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## DIRECTOR'S CORNER

Dear Alumni and Friends,

As the 2000-2001 academic year closes and the 2001-2002 academic year begins, the School of Construction has completed 35 years of excellence. Many people and organizations have played vital roles in starting and sustaining this program. All of those involved can be proud of the program that exists today.

Industry and alumni involvement remains one of the great strengths of this program. On February 9, 2001, the Industry Advisory Council's Strategic Planning Committee met in Little Rock, Ark., to draft a strategic plan for the School of Construction. Our thanks go out to Don Greenland and Nabholz Construction for hosting the meeting. The draft was presented to the full Industry Advisory Council on April 27, 2001. Input from industry, faculty, and university administration has now been solicited. It is expected that the final draft will be ready for the Fall meeting of the Industry Advisory Council.

The upcoming Fall semester will bring a new face to the faculty of the School of Construction. I am pleased to announce the addition of Mr. Bobby Ensminger ('73 graduate) as a tenure-track

Assistant Professor. His expertise in the area of construction management will be a great asset to this program.

The construction industry continues its outstanding support of this program. Through the generosity of Don and Fran Beach and the Board of Regents' Endowed Professorship program, the Don Beach Endowed Professorship in Construction has been established. This brings to four the number of Board of Regents Endowed Professorships in the School of Construction.

Thanks to an equipment grant awarded jointly by the Dallas AGC and the Louisiana Contractor's Educational Trust Fund, we have enhanced our CAD software and obtained new computers for each of our faculty. Additionally, we were approved for the second year of funding for the Louisiana Department of Natural Resources "Energy Audit Program."

Our efforts to become more involved with our public utilities have resulted in a "Digger's Night Out" program second to none. What began as an attempt to work more closely with the Ouachita Parish Joint Utility Council has now developed into a statewide effort between the Louisiana

OneCall program and the School of Construction to help establish "Digger's Night Out" in all areas of the State.

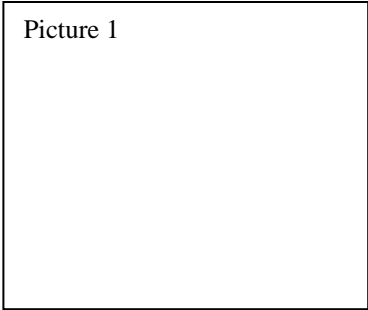
Dr. Mervin Kontrovitz, Dean of the College of Pure and Applied Sciences, has submitted his resignation and will step down as Dean in August 2001. Dr. Kontrovitz has been a friend of the School of Construction and we wish him well with his return to the classroom.

I would like to thank all of those who have participated with and contributed to the success of the school of Construction during this past year. By everyone working together, we can continue the tradition of excellence, which has been established during the past 35 years.

Dr. Keith A. Parker  
Director

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**ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT: Ken Holland, '69. President, Delta Concrete, Inc.**



This semester, the guest of our Alumni Spotlight column is a graduate of the class of 1969. Ken Holland was born in Baton Rouge, La., in November 1946, after his dad returned from World War II. That same year, the Holland family moved to Denham Springs to start Delta Concrete Products Co., Inc.

"My father and two associates he had worked with before the war started Delta Concrete to make concrete blocks for housing. They figured that concrete block housing for returning servicemen would be in great demand," Holland recalls.

Ken Holland went to public schools in Denham Springs, La., and received a football scholarship to ULM (at the time Northeast Louisiana State College, later NLU) lettering in football from 1964 to 1967. He finished in the Fall of 1968 and graduated in January 1969. Ken Holland was in the second graduating class of the School of Construction.

Holland recalls several major steps in his career. "After majoring in Business Administration for two years, I was looking for something to specialize in. I heard about Building Construction during the summer while I was working for Ford, Bacon and Davis Construction. I made an appointment to interview the new Director, Thurman Potts, about the new program. This was the major first step."

Then, "before graduation, during the Vietnam era, I realized that I should face my military commitment, so I signed up for Naval OCS, and four years later, left the Navy as a Lieutenant. This was an excellent management experience for me to have 10 to 20 people under my supervision at age 23-25."

"Upon returning from the military, I contacted Thurman Potts and asked for a list of companies that had been interviewing on campus. I wrote to several of them, interviewed, and accepted an offer to work for Luther Hill & Associates in Dallas, Texas. I worked for LH&A for four years and gained valuable construction experience in commercial building construction."

Ken Holland then returned to Baton Rouge in 1976 to run the family business with his father who was reaching age 65. He started a general contracting company in 1980 specializing in commercial construction.

Today, Ken Holland acts as President/CEO of Delta Concrete, Inc., with a Vice-President/CFO, Sales Manager, Operations Manager, and Maintenance Supervisor reporting to him on various day-to-day movements inside the company. Holland reviews all mix designs, job pricing, job cost, and is responsible for maintaining profitability within the company.

"The accounting, risk and insurance, business communication, and business law courses all help with any business. The surveying, estimating, scheduling, and structures classes help with everyday construction," Holland said.

Holland has been involved with the Industry Advisory Council since 1992. "We have a good program at ULM, but it could and should be a "great" program. Alumni need to be involved to be sure

that the state is supporting the premier construction school in the state. Alumni should help us promote the ULM School of Construction more. The Advisory Council regularly meets with the University Administration to highlight the problems that need to be addressed to ensure that the School gets stronger support."

Ken Holland met his wife, Carol Glover Holland, a 1968 graduate of ULM in Home Economics, while at Northeast. They have been married 35 years and have two girls. Christy (25), a 1999 graduate of ULM, resides in Monroe, La., and Lori (30), a 1994 graduate of LSU, resides in Nashville, Tn.

**Delta Concrete, Inc.**

Founded in January 1946 by V.L. Holland and two associates, Delta Concrete specializes in concrete blocks for housing, as well as pre-cast steps, house piers, and stairways, which Delta held a patent on.

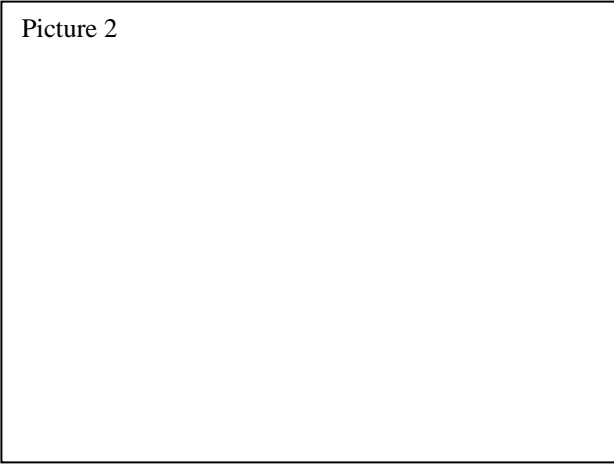
In 1953, with houses changing to a concrete slab on grade, Delta could see that steps and house piers would be a declining market, so they made the shift into providing ready mix concrete. From a two-truck fleet, having its materials hauled in by others, Delta has grown to a 50-truck fleet that hauls all of its own materials in and out.

Delta serves a six-parish market area that makes up Metro-Baton Rouge, Louisiana with four concrete plant locations. All plants are computer-controlled and all scheduling is done by computer.

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## INDUSTRY ADVISORY COUNCIL

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The Industry Advisory Council met on April 27, 2001, at the ULM School of Construction. The members of the council held successive meetings with the School of Construction faculty, the Dean of Pure and Applied Sciences, the students, and representatives of the ULM Foundation to discuss the present and future direction of the School of Construction.

The Advisory Council nominated six ULM School of Construction graduates for IAC membership:

Greg Allen, '91	Jerry Fields, '77
David Dumas, '75	John Kent, '94
Shannon Earls, '91	Kyle Kent, '92

Present were: (left to right, top row) Chip Carlson, Larry Favalora, Richard Nelson, Chuck Penn, Steve Terrill, Scott Thompson, Ken Holland, and Charles Poole, IAC Chairman. (Front row) Dr. Keith Parker, Steven Hallman, David Dorsch, Don Beach, and Thurman Potts.

The next Industry Advisory Council will be held October 5, 2001, at ULM. Homecoming will be the following day.

If you are interested in becoming a member of the Advisory Council, please contact Dr. Keith Parker at (318) 342-1860 or E-mail: [coparker@ulm.edu](mailto:coparker@ulm.edu)

### ULM attends Energy Efficiency Forum

Dr. Keith Parker, Director of the School of Construction; Vanessa Prevost, assistant to the Endowed Chair; and Adriana Valderrama, Energy Audit Program research assistant, attended the Rebuild America National Forum 2001, in Atlanta, Ga., to promote, improve and gain new insights on the Energy Audit Program run by the ULM School of Construction in coordination with the Louisiana Department of Natural Resources.

The purpose of the Energy Audit Program is to collect, process, and interpret data on energy systems and buildings to increase energy efficiency, and to assist participants in implementing recommended energy conservation measures. Initially, the primary targets of the Energy Audit Program were buildings operated by the University of Louisiana at Monroe. Two years into the program, the Louisiana DNR in conjunction with the School of Construction decided that future efforts should be focused on K-12 school buildings where energy efficiency can be improved.

Rebuild America is funded by the US Department of Energy and designed to help communities find energy and resource solutions that reduce costs and improve the environment for all building sectors. The Rebuild America National Forum occurs every 18 months in host cities across America. The convention was held March 13-16, 2001, in the Westin Hotel Plaza in downtown Atlanta, Ga.

### NEW FACULTY MEMBER

The School of Construction is glad to welcome its newest faculty member, Bobby Ensminger. Starting in the Fall of 2001, Ensminger will be teaching construction management and techniques.

Ensminger graduated from the ULM School of Construction in 1973. He received his Master's in Education from ULM in 1988, and his Education Specialist's Degree also from ULM in 1990.

During the past seven years, Ensminger worked as a project manager and manager of the Monroe branch office of Lincoln Builders, Inc. Ensminger was affiliated with numerous projects such as the ULM Library, the West Monroe horse pavilion, the South Side Elementary School in West Monroe, CenturyTel projects, and the renovation of the Glenwood Medical Mall.

Ensminger served six years as a secondary school teacher, teaching science and math at Fort Necessity High School in Franklin parish. He received the NBC National Teacher's Award for Excellence in Teaching.

Born in Baton Rouge, Bobby Ensminger was raised in Franklin Parish, where he still resides with his wife. They have three grown children. One of them, Joe, graduated from the ULM construction program in May 2001. Ensminger is also a Biblical Pastor at the Baptist Church in Gilbert, La.

- **AGC Annual Convention**

The AGC's 82<sup>nd</sup> Annual Convention and Constructor Exposition was held March 21-25, 2001, in Nashville, Tn. Twelve students from the ULM School of Construction attended the event: Robert Hammack (Guild President); Josh Tuberville (Vice-President); Dennis Brown (Secretary, and *Sigma Lambda Chi* President); Charlie Monk; Keith Keller; Bryan Tassin; Lisa Holland; Randy Bentz; Oscar Bejarano; Robert Roegner; Wes Self; and Curtis Meeks. The students were accompanied by Dr. Hollis Bray.

- **Guild Officers**

The Guild elections took place April 4, 2001. The new officers are:

President	Charlie Monk
Vice-President	Keith Keller
Secretary	Lisa Holland
AGC	Mark Rockett
NAHB	Collin Dunn

- **Sigma Lambda Chi Initiation/Awards**

The Xi Chapter of *Sigma Lambda Chi* held its Initiation and Awards Ceremony on March 16, 2001. Herb McCaskill, *Sigma Lambda Chi* Advisor, Dr. Hollis Bray, Dr. David Manry, and approximately 20 students attended the event. The election of the new officers was followed by a barbecue dinner.

The officers for 2000-2001 were:

President	Dennis Brown
Vice-President	Bryan Tassin
Pledge Trainer	Chris Guice

The new officers for 2001-2002 are:

President	Charlie Monk
Vice-President	Brad Augustine
Pledge Trainer	Chris Guice

Dennis Brown received both awards for "Outstanding Graduate, Spring 2001"; and "Graduate with Highest G.P.A."

- **Upcoming Events**

Digger's Night Out will take place Thursday, October 25, 2001, at the ULM Library.

The next Industry Advisory Council will be held October 5, 2001, at the ULM School of Construction.

Homecoming will be October 6, 2001.

- **AGC Golf Tournament**

The 7<sup>th</sup> annual Thurman Potts/AGC Golf Tournament and Spring Barbecue took place April 6, 2001, at Calvert Crossing Golf Club. Each year, all proceeds from this event go towards funding the Thurman Potts/AGC Scholarship at the ULM School of Construction. Approximately 140 people participated in this year's tournament. The winning team was made of Paul Nelson, Randy Rhymes, Jamie Rawls from Hertz Equipment Rental, and David Leslie from Denmon Engineering.

After a careful review of the applications and interviews, the selecting committee announced that the recipient of the Thurman Potts Scholarship for 2001-2002 is Collin Dunn from Columbia, La.

The ULM School of Construction thanks the following sponsors for their contributions that made this event possible:

Corporate sponsors: Acme Brick & Tile; Breck Construction; Dupuy Flooring & Acous.; Fitzgerald Contractors; Hertz Equipment Rental; Jackson Ready Mix; Lincoln Builders; Manry/Derbonne; Ranger Steel Erectors; Russell-Moore Lumber; Owens Contracting Corp.; Sunbelt Fire Protection; United Rentals; and Willstaff Worldwide.

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Prizes & Beverages Sponsors: Arkansas Stone & Masonry; Bayou Wood Products; Community Trust Bank; Cross Keys Bank; Don Leach Construction; North La. Roofing Supply; Northside Automotive; Ouachita Joint Utility Council; and Keith and Gigi Parker.

Helpers: Randy Bentz, Dennis Brown, Lisa Holland, Charlie Monk, Jason Pierce, Mark Rockett from the Construction Guild, and Vanessa Prevost.

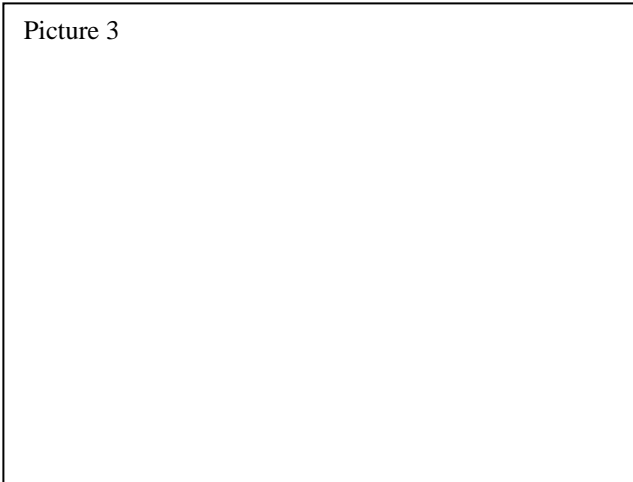
For more upcoming events,  
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- **Guild's Extra Mile Wheel Chair Ramp**

Five Construction Guild students volunteered their time on April 7, 2001, to build a wheel chair ramp for the Extra Mile Project. The Extra Mile is a house in which individuals with special needs spend time during the day. It is located on St John Street in downtown Monroe. The Director of Extra Mile, Jean Hartzog, got in touch with the construction students to ask for their help. The students involved were Dennis Brown, Robert Hammack, Glenn Moore, Mark Rockett, and Bryan Tassin. They were responsible for researching the requirements for the ramp; drawing the plans; interacting with the Fire Marshall; and estimating material and costs. They constructed the ramp in four hours and kept the cost under \$400.

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- **Beach Endowed Professorship**

Don Beach, President of Steel Fabricators of Monroe, Inc., presented ULM with a check of \$60,000 to establish an endowed professorship in the School of Construction. The Endowed Professorship was set up in December 2000. It was submitted to the Board of Regents to be matched and to officially establish the \$100,000 Beach Endowed Professorship in the School of Construction.

- **Crawfish Boil**

The Guild's Crawfish boil took place on Saturday, April 28, 2001. This year, the sun was shining. Numerous alumni came out to meet the students; play horseshoes and volleyball; and to enjoy beverages and suck on those mudbugs! We look forward to seeing you next year! In the meantime, you can check out the pictures on our web site at :

<http://www.ulm.edu/construction>

- **First ULM Construction Graduate Returns to Teach**

This past spring semester, Carl Cloessner, class of '68, returned to ULM to teach estimates. Cloessner was the first graduate of the School of Construction. He enrolled in the Fall semester of 1966 after he was released from military service, and graduated in August 1968. That year, three people graduated from the newly created program.

Upon graduation, Cloessner went to work for A.C. Breck and Bridges Construction and worked there until the company was sold to its current owner in 1980. In 1983, Cloessner started his own company, CBC, Inc. CBC, Inc. specializes in restoration-type work on private homes and commercial buildings such as repairing water, wind and fire damages among others.

This wasn't the first time that Cloessner returned to teach. Back in the seventies, he taught estimating and construction materials at ULM for two years.

Cloessner was on the American Institute of Constructors' Board of Directors for 15 years. " I developed very strong friendships with a lot of people from small and multi-national companies," Cloessner said. "You learn a lot from the problems that other people worked through. It's always good to keep an open communication with your peers so you can share experience and knowledge. Other graduates should not be seen as competitors, instead they make it easier for you to learn your field, and you can help them too. It's a give and take situation. Everyone involved with the American Institute of Constructors is equal, that's why it's a very good thing to become more active."

- **Women in Construction**

The Shreveport-Bossier Chapter of the National Association of Women in Construction (NAWIC) hosted its 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Construction Industry "Roast" on Thursday, March 8, 2001, at the Shreveport Country Club to celebrate the official "Women in Construction Week" (March 4 through 10). During the event, Hilda Williams presented Dr. Keith Parker with a \$500 financial gift to support the ULM construction students. Jenina Perkins from Shreveport and Vicki Ogle from Monroe, both construction management juniors, attended the event to represent the women in construction at ULM.

NAWIC is an international association that promotes and supports the advancement and employment of women in the construction industry.

**ALUMNI UPDATES**

**Bailey, Randy, '85**  
 President/ CEO, Sigma Construction, LLC, Jena, LA.  
 In December 2000, Randy Bailey was selected as the Small Business Person of the Year for District Number Six by the Department of Economic Development of the State of Louisiana.

**Dumas, David C., '75**  
 President, B.A.S. Construction Co., Inc., Rayville, LA.

**Earls, Shannon W., '91**  
 Senior Project Manager, CDI Contractors, LLC, Little Rock, AR.

**Ferguson, Gary B., '74**  
 Vice-President, Melvin Butler, Inc., Shreveport, LA., and "2001 President of the Shreveport Chapter AGC."

**Loftin, Curtis M., '76**  
 President, Curtis M. Loftin Builder, LLC, Shreveport, LA.  
 Curtis Loftin was installed as president of the Home Builders Association of Shreveport-Bossier on Dec. 15, leading an organization of more than 525 member firms. Loftin has been in

the residential construction and restoration industry for more than 24 years. Curtis M. Loftin Builder, LLC, specializes in custom homes and builds about 10 per year. Loftin is a member of the Board of Realtors and the Better Business Bureau. Loftin is vice president of the Mudbugs Booster Club, chairman of the ADA Tour de Cure and a member of the Building and Grounds Committee at Summer Grove Baptist Church. He is also active in the American Diabetes Association Walk-A-Thon. Loftin will represent Shreveport on the Presidents Council of the Louisiana Home Builders Association and the National Association of Home Builders.

**Mitchell, Tim, Fall '83**  
 Co-owner, President, Mitchell and Appleby Contractors (MAC), Inc., Trout, LA. "I followed construction from 1983 to 1998. I worked for Peter Kiewit Sons, Pacific Continental Builders, Cogun Industries, National Industrial Constructors (subsidiary of Rust International), TCB Construction, Johnson

Controls, and Roy Anderson Corp. I moved back to the Jena, La., area (home) and started a family business back in 1998. We move houses and do foundation repair work. We are looking to expand into more construction work (if time will allow). Thank the Lord, business has been great."

**Powers, Bo, '90**  
 Vice-President, Panel Truss Texas, Longview, TX.  
 "In business with brother Donnie, also an ULM (NLU) graduate, doing multi-family projects with ULM grads at JPI, Greystar located in Houston, and Brisben Dev. in Dallas."

**Powers, Donnie, '83**  
 President, Panel Truss Texas, Longview, TX.

**Ragan, Brian, '88**  
 President, Ragan Builders, Inc., West Monroe, LA.

**Rhymes, Randy, Spring '94**  
 Outside Sales Representative, Hertz Equipment Rental, Monroe, LA.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR  
 MAY 2001 GRADUATES**

<p><b>Jon Paul Aponas</b>  <b>Cory J. Babineaux</b>  <b>Marty Lee Bass</b>  <b>James J. Brakefield</b>  <b>Dennis A. Brown</b>  <b>Gregory W. Davis</b>  <b>Eric E. Deloach</b>  <b>Samuel O. Echols, Jr.</b>  <b>Joseph W. Ensminger</b>  <b>Kennie Lanne Fouts</b></p>	<p><b>Stephen A. Gentry</b>  <b>Bradley C. Harrison</b>  <b>Andrew M. Hendrixson</b>  <b>Bozo Markovic</b>  <b>Jeremy H. Moreno</b>  <b>Brandon J. Ray</b>  <b>Cody W. Rials</b>  <b>Edwin K. Rios</b>  <b>Danny W. Williamson</b></p>
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**SHARE YOUR NEWS!**

Keep in touch with former classmates and find out what other construction graduates are doing. It's great to hear from you.

Fill out and return the form on page 8 to have your news published in the next issue!

## WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

**WE NEED YOU!** Help us locate and contact the following "missing" School of Construction alumni so they can receive their copy of the *Groundbreaker* and be informed about what is going on with their School.

**1968**

Danny L. Everett  
Buford J. Gauthier  
Frank M. Pennebaker

**1969**

Harvey T. Buford  
Rodney M. Collins  
William E. Cruse  
Wendell Dorman  
Louis C. Floyd  
George H. Gaharan  
Thomas A. Head  
Rodney E. Howington  
Dallas R. Lee  
James N. McGill  
Randall D. Pickens  
Jerry J. Vega  
Howard H. Yates

**1970**

Ralph K. Brazzel  
Dewey H. Burt  
Teddy J. Curole  
Carla Johnson  
Raymond T. Sims

**1971**

Randolph E. Bowles  
Robert A. Browning  
Harvey M. Clanton  
Philip P. Corvino  
Terry L. Gore  
Ciril G. Job  
Charles T. Johnson  
Curtis M. Johnson  
Bruce A. Protzeller  
Marcel I. Rivera  
John D. Shipman  
Kenneth J. Snee  
Jerry J. Stewart  
Michael W. Turner  
Thomas H. Weeks  
Ronald E. White  
Harry E. Wilson

**1972**

Arthur K. Barron  
James B. Blansett  
Billy J. Haynes  
Douglas L. Jones  
Lonnie L. Mahoney  
William R. Marsalis  
John C. Mouton  
William F. Ryan  
Frank C. Suchy

Larry D. Twiner  
Donald E. Wells  
Wane Wood

**1973**

Arthur C. Blades  
John B. Caldwell  
Rex D. Crane  
Edward E. Evans  
Paul D. Gandy  
Leon C. Hart  
David J. Jones  
Dennis V. Mechatto  
Mark W. Nelson  
Ronald A. Sharp  
Donald R. Spicer  
Richard A. Thienel

**1974**

George P. Adams  
Rudy Aikens  
Robert F. Burkett  
Riad A. Chebab  
David H. Cook  
Joel O. Elmore  
James P. Flynn  
Donald T. Kerst  
Jimmy L. Mayes  
Rudy J. Rivera  
Volin R. Savage  
Michael D. Vance  
Kenneth L. Wingo

**1975**

Roger A. Basco  
George A. Beaver  
Richard M. Butler  
Charles R. Chris  
Joseph W. Cocreham  
Johnnie H. Fuller  
Larice E. Hatcher  
Kenton L. Lottinger  
Ronald B. Malone  
Robert T. Martin  
Thomas R. McDaniel  
Nathanael W. Mixon  
John J. Pruettt  
Mark L. Reed  
John R. Ross  
Rayford J. Wright

**1976**

Arthur D. Davidson  
Claude R. Eppinette  
Robert T. Graff

Philip A. Landry  
Van E. Leigh  
James A. Lemoine  
Wing W. Poon  
Roger G. Richardson  
Isaac Robinson  
Rickie L. Shoemaker  
William A. Stampley  
Kevin R. Thornton  
Jerry W. Tichenor  
Harvey E. White

**1977**

Gary L. Black  
Mark J. Castellana  
Carey W. Franklin  
Farouq A. Hasan  
Leonard C. Held  
John N. Hutchings  
Robert N. Johnson  
Kenneth W. Lambert  
William A. Lejeune  
John D. Pauley  
James I. Robinson  
Mark B. Wagley  
Henry L. White

**1978**

Rohn M. Boone  
Michael W. Drennan  
Gene A. Garrison  
William M. Henger  
Thomas M. Weems  
Phillip L. Wright

**1979**

Robert O. Baker  
William F. Darden  
Norman D. Dean  
Martin L. Hendrix  
Charles W. Hogg  
Steven W. Jones  
Donald L. Kennedy  
David G. Kirkland  
Bruce D. Moore  
Mark M. Turner  
Danny R. Yates

**1980**

Frank A. Arceneaux  
Jeffrey S. Bazer  
L.P. Brossette  
Bobby V. Davis  
Michael Delcambre  
Rickey L. Lavigne

William Leatherman  
Kenneth S. Patrick  
Teresa A. Stansbury  
Charles D. Traxler  
Larry D. Ward  
Farid Yaghmaei

**1981**

Charles E. Burris  
Andrew C. Carroll  
William M. Cook  
Mark S. Davis  
Gregg S. Frischhertz  
Aderemi I. Ladotum  
John M. Leblanc  
Brian Lowery  
Michael A. McGraw  
Nicholas C. Sylvestri

**1982**

Randy J. Menard  
Brian E. Smith  
Lawrence C. Vercher  
Michael J. Walden  
Mckinley B. Wilson

**1983**

Ira L. Branch  
Michael S. Douglas  
Terry W. Gee  
Kenneth R. Holloway  
Timothy F. King  
Gregory E. Landry  
Ronald L. Mayfield  
Lasisi O. Mohammed  
Jeffrey D. Newsome  
Gregory C. Pippin  
Roger S. Short  
Donald L. Smith  
Kenneth T Van Tassel  
Timothy W. Walker

**1984**

Loyd D. Acreman  
Mark D. Antley  
James A. Boyd  
Waverly T. Calamia  
Jeffrey J. Cannatella  
Raymond A. Crowell  
Brian P. Leblanc  
Jerry D. McCoy  
John G. Melancon  
Barry D. Perkins  
Don K. Shands  
Kelcy Thomas

Leon Wilks

**1985**

Don M. Chapman  
Thomas E. Dunn  
Craig Gum  
Michael D. Hill  
Rodney J. Horn  
Eng H. Lim  
Robert D. Moser

**1986**

Arturo F. Abiera  
Lyle N. Kerry  
William E. Ledoux  
Kent R. Long  
Lyle V. Perkins  
Michael A. Smith

**1987**

Edward K. Hobbs  
Scott Leslie  
Stephen E. Lishman  
Frank E. Moore  
Boon S. Ow  
Joseph O. Slayter  
Bryan K. Swope

**1988**

Alvin Alston  
Thomas G. Bennett  
Wei-Fong Chin  
Michael A. Haller  
Jeffrey A. Martin  
Justin P. Pittman  
Jerry W. Ramsey  
David L. Roach  
Thad Thrash

**1989**

Paul A. Johnson  
Albert E. Miles  
John B. Owens  
Keith W. Wallace

**1990**

Evelyn T. Clark  
Richie E. Keene  
Brett L. Laurent  
Calvin L. Robinson  
John D. Self  
John K. Stites

**1991**

Robert L. Rodgers

William E. Souheaver  
Jeffrey S. Thompson

**1992**

Malcom L. Bamburg  
Danny M. Ducrow  
Brian G. Duplechin  
Francis S. Pugh

**1993**

Grant Ethridge  
Kent O. Fordham  
Eric D. Lee

**1994**

Andrew P. Adlong  
Bradley Black  
Robert H. Carelock

**1995**

Douglas L. Hughes  
Kelvin A. Paul  
Scott M. Pipsair

**1996**

William K. Bryant  
Jon E. Edwards  
Billy J. Robinson  
Nathaniel Sowell  
Victor S. Young

**1997**

Daniel B. Chambers  
Richard J. Harris  
Derek S. Hebert

**1998**

Aaron P. Dupont  
Aden R. Williams

**1999**

John C. Roy  
William P. Saxby  
Marlin R. Tedeton

**2000**

Connelly M. Luke

If you know where some of these alumni are, please give us a call at (318) 342-1860, or e-mail Dr. Keith Parker at [coparker@ulm.edu](mailto:coparker@ulm.edu)  
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