

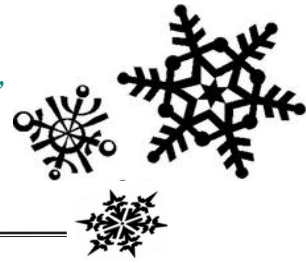


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Presenting Dominican University
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This vibrant institution located 10 miles west of Chicago will be the site for the National Convention next June. The Chicago Chapter is making plans for a thrilling event and looks forward to welcoming Kappas and their guests from across the country. If you are a Chicago-area Kappa and would like to help, please e-mail one of the co-chairs: Kate Ficke, katefhuntley@comcast.net or Janine Piechowski, kappajanine@sbcglobal.net.

Dominican's mission and history

A private, Catholic, coeducational institution founded in 1901 by the Dominican Sisters of Sinsinawa, Wisconsin, Dominican University is dedicated to preparing students to pursue truth, to give compassionate service and to participate in the creation of a more just and humane world.

In 1922, under the leadership of Mother Samuel Coughlin, the Sisters relocated from Saint Clara College in Sinsinawa to River Forest, Illinois, where the institution was renamed Rosary College. The college became coeducational in 1970 and, in the context of an aggressive strategic plan, the school name was changed to Dominican University in 1997.

Dominican University is a distinctively relationship-centered educational community, rooted in the liberal arts and sciences and comprehensive in scope, known for its rigorous and engaging academic programs, for the care and respect with which it mentors students, for its enduring commitment to social justice and for the enriching diversity of its students, faculty and staff. Integral to

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WHERE ON EARTH ARE WE GOING?

AND WHAT CAN WE DO ABOUT IT?

When you throw something away, where is "away"? Is there any such place?

Most of us can readily list many of the major problems facing our modern world, including pollution, global climate change, human trafficking, economic disenfranchisement, species extinction, terrorism, environmental collapse and financial sustainability, to name several.

"We know the problems. We have the technology. We have enough collective will power. So why isn't the world tackling these critical problems with an all-hands-on-deck approach?"

"It's easy to blame politics and institutional resistance to change, but few if any periods of social enlightenment were mandated from the top down. Systemic change occurs through pressure from all directions, and political

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Announcing the 2011 Cornaro Scholarship Competition

By Carla Naranjo

II Vice President - Cornaro Scholarship Committee Chair

The Cornaro Scholarship Committee is pleased to announce that the 2011 Cornaro Scholarship for Graduate Studies application is now available on the Kappa Gamma Pi website. The Cornaro Scholarship is named for Elena Lucrezia Cornaro Piscopia, the first woman in the world to receive a university degree of any kind. A member of a noble Venetian family, Elena Cornaro received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in 1678 from the University of Padua, Italy.

The award gives Kappas the opportunity to advance their academic and professional careers with a \$3,000 scholarship towards a graduate or professional program. This highly competitive scholarship focuses on a number of criteria, specifically how the recipient's

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LRP News

by Norma Battle, LRP Chair

About 30 years ago, Frances Noetzel, a former KGP National President, sat down at her kitchen table with several other Cleveland Kappas to plan for Kappa Gamma Pi's financial future. Her husband, Justin, who had an extensive financial background, encouraged her to initiate this important step for the organization that she loved so much. This was her legacy to all of us Kappa members, past, present and future. The group met several times a year as they planned for a lasting endowment, which took many forms, in the effort to maintain financial stability and longevity. Out of their efforts, the Cornaro Scholarship Fund has grown immensely, supported by initial and current donations and accrued interest. Kappa Gamma Pi as a national organization is committed to Faith, Service and Scholarship. The Long Range Planning Committee, as it became known, continues biannual financial planning meetings today with the same goals as those espoused by Fran Noetzel so long ago.

On October 16, 2010, the Long Range Planning Committee took a new step in communication by meeting online with six members of the National Board, the Membership Secretary and the Committee Chair. The electronic meeting—a free trial made available by Cisco WebEx—was an experiment to address the high cost of travel and other related expenses. For the first time, the members of the LRP Committee did not travel to Cleveland to meet in the homes of Margaret Martone, National Treasurer, and Pam Waitinas, Membership Secretary, as had been the recent pattern. This trial event allowed members to meet online with the capability of PC access, audio and even pictorial presence through cameras, when available. A shortened agenda of critical issues was addressed in this new format. It was an interesting and lively endeavor that seemed to be a valuable experience as a new format for future meeting encounters. The Kappa National Board will continue to investigate this new medium for its potential in the new millennium.



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A Holiday Message from the National President

Dear Kappas,

Thanksgiving and Christmas blessings to you all!

Your recent dues response is greatly appreciated and reaffirms your belief in a values-driven college education and the choice of a service-oriented postgraduate life.

“Called and Gifted” describes you and is also the theme of our 2011 National Convention to be held in Chicago. Kappa conventions have long been a favorite part of my life with memories of making new friends, having fun exploring new cities and local attractions, and participating in thought-provoking programs.

Sister Paula Gonzalez, a conservationist and a presenter at a previous KGP convention in Ohio, recently contacted me regarding the Pachamama Alliance and her support for this grassroots movement to unite the people of the world in assessing the sustainability of present lifestyles and distribution of world resources ... and to stop the insanity of their indiscriminate use and create a plan for perpetuation of our planet for the sake of our children. Sister RoseTherese Huelsman, a facilitator for the same endeavor, also contacted me to encourage Kappa involvement and to inform me of meeting schedules. Five KGP Board members have already attended the “Awakening the Dreamer, Changing the Dream” symposium sponsored by the Pachamama Alliance.

Although Kappa does not endorse special interest groups, we do have the ability to inform our members of the interests and projects of fellow Kappas, often with articles in the *NEWS*. It seems to me that this topic might also be the perfect approach to a pilot program for Kappa Clusters. Respond back to me if interested in obtaining more information. This is a great opportunity to connect with other Kappas when time and distance limit interactions. Possible conservation service projects can be generated

and coordinated to expand the impact beyond your city and state.

Kappa Ambassadors will be recommended by each affiliate starting with the class of 2011. We invite the 2010 graduates to volunteer to visit your school at least once this academic year to gather campus information for Kappa. This small step marks your participation



and emergence into being an active Kappa. We have also received inquiries from some of you regarding Chapters and a desire to join one or start one in your area. Please contact me with your questions, ideas or offers to help form a new Chapter or to reenergize one.

Existing Chapters and many long-standing members often ask for ideas for meetings or approaches to attracting or retaining Kappa members. One source often overlooked is the local Kappa affiliate. Campuses are often centrally located, supportive of Kappa (our actual Kappa wellspring – so to speak) and may be a resource for talented educators willing to share their particular interests and expertise. Tapping into compelling topics and programs already established can be accomplished. This creates a bond with the school, a Kappa presence on campus and a site for Kappas to meet and establish their group identity.

As always, you are in my thoughts and prayers. May God bless you and those you love this holiday season and throughout the new year. And thank you for your many expressions of sympathy following the loss of my faith-filled father-in-law.

Warm regards,

Pat

Pat Baumgarten

Kappa Gamma Pi National President



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We thank all the Kappas who have so promptly paid their annual dues. Each *NEWS* issue is available for our current dues payers in printed format or electronically. Do you want to receive it in full color? Due to cost considerations, the printed *NEWS* has limited color included, whereas the *NEWS* sent via email is in full color. Additionally, Kappas who opt for e-mail delivery help support our initiative to protect our planet, conserve resources and help us save funds for other projects. If you are reading this issue on paper but wish to request the electronic format for future issues, just let us know by emailing KGPNEWS@aol.com.

Kappa liturgies

Kappa's National Chaplain Rev. David Turner, OSB, Ph.D., celebrated Mass for deceased Kappas on November 21, feast of the Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary in the Temple. On January 4, 2011, Father David will celebrate liturgy for intentions of all living members in memory of KGP cofounders Rev. Francis Corcoran, CM, and Sister Josephine Rosaire Rea, SC. In view of the academic nature of Kappa Gamma Pi, January 4th is a fitting day for this liturgy. It is the feast of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, who established the first Catholic school in the United States in Baltimore, Maryland, in 1806.

Area Contacts

Do you live near St. Louis or Washington, D.C.? We're looking for Kappas to serve as Area Contacts there, acting as a resource for affiliates or other members. Please e-mail Judy Gelwicks, National Executive Secretary, at kappagammapi@comcast.net if you can help.

“The justified concern about threats to the environment present in so many parts of the world is reinforced by Christian hope, which commits us to working responsibly for the protection of creation.”

– Pope Benedict XVI

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will power is firstly dependent upon pressure from the bottom up,” writes Joe Johnston, founder of Social Hive, in his online article “Igniting the Movement of Networks” (*Evolving the Movement*, May 24, 2010).

Johnston goes on to say, “If we want to leave a better world for future generations, we’ll need to set aside ideology and quickly...”

1. Ground ourselves in reality by focusing on data over ideology.
2. Organize into action-oriented networks around tangible goals rather than perceived values.
3. Unite the networks into an efficient and decentralized movement around the common goal of getting the right tools, technology and information into the right hands: *the people.*”

One organization working to build momentum for lasting change is the Pachamama Alliance. Their mission is two-fold: to preserve the Earth's tropical rainforests by empowering the indigenous peoples who are its natural custodians and to contribute to the creation of a new global vision of equity and sustainability for all.

Creating a bold new future

Pachamama is a goddess revered by the indigenous people of the Andes. *Pachamama* is usually translated as “Mother Earth,” but a more literal translation would be “Mother world.” The Pachamama Alliance began in 1995 as a partnership with the Achuar, an indigenous group living in the Amazon basin in southeastern Ecuador. They are a nation of approximately 3,500 people occupying nearly 2 million acres of pristine tropical rainforest in one of the most remote and biologically diverse regions of the world.

According to the website www.pachamama.org, “the destruction of the world's rainforests is driven by a complex web of social and economic forces, many of these a logical result of modern society's worldview – a view that, although rich in technological insight, is often ignorant of the value of nature's apparently free and limitless services. It is a view guided by maximum short-term financial gain while disregarding the long-term costs of ecological degradation. It is a worldview in which tropical forests can show up as a cash crop to be harvested rather than as an irreplaceable ecosystem to be protected.

“This is not, however, the only worldview. After centuries of living in harmony with their environment, indigenous

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cultures see things very differently. They are informed and guided by the knowledge and spirit imbedded in nature. Rather than viewing the natural world as a collection of separate elements from which humans are apart, they recognize all of creation as an interconnected web, and each of us as an integral element in this miraculous and fragile weave of life. The Pachamama Alliance believes that our ability to meet the challenges that face humanity, as we make the transition to the new millennium, depends on our ability to successfully combine the best elements of these two worldviews into a single global vision, an alloy that blends the intellectual and scientific prowess of the modern world with the deep and ancient wisdom of traditional cultures."

To connect with people who care about sustainability, spirituality and social justice, the Pachamama Alliance developed "Awakening the Dreamer, Changing the Dream," a one-day symposium. Sister RoseTherese Huelsman is a Kappa (Marygrove College, Detroit, MI, 1956) who is a volunteer facilitator for the program. Her "day job" is as associate chaplain at St. Luke's Hospital of Kansas City. A member of the Sister Servants of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Sister RoseTherese is an educator and theologian; cultivating justice and care for the environment from a faith perspective is her passion.

"From a religious perspective, our own popes and bishops have been urging us through strong statements for over 20 years about the moral imperative to care for creation, especially because environmental degradation most heavily impacts poor and vulnerable people around the world," says Sister RoseTherese. "We are called to partner with God as stewards of creation."

Sister RoseTherese explained the symposium's title. "Many of us—to some extent all of us—are living in a dream world that tells us we can continue living as we are and thrive. But this way of life, the dream that worked for us in the past, is now working against us. We need to wake up from this dream," she says. "The good news is that we can change the dream out of which we are living. This alternate dream is not only possible, it's already happening—a dream of a world that is environmentally sustainable, socially just and even spiritually fulfilling, which consumerism and materialism are not.

"Harnessing the energy and can-do spirit of many grassroots activists, we can be midwives birthing a new plan for the direction of the world," she says. "We need to revisit capitalism and move back to local economies, providing for more homegrown, local produce, for example. The symposium is about helping people move into a new paradigm. A new dream is possible, and you can be part of it." ■

WHAT KAPPAS ARE SAYING ABOUT "AWAKENING THE DREAMER"

"The 'Awakening the Dreamer' symposium I attended was held at the beautiful Ojai Foundation in Ojai, California, on Sunday, September 12. I didn't know what to expect when I arrived, and I experienced an enriching afternoon with amazing presenters, interesting breakout sessions, informative DVD programming and insightful small group discussions.

"Two world views were presented and represented by the Eagle (mind, science and technology) and the Condor (spirit, open hearts and respect for nature). Both approaches of relating to the world can live in harmony. These new possibilities are moving us forward toward the remarkable and emerging story of interconnection on our planet.

"I left wearing a beautiful woven bracelet that was made by the Achuar, indigenous people of the Amazon and inhabitants of the rain forest, and it reminds me of the pledge I made that day: 'I am committed to bringing forth

an environmentally sustainable, spiritually fulfilling and socially just human presence on this planet as the guiding principle of our times.'

"I hope that other Kappas will take this opportunity to experience this unique and meaningful symposium. It is life-changing."

Alene Finn Griffin, Past President



"Acting on one of the items in our National Board Action Summary Report, I attended the day-long Pachamama symposium last Saturday, September 18, at St. Pius X parish here in Kansas City. Sister RoseTherese Huelsman, IHM, (a Kappa) was our main facilitator. She was terrific! It was a wonderful day.

"The experience certainly gave me a new perspective on life on this planet and the participation that I am now mandated to share with all creatures on it. They gave us a gift at the end of the day: a hand-woven bracelet made



by the Achuar people, which requires someone else to help you tie it on. It was designed that way intentionally. It is a sign of our co-dependence on each other. I hope that others get the opportunity to share this experience."

Norma Battle, LRP Chair

To find a symposium near you, visit www.awakeningthedreamer.org and click on the symposium map in the right-hand navigation bar. Or phone 415-561-4522.

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The cloister walk at Dominican University in River Forest, Illinois.

Dominican's success and distinction is the ongoing exploration, clear expression and shared experience of its Catholic Dominican identity.

Accredited by the North Central Association, Dominican University has an enrollment of over 3,900 students and offers 50 un-

dergraduate academic programs in the Rosary College of Arts and Sciences and 15 graduate programs through the Graduate School of Library and Information Science, the Brennan School of Business, the School of Education and the Graduate School of Social Work. In addition, the University offers a doctoral program in library and information science.

Dominican University is located on 30 bucolic acres within a thriving residential neighborhood. Throughout its growth, the University has maintained the signature Gothic architectural look established almost 100 years ago by renowned architect Ralph Adams Cram, the architect for Princeton University, the University of Chicago's Rockefeller Chapel and West Point Military Academy.

The University's newest academic building, the 124,000-square-foot Parmer Hall completed in 2007, houses state-of-the-art laboratories for biology, chemistry, physics, psychology, and nutrition and dietetics programs as well as classrooms, faculty offices and numerous common areas for faculty-student interaction. The building conforms to LEED-certification specifications.

Academics and faculty

Dominican University was again ranked this year in the top tier of Midwest master's level universities by *U.S. News & World Report's* "America's Best Colleges" issue and was listed as a "great school at a great price" for the thirteenth consecutive year.

With an average class size of 15, Dominican University offers students and faculty the opportunity to develop mutually enriching relationships. In addition, undergraduate students are increasingly offered opportunities for engaging in stimulating research projects alongside

faculty mentors, an experience that uniquely prepares them for graduate studies at some of the most prestigious institutions in the country.

Approximately 66 percent of the undergraduate faculty are full-time and 84 percent hold a doctoral or terminal degree in their field. Dominican faculty members are engaged in teaching, research and related work, as well as community affairs. Many of the part-time instructors share their expertise while remaining actively involved in their professions.

Students and student life programs

Dominican has a total student population of just under 4,000 students. Fall 2009 enrollment included 1,904 undergraduate students and 2,005 graduate students, with a vital mix of almost 30 percent minority students.

The University offers a wide range of curricular and extracurricular activities for students, including a highly regarded service learning program, 12 NCAA Division III varsity sports and numerous clubs and organizations.

The University's service learning program was a 2006 finalist for the Jimmy and Rosalynn Carter Award for Campus-Community Collaboration for its partnership with Chicago's San Miguel Schools, two elementary schools located in underserved neighborhoods on Chicago's west and south sides. Through this ongoing partnership, the University provides the schools with volunteer tutors, teacher training and in-service workshops in reading and special education. The service learning program offers students opportunities for working with social service agencies and programs throughout the Chicago area.

The Dominican Stars men's soccer team has enjoyed great acclaim while competing in every NCAA Division III national championship since 2002, making it to the Final Four in 2009. The women's soccer team is currently experiencing its most successful season.

Educational opportunities without borders

As one of the first two colleges in the United States to offer a study-abroad program, Dominican University has a tradition of engaging its students with the world. The University has provided undergraduate students with the opportunity to study in Europe, South America and Asia. Students enrolled in the Graduate School of Social Work have enjoyed international field placements in Mexico, the Philippines, Ecuador, Latvia and South Africa, working on such challenging issues as human trafficking, AIDS and community development. Students in the Brennan School of Business have traveled to China, India, Poland and the Czech Republic to study international business practices.

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The Graduate School of Library and Information Science publishes *World Libraries*, a peer-reviewed scholarly journal dedicated to encouraging scholarly communication and professional development for librarians in newly developing regions of the world.

Many faculty and staff members are fully engaged in the University's commitment to social justice and its mission to create a more just and humane world. Faculty and staff have accompanied students on service learning trips throughout the United States, including Native American reservations in South Dakota and Montana, communities in Appalachia and areas devastated by Hurricane Katrina in Louisiana and Mississippi, as well as abroad, including Mexico and El Salvador. In addition, a group of 20-25 faculty, staff and students travel each year to Ft. Benning, Georgia, to call for the closing of the School of the Americas.

Pathways to Distinction

Dominican University recently introduced the second of two strategic five-year plans. *Pathways to Distinction* is an academic, program-driven plan anchored by mission. Two overarching aspirations shape the plan – increasing quality internally and building reputation externally. The plan will focus on interdisciplinary/integrative studies, global citizenship, civic engagement and research/scholarship. ▀

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life reflects the Kappa Gamma Pi motto of Faith and Service. Recipients of the Cornaro Scholarship exemplify the values of volunteer work, leadership experience, high academic standards and solid career aspirations.

As in 2009 and 2010, we will not print application forms for distribution. To save costs, the 2011 competition will again be conducted by electronic transmission. The downloading and filing of all applications will be processed through the Cornaro link of the KGP website: www.kappagammapi.org/_cornaro.html

The success of this scholarship program depends on contributions by Kappa members and friends. Since 1985, KGP has awarded \$163,000 in scholarships for 75 deserving Kappas!

By contributing to the Cornaro fund, you give other Kappas the chance to fulfill their goals in higher education. We thank all who so readily donate to the Cornaro Fund each year and we are hopeful that many will continue to be generous this year as well.

All donations to the Cornaro Scholarship Fund are tax-deductible. Thank you for your continued support! This program is successful because you make it so.

Cornaro Scholarship Fund Contributions

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Olga Centa Horvath's 90th birthday
(Ursuline College, Pepper Pike, OH, '41),
Cleveland, OH, former KGP National Officer

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