

Bus/CIT 2008-09

Accomplishment Description:

Phi Theta Kappa Accomplishments

The Business department continued to support the advisor in leading the Phi Theta Kappa student honor society in a wide range of accomplishments, including:

- Dee Lauzon served her term as International Vice President for Division IV, and she then became International President Pro Tempore. She is now attending Mt. Holyoke in South Hadley, MA.
- Megan Worman is attending Stanford Law School in Palo Alto, CA.
- International Awards
 - Distinguish Chapter (Top 25), second year in a row
 - Scholarship Hallmark, second year in a row
 - Distinguished Chapter President, Jeff Phillips
 - Paragon Award for New Advisors, Velda Arnaud (fourth year in a row)
- Received 14 awards at the regional convention including Top Chapter for the third consecutive year.
- Terri Sullivan received the New Century Scholar award as she received the highest Oregon score on the All-USA scholarship.
- Velda Arnaud was named Faculty Scholar for 2009, and she was one of 24.
- Velda Arnaud is now the Regional Coordinator for the Rocky Mountain Cascade range which includes Oregon, Southern Idaho, and Utah.
- Velda Arnaud and two students attended the International Convention in Grapevine, TX. Velda presented two workshops: Viral Marketing and Emotional Intelligence.
- The Sigma Zeta Alumni Association was chartered. Since chartering, the association has elected a new group of officers.
- The new Sigma Zeta Alumni Association presented two workshops on scholarships for transfer students.
- Three chapter members were elected to Regional Office.
- The chapter performed regular service including:
 - Better World Books: collecting textbooks around campus and keeping old textbooks out of landfills. The project provides funds for Books for Africa.
 - 30th Avenue Cleanup: maintaining the county highway in front of Lane CC. The chapter cleans the highway once per term.
 - Harvest Baskets: providing food baskets to low-income Lane students and their families during the Thanksgiving Holiday. This is the third year of this service project.
 - Campus Beautification: planting bulbs at Lane's entrances so they are beautiful in the early spring.
 - Assisting Lane CC as needed: providing bond information, helping direct students at the beginning of each term, assisting at Lane Preview Night.

- A Wellness Fair for Lane students and their families was held twice during the academic year.
- Velda Arnaud and two students attended the International Honors Institute in Richmond, VA.

Strategic Direction

- Create a diverse and inclusive learning college: develop institutional capacity to respond effectively and respectfully to students, staff, and community members of all cultures, languages, classes, races, genders, ethnic backgrounds, religions, sexual orientations, and abilities.
- Position Lane as a vital community partner by empowering a learning workforce in a changing economy.
- Foster the personal, professional, and intellectual growth of learners by providing exemplary and innovative teaching and learning experiences and student support services.

Learning Plan Goals

- Organize scholarship and other staff development efforts in areas of adult learning and motivation in the context of the current social, economic, and cultural environments.
- Facilities enhancement.

Student Affairs Plan Goals

- Strengthen relationships with high schools, transfer institutions, community partners, and employers to enhance the student's preparation for and success in college, career, civic engagement, and community involvement.
- Create a Welcoming, Inclusive, and Responsive Environment.

College Council Priorities

- 1.f. Enrollment Management: Partnerships with 4-year Colleges and Universities
- 1.b. Enrollment Management: Recruitment and Retention