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2007 Triennial - A Time for Sharing and Learning

The Liberty Bell, Ben Franklin, Independence Hall, and the Delta Mu Delta Triennial.....all of these will be in Philadelphia on November 2-4.

Delta Mu Delta will join forces with Sigma Beta Delta Honor Society for institutions with regional accreditation, to take you "Back to the Future" of business leadership. At the birthplace of our nation and the home of the famous inventor and business leader, Ben Franklin, the Triennial Conference will take a look back at history as we look forward to business leadership of the 21st Century.

Keynote speakers representing companies of world renown will share their ideas and expertise. Philadelphia is home to Swedish IKEA, one of the fastest growing companies in the world. Edward Jones Financial Investors, BusinessWeek, Enterprise Rent-A-Car, Bank of America, and the U.S. Federal Reserve will all be there to lend their expertise as speakers, sponsors, or exhibitors.

All attendees will also have an opportunity to exchange ideas and best practices for Delta Mu Delta and those issues facing new graduates. Breakout sessions will include topics related to chapter functions, faculty adviser support, job interview techniques, and lots more.

But it will not be all work and no play, not in Philadelphia! On Friday evening we will have dinner and a visit from Ben Franklin at the elegant historic Union League Hall, a favorite of President Abraham Lincoln. The entire Saturday afternoon will be open for touring and getting a full taste of the history and beauty of Philadelphia. Whether on your own or with DMD students from the area, all are within walking distance of Sheraton Society Hill.



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Message From The President



Janis Petronis
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DMD just keeps getting better!! In this edition of the Vision we are excited to announce new member benefits, the winners of nearly \$30,000 in DMD Scholarships, and details about Triennial 2007.

Please make plans now to attend the 2007 DMD Triennial. You will have the opportunity to hear outstanding corporate speakers, share ideas and experiences in a variety of roundtable discussions, network with fellow DMD members from around the country, as well as see one of the most historic cities in America. The registration is very inexpensive with a large amount of the expense paid by DMD and corporate sponsors. Names such as Edward Jones, Enterprise Rent-A-Car, BusinessWeek, and Bank of America will be at the podium or sponsoring events.

In DMD's continuous effort to make your membership more valuable, we introduced two new services in the past few months. The WorldPoints™ credit card was endorsed by DMD in January to offer you additional benefits, as well as support and promote DMD every time you make a purchase. We are extremely proud of the newest member benefit, a year's subscription to *BusinessWeek* for members joining after March 1st 2007, and a discounted membership for members and alumni joining earlier. And, be sure to check out the DMD eStore for new (and on-Sale) merchandise.

We are pleased to introduce you to the 45 recipients of the 2006 Scholarship Program. All winners now receive DMD scholarships of \$1,000 or more. Additionally, we are recognizing an Honorable Mention category with \$100 awards.

Finally, it is with a great deal of pride that I announce the induction of ACBSP Executive Director Doug Viehland as an honorary member of the DMD National Chapter. Doug is always a strong champion of DMD at ACBSP regional meetings and works closely with us to tie our annual board meeting with the ACBSP Conference. Doug, DMD is grateful for your support and deeply appreciates your efforts on our behalf.

Janis Petronis

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November 2 - 4 in Philadelphia!



Ben Franklin awaits your arrival!

Sheraton Society Hill will be our home for these three days. The hotel is within easy walking distance of historic Philly and provides the opportunity to see the places where so much of the nation was formed as well as to attend the Triennial. Ben Franklin himself will welcome you to his city on Friday

evening when we gather at the Union League where President Abraham Lincoln welcomed guests in the 1860's.

Schedule of Events

Friday: Plan to arrive in Philadelphia by noon on Friday. You won't want to miss the first general session Friday afternoon with its interesting topics aimed at students and faculty advisers. Friday evening we will travel a short distance by bus to the Union League for dinner and Philadelphia-style entertainment. We hope that some of Philadelphia's prominent citizens will enjoy the evening with us. Perhaps we can get them to fill us in on what's up in Philly.

Saturday: We'll begin the day with the second general session which will include speakers from well-known businesses Federal Reserve Bank and Edward Jones. Special roundtable sessions will complete the morning. The afternoon will be open for individual tours of historic Philadelphia, with suggested sightseeing destinations, and area DMD tour guides will be available. That evening the Triennial Banquet will be held at the Sheraton Society Hill.

Sunday: A breakfast session and the business meeting, including election of new national chapter officers and members to the Board of Directors, will culminate the Triennial with adjournment planned for 11 a.m. Spend more time site seeing or head back home anytime after noon.

Description of Activities

Displays: Bring a poster of your DMD chapter, including pictures and information about your chapter's activities.

Prizes will be awarded to the best poster presentation in each of two categories. One award will be for induction and recognition chapters and the other for activity chapters. Also on hand will be the three winners of the Jablonsky Awards since the last Triennial.



Chapter displays show activities and accomplishments.

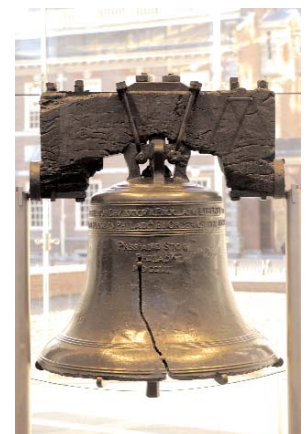
Silent Auction: A highlight of each DMD Triennial is the Silent Auction. Bring an item to be auctioned from your school or your city, and be ready to bid on the multitude of fun items from all over the U.S. From sweatshirts to autographed jerseys to gift baskets with a variety of logo items, you'll see it all. Bidding will take place all day Saturday with bids closing just before the banquet, and the winning bids will be announced at the end of the banquet

Career Share: Several corporate sponsors will be on hand Saturday afternoon to talk with prospective employees. Bring your resume if you would like to test the job market. There are no guarantees you will be hired on the spot, but you can get some valuable feedback on your resume and some hints for successfully finding that first job



The historic Union League in Philadelphia

Sigma Beta Delta (SBD): SBD is the honor society at business schools accredited by agencies other than ACBSP. In 2004 we joined forces to provide you with an even larger and better Triennial. With that success, we are again holding a joint 2007 Triennial, allowing us to reach economies of scale to bring you more top-notch speakers and activities.



The Liberty Bell

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Students discuss a variety of topics during the Triennial

Break-out Sessions: If you have expertise and/or experience in one of the areas below, or on another topic you feel would be of interest, and would like to chair a session, please contact us at vision@deltamudelta.org. Topics include:

DMD Focus

- Students: Team Building; Chapter Leadership; Chapter Officers "Rule"; Chapter of the Year Award; The Care & Feelings of FA's
- FAs: Increase DMD Membership Acceptance Rate; Winning DMD Scholarship Applications; Importance of Chapter Planning

Individual Focus

- Students: The Right Job is Out There; The "Write" Resume'; Interview Do's and Don't's ; Intern in D.C.
- FAs - Fighting FA Burnout; Getting Dean/Administrative Support; What can DMD/SBD do to make your job easier?

If you have a topic you would like to discuss not on the list, please e-mail us at vision@deltamudelta.org.

More Information

All DMD collegiate members, alumni, and faculty advisers are invited to attend. Registration is \$75 for students and \$100 for advisers and alumni. The registration fee includes dinners, on Friday and on Saturday, and breakfast on Saturday and Sunday, as well as a Triennial t-shirt and conference materials.

Information and registration: Details are available at www.deltamudelta.org/triennial. Hotel reservations may be made at www.Sheraton.com/~DMD. Rooms are \$139 per night (plus tax) for up to four people.

Airport transportation: The shuttle is \$8 per person, or a taxi is about \$15-\$20 for up to four people.

Dress: Dinner both Friday and Saturday is business dress. General and break-out sessions are business casual, and you are encouraged to wear a shirt with your school's logo on Saturday morning.



Sheraton Society Hill, home of this year's Triennial

Triennium of Awards



When we meet at our Triennial this November, the Board will be proud to highlight many awards recognizing members throughout the Society. Here's what we can anticipate:

Scholarship Program Over 90 Scholarship Awards during the three years, plus more than 40 Honorable Mention Awards. Total value: Nearly \$90,000!

Chapter of the Year Awards "Tony" Award - three chapters presented with the A. J. Jablonsky Outstanding Chapter of the Year award. Each recognized chapter may bring up to 10 student members to the Triennial meeting with no registration fee. As many as 30 students, free!

Star Chapter Awards Over 30 chapters have been recognized for outstanding performance.

Faculty Adviser of the Year Awards "Rich" Award - two faculty advisers presented with the R. L. Sosnowski Outstanding Faculty Adviser of the Year award.

Faculty Adviser Service Awards Nearly 60 faculty advisers were recognized for their service of 5, 10, 15, 20 and 25 years of support!

These awards are explained on the DMD website with the names of the recipients.

National Chapter Inducts Honorary Member

Douglas Viehland, Executive Director of the Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs, ACBSP, was honored during the recent meeting of the Board of Directors. DMD President Dr. Janis Petronis presented Doug Viehland with a certificate noting his induction as an honorary member of the National Chapter of Delta Mu Delta. While chapters induct honorary members each year, it has been at least a quarter century since the national chapter has done so.



In announcing the award, President Petronis cited the work of ACBSP in supporting Delta Mu Delta during Viehland's tenure. This support has included promoting the value of participation in professional honor societies in ACBSP publications, reporting on their activities at all ACBSP regional meetings, increasing communication between the leadership of both organizations, and supporting and participating in the Triennial Conferences of Delta Mu Delta.

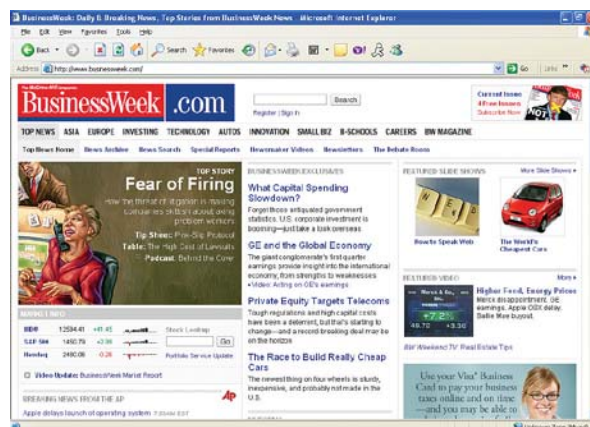
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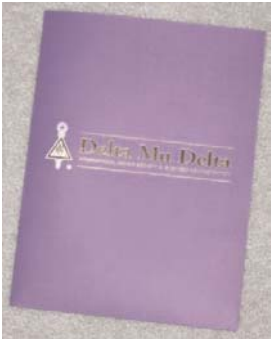
Delta Mu Delta members can show their spirit and support in some new ways this spring. The Society's web based store has added updated items in apparel and supplies that are sure to please your eye and show your pride in being part of our society.

Our short-sleeved polo shirt is now available in deep royal purple with the key and "Delta Mu Delta" embroidered in gold on the left front. The shirt is 100% cotton, pique knit, generously cut. This soft and comfortable shirt washes and dries well.

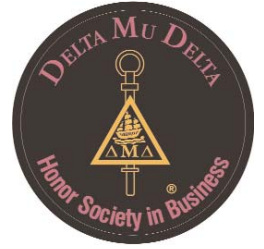
The DMD pocket folder has a new look. The metallic gold key logo and name commands attention on its rich, royal purple backdrop. The heavy, slightly glossy stock is die-cut to accept business card sized inserts in both inside pockets.

New to the DMD logo lineup are the ballpoint pen and the DMD patch. The retractable pen sports gold trim and pocket clip. The purple barrel is laser engraved. And this pen is not just a pretty face - it writes smooth and carries a cushioned grip. All of this is yours at a price that makes it easy to use as a "Thank You" gift.

You can now advertise our



excellence with anything to which you can attach a patch - jackets, backpacks, notebooks - the only limit is your creativity. The embroidered patch features the DMD key in gold on black. The legend "Delta Mu Delta International Honor Society in Business Administration" circles the key in purple.



To make room for the new, some of the old has to go. In the ON SALE section of the eStore, you'll find bargains on polo shirts, both long or short sleeved, and pocket folders in our previous design - as long as they last.

Visit the eStore now. Check out the pictures of the new items. Look for the bargains. Order something! Go to www.deltamudelta.org/estore

DMD Upgrades Credit Card Program



The new Delta Mu Delta WorldPoints™ card lineup brings more benefits to DMD members. Begin earning WorldPoints™ now. To sign up, click on the card image. For more information [click here](#).

BusinessWeek Partnership Brings Benefits to Society, Members

How many times have you asked yourself, "Why didn't I know about this sooner?" There's no need to be in the dark anymore. Join millions of success-minded business professionals who tap into *BusinessWeek* for business analysis and insight not found anywhere else.

Delta Mu Delta's National Board and *BusinessWeek* magazine are proud to announce a new partnership that offers benefits to new DMD members and the Society. The benefit to new members, (inducted after March 1, 2007) is a one-year, \$5 introductory *BusinessWeek* subscription paid from DMD membership fees. In addition, all second year and alumni members will get access to *BusinessWeek* subscriptions at the DMD discounted rate of \$29.97 per year - a significant savings over the basic rate of \$59.97. Alumni can order their subscriptions through the *BusinessWeek* ad on the DMD home page.

Inside each issue, you'll find thought-provoking content that will inspire and inform you. Through careful, dogged investigative reporting, *BusinessWeek* will surprise you with stories you can't get anywhere else. If you want to know the next emerging trend in business, technology or finance, *BusinessWeek* is your first source. In today's fast-changing business environment, you have to stay smart in order to stay ahead. *BusinessWeek* gives you the tools you need to succeed

now and throughout your career. In print and online, on your iPod or PDA, get *BusinessWeek* how you want it, where you want it and when you want it. Live the Delta Mu Delta motto with *BusinessWeek*: Through Knowledge, Power.

How does this partnership benefit the Society? *BusinessWeek* will sponsor DMD activities including events at our Triennial in November, and our participation at ACBSP meetings. Pages in the Vision you are reading now were sponsored by *BusinessWeek* as well. Sponsorship for these activities not only benefit the Society - they also benefit the membership. The Triennial provides opportunities for members from all chapters all over the country to interact and exchange ideas face-to-face. The Vision keeps everyone informed of DMD activities. Participation in meetings with organizations like the ACBSP strengthen our society's ability to offer meaningful benefits and programs.

DMD continues to seek opportunities to benefit new members, alumni members and those yet to come.



You need to:
Stay informed.
Stay smart.
Stay ahead.

Scholarship Winners



Linus Akanoh, Jr.
St. Edwards
University, TX



Cheryl J. Amado
Marymount
University, VA



Ulrike Boehm
Hawai'i Pacific
University, HI



Jodi Bursovsky
Nebraska Wesleyan
University, NE



Celia Joy Marcelle Griffin
Midwestern State
University, TX



Whitney R. Hill
The College of
Saint Rose, NY



**Katherine Anne
Hinkley**
Anderson University, IN



Orjola Joldashi
University of Central
Oklahoma, OK



Stephanie Leahy
North Park
University, IL



Kate Marion
The College of St.
Catherine, MN



Stephanie Anne McNulty
Mount St. Mary's
University, MD



Lizelle Rose-Marie Pereira
Marymount
University, VA



Kristen Renae Taylor
Texas Luthern
University, TX



Rickey Tribble
Athens State
University, AL



Presiyan I. Vasilev
University of Central
Oklahoma, OK



Amanda Sue Wilbert
Edinboro University
of Pennsylvania, PA



Jackie Woods
Tarleton State
University, TX

Not pictured

Jana Bugher
University of Central
Oklahoma, OK

James A. Reed
Tarleton State
University, TX

Eng Tran
The College of
St. Catherine, MN

Alyssa Crawford
Northwestern Missouri
State University, MO

Yury Rouba
University of Central
Oklahoma, OK

Slav Todorov
University of Central
Oklahoma, OK

Jenny Lynn Jackson
Cameron University, OK

Jimmeka Ann Taylor
Paine College, GA

Rebecca Lane Teel
LaGrange College, GA

Honorable Mentions



Tande Babb
University of
Incarnate Word, TX



Jennifer L. Blood
Linfield College, OR



John Cozier
Florida Memorial
University, FL



Andrew Ellestad
Northwest Nazarene
University, ID



Travis Glicher
Tri-Sate
University, IN



Daria (Dasha) Ivanova
Southern Nazarene
University, OK



Ashlee Jerome
Northwest Nazarene
University, ID



Theresa Marcella Lambert
College of Notre Dame
of Maryland, MD



April Johnelle Rayford
Albany State
University, GA



Scott Charles Reilly
Methodist
University, NC

Not pictured

Ihsane Bigaume
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Roanoke College, VA

Michael William Kopischke
Saint Mary's University of Minnesota, MN

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Saint Vincent College, PA

Welcoming New Chapters

We are pleased to welcome nine new chapters, all installed during 2006:

Arcadia University, Pennsylvania
Cedarville University, Ohio
Fairmont State University, West Virginia
Gardner-Webb University, North Carolina
Houston Baptist University, Texas
Neumann College, Pennsylvania
Texas A&M University, Kingsville, San Antonio Center
Troy University at Troy, Alabama
Xavier University of Louisiana

These chapters are being installed Spring 2007. Three or four others working on their installation dates:

Alvernia College, Pennsylvania
Edgewood College, Wisconsin
Georgia SouthWestern State University
Missouri Southern State University
Northcentral University, Arizona

Rebuilding After Katrina A Model of Determination

Life is what happens while we're making other plans. For Xavier University of Louisiana, based in New Orleans, it included Katrina.

To see how Kappa Phi was installed during Xavier's recovery, [click here](#).



Georgia SouthWestern State University Installs Newest Chapter



Professor Cindi Bearden, Southeastern Regional Representative for Delta Mu Delta and professor at LaGrange College, installed Kappa Psi at SouthWestern State University. Student presidents of two other Georgia chapters of Delta Mu Delta joined Professor Bearden in welcoming Kappa Psi and its president to Delta Mu Delta.

For more on the April 2007 installation and induction ceremony, [click here](#).

Arcadia Holds Second Induction

Kappa Upsilon at Arcadia is a chapter to watch.

To find out why, [click here](#).



University of Saint Francis Inducts Chief Judge White



The College of Business at the University of St. Francis seeks to inspire in its students a love for knowledge and trust and to instill the Franciscan values of respect, compassion, integrity and service. In addition, the Delta Mu Delta honorary society requires that each candidate must possess superior scholastic achievement and be of good moral character.

For the grounds on which USF judged White, [click here](#).

When Dr. Nick Rajpara consented to become the faculty adviser for Epsilon Sigma Chapter of Delta Mu Delta at the University at the University of the District of Columbia, he undoubtedly didn't know exactly what was in store for him.

How did Dr. Rajpara meet the challenge? For more, [click here](#).

Phoenix in D.C. Committed to DMD Purpose



Houston Baptist Installs Kappa Tau Chapter

To see more, [click here](#).

Rebuilding after Katrina A Model of Determination

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For Xavier University of Louisiana, based in New Orleans, it included Katrina.

In August of 2005, the hurricane left Xavier with \$25 million in damage to the campus, including 6 feet of water in the library. Described as "indefatigable" in the Chronicle of Higher Education, Xavier welcomed its students back less than five months later. Searching the University's website for "Hurricane Katrina" documents in pictures the devastation from the storm and the tremendous efforts needed to restore and rebuild. It is nothing short of amazing that 4 ½ months later Xavier opened its doors to begin classes anew. And the university graduated its seniors in August of 2006 - in time for those students to attend the graduate and medical schools to start in fall as they had originally intended. The school managed two full semesters of class work between January and August.

Prior to Katrina, Professor Clifford Wright had begun a conversation with Delta Mu Delta about installing a chapter at Xavier to replace Sigma Beta Delta when the school earned ACBSP accreditation in 2003. Shortly after students and faculty returned to the efforts of educating business students, Rich Sosnowski, the Executive Director of Delta Mu Delta, sent an "are you there" email to Professor Wright and he promptly answered. Amid all the effort of finishing touches on the rehabilitation of the campus and getting the students' education back on schedule, Professor Wright finished the process of creating the 261st chapter of Delta Mu Delta, Kappa Phi. On July 19, as the spring semester at Xavier entered its last lap to graduation, the Kappa Phi Chapter was installed. Six honorary and seven student members were inducted at that time.



Dr. Kitty Campbell, DMD Representative for Region 6, presented the framed charter to Dr. Anil Kukreja, Business Department Chair at Xavier.

Georgia SouthWestern State University Installed Newest Chapter

The newest chapter of Delta Mu Delta, Kappa Psi, was installed at Georgia SouthWestern State University on April 20, 2007 at a banquet ceremony.

Southeastern Regional Representative, Cindi Bearden from LaGrange College, presided at the ceremony in which 16 charter members and five honorary members were inducted. Student presidents of two other Georgia



Pictured (L to R), are Christina L. Orrick, president of the new chapter, Kappa Psi, Seychel Kinney, president of Eta Pi at Albany State University, and Lacey Powell, president of Zeta Pi at LaGrange College.

Delta Mu Delta chapters were present at the ceremony. Georgia SouthWestern State University earned its ACBSP accreditation in April of 2006 and so became eligible for a chapter of Delta Mu Delta. The petition accepted, Dr. Michael Fathi, faculty adviser for Kappa Psi, began planning for a spring induction and installation ceremony.



Cindi Bearden (at right) is presenting the Charter for Kappa Psi to Dr. John Kooti, (at left) Dean of the School of Business Administration at Georgia SouthWestern and Dr. Fathi (center).



The charter inductees of the new chapter at Georgia SouthWestern State University

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in the subject line.

Arcadia Holds Second Induction

The Kappa Upsilon Chapter of Delta Mu Delta at Arcadia University in Glenside, Pennsylvania, just held its second induction - in the same academic year as the first.

The chapter's installation was held in late November last year. At that time ten members were also inducted. On April 9th eight students were added to the membership rolls at Kappa Upsilon.

Pictured (L to R), are Olivia Amspacher, Stephanie Greenwood, Melissa Maylott, Dr. Annette L. Halpin, Dr. Sassan Hajazi, faculty adviser for the chapter, Jeffery Kelly, Bindu Ghimire, and Krystal Gula. Also inducted but not pictured were students Rae Pamela Aaronson and Stephen Rems.



Phoenix in D.C. - Committed to DMD Purpose

When Dr. Nick Rajpara consented to become the faculty adviser for Epsilon Sigma Chapter of Delta Mu Delta at the University at the University of the District of Columbia, he undoubtedly didn't know exactly what was in store for him. As a newly hired professor in September of 2004, he had all the challenges of any new job including acclimating to a new environment. The founding faculty adviser of Epsilon Sigma, Dr. Amnon V. Ashe, had unexpectedly passed away six months earlier. Dr. Ashe had guided the chapter through its formation and first dozen years. Comfortable with Delta Mu Delta and conducting the business of the chapter, he left few notes for his successor.



Top: Epsilon Sigma's Spring 2007 inductees
Bottom: Students inducted in Spring of 2006

Yet even before the University had set up his voice mail, Dr. Rajpara was enthusiastically developing Epsilon Sigma. He attended the 2004 Triennial in Fort Worth, Texas in October bringing a group of students - and when ACBSP held its national conference in D.C., he brought students to help.

The process for an induction ceremony was begun. Officers were elected. The chapter was rising from the ashes. And the phoenix has completed its transformation. With support and empowerment from its adviser, the D.C. chapter has become a strong model of what a committed chapter can be. In just two years the chapter has become a Star Chapter. Quite a feat.



Officers include: Rina T. Daniels, Louann Greene, Ingrid Richards and Jamila Grooms

And this academic year was just as impressive. The Epsilon Sigma Chapter has had a very successful year under its four, dynamic officers; Rina T. Daniels, Louann Greene, Ingrid Richards, and Jamila Grooms. Having been elected in April 2006, these officers have played a major role enabling the chapter to receive its first Star Chapter award, celebrating its 15-year anniversary, and managing three inductions in as many semesters.

Other accomplishments during this year include chapter Vice President Greene and Secretary Grooms receiving scholarships from the James Edward Miller Chapman Educational Foundation and PEPCO, respectively. And, while working hard as Chapter President, Rina Daniels also served as the Undergraduate Student Government Association Vice President representing more than 5,000 students.

Future plans for Epsilon Sigma include the upgrade of their chapter website and fundraising to increase the amount of scholarship awards for the city's only urban, land-grant, institution and to ensure that students are able to represent the chapter at the upcoming Triennial Conference.

The officers of this chapter are proud to represent the Eastern Region, HBCUs and business students everywhere and hope to inspire all students to exercise their talents in leadership and service.

Delta Kappa Chapter Inducts Chief Judge Stephen D. White

On Sunday, April 22, the Delta Kappa Chapter at the University of St. Francis, Illinois, inducted the Honorable Stephen D. White, Chief Judge of the Circuit Court, 12th Judicial District.

The College of Business at the University of St. Francis seeks to inspire in its students a love for knowledge and trust and to instill the Franciscan values of respect, compassion, integrity and service. In addition, the Delta Mu Delta honorary society requires that each candidate must possess superior scholastic achievement and be of good moral character. These values are the standard by which we select our candidates for honorary inductee. Judge Stephen White is an honorable man, who strives to live these values.

Judge White has always been an advocate for youth. Mr. White, as he was known then, began his career as a junior high math teacher and basketball coach and taught for eight years. During this time, he began law school and was awarded the Juris Doctorate degree. He then traded the classroom for the courtroom as he embarked upon a new career as an Assistant States Attorney. His courtroom demeanor and command

of the law was recognized by his contemporaries, for he was appointed to successively higher positions within the judicial system. In 1994, the Illinois Supreme Court appointed Judge White as a Circuit Judge of Will County, a position for which he continues to be retained. The thirteen Circuit Judges of Will County have expressed their confidence in Judge White's leadership and have elected him Chief Judge of the Circuit Court, a position he has held since 2002.

His passion for youth has continued to direct his life. Judge White is a presenter for the Drug Abuse Resistance Education program. His experience with the Drug Court and compassion for youth allows him a unique opportunity to share with young people the devastating effects of drug abuse. Some of the other community or service events are the Rotary Youth Leadership presentations, the Lincolnway H. S.



Delta Kappa's newest inductee, Judge Stephen White

Foundation for Educational Excellence, the Citizens Police Academy and founding member of the Mokena Public Schools Athletic Booster Fund. Judge White has served as a leader of the fourth through sixth grade youth group at his church.

As if Judge White's professional and service commitments don't keep him busy enough, he has served as an

adjunct faculty member of business law at the university for 17 years. His students describe him as effective, interesting and motivating. Colleagues, staff and those awaiting judgment describe the Judge as accessible, compassionate, fair and empowering.

Judge White is an excellent example of the quality of individuals who comprise our membership!

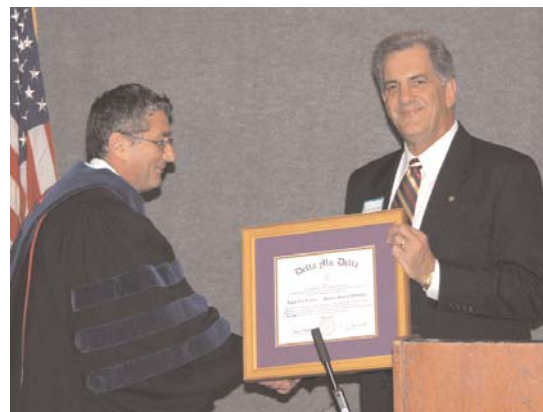
Congratulations to the Delta Kappa Chapter and Judge White on your recent inductions!

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Above: Inductees and dignitaries present at the May 2006 installation and induction ceremony. Student inductee Jacquelyn Graves holds Kappa Tau's charter. To the left of Ms. Graves is Nayla Raad, chapter president; to the right, Nathan Yap, chapter secretary. Both undergraduate and graduate students were inducted.

Below: Dr. Randall McLeod, of Delta Mu Delta's National Advisory Board, presents the charter to Dr. Levon Hayrapetyan, faculty adviser for Kappa Tau.



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