grand Chapter Congress) for each Deltasig by the year 2015. In addition, we intend to help fund capital improvements to the Central Office so that it will continue to serve the Fraternity into our second century.

Will we meet these aggressive goals? Only time will tell. With your continued support, I believe we will.

So I challenge you to dream big. You will be amazed with what we WILL accomplish.

Proud to be a Deltasig!

Fraternally,

Eddie Stephens Chairman and President Delta Sigma Pi Leadership Foundation



Leadership Foundation Chairman Eddie Stephens, right, presents an award to Centennial Congress Emcee and Leadership Foundation Trustee Joe Mayne honoring his accomplishment of reaching the Entrepreneur Level (\$10,000-24,999) of cumulative giving.

#### **2007** Centennial Society Members Recognizing a Century of Progress

As part of Delta Sigma Pi's Centennial commemoration, the Fraternity's Board of Directors and the Delta Sigma Pi Leadership Foundation Board of Trustees have created the 2007 Centennial Society. Membership in the Society is lim-

ited to those individuals providing \$2,007 in unrestricted gifts between July 1, 2003 and June 30, 2008. Membership will be bestowed to individuals upon reaching \$2,007.

The funds raised through membership in the 2007 Centennial Society will be used to support and secure future educational, leadership and scholarship opportunities for our brotherhood.

Special recognition of Society members will occur at all national and provincial Fraternity events. Additional recognition will be provided through inclusion in *The DELTASIG*, and a final list of all Society members will be on permanent display at the Central Office.

We invite you to provide for our future, honor our past and join the 2007 Centennial Society

#### **2007 Centennial Society Members** As of 10/25/07

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### 2007 Scholarship Recipients

Each year the Leadership Foundation awards over 40 academic scholarships and fellowships, in addition to scholarships awarded to the National Collegian of the Year and the Provincial and Regional Collegians of the Year. All of these financial awards are made possible through endowed funds. Applications are due by June 30 of each year, and are available at www.dspnet.org/scholarship by February 15. Award amounts range from approximately \$500 to more than \$5,000 each. Listed below are the scholarship/fellowship recipients for 2007.

#### Founder's Memorial Undergraduate

Sarah Ranney, Rider Tatyana Rozhko, Massachusetts-Boston Bradley Sadowski, Loyola-Chicago Janene Winton, Central Florida

#### **National Dean's List**

Sarah Green. Missouri-Kansas Amy-Jo Hollister, Wayne State-Detroit Emily Keith, *Penn State-Erie* Colleen Peterson, Wayne State-Detroit

#### **Melvin Wolfe Undergraduate**

Burton Bridges, Christian Brothers Rachelle Divis, Wayne State-Nebraska

#### **Alpha Theta Chapter**

Brian Rapien, Cincinnati Jenna Yoder, Cincinnati

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Lindsay Boyd, Missouri-Columbia

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Beta Chapter - Robert O. Lewis

Mike Thomsen, Southern California

#### **Beta Gamma Chapter**

Stephanie Faeh, South Carolina

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**Brother Alfred Moroni/Epsilon Psi** 

Burton Bridges, Christian Brothers

#### **Bob and Dorothy Busse**

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#### **Daniel Plaster/Kappa Chapter**

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Nu Sigma Chapter

Katelyn Savasta, Roger Williams

**South Pacific Region** 

Veronica Quon, Southern California

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Frank M. Busch Scholarship-Ana' Matherne, Our Lady of Holy Cross

Victor A. Tabor Scholarship-Mushfiga Jamaluddin, Texas-Austin

R. Alan Ferrington Scholarship-Ginger Clements, Louisiana Tech

Thomas W. Tanner Scholarship-KaWai Alfredo Ng Ng, Houston

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Cora Eggen, Rockhurst Kevin Hitchcock, Bellarmine Katie Hull, Rockhurst

Kevin Zachman, Grand Valley State

#### The Delta Sigma Pi Leadership Foundation Trustees thank the following committee members who devoted many hours selecting the scholarship and fellowship recipients:

John Richardson, Arizona State, who served as chair; Frank Busch, Sam Houston State; Heather Ferguson, Tampa; Katie Koch, Eastern Illinois; Claire Moomjian, Akron; Mark O'Daniell, Northwestern-Chicago; Kris Palmer, Longwood; Nick Steinkrauss, Suffolk; and James "Duckie" Webb, Houston.

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Robert O. Hughes, Pennsylvania Randy L. Hultz, Truman State Onuka Ibe, Truman State Kathleen M. Jahnke, Northern Illinois

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Brian P. Krippner, Truman State Kimberly Kromberg, Nebraska-

Norman Kromberg, Nebraska-Lincoln



Shawn and Jeanne Gregory, both Tampa, accept their award for reaching the Cornerstone Level (\$5,000–9,999) of Cumulative Giving from Leadership Foundation Chairman Eddie Stephens, left.

Patricia La Marr. Redlands Peter LaCava, Bentley Susan S. Lackey, Our Lady of Holy Cross

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The Leadership Foundation Board of Trustees developed the 10K Club to

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better secure the next 100 years of Delta Sigma Pi. Individuals giving at least \$10,000 in unrestricted gifts to the Leadership Foundation between July 1, 2003 and June 30, 2012, will earn membership in the 10K Club. All gifts that count toward the 2007 Centennial Society also count toward becoming a member of the 10K Club. Those who joined before the Centennial Congress (listed below) are "10K Club Centennial Founders" and will be **CENTENNIAL FOUNDER** designated as such.

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West Palm Beach Alumni Chapter Western Province Jeffrey E. Zych, DePaul

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#### **Grand President's Circle**

The Grand President's Circle is open to collegiate members attending a provincial or national event who donate at least \$10 to the Leadership Foundation and commit to serve the Fraternity after graduation. Members also pledge to contribute at least \$10 per year to the Leadership Foundation during their remaining undergraduate years and at least \$50 per year thereafter. During the past year, nearly 250 brothers joined the Grand President's Circle, bringing the total membership to more than 4,600 brothers! To review a complete list of all Grand President's Circle members, visit www.dspnet.org, click on Leadership Foundation, Giving Programs and then Grand President's Circle. You can also visit this site for more information about this program and all programs offered by the Delta Sigma Pi Leadership Foundation.

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Number in parenthesis after the name indicates consecutive years of giving \$100 or more, based on the Foundation's fiscal year of July 1 to June 30.

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Leadership Foundation Chairman Eddie Stephens (right) congratulates Mark and Claire Roberts for reaching the Fifth Founder Level (\$50,000–99,999) of Cumulative Giving. Mark is the 2007 Lifetime Achievement Award Honoree, while both Mark and Claire are Trustees Emeriti and Golden Council members.



Susan Lackey hopes she purchased one of the winning raffle tickets! Prizes at the Congress raffle included a diamond badge! \$5,564 was raised for the Leadership Foundation through the raffle. From left: Lackey, Jerry Hotwagner, Rick Flynn and Cassie Bissonette.

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Leadership Foundation Trustee Barrett Carter and wife. Kimberly (not pictured) are proud supporters of the Leadership Foundation and Fraternity and have achieved the Cornerstone Level (\$5,000-9,999) of cumulative giving.

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A fund may be designated to provide scholarships for members from a particular chapter or group of chapters or based on other criteria. Similarly, a fund may be designated to generate grants for an educational program that has special meaning to the donor.

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For more details, or to start a named/endowed fund, contact the Leadership Foundation at foundation@dspnet.org or 513-523-1907 x237.

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# **Living Legacy Society**

(as of 10/25/07)

The Living Legacy Society is a planned giving program recognizing those brothers investing in the future in a special way. Through their planned gifts, these brothers help ensure a Delta Sigma Pi legacy of future generations of business leaders. You can join the Living Legacy Society by making a provision in your will or trust, or by naming the Leadership Foundation as a life insurance beneficiary.

The Leadership Foundation salutes the following brothers who have made a special investment in the future by joining the Living Legacy Society. In the case of those brothers marked as deceased, the Foundation already has received a bequest. If you are interested in learning more about the Living Legacy Society and how you can join, please email foundation@dspnet.org or call 513-523-1907.

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Leadership Foundation Trustee Lisa Schram and husband, Gus, a Golden Council member, have been active supporters of the Leadership Foundation and Fraternity for many years. Leadership Foundation Chairman Eddie Stephens (center) was proud to announce they had reached the Entrepreneur Level (\$10,000–24,999) of cumulative giving.

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Brothers hand out "100 Grand" bars, possibly a subtle hint of the amount they hoped to raise during the Centennial Congress celebration! From left: Atlanta Alumni Chapter member Bylli Daniels. Leadership Foundation Chairman Eddie Stephens, Leadership Foundation Trustee Emeritus Claire Moomiian and then National Community Service Chair Liz Calloway.



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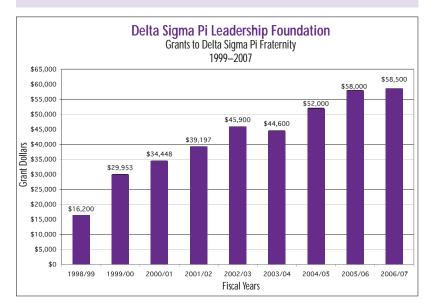
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Leadership Foundation Trustee Greg Koch proudly adds the final flower to the Centennial cake representing the

the final flower to the Centennial cake, representing the achievement of the goal to raise \$100,000! Not only did the Leadership Foundation meet their goal, they surpassed it by 15%!

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Priscilla Rogers, (2) Tennessee Rene A. Romero, (2) San Diego State Michelle L. Royse, (12) Indiana State John N. Rudolph, Jr., Philadelphia James A. Saccullo, Florida Atlantic Michael F. Sapera. New Orleans Richard H. Sargavy, Rutgers Craig B. Sawin, Non-Member Darrell A. Sawyer, (16) Arizona State Angela Schelp, (8) Central Missouri Gary A. Schindel, South Dakota Kristine L. Schmidt, (2) Miami-

John P. Schnierle. Cincinnati David C. Schulte Nebraska-Omaha Jill A. Schuneman. Non-Member Jeffery S. Scott, Oklahoma Mark A. Shannon, St. Peter's Shiloh D. Shannon, (3) Angelo State Steven F. Shebik Illinois-Urbana David K Sherry (2) Suffolk Robert R. Short, (18) Arizona State George R. Simkowski, Wisconsin-Karen Smiley, Non-Member

Patricia A. Smith, Akron John A. Smolich. Cal State-Sacramento

Michael R. Sobol, Western Michigan John J. Sonday. (3) Lewis Michael S. Southard, (2) Tampa Christina L. Spitz, (14) Indiana State Joy A. St. John, Florida State Donald C. Stading, Nebraska-

Karen M. Stebelski, (2) Truman William F. Stebelski, (2) Cal State

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Will your company match your gift to the Delta Sigma Pi Leadership Foundation? These companies did in 2006-2007...

American International Group, Inc. Amsted Industries, Inc. Arvinmeritor Association Management Service Partners, Inc. Cooperative Bank Coca Cola Enterprises, Inc. Gannett Media Technologies International Harris Bank ING **Kev Bank Foundation** Lyondell Monsanto Pepsico Progressive Insurance Symetra Financial T. Rowe Price Verizon Wireless VML Foundation

Renee D. Stewart, (2) Philadelphia Leroy W. Stewart. Indiana-Katherine E. Kessler Stratton. George Mason Jarret M. and Barbara Strawn, (5)

Wellpoint Foundation

Wells Fargo

Tampa (both) David A. Straz, Jr., Marquette David C. Sutton, Tennessee Suzanne M. Swire, (5) Cincinnati John B. Talbert, Jr., North Carolina-Chapel Hill

James Tang, Non-Member Traci S. Taplin, Cal State-Northridge James A. Taylor, (2) Wisconsin Ben D. Templeton, St. Edward's

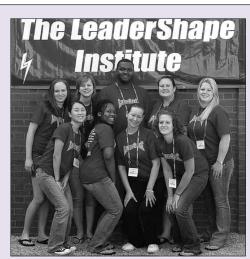
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Katherine L. Uy, Lovola Marymount Thomas E. Van Houten, Jr., (18) Georgia State Lawrence Van Quathem, (5)

Jennifer L. VanDyke, (4) Grand Valley State Kevin B. Ward, (3) Louisiana-

John A. Watton, (2) Florida Atlantic

Kent State District Director and Golden Council member Rich Garber receives congratulations from Leadership Foundation Chairman Eddie Stephens (left) for achieving the Cornerstone Level (\$5,000-9,999) of cumulative giving.



Kristin Cruikshank, San Diego State, Kelsev Wilhelm, Winona State, Ollie Moses, Southern Mississippi, Stephanie Webb, Mercer, and Janene Winton, Central Florida. Front row (from left): Connie Choi, Cal Poly-Pomona, Bridget Member-Meneh, Missouri-St. Louis, Patricia Burke, Missouri-St. Louis, and Ashley Henry, Drake.

Each year the Leadership Foundation sponsors collegiate brothers to attend the LeaderShape® Institute—an intensive, energizing and unique educational experience designed to develop students' ability to lead with integrity. This year nine brothers made the trip to Allerton, Ill. At the Institute, participants create a "LeaderShape Vision," a project implemented throughout the following year. This year's Deltasig participants decided their vision would be to support Deltasig, as a way to give back.

2007 LeaderShape Attendees: Back row (from left):

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Mid-Atlantic Regional Vice President John Cookson (right) catches up with Howard brothers Jamie Terry, Shayla Coleman, and Averi Thomas-Moore during one of the breaks. Congress provided a great chance for leaders to interact with collegiate brothers in their region.

# Top 10 Chapters with Highest # of Initiates Since Their Founding (as of 6/30/07)

Missouri-Columbia ('23) . . . . 3,437 Colorado-Boulder ('26) . . . 2,889 Texas-Austin ('30) . . . 2,839 Indiana ('25) . . . 2,640 Iowa ('20) . . . 2,573 Miami-Ohio ('27) . . . 2,561 Auburn ('31) . . . 2,404 Georgia ('22) . . . 2,377 Florida ('29) . . . 2,326 Oklahoma ('29) . . . . 2,218

# Top 10 Chapters with Highest # of New Initates (2006–07)

New York\* . . . . 48
Missouri-Columbia . . . . 42
Washington State\* . . . . 37
Texas Tech . . . . 33
Arizona . . . . 30
Dayton . . . . 29
Indiana . . . . 27
Georgia . . . . 26

\*installation/reactivation

# By the Numbers

Delta Sigma Pi is celebrating its Centennial with numerous events across the country. Thank you to all who helped us achieve many successes during our 100 years of brotherhood.

A look at numbers for the 2006–2007 fiscal year:

**100** – The number of years Delta Sigma Pi celebrated on November 7, 2007. Happy Centennial Birthday, Delta Sigma Pi!!

**1260**–Brothers and guests present at the Centennial Grand Chapter Congress Celebration in Orlando (technically in '07–08, but we are celebrating anyway!)

**191**–Active collegiate chapters

**60**-Franchised alumni chapters for '07–08

—a record number!

**4697**–New members initiated, including 114 faculty and 10 honorary—a record number!

**98**-Chapters visited by an Educational and Leadership Consultant or other Central Office staffer

**17–** Campuses visited in expansion efforts

**4**- Chapter installations or reactivations (New York, Frostburg State, Washington State, Texas-San Antonio)

**216,650**– Total membership recorded of Delta Sigma Pi initiates world-wide

**64**-Number of pages in the special July Centennial edition of *The DELTASIG* magazine. This and other recent issues are available for viewing at <a href="https://www.dspnet.org">www.dspnet.org</a> (Publications)—along with various other newsletters and manuals.

1453-2006 LEAD School registrants

**1519–**2007 LEAD Provincial Conference and Council Meeting registrants

**81–**Number of Delta Sigma Pi Leadership Foundation scholarship/fellowship recipients for 2007

**1890**–Number of miles select items from the Central Office Buzz and Stonie Sutton Archives Room traveled to be on display at the Centennial Grand Chapter Congress.

**13**-Number of colonies—Delaware (installation) and Boston (reactivation) were installed in October (bringing active chapter count to 193)



Truman State brothers show their Deltasig spirit during the Grand President's Dance at the Orlando Congress! From left: Anne Bax, Bret Day, Devin Dorosh, Amanda Romine, Stacey Berger, Ryan Saffer and Matt Desrosiers.

# Total annual initiates 5-year comparison:

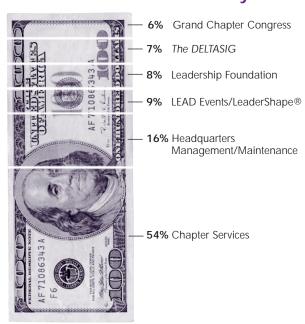
′02–′03 4,278
′03–′04 4,461
′04–′05 4,346
′05–′06 4,356
′06–′07 4,697

#### 2006-2007 Where Does the Money Come From?



	· —	\$1,698,22
3%	Leadership Foundation Grants	\$58,50
5%	Royalties/Investments	\$86,78
5%	Leadership Foundation Management Fees	\$92,40
8%	Insurance, Regalia and Other	\$133,01
10%	LEAD Events	\$173,99
15%	Jewelry and Merchandise Sales	\$260,95
20%	Initiation Fees	\$332,91
34%	Dues and Alumni Franchise Fees	\$559,66

#### 2006-2007 Where Does the Money Go?



54%	Chapter Services	\$847,212
16%	Headquarters Management/Maintenance	\$242,369
9%	LEAD Events/LeaderShape®	\$140,869
8%	Leadership Foundation	\$124,812
7%	The DELTASIG	\$112,351
6%	Grand Chapter Congress	\$89,976
		\$1,557,589

Expansion

# Spring Bloomed with a Historical Reactivation and Two Installations!

#### Alpha Chapter at New York Reactivated

In March 2006, a group of students were officially recognized as a colony to reactivate Alpha Chapter at New York University. Their efforts culminated into a successful reactivation April 14, 2007 with 47 students and one faculty member being initiated at the Leonard N. Stern School of Business. The students were largely supported and prepared for their big day by District Director Lesley Ross, *Connecticut*, and Pledge Educator (and Golden Council Member) Wendy Eilers, *Eastern Illinois*.

Following initiation, a banquet to reinstall the chapter was held at Sal Anthony's Italian banquet hall in the Little Italy area of Manhattan. Alpha alumni member and then Eastern Regional Vice President Kathy Lazo-Thompson (who served as Mistress of Ceremonies) had been instrumental in gaining university approval for Alpha's return. Grand President Mitch Simmons presented a new charter to Alpha Chapter and recognized each new member. Other special presentations were made by Northeastern Provincial Vice President Onuka Ibe, Executive Director Bill Schilling, and Director of Chapter and Expansion Services Dale Clark.

Students assisting with the ceremony included brothers from Rider and Ohio Dominican. Many other individuals also assisted and supported the event including then Vice President-Finance Joelle Berlat, Vice President-Organizational Development Mark Chiacchiari, Steel Valley Regional Vice President Wayne Lauer, then National Community Service Chair Liz Calloway, and Golden Council members Velvet Simmons, *Louisiana-Monroe*, and David Hennel, *Bentley*, and members from collegiate and alumni chapters in California, Georgia, New York, Pennsylvania, Florida and Washington, DC.



Deltasig's Alpha Chapter at NYU saw their hopes for reactivation become reality April 14 with 47 students and one faculty member initiated.

New York University is a private university founded in 1831. Today, enrollment is nearly 40,000 students in 14 schools and colleges. The School of Business was founded in 1900 as the School of Commerce, Accounts, and Finance and was named the Leonard N. Stern School in 1988. Delta Sigma Pi began as a Fraternity at NYU in 1907 and is extremely pleased to have reactivated Alpha during its Centennial year!

### Omicron Chi Chapter Installed at Frostburg State

April 21 was the installation of Omicron Chi (#262) at Frostburg State University in Frostburg, Maryland (near Cumberland). The colony began in February 2006 following interest meetings to organize in fall 2005. The Dean and Assistant Dean, Danny Arnold, *Louisiana Tech*, and Connie Groer supported the group and helped achieve the goal of full chapter status.

Frostburg State was founded in 1898 as Maryland's second State Normal School with a two-acre site of land. Today, the university encompasses 260 acres with enrollment of over 4,200 students. While business programs were offered since the early 1970s, The College of Business was officially organized in 1987 and recently became AACSB accredited.

Pledge education was administered by District Director (and Golden Council member) Mickey Johnson, *Shepherd*, and Dean Danny Arnold. At initiation, 32 students and five faculty members became charter members of Omicron Chi. Grand President Mitch Simmons conducted the ceremonies assisted by students from West Virginia and Shepherd. Brother Simmons also presented the chapter charter during a banquet at the Rocky Gap Resort attended by many family members and brothers.

The banquet was emceed by Capital Regional Vice President Frank Hodas and other presentations were made by Northeastern Provincial Vice President Onuka Ibe, Director of Information Services Michael Banks, Vice President-Organizational Development Mark Chiacchiari, and Director of Chapter and

Expansion Services Dale Clark. Others assisting and supporting the event included Golden Council members Barbara Balcita, *Penn State-Erie*, Corie Schilberg, *Penn State-Erie*, Catherine Merdian, *North Texas*, Clifford 'Sparky' Graves, *Penn State-Erie*, 2006 National Collegian of the Year Jason Campbell, District Director Arnel Balcita, *Penn State-Erie*, and Jennifer Holt, *Johns Hopkins*.

#### Deltasig's First Northwest Chapter Installed at Washington State

Our first collegiate chapter in the northwest(#263) was installed at Washington State University in Pullman on April 28. A graduate student, Brian Gillespie, began recruiting in 2005 after learning of the Fraternity from Alyse Aldrich, Northern Arizona. Grand President Mitch Simmons declared 38 students and four faculty members to be the charter members of Omicron Psi Chapter during initiation and installation ceremonies. Students were pledged with support from the faculty and visits from Western Provincial Vice President Chuck Brown and Director of Chapter and Expansion Services Dale Clark.

The initiation, held at Washington State's College of Business was conducted by a team of Deltasigs including Simmons,



The Fraternity continues to grow with the 262nd chapter installed at Frostburg State University, in Frostburg, Maryland, April 21. Faculty/staff initiates pictured: Carol Gaumer (2nd row, 4th from right), Connie Groer (2nd row, 3rd from right), Shakil Rahman (2nd row, 2nd from right), Paul Lyons (2nd row, far right) and Evan Offstein (3rd row, far right).

Brown, Bay Area Regional Vice President Lisa Brown, Leadership Foundation Trustee Greg Howell, Golden Council members Mark, San Francisco, and Claire Roberts, San Francisco State, Los Angeles Alumni Chapter members Jim, Southern California, and Rochelle Siegrist, Cal State-Long Beach, and Seattle Alumni Chapter members Kelly Baluta, Drake, and Deborah Saenz, New Mexico.

The chapter charter was granted by Grand President Simmons during a banquet at the University Inn in Moscow, Idaho. Various alumni mentioned assisted with presentations of the chapter gavel, scholarship key plaque, and greetings from other brothers across the land. Kelly Baluta was introduced as the chapter's new district director and colony officers all received recognition for their service. The new chapter looks forward to assisting with other expansion in the great northwest.

Washington State was founded in 1890 as a land-grant institution and first named Washington Agricultural College and School of Science. It has been entrusted with 190,000 acres of land throughout the Pacific Northwest. Enrollment is now over 18,000 students. The College of Business awarded the first business degree in 1940 though business courses have been taught since 1892. The bachelors, masters, and doctoral levels all hold AACSB accreditation.



Many leaders offered their support at these expansion events. To help celebrate the installation of Washington State, the first chapter installed in the northwest, were, among others, Grand President Mitch Simmons (back row, far left) and Western Provincial Vice President Chuck Brown (standing at right).

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"I thought this magazine was one of the best yet!"—Leadership Foundation Chairman Eddie Stephens

"Let me commend you on the information-packed recent DELTASIG. As a faculty brother and historian, I enjoyed the pictures and the articles, although I must take exception to one article.

The article "What is Delta Sigma Pi Material?" which I realize was written in 1924, I did find objectionable because of the use of the words "men," "man," and "he." I realize that in 1924, women may not have been allowed in Delta Sigma Pi and when "he" does refer to women he does so parenthetically. It would have been nice if there was a preamble written by you, indicating that where reference was made only to the male gender, all Deltasigs be made aware of the important role that female brothers have made over the past many years.

Of course, I do understand women may not have been held in such high esteem or considered Delta Sigma material and I am assuming Deltasig was 99.99% male for many decades, including the decade in which the article was written. Thank God the world has changed and we are sensitive to the successful women Delta Sigma Pi's and the contributions they have made not only to their chapter, but the Fraternity as a whole.

I have been a faculty brother for 28 years and am proud to say I am a Deltasig and pleased that the Fraternity here at Albany has seen fit to honor me with the title "chapter advisor" for many years.

Thank you for allowing me to comment."

Fraternally, John S. Levato Assistant Dean-Albany

PS—I was thrilled to see a photograph of Harold "Doc" Cannon in this issue. He left us way too young and was my mentor and friend. I miss him dearly.

"Special thanks to all those who contributed to The DELTASIG's 100th Anniversary Centennial Edition! Every once in a while its good to take a break from the regular Deltasig news and focus on where we've come from. It was a lot of extra work . . . and it is appreciated! The extra focus on celebrating the Centennial definitely contributed to the record breaking 1,200+ brothers at the 46th Grand



Additional copies of the Centennial History are available, free, by contacting the Central

Chapter Congress this August in Orlando. Thanks to the Central Office staff and National officers for their dedicated work every day and vision for where we are heading in the next 100 years!"

Fraternally yours, Beth Losik Kansas City Alumni Chapter

"I regret to inform you that my brother, Emil E. Schuster. *Arizona State*. passed away October 31, 2006. Your 100th anniversary issue has arrived and was full of history Emil would have enjoyed. Your magazine is excellent."

Thank you, Dorothy Smith

Brothers.

"It was an absolutely great Congress and will be hard to top. You should feel pleased with the results.

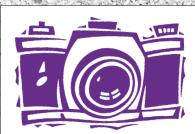
Thanks! 2006 Lifetime Achievement Honoree Jim Prescott



#### **Fraternity Board Meeting Notes**

(from August Meeting held in Orlando)

- Changed CEI to ease reporting requirements and improve focus on chapter performance.
- Awards program changes including revamped COY application process; creation of Regional Awards Selection Committee; Deltasig Career and Lifetime Achievement Awards to be given in alternating years; and Junior Achievement replaced with provincially selected option for community service awards.
- Added Progressive Insurance (recruiting), Unitrin (home and property insurance) and Long Term Care Resources (John Hancock, MetLife, Prudential and Penn) as sponsors/partners.



#### **Enter our Centennial Photo** Contest!

In honor of the Centennial, join in the celebration by showing your Fraternity spirit! Take a picture of your chapter celebrating the Centennial (in whatever creative way you come up with!) and see your brothers featured nationally! Display your Centennial pride on shirts, sidewalks, signs, etc. Winning entries will receive valuable prizes and recognition! Send your highresolution (minimum 300 dpi) photos to magazine@dspnet.org (or Delta Sigma Pi, c/o Stacy Donahoe, 330 South Campus Ave., Oxford, OH 45056). Entries must be received by January 15, 2008. Winners will be announced at the '08 **LEAD Provincials** 





# 2008 Calendar of Events:

February 8-10

Northeastern LEAD Provincial Conference-Buffalo

February 15-17

North Central LEAD Provincial Conference-Indianapolis

February 22-24

South Central LEAD Provincial Conference-Oklahoma City

February 29-March 2

Southern LEAD Provincial Conference-Birmingham

March 7-9

Western LEAD Provincial Conference-San Diego Leadership Foundation Board of Trustees Meeting-San Diego

July 15-20

LeaderShape®, Allerton, Ill.

April 25

National Alumni Day!

August 1

Fraternity Board Meeting

October 11

Denver LEAD School

October 18

Boston LEAD School

Visit www.dspnet.org for a complete listing of events.



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A patriotic fife and drum corps from Disney led the 2005–07 Grand Officers into the Centennial kick-off banquet. The corps was followed by a rousing rendition of the National Anthem.

Centennial Grand Chapter Congress (continued from page 3)
"Landing the First Impression" sessions and Past Grand
President Mike Mallonee gave his "farewell performance" of
the historical series he has coordinated for many years, "The
First 100 Years," featured fellow Past Grand Presidents Randy
Hultz and Kathy Jahnke, 2001 Lifetime Achievement Recipient
Bob Hughes, Golden Council member Kevin Zachman,
Atlanta Alumni Chapter Vice President Donna Zachman and
co-host Golden Council member Rich Garber. The night ended
with a Pleasure Island/Downtown Disney group outing.
Brothers truly took over the area, some even getting the chance
to be a part of some comedy club attractions!

Saturday brought the conclusion of the business sessions, where your new leadership team was elected. See page 8 to



Brother Todd Mirell, California-Davis, led the business sessions as Congress chancellor—quite a daunting task and one he excelled at! Corie Schilberg, Penn State-Erie, served as parliamentarian and is also to be applauded for her efforts.

meet those who will lead the Fraternity into its next 100 years! Also, as part of our Centennial history series, brothers were treated to a Past Grand Presidents panel, emceed by Brother Augustine. Then it was time for the official kick-off to our Centennial—the banquet and dance! With a patriotic fife and drum corps leading the 2005–07 Grand Officers into the room, an amazing rendition of "The Star Spangled Banner," in true Disney style, a performance by Disney's Brooklyn Skyline, the presentation of the 2007 Lifetime Achievement Award to Brother Mark Roberts (see page 9), an oversized ice sculpture and birthday cake and a toast to 100 years of brotherhood, the evening was a great start to the celebrations yet to come in this Centennial year!



Congratulations to the 2007–09 Board of Directors, elected at Congress! From left: South Central Provincial Vice President Jeff Gallentine, Past Grand President Kathy Jahnke, Northeastern Provincial Vice President Onuka Ibe, Western Provincial Vice President Chuck Brown, Grand President Mitch Simmons, North Central Provincial Vice President Amy Briggs, 2006 Collegian of the Year Jason Campbell, Vice President-Organizational Development Mark Chiacchiari, 2007 Collegian of the Year Vicki Frantz and Southern Provincial Vice President David Ross. Executive Director Bill Schilling and VP-Finance Joe Ward not pictured.



Golden Council member Claire and 2007 Lifetime Achievement Award Honoree Mark Roberts greet new friends Captain Hook and Smee during Wednesday's pirate-themed Grand President's Dance.



Select items from the Buzz and Stonie Sutton Archives at the Central Office made their way to Congress. Thanks to Past Grand President Bill Tatum for his assistance and use of his display cases!



While voting is always a part of Congress, the vote for favorite GEICO mascot (gecko vs. caveman) led to some serious division among brothers! GEICO was one of many affinity partners present.

### **Grand Chapter Legislation:**

Bylaw Amendment 1-PASSED-Change Article III, Section 1 to remove "August or September" from GCC timing language. GCC can now be held in July—or any other time the Board chooses, if such need arises.

Bylaw Amendment 2–FAILED–Alumni chapter chartering and franchising requirements will remain unchanged.

Bylaw Amendment 3–PASSED–Clarifies that Article IV, Section 4, allows members to be nominated for Grand Office as long as they reach the 3-year membership requirement by the date of their election or appointment.

Bylaw Amendment 4-FAILED-No changes will be made to the "election of pledges" sections of the Bylaws.

Bylaw Amendment 5-PASSED-Article II, Section 11 will be changed to move the Illinois counties in the St. Louis metro area from the North Central to the South Central Province. Related policy language on regions will also be changed.

# Congratulations Penn State-State College and the Philadelphia Alumni Chapter...

# **Deltasig's National Outstanding Chapters!**

See more winners on page 13.

- Recipient of Penn State's Smeal College of Business's Corporate Involvement Award, recognizing the best overall quality of events that included corporate participation.
- Raised over \$24,850 for Penn State's Dance Marathon.
- Created a business fraternity council, in an effort to improve relationships with the four other business fraternities on campus.



Outstanding Collegiate Chapter Penn State-State College! From left: Northeastern Provincial Vice President Onuka Ibe, 2007 National Collegian of the Year Vicki Frantz, Grand President Mitch Simmons, Jennifer Morelli, Sarah Beatty, Chase Walters and then Eastern Regional Vice President Kathy Lazo-Thompson.



The Outstanding Alumni Chapter is Philadelphia! Front row, from left: Pamela Jantz, Penn State-Erie, Dara Henry, Philadelphia, President Conchita Dixon, Penn State-Erie, current Eastern Regional Vice President Tom Calloway, Penn State-Erie, Grand President Mitch Simmons, Maria Ramos, Roger Williams, Renee Stewart, Philadelphia, then Eastern Regional Vice President Kathy Lazo-Thompson, New York. Back row, from left: Northeastern Provincial Vice President Onuka Ibe, Kyle Junk, Penn State-Erie, then National Community Service Chair Liz Calloway, Penn State-State College, Rob McGahen, Penn State-Erie, 2006 Collegian of the Year Jason Campbell, Penn State-Erie, Clifford "Sparky" Graves, Penn State-Erie, and Suzanne Swire, Cincinnati.

- Hosted a casino night at 2006 Fall LEAD School—raising more than \$2,000 for the Leadership Foundation.
- Created a professional program focused on mentorship and networking members make themselves available to local collegiate chapters and colonies
- Regular participation in provincial community service events

Your chapter's name could be here next year! Visit www.dspnet.org (Awards) to learn how to submit an application for these and numerous other awards. Complete details about all Delta Sigma Pi awards and recognition may be found in the Awards and Recognition Guide, available for viewing online.

Note: The brothers shown in these photos are those that were present at Grand Chapter Congress during the National Awards Recognition lunch.



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