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The Sigma Chapter Attends 42nd Annual Gamma Iota Sigma International Management Conference

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The 42nd Annual Gamma Iota Sigma International Management Conference was held in Charlotte, North Carolina from October 3-5, 2013. Chapters from all over the United States and Canada were in attendance. The conference consisted of educational workshops, social events and a career fair.

The Sigma Chapter won Chapter Awards for Chapter Management, Public Relations, Alumni Relations, Community Service and Membership Development, as well as the Superior Chapter Award. The Superior Chapter Award is bestowed upon chapters that excel beyond expectations in all of the awarded functional areas and provide an outstanding experience for its members. The Sigma Chapter was one of only two chapters of Gamma Iota Sigma to be awarded the Superior Chapter Award this year.

The Sigma Chapter also won eight Black & Gold Awards, which are granted to chapters for developing projects and programs considered creative, exceptional and possible only through extensive planning, organization and participation by a significant number of the chapter's members. This year, the Sigma Chapter was

recognized for the following activities: Alumni Golf Outing, Flip Books, Intern Testimonials, New Member Packets, Online Academic Distinction, Penny Wars, Shoebox Recycling, and Sigma Chapter Twitter.

Jessica Kearney, a May 2013 alumna of the Sigma Chapter, was awarded the Elizabeth Lange Microsoft Scholarship Award in recognition of her achievements in her time at Temple University. Mr. Scott Lange, then Risk Manager for Microsoft, to honor in perpetuity the exceptional family and community contributions of his wife, established the Elizabeth Lange/Microsoft Scholarship in 1998. The scholarship is intended to recognize a member of a Gamma Iota Sigma collegiate chapter best exemplifying the personal character and values of Elizabeth Lange. Successful chapter, family and community contributions will hold a higher priority for the recipient than solely individual recognition.

Proud to be recognized for its achievements, the Sigma Chapter extends thanks to all of its members, faculty advisors and other supporters in the Fox School of Business and in the Risk Management, Insurance, and Actuarial Science industries.