

2000-2001 Award Winners

The Delta Chi Awards Program is designed to recognize and promote those areas that are critical to the success of the chapter. The "E" Key, the Fraternity's oldest award, and the Outstanding "C" Award recognize the performance of two vital chapter officers.

For the other awards, the Fraternity is divided into two divisions: Red and Buff. The Red Division contains those chapters with 19 or more fraternities on their campus or whose Greek system has over 40 percent of the undergraduate student body. The remaining chapters make up the Buff Division.

PRESIDENT'S CUP

RED	BUFF
Georgia Tech	Tri-State

AWARD OF EXCELLENCE

RED	BUFF
Georgia Tech	Idaho
Kansas	Mississippi State
Kansas State	Montevallo
	Tri-State

MOST IMPROVED CHAPTER

RED	BUFF
Northwestern	Virginia Com.

CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

RED	BUFF
Northwestern	Oshkosh
	Virginia Com.
	West Chester

OUTSTANDING ALUMNI BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Georgia Tech	Purdue
Mississippi State	Tri-State
Northwestern	

OUTSTANDING ALUMNI NEWSLETTER

Alabama	Nw Haven
Georgia Tech	Ohio State
Idaho	Purdue
Kansas	Tarleton
Mississippi State	Texas
Montevallo	Tri-State

OUTSTANDING CAMPUS LEADERSHIP

American	Montevallo
DePauw	New Haven
Georgia Tech	Northwestern
Idaho	Tri-State
Long Beach	Virginia Com.
Louisiana Tech	Virginia Tech
Michigan State	Washington
Mississippi State	West Chester

OUTSTANDING FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

Idaho	Purdue
Mississippi State	Tri-State
Montevallo	

In recognition of the chapter's performance on campus and within the community, the Outstanding Campus Leadership, Outstanding Community Service Program, Outstanding Intramural Program, Outstanding Membership Recruitment Program, Outstanding Scholarship Program Awards, and Outstanding Financial Management Awards are presented.

Three awards address the alumni programming of a chapter: the Outstanding Alumni Board of Trustees, Outstanding Alumni Newsletter, and Outstanding "BB" Awards.

OUTSTANDING COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAM

American	Montevallo
Georgia Tech	Northwestern
Idaho	Oshkosh
Kansas State	Penn State
Livingston	Tri-State
Louisiana Tech	Virginia Com.
Michigan State	Virginia Tech
Mississippi State	

OUTSTANDING INTRAMURAL PROGRAM

American	Purdue
Idaho	Texas
Kansas	Tri-State
Long Beach	Virginia Com.
Michigan State	Virginia Tech
Mississippi State	West Chester
Montevallo	

OUTSTANDING MEMBERSHIP RECRUITMENT PROGRAM

Georgia Tech	Montevallo
Idaho	Oshkosh
Kansas	Tri-State
Kansas State	West Chester
Michigan State	

OUTSTANDING SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

American	Long Beach
Cal Poly	Mississippi State
DePauw	Northwestern
Georgia Tech	Tri-State
Kansas	

OUTSTANDING "BB" AWARD

Paul Grazzini - Hayward
Dr. Alan Brightman - Kansas State
Charles Cheatham - Louisiana Tech
Stuart Jeffares - Michigan State
Russell Gunther - Northwestern
Robert Hendershot - Purdue

"E" KEY AWARD

Robert Villanueva - Cal Poly
Adam Pyle - Kansas State
Hadjh Ahrns - Long Beach
Michael Neuhaus - Penn State
Ratheen Damle - Texas
Stephen Pelletier - Tri-State

Chapters that have shown a marked improvement in their overall operations are given the Certificate of Achievement. The "AA" selects the winner of the Most Improved Chapter from the recipients of this award.

The winners of the Award of Excellence show strength across the board. In most cases they are winners of several awards. When they are not, they show above average performance in all programming areas.

From the recipients of the Award of Excellence, the "AA" selects the President's Cup winners. There is a maximum of three Cups in each Division, but no minimum.

OUTSTANDING "C" AWARD

William Fulmer - American
W. Jordan Hall - Georgia Tech
Darren Fowler - Hayward
Drew Keihm - Kansas
John Cordaro - Louisiana Tech
Zachary Toering - Long Beach
Michael Provencher - Mississippi State
Michael McCarty - Northwestern
Mathew Kelso - Tarleton
Clinton Hill - Tri-State

DISTINGUISHED DELTA CHI AWARD

This award recognizes significant achievement in one's professional or outstanding civic service while upholding the values and ideals of the Fraternity.

Ronald Martin, New Haven '87 - Ron has raised over \$1.25 million for charity.

Joseph Aveni, Arizona State '58 - Joe is chairman of the board and chief executive officer of Realty One, Inc. in Independence, Ohio. He has served the real estate industry in various leadership capacities on the local, state, national and international levels.

MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD

This award is presented to recognize significant contributions of a semi-conspicuous nature as "BB", ABT member, House Corporation member, committee member, Regent, Vice Regent, staff member or undergraduate. Men may receive this award multiple times over their careers for service in different roles.

Lance Belin, Fredonia '92 - for his service to the International Fraternity as Regent, Region II.

Alan Cornell, Behrend '95 for his service to the Behrend Chapter as ABT president and House Corporation president.

John Dorner, Illinois State '91- for his service to the International Fraternity as Regent, Region V.

Jason Gerrard, Arizona '95 - for his service as "BB" of the Arizona Chapter.

Bert Kelly, Troy State '89 - for his service to the International Fraternity as Regent, Region VIII.

Edward Schirtzinger OHST '76 - for his service to the Ohio State Chapter as president of the House Corporation for 13 years.

GOOD DEEDS DO GET NOTICED!

In an age when it seems only negative events make the headlines and good deeds get buried or don't make the news at all, Delta Chi is working to identify, encourage and recognize the good deeds our chapters perform through a wide array of community service and philanthropic projects.

Several years ago, the Board of Regents approved an umbrella program entitled *Devoting Energy, Leadership and Talent for the Advancement of Community and Humanitarian Initiatives* (D.E.L.T.A.C.H.I.). In an effort to seek a common thread among existing chapter programs in hopes of finding a single cause we could promote as a national philanthropy, the Board found a wide array of programs and activities our chapters supported in order to help each of their individual communities. While there was no one common thread, the existing activities tended to fall in one of six broad categories related to:

Youth – Boy Scouts, Big Brother/Big Sister Programs, etc.

Elderly – Helping in nursing homes, senior centers, etc.

Women's Issues – Rape prevention programs, shelters for battered women, etc.

Health – American Cancer Society, blood drives, AIDS awareness, etc.

Disadvantaged/Needy – Salvation Army, food banks, etc.

Environmental – Adopt-A-Highway, community clean up, etc.

Each year *D.E.L.T.A.C.H.I.* (known affectionately as the D-Dot Program) recognizes three chapters in each of the nine Regions of Delta Chi: the chapter

that raises and/or contributes the most money for charity, the chapter that donates the most man-hours toward community service and philanthropic causes, and the chapter that earns the most points.

Points are earned for each project/activity. The first project in each of the six categories receives five points, the second project in that category receives three points, the third project receives two points and each additional project receives one point. This process encourages chapters to do multiple projects for a variety of causes.

One of the benefits of this program is that it allows each individual chapter to determine the projects and activities it wants to support. This allows local community needs and the individual chapter interests to influence the choices of where and how to get involved.

Another benefit is that it allows Delta Chi to begin quantifying the many good deeds done by our undergraduates. Individually, each event and activity has an impact and plays an important role in the local community.

Looked at collectively, the impact is tremendous and paints a picture significantly different from the common public perception of fraternities.

During the past academic year (2000/01), 98 chapters reported a total of 405 activities and events. Collectively they raised \$105,198 for a wide variety of charitable causes and performed 28,346 man-hours of community service. With some chapters doing a more effective job of reporting than others, and some chapters not reporting at all, we know these numbers are conservative. As the program continues to mature, we hope to improve the reporting process so that we can more accurately report our collective efforts.

Trophies for the D-Dot program were awarded at this year's Jackson Leadership College held in Iowa City in early August.

Community service and philanthropy are important elements in today's society. We commend every chapter, every undergraduate and every alumnus who gives unselfishly of his time and resources to help make our communities stronger and to support those in need.

2000-2001 D.E.L.T.A. C.H.I. AWARDS

	<i>Man-hours</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Points</i>
Region I	Idaho	Washington	Idaho
Region II	N. Arizona	Chico	Reno
Region III	LA Tech	LA Tech	LA Tech
Region IV	Kansas State	Iowa	Iowa
Region V	Oshkosh	Northwestern	Northwestern
Region VI	Ohio State	Ohio State	Ohio State
Region VII	New Haven	New Haven	New Haven
Region VIII	Mississippi State	Mississippi State	Georgia Tech
Region IX	Virginia Tech	Penn State	Virginia Tech