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Annual Letter 2007

A Special Message to Those Whose Delegate State and Year Do Not Appear on the Envelope

If the address block on the envelope in which you received this mailing does not have your USSYP state and year, then we're missing vital information about you! Please send a note via email to technology_director@ussyaa.org, or send a letter to the association's post office box in Washington, DC, indicating your name (including name when you were a USSYP delegate, if different), delegate year, delegate state, and your current address.

President's Message

Randy Brantley (NC 1981)

March 7, 2008, will mark the tenth anniversary of the founding of the United States Senate Youth Alumni Association. To those of us who gathered in that out-of-the-way room in the Renaissance Mayflower Hotel almost ten years ago, USSYAA's evolution has been astonishing. We gathered to explore the possibility of establishing an association in recognition of the fact that participating in the United States Senate Youth Program left an indelible stamp on each of us. We also gathered at the strong urging of one very special humanitarian, philanthropist, and compatriot, Mrs. George Randolph "Mom" Hearst, Sr. Over the course of 37 U.S. Senate Youth Programs, Mom Hearst recognized that this brain trust of women and men selected for their intelligence and passion for public service must remain connected. Over those years, she laid the foundation for an alumni association by encouraging participants to remain in contact with her through letter, phone call, or even personal visit. The voluminous records of those contacts that she and her personal assistant, Gladys Hundley, compiled are impressive. In U.S. Senate Youth Program alumni, Mom Hearst saw the future leaders of America, and she cared dearly about the future of the nation.

We are honored that our association includes the names of individuals such as current United States Senator Susan Collins (ME 1971); Karl Rove (UT 1969), former senior advisor to President George W. Bush; Thomas "Mac" McLarty (AR 1964), former chief of staff to President Bill Clinton; Judge Robert Henry (OK 1971), 10th U.S. Court of Appeals; and Richard Burt (UT 1965), former Ambassador to West Germany. Our influence extends far beyond Washington, D.C. as well, with alumni who serve their local communities on the front lines as classroom teachers, social workers, medical personnel, non-profit leaders and community volunteers. We, indeed, are fortunate that a common thread—participation in the U.S. Senate Youth Program—binds us together as we serve our communities, our nation and the world through public service.

You will find enclosed a new informational brochure, which I hope will serve as a reference tool and reminder of your affiliation with the USSYAA. This brochure will be provided to each new class of delegates beginning this year. USSYAA Vice President David Zavadsky (WI 1990) and his employer, Econoprint of Madison, Wisconsin, designed and printed the brochure, and various other USSYAA directors contributed the text.

In response to suggestions made during last year's General Membership Meeting in Washington, DC, USSYAA Technology Director Dan Brown (MS 1987) is in process of developing means by which alumni can use the USSYAA web directory to contact fellow alumni about their college alma maters, academic majors and career fields. Dan also plans to create a page on which alumni can post internship and job opportunities.

The USSYAA's five regional directors plan to organize an alumni gathering in the Boston or New York area for fall 2008. They will seek help from alumni living in one of these areas to identify a venue and plan the event. Please keep this opportunity in mind as the New Year progresses.

I trust that you are pleased with these new benefits that will be offered by the USSYAA. The Board of Directors wants your automatic membership to carry significant value. In order to accomplish this, the USSYAA needs your participation and support. Many thanks to all of you who remain connected by updating your contact information in the online USSYAA directory, providing updates for the holiday newsletter and/or attending Alumni Weekend in Washington, DC. Special thanks goes to those alumni who include the USSYAA in their annual charitable giving plans by supporting the Rosalie Wynn and George Randolph Hearst, Sr., Alumni Scholarship and/or the organization's operating budget.

I have enjoyed serving as president of the USSYAA for the past two years and look forward to serving under the capable leadership of incoming President Norman Fortenberry (LA 1979). Norman already has planned a new event for this year's Alumni Weekend, a "Salute to Public Service," which will be held in the Dirksen Senate Office Building on Friday, February 29, 2008. You can read more about this exciting event under the Alumni Weekend section.

Ours is a hard-working 15-member Board of Directors. I want to thank each one for his or her support. We have been particularly fortunate to have three of our founding fathers—John Blakley (MI 1976), Bob Middleton (DC 1966), and Michael Sundermeyer (MO 1969)—serving on the Board and continuing to provide the sort of wisdom and guidance that would please Mom Hearst. In coming years, I look forward to witnessing many new alumni step up for the highly rewarding experience of serving on the USSYAA Board of Directors.

I wish you a safe, happy and prosperous 2008.

Hearst Foundations announce new USSYP Program Director, Rayne Guilford

Sean Farrell (MA 1996)

The William Randolph Hearst Foundation is pleased to announce the appointment of Rayne Guilford to be Program Director for the United States Senate Youth Program (USSYP). Ms. Guilford will be based in Washington, DC. The USSYP Program Director position was previously held by Rita Almon, who retired this past year after nearly 30 years with the Hearst Foundations.

Ms. Guilford has spent most of her career in Washington. She most recently served as Deputy Director of The Digital Promise Project, a national bipartisan initiative to transform education and training through advanced technology; the project was led by former FCC Chairman Newton Minow and former NBC News President and PBS President Lawrence Grossman. Before working with Digital Promise, Ms. Guilford served for eight years as Senior Legislative Assistant and Director of Special Projects for Senator James M. Jeffords of Vermont. Prior to her Senate position she managed all media relations for the C-SPAN cable networks.

Hearst Foundations Executive Director Paul "Dino" Dinovitz stated that "I am delighted to welcome Rayne Guilford to our team." Dinovitz continued, "Rayne has shown a deep commitment to education, youth and public service over the course of her career, and with her background on Capitol Hill, her public relations experience, and general enthusiasm for the program, I am confident that she will continue and build on the fine legacy that Rita has established."

On behalf of all alumni of the Senate Youth Program, the USSYAA would like to join the Hearst Foundations in extending a warm welcome to Rayne Guilford as USSYP Program Director!

Federal Appeals Court Judge Robert Henry (OK 1971) to Address Alumni at Reception and Dinner on Friday, February 29

Randy Brantley (NC 1981)

The USSYAA is excited to announce that one of the association's most distinguished alumni will be the featured speaker at the Friday, February 29 reception and dinner at the James Monroe House in Washington, DC. The Honorable Robert H. Henry (OK 1971), who serves on The United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit, will discuss his efforts on the international scene to help other countries develop their judiciary systems. Judge Henry has joined former Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor and other distinguished jurists in these efforts. After Judge Henry's remarks, alumni will have the opportunity to ask questions about his public service career and views on the current state of the American

judiciary. In January 2008, Judge Henry will be sworn in as Chief Judge of the Tenth Circuit. The USSAA is pleased to present this opportunity to interact with one of the country's highest ranking judges—who also happens to be one of our own alumni. Younger alumni will remember Judge Henry for his informative and thought-provoking presentations during more recent Washington Week experiences.

Judge Henry has served on the Tenth Circuit since May 9, 1994. He was nominated by President Bill Clinton and confirmed by the Senate on May 6 of that year. Judge Henry previously served as dean and professor of law at Oklahoma City University School of Law. He served five years (1987-1992) as Oklahoma state attorney general and, previous to that service, 10 years as a state representative (1976-1986). He was part of a private law practice in Shawnee (1977-1987) at the time of his election to the Oklahoma House of Representatives. Judge Henry holds a juris doctor degree (1976) from the University of Oklahoma College of Law and a bachelor of arts degree (1974) from the University of Oklahoma.

Alumni Weekend 2008 Features “Salute to Public Service”

Randy Brantley (NC 1981)

Thanks to the efforts of President-Elect Norman Fortenberry (LA 1979), Alumni Weekend 2008 will include a “Salute to Public Service” luncheon scheduled for 12:00 noon on Friday, February 29 in SD-G11 Dirksen Senate Office Building. The event is an opportunity for representatives of the USSYAA and other public service-oriented organizations to meet, recognize their current efforts, and discuss potential collaboration. We expect representatives of both the Partnership for Public Service (www.ourpublicservice.org) and the U.S. Service Academy initiative (www.uspublicserviceacademy.org) to participate. Any Senate Youth Program alumni may join the celebration; the cost is \$35 per person. Dress is business attire. We extend special thanks to Elizabeth Johnson with the office of U.S. Senator Susan Collins (ME 1971) and Travis Smith with the Senate Committee on Rules and Administration for their assistance in scheduling the venue.

Thanks to glowing reviews from those who attended last year's Alumni Reception and Dinner, we will return to the historic James Monroe House on Friday evening at 6:30 p.m. Once again, alumna Sue Snediker Newman (OH 1975) was able to secure this venue through her professional association with Walter Burns, president of the Arts Club of Washington. The evening will begin with a social hour followed by dinner prepared by Chef Brennan Hurley and his capable staff. Closer to the date, the USSYAA will distribute information about the particular art exhibit on display at the Monroe House. The Alumni Reception and Dinner always proves to be an enjoyable time of reminiscing and networking. The cost is \$35 each for student alumni and guests and \$50 each for regular alumni and guests. Dress is business attire.

The all-important General Membership Meeting will be held on Saturday, March 1 beginning at 10:00 a.m. (note the later start time compared with previous years) in 342 Dirksen Senate Office Building. U.S. Senator Susan Collins (ME 1971) and her Chief of Staff Steve Abbott (ME 1981) have kindly arranged for the use of the Senate Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee Hearing Room. This meeting is the prime opportunity of the year to help shape the USSYAA by participating directly in the decision-making process. The meeting also is an opportunity for those who are interested in serving as an officer or on a committee to become more engaged. Please come prepared to share your thoughts on how the USSYAA can better serve you. Dress is business casual.

As is our tradition, USSYAA members will gather at the Renaissance Mayflower Hotel on Saturday beginning at 2:30 p.m. to welcome the 2008 class of delegates to the U.S. Senate Youth Program. Rayne Guilford, new Senate Youth Program director, has asked the USSYAA to continue the tradition of staffing career mentoring tables on the topics of education, journalism, business, medicine, non-profits and law and government. To share your expertise with the newest delegates, please contact Michael Sundermeyer, USSYAA liaison officer, at: MSundermeyer@wc.com.

Please mail the enclosed registration form with appropriate payment and required information by **January 28, 2008** if you wish to attend the “Salute to Public Service” luncheon, or by **February 15, 2008** if you wish to attend only the evening reception and dinner.

USSYAA Seeks Applications for and Donations to the Rosalie Wynn and George Randolph Hearst Sr. Scholarship Fund

Rawle Andrews (TX 1983)

At the direction of the USSYAA Board of Directors, the Scholarship Selection Committee participated in an intensive review of the program requirements for the USSYAA's Rosalie Wynn & George Hearst, Sr. Alumni Scholarship. The

committee's mandate was to study the existing program to determine whether or to what extent it could be modified to increase its value to the organization and its membership. As a result of the committee's work and following the Board's approval, the Rosalie Wynn and George Randolph Hearst, Sr. Alumni Scholarship has been increased to a maximum of \$1,000 per recipient. The Scholarship Selection Committee may award scholarships to one or more recipients depending on eligibility. The application process has been revised to encourage more alumni to apply. Please visit the website, www.ussyaa.org/alumni/scholarship.php, for more details about the scholarship.

In addition, the USSYAA always welcomes donations to the scholarship fund. The scholarship fund is a project of USSYAA and is neither affiliated with nor endorsed by The William Randolph Hearst Foundations. Tax-deductible contributions may be made by check (please indicate "Scholarship Fund" on the memo line) and mailed to USSYAA, P.O. Box 1798, Washington, DC 20013-1798. Contributors are encouraged to explore whether employer matching contributions are available.

Technology Director's Report

Dan Brown (MS 1987)

The first mission of the USSYAA is "Building and maintaining avenues of communication among program alumni." The association's technology--including the Web site and email lists--plays a critical role in accomplishing that mission. However, as the association continues to grow in size and to increase its level of activity, it is natural that we will outgrow the technology we have in place.

In order to keep the association's technology in line with our needs, I am always looking for new ideas for features and functionality for the Web site and other media. If you have an idea for how to improve the ways in which we communicate, feel free to e-mail it to me at: technology_director@ussyaa.org.

Also, don't forget to keep us up to date with changes in your contact information. Just go to the website, click "Alumni Area," and then click "Directory." You may login with your last name, delegate year and state, and then click "View Your Own Record."

Meet the Board

Sean Farrell (MA 1996)

Each quarter, the board meets via teleconference to discuss matters pertinent to the ongoing operation of the association, and makes plans for the annual Alumni Weekend that coincides with the arrival of the new class of U.S. Senate Youth Program delegates.

The USSYAA Board of Directors for 2007–2008 is:

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| President | Randy L. Brantley | NC 1981 | Concord, NC |
| President-Elect | Norman L. Fortenberry | LA 1979 | Silver Spring, MD |
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| Immediate Past President | Robert R. Middleton | DC 1966 | Silver Spring, MD |

The board's General Membership Meeting will be in Washington, DC, on March 1, 2008. All USSYAA members are invited and encouraged to attend!

Treasurer's Report

John Selmon Blakley (MI 1976)

USSYAA had revenues of \$208,384 and expenses of \$66,743 providing an ending balance of \$141,641 as of October 31, 2007. These figures are cumulative since the inception of the organization, and are not annualized.

Alumni Weekend 2007 Featured New Venues and Many New Faces

Randy Brantley (NC 1981)

Thanks to the efforts of alumna Sue Snediker Newman (OH 1975), the 2007 alumni reception and dinner, held on March 2, moved to the historic James Monroe House in Washington, DC. In recent years, the event was graciously hosted by Michael Sundermeyer (MO 1969) and his wife, Susan Talarico, at their suburban Washington, DC home. Over 50 alumni and guests enjoyed a social hour followed by a delicious buffet dinner prepared by Chef Brennan Hurley and his staff. Prior to dinner, the group was treated to a brief history of the Monroe House by Walter Burns, president of the Arts Club of Washington, DC. He also commented on the gallery exhibits by area artists Sandra Warren Gobar, James R. Graves and Rachel Herberling. After dinner, Paul "Dino" Dinovitz, now executive director of the Hearst Foundations, presented a short DVD he produced about Mrs. George Randolph "Mom" Hearst, Sr., and the USSYAA. Mr. Dinovitz expressed great satisfaction with the USSYAA's development since its inception. He was joined at the event by John Spisak, Hearst Foundations controller and special advisor to the USSYAA. At the conclusion of the evening, John Blakley (MI 1976) presented the past president's plaque to Bob Middleton (DC 1966), who served the USSYAA with distinction from 2004 to 2006.

On the following day, March 3, USSYAA's Annual Membership Meeting was held in the Senate Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee Hearing Room of the Dirksen Senate Office Building. U.S. Senator Susan Collins (ME 1971), and her chief of staff, Steve Abbott (ME 1981), arranged for use of the hearing room. Two of Senator Collins' staff members, Rachel McFadden and Elizabeth Johnson, graciously hosted alumni for the morning meeting. Both Paul "Dino" Dinovitz and John Spisak joined alumni for a portion of the meeting. USSYAA President Randy Brantley announced that the Rosalie Wynn and George Randolph Hearst, Sr., Alumni Scholarship had been increased to a maximum of \$1,000 per recipient. Treasurer John Blakley reported on the association's more favorable financial position thanks to alumni contributions and bequests from the estate of Mom Hearst. The meeting concluded with a long-range planning session led by Eric Telford (CT 2002). Alumni devoted considerable time to discussions on how the USSYAA can provide a value-added benefit to members through enhanced networking. Minutes of the 2007 Annual Membership Meeting can be located on the USSYAA website.

The day concluded at the Renaissance Mayflower Hotel as alumni staffed career mentoring tables to offer advice to the 2007 delegates. Michael Sundermeyer (MO 1969) organized the tables around the fields of healthcare, education, journalism, college, law and government, and business. Throughout the afternoon, a representative from each table offered a brief overview of trends and opportunities in the particular field to those gathered in the ballroom. The day concluded with a very special presentation to Rita Almon, retiring program director of the U.S. Senate Youth Program. In grateful appreciation for her 29 years of service to the Program, the USSAYAA presented Ms. Almon with a framed resolution signed by all alumni in attendance over the weekend. In addition, the Association announced a gift to The National Center or Equine Facilitated Therapy in Woodside, California, an organization that provides equine assisted therapy and equine assisted activity programs to children and adults with special needs. Ms. Almon has served on the organization's board of directors for a number of years. The USSYAA also presented Ms. Almon with a flag flown over the U.S. Capitol in her honor at the request of U.S. Senator Susan Collins (ME 1981). The flag was presented in a special case bearing a brass plate engraved with words of appreciation from the USSYAA.

ALUMNI NEWS

CLASS OF 1966

Robert R. Middleton (DC 1966) and his wife Quinn celebrated 25 years of marriage on April 17, 2007. They had a small celebratory dinner in Washington, DC that day and, later in June, in further celebration of their anniversary, they accompanied Quinn's youngest sister and the rest of her family on a wedding cruise to the Bahamas. Quinn's sister and her husband, a law student, were married on board. For the past two years, which coincided with Bob's first two years of retirement as an Administrative Law Judge for the District of Columbia, Quinn worked as the Washington Liaison to the United States Senate Youth Program, and she has now taken on other consulting projects. In March 2008, Bob will conclude his term as Immediate Past President of USSYAA. In Bob's words, "I am so proud of this association, of the small part I played in its establishment, and of the dedicated alums who are committed to keeping it a superb organization. Although I will not be a part of the Board, I will continue to support USSYAA in its efforts to fulfill the wishes of the late Rosalie "Mom" Hearst."

CLASS OF 1973

Colonel Michael Gonzales (NM 1973) (USA, Ret.) is a consultant on Defense Policy, Strategy and Homeland Security for Modern Technology Solutions, Inc., in Alexandria, Virginia, and currently serves as a member of the National Board of Directors of the Army Scholarship Foundation. During his 26 year military career, Mike served in a number of high level command and staff assignments, including: Director of Strategic Operations and Missile Defense Integration for U.S. Army Space and Missile Defense Command; Deputy Assistant Commandant of the U.S. Army Air Defense Artillery School and Deputy Chief of Staff of the U.S. Army Air Defense Artillery Center at Fort Bliss; and Senior Army Liaison to the Saudi Arabian Ministry of Defense for U.S. Army Central Command and 3rd U.S. Army. Mike is a graduate of the U.S. Army War College, and an Honor Graduate of the U.S. Army Command and General Staff College. He holds a Master's Degree in Public Administration from Shippensburg University, a Bachelor's Degree in Government and History from New Mexico State University and an Associate Degree in History and Military Science from New Mexico Military Institute. Michael lives with his wife, Christine, and two children, Gabrielle (9) and Michael II (7) in Waldorf, Maryland, and would be happy to hear from his fellow alumni at: michael.gonzales@mtsi-va.com.

CLASS OF 1979

In 2006, **David Shanet Clark (WV 1979)** received a Master of Education degree in Social Studies, with honors, from Georgia State University. David is a teacher at Tucker High School in Georgia, and serves on the DeKalb County Historical Preservation Commission. He is also a Department of Education Grant peer reviewer, and was the recipient of the DeKalb County Bar Association 2007 Law Day Liberty Bell Award.

CLASS OF 1980

C. Keith Ozaki, M.D., F.A.C.S., (FL 1980) serves as a Professor of Surgery at University of Florida College of Medicine, and as Chief of Surgical Service with the North Florida/South Georgia Veterans Health System. His professional activities include NIH sponsored research, clinical vascular surgery, and hospital administration. He enjoys travel and outdoor activities with his wife and son.

CLASS OF 1985

Lisa Naaktgeboren (MN 1985) accepted a position as Senior Business Leader with Target Corporation in July 2007 (headquartered in Minneapolis), after working for nine years in various human resources positions at Medtronic, Inc. In her new role, Lisa has management responsibility for a team of about fifty Target employees who process all leaves of absence for the U.S. employees of the company. She reports that "it has been an exciting and challenging transition within a wonderful company!" In addition, Lisa has remained very involved with her alma mater, Cornell College, where she began a two-year term as President of the Alumni Board of Directors this fall. Her daughters are now 13 and 10, and the family stays very busy with school activities, soccer, basketball, music lessons, friends, and church youth groups. Lisa can be reached at: lmnaak@msn.com.

Steven Rice (WY 1985) and his family arrived in Doha, Qatar, in late August, where Steve is the head of the political/economic section at the U.S. Embassy in the city. His daughter Maria, age five, started kindergarten in September, and daughter Stephanie had her first birthday the same month. Steve's wife, Rita, hopes to be gainfully employed sometime in 2008 after the family gets fully settled in Qatar. Steve previously worked at the U.S. Embassy in Algiers, Algeria.

Tom Stergios (MT 1985) is back living in Missoula, Montana after stops in San Francisco, Washington, DC, and several international locations. He and his wife Mary Lou have twin six-year-olds (Alex and Clara). Tom works as a consultant in telecommunications, which keeps him on the road a lot. He is President of the Board for his alma mater Loyola Sacred Heart High School, which has produced several USSYP delegates over the last two decades—more than ten during that time frame, an achievement Tom describes as “remarkable” for such a small high school. He reflects fondly on his participation in the program, describing it as “a wonderful experience.”

CLASS OF 1987

Glenn Aga (MN 1987) has been named the Executive Vice President of Good Harbor Consulting, LLC, an international security and risk management consultancy focused on infrastructure security, homeland security, and counter-terrorism. Glenn, his wife Tina, and his family (Alexandra 3, and Lucas, 7 months) moved from Laguna Niguel, CA, to Arlington, VA in September 2007 as Glenn assumed this position at the firm's headquarters near Washington, DC. Good Harbor Consulting has offices in suburban Washington, Albuquerque, Boston, and Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates.

CLASS OF 1988

Jennifer Rellick (DE 1988) works for the Government Accountability Office in Washington, DC, as a senior analyst on health care issues. She describes herself as a “hopeless education junkie,” holding both a J.D. and a Master of Science in Public Health. Jennifer is presently pursuing her Ph.D. in Public Policy & Administration at George Washington University, with a concentration in health policy. She finds her full work and school schedule “very tiring, but very rewarding.” She encourages any alumni who would like to find out more about her fields of expertise to contact her.

CLASS OF 1989

Brian Kamoie (PA 1989) was appointed to the career Senior Executive Service position of Deputy Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response, and Director of the Office of Policy, Strategic Planning & Communications at the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. In this role he leads a team of professionals in developing national public health and medical preparedness and response policy and strategic plans. Any alumni should feel free to contact him at: kamoie@comcast.net.

John Knapp (WA 1989) and his wife Inti had their first baby in August, a son named Alistair Banting Knapp. The couple chose their son's first name to honor Inti's Scottish heritage, as Alistair is the Scottish version of Alexander. Their son's middle name, Banting, is an homage to Dr. Frederick Banting, who helped invent a Type I diabetes insulin treatment that has played an important part in John's health. Father, mother, and baby are all doing very well!

CLASS OF 1990

Brenda (Ruth) Soya (CO 1990) and her husband Serge welcomed their child Kaliel Sergine Soya to the world on June 19. The couple is in the DC area short term for training, before they head to their next Foreign Service posting with the State Department.

CLASS OF 1991

Lillian deValcourt-Ayala (LA 1991) has been in Rome, Italy for the past year, serving as a Public Affairs Officer at the U.S. Mission to the UN Agencies in Rome. She has been in the Foreign Service for eight years and has previously served in Brazil and Angola. Lillian's husband is also a Foreign Service Officer and is presently an Economic Officer at the U.S. Embassy in Italy. She would love to hear from any USSYAA alumni who may be in Rome!

CLASS OF 1992

This past August, **Kimberly Hamlin (NY 1992)** completed her Ph.D. in American Studies at the University of Texas at Austin, and she has moved to Ohio to join the American Studies and History faculty at Miami University of Ohio. Kimberly is particularly excited about this job because Miami's American Studies program has an emphasis on "public culture," which matches her own interests in both public history and engaging students in the world beyond the classroom.

John Blair (NM 1992) is running for the New Mexico State Senate. While his campaign is just beginning, he is already excited by his grassroots support. John's primary election will be in June 2008, and the general election will be that November. When he's not campaigning, he works as a Principal with the Payroll Company, Inc., which is based in Albuquerque. John was also recently named a "Forty Under 40 Power Broker" by *New Mexico Business Weekly*.

Andy Feldman (WI 1992) completed his PhD in Public Policy at Harvard University in June 2007. His dissertation examined why some welfare offices in New York City are better than others at helping people become and stay employed. With his degree done, now he must, "alas, become and stay employed." In the meantime, he will spend this year as a research fellow at Harvard.

CLASS OF 1994

Robert Pipkin (CA 1994) and his wife Rebecca Schnarr were married on December 30, 2006 in Evansville, Indiana. He is currently a Lieutenant Junior Grade in the U.S. Navy, stationed in Atsugi, Japan with Electronic Attack Squadron 136. Robert is assigned to the USS Kitty Hawk, home-ported in Yokosuka, Japan and representing the United States' only permanently forward deployed aircraft carrier. Robert's wife is also a Lieutenant Junior Grade in the Navy, and she recently completed an assignment to Strike Fighter Squadron 192, which is also based in Atsugi, Japan.

Jaime Harrison (SC 1994), a native of Orangeburg, SC, and the first African American staff floor director in the U.S. House of Representatives (working for Majority Whip James Clyburn), was featured in the month of August on the 2008 South Carolina Black History Calendar. Other featured personalities included actor Paul Benjamin and New York Giants football player Harry Carson. Jaime conveyed that "it's truly an honor to be included among such an impressive group of African-American leaders from South Carolina."

Ryan Lance (WY 1994) is working as the Deputy Chief of Staff to Governor Dave Freudenthal of Wyoming, after having coordinated his successful re-election campaign in 2006. He reports that "the really big news, however, is that my wife, Elizabeth, and I were recently blessed with a new baby boy named Andrew Patrick." As part of his job with Governor Freudenthal's office, Ryan has been designated by the governor to approve all grant requests and receive grant money on behalf of state agencies. In this capacity, he handles the Hearst Foundation grant to Wyoming for the administration of the USSYP delegate selection process!

CLASS OF 1995

Yoni Braude (RI 1995) is living in Washington, DC, and is clerking for Judge Stephen F. Williams of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the DC Circuit. Yoni graduated from Harvard College in 1999, worked for several years, and recently graduated from the Boalt Hall School of Law at the University of California, Berkeley, ranking first in this year's graduating class.

Tony Hunter (KS 1995) sent a brief note to say that he recently passed his second bar exam, and was sworn in as a member of the Utah bar on October 30. Tony practices law in the natural resources arena.

CLASS OF 1996

Sean Farrell (MA 1996) recently entered his third year as a congressional relations specialist with the Congressional Research Service at the Library of Congress. His wife Samantha recently began a new position as a Health Science Specialist with the Veterans Health Administration in the Department of Veterans Affairs, after serving an 18 month appointment as a cancer research training fellow at the National Cancer Institute. In May, She received her Master of Health Science degree from the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health. Sean and Samantha now reside in suburban Baltimore, Maryland, where they recently bought their first home, a new condominium in the town of Elkridge.

Sue Lovoy Willis (AL 1996) and her husband welcomed their first child, Carter Harrison Willis, who was born on August 27, 2007. The couple lives in Indianapolis, Indiana, where Sue works in marketing for Eli Lilly & Company.

Callie Whitfield Babbitt (FL 1996) will graduate from the University of Florida with a Ph.D. in Environmental Engineering in December 2007. Her doctoral study focus was on microbial ecology, sustainable technology, and industrial pollution prevention. She previously received her Master's degree from University of Florida in 2003, and her Bachelor's degree in Chemical Engineering from Georgia Tech in 2001. Callie currently lives in Arizona with her husband Greg and their 2 year old daughter Nora, and she manages a multidisciplinary research project for the School of Human Evolution and Social Change at Arizona State University, where Greg is completing his postdoctoral appointment at the university's Biodesign Institute.

Tablia Tuck (DC 1996) wrote to say that "after several years in broadcast news and higher education, I am now a first year at Harvard Law School. I am thrilled to be a student again!"

After graduating from Amherst College in 2000, **Joel Estrada (CA 1996)** was hired (and presently still serves) as the Director of Public Relations for WSS-Warehouse Shoe Sale in Los Angeles, a company with 46 stores in Southern California. He and his wife Maria Marengo were married in 2005, and the couple own and operate a vending machine company called "Nic Snack Vending." In 2006, Joel was elected to the Compton Unified School District Board of Trustees.

CLASS OF 1997

Chris Walker (NV 1997) clerked for Judge Alex Kozinski on the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit in Pasadena, CA, following his graduation from law school last year. He is now an attorney on the Civil Appellate Staff at the Department of Justice in Washington, DC, where he will remain until next summer, when he will serve as a law clerk for U.S. Supreme Court Justice Anthony Kennedy during the term beginning in October 2008. Chris would love to hear from fellow 1997 alums (christopher.j.walker@gmail.com), and catch up with those who are currently in the DC area.

Clay Travis (TN 1997) recently published his first book, *Dixieland Delight: A Football Season on the Road in the Southeastern Conference*. The book was released by HarperCollins on July 31, and is available both in bookstores nationwide and on Amazon.com. Clay is a practicing attorney in Nashville, Tennessee, and he also writes a sports column three times per week for CBS Sports.com.

CLASS OF 1998

Laura Owen (ND 1998) earned her MBA from North Dakota State University this past May, and she is now thoroughly enjoying her life without homework! In July she left a position at Microsoft to become associate director of communications for the Dakotas Conference of the United Methodist Church. In her new position, she is responsible for managing all communications activities for the United Methodist Churches in North and South Dakota. Laura also noted in her message that USSYP Washington week "still ranks near the top in my favorite travel adventures!"

Amy (Enerson) Mulvihill (MN 1998) graduated from Northwestern College in St. Paul, Minnesota in May of 2002 with a Bachelor's degree in Biblical studies and a minor in cross cultural studies. She married Jacob Mulvihill on October 12, 2002, and the couple has made their home in Coon Rapids, Minnesota, where Jacob works as a secondary teacher at Meadow Creek Christian School and Amy works with the ministry of 212 Degrees (www.212degrees.org). The focus of the ministry is "Peak Performance," an outdoor school of leadership and evangelism. Amy helps take students to Nepal, Turkey, and Tanzania to train them in hands-on leadership, discipleship, evangelism, and world religions. She derives a great deal of satisfaction from challenging the students and helping them become "more alert of the needs of the world." On November 12, 2006, Amy and Jacob welcomed the arrival of their first child, Andrew Jacob Mulvihill!

Jen Tutak (FL 1998) recently relocated from New York City to Hawaii to work as the Admissions Director for the University of Hawaii's Shidler College of Business. While interviewing for the position in June, Jen was also able to fly to the Big Island for the wedding of Lieutenant Janelle Kuroda (HI 1997), who also served as a USSYP escort officer in 2006 and 2007, in Janelle's hometown of Hilo. If anyone has plans to visit Honolulu, please drop Jen a line at: tutak@alum.dartmouth.org or tutak@hawaii.edu.

CLASS OF 1999

Elizabeth Martin (MN 1999) is currently serving on the USS Nimitz (CVN-68), a nuclear powered aircraft carrier stationed in San Diego, California. She graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy in 2003 with a B.S. in English—an apparently dissonant combination that prompted her to say “don't ask me how that works!” After finishing up an M.A. in English Language and Literature from the University of Maryland, Elizabeth moved overseas to Gaeta, Italy, where she was stationed onboard the USS La Salle (AGF-3) for 17 months. After that assignment, she went to Charleston, South Carolina for six months of nuclear power school, and then headed to Saratoga Springs, New York for nuclear prototype training, finally making the long trek out to San Diego in July 2006. Elizabeth just returned from a six month Western Pacific deployment of the Nimitz. She is hoping to move back to the Washington, DC area in July 2008, and says that, “wherever I go, it's nice to know [there are] always friendly USSYP alumni nearby! If you're in the area, please drop me a line.” (*beamer991@hotmail.com*).

Heather Woodruff Grizzle (NE 1999) wrote briefly to report that she was expecting the birth of her first child sometime this past October! (*Ed. Note: the newsletter went to print before any more news on the arrival of Heather's baby*).

Kevin McAdam (CO 1999) sent a short message saying that “my wonderful wife, Christine, and I got married on August 4th” in Memphis, Tennessee. The couple now lives just outside of Boulder, Colorado, where Kevin is in his first year of law school at the University of Colorado.

CLASS OF 2000

Sarala Nagala (ND 2000) will be graduating from Boalt Hall School of Law at the University of California, Berkeley in May 2008. She will then begin a judicial clerkship based in Portland, Oregon with The Honorable Susan Graber on the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.

Mitch Keller (ND 2000) is working towards his Ph.D. in mathematics at Georgia Tech, focusing on finite partially ordered sets and on-line algorithms. His first research paper was published this fall, not long after he completed a year of service as Graduate Student Body President. Mitch remains active in student government and is now spending his third year at Georgia Tech working on health insurance issues for students across the University System of Georgia.

CLASS OF 2001

Rory McGovern (MA 2001) says hello to all 2001 alumni and wishes them well. After graduating from Boston College in 2005, Rory was commissioned in the Army, and he is currently in Iraq with the 1st Cavalry Division. He was shot through the ankle in December 2006, but reports that he recovered quickly and fully, and was able to resume full duties less than three weeks later. Rory said that he continues doing well and he looks forward to getting back to the States sometime in January 2008.

Chad Robinson (DE 2001) reports that “it has been an exciting and productive year for me.” Chad has begun a Master's Degree program in Public Administration at Wilmington University, and expects to graduate in May 2008. He was promoted in April of this year to a new position at Wesley College, and is now the Director of Foundation and Government Relations, where he handles all the lobbying and grant writing efforts for the college. He describes the work as “challenging, as every day is different but I truly enjoy it.” Chad was involved in a successful campaign this year, as he managed a campaign that unseated an eight year incumbent from Levy Court (the equivalent of the County Council in many other areas). Chad has also joined Temple Lodge A.F. & A.M. No. 9 near his home, and he has highly enjoyed the Masonic experience.

Matt Moon (AK 2001) graduated from Harvard University in June 2005 with a Bachelor's degree in Environmental Science & Public Policy and a Master's degree in History of Science, where he focused on climate change, international relations, and communication of science-based issues. During his years at Harvard, he worked on several statewide campaigns in Alaska and New England, and was a research associate at the Institute of the North, a public policy think tank in Alaska focusing on Arctic development issues. In 2006, he ran for a seat in the Alaska State Legislature and was the Republican nominee for House District 20, eventually losing the general election by just over 500 votes. Matt is currently the Chief Political Officer of RunPolitics, a newly formed startup that is an interactive communications company aiming to connect citizens to politics in a new way through the Internet.

CLASS OF 2002

Taylor Heyen (MN 2002) wrote to say that “I had an excellent time at Washington reunion this year and can't wait to attend again” in 2008. Taylor continues to be employed as a Consulting Analyst with Accenture in Boston, specializing in Customer Relationship Management. Any alumni from the class of 2002 who find themselves in the Boston area “should definitely let me know, as it was great to connect with so many people last March.”

Erica Schlaikjer (MD 2002) graduated from Northwestern University in June 2007 with a degree in journalism and international studies. She spent her post-college summer and fall interning at the research department of *Crain's Chicago Business*. In January 2008, Erica will travel to Taipei, Taiwan, to study at the Mandarin Learning Center of Chinese Culture University, courtesy of a scholarship from the Taiwan Ministry of Education. She has also started a new blog, www.ResponsibleChina.com, about environmental sustainability and corporate social responsibility in China.

Curtis Atkins (OK 2002) sent a short note to report that he is currently pursuing graduate studies in Political Science at York University in Toronto, Canada. His research focuses on Marxist theory and socialist market economies.

Ross Mankuta (NY 2002) has entered the final year of his Presidential Administrative Fellowship at The George Washington University. As part of this program, Ross is completing his Masters degree in Higher Education Administration, working for the University's Office of Undergraduate Admissions, and serving the University in ambassadorial roles. In his capacity with the Admissions Office, Ross will be traveling this fall and winter to Little Rock, Louisville, Cincinnati, Indianapolis, New Orleans, Baton Rouge, Oklahoma City, Tulsa, Los Angeles and San Francisco. He would love to see former USSYP folks while he is traveling across the country. Please be in touch if you are in those areas! (prezkuta@gwu.edu).

Emily Chin (WI 2002) served as Class President during her senior year at the University of Notre Dame, and she graduated in May 2006 with a Marketing major and Chinese Minor. Emily accepted a position with AT&T's Leadership Development Program in Chicago, Illinois, where she lived for the past year. As of September 2007, she started her second rotation with AT&T in San Antonio, Texas, working in wireless marketing and wireless convergence.

Ashley Roberts (WY 2002) is a 2008 Master's of Environmental Management candidate at the Yale University School of Forestry and Environmental Studies, after graduating from Yale with an undergraduate Environmental Studies degree in the spring of 2007. She is very interested in how school design, both curriculum and building structure, affects the health and education of students. Ashley is currently enrolled in a blend of architecture, public health and environmental courses that will help her understand how design and health are interrelated. As an undergraduate, she participated in a teacher preparation program, and she plans to complete her student teaching in the fall of 2008.

CLASS OF 2003

Jon Deutsch (NY 2003) graduated from Georgetown University in May 2007, and is now a graduate student at the University of Southern California's School of Cinematic Arts. Having put politics on the back burner, Jon now concentrates on filmmaking and has already directed several short films, public service announcements, corporate videos, and a feature-length comedy. He now resides in Los Angeles, and hopes to hone his cinematic skills and continue working in the entertainment industry.

Brendan Groves (KS 2003) was chosen in February 2007 for the USA TODAY newspaper's 2007 All-USA College Academic Second Team (among the top 40 college students nationally, according to their criteria), and he graduated from Pepperdine University in April. In June, Brendan married his college sweetheart, was commissioned as a 2nd Lieutenant in the United States Air Force, and served as a legal intern for the Deputy Attorney General in the U.S. Department of Justice in Washington, DC. Brendan recently began his studies at the Duke University School of Law, and sends his best wishes to his fellow alums. He hopes to see some of you as “we each continue to receive many good gifts” in our lives.

David Willis (VA 2003) graduated Phi Beta Kappa from Wake Forest University in May 2007 with a BA in Political Science and Spanish, and a certificate in Spanish Interpreting. He was named the top political science student in his graduating class and awarded the prize for best political science honors thesis, in which he analyzed the Bush White House's strategic communication on the issue of immigration reform. From August to December of 2007 he is living in a slum in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, working as a missionary with the group “Word Made Flesh.” From March to November of 2008 he will be teaching English in Argentina on a Fulbright scholarship.

Eric Farmelant (MA 2003) graduated cum laude from the University of Miami last May, with a Bachelor's in Business Administration. Unable to part with Miami, he has decided to pursue his legal education at the University of Miami School of Law. Eric has vowed to continue his studies at UM until the Canes win a football national championship.

Allison Schmidt (IA 2003) passed along the news that she is pursuing a Master of Science degree in Journalism and Mass Communication from the Greenlee School of Journalism at Iowa State University in Ames, Iowa.

Mike Burns (AL 2003) graduated from Vanderbilt in May, and he is now a first year student at Georgetown University Law Center. He would love to meet with any USSYP alumni in the DC area, and he is especially open to any advice on pursuing a legal career. Mike's e-mail address is: meb226@law.georgetown.edu.

Travis Jordan (WY 2003) recently graduated from the University of Wyoming with a B.S. in Political Science, and a B.S. in Environment & Natural Resources, with minors in Agricultural Economics and International Studies. During his time at the University of Wyoming, Travis served as the student government Director of Legislative Affairs, student government President, and at graduation was named the outstanding graduating male student. Following graduation, he served as a natural resource analyst for Wyoming Governor Dave Freudenthal and this summer moved to Washington to join the staff of Senator Mike Enzi as a legislative assistant responsible for issues related to agriculture, homeland security, governmental affairs, and small business.

CLASS OF 2004

Andy Cunningham (VT 2004) is a senior at Duke University, where he is double majoring in International Relations and Chinese. He is the Co-Founder of the Women's Institute for Secondary Education and Research (WISER) which will open in 2009 as the first model all-girls boarding school in Muhuru Bay, Kenya (www.wisergirls.org), a rural village with the highest rates of HIV and malaria in Kenya. Andy has led efforts to raise \$520,000 for construction, and is currently working with a team of over 100 Duke students and faculty, as well as community members from Muhuru Bay, Kenya, to collaborate with outside high schools, organizations and foundations to raise enough money to have 70% of the school's students on scholarship. Andy was awarded a 2007 Truman Scholarship, and was invited to speak at the United Nations conference on Millenium Development Goals about his work with girls' education in developing countries. He plans to pursue a career in international education policy development after spending a year in Kenya for the start of WISER.

Doug Nagy (OH 2004) will be running for state representative in his hometown of Mentor, Ohio in 2008. He has worked throughout college as a Senate staffer at the Ohio Statehouse and will graduate from The Ohio State University in December 2007 with an Honors B.A. in Political Science. Last year, Doug founded a non-profit organization called Come Home to Cleveland to plug the regional brain drain by encouraging young people to start their careers in Cleveland. He can be reached through his campaign website at www.DougNagy.org.

Douglas Ray (MS 2004) graduated summa cum laude from the Sally McDonnell Barksdale Honors College at the University of Mississippi with a B.A. in Classics and English. He was Class Marshal for the College of Liberal Arts at commencement in May, and he was also inducted into Phi Beta Kappa. Douglas is now a first year graduate student in the M.F.A. in Creative Writing program at The University of Mississippi.

CLASS OF 2005

William Haun (CT 2005) is a junior at American University in Washington, DC, majoring in Political Science with a concentration in Law & Politics. He has written for *The Eagle*, the AU student newspaper, served as a senator in the student government, interned with former Congressman Rob Simmons (CT), and was elected vice president of the AU chapter of the College Republicans—a capacity in which he helped bring fellow alum **Karl Rove (UT 1969)** to speak at a campus event. Will was subsequently elected president of the AU College Republicans chapter in 2007. This fall, he began a two-year position as a paralegal assistant in the U.S. Department of Justice's civil division, and he will appear in the upcoming Harper Collins book "100 Young Americans." Will is looking forward to law school, and is preparing for the LSAT exam in spring 2008.

Roxanne Bras (FL 2005) is a junior at Harvard College, majoring in Economics. She is also a cadet in the Army ROTC. This summer, Roxanne graduated from the U.S. Army's Airborne School in Fort Benning, Georgia, after making five successful jumps from a C-130 aircraft. At the graduation ceremony, her USSYP escort officer, Lt. Colonel Desiree Wineland—also a graduate of the Airborne School—pinned on Roxanne's wings. Colonel Wineland was not able to jump with Roxanne on this occasion, but the two are already planning a time when they can do so!

Katelyn Baldwin (AK 2005) is a junior at Stanford University. Her major is International Relations, with two minors—one in African Middle Eastern Languages and Cultures, and the other in Jewish Studies. During the summer of 2006, Katelyn worked for the U.N. High Commissioner for Refugees in Mwange Refugee Camp, a Congolese refugee camp near the border of the Democratic Republic of Congo. While in Africa, she implemented a life enrichment program called “HIV/AIDS Awareness and Recreation Program” in the camp with at-risk boys and girls. As a result of her studies and her work in Africa, she is now fluent in Swahili. This past summer Katelyn worked under the Director of the Stanford Program in International Relations, Kenneth Schultz, doing political science conflict resolution research. She specialized in looking at the relationship between civil wars and interstate conflict, work that will likely lead to a senior honors thesis.

CLASS OF 2006

Kaitlin Irvine (WV 2006) is a sophomore at Dickinson College in Carlisle, Pennsylvania, majoring in anthropology and minoring in environmental science. She was fortunate to have the opportunity to attend Alumni Weekend this past March, seeing friends and networking with other USSYAA alums. This past summer, Kaitlin worked as a counselor for the Upward Bound program at Frostburg State University. She is looking forward to next year’s Alumni Weekend!

Andrew Keaster (AR 2006) began his college studies at Missouri State University in fall 2006 on a full academic scholarship. The university has a statewide mission in "public affairs," encouraging students to give back to the community. For the second half of his freshman year, he planned and organized a Dance Marathon on campus to benefit Children's Miracle Network. Andrew reported that the event, which took place September 21, 2007, was a “huge success,” raising over \$17,000 for local children who have special healthcare needs.

Trever Thibodeaux (LA 2006) is attending Louisiana State University, and plans to get his Ph.D. in History and teach at the college level. Trever is also a proud member of the LSU Cheerleading Squad, and this year he received the honor of being named Captain of the Purple squad. He writes that “I am having such a great time with cheerleading and I have had many opportunities to travel and meet so many new faces. I can not tell you how much I miss the USSYP program. I had such a great time and I still go through all my photo albums and wish I was a senior again.”

After a year at Harding University, **Sky Vanderburg (MO 2006)** spent two months in West Africa studying French in an African context, working in a mission hospital, and gaining experience with tropical medicine. Sky is currently studying in Zambia, Africa, where she is working in a rural health clinic and orphanage while taking classes on African cosmology, literature, and history. When she returns to Harding, she will continue pursuing dual biochemistry/molecular biology and French degrees while directing the university’s L.C. Sears Collegiate Seminar Series and expanding their chapter of the Roosevelt Institution, paying particular attention to public health initiatives. Next summer, Sky plans to conduct research in tropical medicine or public health.

CLASS OF 2007

David Walter (DE 2007), a member of the USSYAA’s newest alumni class, was the reigning “Jeopardy” teen tournament champion as of the time of his participation in the U.S. Senate Youth Program! This fall, David began his undergraduate studies at Princeton University.

From the Editor’s Desk

Sean Farrell (MA 1996)

Now having edited this newsletter for a second year, I’ve greatly enjoyed hearing again from so many of you, and hearing from many more of you for the first time. As I said in my message last year, I am but the most recent keeper of a great trust that Mom Hearst passed on to the USSYAA, and I hope that I and the USSYAA continue to do her proud. I appreciate having the opportunity to help keep you all informed of YOUR association’s work, and I enjoy connecting with you as you keep the USSYAA informed about your life’s adventures. I hope you enjoy this year’s newsletter, and I wish you a safe and happy holiday season.



**UNITED STATES
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Alumni Weekend 2008 Calendar of Events

Salute to Public Service Luncheon

When: Friday, February 29, 2008
12:00 noon to 1:00 pm

Where: SD-G11 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, DC
Metro: Union Station (Red)
Capitol South (Blue/Orange)

Cost: \$35.00 per person
Please mail reply form prior to 1/28/2008

Dress: Business attire

Alumni Dinner and Reception

When: Friday, February 29, 2008
6:30 pm – 10:30 pm

Where: The James Monroe House
Arts Club of Washington
2017 I Street NW
Washington, DC
Metro: Farragut West (Blue/Orange)
Farragut North (Red)
*See www.artsclubofwashington.org
for venue information and directions*

Cost: \$35.00 Students
\$50.00 Regular Members
Please mail reply form prior to 2/15/2008

Dress: Business attire

Membership Meeting

When: Saturday, March 1, 2008
10:00 am – 1:00 pm

Where: Homeland Security Governmental Affairs
Committee Hearing Room
342 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, DC
Enter at 1st and C Streets, NE
Metro: Union Station (Red)
Capitol South (Blue/Orange)

Dress: Business casual

Notes: Government-issued photo ID required

Arrival Day and Mentoring Tables

*Sponsored by the William Randolph Hearst
Foundation and US Senate Youth Program*

When: Saturday, March 1, 2008
Starting at 2:30 pm

Where: Renaissance Mayflower Hotel
1127 Connecticut Avenue NW
Washington, DC
Metro: Farragut North (Red)

2008 Alumni Reply Form

Your Name _____ Name as Delegate (if Different) _____

Delegate State _____ Delegate Year _____

- I updated my contact information online on ___/___/____
- Please update my information with the following:

Mailing Address Home Office Campus _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

E-Mail Address _____

Preferred Telephone Number Home Office Campus Mobile _____

- Yes, I plan to attend the Salute to Public Service Luncheon**
Please mail reply form by 1/28/2008 to ensure your registration.

Number of Attendees _____ x \$35.00 = _____

- Yes, I plan to attend the Alumni Dinner and Reception**
Please mail reply form by 2/15/2008 to ensure your registration.

Number of Student Members _____ x \$35.00 = _____

Number of Regular Members _____ x \$50.00 = _____

- Yes, I plan to attend the annual Membership Meeting**
*SSN will be provided to Capitol Police for security purposes.
Current home address is required. Please provide information above.*

Social Security Number: _____ - _____ - _____

- Yes, I would like to participate at the following mentoring
table on Arrival Day:**

- Government Business Law
 Health Care Journalism Education
 College

- Yes, I would like to make a tax-deductible contribution to the
*Rosalie Wynn and George Randolph Hearst, Sr., Alumni
Scholarship Fund.****

- \$10 \$25 \$50 \$100
 \$250 \$500 \$1000 Other _____

- Yes, I would like to make a tax-deductible unrestricted
contribution to the *USSYAA General Fund.****

- \$10 \$25 \$50 \$100
 \$250 \$500 \$1000 Other _____

Please detach and mail with your check (if applicable) to:

USSYAA, PO Box 1798, Washington, DC 20013-1798

*Please investigate whether a matching contribution from your employer is possible. A contribution to the USSYAA or its scholarship fund is not required to participate in the events of alumni weekend. The scholarship fund is a project of the USSYAA and is not affiliated with nor endorsed by the William Randolph Hearst Foundations.