

Sigma Tau Gamma Fraternity
Ellsworth C. Dent
“Man of the Year” Award



Named in honor of Ellsworth C. Dent, Second National President, Delta '22, Emporia State University in Kansas, this award recognizes the top five graduating senior leaders in Sigma Tau Gamma Fraternity.

Ellsworth C. Dent, Delta '22 was a charter member of our chapter, which was chartered at Emporia State University, January 20, 1922. Dent was elected provisional Editor at a planning meeting held October 24-25, 1924 to prepare for the first Grand Conclave (now Grand Chapter). He was elected Grand Editor at that First Conclave, May 30, 1925. He served in that office until December 1927 when he was elected Second National President at the Fourth Conclave. He served nine years, stepping down at the Eighth Conclave in 1936.

The Ellsworth C. Dent “Man of the Year” is listed first (bold type), followed by the runners-up in alphabetical order.

Year	Name	Chapter (University)
2014	Michael Tilley	Epsilon Tau (University of North Carolina at Charlotte)
	Timothy Comes	Beta Xi (Winona State University)
	Josiah D'Albini	Delta (Emporia State University)
	Dylan Howard	Epsilon Psi (Oklahoma State University)
	Tyler Mette	Beta Zeta (University of Central Oklahoma)

- 2012 Joe Gallo**
 Josh Argast
 Mark Mauer, Jr.
 Nate Dixon
 Alex Williams
 Gamma Chi (Michigan Technological University)
 Alpha Phi (Southeast Missouri State University)
 Phi (Southeastern Louisiana University)
 Beta Iota (California University of Pennsylvania)
 Delta Alpha (East Carolina University)
- 2011 Michael McKenzie**
 Gregory D. Weitzel
 Paul Manly
 Matt Kochenower
 Patrick Gotham
 Beta (Truman State University)
 Beta Kappa (University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse)
 Epsilon Rho (Salisbury University)
 Delta (Emporia State University)
 Epsilon Rho (Salisbury University)
- 2010 Zachary Brown**
 Kyle Betts
 Erik Kahl
 Raymond Michaels
 Robert Stretch
 Beta Gamma (Youngstown State University)
 Beta (Truman State University)
 Beta Kappa (University of Wisconsin-La Crosse)
 Beta Gamma (Youngstown State University)
 Beta Alpha (University of Missouri)
- 2009 Jeffrey Eul**
 Nicholas Durse
 Andrew Emig
 Aron McManus
 Chris Skowera
 Gamma Chi (Michigan Technological University)
 Beta Gamma (Youngstown State University)
 Beta Gamma (Youngstown State University)
 Beta Kappa (University of Wisconsin-La Crosse)
 Gamma Theta (University of Missouri-St. Louis)
- 2008 Thomas Krupko**
 David Alexander
 Brian Bina
 Kyle Brown
 Thomas Connell
 Beta Gamma (Youngstown State University)
 Beta Zeta (University of Central Oklahoma)
 Delta (Emporia State University)
 Beta (Truman State University)
 Beta Kappa (University of Wisconsin-La Crosse)
- 2007 Robert S. Engert Jr.**
 Joseph Fischetti
 Clay Parker
 Jeremy Payne
 Kurt Neis
 Gamma Theta (University of Missouri-St. Louis)
 Epsilon Pi (State University of New York – Buffalo)
 Sigma (University of Central Arkansas)
 Beta Gamma (Youngstown State University)
 Delta (Emporia State University)
- 2006 John J. Waterhouse**
 Benjamin P. Biesterveld
 Jeremiah D. King
 Charles J. Sager
 Jonathan G. Sitterley
 Gamma Theta (University of Missouri-St. Louis)
 Gamma Chi (Michigan Technological University)
 Alpha Omega (Missouri University of Science & Technology)
 Beta Zeta (University of Central Oklahoma)
 Delta Rho (Miami University)
- 2005 David A. Vennie**
 Jason T. Carbone
 Joseph P. Lizza
 Christopher S. Noel
 Michael A. Noland
 Gamma Chi (Michigan Technological University)
 Epsilon Lambda (State University of New York – Plattsburgh)
 Epsilon Omicron (Monmouth University)
 Delta (Emporia State University)
 Delta Tau (Indiana State University)

- 2004 Ryan N. Glodo**
 Patrick P. Dippel
 Matthew R. Shipley
 Stephen M. Sweet
 Alpha Phi (Southeast Missouri State University)
 Alpha Omega (Missouri University of Science & Technology)
 Alpha Chi (University of Illinois)
 Epsilon Lambda (State University of New York – Plattsburgh)
- 2003 Kristopher J. Ring**
 Philip R. Brenckle
 Jeffrey J. Parks
 Joseph C. Stump
 Laron K. Williams
 Alpha Delta (Western Illinois University)
 Delta Beta (Duquesne University)
 Beta Gamma (Youngstown State University)
 Alpha Theta (Eastern Michigan University)
 Beta Chi (University of Nebraska-Kearney)
- 2002 Ryan M. Raven**
 Benjamin R. Askew
 Christopher C. Lagrone
 Michael J. Museousky
 Justin C. Varland
 Epsilon (Pittsburg State University)
 Beta (Truman State University)
 Delta Iota (University of Southern Arkansas)
 Delta (Emporia State University)
 Lambda (Black Hills State University)
- 2001 Tyler M. Dykes**
 James S. Johnston
 David W. Lambert
 Albert A Lorenzi III
 Jesse C. Tuel
 Alpha (University of Central Missouri)
 Delta Xi (Carnegie Mellon University)
 Epsilon Theta (Plymouth State University)
 Delta Psi (Robert Morris University)
 Delta (Emporia State University)
- 2000 David J. Peavler**
 David K. Barner
 Jason J. Brooks
 Justin J. Kirk
 Andrew M. Roth
 Delta (Emporia State University)
 Alpha (University of Central Missouri)
 Gamma Chi (Michigan Technological University)
 Beta Chi (University of Nebraska-Kearney)
 Beta (Truman State University)
- 1999 John P. Hascall**
 Daniel W. Henson
 Paul E. Jarzembowski
 Michael J. Laquere
 Darrell H. Norton
 Beta Chi (University of Nebraska-Kearney)
 Alpha (University of Central Missouri)
 Beta Lambda (Valparaiso University)
 Gamma Chi (Michigan Technological University)
 Delta Omicron (Christopher Newport University)
- 1998 Adam B. Watson**
 Derek T. Shankland
 Mark P. Stegman
 Jerald R. Swanson
 Jeffrey Tabor
 Alpha Delta (Western Illinois University)
 Beta Zeta (University of Central Oklahoma)
 Beta Chi (University of Nebraska-Kearney)
 Alpha (University of Central Missouri)
 Gamma Chi (Michigan Technological University)
- 1997 Scott C. Howard**
 William Brown III
 Chris J. Harrison
 Randy Hoffman
 Chad Moore
 Delta (Emporia State University)
 Alpha (University of Central Missouri)
 Gamma Psi (Illinois State University)
 Delta (Emporia State University)
 Beta (Truman State University)

- 1996 Scott Jiran**
 Chad Wolbers
 John Ector
 Chad Stockel
 Joshua Tyson
 Gamma Chi (Michigan Technological University)
 Beta (Truman State University)
 Beta Lambda (Valparaiso University)
 Beta (Truman State University)
 Delta (Emporia State University)
- 1995 Dan Hubert**
 Darren Deering
 Chris Gould
 Kevin Reed
 Ryan Williams
 Delta (Emporia State University)
 Beta (Truman State University)
 Alpha (University of Central Missouri)
 Sigma (University of Central Arkansas)
 Beta Chi (University of Nebraska-Kearney)
- 1994 Paul A. Vitale**
 George Hertner
 James T. Johnson
 Brad Lacy
 Randy Travis
 Sigma (University of Central Arkansas)
 Beta Chi (University of Nebraska-Kearney)
 Beta (Truman State University)
 Sigma (University of Central Arkansas)
 Phi (Southeastern Louisiana University)
- 1993 Chris Burrows**
 Trey Horton
 Drew Hurt
 Chad Smith
 James Solomon
 Psi (Central Michigan University)
 Beta Chi (University of Nebraska-Kearney)
 Delta Psi (Robert Morris University)
 Beta (Truman State University)
 Gamma Tau (Millersville University of Pennsylvania)
- 1992 Tim Minnis**
 Seth Blau
 Jason Camp
 Paul Phillips
 Tim Werth
 Epsilon (Pittsburg State University)
 Alpha Nu (State University of New York College at Oneonta)
 Gamma Psi (Illinois State University)
 Phi (Southeastern Louisiana University)
 Delta (Emporia State University)
- 1991 Christopher J. Mauer**
 Michael James Hubert
 Dwayne M. Judice
 Keith Allen Svagerko
 J. Patrick Thornton
 Phi (Southeastern Louisiana University)
 Delta (Emporia State University)
 Phi (Southeastern Louisiana University)
 Sigma (University of Central Arkansas)
 Beta (Truman State University)
- 1990 Joe Stehr**
 Kip Anderson
 Mike Belew
 Mitch Kallay
 David Sitar
 Beta Zeta (University of Central Oklahoma)
 Beta Chi (University of Nebraska-Kearney)
 Delta (Emporia State University)
 Beta Omega (Edinboro University of Pennsylvania)
 Delta Xi (Carnegie Mellon University)
- 1989 Scott J. Williams**
 Tim A. Anderson
 Michael J. Cohen
 Andrew M. Terry Jr.
 Kevin S. Wright
 Gamma Psi (Illinois State University)
 Beta Chi (University of Nebraska-Kearney)
 Alpha Sigma (Southern Illinois University)
 Beta Omega (Edinboro University of Pennsylvania)
 Mu (Southeastern Oklahoma State University)

- 1988 Mark A. Biberstein**
Edward C. Bonora
Jeffrey B. Dittenhafer
Thomas D. Meiron
Jeffrey S. Russo
Delta (Emporia State University)
Delta Pi (University of Pittsburgh-Johnstown)
Gamma Tau (Millersville University of Pennsylvania)
Gamma Psi (Illinois State University)
Delta Xi (Carnegie Mellon University)
- 1987 Michael B. Hakke**
Douglas S. Bomberger
Steven E. Grubbs
Paul Vandersteen
Timothy Ward
Gamma Mu (University of Missouri-Kansas City)
Gamma Tau (Millersville University of Pennsylvania)
Delta Lambda (University of Iowa)
Delta Lambda (University of Iowa)
Beta Omega (Edinboro University of Pennsylvania)
- 1986 William H. Byrd**
Tracy Davis
Robert S. Hauser
James D. Meehan
Robert E. Patterson
Mark S. Smith
Sigma (University of Central Arkansas)
Delta Lambda (University of Iowa)
Alpha Chi (University of Illinois)
Alpha Phi (Southeast Missouri State University)
Delta Epsilon (Texas State University)
Alpha (University of Central Missouri)
- 1985 Thomas C. Morgan**
Jerry Enyeart
John H. Heiman
Kelly Huether
Charles Scalise
Phi (Southeastern Louisiana University)
Delta Kappa (Missouri Western State University)
Alpha (University of Central Missouri)
Lambda (Black Hills State University)
Beta (Truman State University)
- 1984 Gregory S. Brown**
Michael J. McMahon
Johnny Pitts
Mark W. Thordyke
Bobby Tab Townsell
Beta (Truman State University)
Beta Lambda (Valparaiso University)
Tau (East Central Oklahoma University)
Gamma Psi (Illinois State University)
Sigma (University of Central Arkansas)
- 1983 Thomas Harris**
Greg Hall
Russ Hauck
Michael Johns
R. Carl Mueller
Epsilon (Pittsburg State University)
Gamma Phi (University of Southern Indiana)
Gamma Psi (Illinois State University)
Alpha Chi (University of Illinois)
Beta (Truman State University)
- 1982 David G. Braverman**
David Moore
Gary Owen
Douglas Schmidt
Rob B. Shults
Beta Alpha (University of Missouri)
Pi (Indiana University of Pennsylvania)
Rho (State University of New York College at Buffalo)
Phi (Southeastern Louisiana University)
Beta (Truman State University)

- 1981 D. W. Cole**
 John Atten
 Mark Hampton
 Michael Liberatore
 Paul Szczesny
- Beta (Truman State University)
 Alpha Chi (University of Illinois)
 Sigma (University of Central Arkansas)
 Rho (State University of New York College at Buffalo)
 Gamma Chi (Michigan Technological University)
- 1980 Alberto M. Segre**
 Paul H. Cady
 Larry A. Dowell
 Stephen M. Elefson
 James L. Keller
- Alpha Chi (University of Illinois)
 Beta Rho (Moorhead State University)
 Beta Zeta (University of Central Oklahoma)
 Beta (Truman State University)
 Rho (State University of New York College at Buffalo)
- 1979 J. Gregory Rumpf**
 Ronald P. Adrian
 Scott J. Blum
 Charles D. Mills
 Jack V. Sears
- Beta (Truman State University)
 Alpha (University of Central Missouri)
 Alpha Alpha (Eastern Illinois University)
 Beta Zeta (University of Central Oklahoma)
 Gamma Omega (Baylor University)
- 1978 Dominick Savaiano**
 F. Keith Bell
 John W. Calaway
 Bruce P. Groves
 Dan L. Rutherford
- Alpha Chi (University of Illinois)
 Sigma (University of Central Arkansas)
 Upsilon (University of Arkansas at Monticello)
 Beta Rho (Moorhead State University)
 Gamma Psi (Illinois State University)
- 1977 Joel Foster**
 Philip C. Bailey
 H. Keith Crow
 Steven A. Engelhaupt
 Timothy Henry
- Upsilon (University of Arkansas at Monticello)
 Omega (Missouri State University)
 Delta (Emporia State University)
 Alpha Mu (Chadron State College)
 Gamma Delta (Minot State University)
- 1976 Denis E. Starner**
 Richard Darrah
 Gene Merry
 Jeffrey E. Ritz
 Ronald J. Schroeder
- Beta Epsilon (Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania)
 Beta (Truman State University)
 Delta (Emporia State University)
 Beta Chi (University of Nebraska-Kearney)
 Gamma Theta (University of Missouri-St. Louis)
- 1975 Donald E. Oswald**
 Douglas D. Hanley
 Edward A. Johnson
 Joseph B. Koscielniak
 N. Ronald Sutherland
 Ricky D. Upton
- Beta Phi (Southwestern Oklahoma State University)
 Gamma Tau (Millersville University of Pennsylvania)
 Alpha Mu (Chadron State College)
 Beta Beta (Alliance College)
 Sigma (University of Central Arkansas)
 Beta (Truman State University)
- 1974 Roy K. Vaughn**
 Roderick Lincoln
 Lowell Lindstrom
 Larry Ruzicha
- Sigma (University of Central Arkansas)
 Phi (Southeastern Louisiana University)
 Gamma Nu (University of Wisconsin-River Falls)
 Alpha Mu (Chadron State College)

- 1973 Wayne E. Williams**
 Boyd Conzemius
 Darold Frenzen
 Wayne Learned
 Roger L. Undlin
 Beta Epsilon (Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania)
 Lambda (Black Hills State University)
 Beta (Truman State University)
 Zeta (Northeastern Oklahoma State University)
 Gamma Delta (Minot State University)
- 1972 Jerry J. Hynes**
 Duaine L. Amundson
 James R. Boyle
 Jimmy W. Peacock
 Ronald L. Young
 Beta Chi (University of Nebraska-Kearney)
 Beta Rho (Moorhead State University)
 Beta Sigma (St. Cloud University)
 Upsilon (University of Arkansas at Monticello)
 Lambda (Black Hills State University)
- 1971 Jerry Hood**
 Robert E. Bernier
 Donald J. Kilander
 William J. Lehr
 Sidney H. Stauffer
 Lambda (Black Hills State University)
 Iota (Kent State University)
 Beta Rho (Moorhead State University)
 Alpha Mu (Chadron State College)
 Alpha Phi (Southeast Missouri State University)
- 1970 Ronald Loewen**
 Ralph J. Charley
 Thomas M. Hanson
 M. Dennis Hoelzel
 Al Warot
 Delta (Emporia State University)
 Gamma Delta (Minot State University)
 Gamma Xi (University of Wisconsin-Platteville)
 Alpha Sigma (Southern Illinois University)
 Gamma Zeta (Northern Arizona University)
- 1969 Leon Westbrook**
 Ronald W. Erickson
 Karl P. Kargle
 Michael D. Legendre
 Larry R. Stanfield
 Beta Sigma (St. Cloud University)
 Beta Psi (University of Wisconsin-Superior)
 Beta Iota (California University of Pennsylvania)
 Phi (Southeastern Louisiana University)
 Upsilon (University of Arkansas at Monticello)
- 1968 John R. Riopelle**
 Thomas G. Anderson Jr.
 Daniel R. Costello
 R. G. Opgenorth
 Michael E. Tripp
 Gamma Gamma (St. Norbert College)
 Sigma (University of Central Arkansas)
 Beta Chi (University of Nebraska-Kearney)
 Beta Mu (University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh)
 Psi (Central Michigan University)
- 1967 W. P. Buz Barlow Jr.**
 J. Robert Burger
 Richard C. King
 John W. Theisen
 Andrew H. VanDeVen
 Beta Mu (University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh)
 Delta (Emporia State University)
 Sigma (University of Central Arkansas)
 Gamma Delta (Minot State University)
 Gamma Gamma (St. Norbert College)
- 1966 James J. Benedict**
 Johnny C. Godwin
 James R. Muskopf
 Jack A. Speer Jr.
 Thomas C. Wood
 Beta Rho (Moorhead State University)
 Beta Zeta (University of Central Oklahoma)
 Alpha Beta (Harris-Stowe State University)
 Delta (Emporia State University)
 Alpha Phi (Southeast Missouri State University)