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Dear Members,

This issue of the *Medallion* celebrates the 25th Anniversary of Phi Beta Delta. This issue will provide you with a visual sense of the history of our Society. A wide variety of events are displayed in these pages.

You will find letters from previous executive directors, photos of nearly all of the presidents, photos of awardees, symbols of recognition for the awards, samples of inductions, a list of chapters, various historical items, examples of past and current publications, an updated FAQ sheet on the Society, and, as always, a list of the Board of Directors.

There were far more items than could be included in this volume. Therefore, you will find a special section in each of the July and October issues of the *Medallion* that will focus on additional photos and highlights of the Society.

In fact, you are encouraged to send me remembrances you have of Society history. These can be in the form of photos or commentary. One area of commentary that would be nice to hear from you is how much the Society has contributed to the development of international education on your campus.

This issue has been possible through generous help, advice on the content, and photos. From Dr. Yvonne Captain, executive director for obtaining commentary from former executive directors. From Dr. Charles Gliozzo of the Alpha Alpha Chapter at Michigan State University for advice and photos. In addition, others provided ideas and thoughts about the content. I want to give special thanks to Dr. Monica Freeman of the Omicron Chapter at California State University, Sacramento.

As always, if you have any comments or concerns about this issue, or any of the Phi Beta Delta publications, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Michael B. Smithee

President, 2005-2006 and

Current Director of Publications

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Founders of Phi Beta Delta

Ed Blankenship



Director of International Education,
California State University,
Long Beach

Karl Anatol



Dean, College of Humanities
California State University,
Long Beach

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Dr. Richard Reiff
•
New Phi Beta Delta
Executive Director



Dr. John Greisberger
•
Retiring Phi Beta Delta
Executive Director



Dr. Earl Ellington
•
Newly Elected
Phi Beta Delta
National President



2011 Conference Schedule

(tentative)

Thursday, March 31, 2011

8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Registration and sale of PBD items

8:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. Chapter Management Workshop

9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Paper/Presentation Sessions

12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. Lunch on your own

1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Plenary Address and Paper/Presentation Sessions

Friday, April 1, 2011

8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Registration and sale of PBD items

8:00 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Paper/Presentation Sessions

12:30 p.m. to 2:15 p.m. Business Lunch (Keynote Speaker)

2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Paper/Presentation Sessions

6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Awards Ceremony (includes dinner buffet)

2011 Conference Hotel



The conference hotel will be the
Marriott Renaissance Long Beach Hotel.

111 East Ocean Boulevard, Long Beach, CA 90802

When you call for reservations, cite Phi Beta Delta as the code for the discount
(800) 486-3571 or directly at (562) 437-5900

You must book your room by Tuesday, March 8, 2011 in order to get the PBD hotel rate.
The hotel provides PBD individual conference goers with discounted parking at \$13/day.

Executive Directors 1986–2011



Dr. Karl Anatol
Dean, College of Humanities
California State University
Long Beach
1986-1991



Dr. John Greisberger
Ohio State University
Director, International
Education Programs
1991-1996



Dr. Richard Reiff
University of Georgia
Executive Director
International Programs
1996-2003



Dr. Eileen Evans
George Washington University
Research Scientist and Assistant
Professor (Retired)
2003-2004



Erica Aungst
George Washington University
Library Administrator
2004
(Interim)



Dr. Yvonne Captain
George Washington University
Assistant Professor
2004–2011



Dr. Rueyling Chuang
Professor of Communication
California State University, San Bernardino
Executive Director Elect
2011–

LETTERS FROM EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

PHI BETA DELTA NOW, MORE THAN EVER

This space is dedicated to the memory of Dr. Eileen Evans, fourth Executive Director who continues to be with us spiritually.



Dr. Eileen Evans
George Washington University
Research Scientist and Assistant
Professor (Retired)
2003-2004

The Society offers this collection of thoughts from the executive directors of the Society—both past and outgoing—is a reflection of where Phi Beta Delta has been and a projection of where we are headed. One thread that the reader will note throughout the document is the idea that university campuses need Phi Beta Delta now, more than ever. This is true despite the growing chorus of institutions who state as one of its goals the notion of internationalizing the campus.



Eileen Evans
Outstanding Chapter
Award

LETTERS FROM PAST EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

Dr. Karl Anatol, first Executive Director of Phi Beta Delta and former President, California State University, Long Beach

Phi Beta Delta has made remarkable strides since its founding 25 years ago. I was a part of its history for two or three years. Albeit, exciting years. **Ed Blankenship** was the “rover” in that he knew most or all of the individuals who could/would serve as co-founders. I was familiar with my campus folks; Ed was acquainted with folks elsewhere. So, in effect, he was largely influential in drawing and attracting a “national” nucleus to the endeavor. In the formative years of Phi Beta Delta, the organizational talent was derived almost exclusively from personnel who worked in the area of International Student Programs. I was impressed by how readily and enthusiastically they latched on to the interest.

So what was the idea that drove the launching of Phi Beta Delta? At California State University – Long Beach, we developed and maintained a rather exciting Diplomat Fellows Program. Students and faculty were drawn toward it enthusiastically and the “foreign diplomats” who held the spotlight for three-day stints were remarkable in their sharing of time and ideas. It occurred to us that faculty and students could and should share equally in dialogues that focused on contemporary international issues, and that there was the opportunity to build a national platform for scholarship in that regard. There was and is no overstatement in the notion that in most academic communities the majority of the faculty are insular in outlook even as many teach foreign languages, literatures and history. It was the foreign student who brought an international perspective and, sadly, their insights and information were often overlooked. With the encouragement of Phi Beta Delta, in a few short years, faculty from campuses across the United States were coming together to meet in conference to share viewpoints concerning the shaping of the Society. The *Medallion Newsletter* and, later, the *Journal* swept up interest beyond our wildest anticipation. Student membership followed “and the rest is history”.

Largely through the impression of electronic media and technology, we dwell and work and share commerce and ideas in what has become a “global village”. We must have a better sense of our neighbor and must understand the language and cultural pathways in the international community. Recent events in the Middle East tend to leave us flat-footed in our comprehension of impacts and influences. We who teach are required to have sharper reflexes in the traffic that whirrs past us. The U.S. academic community – students, faculty and staff – must maintain its high standards and increase proficiency in the international exchange of viewpoints and solutions. Phi Beta Delta continues to lead the way. The Society of Phi Beta Delta maintains its mission in recognizing scholarly achievement in international education, giving scholarships to deserving students and enhancing knowledge about various cultures around the world.

LETTERS FROM EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

Dr. John Greisberger, second Executive Director of Phi Beta Delta and Director, International Center, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

On February 27, 1996 in my fifth and final year as Executive Director of Phi Beta Delta Honor Society for International Scholars (and in my tenth and final year on the Board of Directors), I completed a brief history of the Society's first ten years. In the Introduction of that document I wrote that the early success and growth of Phi Beta Delta was due to the strong commitment and combined efforts of the members, the chapter leaders, and those who served on the board of directors.

There is no question in my mind that the same thing can be said today – 15 years later on the 25th anniversary of our Society. In 1986, 1996, and now in 2011, Phi Beta Delta members continue to understand the need for, and the importance of, an honor society that recognizes and encourages outstanding scholarship and achievement in the field of international education, promotes intercultural understanding, and contributes in a variety of ways to the internationalization college and university campuses in both the U.S. and abroad.

Twenty-five years ago Phi Beta Delta was created as a means to recognize formally the academic achievement of international students, U.S. students engaged in overseas study, and international visiting scholars, as well as to encourage the involvement of faculty and staff members in international endeavors both on campus and abroad. Prior to the creation of Phi Beta Delta, no honor society specifically focused on these populations or on international education.

Now 25 years later, Phi Beta Delta remains unique in its purpose and in its focus. It is growing in size and prestige as college and university leaders recognize the importance of preparing students to live in a multicultural society and to work in a global economy, and of encouraging faculty to infuse their courses with international content and collaborate with colleagues in other countries.

During my five-year term as executive director I had the pleasure and privilege to work with exceptional chapter leaders and outstanding board members. Together we accomplished much including the following:

1. establishing the Regional Outstanding Chapter Awards;
2. creating the National Staff Award and naming it in honor of **Dr. Edward S. Blankenship**;
3. creating the **Dr. Karl W.E. Anatol Book Award** and presenting it to **Edward T. Hall** at the 10th annual conference;
4. increasing the number of chapters from 64 to 90;
5. doubling the size of the endowment from \$25,000 to \$53,000;
6. chartering the first non-US chapter in 1995 (Universidad de las Americas); and
7. transitioning the executive office to the University of Georgia with Dr. Richard Reiff as the third executive director.

Phi Beta Delta Honor Society for International Scholars was a great idea in 1986, and it is an even better idea in 2011. Twenty-five years ago internationalization of the campus and the curriculum were not the hot topics they are today; nor was educating globally competent students. Today, however, these topics take center stage at colleges and universities around the globe.

For the last 25 years Phi Beta Delta members have positioned themselves well to play an active leadership role in promoting campus internationalization. Through induction ceremonies for new members, student scholarships, faculty and staff awards, and programs that bring together faculty from various disciplines and staff from across the institution, Phi Beta Delta has become a focal point on many campuses for international programming and other internationalization efforts.

Phi Beta Delta has experienced much success in the past, and now is the time to build on it. We must continue to grow and develop as an international honor society, and we must also seize the opportunity this 25th anniversary presents to gain greater visibility. Therefore, let's pledge to redouble our efforts to promote our Society and to work in support of its purposes and goals.

Also, on the occasion of our Society's silver anniversary, let's pause for a moment to look back with pride on all that has been accomplished, but keep our focus on the future and all that must be accomplished in the next 25 years for our Society to remain strong and viable.

Happy 25th anniversary, Phi Beta Delta, and congratulations to all of its members!

LETTERS FROM EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

Dr. Richard Reiff, third Executive Director of Phi Beta Delta and former Director of International Programs, University of Georgia

After being retired and away from International education for nine years, I still fondly remember my over 15 years of involvement with the Society. Every year one of the highlights for me was attending the annual conferences and sharing ideas, information and experiences with colleagues from chapters throughout the nation. The annual conferences served to reinvigorate and inspire me as well as the other participants. I My thoughts and best wishes are with you for this milestone in the history of the Society.

It seems like only yesterday that our godfather, **Ed Blankenship**, convened a meeting to found the Society. The predominant response to the idea was, "Why didn't I think of that?" It was exciting and stimulating to be involved with such an important and momentous endeavor. One of my first assignments following the founding meeting was to develop and produce the chapter manual, a challenging and rewarding task. Phi Beta Delta did much to augment and enhance the goals and objectives of my own institution, The University of Georgia, as well as other member universities and colleges. Promoting the purposes of PBD helped all of us to be more effective on our various campuses. For many of us PBD was the missing link.

While the Society can contribute significantly in many ways to promoting international education, I would like to highlight three objectives I believe make the Society the sine qua non of international education: recognition and rewards, the promotion of a collegial milieu, and internationalization of the campus.

Our culture tends to **recognize and reward** that which it values; yet many of our institutions have few, if any ways to effectuate that important aspect of internationalization. Phi Beta Delta provides the mechanism, programs, and activities to accomplish that goal.

The induction and rewards ceremonies conducted by the chapters demonstrate that the institution does indeed **value international education**. The induction of students and faculty supports and encourages participation in a quality international experience which should be a goal of every institution of higher learning. For many students, membership in the Society is often one of the highlights of their academic careers. Any college or university that does not employ some visible, consistent, and effective recognition and rewards will fall short of its goal to internationalize.

More and more colleges and universities view **internationalizing the campus** as part of their mission. Successful internationalization requires a multipronged, comprehensive approach. Phi Beta Delta provides some of the most essential ingredients for meaningful internationalization. Our challenge has been and continues to be how to most effectively convince the upper administration of the Society's value to the institution.

I believe these three contributions of PBD should remain the focus for the Society's recruitment efforts as well as our continued initiatives to increase membership and involvement. Our most successful approach to growth will be to demonstrate how PBD supports the attainment of their institutional mission. In other words, it is imperative that we clearly articulate "what can Phi Beta Delta do for you?"

In order to sustain the growth and status of the Society's value several initiatives should be continued. For example, it would be advantageous to have written endorsements from relevant professional organizations. Also written endorsements should be secured from leading educational leaders including college and university presidents, provosts, and deans. In addition, key educational leaders should continue to be involved in campus programs as well as national conferences.

In conclusion, there is little doubt that Phi Beta Delta has succeeded largely due to the dedication, active support, and commitment of the campus coordinators on their respective campuses. Over the years it became obvious to me that the campus coordinators were the single most important ingredient in ensuring a successful and dynamic chapter. Unfortunately, they often are not appropriately recognized on their own campuses.

My involvement in Phi Beta Delta as a campus coordinator, national officer and Executive Director has been one of the most enjoyable and rewarding experiences of my professional career. My best wishes, warmest regards, and grateful appreciation to my dear friends and colleagues who have made the dream a reality.

LETTERS FROM EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

**Yvonne Captain, fifth Executive Director of Phi Beta Delta and Professor,
George Washington University**

In 1991 planning began for a chapter of Phi Beta Delta Honor Society on the campus of George Washington University. We were fortunate to join a Society already blossoming and clearly with great potential. After much preparation, a core group of us solicited membership in the Society, and we were delighted to become the **Beta Omicron Chapter** of Phi Beta Delta in 1992. My first PBD conference was about that time, and I remember being impressed with this organization that took seriously the notions of internationalization and interdisciplinarity—long before either idea became a buzzword in scholarship or on college campuses. Most vividly, it was the presentation by **Professor Ockerman** at the Seventh Annual Conference in Long Beach: “Ockerman’s Score Sheet for Measuring the Degree of Internationalization of a University Or of A University Professor.” His assessment of the true international level of a campus remained in my mind and from then on, I vowed to ensure that my campus would not fall into the “hick university category” at the bottom of the list of institutions that claimed to have an international focus! Following in the footsteps of international leaders like Phi Beta Delta founder **Ed Blankenship**, all of the previous executive directors **Karl Anatol**, **John Greisberger**, **Richard Reiff**, **Eileen Evans** and **Erika Angst** (interim) as well as the many presidents of the Society, I have been able to aid in rendering that vow much closer to a reality.

Having served on our local board for a few years in the capacity of chapter coordinator, I was delighted to join the international board as president-elect in 1996. The primary duty of the president-elect is to prepare the upcoming conference, and many great moments come to mind as our conference committee worked to bring the very best of Washington, D.C. to our fellow conference goers that year. The tour of the Finnish Embassy and the graceful hosting by the entire embassy staff stand out. However, the welcome speech by my university president at the time, **President Stephen J. Trachtenberg** and later the address by **Mrs. Harriet Fulbright** were undoubtedly the highlights of my three year tenure in the presidential stream.

After rejoining the international board in 2004 and in the capacity of executive director, I was humbled by the knowledge and sheer dedication of this group of volunteers. Building on the accomplishments of past boards, we were able to continue to grow the Society in a number of ways. We now have over 10,000 **active** members. With now more than 180 chapters, we are poised to make even greater impact on college campuses. We have seen modest growth in our endowment and other funds, and we look forward to enhancing this portion of our portfolio. After much strategic planning, we can finally boast of our first chapter on the continent of Africa with the addition of Makerere University Business School. It is an accomplishment that is clearly due to the fearless leadership provided by **President Khiwa**. It marks an auspicious beginning of our efforts in Africa and a continuation of our efforts in other regions of the world. Thinking of our core constituent groups, we can point to some new initiatives that are well under way. For example, we now have in place some specific benefits for our faculty like the PBD@ISA (International Studies Association which just completed its third successful year. Other such faculty-centered initiatives are in the making. We are also positioning ourselves to join the Association of College Honor Societies (ACHS) so that our students can reap even more benefits from their international interests.

Finally, there are many great memories of my time as executive director that I will always cherish. I offer these few:

- Working with a tremendous staff of young people at headquarters, most notably **Ahmed Mohamed**, who in effect has been the Assistant Director of the Society rather than the Assistant to the Director.
- Daily communications with our chapter coordinators and with our general membership.
- The panel of sitting ambassadors from Senegal, Slovenia and Jamaica, and chaired by my colleague **Ambassador Inderfurth** at our Nineteenth Annual conference
- Meeting face to face our colleagues from the **Zeta Omicron Chapter** at our Twenty-Second Conference co-sponsored by the **Alpha Epsilon Chapter** at Ohio State

These series of events and accomplishments combine to make Phi Beta Delta one of the most essential organizations for university internationalization. I'll leave it to the mathematical geniuses among us to calculate how many chapters it would take, but I look forward to the day when we accept a petition that brings us the Phi Beta Delta Chapter of Phi Beta Delta. That is because we need Phi Beta Delta Now, More Than Ever!

PRESIDENTS 1987-1999



Richard Downie
University of Florida
Director, International
Education Programs
President, 1987-88



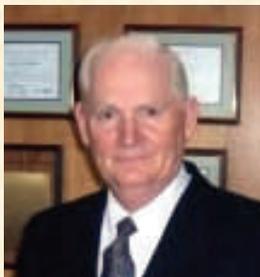
John Greisberger
Ohio State University
Director, International
Education Programs
President, 1988-89



Gary Cretser
Cal State Poly, Pomona
Sociology Professor
President, 1989-90



Judy Reinhartz
University of Texas-Arlington
Associate Dean and Profes-
sor, College of Education
President, 1990-91



Gregory Trzebiatowski,
Ohio State University
Professor of Education in
the College of Education
and Assoc Dean for Medical
and Graduate Education in
the College of Medicine
President, 1991-92



Karen Boatman
Boston University
Professor of
Education
President, 1992-93



Mark Meadows
Auburn University
President, 1992-93



Paul Parrish
Texas A & M University
Professor of English
President, 1994-95



Thomas Knutson
Cal State -Sacramento
Professor of Communication
Studies
President, 1995-96



Earl Ellington
University of Nebraska
Professor of Agriculture
President, 1996-97



Yvonne Captain
Geo. Washington University
Professor of Latin American
Film & Literature, and Inter-
national Affairs
President, 1997-98

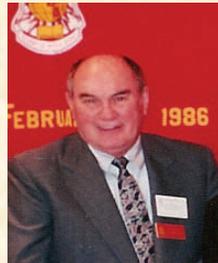


Barbara Hartung
San Diego State
University
President, 1998-99

PRESIDENTS 1999-2011



Art King
Lehigh University
Professor of Economics
President, 1999-2000



Jack Merchant
Cal State—Sacramento
Professor of
Management
President, 2000-01



James Fletcher
University of Georgia
Professor of
Telecommunications
President, 2001-02



David Gay
University of Arkansas
Professor of Economics
President, 2002-03



Paul Rich
UDLA, Puebla Mexico
Professor of Political
Science
President, 2003-04



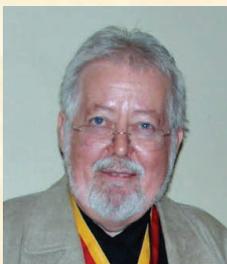
India D'Avignon
Capital University
Professor of Music
President, 2004-05



Michael Smithee
Syracuse University
Associate Director,
International Services
President, 2005-06



Harrell Rogers
University of Houston
Professor of Political
Science
President, 2006



Gene Egger
Virginia Tech University
Professor of Architecture
President, 2006-08



Monica Freeman
Cal State -Sacramento
Director, International
Services
President, 2008-09



Judy Smrha
Baker University
Professor, Business
and Economics
President, 2009-2010



Edward Khiwa
Langston University
Professor of Health Admini-
stration and Gerontology
President, 2010-2011

AWARDS



Awardees 2007



Awardees 2008



Awardees of 2009



Awardees 2010



Awardees 2011



PHI BETA DELTA

International Honor Society



Trophies Symbolizing Recipient Recognition



Domestic Student
Award for International
Achievement



David Merchant
Outstanding International
Student Award



Edward S. Blankenship
Outstanding Staff Member
Award



Yvonne Captain
Faculty Award for Outstanding
Contributions to International
Education



Executive Director Cadastre



Eileen Evans
Outstanding Chapter Award

These trophies were generously donated to Phi Beta Delta by Dr. Paul Rich.

Conferences



View from North Miami Beach, at Sunny Isles, 2009



Photo taken at the 1993 Conference, Richard Reiff, University of Georgia being recognized by Founder,



Group Photo of Participants at the 2007 Conference, San Antonio, TX

- 2011 Long Beach, CA
- 2010 Philadelphia, PA
- 2009 Miami Beach, FL
- 2008 Columbus, OH
- 2007 San Antonio, Texas
- 2006 San Diego, CA
- 2005 Washington, D.C.
- 2004 Washington, D.C.
- 2003 Cholula, Puebla, Mexico
- 2002 Lafayette, LA
- 2001 Montreal, Quebec, Canada
- 2000 Kansas City, MO
- 1999 San Diego, CA
- 1998 Cholula, Puebla, Mexico
- 1997 Washington D.C.
- 1996 Long Beach CA
- 1995 San Antonio, TX
- 1994 Atlanta, GA
- 1993 Long Beach, CA
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- 1990 Fort Worth, TX
- 1989 California State Polytechnic University-Pomona
- 1988 Washington D.C.
- 1987 California State University - Long Beach



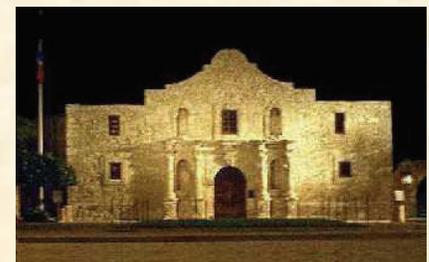
Photo taken at the 2004 Conference Washington, DC. L-R Presidents: Paul Rich, 2003-04; India D'Avignon, 2004-05,



Photo taken at the 2002 Conference in Montreal, Canada. L-R: President David Gay, 2002;



Photo taken at the 1993 Conference, Long Beach, CA. L-R: Charles Gliozzo, Monica Freeman, and John Norris.



The Alamo, Symbol of the San Antonio Conferences, 1995 and 2007

Conferences



L-R: Presidents, Monica Freeman, 2007-08; Gene Egger, 2006-07,



Montreal Conference, 2001: L-R: Loreana Ochoa-Hernandez, vice president, West; Jack Merchant, president, Dee Dee Long, senior vice president; Jack van Harsseel, vice president, Northeast.



Dr. Gary Cretser, Director of Awards, with Elaine Fries, recipient of the 2004 Student Award for International Achievement.



Dr. Charles Gliozzo, Alpha Alpha Chapter, Michigan State University, former editor of the Medallion; Ms. Marian Beane, Mu Chapter, University of North Carolina-Charlotte, former historian; Mr. Jon Booth, board member of the Alpha Sigma Chapter, Syracuse University.



Phi Beta Deltans at NAFSA 2010, l-r: Dr. Michael Smithee, retired from Syracuse University and past president Phi Beta Delta (2005-06); Dr. Chris Viers, associate executive director, Phi Beta Delta (1991-1996) while at Ohio State University; Dr. John Greisberger, executive director, Phi Beta Delta (1991-1996) while at Ohio State University; Dee Dee Long, senior vice president, Phi Beta Delta (2001-2001) University of Arkansas, Fayetteville; Robert Ericksen, senior vice president, Phi Beta Delta (1991-1992) while at California State University-Fullerton.

INDUCTIONS



Epsilon Upsilon Chapter—2009



- Epsilon Tau Chapter, CIMBA, a consortium of universities based in the towns of Asolo and Padorno del Grappa, Italy.



Delta Sigma Chapter—2007
Mt. Ida College



Epsilon Alpha Chapter—2009
American University of Bulgaria



Mason President Alan Merten, Sierra Leone President Ernest Koroma, Ma-son Provost Peter Stearns and Sierra Leone Minister of Education Minkailu Bah. Honorary Membership medal conferred by Phi Beta Delta Sr. Vice President, Marcy Glover.

INDUCTIONS



Induction during a NAFSA Conference: Zeta Kappa Chapter—2005, City University of Seattle. Phi Beta Delta Officers and former officers attending: Front row: Paul Lewis, Marian Beane, Michael Smithee, Anita Gaines, Maria Theresa Bastidas. Far Right: Fernando Leon Garcia



Alpha Sigma Chapter—2007
Syracuse University



Mrs. Harriet Mayor Fulbright with Dr. Yvonne Captain, then President, Phi Beta Delta. Mrs. Fulbright is an honorary member of Phi Beta Delta.



Beta Lambda Chapter—2007
University of New Orleans



Eta Chapter—2007
University of Nevada, Reno

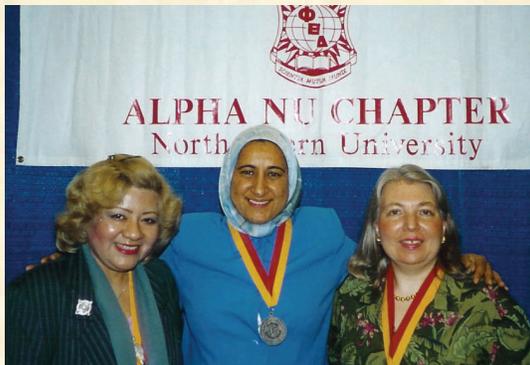
CONGRATULATIONS



New member with Chapter Coordinator, Dr. Scott Quint, Northeastern University



International students with Chapter Coordinator, Dr. Patricia Burak at Syracuse University graduation reception.



Women at reception for recently inducted students.



Proud father and his American daughter who has returned from study abroad.



Graduates wearing medallion at their graduation ceremony.

CHAPTERS IN ORDER OF DESIGNATION

California State University, Long Beach	Alpha	Long Beach	CA
California State University, Fullerton	Beta	Fullerton	CA
Marymount College Tarrytown	Gamma	Tarrytown	NY
San Diego State University	Delta	San Diego	CA
University of Texas at Arlington	Epsilon	Arlington	TX
California State University, Los Angeles	Zeta	Los Angeles	CA
University of Nevada, Reno	Eta	Reno	NV
Brigham Young University, Hawaii	Theta	Honolulu	HI
North Carolina State University	Iota	Raleigh	NC
University of North Texas	Kappa	Denton	TX
Pomona College	Lambda	Claremont	CA
University of North Carolina - Charlotte	Mu	Charlotte	NC
University of Tennessee - Knoxville	Nu	Knoxville	TN
University of Virginia	Xi	Charlottesville	VA
California State University, Sacramento	Omicron	Sacramento	CA
University of Florida	Pi	Gainesville	FL
University of California, San Diego	Rho	San Diego	CA
Georgetown University	Sigma	Washington	DC
University of Georgia	Tau	Athens	GA
California State University, Fresno	Upsilon	Fresno	CA
California State Polytechnic University, Pomona	Phi	Pomona	CA
Texas Tech University	Chi	Lubbock	TX
University of Minnesota	Psi	Minneapolis	MN
California State University, Northridge	Omega	Northridge	CA
Michigan State University	Alpha Alpha	East Lansing	MI
University of Louisiana at Lafayette	Alpha Beta	Lafayette	LA
California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo	Alpha Gamma	San Luis Obispo	CA
Iowa State University	Alpha Delta	Ames	IA
Ohio State University	Alpha Epsilon	Columbus	OH
University of Hawaii	Alpha Zeta	Honolulu	HI
Texas A&M University	Alpha Eta	College Station	TX
Boston University	Alpha Theta	Boston	MA

CHAPTERS IN ORDER OF DESIGNATION

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	Alpha Iota	Urbana-Champaign	IL
University of California, Irvine	Alpha Kappa	Irvine	CA
Georgia State University	Alpha Lambda	Atlanta	GA
Chapman University	Alpha Mu	Orange	CA
Northeastern University	Alpha Nu	Boston	MA
Evergreen State College	Alpha Xi	Olympia	WA
University of Pennsylvania	Alpha Omicron	Philadelphia	PA
University of Kansas	Alpha Pi	Lawrence	KS
University of Denver	Alpha Rho	Denver	CO
Syracuse University	Alpha Sigma	Syracuse	NY
University of Iowa	Alpha Tau	Iowa City	IA
Auburn University	Alpha Upsilon	Auburn	AL
University of Nebraska - Lincoln	Alpha Phi	Lincoln	NE
Creighton University	Alpha Chi	Omaha	NE
West Texas A&M University	Alpha Psi	Canyon	TX
Lock Haven University of Pennsylvania	Alpha Omega	Lock Haven	PA
Rider University	Beta Alpha	Lawrenceville	NJ
Rollins College	Beta Beta	Winter Park	FL
University of Oklahoma	Beta Gamma	Oklahoma City	OK
University of Findlay	Beta Delta	Findlay	OH
Texas Christian University	Beta Epsilon	Fort Worth	TX
Kent State University	Beta Zeta	Kent	OH
University of Arkansas	Beta Eta	Fayetteville	AR
University of Miami	Beta Theta	Coral Gables	FL
Ohio University	Beta Iota	Athens	OH
University of Southern California	Beta Kappa	Los Angeles	CA
University of New Orleans	Beta Lambda	New Orleans	LA
Capital University	Beta Mu	Columbus	OH
University of Alabama at Birmingham	Beta Nu	Birmingham	AL
Lamar University	Beta Xi	Beaumont	TX
George Washington University	Beta Omicron	Washington	DC
Lehigh University	Beta Pi	Bethlehem	PA
University of Toledo	Beta Rho	Toledo	OH
Youngstown State University	Beta Sigma	Youngstown	OH
Central Missouri State University	Beta Tau	Warrensburg	MO
University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa	Beta Upsilon	Tuscaloosa	AL

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Washburn University	Beta Phi	Topeka	KS
University of Maine	Beta Chi	Orono	ME
State University of New York (SUNY) at Brockport	Beta Psi	Brockport	NY
Spelman College	Beta Omega	Atlanta	GA
University of New Mexico	Gamma Alpha	Albuquerque	NM
Oglethorpe University	Gamma Beta	Atlanta	GA
University of Hartford	Gamma Gamma	Hartford	CT
Wright State University	Gamma Delta	Dayton	OH
Mercer University	Gamma Epsilon	Atlanta	GA
Southern Polytechnic State University	Gamma Zeta	Marietta	GA
Central Michigan University	Gamma Eta	Mt. Pleasant	MI
Bentley College	Gamma Theta	Waltham	MA
University of Richmond	Gamma Iota	Richmond	VA
Purdue University	Gamma Kappa	West Lafayette	IN
California State University, San Bernardino	Gamma Lambda	San Bernardino	CA
William Woods University	Gamma Mu	Fulton	MO
Western Kentucky University	Gamma Nu	Bowling Green	KY
Appalachian State University	Gamma Xi	Boone	NC
Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology	Gamma Omicron	Terre Haute	IN
Davidson College	Gamma Pi	Davidson	NC
East Carolina University	Gamma Rho	Greenville	NC
Universidad de las Américas (UDLA) - Puebla	Gamma Sigma	Puebla	Mexico
Widener University	Gamma Tau	Chester	PA
Ohio Northern University	Gamma Upsilon	Ada	OH
Alabama A&M University	Gamma Phi	Huntsville	AL
Old Dominion University	Gamma Chi	Norfolk	VA
San Francisco State University	Gamma Psi	San Francisco	CA
Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University	Gamma Omega	Blacksburg	VA
Illinois State University	Delta Alpha	Normal	IL
Iona College	Delta Beta	New Rochelle	NY
University of Indiana, South Bend (formerly Indiana Univ)	Delta Gamma	South Bend	IN
University of Missouri - Kansas City	Delta Delta	Kansas City	MO
University of Wisconsin - Whitewater	Delta Epsilon	Whitewater	WI
Western Carolina University	Delta Zeta	Cullowhee	NC

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DePaul University	Delta Theta	Chicago	IL
University of Houston	Delta Iota	Houston	TX
University of Delaware	Delta Kappa	Newark	DE
Rowan University	Delta Lambda	Glassboro	NJ
Niagara University	Delta Mu	Lewiston	NY
Columbus State University	Delta Nu	Columbus	GA
University of North Carolina - Wilmington	Delta Xi	Wilmington	NC
Villanova University	Delta Omicron	Villanova	PA
Baker University	Delta Pi	Baldwin City	KS
CETYS Universidad	Delta Rho	Baja California	Mexico
Mount Ida College	Delta Sigma	Newton Centre	MA
Keene State College	Delta Tau	Keene	NH
Southwestern College	Delta Upsilon	Winfield	KS
Ithaca College	Delta Phi	Ithaca	NY
Kutztown University	Delta Chi	Kutztown	PA
Loyola University Chicago	Delta Psi	Chicago	IL
University College of Cape Breton	Delta Omega	Sydney, Nova Scotia	Canada
American University in Bulgaria	Epsilon Alpha	Blagoevgrad	Bulgaria
Wayne State University	Epsilon Beta	Detroit	MI
International University in Geneva	Epsilon Gamma	Geneva	SWITZERLAND
George Mason University	Epsilon Delta	Fairfax	VA
Langston University	Epsilon Epsilon	Langston	OK
Concordia University	Epsilon Zeta	Montreal	Canada
Dickinson College	Epsilon Eta	Carlisle	PA
Quinnipiac University	Epsilon Theta	Hamden	CT
College of Notre Dame of Maryland	Epsilon Iota	Baltimore	MD
Arcadia University	Epsilon Kappa	Philadelphia	PA
Elon University	Epsilon Lambda	Elon	NC
Colorado School of Mines	Epsilon Mu	Golden	CO
John Carroll University	Epsilon Nu	University Heights	OH
St. Norbert College Chapter	Epsilon Xi	De Pere	WI
Drexel University	Epsilon Omicron	Philadelphia	PA
University of Montana	Epsilon Pi	Missoula	MT
Roger Williams University	Epsilon Rho	Bristol	RI
University of Memphis	Epsilon Sigma	Memphis	TN

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Consortium Institute of Management and Business Analysis (CIMBA)	Epsilon Tau	Asolo	Italy
Oklahoma State University	Epsilon Upsilon	Stillwater	OK
Dallas Baptist University	Epsilon Phi	Dallas	TX
Illinois Wesleyan University	Epsilon Chi	Bloomington	IL
Instituto Tecnológico de Monterrey (ITESM) (Tec de Monterrey)	Epsilon Psi	Monterrey	Mexico
University of Nebraska – Kearney	Epsilon Omega	Kearney	NE
Northern Illinois University	Zeta Gamma	Dekalb	IL
College of William and Mary	Zeta Delta	Williamsburg	VA
Universidad Popular Autónoma del Estado de Puebla (UPAEP)	Zeta Epsilon	Puebla	Mexico
Ramapo College	Zeta Zeta	Mahwah	NJ
Florida Institute of Technology (FIT)	Zeta Eta	Melbourne	FL
University of Central Arkansas	Zeta Theta	Conway	AR
St. Mary's University	Zeta Iota	San Antonio	TX
City University of Washington	Zeta Kappa	Bellingham	WA
Marist College	Zeta Lambda	Poughkeepsie	NY
University of North Alabama	Zeta Mu	Florence	AL
Norfolk State University	Zeta Nu	Norfolk	VA
State University of New York (SUNY) at Cortland	Zeta Xi	Cortland	NY
Petro Mohyla State University	Zeta Omicron	Mykolayiv	Ukraine
Elmhurst College	Zeta Pi	Elmhurst	IL
Cabrini College	Zeta Rho	Radnor	PA
James Madison University	Zeta Sigma	Harrisonburg	VA
Sonoma State University	Zeta Tau	Rohnert Park	CA
Augustana College	Zeta Upsilon	Rockland	IL
Northern Kentucky University	Zeta Phi	Highland Heights	KY
Coastal Carolina University	Zeta Chi	Wilmington	NC
Mississippi State University	Zeta Psi	Mississippi State	MS
Kennesaw State University	Zeta Omega	Kennesaw	GA
Cheyney University of Pennsylvania	Eta Alpha	Cheyney	PA
Bennett College for Women	Eta Beta	Greensboro	NC
Murray State University	Eta Gamma	Murray	KY
University of North Carolina – Greensboro	Eta Delta	Greensboro	NC
Western Illinois University	Eta Epsilon	Macomb	IL
Emmanuel College	Eta Zeta	Boston	MA

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Lincoln University	Eta Theta	Lincoln University	PA
Fairfield University	Eta Iota	Fairfield	CT
University of Michigan, Flint	Eta Kappa	Flint	MI
College of Staten Island/The City University of New York	Eta Lambda	Staten Island	NY
Northwestern State University of Louisiana	Eta Mu	Natchitoches	LA
Bridgewater State College	Eta Nu	Bridgewater	CT
Southeastern Louisiana University	Eta Xi	Hammond	LA
State University of New York at Oswego	Eta Omicron	Oswego	NY
Makerere University Business School	Eta Pi	Kampala	Uganda
Austin College	Eta Rho	Sherman	TX

ALPHA CHAPTER SPRING 1988 INDUCTION

PHI BETA DELTA INSTALLATION OF MEMBERS and INTERNATIONAL LECTURE

Presidents Room
University Student Union
4:00 to 6:00 p.m.
April 6, 1988



PHI BETA DELTA Honor Society for International Scholars

Phi Beta Delta was founded on February 27, 1986 at California State University, Long Beach. The Society has chapters at forty-one colleges and universities, and its membership includes: distinguished faculty and staff who have achieved recognition in international endeavors such as teaching, administration, research, or services to international students and scholars; foreign students who have demonstrated high scholastic achievement at their institution (graduate and upper division undergraduates); and U.S. students who have demonstrated high scholastic achievement in pursuit of academic studies abroad or through participation in comparable international programs or experiences.

THE SOCIETY

Φ Phi = Love of knowledge
Β Beta = Valuing of human life
Δ Delta = Achieving excellence

The colors of the Society are red and gold, symbolizing the strength of humankind and the energy of the sun from which all people and cultures draw strength and life.

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Karl W.E. Anatol
Dean, School of Humanities
California State University, Long Beach

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John R. Beljan
Vice-President for Academic Affairs
California State University, Long Beach

Retrospective on an International Experience

Michael Horkan
Senior, Business

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Patricio Torres
Counselor for Political and Economic Affairs
Embassy of Chile, Washington, D.C.

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Presented by Edward Blankenship, Director
International Student Services, Study Abroad
National Vice-President, Phi Beta Delta

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Some Sample Induction Ceremony Announcements



PHI BETA DELTA
 Honor Society for International Scholars
 Delta Iota Chapter
 University of Houston
 Inauguration Meeting and Reception
 April 30, 1999
 3:00 p.m.
 Athletics/Alumni Center



Phi Beta Delta
 Honor Society for International Scholars
 Alpha Pi Chapter
 University of Kansas
 Induction Ceremony
 November 22, 1999
 7:00 P.M.
 Kansas Room, Kansas Union

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 Alpha Phi Chapter
 Founding Initiation Ceremony
 April 11, 1989

 University of Nebraska - Lincoln

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ELEVENTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE
 April 2 - 5, 1997
 Washington, D. C.
 Presentations and invited speakers will focus on:

- ▣ Internationalizing the Curriculum I
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- ▣ International Business and Education
- ▣ Intercultural and Cross Cultural Communication

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International Insights: Excerpts from Mrs. Harriet Mayor Fulbright, Plenary Speaker at the National Conference



Mrs. Harriet Mayor Fulbright.

The plenary speaker at the eleventh annual conference of Phi Beta Delta was Mrs. Harriet Fulbright, President, Fulbright International Center Board. She spoke on "International Education and the National Interest." Mrs. Fulbright focused on Senator Fulbright's theme that the "world community cannot exist without world communication" and that we can "strengthen the global network through international dialogue." But Mrs. Fulbright cautioned that "America is still the new world and that we need bold thinking especially in the fields of biochemistry and computer technology." Moreover, she emphasized that we have to be concerned with the dangers of technology in which it becomes impersonal unless we have immersion in the culture of the countries involved. "The Fulbright program tries to clear the fog of ignorance about differing cultures and keeps the dazzling glow of new technologies from blinding us as we confront the future. What really matters is the personal growth that is developed through experience—experience gained by learning and giving of oneself among people unlike ourselves."

Mrs. Fulbright emphasized another concept of her husband: peace. It is essential to an understanding of the international exchange program, which bears his name. "It was developed as "a positive method of adjusting the endless conflicts inherent in the nature of restless and energetic men."

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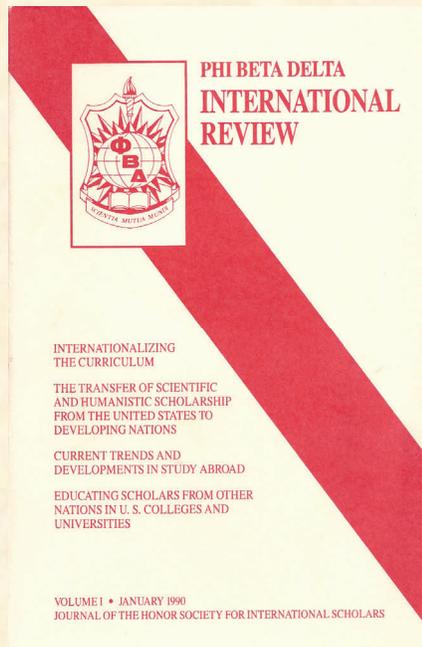
PHI BETA DELTA PUBLICATIONS

Since its founding Phi Beta Delta has published the following:

- **Newsletter:** *The Medallion* was first published in September 1988. This coincided with the publication of the *Alpha Newsletter* of the Alpha Chapter published in the Fall 1988. Dr. Charles Gliozzo of Michigan State University headed up the publication of the *Medallion* for many years (see example on [page 35](#)). The ideal of the newsletter was to disseminate a printed paper copy twice per year. Between 1999 and 2005 the paper copies were scanned to pdf's and saved to the Phi Beta Delta website. In the spring 2006 it was determined that a printed paper copy was too expensive to continue. Consequently, beginning with the January 2007 issue of the *Medallion* was published as a PDF accessible through the Society website. Since that time four issues per year have been published. You can find all of these issues at <http://www.phibetadelta.org/index.php/publications/the-medallion.html>.
 - **Journal:** A journal was published from January 1990 to the Fall 2002. This journal was known as the *Phi Beta Delta International Review, Journal of the Honor Society for International Scholars*. (Example can be found on [page 34](#)). Dr. Monica Counts, University of Texas at Arlington edited the Journal from 1990-1994. She was followed by Dr. Betsy Brewer of the New School University, who edited from 1995-1998. The third editor was Dr. Jack Merchant of California State University, Sacramento, who edited from 1999-2002. This journal fulfilled a number of purposes. It was published at a time when there were very few such publications in academia. It provided an outlet for research on issues affecting international education. And, met the needs for Society members, including faculty, staff and students to have an avenue for publishing their research. Thus far these early journals were not scanned to the website. They typically ran 100-150 pages per volume and the electronic means for scanning was in its infancy. By the last issue in the Fall 2002, it became clear that the cost of a paper publication disseminated to all members would be prohibitive. You will find the cover page and table of contents of the first and last of the volumes on the following pages. **Currently**, efforts are underway to resurrect a new journal for the Society. It will be called Research of Phi Beta Delta. Publication of the first volume is expected in the Fall 2011.
 - **Proceedings:** Subsequent to the 2009 annual conference the Abstracts of Papers was published. By 2010 the first Volume of the Proceedings of Phi Beta Delta was published. The purpose of the Proceedings is to serve the Society in publishing conference papers, commentary from the conference speakers, commentary by those wishing to express ideas related to its theme, or conference presenters wishing to inform the members of their ideas, activities, or programs. The *Proceedings* will provide a way for members of Phi Beta Delta to write about international topics for members and non-members to review and consider.
 - **52 Weekly Thoughts** and **Daily Maxims:** These are two items were written by Dr. Paul Rich as motivational tools for Society chapters. They are available on the website under publications.
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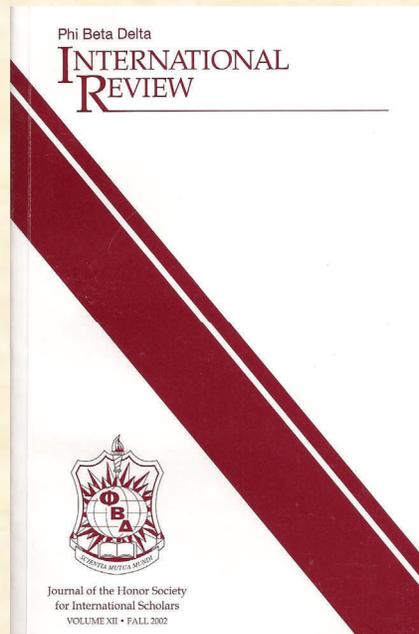
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ALPHA NEWS



PHI BETA DELTA HONOR SOCIETY NEWSLETTER

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Alpha Chapter Designs New International Programs

Alpha Chapter was established at CSULB in 1986 and is part of a national network recognizing individuals who have demonstrated scholarly achievement in international education and exchange. Each chapter strives to establish a network on campus as well, by bringing together scholars to share their ideas and experiences. Alpha Chapter is dedicated to increasing the recognition, credibility and importance of the international experience.

International educational exchanges and internationalizing the curriculum are essential activities for every university worldwide. At CSULB they take on an even more significant role since we sit on the edge of the Pacific Rim. Long Beach has entered the

international market in a big way and enjoys vast potential for international cultural and economic growth. With the opening of the World Trade Center and Pacific Rim Institute, CSULB can play an essential role in that development.

Alpha Chapter has a unique opportunity to recognize students and faculty for their efforts. At the same time it has the opportunity to provide an avenue for rich dialogue and personal and professional growth. To foster these avenues of opportunity, the officers have been at work to increase communications via this newsletter; to design programs for this year that encourage interaction among students and faculty; and to develop scholarship programs

for students. At the same time the membership committee seeks to enlarge the membership by recognizing students and faculty and asking them to become members.

Each of us has a very busy schedule, but we hope that you will take part in programs sponsored by Alpha Chapter. Please feel free to nominate new members, keeping in mind that each nomination requires the support of two members in good standing. The key to our success is involvement, and we hope that you will remain active in Alpha Chapter. Phi Beta Delta is one of the most prestigious honor societies in the United States, and it is through Alpha Chapter that we can intensify our dedication to international education.

International Lecture Features Egyptian Diplomat

Mr. Mohamed Tawfik, Special Assistant to the Egyptian Ambassador in Washington, D.C., was the featured speaker in the Society's International Lecture series on November 16. He talked about "The Critical Issues Facing the Arab Republic of Egypt." Some of these issues included Egypt's role in the Middle East, the country's economy, and the role of women in Egypt.

In his speech, Mr. Tawfik focused on the Camp David agreement between Israel and Egypt, the Egyptian government's role as a negotiator in the Palestinian-Israeli conflict, and the country's

economic future. According to Mr. Tawfik, Egypt has been trying to convince the Palestinian/Israeli conflict to establish some sort of direct negotiations between themselves. Mr. Tawfik also responded to questions by the audience about Egypt's response to the latest declaration of an independent state by the PLO and the role of the woman in Egypt. After his presentation, Mr. Tawfik was named an honorary member Phi Beta Delta.

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Donald Lauda and Kay Goddard present Mr. Tawfik with an honorary membership.

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Washington National Conference Is A Big Success

Meriwether Delivers Keynote Address at Plenary Luncheon

The Sheraton Washington Hotel in the nation's capital was the site of the Society's Second Annual National Conference. Chapter representatives and delegates participated in the two-day conference which had as its theme, "Responsibilities of International Scholars in Higher Education: Issues, Methodologies and Institutional Implications." Attendees included faculty, administrators, students, diplomats and invited guests.

Dr. James B. Meriwether, Professor of English at the University of South Carolina and past Chairman of the Board of Foreign Scholarships (a board, appointed by the President which oversees the Fulbright program), gave the Phi Beta Delta Annual Address at the Opening Plenary Luncheon. Meriwether spoke on the past and the future of the Fulbright program, the importance of the Fulbright program in terms of international understanding and scholarship, and the crucial role Fulbright scholars play in continuing to think and act globally within their academic communities upon returning home. Meriwether emphasized that "university administrators need to support and understand that Fulbright awards are as valuable as the contribution of published articles and books by junior faculty. Sabbaticals and leaves need to be more accessible and encouraged for faculty seeking an academic experience overseas."

Meriwether's address set an excellent tone for the rest of the conference which featured twelve juried papers presented by international scholars on topics which included "Internationalizing the Curriculum Across the Disciplines," "Transferring Scientific Information to



Conference presenters (from left to right) J. R. Goodin (Chi Chapter - Texas Tech University), Harry Jeffrey (Beta Chapter - California State University, Fullerton), Judy Young (Epsilon Chapter - University of Texas at Arlington), and Josef Mestelbauer (Psi Chapter - University of Minnesota).

Developing Countries," "The Future of the Future of Development Education," "Cooperative Measures in International Research," and "Study Abroad Research Needs." Selected papers from the conference will be featured in the first issue of the Society's journal. In addition to the scholarly presentations, two diplomats, Mr. Patricio Torres, Counselor for Political and Economic Affairs from the Embassy of Chile, and Mr. Hatem Atallah, Counselor from the Embassy of Tunisia, spoke on "The Crossroads of International Diplomacy and International Education." Both diplomats spoke eloquently on the role of international scholars in promoting international understanding, world peace, and cooperation among nations on all levels.

The Awards Banquet was a gala
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June Naughton (Alpha Zeta Chapter - University of Hawaii) presents a beautiful lei to keynote speaker James B. Meriwether.

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In Memory Of Senator J. William Fulbright

From the Fulbright Institute at the University of Arkansas, DeDe Long, Southwest Vice President of Phi Beta Delta, says "To those of us who work in international educational exchange and believe in its power to change and enlighten, his message was simple: 'direct contact between people fosters an international perspective, enabling students and scholars to see not only a different culture, but also their own, in a different light. In his own view, the exchange program that bears his name was the single most important achievement in his thirty two years in public life."

"The Beta Eta Chapter at the University of Arkansas is proud to claim Senator Fulbright (and his wife, Harriet Mayor Fulbright) as its first honorary member. Fulbright grew up in Fayetteville, where he completed his undergraduate degree before going to Oxford as a Rhodes Scholar."

"To scholars throughout the world, his name invokes a global consciousness towards peace and understanding." Over 200,000 Fulbrighters, returning from 120 nations have shared his vision and have inspired us

with their learning experiences. President Bill Clinton presented Fulbright the Presidential Medal of Freedom, the nation's highest civilian honor, and referred to him as his mentor. Clinton worked as a clerk in the former senators office while a student at Georgetown University. Upon Dr. Fulbright's death, February 9, 1995 the president said that Fulbright taught him "that we could make peace in the world if we seek a better understanding, if we promote exchanges among people, and if we advance the cause of global education."

The architect of scholarships and international programs first financed the educational exchanges from the sale of U.S. war property left overseas after World War II. The Fulbright/Hays Act of 1961 expanded his exchange programs in enhancing mutual understanding between nations.

Fulbright had been a Rhodes-Scholar at Oxford, the president of the University of Arkansas at the age of 34, a member of the U.S. House of Representatives at 36, and United States Senator at 39. He served as chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee for 16 years.

At the senator's 88th birthday, Clinton recalled Fulbright's ideals as "a common bond on humanity which could unite us if only we could take our blinders off." The remarkable accomplishments of this great leader leaves a legacy of commitment to "a global awareness for peaceful relationships among people of the world."

The membership of Phi Beta Delta represents his achievements and his vision. We will all miss him. We must strive to keep his vision alive.

"Fulbright: A Biography" will be released by Cambridge Press this summer. The author is Phi Beta Delta member Randall B. Woods, Senior Research Fellow at the Fulbright Institute of International Relations and Professor of Diplomatic History at the University of Arkansas.



J. William Fulbright and Harriet Mayor Fulbright



Senator Fulbright with "Young" Bill Clinton

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Cajun dancers. Photo credit: Lafayette Convention and Visitors Commission.

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APRIL 25-27, 2002, LAFAYETTE, LOUISIANA

Lafayette, Uniquely Cajun

Lafayette, Louisiana - the heartbeat of Acadiana - is where you can truly feel the pulse of Cajun Country. This cultural oasis on the bayou blends contemporary sophistication of a cosmopolitan city with a unique heritage and culture hard to find anywhere this side of Europe. Nowhere in the world is the variety greater and the food spicier than in Lafayette. The city boasts a stunning selection of restaurants, which offer such Cajun and Creole delicacies as seafood gumbo, crawfish étouffée and jambalaya. Whether it's elegant French cuisine or just good old home cooking, Lafayette's menus hit the spot. Born out of the enduring spirit of the Acadians and Creoles, Cajun and Zydeco music is as much a part of the

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PHI BETA DELTA FACT SHEET

- Phi Beta Delta, the premier on-campus organization for internationalizing universities, was founded in 1986 at California State University, Long Beach.
- As of July 1, 2011 the Headquarters Office of the Society will have moved to the campus of California State University, San Bernardino. Dr. Rueyling Chuang will assume the role of executive director and chief executive officer.
- Phi Beta Delta is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization whose headquarters office is located on the campus of California State University, San Bernardino.
- Phi Beta Delta provides recognition for scholarly achievement in the encompassing all areas of international education, exchanges, and scholarship. The Society provides assistance in developing international programs on campus.
- The Society is multi-disciplinary and multi-functional. As such, its members are drawn from all segments of the university community including administrators, presidents and provosts, as well as international and domestic faculty, staff, graduate and undergraduate students.
- Each constituent group's needs are met through recognition for excellence, development of programs, scholarship, conferences, networking, and publication opportunities.
- Phi Beta Delta has links with the International Studies Association and the Association of College Honor Societies (application in progress).
- There are more than one hundred seventy chapters on the campuses of four year colleges and universities comprising more than 10,000 inducted members. These include four in Mexico, two in Canada, and four chapters in Europe, and one in Africa.
- There is a strategic plan for 2011 - 2016 in place. Among the goals is to encourage establishment of chapters on every continent.
- An international conference is held each year that combines scholarship, strategic planning, policy formation, and networking to the benefit of members and non-members alike.
- The Twenty-Fifth Annual Conference and Anniversary Celebration took place in Long Beach, California, home of our Alpha Chapter in April 2011. The venues and themes of our past conferences can be accessed on our website. The Twenty-Sixth Annual Conference will be held April 12-13, 2012, in Kansas City, Missouri.
- There are two publications which can be found on the website. The Medallion Newsletter: a quarterly news magazine; The Proceedings of Phi Beta Delta, a more detailed publication of conference papers as well as a record of information and discussions of topics related to international education, and of interest to members.

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