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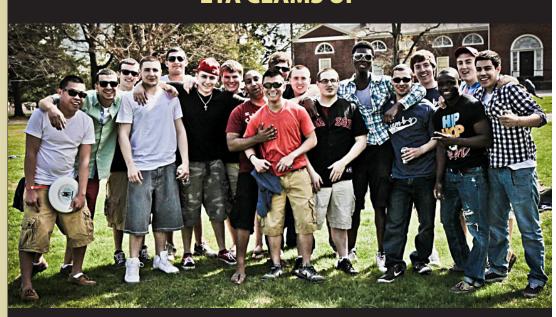
### PHI DELTA CHI PHARMACY FRATERNITY

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# **ETA CLAMS UP**



Eta Brothers enjoy the annual Massachusetts College of Pharmacy ClamBQ. Brothers spent the day at the Gore Place in Waltham MA. The event was sponsored by the Student Government association and was a last chance to enjoy the nice weather before buckling down for finals. The experience was a great day for further developing their brotherhood and bringing the chapter closer togeterh over seafood and BBQ foods.

Submitted by Paul Rainville, ETA WKRS

# **Fraternity Links**

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#### **Upcoming Events**

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| 14 <sup>th</sup> Leader Development Seminar (LDS), Hyatt<br>Regency Lexington, KY | August 1 - 4, 2012  | LDS Webpage            |
| 69 <sup>th</sup> Grand Council, Embassy Suites Hotel, Omaha, NE                   | August 6 - 10, 2013 | office@phideltachi.org |

Please send Chapter or Region events to <a href="mailto:gypc@phideltachi.org">gypc@phideltachi.org</a>



Brothers enjoy the the 68th Grand Council in Buffalo, NY. Don't miss out on the ultimate fraternal experience: a Phi Delta Chi national meeting. The next one is the 14th Leader Development Seminar in Lexington, KY, August 1-4, 2012.



### **ALUMNI AFFAIRS UPDATE**

Grand Vice President for Alumni Affairs Lindsay Watson (Beta Nu) gvpaa@phideltachi.org

# Attention P4 Brothers: Graduation Coins Now Available!

When P4 Brothers pay their first year National Alumni Dues, they will receive a minted Phi Delta Chi coin that commemorates their achievements and is engraved with "Class of 2012". If you would like to obtain a graduation coin, simply mail your New Graduate National Alumni Dues of \$32.50 to the National Office with your updated contact information for after graduation, and we will mail you your coin! Act fast! There are a limited amount of coins for 2012 graduates!

#### It's a Match!

Congratulations to the many P4 Brothers who matched with residency programs this year! Please see the following two pages for a list of 122 of our Brothers who will be going on to complete residency training.

#### **Call for Alumni**

Attention alumni Brothers! In the coming months there will be new opportunities for alumni Brothers to become more involved in Phi Delta Chi. Would you like to serve on a committee? Be a Regional Director?

Provide advice on professional, financial, or Fraternity life? Begin to think about how you would like to increase your involvement in Phi Delta Chi. More information will be available in the June e-Communicator!

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Lindsay Watson Beta Nu #164

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- Tyler Van Schyndel Delta University of Wisconsin Health Center Madison, WI
- Ryan Costantino Eta University of MD Medical Center Baltimore, MD
- Justin Anderson Theta Westside Community Health Services St. Paul, MN
- Laura Baumgartner Theta University of Colorado
- Rachel Branstad Theta Hennepin County Medical Center Minneapolis, MN
- Meredith Gryscki Theta Henry Ford Detroit, MI
- Emily Herstine Theta Abbott Northwestern Hospital Minneapolis, MN
- Derek LaBar Theta United Hospital St. Paul, MN
- Justine Meirehofer Theta Optom Health Minneapolis, MN
- Robert Mueller Theta Froedtert Hospital Milwaukee, WI
- Zach Stoecker Theta Hennepin County Medical Center Minneapolis, MN
- Amanda Engle lota St. Peter's
- Katie Ferguson lota Wilkes University/Medicine Shoppe Wilkes Barre, PA
- Emmanual Enwere Lambda Ohio State University Columbus, OH
- Caitlin Gibson Lambda VA North Texas Health Care System Dallas, TX
- Yamel Herrera Lambda VA Eastern Colorado Health Care System Denver, CO
- Michelle Horng Lambda Henry Ford
- Jerry James Lambda University of Kansas Hospital Kansas City, KS
- Samantha Kuten Lambda Methodist Hospital Houston, TX
- Sofia Mnjoyan Lambda Texas Tech Albilene Abilene, TX
- Viet Nguyen Lambda Dallas VA Dallas, TX
- Tony Okoro Lambda Rutgers Fellowship/Bristol Meyers Squibb Plainsboro, NJ
- Sahar Alnatour Omicron Kaiser Permanente Bakersfield Bakersfield,
   CA
- Mira Bakas Omicron USC Acute Care CA
- Aileen Chu Omicron University of Illinois Chicago Chicago, IL
- Dina Elperin Omicron Kaiser Permanente Woodland Hills Woodland Hills, CA
- Karen Gana Omicron Kaiser Permanente Orange County Orange County, CA
- Alifiya Hyderi Omicron Northshore University Health System IL
- Arezo Issary Omicron VA West Los Angeles Los Angeles, CA
- Aimee Keegan Omicron City of Hope CA

- Artak Kerimian Omicron Kaiser Permanente Panorama City Panorama City, CA
- Hana Kim Omicron VA San Francisco San Francisco, CA
- Sarah Moy Omicron Kaiser Permanente Woodland Hills Woodland Hills, CA
- Tina Patel Omicron USC Ambulatory Care CA
- Liz Plunkett Omicron
- Roya Rahmanian Omicron USC Community CA
- Susan Shakib Omicron VA Long Beach Long Beach, CA
- Amy Ta Omicron VA West Los Angeles Los Angeles, CA
- Ashley Weissman Omicron City of Hope CA
- Andy Williams Omicron USC Acute Care/Psychiatry CA
- LVW Omicron VA West Los Angeles Los Angeles, CA
- Amanda Cantin Sigma Yale-New Haven New Haven, CT
- Lauren Kuckewich Tau MUSC Charleston, SC
- Lola Afolabi Omega Children's Hospitals and Clinics of Minnesota Minneapolis, MN
- Jennifer Blocker Omega Wilson Pharmacy Community Practice Residency - Johnson City, TN
- Latasha Brown Omega Baptist Memorial Hospital Memphis, TN
- Macon Carroll Omega UT Community Pharmacy Residency Duren Pharmacy Waynesboro, TN
- Joshua Carter Omega Johnson City Medical Center Johnson City, TN
- McLisa Davis Omega The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center
   Columbus, OH
- Deidra Dickerson Omega Methodist University Hospital Memphis, TN
- Jenny Easterling Omega VA Tennessee Valley HealthCare System Nashville, TN
- Eejay Enekwa Omega Atlanta Medical Center Atlanta, GA
- Shanise Jamison Omega Methodist Germantown Hospital
- Nicole McClellan Omega VA-Memphis Memphis, TN
- Cassandra Thomas Omega Central Arkansas Veterans Healthcare System - Little Rock, AR
- Whitney Wallace Omega Methodist University Hospital Memphis, TN
- Michelle Washington Omega University of TN Women's Health Fellowship
- James Adams Alpha Delta Martinsburg VA Martinsburg, WV
- Eleanor Bituin Alpha Delta West Florida Healthcare Pensacola, FL
- Tamara Rose Davidson Alpha Delta Carillion Medical Center Roanoke, VA



## It's a Match! (Continued)

- Karl Hayter Alpha Delta Virginia Commonwealth University Richmond,
   VA
- Hasan Kazmi Alpha Delta University of Virginia Charlottesville, VA
- Gina Lee Alpha Delta INOVA Fairfax Fairfax, VA
- Lindsey Madures Alpha Delta Duke University Hospital Durham, NC
- Melissa Rees Alpha Delta Seattle Children's Hospital Seattle, WA
- Cathy Salvadore Alpha Delta Rockingham Memorial Hospital Harrisonburg, VA
- Sara Tittermary Alpha Delta Martha Jefferson Hospital Charlottesville,
   VA
- Ann Upshaw Alpha Delta Yuma Regional Hospital Yuma, AZ
- Ryan Wong Alpha Delta CJW Medical Center Richmond, VA
- Melody Wooten Alpha Delta Lynchburg Hospital Lynchburg, VA
- Rejena Azad Alpha lota Palmetto Health Columbia, SC
- Diana Houng Alpha lota UMASS Memorial Medical PGY2 Cardiology Worcester, MA
- Ryan Markham Alpha Iota OHSU Portland, OR
- Yan-Sheng Ouyang Alpha lota Salem VAMC Salem, VA
- Carmen Ward Alpha lota West Florida Hospital Pensacola, FL
- Bernadette Aragon Alpha Nu PGY1 Hennepin County Medical Center, PGY2
   MS/Health Systems Administration Residency MN
- Jacqueline Campbell Alpha Nu Indian Health Services at Fort Defiance Indian Hospital Fort Defiance, AZ
- Juliane Christina Alpha Nu Scottsdale Healthcare Scottsdale, AZ
- Youchin Huh Alpha Nu Tucson Medical Center Tucson, AZ
- Guntur Kurniawan Alpha Nu Intermountain Healthcare: Intermountain Medical Center Murray, UT
- Alicia Ortega Alpha Nu Southern Arizona Veterans Affairs Health System Tucson, AZ
- Edric Wong Alpha Nu University of Kansas Hospital Kansas City, KS
- Brian Nelson Alpha Rho University of California San Diego, CA
- Mark Willner Beta Gamma Maimonides Medical Center Brooklyn, NY
- Noor Fattouh Beta Zeta Bronx VA PGY2 Geriatrics Bronx, NY
- Alla Melamed Beta Zeta Beth Isreal Medical Center New York, NY
- Kimberly Carengie Beta lota Lutheran Health Network IN
- Izabela Chamot Beta Iota Portland VA Portland, OR
- Jayme Lentz Beta Kappa VA Gulf Coast Joint Ambulatory Care Center Pensacola, FL

- Amber Rayfield Beta Kappa Chillicothe VAMC Chillicothe, OH
- Jamie Lee Beta Lambda Lakeland Regional Medical Center Lakeland, FL
- Ahmedul Ambia Beta Nu Moses Taylor Hospital Scranton, PA
- Alina Ilkevitch Beta Xi N. Chicago CA Chicago, IL
- Rob Cyparski Beta Pi Martinsburg VAMC Martinsburg, WV
- Chris Dooley Beta Pi Hartford Hospital Hartford, CT
- Courtney Harper Beta Pi Gaston Memorial Hospital Charlotte, NC
- Joe Kalis Beta Pi Memorial Health Colorado Springs, CO
- Erin Rzeczkowski Beta Pi Rockingham Memorial Hospital Harrisonburg, VA
- Andrea Tanzella Beta Pi Wilkes-Barre VA Wilkes Barre, PA
- Kristy Van Nest Beta Pi Hennepin County Medical Center Minneapolis, MN
- Nadine Kazem Beta Sigma Banner Good Samaritan Medical Center
- NicoleDavis Beta Omega VAMC Salisbury, NC
- Dustin Grant Beta Omega Indiana University Health Indianapolis, IN
- Brittany King Beta Omega Fort Sanders Regional Medical Center Knoxville, TN
- Carie Steber Beta Omega W.G. (Bill) Hefner VAMC Salisbury, NC
- Aaron York Beta Omega Texas Tech Amarillo Amarillo, TX
- Gray Flowers Gamma Gamma Suburban Hospital Bethesda, MD
- Sarah Sparks Gamma Gamma Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center Lebanon, NH
- Cole Wilder Gamma Gamma Bristol Regional Medical Center Bristol, TN
- Kealey Bundren Gamma Delta Wellmont Health Systems-Holston Valley Medical Center
- Benjamin Michalove Gamma Delta Charles George VA Asheville, NC
- Morgan Pendleton Gamma Delta Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center
- Christan Thomas Gamma Delta New York Presbyterian
- Sara Weidart Gamma Delta University of Tennessee Medical Center
- Robert Wood Gamma Delta James H. Quillen VA Hospital
- Nicole Pettite Gamma Zeta Ministry St. Joseph's Hospital MN
- Nick Schwier Gamma Zeta
- Stephanie Stoneham Gamma Zeta UPMC Health Plan PA
- Sonia Gill Gamma lota Providence Health Portland, WA
- Nina Nguyen Gamma lota St. Joseph's Medical Center Stockton, CA
- Johnny Sung Gamma lota

Do you know of anyone else who should be on this list? Email gvpaa@phideltachi.org with the name, chapter, and residency of the Brothers you know who are not included!

Working for Walgreens? Going into industry? Entering managed care? If you a P4 Brother and want to share your future plans with the rest of our Brothers, please email gypaa@phideltachi.org so we can celebrate your graduation and future success! Include your name, plans, and location where you will be practicing!



# GRAND VICE PRESIDENT FOR STUDENT AFFAIRS RYAN COSTANTINO (ETA) gvpsa@phideltachi.org

#### **Outgoing Regional Correspondents**

Regional Correspondents play a vital role in the daily operations of the Fraternity. They serve as the bridge between our local chapters, and the national office. Over the past year, the 2011-2012 Regional Correspondents have been busy contributing in a variety of ways. The year started off in Memphis, TN at St. Jude Children's Hospital where the fraternity conducted its strategic planning retreat. The Regional Correspondents helped identify the needs of our fraternity and voted on our top 5 goals. Aside from making monthly calls to each chapter in their region, they also traveled to participate in a Chapter Visit in the Fall, and a ChEQ Visit in the spring. They also served as the Chair at the 2012 Regional Conferences and were instrumental in the planning, and execution of the conference.

The outgoing 2011-2012 Regional Correspondents are listed at right. I have greatly enjoyed working with these Regional Correspondents and the work they have done, and the Brotherhood they have shown over the past year is truly inspiring.

#### **Incoming Regional Correspondents**

With the completion of all the 2012 Regional Conferences, it is my pleasure to announce the 2012-2013 Regional Correspondents (listed below right).

The Regional Correspondents were elected to serve a 1 year term by their respective region. I look forward to working with all of them over the next year as we tackle issues such as pledge education, and identifying and supporting struggling chapters. They will also be participating in Chapter and ChEQ visits, as well as assisting Chapters with the Achievement Award Program. Please join me in thanking the outgoing Regional Correspondents, and also in welcoming the newly elected Regional Correspondents!

AAAE,

Ryan Costantino

Ryan Costantino

Eta #1789

## **OUTGOING Regional Correspondents**

- Great Lakes: **CORY MILLER** (Alpha Upsilon)
- Mid-Atlantic: **MELISSA REE**S (Alpha Delta)
- Midwest: **DEREK LaBAR** (Theta)
- Mountain: **ELNAZ ZOGHI** (Beta Sigma)
- Northeast: ILYA DUBINSKY (Beta Zeta)
- Pacific: JUSTIN HAIR (Beta lota)
- Southcentral: TIRA MEYERS (Lambda)
- Southeast: **SHUONG OUYANG** (Alpha lota)

2011 - 2012

2012 - 2013

#### **INCOMING Regional Correspondents**

- Great Lakes: NIC JANTZEN (Alpha Upsilon) e-mail: glrc@phideltachi.org
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### THE TOM STOUT THOUSAND TOURNAMENT, DINNER, & RAFFLE

### By Lisa Keikoan and Nam Nguyen

The Tom Stout Thousand Golf Tournament and Raffle Dinner is an annual event hosted by the Alpha Psi Chapter in the Spring time. This year's Tom Stout Thousand was held on April 14, 2012 at the Brookside Golf and Country Club in Stockton, California and consisted of a shot gun golf tournament, a formal dinner and a raffle with a grand prize of \$1,000.

In admiration of our brother, Tom Stout, the Alpha Psi Chapter is pleased and honored to put on this special annual event in his name. The Tom Stout Thousand pays tribute to his life and loyalty as a brother of Phi Delta Chi. Tom Stout pledged Alpha Psi in 1973 and was very active in the Fraternity, even as an alumnus. Tom was the type of Brother that gave to the fraternity first, himself second. He is described by Jeff Jellin (Alpha Psi), as

"anytime there was anything worth doing, Tom was always the first to stand up and say, 'I'll do it.' His enthusiasm for everything good was infectious. He was a leader by his actions. He was honest to the core... good to the bone...enthusiastic to do the right thing...loyal to his friends...and caring to everyone who needed help. And, oh yeah, he was a bundle of fun to be around. In other words, Tom Stout was the epitome of a Phi Delt."

The Tom Stout Thousand also serve as our main alumni reunion event and through all the raffle ticket sales, holes and events golf sponsorships it also serves as our largest fundraising event. Proceeds from this event helps fund our annual rush events, chapter retreats,



Alumnus George Jenkins (Beta Rho) and Ty Stout (Beta Rho) enjoying a morning of golfing at the Alpha Psi Tom Stout 1000 Golf Tournament at the Brookside Golf and Country Club

travel to Phi Delta Chi Regional and National meetings and St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. This year, we had over 80 actives, alumni and family and friends in attendance including Past Grand President Ralph Saroyan (Alpha Psi), Pacific Regional Director of Alumni Affairs, Marshal Abdullah (Omicron) and Tom Stout's Family; Andy Stout (Alpha Nu) and Ty Stout (Beta Rho).

Additionally, the chapter has the honor to recognize one collegiate and alumni brother for their involvement in the fraternity. This year, Daniel Salas (WVC) was awarded the Gerald A. Miller Memorial Scholarship sponsored by the Alpha Psi Education, Scholarship & Leadership Foundation based on his involvement within the fraternity and scholastic ability. The 2012 Distinguished Alumnus of the Year was awarded to An-Chun Kwan (09).



**Back Row L-R** Brad Wojcik (Class of 1975), Gary Hutchinson's date, Gary Hutchinson (77), Bill Borgman (76), David Tavarez (alumni)

**Front Row L-R** Margie Valine, Jim Vassar (76), Lynnette Borgman, Angela Tavarez



# THE DELICATE ART OF DANCING WITH PORCUPINES!\* What you might learn at LDS...

Gary Keil (Alpha Mu) Co-Coordinator, LDS 2010 Gary.Keil@astrazeneca.com

You know them. You've worked with them. You've run into them in the grocery store. And they've stopped you in their tracks. They've scared you because they can HURT you. They are the prickliest, most cantankerous, dangerous and unenjoyable of people with whom you may interact. They are, figuratively and perhaps literally, human porcupines. (Perhaps you're one of them, too, but that is a different matter...)

The prevailing belief is that these people are the most difficult of all with whom to work. Indeed, all it takes is one miscommunication or misstep with them and the barbs begin flying. You get struck by a hundred daggers, piercing you sometimes to your bone marrow and soul. Their attacks are not just painful - they can be fatal.

So would you believe me if I told you that these people are actually the best asset you could ever hope for in your life? Would you buy my line that I'd rather have ten porcupines working on a high pressured project with me than thirty fluffy, nice little bunnies?

The key is leveraging their strengths, and carefully choreographing their involvement. Imagine trying to wrestle one of them into a project – you hop on his back or get him riled up and what happens? Not a pretty ending – you are left plucking out his quills from your body! Instead, imagine slowly warming up to him, encouraging him to open up a bit to expose his soft side (otherwise known as the underbelly!). Now show him he is able to see the most of the world when standing upright – not with his nose buried in the dirty ground.

But don't leave him to teeter alone – he is not used to standing and needs support! How do you support him? With confidence and skill, extend a hand and invite him to dance. If you have more than one porcupine simply repeat this the same number of times per porcupine in your midst!

Gently take each one in your arms, snuggling up to that soft side. What does this accomplish? It supports them and helps them view the world from a completely new vantage point. The benefit to you for taking this risk is that you are now protected from the quills and can use them for what they are: some of the most POWERFUL of shields designed by nature to keep you safe as you navigate challenging situations.

Once the dance begins you are set and ready for any assault from any angle – twirl smoothly and adjust your direction

as the need arises. You can lead or they can lead, or you can take turns, but without communicating who is doing what you're flirting with disaster. Stay close! Concentrate and don't stray too far away for they may twirl unexpectedly and you may get nicked.

Imaging dancing with such a powerful and protective partner... and dancing to the music of life! Sound like an easy art to learn? It isn't! Sound like you'd like to give it a whirl on your own and see how it goes? You could. Or you could take dancing lessons. Leader Development Seminar-style 'dancing' lessons.

Are you ready? We'd love to have you join our party. All you need to do is come to the dance floor...

\*Adapted from an amazing book with the same title by Bob Phillips. Learn more about this book along with scores of others referenced in the Leader Development Seminar program!





#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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In our 26th annual presentation,
The Pharmacy Leadership & Education Institute (PLEI) announces
Dr. Conan MacDougall, winner of the Albert B. Prescott Pharmacy Leadership Award

**February 5, 2012, East Hanover, NJ** – Conan MacDougall, PharmD, MAS, BCPS, a faculty member at the University of California San Francisco (UCSF) School of Pharmacy, has been named the 2012 recipient of the Albert B. Prescott Pharmacy Leadership Award. In its 26<sup>th</sup> year, the award recognizes a young pharmacist who demonstrates exemplary leadership qualities indicative of someone likely to emerge as a major leader in pharmacy over the course of his or her career. Dr. MacDougall will be honored during the APhA Annual meeting in New Orleans, Louisiana, on Sunday, March 11, 2012 at 5:30pm at the Hilton Riverside.

Nominator, Robert L. Day, PharmD, Associate Dean, University of California, San Francisco, School of Pharmacy, writes, "Dr. MacDougall joined the faculty at UCSF in 2005 as an assistant professor. His promotion to associate professor was accelerated by two years in recognition of his high level of early achievement. His clinical practice is devoted to infectious disease pharmacology at the UCSF Medical Center, where he serves as pharmacy lead for antimicrobial stewardship. ... His research efforts in appropriate antimicrobial use and antimicrobial pharmacoepidemiology have resulted in over two dozen peer-reviewed articles published or in press. He also serves as chapter author for leading textbooks such as Goodman & Gilman's The Pharmacologic Basis of Therapeutics, Anesthetic Pharmacology, and Emergency Management of Infectious Diseases. ... Dr. MacDougall's accomplishments as a clinician and researcher are matched by his passion for teaching. His classroom approach blends humor, attention to detail, and an ability to see the subject from the learner's point of view. ... Dr. MacDougall's commitment to improving the experience of students extends beyond the classroom. He is recognized as an outstanding preceptor, with his rotation in Infectious Disease being highly sought-after by students and residents. ... Dr. MacDougall's credentials and accomplishments are those of an outstanding candidate for the 2012 Albert Prescott Award."

The selection committee was comprised of Mary Euler, PharmD, Chair of the Committee, two members of the PLEI Board Colin O'Neill, PharmD, and Candace Roberts, PDC Board member Amy Valdez, PharmD, and by previous winners of this prestigious award: Timothy Cutler, PharmD, Jeffrey Neigh, PharmD, Scott Evans, PharmD, Macary Marciniak, PharmD.





#### About Dr. Conan MacDougall

Dr. MacDougall is currently Associate Professor of Clinical Pharmacy at UCSF. He came to UCSF from the University of California, Davis where he was a National Merit Scholar and recipient of the Chancellor's Award. Both at UC Davis and UCSF he was a University of California Regents Scholar. After graduation, he completed a PGY-1 residency at Duke University Medical Center and a PGY-2 in Infectious Diseases at UCSF. He received fellowship training at Virginia Commonwealth University School of Pharmacy under the guidance of Dr. Ron Polk. Dr. MacDougall joined the faculty at UCSF in 2005. His clinical practice is in Infectious Diseases pharmacotherapy at the UCSF Medical Center, where he provides consultation on complex infectious diseases patients and manages the antimicrobial stewardship program. He serves as a consultant to the University Health System Consortium Antimicrobial Stewardship Steering Committee and the California Department of Public Health Antimicrobial Metrics Committee.

Dr. MacDougall has been long recognized as a leader in classroom teaching. As a pharmacy undergraduate teaching assistant and again as a specialty resident, he received UCSF's teaching award for outstanding performance as an instructional assistant. When he became a member of the faculty, he continued this level of achievement as a course coordinator and lecturer, receiving the school's Long Award for Excellence in Teaching from the third year class in his first year teaching, and every year he has taught the course subsequently. He was the first assistant professor ever to receive the Long Prize as most outstanding teacher for the entire graduating pharmacy class in 2007 and has received that honor twice more. His accomplishments were recognized University-wide when he received the Academic Senate Campus Award for Distinction in Teaching in 2009, bestowed on a single faculty member across all UCSF's many outstanding schools and programs.

Dr. MacDougall's is recognized as an outstanding preceptor, with his rotation in Infectious Diseases being highly sought-after by students and residents, and he recently became director of the PGY-2 residency in Infectious Diseases. He has been a leader in reforming the curriculum at UCSF through his service on the Courses of Instruction, Educational Policy, and Clinical Curriculum committees. He co-authored (with Jason Gallagher) the textbook Antibiotics Simplified, which has been used as an instructional text by a number of schools of pharmacy and nursing.

#### **About Pharmacy Leadership & Education Institute, Inc.**

The Pharmacy Leadership & Education Institute (PLEI) develops leaders among student pharmacists and pharmacists by conducting programs to improve leadership skills, to strengthen the profession as a whole, and thereby advance the public health. PLEI takes a special interest in supporting and advancing the Phi Delta Chi Pharmacy Fraternity's mission of developing pharmacy's future leaders.

As a nationally active enterprise, PLEI strives to reach as many student pharmacists and young pharmacists as possible, in a variety of venues, to help them grow in their personal leadership skills, giving them examples of how to apply these skills in pharmacy settings (e.g., ambulatory, inpatient, long-term care, corporate, academia, government) and in their personal lives. Phi Delta Chi's 60th Grand Council (Memphis, 1995) authorized the Fraternity's Executive Council to establish a not-for-profit foundation to advance the leadership, educational, and other





benevolent missions of the Fraternity. This charge was fulfilled in the creation of the Pharmacy Leadership & Education Institute, Inc. (PLEI), which held the inaugural meeting of its Board of Directors during APhA's 143rd Annual Meeting in Nashville, March 1996.

The Institute serves charitable and educational purposes, advancing the Fraternity's mission of training pharmacy's future leaders. The Institute aims to advance healthcare by improving the professional and interpersonal competencies of America's pharmacists and student pharmacists. The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) recognizes the Institute as a 501(c) (3) charitable organization; EIN 582296988.

The PLEI coordinates the Prescott Pharmacy Leadership Award, the Leader Development Seminars, and other educational events for the Fraternity's Brothers and other members of the pharmacy profession.

The Institute is led by a Board of Directors of distinguished Brothers and colleagues. The Grand President, Grand Past President, and Executive Director serve ex officio on the PLEI Board of Directors.



2012 Prescott Pharmacy Leadership Award recipient Conan MacDougall and PLEI Chairman Collin O"Neill (Eta).

