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DELTA PHI EPSILON Co-ed Fraternity

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A new academic year has started at Cal. So, how are things going with the re-started Epsilon Chapter? I can assure all of you that DPE is going just fine. This is the second year for the re-started chapter. I am pleased that my ambassadorial functions are no longer required to make the chapter thrive.

Winston Le, President. This is Winston's second semester as president. He is now drawing on his experience from last year to help guide the chapter. The other officers:

Sara Sultan, VP-External; **Kate Calligaro**, VP-Internal; **Yvonne Yang**, VP-Membership ;
Lily Tsen, Secretary; **Marie Dhona Uy**, Treasurer; **Michelle San Pedro**; Historian Emeritus;
Alex Brannigan, Webmaster.

New Pledges Are: Greg Santiago, Brian Puglise, Tina Cheung, Krystle Mariano, Jennifer Beauregard, Sun Lee, Lily Tam, Christine Challoner, Regina Wu and Elizabeth Lim. These new pledges will become full DPE pledges during the ceremonies at the Initiation Banquet.

DPE Epsilon: Be sure to look up the website "http://dpe.berkeley.edu/" for all the info. Weekly DPE Meetings are taking place in 183 Dwinelle, 6:30 – 8:30 PM. One of the objectives is to help prepare students for the Foreign Service Exam. Winston told me that five DPE members have taken the exam and all five have passed! A perfect record.

The DPE chapter is one of the major sponsors of the International Career Symposium on campus, taking place Oct. 26-28. Members are escorting many of the panelists. Alex Brannigan will be on a panel discussing internships with the State Department.

Another important event for DPE was supporting actively a campus food drive in partnership with the UN World Food Program. That was very successful and is a stepping stone to participating in more great service projects in the future.

News From: Otto Maximilian Schutze. Max was the first president of the re-started Epsilon Chapter. He graduated in May 2004 with a B.A. in Legal Studies and is now our first new alumnus. Max is now preparing to attend law school or graduate school and is also holding the door open to positions in the commercial sector. He will probably work in the business sector the next two years and then return to the West Coast for advanced schooling.

Alumni News: Matthew McLean, Alpha '96, is a Cal School of Journalism Graduate. Matt spent a year in Mexico and would like to return there to complete a film project. He is looking for grant funds and if any of you know where he can obtain financial assistance, please contact him at: mattatberkeley@yahoo.com. He is presently supporting himself by teaching a media class at an East Bay college.

Richard Kirby, Epsilon '59. Rich has retired from his position as Workers Compensation Judge in Oakland. A new opportunity lured him to San Francisco where he very much enjoys the big city ambiance and restaurant scene. He is now a trial attorney for the Zurich Insurance Company. Rich and his wife Sally very much enjoy their new residence in the Rossmoor Retirement Community in Walnut Creek.

Joseph Chytry, Eta '64, continues to teach cultural history at the California College of the Arts and manages the Oxford journal, *Industrial and Corporate Change* at the Haas School of Business. He recently co-edited a book that was published by Oxford, and he has written a new philosophical book to be published in November. If any of you are interested in his writings, please e-mail him at: chytry@haas.berkeley.edu.

One more alumni contributed to this newsletter. I asked **Tom Cameron**, Eps '53, if he had something he'd like to send out to all alumni and active DPE students at Cal. Here is his message:

“Being in the sunset of my life, it was a pleasure to see your smiling faces at the November (2003) Initiation at Spengers. It brought back memories of being Delta Phi Epsilon President in 1955; Pledge Advisor from 1954 to 1966 during which time we initiated approximately 275 new members; serving as National Vice President for Epsilon from 1956 to 1966; and recipient of the Gold Honor Key.”

“In light of the above I pass onto you sage advise which Dr. Eric Bellquist, our faculty advisor for many years, told me:

“Tom, there are three kinds of people –
those who make things happen
those who watch things happen and
those who stand back and say “What Happened??”

“Be The Ones Who Make Things Happen!!!”

Finally, I'd like to ask all alumni to get out their checkbook and send a contribution to the Epsilon chapter, payable to: Delta Phi Epsilon/ASUC. Send it to: Delta Phi Epsilon, c/o ASUC Office of Student Affairs, University of California, 400 Eshleman Hall, MC 4500, Berkeley, CA 94720-4500. Your contribution is very much appreciated and will make possible some social functions, like pizza night, that help promote fraternal ties. You will receive a thank you letter and your contribution is tax deductible.

This Ambassador Newsletter is going out to all alumni, past DPE and new DPE students plus friends of DPE. If any of you would like to contact me, my e-mail is: rudywagner@yahoo.com
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Go DPE and Go Bears!!!