PRESS RELEASE

Alpha Chi Chapter Sponsors Honored for Service

Little Rock, Ark.—Several collegiate chapter advisors, the backbone of Alpha Chi chapters across the United States, were formally recognized during Alpha Chi’s recent national convention in Cleveland, Ohio, for their voluntary service with a gift of a lapel pin. Different jewels are added each 5 years after 15 years of service. On Friday, April 5, sponsors achieving a combined 180 years of voluntary service to Alpha Chi were recognized. Alpha Chi has profound appreciation for their dedication, invaluable service, and continued commitment to making scholarship effective for good.

Receiving their 10-year service pins were: Dr. Kathi Vosevich, Shorter University sponsor and National Council member; Dr. Ron Brown, Texas State University sponsor; and Dr. Dolores O’Mary, William Carey University sponsor.

Receiving their 15-year service pins were: Dr. Bonita Cade, Roger Williams University sponsor and National Council member; and Dr. Paula Williamson, Texas State University sponsor and regional officer.

Receiving their 20-year service pins were: Dr. Karl Havlak, Angelo State University and National Council member; and Dr. Randall Harris, William Carey University sponsor.

Receiving their 25-year service pins were: Prof. Bill Potter, Hawaii Pacific University and National Council member; and Dr. Read Diket, William Carey University sponsor.

Alpha Chi’s seven regional executive committees are given the opportunity each spring to identify deserving individuals for Alpha Chi’s Distinguished Service Awards. The goal is to recognize chapter sponsors who have given outstanding service in this vital role for Alpha Chi. These awards in the form of engraved Alpha Chi mantle clocks, were presented during the closing gala on Saturday, April 6. Receiving Distinguished Service Awards were Dr. Ron Brown, Texas State University, Region I; Dr. Melissa Hillwig, Robert Morris University, Region VI; Dr. John McLaughlin, Freed-Hardeman University, Region III; and Dr. Christine Pappas, East Central University, Region II.

Alpha Chi National College Honor Society invites to membership juniors, seniors, and graduate students from all disciplines in the top ten percent of their classes. Active on nearly 300 campuses nationwide, chapters induct approximately 11,000 students annually. Since the Society's founding in 1922, Alpha Chi members have dedicated themselves to “making scholarship effective for good.” Alpha Chi is a member in good standing of the Association of College Honor Societies, the only national accrediting body for collegiate honor societies.