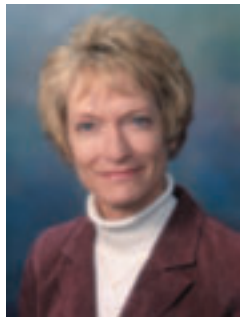




## From Alumni Programs



Aren't Southwestern College alumni terrific? Moundbuilders of all ages, in all parts of the country, and in a wide variety of careers are making a difference in the world and we want to hear about them. In case you are not aware, there are five recognition events that are held each year to lift up and honor outstanding Moundbuilders: Athletic Hall of Fame, Business Hall of Fame, Educators Hall of Fame, Natural Science Hall of Fame, and Scholars Hall of Fame. More details and

nomination forms can be found on the alumni Web site for each of these. But we can't recognize worthy alumni if we don't know of their accomplishments, and that is where you come in.

Please go to the alumni Web site at [www.sckans.edu/alumni2](http://www.sckans.edu/alumni2). Once there, scan the left side of the page to the Halls of Fame section and click on whichever one is of interest to you. Even if you have missed a nomination deadline for this year, go ahead and submit a worthy name for next year. The form will be kept on file until the next selection committee meeting and all nominations are valid for five years.

Thanks in advance for your help with this worthwhile effort. Be sure and check the alumni calendar on the Web site to find dates for hall of fame events throughout the year. We hope you can attend one or all of them!

*Susan Lowe*  
Susan Lowe '95

Director of Alumni Programs

## Moundbuilder Memories

Do you have wonderful memories of your days at SC?

Whether your reflection is happy, silly, poignant, scholarly, or even sad, we want to hear how your campus experience enriched your life and left you with an indelible memory of Southwestern College.

The alumni programs department is collecting "Moundbuilder Memories" short stories to be printed in an annual publication available for purchase through the alumni department. (Cost will be minimal, only to cover printing expenses.)

This publication, *Who's Who of Southwestern College Alumni*, will be compiled and printed by the alumni office. It will include names of newsworthy alumni for the year, photographs, and the collection of "Moundbuilder Memories" stories written that year. Cut-off date for publication each year is June 30. There is no contest; all entries will be included.

Please take part in this opportunity to save your college memories for others to share. **Send your stories to:** Southwestern College Alumni Programs, 100 College St., Winfield, KS 67156-2499, or e-mail [slowe@sckans.edu](mailto:slowe@sckans.edu).

This could be your literary legacy for other Moundbuilders, both present and future!

## Career Resources for Professional Studies

Professional studies alumni can develop their job hunting skills through a series of free seminars being offered at the center. The next will cover interviewing skills, and is set for Friday, March 18, beginning at 6:30 p.m. at the Wichita East center. Interested persons should reserve their space in the seminar by e-mailing [meastman@sckans.edu](mailto:meastman@sckans.edu).

Other career tools available to alumni include those found through Career Resources on the Blackboard academic software. Alumni and current learners who log in to the site find more than 100 links to articles on resume and cover letter writing, career planning, interviewing hints, and tips for successful networking. Other links are available to job postings, scholarship opportunities, and help with an online job search.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**18-22: SC TRAVEL TRIP TO CARNEGIE HALL, NEW YORK CITY**, with Southwestern choir director David Gardner. Come be a part of Moundbuilder history as the A Cappella Choir sings at Carnegie Hall, Monday, March 21, 2005.

**19-25: SC ARTS TRIP IN NEW YORK CITY**, with theatre professor Roger Moon. You will arrive in time to see the SC choir sing at Carnegie Hall, and then stay for a week of the arts in New York City!

**21: NEW YORK REGIONAL ALUMNI EVENT** at Bricco Italiano Ristorante, New York City (6-7:30 p.m.). Join area alumni and SC travel trip participants for dinner before the choir performs on stage at Carnegie Hall.

**21: SOUTHWESTERN COLLEGE A CAPPELLA CHOIR AT CARNEGIE HALL** (8 p.m.). Tickets may be purchased at the Carnegie Hall box office up through the day of the concert.

MARCH

**9: FOUNDERS DAY, SCHOLARS HALL OF FAME, AND EDUCATORS HALL OF FAME**, Southwestern College main campus. 1:30 p.m. Scholars Hall of Fame induction ceremony at Memorial Library; 2 p.m. Educators Hall of Fame reception at Dole Center for Teacher Education; 3 p.m. Educators Hall of Fame induction ceremony, Memorial Library; 5:30 p.m. Founders Day Heritage reception at main level of Christy Hall; 6:15 p.m. Founders Day dinner, Roy L. Smith dining hall.

APRIL

**8: BACCALAUREATE AND COMMENCEMENT** at Southwestern College for the Class of 2005.

**21: VIRGINIA REGIONAL AREA ALUMNI EVENT**, Williamsburg, Va. "Broadway Under the Stars" is a spectacular Virginia Arts Festival Spring event (7:30 p.m.) featuring the music of Gershwin, Bernstein, and Rodgers under the direction of Broadway veteran Rob Fisher and featuring the Virginia Symphony Orchestra. Join alumni hosts Don Smith '82, Lyn (Gagnebin) Bement '73, and Gladys Rodriguez '73, and if you would like, plan a weekend get-away in historic Williamsburg!

MAY

**18: SIXTH ANNUAL SC ALUMNI KC ROYALS EVENT**, Kauffman Stadium, Kansas City. A tailgate barbecue starts the fun at 4:30 p.m., then at 5:30, we'll head over to the stadium. The game begins at 6:10 as the Royals take on the Houston Astros. Be there for this always-fun event, with alumni hosts Ann Richardson '77 and Kent Seyfried '76.

**25: SECOND ANNUAL OKLAHOMA CITY AREA RED HAWKS EVENT** at SBC Bricktown Ballpark (6:15 p.m.). Don't miss this opportunity to see the Red Hawks vs. the Nashville Sounds from the great seats of *The Daily Oklahoman's* ballpark suite. We will have a catered meal followed by the ballgame at 7:05 p.m., but seats are limited so get your reservation in early. Alumni co-hosts are Sue (Lewis) Hale '66, Sidney Devere Brown '47, and Mika Reed '03.

JUNE

Remember, you do not need to live in the area where an event is being held to attend. **All alumni and friends of the college are welcome to attend** any of our events, regardless of location. Check the alumni Web site at [www.sckans.edu/alumni2/](http://www.sckans.edu/alumni2/) or contact the department of alumni programs, (800) 846-1543 ext. 6334, or [slowe@sckans.edu](mailto:slowe@sckans.edu), for more information.

Southwestern College is known for having a quality business program and for producing outstanding graduates. The Business Hall of Fame was established to provide a means of recognizing alumni who have had significant success in their chosen fields of business. Nominations for the Southwestern College Business Hall of Fame are currently being accepted and deadline for this year's nominations is May 1. Forms may be obtained by contacting the office of alumni programs at (800) 846-1543, ext. 6334, or nominations may be submitted online at [www.sckans.edu/campus/alumni/hall\\_of\\_fame/business/nomination\\_form.html](http://www.sckans.edu/campus/alumni/hall_of_fame/business/nomination_form.html).



## Mark your calendar ...

and plan to be on campus for **FOUNDERS DAY**, Saturday, April 9, 2005. In addition to special Founders Day activities, worthy alumni will be recognized at induction ceremonies for the **SCHOLARS HALL OF FAME** and the **EDUCATORS HALL OF FAME** that day.

Reservations may be made by contacting the alumni department at (800) 846-1543 ext. 6231.