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# Alpha Epsilon Delta

PREMEDICAL HONOR SOCIETY

## KENTUCKY GAMMA



## BIENNIAL REPORT

JANUARY 1, 1984 - DECEMBER 31, 1985

ALPHA EPSILON DELTA

Kentucky State Chapter  
Western Kentucky University  
1984-1985

SERVICE TO THE CHAPTER

The major goal of the Kentucky State Chapter is to serve Western Kentucky University, the community, and the professional student. The following activities were undertaken during the past biennium to fulfill this goal.

September 17, 1984 Freshman Orientation. Invitations for premedical, preliminary, and predoctoral students to acquire ALPHA EPSILON DELTA (professional) faculty advisors and the students.

September 20-21, 1984 Participated in Milligan Science Days, as Kentucky Gamma Chapter and by high school students from all parts of Kentucky, with chapters and chapters. Western Kentucky University

October 4, 1984 Bowling Green, Kentucky Lectures for the annual U. S. Lancaster Memorial Lecture.

September 16, 1983 Business Orientation for students interested in the Biennial Report program of Western.

September 25-27, 1983 1984-1985 in Milligan Science Days with exhibits and demonstrations.

October 17, 1983 Collected the reception for the annual U. S. Lancaster Memorial Lecture.

October 19, 1983 Participated in NSF International Day with exhibit of Japan.

November 11-14, 1983 A team of AED members participated in the WCU College Bowl.

SERVICE PROVIDED DURING THE CRUISE

September 26-27, 1984 Organized, promoted, and worked at the Red Cross Blood Drive.

December 1984 AED members contributed to Toys for Tots.

ALPHA EPSILON DELTA

Kentucky Gamma Chapter  
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SERVICE TO THE COLLEGE

The major goal of the Kentucky Gamma Chapter is to serve Western Kentucky University, the community, and the preprofessional student. The following activities were undertaken during the past biennium to fulfill this goal.

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| September 17, 1984    | Freshman Orientation. Reception for premedical, preveterinary, and pre dental students to acquaint them with preprofessional faculty advisors and AED members.                        |
| September 20-21, 1984 | Participated in Hilltopper Science Days, an exhibition attended by high school students from all parts of Kentucky, with displays and demonstrations (anaesthetized rat dissections). |
| October 4, 1984       | Cohosted the reception for the annual L.Y. Lancaster Memorial Lecture.  |
| September 16, 1985    | Freshman Orientation for students interested in preprofessional programs at Western.  |
| September 26-27, 1985 | Participated in Hilltopper Science Days with exhibits and demonstrations.   |
| October 17, 1985      | Cohosted the reception for the annual L.Y. Lancaster Memorial Lecture.  |
| October 24, 1985      | Participated in WKU International Day with an exhibit of Japan.   |
| November 11-14, 1985  | A team of AED members participated in the WKU College Bowl.   |

SERVICE PROGRAMS OUTSIDE THE COLLEGE

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| September 26-27, 1984 | Cosponsored, promoted, and worked at the Red Cross Bloodmobile. |
| December 1984         | AED members contributed to Toys for Tots.                       |

March 29-30, 1985	AED members took blood, blood pressures, and served as counselors at Bowling Green Health Expo '85.
September 25-27, 1985	Cosponsored, promoted, and worked at the Red Cross Bloodmobile.
December 1985	AED members contributed to Toys for Tots,

#### SERVICE TO THE PREPROFESSIONAL STUDENT

##### Speakers

April 4, 1984	Dr. Pat Meachum, assistant professor of surgery at Vanderbilt University, "Vascular Surgery."
April 16, 1984	Dr. Joseph Petrocelli, general surgeon, presented slides and talked on surgical residency.
October 10, 1984	Dr. Michael J. Wahl, University of Louisville Dental School.
October 10, 1984	Dr. Emmett Costich, University of Kentucky Dental School.
November 12, 1984	Dr. Ernest Marshall, University of Kentucky Medical School.
November 14, 1984	Dr. James C. Moore, Chairman of Admissions, University of Louisville Medical School.
January 28, 1985	Dr. Timothy Hulsey, plastic surgeon, slide presentation.
February 18, 1985	Dr. Mark J. Vurchisin, "Infertility".
March 18, 1985	Panel of medical students from the University of Louisville.
October 21, 1985	Dr. James C. Moore, Chairman of Admissions, University of Louisville Medical School.
October 30, 1985	Dr. Emmett Costich, Susan Burch, Office of Admissions, University of Kentucky Dental School.
November 13, 1985	Dr. Michael J. Wahl, University of Louisville Dental School
November 20, 1985	Dr. Jayne Middleton, University of Kentucky Medical School

## Film

March 18 and 19, 1985 "Doctors' Feelings as a Factor in Medical Care".

## Observation Program

AED members may volunteer to observe a physician, dentist, or veterinarian a specified number of hours per week. An interested member chooses the area of medicine s/he wishes to observe, then works with a doctor on a one-to-one basis gaining some insight into the responsibilities the doctor must assume. At the end of the 12-week or 24-week program, the doctor is asked to evaluate the volunteer.

## Visits To Professional Schools And Hospitals

March 16, 1984	Vanderbilt University Medical School
October 16, 1984	University of Louisville Medical and Dental Schools and Humana University Hospital
October 19, 1984	University of Kentucky Medical School
March 28, 1985	Greenview Hospital Pathology Lab conducted by Dr. Sam Smith, pathologist.
April 19, 1985	Vanderbilt University Medical School
October 18, 1985	University of Kentucky Medical School
November 1, 1985	University of Louisville Medical School
November 15, 1985	University of Louisville--Pre dental Seminar

## Peer Instruction and Counseling

April 8, 1985 AED members who had been accepted to medical school shared their interview experiences and conducted mock interviews.

Mock interviews are conducted by AED members every semester to prepare new members for their professional school interviews.

Books pertaining to current medical issues have been purchased by the Kentucky Gamma Chapter and placed on reserve in the Western Kentucky University Science Library for students' use.

AED maintains a room in which members may relax, associate with each other, and study between classes. The following items are available to members:

### Refreshments

Current collection of medical, dental, and graduate school bulletins and publications.

MCAT and DAT review books.

Bulletin board for posting recent medical articles.

Reference file of biology, chemistry, math, and physics exams.

After completion of a course, AED members may contribute their exams to the test file so they may be used by others for reference.

#### AED Associate Program

Kentucky Gamma established this program for premedical, pre dental, and preveterinary students interested in AED. During the semester before their initiation into AED, associates are required to attend regular meetings which orient them to the functions and programs of the chapter.

#### Chapter Publications

Kentucky Gamma's major publication, Freshman Orientation, is a handbook which contains information regarding the Kentucky Gamma Chapter of AED, the functions of the faculty advisor, preparation for the MCAT and DAT, application to medical school, and admissions requirements of medical schools in the region.

#### Awards and Scholarships

Kentucky Gamma strives to encourage and acknowledge high scholastic achievement by preprofessional students at Western.

February 8, 1984	Jamie Monroe selected as nominee from Kentucky Gamma Chapter for AED National Scholarship
April, 1984	Awarded AED Scholarships to Kristi Ashby and Cheryl Williams
November 7, 1984	Selected Leigh Ann Turner and Linda Alford as nominees for Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities
1984	AED Member of the Year--Leigh Ann Turner Premedical Student of the Year--Dante Graves Preveterinary Student of the Year--Gretchen Meiers Predental Student of the Year--Jean Thompson
January 28, 1985	Selected Mary Lou Wilson as nominee for Moore and AED regional scholarships
April 1985	Awarded AED Scholarships to Jessica Ralston and Mike Delk
1985	AED Member of the Year--Cheryl Williams Premedical Student of the Year--Mary Lou Wilson

## COMMUNICATION

Through the following activities Kentucky Gamma works to establish and maintain contact with university science students and faculty members; high school students interested in health-related careers and/or Western; individuals at medical, dental, and veterinary schools; and members of the community.

Posters and class announcements regarding meetings and speakers.

Listing of special speakers in campus newspaper, College Heights Herald.

Picture and listing of AED members in university yearbook, Talisman.

Freshman Orientation Handbook containing information about the MCAT and DAT, application and admission requirements for medical school, and the Kentucky Gamma Chapter of AED.

Letters of invitation to preprofessional students eligible for participation in AED Associates Program.

News releases containing information about AED and its functions sent each semester to hometown newspapers of newly-initiated members.

Annual Alumnus Newsletter sent to all alumni of Kentucky Gamma providing information about chapter activities and the preprofessional programs at Western.

Visits to Kentucky high schools to discuss preprofessional programs at Western and AED.

Sponsorship of AED member, Becky Piles, as a candidate for Kentucky Mountain Laurel Festival Queen.

## INITIATION ACTIVITIES AND SOCIAL EVENTS

## Initiations

February 10, 1984	Initiated 16 new members
October 26, 1984	Initiated 9 new members
February 15, 1985	Initiated 13 new members
October 11, 1985	Initiated 2 new members

The initiation ceremonies were followed by a dinner and reception to welcome the new members.

## Social Events

April 20, 1984	Reception for seniors
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May 5, 1984	Senior Appreciation Party
September 21, 1984	AED Associates Picnic
December 7, 1984	AED Christmas Party
December 14, 1985	Advisor held a Christmas Open House for AED members
April 20, 1985	AED Spring Picnic in honor of retiring faculty advisor, Dr. D. Hugh Puckett
May 10, 1985	Brunch for AED officers and graduating seniors at home of faculty advisor

#### OVERALL REPORT

The Kentucky Gamma Chapter of Alpha Epsilon Delta has worked diligently in the past two years to fulfill its goals of service to Western Kentucky University, the community, and the preprofessional student. Through the dedication and efforts of the members, officers, and the faculty advisor, the Kentucky Gamma Chapter plans to continue its progress in the coming years.

Respectfully submitted,

*J. Denise Milam*  
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 J. Denise Milam, Historian

*Martin R. Houston*  
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 Martin Houston, Faculty Advisor

Treasurer's Report  
Kentucky Gamma Chapter  
Alpha Epsilon Delta

1984-85

Receipts

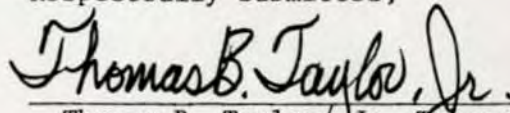
Previous checking balance (as of 1/1/84)	\$431.46
1984 Chapter dues	580.00
National dues	504.00
Initiation fees	396.00
1985 Chapter dues	540.00
National dues	336.00
Initiation dues	264.00
Dividends	73.72
Donations	161.00
Total Receipts	<u>\$3286.18</u>

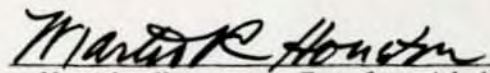
Disbursements

AED National dues	\$840.00
AED recognition pins	125.00
AED room/party supplies	521.16
Film processing/biennial report	321.00
Freshmen Orientation/receptions	193.93
Plaque and engraving	42.33
Transfer from checking to savings	300.00
Books for AED Library	150.00
Miscellaneous	317.67
Total disbursements	<u>\$2811.09</u>

Checking Balance (as of 12/31/85)	\$473.89
Savings balance (as of 12/31/85)	<u>\$495.73</u>
Total balance (as of 12/31/85)	\$969.62

Respectfully submitted,

  
Thomas B. Taylor, Jr., Treasurer

  
Martin Houston, Faculty Advisor