

GOLDEN KEY INTERNATIONAL HONOUR SOCIETY AT FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY

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Upcoming Events

Last day to turn in ServScript
April 18

General Meeting
RENEW Presentation
Thursday, April 19
7:00pm, Career Center

Better World Books
April 23-27
9am-5pm, FSU Bookstore

Graduate Reception
April 26
5:30-7:00
UCA 8th Floor Skybox

Commencement
April 27 & 28
You know when & where!

Grades Available Online
May 2

Hey Golden Key!

I hope you all are as excited as I am for this semester to be winding down. For many of you, your entire college career is winding down and you're going to graduate in less than 2 weeks. **Congratulations!**



It is important to me that you all get the recognition you deserve for this monumental turning point in your careers. Next week, we will hold our first **Graduate Reception**, in order to celebrate your graduation. The event will be held **Thursday, April 26th, from 5:30-7:00pm** at the UCA Skybox. It is imperative that anyone who wants to come **RSVPs using our Evite.com** site—just ask me for an invitation.

Keep in mind, perhaps the best way to get the recognition you deserve is by wearing your **Golden Key Honor Cord** proudly when you walk across the stage and receive your diploma. You can pick up an Honor Cord from **Roz Bryant** at the Career Center in **UCA4100** anytime during business hours—bring **cash or check**.

Another thing that I am particularly excited about is our upcoming **Better World Books** textbook drive. This year, we are going to be helping out a new partner, **Books For Africa**. We will need a lot of help to keep this drive as successful as the last ones, so be sure to contact me or Belinda Gavino if you would like to sign up for a time slot.

Pay special attention to the **“This Month”** section of this Newsletter to see what else is going on. There is also a special section to recognize the **2007 Chapter Scholarship winners**.

I'm really happy how this year turned out. It was a great learning experience for me and **I hope you all benefited** from this year's events. If you have any questions about future events, member benefits, or just want to **give us feedback**, send us an email! **Congratulations for those of you who are graduating and good luck to everyone taking exams next week!**

Joshua Alan Ellis
President



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www.fsugoldenkey.com

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This Month...



Do you have an important term paper that you need help on? FSU Libraries will be hosting **Term Paper Clinics**. Visit Strozier Library **April 17-19** anytime between **2:00 pm and 5:00 pm** or contact William Modrow (wmodrow@mailier.fsu.edu) to schedule a date and time. Librarians will be available to help you refine a topic, finding books and sources, or anything else you need to get a good grade!

On **April 17, at 5:30 pm**, the Career Center will be hosting a workshop for **Resumes for Education Majors**, so if you are graduating soon and don't have a resume yet, or are a new member who needs to tune up your resume, come to this fun, informative event to learn more about writing your resume with specific tips for the education job marker.



On **Thursday, April 19, at 7:00pm**, we will be having our April General Meeting at the Career Center. I already know what you're thinking: "The semester's over, what chapter business do we have?" Quite frankly, the only thing left to do is party! We will be having a **Stress Management presentation** by members of **RENEW** and will be enjoying an evening of **peer networking and food**. This will also be a great opportunity for you to **buy an honor cord!** Come on out! **+10**

For many of you, this is the **home stretch!** FSU Golden Key will be holding a special event to recognize your success as a graduating Senior. We will be having our first **Graduate Reception**. It will be held on **Thursday, April 26 from 5:00 pm to 6:30 pm** at the **Boosters Skybox on the 8th floor of University Center A**. Please contact Joshua Ellis to get an online invitation to the event. Remember, guests are welcome, especially your parents!



The preparation for one of our biggest service projects, **Better World Books**, is well underway. We have linked up with several on-campus organizations to help out with the numerous location sites. FSU Golden Key will be stationed in front of the **FSU Bookstore** site. This drive will be held from **April 23-27 from 9am-5pm**. Let us know when you would like to volunteer!

Patrick Ayers
Public Relations Director



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Active Member Points for Attending

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My Medical Mission

While Spring Break is a great time to party, catch up on sleep, and get a nice tan alongside the beach, there are other ways to spend the free time that are not only rewarding to you but also to others.

This past Spring Break, I joined a group of Florida State students, several doctors and nurses, and traveled to Jamaica. The excursion was organized by FSU chapters of Alpha Epsilon Delta pre-medical Honor Society (AED), International Medical Outreach (IMO), and Caribbean-American Medical Education Organization (CAMEO).

Once in Jamaica, I had the chance to immerse myself in a culture that is very different from ours. I was able to see a beautiful country from the vantage point of its locals. I also had the opportunity to work hands-on with patients, shadow physicians, fill prescriptions, and many other things in the unique medical setting. Most importantly, this visit helped me to reaffirm my desire to pursue my dream to become a doctor, myself.

Participating in a Medical Missions trip provided a week's worth of service and a lifetime's worth of memories. This was an extremely fulfilling experience—I not only got to learn a lot about medicine, but I also got to see a different side of Jamaica altogether. **If you're interested in future trips, visit AEDFSU.org or FSUIMO.org.**

Belinda Gavino
Corresponding Secretary



Honorary Member Bio: Dr. Laura Osteen *Director, The LEAD Center*

Laura Osteen is the Director of the **FSU LEAD Center**, a campus-wide endeavor to develop the leadership capacity of all our students. In addition to designing and implementing co-curricular leadership learning programs, Dr. Osteen teaches undergraduate and graduate **leadership courses** in FSU's Educational Leadership program. Dr. Osteen's professional and academic focus is leadership and change within the contexts of individuals, partnerships, teams, and communities. Not only this, but her personal vision is for all FSU students to be enabled and empowered to **create the change they wish to see in the world**.

Dr. Osteen received her **Ph.D.** from the **University of Maryland - College Park** in the field of **College Student Personnel** with an emphasis in leadership and organizational change. She received her master's degree in Student Affairs and Higher Education from **Colorado State University - Fort Collins** and her undergraduate degree is in **Speech Communications from Indiana University - Bloomington**.

Outside of her academic responsibilities, Dr. Osteen has had a **lifelong addiction to college basketball**. She also competed in her first **triathlon** this past summer, and is currently leading how to **Kiteboard** as the advisor to the **FSU Kiteboarding Club**. Dr. Osteen is truly a valuable asset to this wonderful institution, and we are grateful to have her as an honorary member of the illustrious FSU Chapter of Golden Key.

Fabeanne' Collins
Honorary Member Liaison



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2007 Chapter Scholarship Winners

On April 11, we held our Annual Scholarship & Recognition Dinner. At the event, we awarded our scholarships and celebrated the achievements of our members. Thank you to everyone who came out and shared a special evening with FSU Golden Key. Congratulations to our 7 Chapter Scholarship & Award Winners, pictured clockwise from top left:

- **Outstanding Undergraduate Scholar Award:** *Amber Lefstead*
- **Outstanding Volunteer Service Award:** *Candace Young*
- **Outstanding Leadership Award:** *Kahlida Lloyd*
- **Outstanding New Active Member:** *Holli Zoller*
- **Outstanding Senior Active Member:** *Stephanie Moss*
- **Outstanding Senior Member:** *Joshua Alan Ellis* (pictured with Holli & Stephanie)
- **Outstanding New Member:** *Cheri Renee Cox*



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2007 General Elections

Hey, check this out! We're seeing-off many of our graduating senior members this semester, but for those of you who are not graduating now, you have a great opportunity to look forward to in October! At the first General Meeting after Induction Ceremony next academic year, we will hold our General Elections.

This year, we will be holding elections for every position, so everyone will have a chance at any position that we offer. We have 15 different positions available, so there is a position that will help develop anyone personally and professionally. This is a great opportunity that you all should consider. Please don't hesitate to ask me or any of our officers any questions about the upcoming elections. See you next year!

Joshua Alan Ellis

President@fsugoldenkey.com

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11 Scholarship & Recognition Dinner	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19 General Meeting: 7pm, Career Cen- ter	20	21
22	23 BWB	24 BWB	25 BWB	26 BWB Graduate Re- ception: 5:30-7pm, UCA Skybox	27 BWB Commence- ment	28 Commence- ment
29	30					

Notes
