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Chat With Chair

The past academic year has been filled with change for the University. Changes within the institution have lead to a number of changes within the Department. To illustrate, the "New Levels" document approved by the Board of Regents provided the basis for three significant pieces of work in the Department.

First, members of the faculty representing each specialization developed comprehensive plans for a "senior assessment" process to be implemented Fall 1996. This will provide a benchmark in the assessment of concepts and understandings we believe each graduating major should have attained. It provides another way to look at the curriculum for each program through the measurement of those skills and concepts students possess at graduation.

The second faculty activity involved an analysis of the ways new technologies are utilized in the education of our students. The analysis provides a basis for even greater development of new technologies in the instruction of our students. The computer laboratory and expanding use of new software programs are being complemented by the addition of multimedia packages that will allow the faculty to also utilize compact discs in the classroom.

Third, faculty members in each program developed a "quality assurance" statement which spells out the qualities we believe our graduates possess. This provides the prospec-

tive employer with the assurance that students meet basic standards. This parallels the earlier quality assurance program implemented in the teacher education programs here at Western Kentucky University.

The Department of Consumer and Family Sciences at Western is striving to provide leadership for our students as well as within the University Community as we implement these new levels defined by the President for the Institution. The face of education is changing rapidly and it is our responsibility to provide our students with the best education possible.

Alumni News

Catherine Grace Toccalino (B.S.'85) is an assistant store team leader for Target in Gainesville, Florida.

Angela J. Thompson (B.S.'92) is an interior design consultant for the Union Bank Headquarters in Los Angeles. She is also involved in designing medical units.

Lolita Carol Kneeder-Hardwick (B.S.'89) is attending Officer Training School in Fort Benning, GA. Prior to that she was at the Academy of Health Sciences AMEDD Center and School in Fort Sam Houston where she served as instructor/writer. She was also a food service and nutrition instructor at the hospital for trainees and mid level management.

Gay Carol Hurd (B.S.'92) was promoted to Patient Service Manager (Service Master) at Sumner Regional

Medical Center. She won first place in Service Masters International National Nutrition Month promotion. She was elected to Nashville District Dietetic Association board where she served on the 1995-96 Nominating Committee.

Romanza Johnson (B.S.'60) serves as Chair of the Southeastern Region of the Federation of Women's Clubs in the United States. Johnson was placed in the National Hall of Fame of the Future Homemakers of America at the 1994 FHA banquet held in Louisville. She was nominated by the Allen County-Scottsville High School FHA. Romanza was also appointed to the board of the Republic Bank, Bowling Green, September 1994. Johnson recently became a board member for the USDA Farm Service Agency for Warren County. She is the first female to serve in this capacity.

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Helen S. Underwood (B.S.'57) is retired from the Bullitt County School System where she served as Director of School Food Service from 1969-92. Her activities include membership in the Bullitt County Retired Teachers' Association and serving as organist for Greensburg Presbyterian Church.

Ann-Margaret Bentley Perkins (B.S.'88) has worked at Porter Paints in Lexington for seven years. She has a daughter, Olivia.

Annette Ballad (B.S.'85) teaches at H.E. McCracken Middle School, Hilton Head, S.C. She was the 1994-95 "Teacher of the Year."

Heather Leigh Shrout (B.S.'93) is employed at Perspectives in Lexington.

We are about to graduate our second alumnus named Marla Williams, both in the interior design program. Our first **Marla Williams** (B.S.'88) has opened an interior design firm with **Tenisha Harris** (B.S.'95). Marla and Tenisha's new business is Refinements Studio of Design located on U.S.31 By-Pass, Bowling Green. The second **Marla Williams** is a Senior and represented students on a recent Interior Design Faculty Search Committee.

Sarah Peoples (B.S.'92) is a registered dietitian working for the Jefferson County Maternal & Child Health/WIC Programs at Family Health Center, Iroquois.

Lois Maze Utterback (B.S.'65) serves as the Department Head and teaches 7th grade life skills at East Side Middle School in Anderson, IN.

Sallie Overstreet Andrews (B.S.'88) is employed at the Liz Claiborne Outlet in Dry Ridge, KY.

Elizabeth Carol Puryear

(B.S.'85) is living in Hamilton, OH, with her husband, new baby, Daniel, and his brother, Aaron.

Patricia A. Stagner (B.S.'77) of Atlanta, GA, has been named Divisional Director of Advertising Planning for Rich's/Lazarus/Goldsmith's Department Stores. Prior to her recent promotion, she was the Divisional Merchandise Manager for Lazarus.

Mary Sue Bryant Pauley (B.S.'80, M.S.'85) serves as a Nutrition Services Coordinator for the Green River District Health Department in Owensboro.

Carol Jean Zimmerman Eicher (B.S.'71) is a family & consumer science teacher at South Laurel High School in London, KY. She is also cheerleading coach.

Reeca Gale Carver (B.S.'89, M.A.'91) is teaching at Caverna High School. Reeca recently received the "New Vocational Teacher" Award from KY-AVA American Vocational Association. She was recognized at their meeting in October in Charleston, S.C.

Barbara A. Hollywood (B.S.'69) is an Associate Professor at Centenary College in Hackettstown, NY.

Beth Rochelle Hixon (B.S.'91) is manager, Women's Ready-To-Wear, Dillard's Cool Springs Store in Nashville.

Tabitha Holly Aldridge (B.S.'92) recently became store manager for Designs in Gold in the Green Hills store in Nashville. She is also training to become a jeweler.

Phyllis Angela Gordon (B.S.'91, M.S.'92) is the Product Manager of a Men's Work-Wear Shirt line in Louisville for M.Fine & Songs Mfg. Co. She does freelance visual merchandising for the pushcart program at Mall St.

Matthews.

Nancy Parsley Potter (B.S.'67) is a wardrobe consultant and personal shopper for Bacons in Bashford Manor Mall.

Janet Johnson (B.S.'77) is serving as President of the Kentucky Association of Extension Home Economists. She was one of 8 Kentucky Delegates to the April 1996 Public Policy Handbook Conference in Washington, D.C.

Gloria Winger Carrico (B.S.'77) is the coordinator of reunions and Parents Club at WKU. Carrico, who also works as a sewing specialist with the Singer Sewing Center in Bowling Green, received a \$1,000 check for her "Elegant Traditions" Christmas tree skirt, which incorporated a variety of machine techniques

Velva Jerdene (Jerri) Cockiel (B.S.'62) is Home Economics Extension Outreach Specialist at UK. Cockiel is President of KAFCS and serves as Advisor to the Kentucky Extension Homemakers Association. She was recognized in 1992 as the outstanding home economist in Kentucky.

Kathy Fell (M.S.'80) has taken a position as Design/Production Manager for Arise, an import company in Takoma Park, MD. She will be traveling to such places as Japan, Indonesia, Guatemala, and Bali. Her primary responsibility is designing and sourcing apparel for Arise's wholesale line and catalog customers.

Fred M. Duncan (B.S.'88) is with Melburn Trent Studios. He is a designer of soaps for national distribution and customized furniture for the Indianapolis area.

Elizabeth Word (B.S.'35) of Hopkinsville died October 14, 1995 at a Hopkinsville nursing home. She was a retired University of Kentucky extension agent in Hart and Warren counties.

Christy Renick McElfresh (B.S.'95) and **Kay Donoho Stinson** (B.S.'95) are interior designers at Hubbuch & Co., in Louisville.

Shawn (Kristy) Shirey (B.S.'94) lives on Dyess Air Force Base in Texas. She works for an architectural firm doing AutoCAD work. She plans to sit for the NCIDQ in the year.

Faculty Awards and Recognition

Dr. Marilyn Casto, associate professor of interior design in the department, received the University Libraries' 1995 Faculty Library Award at a reception honoring about seventy faculty and staff who published scholarly work last year.

Dr. Michael Binder, dean of libraries and museum presented the award to Casto at the ninth annual Western Authors Reception on April 18, 1996.

Nominating documents noted that throughout Casto's career at Western, she has consistently used library and museum resources for research, which culminated in articles being published in a variety of publications and refereed journals. This research was also used for papers delivered at numerous professional meetings in her presentations for a wide array of civic groups and organizations.

Casto said, "Western is lucky to have the Kentucky Library and Museum which offer unique opportunities to work with primary sources."

In additions, nominators mentioned specifically Casto's long association with the Kentucky Museum, noting that she had served two-year terms on the Kentucky Museum Advisory Council, on a Council committee on exhibits, and on the Museum's Recent Acquisitions Committee.

She has received numerous awards

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and honors, including the College of Education and Behavior Sciences Faculty Excellence Award for Research in 1986.

Dr. Joyce Rasdall was chosen as the 1996 recipient of the Public Service Award from the College of Education and Behavioral Sciences at Western.

This award is given to a faculty member for distinguished activity in public service. Categories of public service which are encompassed include: technical assistance services; consultation activities; service to public and professional organizations; cultural and artistic services; special services to individual clients; and application of knowledge to the resolution of public problems.

Dr. Richard Patterson was selected for the Faculty Coordinator Award by the Cooperative Education Association of Kentucky. An awards dinner was held on Thursday, May 30 at Kentucky Dam Village State Resort Park.

The Cooperative Education Association of Kentucky is an organization of faculty, career services professionals, employers and students that promote co-op and internships as an integral part of a students overall educational preparation. Each year the Association gives an award to a faculty member that has done outstanding work in developing experiential education activities and in assisting and supervising students involved in these opportunities. Carol White, Career Services Associate Director, said "I nominated Dr. Patterson because of his efforts with your

practicum and internship activities, his recruitment of students into the major, his work with employers who are looking for interns or permanent employees, and his overall cooperation with our office."

Dr. Martha Jenkins was selected by the National Council of Phi Upsilon Omicron as the recipient of the Collegiate Advisor Award for 1996. This award is granted biennially to a Phi U Advisor to recognize distinguished service.

The award was officially presented at Conclave, June 21, 1996, at Tuscaloosa, AL, during the Awards Luncheon activities.

Crenshaw Receives Honors

Dr. Mary Crenshaw (B.S.'40) former Dean, College of Human Environmental Sciences, University of Alabama, was honored at the Alumni Appreciation Day on October 6, 1995, in Tuscaloosa, with the dedication of her portrait which will be displayed in the Alumni Room.

She was also recognized as the third recipient of the Romanza O. Johnson Citizenship Award at the annual WKU homecoming meeting in October 1995. The award was established in 1993 to recognize WKU alumni who are leaders in their profession and who have provided service to their community beyond the call of professional duty. The award was named for Romanza O. Johnson, its first recipient, who is well known for her unparalleled service to others and was the organizing president of the Alumni Association. Dr. Crenshaw has provided outstanding leadership in the home economics profession. She has held positions at the University of Alabama, in AHEA and Phi Upsilon Omicron.

A third recognition was given to Dr.



Dr. Crenshaw (holding the plaque) is shown with Dr. Carl Hall, Mrs. Romanza Johnson, Dr. Martha Jenkins (Committee Chair), Mrs. Martha Raymer (1994 Recipient), and Dr. Joyce Rasdall (Alumni President.)

Crenshaw when she was awarded the Frances Morton Holbrook Phi Upsilon Omnicron Award. A plaque and expenses to attend Conclave are given to the recipient. To qualify, an alumni member must fulfill personal and professional goals which promote the purposes of home economics. Criteria include demonstrated excellence in one of the areas of home economics.

Visit Our Home Page

The faculty and students at Western Kentucky University now have access to the Internet. See the Home Page on the Internet at <http://www.msc.wku.edu/>. Consumer and Family Sciences instructor, Cindy Jones and Lauri Warden, Secretary were instrumental in developing the Home Page.

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Departmental News

Ms. Patty Silfies joined the

faculty in August to teach in the Hotel, Restaurant, and Tourism Management program. Patty has considerable experience in the hospitality industry, as well as educational training in the field. She is currently at the ABD stage of her Ph.D. in Restaurant and Recreation Management at Pennsylvania State University.

News Flash! Joshua Saxon Kelley, son of Drs. Eric and Danita Kelley was born on May 14. He weighed in at 8 pounds and 14 ounces.

The Dietetics program has received word from the American Dietetic Association that the five-year Program Evaluation Document was approved by the Commission on Accreditation/Approval for Dietetics Education. This approval is an indicator that the Dietetics program at Western continues to meet all standards established by the profession.

Dr. Louella Fong, Professor of Family Studies, has been Project Coordinator of the interdisciplinary, Early Childhood Education Birth-Primary Assessment Task Project since October 1993. Dr. Fong, Dr. Vicki Stayton, Project Director, and other members of the interdisciplinary team, have presented at the following recent

conferences: (1) "Interdisciplinary Early Childhood Certification Portfolio Development," at the Annual Conference of the Kentucky Early Childhood Association (Owensboro, October 1995), (2) "Development and Implementation of a Performance-Based Assessment System for Licensure," at the Annual Division for Early Childhood Conference (Orlando, FL, November 1995), and (3) "Development and Implementation of Performance-Based System of Personnel Preparation and Licensure," at the Annual Conference for Exceptional Children, Teacher Education Division (Honolulu, HI, November 1995).

Dr. Joyce Rasdall presented a juried paper on "Curricular and Consumer Issues" which was published in the Proceedings of the 1995 Annual Technical Conference of the Association of Home Equipment Educators. She also authored "Focus on Large Appliances" for the November 1995 issue of What's New in Home Economics.

Ms. Nikki Feilner, who has served as instructor in the interior design area for two years on a temporary basis, has agreed to join the faculty of Consumer and Family Sciences. Feilner has two degrees from the University of Missouri and has served for a number of years as a contract and residential designer.

Dr. Martha Jenkins presented a paper, "General Values and Clothing Specific Evaluative Criteria: Simple and Canonical Correlations," at the International Textile and Apparel Association Conference in Pasadena, CA, in October 1995.

Dr. Danita Kelley, who joined WKU Faculty in 1994, and Dr. L. P. Mercer (U. Of KY) presented a paper "Effects of Central Histaminergic Activity on Locomotor Activity and Food Intake in Rats" at the Experimental Biology meeting, a joint meeting for six national organizations including the American Institute of Nutrition. The

Phone Numbers You May Need

Department of Consumer and Family Sciences	502-745-4352
Admissions Office	502-745-2551
Student Financial Assistance	502-745-2755
Housing Office	502-745-4359

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Please send me information on undergraduate programs in:

- Dietetics
- Home Economics Education
- Interior Design
- Hotel, Restaurant and Tourism Management
- Textiles and Apparel Merchandising

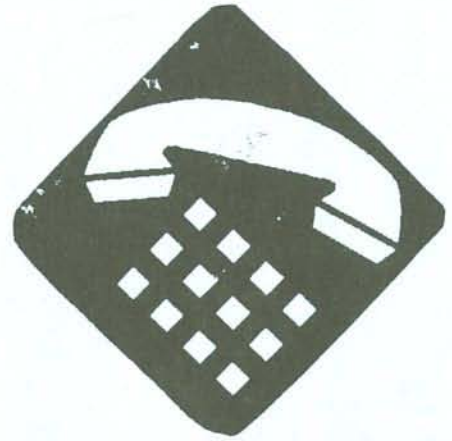
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News _____

You may also use the *INQUIRIES* section of the CFS Home Page on the Internet to "Stay in Touch." We will be glad to receive updated information on any of our graduates. If you haven't seen the Western Kentucky University Home Page, "surf" to: <http://www.wku.edu> and check out the information available!

COME HOME TO HOMECOMING

Please join us for Homecoming on Saturday October 26, 1996. The Alumni Association has already mailed you a brochure detailing events for homecoming. We hope that **you** are planning to attend.

On Saturday, October 26, CFS will sponsor a brunch at 11 a.m. As usual, the food is the very best and the company is GREAT! The program will last until 1:00 p.m., and you may tour the facility if you like. We'll have a representative in the College of Education and Behavior Sciences tent. Material for prospective students will be available.

ACT NOW! Send us your reservations for the brunch.

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Please respond by September 22. Make checks payable to: **Home Economics Alumni Association.** Mail to: Consumer and Family Sciences, Western Kentucky University, I Big Red Way, Bowling Green, KY 42101-3576.

Names of Guests (We'll make a tag for you.)

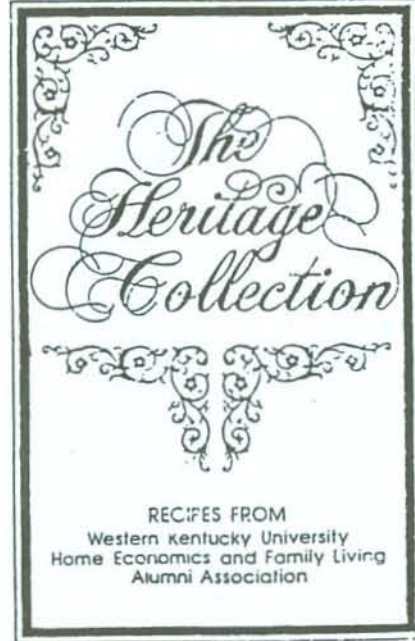
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WKU Home Economics Alumni Association Membership

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meeting was held in April 1995 in Atlanta.

Dr. Treva Mitchell, a 1994 addition to the faculty, chaired the AAFCS Accreditation Site Team at Southwest Texas State University November 6-18, 1995. Dr. Mitchell, and Family and Consumer Sciences Education student, Leslie Padgett, gave a presentation on successful recruiting at the regional meeting of Home Economics Teachers in Elizabethtown in November 1996.

Dr. Marilyn Casto presented a paper, "Scientific Designs, Rationalization of Early Twentieth Century Homes," at the Southwest Society of Architectural Historians in Birmingham in November 1995. Also, Dr. Casto lectured on and was photographer and curator for the Kentucky Museum exhibit, "Illustrating the Past: Historic Kentucky Interiors," September 1995-September 1996.

Student groups at Western have been active. The American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences (AAFCS) Pre-Professional and Graduate Section had six students to attend Fall Workshop which was held in Lexington on December 2, 1995. The section has provided funding for five Christmas angels, a program organized by the Salvation Army to assure the joy of Christmas for needy families.

Fashion, Inc., the club for Textiles and Apparel Merchandising students, had a group of students attending the Atlanta Apparel Mart Career Seminar in November 1995.

Natasha Clark Smith, interior design major, was chosen for the \$1000 annual scholarship given by the Blue Grass Chapter of Electrical Women's Round Table. This scholarship honors a Kentucky student in higher education who emphasizes environmentally responsible design and energy conscious consumer decision-making ideas in their work.

Projects by three interior design majors have been selected for an exhibit in the National Juried Interior Design Showcase at the National Meeting of AAFCS, held in July at the Opryland Hotel in Nashville. Theresa Roach, Anita Kay Donoho Stinson, and Huo Fu Chiang will exhibit projects that are energy/environmentally structured.

The Hospitality and Dietetic Association purchased a franchise for Otis Spunkmeyer cookies. They have used profits from the sale of cookies to "adopt" a family in need for the holiday season. The family adopted is a mother and three children from the Barren River Area Safe Space (BRASS) in Bowling Green.

The American Society of Interior Design (ASID) recently sponsored an exhibit of interior design projects in the College of Education and Behavior Sciences Dean's Circle and Lobby. Rotating exhibits of current interior design projects in the Academic Complex feature affordable, functional, environmentally and socially responsible designs relative to the Adult Day Care Center at Western, attached clustered housing, and single family dwelling units. Dr. Rasdall's Design Concepts class received campus news coverage when She Taibee, Hotel, Restaurant and Tourism Management major from Garden City, MI, designed the 2nd place winner in the new WKU flag contest during the fall semester.

Nikki Feilner and the interior design students sponsored "Designer's Day 1996" on April 4, 1996. Professional interior designers and manufacturer's representatives set up booths on the fourth floor of Academic Complex, so that students and faculty could interact with professionals from the interior design field. Four designers and twenty manufacturer's representatives participated, including Herman Miller, Milliken Floorcoverings, Paoli Furniture, and Steelcase, Inc. A design

Charrette was part of the activities. Students were put into teams for the competition and were evaluated by jurors. Awards were presented.

Recruitment Video Tape Made for Department

A new student recruitment video, "Consumer and Family Sciences: Today's Programs for Tomorrows Careers," is now available for use. The video was produced by WKU Educational Television producer, Cheryl Beckley, and graphic artist, Tom Foster. The entire CFS Department was involved but special credit goes to Drs. Martha Jenkins, Virginia Atkins, and Joyce Rasdall, and Mrs. Cindy Jones. Students in Phi Upsilon Omicron were also involved in the initial phase of the project. You are invited to use the tape if you would like to assist the department with recruitment efforts.

Several individuals and groups have been involved in student recruitment activities. Drs. Danita Kelley and Joyce Rasdall presented a program on behalf of the CFS Department at the February meeting of the Logan County Home Economists Club. Christy Renick, Natasha Clark Smith, and Kelley Smock, interior design majors, spoke about the interior design program and exhibited several of their projects at Russellville High School last October. Heather Hoskins (interior design) and Jennifer Hunsaker (textile and apparel merchandising) showed our new recruitment video at Ohio County High School and Amy Hendrix and Brandy Mullen (both interior design) showed at Apollo High School in Owensboro in April. They presented information on all departmental majors.



Mrs. Margaret Berg, Alumni Award recipient, is shown with Mrs. Shirley Harper, President Beta Delta Chapter, Phi U.

Alumni Involvement in KAFCS and AAFCS

Cindy Jones (B.S.'82, M.S.'83) is serving as a Board Member of KAFCS. Officers of the Central District are Dr. Treva Mitchell, President-elect; Kelli Kinkaid (B.S.'95), Vice-President; Carolyn Goodwin, Treasurer; Janet Johnson (B.S.'77), Audit Chair; Nelda Moore, Awards Chair; and Dr. Joyce Rasdall (B.S.'65), Newsletter Representative.

Jane Brown Dodson (B.S.'72) teaches at Muhlenberg South. She was recognized as the 1995-96 KAFCS Teacher of the Year.

Dr. Martha Jenkins (B.S.'59) represented Kentucky at the AAFCS' Washington Weekend Public Policy Seminar. She presented information on KAFCS's use of its resolution to increase visibility and awareness of our role in improving quality of life.

Several Central District members

of KAFCS received awards at the state meeting. Sharon Kauka (B.S.'66) was named 1996 KAFCS Outstanding Family and Consumer Scientist of the Year. Margaret Scott (B.S.'69) was recognized with the Wiley-Berger Outstanding Service Award.

Dr. Carl Hall, Head, Department of Consumer and Family Sciences, serves on the AAFCS Accreditation Appeals Committee and Dr. Joyce Rasdall is a member of the AAFCS Public Policy and the Friend of the Family Award Selection Committees.

Dr. Martha Jenkins and Theresa Howard (B.S.'M.S.'86) participated in Legislative Day in Frankfort on January 18. The event was sponsored by the Kentucky Women's Advocates and the Kentucky Commission on Women with support from several organizations, including KAFCS.

Berg Receives Home Economics Alumni Award

Margaret Sullivan Berg (B.S.'42), a native of Muhlenberg County, was awarded the 1996 Outstanding Alumni Award at the Phi Upsilon Omicron brunch on April 13. The award

is given by the Beta Delta Chapter of Phi Upsilon Omicron to a graduate of the department who has made outstanding contribution to his/her profession.

On September 1, 1943, she was appointed by the University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service as Assistant Home Demonstration Agent in Fulton County. On November 1, 1943, she was transferred to Logan County where she completed 30 years of service.

Through the years she took an active role in the Kentucky Home Demonstration Agents Association, serving as its president in 1952. The following year she was honored by the National Association as an outstanding Kentucky agent. In 1992, she was presented a certificate for 50 years membership in the American Home Economics Association. She expressed the wish that all who are employed in home economics would have the same degree of satisfaction and happiness she has enjoyed these many years.

Phi Upsilon Omicron Activities

Rosetta Barrow, dietetics major, won the Orinne Johnson Creative Communication Award. The \$300 award is given annually by Phi Upsilon Omicron to a collegiate member or collegiate chapter to encourage, support, and recognize communication skills. Rosetta's paper was concerned with building morale and motivating employees in a hospital food service setting. Rosetta received a cash award and her paper will be published in The Candle.

Phi Upsilon Omicron Beta Delta Chapter is working on a professional project called Peer Assisted Leadership Skills (PALS) in which members provide mentoring to Freshmen and students transferring into programs in

students transferring into programs in the CFS Department.

Dr. Mary Crenshaw served as chair of the National Scholarship/Fellowship Award Selection Award. Helping her were Drs. Danita Kelley and Martha Jenkins, and collegiates Deborah Jarboe and Barbara Snider.

Officers for the Beta Delta Alumni Chapter for the coming year are: Cindy Young Jones, President; Ginger Lewis Odom (B.S.'94) Vice-President; Tracy May Thornton (B.S.'89) Recording Secretary; Melissa Marsh Walblay (B.S.'84, M.S.'88); Palma Milliman (B.S.'92) Treasurer.

Outstanding Seniors Honored at Dinner

Each year the Department of Consumer and Family Science names an outstanding senior in each of the majors in the department. This year a banquet was held on Thursday, April 11, 1996. The members of the Hospitality and Dietetics Association catered the event. The dinner was held in the CFS dining room with faculty and all organizations in the department represented to honor the five outstanding seniors. They are: Textiles and Apparel Merchandising, Angela Owen; Dietetics, Heather Nist; Home Economics Education, Tenny Sandefur; Interior Design, Elizabeth Swearingen; and Hotel, Restaurant, and Tourism Management, Michelle Glorie.

Phi Upsilon Omicron & Stiles Scholarship/Award Recipients

During the academic year, selected students in the department

efit from scholarships given by alumni, friends, and supporters of the department. The following were presented in April, 1996 at the University Awards program or the Phi Upsilon Omicron brunch following initiation of new Phi U members.

Marie Adams Academic Achievement Award (1995-96)
Natasha Noel Smith

Evadine Parker-Phi Upsilon Omicron Scholarship (1996-97)
Rosetta Faye Barrow

Evadine Parker-Phi Upsilon Omicron Alumni Scholarship (1996-97)
Kristina Renee Meredith

Susie Pate-Phi Upsilon Omicron Scholarship (1996-97)
Michelle Sheanshang

Susie Pate-Phi Upsilon Omicron Scholarship (1996-97)
Patricia Lanelle Young

Beta Delta-Phi Upsilon Omicron Scholarship (1996-97)

Catherine Michelle Bush,, Emily J. Buckman

Phi Upsilon Omicron Scholar (Rasdall Award) (1996-97)
Deborah Anette Jarboe, Natasha Noel Smith

Phi Upsilon Omicron Most Active Initiate Award (1995-96)
Leslie Anne Gibson

Susie Pate-Phi Upsilon Omicron Service Award (1995-96)
Deborah Jarboe, Sam Watson

Lucile Stiles Scholarship (1995-96)
Rebecca S. McGee



CFS STARS (Outstanding seniors) are shown with Dr. Carl Hall. Left to right are Angela Owen, Heather Nist, Tenny Sandefur, Elizabeth Swearingen and Michelle Glorie.

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