

Foundation Liaison News



Foundation Gives Cornetet Awards

September Individual Awards

\$8170.00 was awarded to ten individuals to attend a variety of professional development activities to meet their individual educational goals. Nine of the recipients were members of the Society, while one recipient was not a DKG member. Eight state organizations, all within the United States, were represented in this group. Individual awards ranged from \$350.00 to \$1320.00. **Next application date is Feb. 1.**

Seminar Awards

\$10,000.00 was awarded to seven state organizations or other entities of the Society to host seminars that impact education. These seminars are open to non-members. Seminar awards ranged from \$400.00 to \$2,700.00. These seminars included CATUN in Austin, video conferences in 11 locations in North Carolina, seminar on bullying at SE regional conference and one on difficult students at the EUR regional conference.

What Award Recipients Have to Say

“I was thrilled to receive a Cornetet Award, which enabled me to attend the Joint Statistical Meetings (JSM) in Vancouver, BC. I learned so much at sessions on statistical education at both the high school and college level, in addition to sessions on statistical methods for natural resource management.”

“The experience of attending this research conference has served to reinforce my commitment of linking teaching pedagogy and practice in the classroom with educational research. I appreciate the support of DKG and the Lucile Cornetet Award that made attending this conference possible.”

“It is up to us, educators, to model the educational uses of technology and make those connections to our learning! I was inspired, refreshed and absorbed with ‘new literacy’, techniques and new books signed by their authors.”

“The application is straight-forward and user-friendly. The process was transparent and supportive - and followed the published timeline”.

Spread the Word!

Your responsibility as a Foundation Liaison is to let members in your state organization know about the work of the Educational Foundation.

Alpha Mu chapter in South Carolina featured items from the October Newsletter in the Alpha Mu’s News. **How are you spreading the word?**

Professional Development awards

- For employed educators
- Members and non-members
- Can be used for National Board Certification
- Info available at DKG.org or Educator Edge
- Deadlines
February 1
May 1
September 1

Foundation Elevator Speech #2

I am a liaison to an educational foundation which donates nearly \$250,000 each year to improve education. We support educational projects, professional development, seminars and other events for learning and training. This past year many of our projects funded literacy activities, cultural understanding and materials to make it all happen.

How does your state organization support the Foundation?

A donation to the Foundation is a great way to honor a member for her work.

Remember that donations to the Foundation are tax exempt in the US.

Order a pair of TOMS shoes using the code DKGSI and the Foundation earns \$5 and a child receives a new pair of shoes. Have you ordered a pair yet?

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