

KELCE COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

53rd ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET



April 25, 2011



PITTSBURG STATE
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Kelce College of Business Student Organizations

Each year, the *Kelce Leadership Council* is comprised of the presidents of all Kelce student organizations. The Council has a voice, along with the Dean, the Chairs, and the Faculty, in decision-making for the College.

The Kelce student organizations are listed below:

Association of Certified Fraud Examiners, Student Chapter

Beta Alpha Psi

Beta Gamma Sigma

Finance Club

Institute of Internal Auditors, Student Chapter

Institute of Management Accountants, Student Chapter

International Business Student Association

Marketing Association

MBA Association

Omicron Delta Epsilon

Students in Free Enterprise

Young Entrepreneurs Association

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PROGRAM

Toastmaster.....Tieg Tullis
Senior in Marketing

DINNER

Welcome.....Dr. Steve Scott
President, Pittsburg State University

AWARDS AND HONORS

Outstanding Student Award Presentations Kelce Scholars
Department Outstanding Seniors
Outstanding MBA Student Award
Finance Leadership Award

Scholarship Awards

Faculty Awards..... Excellence in Research
Excellence in Service
Excellence in Teaching

Closing Remarks..... Richard Dearth
Dean, College of Business

The Kelce College of Business is very thankful for the generosity of alumni, businesses, and friends who provide scholarships to the students.

KELCE BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIPS

Accounting Alumni
August Rua Insurance
O.W. 'Jack' Armstrong
R. Shaun Bateman
BKD, LLP Accounting Education
Boeing
Tom and Koeta Bryant "Putting Students First"
Patrick Caradullo Accounting
Don Cash
Chris and Mary Kay Cavanaugh (Fraud Examination)
CBIZ/Mayer Hoffman McCann PC
John C. Clark
Computer Science-Information Systems Alumni
ConocoPhillips
William L. Crow
Rex W. Crowley
Slim Cummings
Scott F. Davis
Felix and Jane Dreher
Economics, Finance, and Banking Alumni
Paul Elliott
Pete Esch
Chester C. Goss
Don and Jana Hartshorn
Internal Auditing Education Program Alumni
Institute of Internal Auditors – KC Chapter
Paul S. and Ruth Aaro Jones
Journal of Managerial Issues
Gary and Linda Kahmann
Kansas Society of CPAs
Kelce College of Business Alumni
Koch Industries, Inc.
LaRochelle Study Abroad

KELCE BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIPS (cont.)

Duane D. and Edith L. Lawellin
Leggett and Platt, Inc.
Fred L. Lips
Dr. M.J. 'Bill' Little
Ruby Oldham Loewen
John E. Lowe (In Honor of Dr. Guy Owings)
Marketing Association
Mr. and Mrs. J.U. Massey
Edward T. McNally
John G. McNay
Doyle W. Morton
L. Thomas Needham
James T. and Alice M. Noel
Larry E. and Deborah A. Nokes
Glenda Pendleton Overbeck
Mark and Elizabeth Paden
Maureen Hiller Paulsen and Cecil L. Paulsen
Robert Condon Ramsay
E. Jay and Helen Rennick
Harold Russell
Vijay Shankar-SIFE
Michael W. Slack
Clyde E. Starkey
Helen L. and Ralf J. Thomas
Martha and Max Thompson
Wearever Aluminum
Jay C. Westervelt
Lynda S. and Wendell L. Wilkinson
Michael and Gwen Wilson
Ronald G. Wood

KELCE SCHOLARS

Each semester, the College of Business designates students as Kelce Business Scholars. These students meet the following criteria:

- Regular, full time
- Upper division, undergraduate
- Business major
- Cumulative GPA in top 3% of college

The names of these students are prominently listed on a recognition board on the first floor of Kelce Hall for one year.

Kelce Scholars for 2010

Alvaro Achon	Paloma Fuster	Lakota McCune
Alicia Adams	Kaleb Gilmore	Michelle Mitchell
Katie Aikins	Andrea Gordon	Joshua Morris
Maya Baayoun	Autumn Hare	Lori Owen
Lan Meng Bai	Kathryn Hauser	Shawnell Shepherd
Taylor Baker	Caleb Hays	Matthew Shotton
Jessica Bernsten	Laura Hernandez	Jessica Smith
Stephanie Brown	Yu-Shan Huang	Charles Steiger III
Rachel Cameron	Ivan Hunnicutt	Amy Ster
Jessica Catron	Tian Jiang	Courtney Stultz
Li Shin Chang	Samuel Johnson	Deena Testerman
Cian-Ying Chen	Navneet Kaur	Tieg Tullis
Yong Cheng	Rodney Kimlin	Caitlin Veteto
Ashley Dent	Peter Kipp	Brittany Watson
Jenna Deusi	John Kuefler	Ping Lian Xu
Khalen Dwyer	Alena Lagunina	Zeho Zhang
Brooke Fay	Terra Laird	Xinnan Zhong
Tracey Fienen	Manreet Ludhar	
Robert Frisbee	Stacy Malle	

KELCE COLLEGE OF BUSINESS OUTSTANDING SENIORS

The designation of Outstanding Senior is given to those seniors who have demonstrated outstanding scholarship and meritorious participation in areas related to their major department, the Kelce College of Business, Pittsburg State University, and the Pittsburg community. The 2009-2010 Outstanding seniors are:

Accounting & Computer Information Systems

Alexis Cannon
Matthew Carr
Wesley Doolittle
Andrea Gordon
Alexa Keller
Tayler Kuhn
Brett Livingston
Nathan Miller
Joel Spencer
Brittany Watson

Economics, Finance and Banking

Alexa Keller
Samuel Johnson
Jessica Little

Management and Marketing

Sara Bueltel
Victoria Butts
Christopher Duley
Paloma Fuster
Yu-Shan Huang
Rodney Kimlin, Jr.
Stacy Malle
Tieg Tullis

PSU Kelce College of Business

The Kelce College of Business is staffed by highly qualified and experienced faculty. Thirty of the thirty five fulltime faculty have doctorate degrees, several have attained the highest faculty ranking of University Professor.

The Kelce College of Business' chapter of Beta Gamma Sigma (a dean's honor society) was recognized by its International Board of Governors as an exemplary chapter. This enables participation in Beta Gamma Sigma's matching funds scholarship program.

The Kelce College of Business' chapter of Beta Alpha Psi (a national accounting honor society) was recognized by the national board of directors as a distinguished chapter. Each student in the chapter is required to perform 20 hours worth of service and assist in outreach activities.

Omicron Delta Epsilon (an international honor society) that recognizes students for outstanding achievement in economics is active in Kelce.

The Executive on Campus Series features highly successful business alumni who teach classes for a day. This year students interacted with an executive with the Major League Players Assn., an expert in international business and a manufacturing company owner.

Jungle Journeys (a unique co-curricular program) offers students the opportunity to develop a personal marketing plan, find an industry that provides a good fit, experience work and leadership opportunities and develop an appreciation for cultural activities that make life fun.

The Kelce College provides a Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program which uses faculty and student resources to prepare tax returns for students and community members, free of charge.

The College started a new Summer International Mini-MBA program which will attract participants from around the world for a three week program conducted by Kelce faculty.

The Kelce College is one of a few schools to be certified in information security by the U.S. Committee on National Security Systems. The internal auditing program has been endorsed by the Institute of Internal Auditors. Course work has been developed in the new and expanding field of Computer Forensics.

All business students participate in a nationally normed test that measures knowledge in every major field of study in business. The results are compared with 100s of business schools across the country. Kelce students, over the past five years, have consistently scored above the national average in every area assessed.

Strategy students compete in a business simulation game along with nearly 2000 student teams worldwide. Kelce students are consistently in the top 100 worldwide. Our teams have participated in world cup competitions in this event.

A Kelce student team was named a top ten team in the nation in the American Institute of CPAs accounting and sustainability competition out of over 130 teams competing.

The College publishes the *Journal of Managerial Issues*, a top-level peer-reviewed academic journal.

The PSU chapter of Students in Free Enterprise is housed in the College of Business. For the fourth year in a row PSU SIFE is a Regional Champion and will compete in the national meet in May.



Entrepreneur

Top 15 in the Nation

The business college at Pittsburg State University was named one of the top business colleges in the nation by *Entrepreneur* magazine, a leading publication for and about entrepreneurs. In its April 2009 issue, the magazine listed the MBA programs most highly rated by their students in six areas key to a successful career in business.

EARNED EXCELLENCE



THE BEST BUSINESS SCHOOLS
IN THE WORLD

The Kelce College of Business is accredited by AACSB International. Accreditation represents "the highest standard of achievement for business schools, worldwide. Institutions that earn accreditation confirm their commitment to quality and continuous improvement through a rigorous and comprehensive peer review." The Kelce College of Business was visited by an AACSB Maintenance of Accreditation peer review team made up of Deans from other AACSB International-accredited colleges of business from around the country in October, 2008 and confirmed that the programs offered continue to meet the high standards of the organization. Less than 6% of the business colleges in the world achieve accreditation.



Kelce College of Business is listed in the "Best 300 Business Schools," a guidebook published annually by The Princeton Review. The Review contacted 19,000 students at business schools to solicit opinions about what they consider to be the best business colleges in the nation.