

ALPHA CHI

National College Honor Scholarship Society

Making Scholarship Effective for Good



With Honor & Integrity

2005 National Convention

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St. Louis, Missouri
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Alpha Chi's 2005 Distinguished Alumnus and Keynote Speaker

*Coleen M. Rowley
Wartburg College alumna*

Coleen M. Rowley grew up in a small town in northeast Iowa, graduating valedictorian of her high school class. She thereafter obtained a B.A. degree in French from Wartburg College, Waverly, Iowa, becoming a member of Alpha Chi's Iowa Alpha chapter and graduating summa cum laude in 1977. Rowley attended the College of Law at the University of Iowa, graduated with honors in 1980, and passed the Iowa bar exam that summer.

In January of 1981, she was appointed a special agent with the FBI and initially served in the Omaha, Nebraska, and Jackson, Mississippi, divisions. Assigned from 1984 to 1990 to the New York office, she worked on Italian organized crime and Sicilian heroin drug investigations. During this time Rowley also had the opportunity to further her language proficiency in Italian at the Defense Language Institute in Monterey, California, and to serve three temporary duty assignments in the Paris Embassy and Montreal Consulate.

In 1990 Rowley was transferred to Minneapolis, where she assumed the duties of principal legal advisor (now known as chief division counsel), which entailed oversight of the Freedom of Information, Forfeiture, Victim-Witness and Community Outreach programs as well as providing regular legal and ethics training to FBI agents of the division and some outside police training.

In May of 2002 Rowley brought some of the pre 9-11 lapses to light and testified to the Senate Judiciary Committee about some of the endemic problems facing the FBI and the intelligence community. This testimony led to her being selected by Time magazine as one of three "Persons of the Year" for 2002.

In April 2003, following an unsuccessful and highly criticized attempt to warn the director and other administration officials about the dangers of launching the invasion of Iraq, Rowley "stepped down" from her (GS-14) legal position to go back to being a (GS-13) FBI special agent. She retired from the FBI at the end of 2004 and now speaks publicly to various groups, ranging from school children to business/professional/civic groups, on two different topics: ethical decision-making and balancing civil liberties with the need for effective investigation, a topic she has also addressed in a chapter of a book published by the Milton Eisenhower Foundation entitled *Patriotism, Democracy and Common Sense: Restoring America's Promise at Home and Abroad*.

In February 2005, a majority of Minnesota congresspersons and senators recommended Rowley to the President to serve on the Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board. This Board was mandated by recent federal intelligence reform legislation implementing the recommendations of the 9-11 Commission.

In 1984 Rowley set the two-mile record in the FBI for female special agents, and now she is an avid triathlete. She is married and has four children ranging in age from 9 to 23.

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2005 National Convention
Program of Events

Thursday, April 7, 2005

Afternoon

2:00-7:00 **Convention Registration—AX Central** **Registration Booth, 2nd floor**
Lara Q. Noah, Director of Operations, National Office

Art Gallery Available for Set-Up **Director's Row 24**
Poster & art exhibitors please check in at AX Central for access to art gallery.

Computer Presentation Previews (sign up at AX Central) **Promenade A**
Kimberly Orr, Electronic Media Coordinator

Vendor Displays.....**Promenade Pre-Convenc**

Brown's Jewelry and Memorabilia
Tim O. Brown, Official Alpha Chi Distributor

MBNA
Angela Patterson, Personal Banking Officer, MBNA America

The Princeton Review
Forrest Roberts, Director of Outreach, The Princeton Review-Missouri

5:30 **Meeting of Section Presiders and Presentation Prize Judges** **Promenade B**

Evening

7:00-8:45 **Banquet** **Promenade Ballroom**
Dr. Clark Youngblood, National Council President, presiding
Invocation—Anthony Everett, Region II Student Representative
Introduction of Distinguished Alumnus—Teri Wiese, Region IV Student
Representative, and Dr. Ferol Menzel, Academic Dean, Wartburg College
Address by Distinguished Alumnus—Coleen M. Rowley, Time Magazine
2002 "Person of the Year"
Recognition of Distinguished Alumna—Dr. Clark Youngblood
Door Prize Drawing—Lisa Phinney, Region III Student Representative
General Announcements—Dr. Ellen Millsaps, National Council Vice President

8:45 **Board Buses to City Museum**.....**4th Street Lobby Doors**
Wear your official convention nametag for boarding.

9:00-11:30 **Party at City Museum**
Continuous shuttles will run between hotel and museum until 11:30 p.m.

Friday, April 8, 2005

Morning

7:00-8:30 **Continental Breakfast Provided Promenade Pre-Convene South**

7:30-8:15 **"Need-to-Know" Chapter Workshops** (choose one)

Institutional Support: How to Get It, How to Use It..... Promenade Ballroom A

Presented by Grand Canyon University, Arizona Alpha

Arizona Alpha members and sponsors will tell how they have gained financial and other support from the school administration and how they use this help to promote Alpha Chi's image on campus and to send delegates to our conventions.

Page Six: A Case Study in Academic Freedom and Integrity Promenade Ballroom B

Presented by Huntington College, Indiana Beta

Tying to the convention's ethics theme, this session will recount how the chapter at Huntington addressed an academic freedom crisis on campus in 2004-05. Page Six is the location in the college catalog where academic freedom is discussed.

Creativity in Chapter Development..... Director's Row 25

Presented by Sam Houston State University, Texas Omicron

Members of this award-winning chapter will discuss ways of increasing member involvement, convention attendance, and Alpha Chi awareness on campus through practical and creative ideas.

Scholarships: Creating a Competitive Application Director's Row 26

Presented by New Mexico State University, New Mexico Alpha

This session will offer advice on filling out a thorough application, choosing a quality writing sample, asking for letters of recommendation from faculty, writing the personal statement, and meeting deadlines.

With Honor and Dignity: A Meaningful Induction Ceremony..... Director's Row 28

Presented by University of Arkansas at Monticello, Arkansas Zeta

This chapter believes that the induction ceremony should celebrate academic excellence at the institution. Members will show how, by customizing the established ritual in the Handbook, they have devised a ceremony that honors individuals and promotes the ideals of Alpha Chi.

Marketing Alpha Chi: Visibility on Campus Director's Row 29

Presented by Belmont University, Tennessee Eta

This session will detail how a chapter, starting with freshman orientation, can make Alpha Chi known on campus and to build its image. Other strategies such as advertising, collaborative projects, and relationships with administrators will be highlighted.

Credit 101: Financial Planning for College Students Promenade Ballroom C

Presented by Angela Patterson, Personal Banking Officer, MBNA America

This session led by one of Alpha Chi's partners will offer practical advice on making wise personal financial decisions, including the question of establishing and using credit.

Getting Into Grad School: What You Should Know Promenade Ballroom D

Presented by Forrest Roberts, Director of Outreach, The Princeton Review-Missouri

Competition for admission to law, medical, graduate, or business school is fierce, and you'll need a great test score to get into a top program. At this session learn how The Princeton Review can help you and your local chapters create a plan of attack for preparing for the LSAT, MCAT, GRE or GMAT, and also provide you with admissions information.

- 8:30-9:30 **General Business Session** **Promenade Ballrooms A-D**
 Dr. Clark Youngblood, National Council President, presiding
 Nominations for National Council
 Introduction of Candidates—Casey McCullough, Region VII Student Representative
 Instructions for Voting—Dr. Dennis Organ, Executive Director
 “With Honor and Integrity: Alpha Chi and Academic Honesty”—Dr. Dennis Organ,
 Executive Director
 Sponsor Service Awards—Sequana Anderson, Region VI Student Representative
 Door Prize Drawing—Sontee Ghosh Dastidar, Region I Student Representative
 General Announcements
- 9:45-12:00 **Archives Exhibit**.....**Promenade Pre-Convence**
 Dr. Robert W. Sledge, Alpha Chi Archivist
- 9:45-12:00 **Art and Poster Exhibit, Section 49** **Director’s Row 24**
- 9:45-10:45 **Session I: Student Presentations, Sections 1-12**
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- 10:45-11:00 **15-Minute Break**
- 11:00-12:00 **Session II: Student Presentations, Sections 13-24**
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- 12:00-12:45 **Regional Meetings**
 Run-off Election, as needed
Region I **Director’s Row 25**
Region II..... **Director’s Row 26**
Region III **Promenade Ballroom C**
Region IV **Promenade Ballroom A**
Region V..... **Promenade Ballroom B**
Region VI **Director’s Row 28**
Region VII..... **Director’s Row 29**

Lunch—You’re on your own.

Afternoon and Evening Free—Enjoy St. Louis!

Saturday’s Agenda begins on Page 15.

Student Presentations: Friday, Session I
9:45 – 10:45

Section 1 Music Promenade Ballroom D

Dr. Christine Condaris, Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts, presiding

- 9:45 "The Use of Theme and Variations in Norman Dello Joio's *Piano Sonata No.3* and Its Relation to Twentieth-Century Music"
Anita E. Burnette, North Carolina Zeta
Gardner-Webb University
- 10:00 "Searching" and "The Covenant Under the Rainbow"
May Mour, Texas Omicron
Sam Houston State University, alumna
- 10:15 "Beethoven's Deafness and its Effect upon his Music"
Natalie Gibson, Virginia Iota
Shenandoah University
- 10:30 "Rhythm of My Mind: A Self-Expression"
Anna Lynn Whisenant Bardaus, Georgia Theta
Shorter College

Section 2 Law and Government Director's Row 26

Dr. Peg FitzGerald, Pace University, presiding

- 9:45 "Homeland Security: A California Perspective"
John Kennedy, California Iota
California State University, Bakersfield
- 10:00 "After 9/11: Trading Liberty for Security"
Linda Baynes, West Virginia Epsilon
West Liberty State College
- 10:15 "Copyright Infringement: Insight into the Widespread Trend of Criminal Piracy"
Teleia D. Hogan, Texas Alpha Xi
University of Texas at Tyler

Section 3 British Literature Director's Row 42

Dr. Jonathan Thorndike, Belmont University, presiding

- 9:45 "Satan as Hero in Milton's *Paradise Lost* Books I & II"
Lelia A. McNeill, Arkansas Lambda
John Brown University
- 10:00 "'The Truth Is Full of Peril': Space, Autonomy, Identity, and Reality in Middleton and Rowley's *The Changeling*"
Amanda Nicole Wood, North Carolina Zeta
Gardner-Webb University
- 10:15 "Tragic Misunderstandings: Two of Shakespeare's Men"
Wendy Ann Wells, Texas Alpha Gamma
Midwestern State University

10:30 "Manipulative Friars in *Measure for Measure*, *Romeo and Juliet*, and *Much Ado About Nothing*"
Randi Brummett, California Iota
California State University, Bakersfield

Section 4 Literature Director's Row 44

Dr. Bill Clemente, Peru State College, presiding

9:45 "Myth to Grow On"
Deborah Bailey, Oklahoma Gamma
East Central University

10:00 "A New Trinity: Categories of the Christ-figure in Dostoevsky's *Crime and Punishment*"
Evelyn Baldwin, Arkansas Lambda
John Brown University

10:15 "Waiting for the Barbarians: The Wounds of Apartheid"
Abby Conley, Tennessee Nu
Milligan College

10:30 "Carnivorous Gods and Praying Mantises: Consuming Commodification in *The Blind Assassin* and *Gentleman Death*"
Bethany Joy Bear, Tennessee Delta
Carson-Newman College

Section 5 Education..... Director's Row 28

Dr. Patricia Graham, University of Texas at San Antonio, presiding

9:45 "Retrospective Analysis: A Reading Strategy"
Jeanine M. Clark, Iowa Beta
William Penn University

10:00 "Exploring Student Perceptions of the Academic Writing Process"
Deborah Kraklow, Michigan Delta
Saginaw Valley State University

10:15 "Using Online Communication in the Language Classroom"
Masaki Seo, Hawaii Beta
Hawaii Pacific University

10:30 "The Total Literacy Model: How to Bridge the Gap"
Kayla Davidson, Kentucky Eta
Alice Lloyd College

Section 6 History Director's Row 29

Dr. Paul Michelson, Huntington College, presiding

9:45 "Cold War Propaganda"
Rebecka Billingsley, Kansas Delta
Kansas Wesleyan University

10:00 "From Rosie to June: Propogandized Cultural Icons of the 1940s"
Katharine M. Phelps, North Carolina Omicron
Catawba College

- 10:15 "From Jerusalem to Hollywood: Cinematic Jesus"
Shawn A. Pendergrass, North Carolina Zeta
Gardner-Webb University
- 10:30 "Jezebel and Mammy: Stereotypes of African American Women in Film"
Melissa Stacer, Michigan Delta
Saginaw Valley State University

Section 7 Business Director's Row 25

Dr. Gayle White, Southern Arkansas University, presiding

- 9:45 "The Operations Model for the Production of Stauffer Biscuit Animal Crackers"
Dawn Miller, Pennsylvania Delta
York College of Pennsylvania
- 10:00 "A Marketing Analysis of Lay's Potato Chips"
Amy Parker, Tennessee Kappa
Lipscomb University
- 10:15 "Principles of Music Business as Applied to the Radio Broadcasting Industry"
Jennie R. Brooks, North Carolina Omicron
Catawba College
- 10:30 "Beijing 2008: The Impact of the 2008 Beijing Olympics on China"
Kelly Collins, Hawaii Beta
Hawaii Pacific University

Section 8 Science Promenade Ballroom B

Prof. Mary Harris, Grand Canyon University, presiding

- 9:45 "Genetic Variation of a West Texas Cactus Species"
Sayantani Dastidar, Texas Alpha Iota
Angelo State University
- 10:00 "Herpetofaunal Populations in Relation to Temperature and Wetland Quality"
Wendy Klooster, Indiana Alpha
Anderson University
- 10:15 "Verification of a Millennial-Scale Record of Hypothesized Water Surface Elevations of Summer Lake, Oregon, by Grain-Size Analysis"
Carol Register, California Iota
California State University, Bakersfield
- 10:30 "Sockeye Salmon and Migratory Spawners"
C. David Merryman, North Carolina Zeta
Gardner-Webb University

Section 9 Chemistry Director's Row 45

Dr. Kathryn Boyle, Friends University, presiding

- 9:45 "Determining the Relative Age of Ballpoint Pen Ink on Documents by High Performance Capillary Electrophoresis"
Jessica Naff, North Carolina Alpha
Appalachian State University

10:00 "Decontamination of Heavy Metals Using Polymer Coatings"
Dustin M. Porter, Texas Alpha Xi
University of Texas at Tyler

10:15 "Irinotecan Pharmacogenetic Studies In Pediatric Cancer Patients"
Christen N. Gregory, Tennessee Theta
Christian Brothers University

Section 10 Psychology Director's Row 41

Dr. Floyd Tesmer, Strayer University, presiding

9:45 "Adaptive Functions of Restrictive Anorexia Nervosa"
Lori Ruddy, Texas Alpha Gamma
Midwestern State University

10:00 "Counseling with Psychoanalytic Theory"
Danielle L. O'Brien, Iowa Beta
William Penn University

10:15 "Chromaesthesia"
Valerie H. Hobbs, North Carolina Epsilon
Mars Hill College

Section 11 Sociology Promenade Ballroom A

Dr. Richard Frucht, Northwest Missouri State University, presiding

9:45 "The Journey to Atonement"
Mark Ciaciuch, Michigan Delta
Saginaw Valley State University

10:00 "All for the Children"
Blanca Anderson, California Iota
California State University, Bakersfield

10:15 "Incarcerated Parents and Their Children: The Role of Social Workers and Issues Regarding Policy"
Heather N. Spivey, Virginia Delta
Roanoke College

Section 12 Health Promenade Ballroom C

Dr. Sarah Evans, Friends University, presiding

9:45 "One Step Closer to a Cure for Muscular Dystrophy"
Sara Winchester, Kansas Epsilon
Friends University

10:00 "Case Study: Diverticulitis and Nursing Care"
Melissa Bottlinger, Texas Alpha Kappa
Tarleton State University

10:15 "Investigating the Severity of Parasitic Infection of Bolivian School Children"
Rachel Baker, Kansas Epsilon
Friends University

10:30 "Green Tea For Me, Please."
Ricky Ngo, Kansas Epsilon
Friends University

Student Presentations: Friday, Session II 11:00 – noon

Section 13 Music and Dance Promenade Ballroom D

Dr. David Edris, Peru State College, presiding

- 11:00 "Music: The Power of Truth in Creative Expression"
Lindsey Winger, Tennessee Eta
Belmont University
- 11:15 "*Chanson Triste* by Henri Duparc"
Brenna Lacey, Tennessee Eta
Belmont University
- 11:30 "*Enough for Me*"
Ashley Marriott, Tennessee Eta
Belmont University
- 11:45 "I Get By"
Sarah Pilgrim and Selina Santos, Texas Omicron
Sam Houston State University

Section 14 Theater and Art Promenade Ballroom A

Dr. Michael Flachmann, California State University, Bakersfield, presiding

- 11:00 "*Street Talk* by Terrance McNally"
Michael Crea and Melanie Stringer, Virginia Iota
Shenandoah University
- 11:15 "*Freedom's Shackles*"
Cathleen Stocktill, West Virginia Epsilon
West Liberty State College
- 11:30 "Dreaming Reality: A Time Worth Remembering"
Marti Baca, Mississippi Beta
William Carey College
- 11:45 "Recent Works"
Adam Back, Texas Sigma
Stephen F. Austin State University

Section 15 Creative Writing Director's Row 42

Dr. Alison Mostrom, University of the Sciences in Philadelphia, presiding

- 11:00 "Scarecrow"
Rebecca Sharp, Arkansas Iota
Lyon College
- 11:15 "Coward"
Amanda Mowers, Indiana Alpha
Anderson University

11:30 "Guinivere," "Numb Perfection," "The Looking Glass"
Beverly E. le Roux, Texas Omicron
Sam Houston State University, alumna

11:45 "Explicating Relations"
Summer Hess, North Carolina Zeta
Gardner-Webb University

Section 16 British Literature Director's Row 26
Dr. John Yozzo, East Central University, presiding

11:00 "Patmore and Woolf: Responses to the Female Figure"
Alicia Ivy, Oklahoma Gamma
East Central University

11:15 "Developing Artistic Sensibility: Stephen Dedalus' Struggle with Religion and Politics in James Joyce's *Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man*"
Kris-Angelo Nativdad, New York Sigma
Long Island University, Brooklyn Campus

11:30 "The Semiotic in Angela Carter's *The Bloody Chamber*"
Josette Judith Arvizu, New Mexico Alpha
New Mexico State University

Section 17 Literature Director's Row 28
Dr. Bill Short, McMurry University, presiding

11:00 "My Daddy is a Fascist Dictator"
Michelle Burr, North Carolina Zeta
Gardner-Webb University

11:15 "Music and Emotions in Toni Morrison's *The Bluest Eye*"
Kathryn Pawling, Missouri Mu
Northwest Missouri State University

11:30 "An Ever-changing Woman in Ntozake Shange's *For Colored Girls Who Have Considered Suicide When the Rainbow is Enuf*"
Venee Robinson, North Carolina Eta
Shaw University

11:45 "Redemption in Flannery O'Connor's *Wise Blood*"
Candice M. Holmes, Alabama Delta
Faulkner University

Section 18 Education..... Director's Row 29
Dr. Gretchen Stone, Shenandoah University, presiding

11:00 "Media Use in the Classroom: An Application Using Abraham Lincoln as the Object of Study"
Jodi Carson, Iowa Beta
William Penn University

11:15 "The Use of Demonstration as an Instructional Tool"
Chad Sanada, Utah Beta
Southern Utah University

- 11:30 "Music and Cognition"
Pamela Carter, Texas Alpha Lambda
Houston Baptist University
- 11:45 "The Benefits of Singing in Beginning Instrumental Lessons"
Stephanie Crew, Connecticut Beta
University of Hartford

Section 19 History Director's Row 25

Dr. James R. King, Midwestern State University, presiding

- 11:00 "The Battle for Women at Augusta National"
Matt Paulson, California Theta
University of La Verne
- 11:15 "Submarine Warfare in World War I"
Amber Castor, Arkansas Gamma
University of Central Arkansas
- 11:30 "Shadow of a Soldier: Officers' Wives on the Texas Frontier"
April Stumpff, Texas Upsilon
McMurry University
- 11:45 "Deadly Mistakes, Lessons Learned"
Ellen Haley, Missouri Mu
Northwest Missouri State University

Section 20 Mathematics Promenade Ballroom B

Dr. Allen Walker, Freed-Hardeman University, presiding

- 11:00 "Optimization of a Toll Booth Plaza"
Armando Giordano, Kentucky Delta
Brescia University
- 11:15 "Biproduction"
James Gentile, Indiana Epsilon
Tri-State University
- 11:30 "The Mathematics of Music: A Study of the Relationship of Numbers and Music"
Erika B. Dean, Texas Alpha Kappa
Tarleton State University
- 11:45 "It's a Small World: A Model of Stanley Milgram's Six Degrees of Separation"
Scott Ferguson, Kentucky Delta
Brescia University

Section 21 Science Director's Row 45

Dr. Susan Payne, East Central University, presiding

- 11:00 "Immune Response to *Staphylococcus aureus* in Biofilms"
Christopher B. Jones, Texas Mu
Texas Wesleyan University
- 11:15 "Comparison of Wild Type vs. PPAR α -deficient Mice Subjected to Cecal Ligation and Puncture"
Chelsee Truesdell, Oklahoma Epsilon
Oklahoma Christian University

- 11:30 "Isolation of Sonic Hedgehog mRNA from Chicken Embryos"
Chris Estes, Arkansas Iota
Lyon College
- 11:45 "Analysis of Neutron Yields from Al, C, Cu and Pb Targets Bombarded by High-energy Ions with Moving Source Model"
Khaled W. El-Nemr, Virginia Delta
Roanoke College

Section 22 Business Promenade Ballroom C

Prof. Marilyn Jones, Friends University, presiding

- 11:00 "Academic Dishonesty and Free-Riders: Is There Any Commonality?"
Helen M. Barela, New Mexico Alpha
New Mexico State University
- 11:15 "Postulations about the International Music Business Industry's Internet Market"
Kyle Smith, Tennessee Eta
Belmont University
- 11:30 "Ghana and Foreign Investment"
Cephas Kwame Agbeke, North Carolina Zeta
Gardner-Webb University

Section 23 Religion Director's Row 44

Dr. Clark Youngblood, Grand Canyon University, presiding

- 11:00 "Toward My Apology"
Laurence O'Donnell, Florida Theta
Clearwater Christian College
- 11:15 "Joseph: Master of the Dark Arts?"
Hans Koschmann, North Carolina Zeta
Gardner-Webb University
- 11:30 "It Is Fulfilled: Prophecy in Matthew"
Nathan Brown, Alabama Delta
Faulkner University
- 11:45 "Overcoming the Domination System: Jesus' Third Way"
Andrew J. Brown, Tennessee Delta
Carson-Newman College

Section 24 Communication Director's Row 41

Dr. David Jones, Westminster College, presiding

- 11:00 "Celebrity-endorsed Advertising Effects on Students at a Christian University"
Amy Sullivan, Tennessee Kappa
Lipscomb University
- 11:15 "How to Create a Niche Audience Morning Show"
Erin Rizzo, Texas Zeta
West Texas A&M University

- 11:30 "College Journalism: Dead and Alive"
Holly Clark, Tennessee Delta
Carson-Newman College
- 11:45 "An Analysis of the Dean Scream"
Will Whiting, Arkansas Zeta
University of Arkansas at Monticello

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Saturday, April 9, 2005

Morning

7:00-8:30 **Continental Breakfast Provided Promenade Pre-Convene South**

7:30-8:15 **"Doing the Right Thing" Academic Integrity Workshops**

Delegates will gather in smaller groups to work through a case problem in academic integrity on campus and then to share ideas of how Alpha Chi chapters on their own campuses can carry out our theme of "With Honor and Integrity." The ideas generated will be shared with all chapters after the convention. Leading the sessions will be the student members of the National Council:

Sequana Anderson Promenade Ballroom A
Anthony Everett Promenade Ballroom B
Sontee Ghosh Dastidar Promenade Ballroom C
Casey McCullough Promenade Ballroom D
Lori Merkle Director's Row 25
Lisa Phinney Director's Row 26
Teri Wiese Director's Row 28

8:30-12:00 **Archives Exhibit Promenade Pre-Convene**
Dr. Robert W. Sledge, Alpha Chi Archivist

8:30-12:00 **Art and Poster Exhibit, Section 49 Director's Row 24**
Exhibitors should remove their items at or before noon today.

8:30-9:30 **Session I: Student Presentations, Sections 25-36**
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9:30-9:45 **15-minute Break**

9:45-10:45 **Session II: Student Presentations, Sections 37-48**
See Pages 20-24

10:45-12:00 **General Business Session Promenade Ballrooms A-D**
Dr. Clark Youngblood, National Council President, presiding
Report on Attendance
Report of National Council and Executive Committee
Report of Audit Committee—Dr. Blake Janutolo
Report of Scholarship Recipients and Alternates
Nolle Scholarships—Dr. Jonathan Thorndike
Benedict Fellowships—Dr. Bonnie Revelle
Pryor Alumni Fellowship—Dr. Al Clark
Report of Resolutions Committee—Dr. Duane Rosa
Recognition of National Council Members Finishing Terms of Service—Dr. Dennis Organ
Installation of National Council Members for 2005-2009
Presentation of Distinguished Service Awards—Dr. Dennis Organ
Presentation of Convention Presentation Prizes—Dr. Terrell Tebbetts
Presentation of the President's Cup for Outstanding Chapter—Dr. Terrell Tebbetts
Door Prize Drawing—Lori Merkle, Region V Student Representative
Announcements—Dr. Ellen Millsaps
Adjournment of National Convention

Student Presentations: Saturday, Session I 8:30 – 9:30 a.m.
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Section 25 Creative Writing Director's Row 42

Dr. Laura Dickinson, Capitol College, presiding

- 8:30 "A Woman's Artillery"
Sherin Monds, New Mexico Alpha
New Mexico State University
- 8:45 "Four Poems"
Jason Nelson, West Virginia Beta
Concord University
- 9:00 "Nightlight"
Aimee Parkhurst, New Hampshire Alpha
Colby-Sawyer College
- 9:15 "Poetry as Introspection"
Charles C. Grimm, Alabama Delta
Faulkner University

Section 26 Biology..... Promenade Ballroom C

Dr. Jennifer Davis, Shorter College, presiding

- 8:30 "Chemical Signaling in Migraine Headache"
Rachel Manley, Missouri Rho
Evangel University
- 8:45 "Genetic Study of Craniosynostosis"
Sean Thompson, Indiana Alpha
Anderson University
- 9:00 "Magnetic Field Falloff of the Human Gastric Slow Wave"
Chris Brosey, Tennessee Kappa
Lipscomb University
- 9:15 "Nicotinic Effects of Cardiac Cells, In Vitro"
Jennifer Haagensen, New Hampshire Alpha
Colby-Sawyer College

Section 27 Chemistry Promenade Ballroom A

Dr. Dennis Matlock, Harding University, presiding

- 8:30 "Role of Membrane Synthesis in Macrophage Function"
Christopher R. Sage, Tennessee Theta
Christian Brothers University
- 8:45 "The Formation of Concentration Gradients Using Microfluidics Networks"
Steven Harris, Oklahoma Delta
Langston University

9:00 "Energy Transfer in Interstellar Medium: Computational Studies of He-MeH"
Danijela A. Kebir, Texas Alpha Xi
University of Texas at Tyler

9:15 "Atomic Absorption Spectroscopy in Environmental Methods"
Lisa Kennedy, Texas Alpha Iota
Angelo State University

Section 28 Business Director's Row 26
Dr. Charles Ramser, Midwestern State University, presiding

8:30 "The Pros and Cons of IT Outsourcing"
Margarett Ann Wyrick, North Carolina Xi
Greensboro College

8:45 "Accounting: Recent Scandals and their Impact"
Carrie Parker, New Mexico Alpha
New Mexico State University

9:00 "The Theory of Constraints"
Sarah E. Hughes, North Carolina Zeta
Gardner-Webb University

9:15 "How Does Globalization Affect the Apparel Industry?"
Kimberly A. Hilton, North Carolina Xi
Greensboro College

Section 29 Communication Director's Row 44
Dr. Barbara Clark, Oglethorpe University, presiding

8:30 "The History of American Sign Language"
Elizabeth Zych, North Carolina Zeta
Gardner-Webb University

8:45 "Power of One: American Red Cross Ad Campaign"
Janasson Long, Oklahoma Gamma
East Central University

9:00 "Perceptions of Satisfaction and Emergency Preparedness in American Red Cross Training Courses"
Ellen Rodman, Michigan Delta
Saginaw Valley State University

9:15 "Integrity in the Media"
Emily Forrest, Ohio Zeta
Urbana University

Section 30 Religion Director's Row 28
Dr. Juliana Ee, Cascade College, presiding

8:30 "The Development and Effect of the Missiology of Saint Francis Xavier"
Jason Bruner, North Carolina Zeta
Gardner-Webb University

8:45 "Voodoo"
Melissa Hupp, Kentucky Eta
Alice Lloyd College

9:00 "The Archetypal Significance of the Prodigal Son's Quest"
Joseph Dutko, Missouri Rho
Evangel University

Section 31 Computer Science and Engineering Director's Row 29
Prof. Tonja Hudson, Averett University, presiding

8:30 "Exploration of the Mandelbrot Set"
Michael Whitton, Indiana Epsilon
Tri-State University

8:45 "Data Compression Using Hauffman Algorithm"
Fatima Z. Jaafari, Texas Alpha Xi
University of Texas at Tyler

9:00 "Phishing: No Net Required"
Christi Lee Johnson, D.C. Gamma
Strayer University

9:15 "The Purpose and Need for Electronic Machine Guarding"
Bill Maness, Texas Alpha Kappa
Tarleton State University

Section 32 History Director's Row 41
Dr. Randy Hanson, Colby-Sawyer College, presiding

8:30 "Forces of Decency: Anna Holder and CORE"
Rachel Shaver, Tennessee Kappa, alumna
Lipscomb University

8:45 "A Little Too Inquisitive: How Dostoevsky Predicted Lenin Through Ivan Karamazov"
Precious Sanders, Missouri Mu
Northwest Missouri State University

9:00 "Saints, Suffering, and Salvation: Recollections of the Struggle to Maintain Italian-American Catholic Identity in the Mississippi Delta"
Jonathan M. Reid, Arkansas Eta
Harding University, alumnus

Section 33 Psychology Director's Row 25
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Victoria Anne McCracken, Arkansas Lambda
John Brown University

8:45 "Substance Abuse: The Role of Cognition in its Use"
Christopher Horchak, Florida Theta
Clearwater Christian College

- 9:00 "A Comparison of Teacher Awareness of Prosocial Behavior at Schools with Different Systems of Reward"
Jennifer Holmes, Tennessee Delta
Carson-Newman College

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Dr. Roxanne Sullivan, Bellevue University, presiding

- 8:30 "Plagiarism: An Issue OF Education and FOR Education"
Teri L. Wiese, Iowa Zeta
University of Dubuque
- 8:45 "Discipleship of a Teacher"
HyunJung Mary An, West Virginia Zeta
Ohio Valley College
- 9:00 "The Role of Education in Inculcating Ethics in to the Mainstream of Society"
Vindhya Usliyanage, Delaware Beta
Goldey-Beacom College
- 9:15 "The Specialization of Choral Conducting: Amateur Versus Professional Choirs"
Stephanie Duarte, California Theta
University of La Verne

Section 35 Literature Director's Row 45

Dr. Kate Stewart, University of Arkansas at Monticello, presiding

- 8:30 "American Identity in Hawthorne, Melville, Emerson, and Thoreau"
Justin Holt, Arkansas Iota
Lyon College
- 8:45 "An Education: Changing *Littletree* from Humanitarian to Klansman"
Elizabeth Rae Coody, Louisiana Alpha
Centenary College of Louisiana
- 9:00 "Lois Lowry's Challenges to Plato's Theory Concerning Thought Control"
Diana J. Lovelace, Tennessee Delta
Carson-Newman College
- 9:15 "Mary Rowlandson: Writing as a Spiritual Journey"
Sharon Norman, Texas Upsilon
McMurry University

Section 36 British Literature Promenade Ballroom D

Dr. John McLaughlin, Freed-Hardeman University, presiding

- 8:30 "Romanticism is Existentialism"
Martin Copeland III, Maryland Alpha
Bowie State University
- 8:45 "Heroism, a Deadly Opiate: Understanding Exile in *Beowulf*"
Benjamin A. Saltzman, New York Lambda
Pace University

- 9:00 "The Heroic, Faerie, and Philosophy: J.R.R. Tolkien's *Lord of the Rings*"
Jennifer Miller, Arkansas Gamma
University of Central Arkansas
- 9:15 "Who Would Gandalf Vote For?"
Peter Fields, Kentucky Eta
Alice Lloyd College

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Section 37 Bioethical Issues Promenade Ballroom C
Dr. Blake Janutolo, Anderson University, presiding

- 9:45 "Abortion as a Socio-economic Issue in the United States and Russian Federation"
Karina Parr, Texas Alpha Zeta
East Texas Baptist University
- 10:00 "Jailed for Life"
Danielle Victoria Dolan, Hawaii Beta
Hawaii Pacific University, alumna
- 10:15 "The Truth about Lie Detectors"
Makyla Gley, Arizona Alpha
Grand Canyon University
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Anthony Liles, North Carolina Eta
Shaw University

Section 38 Philosophy and Leadership..... Promenade Ballroom A
Dr. Chris Tiaht, Brescia University, presiding

- 9:45 "A Critique of Michel Foucault's *Discipline and Punish*"
Joshua Clary, Kentucky Delta
Brescia University
- 10:00 "A Student Practitioner's Applied Theory of Leadership"
Wendy Schwartz, California Theta
University of La Verne
- 10:15 "Armed and Dangerous: The Road to Success for Campus Leaders"
Sarah Wise, Arkansas Mu
University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff

Section 39 Sociology and Anthropology..... Director's Row 26

Dr. Trisha Yarbrough, East Central University, presiding

- 9:45 "Always the Same But Never Alike"
Wade Sherburn, Oklahoma Gamma
East Central University
- 10:00 "Social Work Values and Ethics"
Rachel Stutts, Tennessee Eta
Belmont University
- 10:15 "Vampires: The Evolution of a Legend"
Kerry Wilkins, Arkansas Gamma
University of Central Arkansas

Section 40 Fine Arts Director's Row 44

Dr. Terrell Tebbetts, Lyon College, presiding

- 9:45 "Dance as Political Expression: Choreographer Bill T. Jones"
Julia Adrienne Casabianca, Virginia Iota
Shenandoah University
- 10:00 "Analysis of the Compositional Techniques used in Franz Schubert's *Erkoning*"
David Roberson, Arizona Alpha
Grand Canyon University
- 10:15 "In a Painted Mirror: An Examination of the Influence of Vassily Kandinsky on the Avant Garde Art Movements"
Rebecca Westbrook, Oklahoma Theta
Southeastern Oklahoma State University
- 10:30 "Gustave Caillebotte and Haussmann's Paris"
Jennifer Barnes, Texas Alpha Xi
University of Texas at Tyler

Section 41 Biology..... Director's Row 28

Dr. Bonnie Revelle, Chowan College, presiding

- 9:45 "University Bathrooms: Source of Bacterial Transmission?"
Lori Stuart, Texas Alpha Iota
Angelo State University
- 10:00 "Parasitic Nematodes in Humans"
Abigail M. Henderson, Nebraska Epsilon
York College
- 10:15 "Drosophila Genetics"
Michelle Peshorn, Connecticut Beta
University of Hartford

Section 42 Health..... Director's Row 42

Dr. Ann Kneavel, Goldey-Beacom College, presiding

- 9:45 "Fitting Exercise Programs to Personal Needs: A Comparative Analysis"
Brandon M. Albers, Iowa Beta
William Penn University

- 10:00 "Glucosamine: Unveiling the Mystery Surrounding this Popular Product"
Laura Savery, Tennessee Delta
Carson-Newman College
- 10:15 "Silver Power: Benefits of Colloidal Silver to Personal Health"
Archie Hoggan, Iowa Beta
William Penn University

Section 43 Business Director's Row 29
Dr. Duane Rosa, West Texas A&M University, presiding

- 9:45 "Intellectual Property Rights in the Doha Round"
John Deveau, Texas Omicron
Sam Houston State University
- 10:00 "Cost of Production Report"
William A. James, Texas Alpha Pi
University of Texas at San Antonio
- 10:15 "Employee Motivation"
Ann Lambert Nelson, Arizona Alpha
Grand Canyon University

Section 44 Religion Director's Row 25
Dr. Robert Sledge, Alpha Chi Archivist, presiding

- 9:45 "An Analysis of Romans 6:7"
J. David Stark, Alabama Delta
Faulkner University
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D. Anthony Everett, Texas Alpha Psi
Paul Quinn College
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Alan Taylor, Oregon Epsilon
Cascade College
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Jenna Childs, Kansas Delta
Kansas Wesleyan University

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Dr. Martin Jacobsen, West Texas A&M University, presiding

- 9:45 "Extreme Makeover: Newspaper Edition"
Brandon Hays, Arizona Alpha
Grand Canyon University
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Bryan Beck, Texas Alpha Iota
Angelo State University
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Sterling Turner, Maryland Alpha
Bowie State University

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Lorraine Melgoza, Texas Alpha Beta
University of Texas at El Paso
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Timothy R. Jayne, California Iota
California State University, Bakersfield
- 10:15 "Paulo Freire's Pedagogy of the Oppressed as Liberation Theology for the Poor"
Braye Cloud, Arkansas Iota
Lyon College

Section 47 Literature Director's Row 45

Dr. Lin Garner, Lipscomb University, presiding

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Don McLaughlin, Arkansas Eta
Harding University
- 10:00 "Healing War: A Reflection on Returning from War"
Linda Ann Harris, Virginia Delta
Roanoke College
- 10:15 "The Use of Natural Selection in James Welch's *Fools Crow*"
Julie Bennett, Missouri Mu
Northwest Missouri State University
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Kayleen Schumacher, Michigan Delta
Saginaw Valley State University

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Donna J. Ruble, New Mexico Alpha
New Mexico State University
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Amy Schmidt, Arkansas Iota
Lyon College
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Erin Luke, Missouri Delta
Westminster College

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Cathleen Stocktill, West Virginia Epsilon
West Liberty State College

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Will Whiting, Arkansas Zeta
University of Arkansas at Monticello

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Elaine Slayton, Arkansas Iota
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Shawna R. Johnson, Nebraska Gamma
Bellevue University

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Emily Wooge, Virginia Delta
Roanoke College

"Enzyme Activity and Specific Activity of alpha-Amylase in Human Saliva and in a Purified Sample from *Bacillus licheniformis*"

Sonya Turner and Juliane Zapalac, Texas Omicron
Sam Houston State University

"Molecular Disease: Krabbe's Disease"

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