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## Announcing the Sigma Beta Delta 2013 SBD Fellowship Winners!

| <u>Student</u>      | <u>School</u>            | <u>Location</u> | <u>Named Fellowships</u>                     |
|---------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|--|
| Lisa Button         | Culver-Stockton College  | Canton, MO      | Richard Scott Fellowship                     |
| Anthony Cerino, Jr. | Salve Regina University  | Newport, RI     | Steve Ballard Fellowship                     |
| Margaret Feldman    | Elmira College           | Elmira, NY      | William Kehoe Fellowship                     |
| Kathryn Hamner      | Judson College           | Marion, AL      |  |
| Daro Kurdson        | Edison State College     | Fort Myers, FL  | James Bearden Fellowship<br>(ACBSP Region 4) |
| Michael Lollo       | Siena Heights University | Adrian, MI      | Don Driemeier Fellowship                     |
| Cory Maka           | Wilmington University    | New Castle, DE  |  |
| Belinda McLaughlin  | St. Petersburg College   | Largo, FL       |  |
| Linda Miller        | South University Online  | Pittsburg, PA   |  |
| Amanda O'Donnell    | Castleton State College  | Castleton, VT   | Blanche Touhill Fellowship                   |
| Morgan A. Olsen     | Purdue-North Central     | Westville, IN   | Clifford Eubanks Fellowship                  |



## Congratulations!



Congratulations to the eleven students listed above and our thanks to the Selection Committee of the Sigma Beta Delta Board of Directors for their dedication. Thank you to the faculty who took the time and made the effort to nominate the applicants, Sigma Beta Delta chapters could not exist without the guidance of faculty advisors.

\*\*\*Sigma Beta Delta will be **increasing** the total amount of the 2014 Fellowship **prizes** to **\$20,000** to celebrate our 20th Anniversary. We unfortunately had the lowest number of applicants in many years for the 2013 Fellowships, so please make sure your students are aware of this great opportunity.\*\*\*



### Sandra Hammerly Fellowship



The Board of Sigma Beta Delta named the SANDRA ESTEP HAMMERLY FELLOWSHIP in honor of Sandra Hammerly. Sandra retired in August of 2013 after serving as Executive Director and 10 years of dedicated and distinguished service to officers, members, and alumni of Sigma Beta Delta and to the collegiate honor society movement. Her dedicated, persistent, and effective work resulted in hundreds of Sigma Beta Delta chapters being created throughout this nation and abroad, enabling hundreds of colleges and universities with the opportunity to provide the nation's best and brightest students to have national honor society recognition. The Board of Directors of Sigma Beta Delta expressed deep appreciation and affection for Sandra upon her retirement and recognized that her decade of service extends beyond the immediate workplace into the lives of many thousands of individuals who have a key and certificate bearing Greek letters of Sigma Beta Delta. The Board offered their unanimous expression of warm and deep affection for Sandra, and gave visibility to it by naming the fellowship in her honor.

## Sigma Beta Delta Chapter Anniversaries

### Fifteen Year Anniversary-Member Chapters Since 1998

| <u>School</u>                      | <u>State</u> | <u>Installed</u> |
|------------------------------------|--------------|------------------|
| Southern University at New Orleans | LA           | March 4          |
| Palm Beach Atlantic University     | FL           | March 4          |
| Cabrini College                    | PA           | April 3          |
| Florida Southern College           | FL           | April 4          |
| Lees-McRae College                 | NC           | April 20         |
| Austin Peay State University       | TN           | May 7            |
| College of St. Joseph              | VT           | December 7       |

### Ten Year Anniversary- Member Chapters Since 2003

|                              |    |             |
|------------------------------|----|-------------|
| Lynn University              | FL | January 22  |
| Westfield State College      | MA | February 10 |
| Salem College                | NC | February 10 |
| Crichton College             | TN | February 17 |
| Daemen College               | NY | February 19 |
| University of Charleston     | WV | February 27 |
| Black Hills State University | SD | March 24    |
| Southeastern University      | FL | March 25    |
| Benedictine University       | IL | April 11    |
| Reinhardt University         | GA | June 25     |
| Shorter University           | GA | October 21  |
| Berkeley College             | NY | December 4  |
| Wayne State College          | NE | May 4       |

### Five Year Anniversary- Member Chapters Since 2008

|                                    |    |             |
|------------------------------------|----|-------------|
| Kean University                    | NJ | February 8  |
| Limestone College                  | SC | March 19    |
| Shorter University-Rome            | GA | March 19    |
| Bridgewater State University       | MA | March 29    |
| Penn State-Lehigh Valley           | PA | April 7     |
| Capitol College                    | MD | October 28  |
| Dominican University of California | CA | October 28  |
| Saint Peter's College              | NJ | October 28  |
| College of Westchester             | NY | October 31  |
| Sullivan University-Lexington      | KY | November 4  |
| College of the Ozarks              | MO | November 12 |
| Edward Waters College              | FL | November 12 |
| North Carolina Wesleyan Univ.      | NC | November 13 |
| Colorado Technical University      | IL | December 23 |
| Wesley College                     | DE | December 27 |

**CONGRATULATIONS!**

### Sigma Beta Delta in the Community

Are your members exhibiting leadership skills and upholding the principles under which they were inducted; **wisdom, honor and aspirations**? Let the Central Office know what your chapter is doing and we will be happy to spotlight your efforts on our website and maybe in an upcoming newsletter.



Please remember each chapter can induct two Honorary members per ceremony. This is a great way to honor Alumni, incorporate local business and civic leaders with your chapter and school, or to honor school Presidents and Administrators.



### **Hello from your Executive Director**

Hello everyone. I am your new Executive Director of Sigma Beta Delta. Sandra Hammerly retired at the beginning of August and I have taken over for her. I have worked in the SBD Central Office on a part time basis since February 2012 so you may have talked to me previously. I look forward to working with you all for many years to come.

One of my main goals coming in, is to get the Induction Process streamlined and online. As chapter advisors you will be able to invite members and manage them through our website with administrative rights. We are working with some beta schools this Fall and if all is ready come Spring you will all be invited to join the digital process. This will eliminate paper, make payments easier, and hopefully be more efficient for everyone involved. Also I will work to update our offices, processes and our society in general. A general knock on SBD by students is that we are "behind the times". I will work to change that perception by being more active through our website, starting an SBD Facebook page, etc. Any suggestions from you or your students are always welcome. One way I will update SBD is by only sending this newsletter out via email - if you would like printed copies sent to you, please email us - [sigmabetadelta@umsi.edu](mailto:sigmabetadelta@umsi.edu)

The end of September brings us Fall and signals the beginning of a new honor season, as some chapters prepare for Induction Ceremonies in the coming months. Around the Central Office here, we stock up on certificates and regalia that we will be sending out to new members and we also get ready for **St. Louis Cardinals** playoff baseball. This is one of my local sports interests so feel free to root along with us or try to give us a hard time if you are a big fan of a rival team. Besides sports, other things that interest me are Theatre and music. I'm also a little older than the picture may show - it's hard to see the grey hair and crows feet in a small picture. Now you know a little bit about me and I hope to get to know all of you.

This will be an exciting year. We will induct our 400th chapter in November and in January we will be holding Chapter Advisor and Officer Workshops in San Diego. We will be inviting Advisors and Officers from specific schools to work with us during our Winter Board Meeting. I'm excited to be working with all of you. Please do not hesitate to contact me if I can be of service to you.

Sincerely,

Peter Banholzer

### **Need a JOB?**

Our Career Center is back up. Members and officers can search for and post jobs via this link.



**Sigma Beta Delta Career Center**



# Sigma Beta Delta

Welcome to these New Chapters Installed Since May 2013



**Argosy University-Sarasota**  
Sarasota, FL  
Installed: May 28, 2013  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Kathleen Cornett

**Argosy University-Tampa**  
Tampa, WV  
Installed: April 18, 2013  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Judith Horvath

**Bethune-Cookman College**  
Daytona Beach, FL  
Installed: April 3, 2013  
Faculty Advisor: Amy Williams

**Birmingham-Southern University**  
Birmingham, AL  
Installed: April 8, 2013  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Rick Lester



**Ohio Christian University**  
Circleville, OH  
Installed: June 19, 2013  
Faculty Advisor: Prof. Dale Lear

**Ottawa University**  
Ottawa, KS  
Installed: April 8, 2013  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Marylou Dewald

**Southern Adventist University**  
Staten Island, NY  
Installed: August 22, 2013  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Mark Hyder

**St. Francis College**  
Brooklyn Heights, NY  
Installed: May 23, 2013  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Dennis Anderson

## Inactive Chapters

If you have friends or colleagues at these chapters, remind them about the importance of our Honor Society.

Berea College  
Bethel University  
Bryant & Stratton-VA Beach  
Bryant & Stratton-Milwaukee  
Carlos Albizu University  
Christian Brothers University  
Crichton College  
Greenville College

Hilbert College  
Hillsdale College  
Iowa Wesleyan College  
Keiser University-Daytona  
Keiser University-Melbourne  
Keiser University-Orlando  
Keiser University-Sarasota  
Keiser Univ-West Palm Beach

Lyon College  
Muskingum University  
Paul Quinn College  
Potomac College  
Rollins College  
Sojourner-Douglass College  
Spalding University  
Stillman College

SUNY-Canton  
Thomas College  
U of Charleston  
U of SC at Beaufort  
Virginia Intermont College

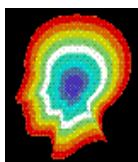
**SBD  
FACTS  
for  
2012-2013**

**New Chapters  
22**

**Total Active  
Chapters  
237**

**New Members  
6,386**

**Total Members  
75,044**



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# Sigma Beta Delta

## ACTIVE CHAPTER LISTING

### ALABAMA

Birmingham-Southern College  
Huntingdon College  
Judson College  
Spring Hill College

### ALASKA

Alaska Pacific University

### ARIZONA

Argosy University-Phoenix

### ARKANSAS

University of Arkansas at Fort Smith  
University of Arkansas-Pine Bluff  
Williams Baptist College

### CALIFORNIA

Argosy University-Orange County  
California Lutheran University  
California Maritime Academy  
Concordia University  
Dominican University  
Holy Names University  
Mount St. Mary's College  
National University  
Pacific Union College  
St. Mary's College of California  
Vanguard University of Southern California  
Whittier College

### COLORADO

Adams State University  
Argosy University-Denver  
Colorado Technical University Online  
Metropolitan State College of Denver  
University of Saint Joseph

### CONNECTICUT

University of St. Joseph  
University of New Haven

### DELAWARE

Wesley College  
Wilmington University

### FLORIDA

Argosy University-Sarasota  
Argosy University-Tampa  
Bethune-Cookman University  
Daytona State College  
Edison State College  
Edward Waters College  
Flagler College  
Florida Southern College  
Hodges University  
Indian River State College  
Keiser University-Ft. Lauderdale  
Keiser University-Lakeland  
Keiser University-Pembroke Pines  
Keiser University-Tallahassee  
Lynn University  
Nova Southeastern University  
Palm Beach Atlantic College  
Palm Beach State College  
Pensacola State College  
Saint Leo University  
St. Petersburg College  
Southeastern University  
Warner University

### GEORGIA

Argosy University-Atlanta  
Emmanuel College  
Georgia Gwinnett College  
Life University  
Reinhardt University  
Shorter University-Atlanta  
Shorter University-Rome  
South University Online  
Thomas University

### ILLINOIS

Argosy University-Chicago  
Argosy University-Schaumburg  
Benedictine University  
Kendall College  
McKendree University  
Olivet Nazarene University  
Quincy University  
Robert Morris University-Chicago  
Robert Morris University-DuPage  
Robert Morris University-O'Hare  
Robert Morris University-Orland Park  
Robert Morris University-Peoria  
Robert Morris University-Springfield  
Wheaton College

### INDIANA

Grace College  
Indiana Institute of Technology  
Purdue University North Central

### IOWA

Coe College  
Loras College  
William Penn University

### KANSAS

Bethany College  
Ottawa University

### KENTUCKY

Kentucky Wesleyan College  
McKendree University  
Mid-Continent University  
Sullivan University-Lexington  
Sullivan University-Louisville  
University of the Cumberland  
University of Pikeville

### LOUISIANA

Centenary College of Louisiana  
Our Lady of Holy Cross College  
Southern University at New Orleans

### MAINE

Husson University

### MARYLAND

Capitol College  
Coppin State University  
Washington Adventist University  
Washington College

### MASSACHUSETTS

Bridgewater State University  
Cambridge College  
Curry College  
Endicott College  
Emmanuel College  
Mount Ida College  
Stevenson University  
Wentworth Institute of Technology  
Westfield State College  
William Carey University  
Worcester State College

### MICHIGAN

Aquinas College-Grand Rapids  
Cornerstone University  
Davenport University  
Hope College  
Lake Superior State University  
Siena Heights University

### MINNESOTA

Argosy University-Twin Cities  
Bemidji State University  
Hamline University  
Northwestern College

### MISSISSIPPI

Belhaven University  
William Carey University

### MISSOURI

College of the Ozarks  
Columbia College  
Culver-Stockton College  
Sigma Chapter  
Stephens College

### MONTANA

Carroll College  
Montana Tech

### NEBRASKA

Bellevue University  
Wayne State University

### NEW HAMPSHIRE

Colby-Sawyer College  
Franklin Pierce University

### NEW JERSEY

Berkeley College  
College of Saint Elizabeth  
Felician College  
Kean University  
Saint Peter's College  
Thomas Edison State College

### NEW YORK

Berkeley College  
Briarcliffe College  
College of Staten Island  
College of Westchester  
Daemen College  
Dominican College  
Elmira College  
Excelsior College  
Farmingdale State College-SUNY  
Hartwick College  
Keuka College  
Lehman College-CUNY  
Long Island University  
Marymount Manhattan College  
Medaille College  
Molloy College  
Monroe College  
Nazareth College  
Nyack College  
St. Francis College  
SUNY at Buffalo  
SUNY at Potsdam  
Touro College

### NORTH CAROLINA

Barton College  
Brevard College  
Chowan College  
Lees-McRae College  
North Carolina Wesleyan College  
Salem College  
St. Andrews University

### NORTH DAKOTA

Dickinson State University

### OHIO

Cincinnati Christian University  
College of Mount St. Joseph  
Defiance College  
Franklin University  
Ohio Christian University  
Ohio Wesleyan University  
Urbana University  
Walsh University

### OKLAHOMA

Mid-America Christian University  
Rogers State University

### OREGON

Concordia University-Portland  
Marylhurst University  
Northwest Christian University

### PENNSYLVANIA

Argosy University-Online  
Cabrin College  
Chestnut Hill College  
Delaware Valley College  
Dickinson College  
East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania  
Lincoln University  
Lycoming College  
Misericordia University  
Penn State-Altoona  
Penn State-Greater Allegheny  
Penn State-Lehigh Valley  
Saint Francis University  
South University Online  
University of the Sciences  
Waynesburg University

### RHODE ISLAND

Salve Regina University

### SOUTH CAROLINA

Allen University  
Charleston Southern University  
Limestone College  
Presbyterian College

### SOUTH DAKOTA

Black Hills State University

### TENNESSEE

Aquinas College-Nashville  
Austin Peay State University  
Bryan College  
Martin Methodist College  
Southern Adventist University

### TEXAS

Argosy University-Dallas  
Concordia University-Texas  
East Texas Baptist University  
Howard Payne University  
LeTourneau University  
Schreiner University  
Southwestern Adventist University  
Texas College  
Wayland Baptist University

### UTAH

Argosy University-Salt Lake City

### VERMONT

Castleton State College  
College of St. Joseph  
Saint Michael's College

### VIRGINIA

Averett University  
Bluefield College  
Hampton University  
Liberty University  
Mary Baldwin College  
Sweet Briar College  
University of Mary Washington  
Virginia Wesleyan College

### WASHINGTON

Heritage University

### WASHINGTON, D.C.

Argosy University-Washington, D.C.

### WEST VIRGINIA

American Public University System  
Davis & Elkins College  
Mountain State University  
Ohio Valley University  
West Virginia University at Parkersburg

### WISCONSIN

Bryant & Stratton College  
Marian University  
St. Norbert College  
University of Wisconsin-Green Bay

### INTERNATIONAL

Horizons University, France

To all our Chapter Advisors, Officers and Administrators, we owe you a huge

# THANK YOU!