

SIGMA TAU DELTA NATIONAL PROGRAM

1986



APRIL 3-5, 1986

SAINT LOUIS UNIVERSITY

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Unless otherwise indicated, all presentations and workshops are on the campus of St. Louis University.

THURSDAY: APRIL 3, 1986

9:30-3:00 BUSCH CENTER

Those arriving early for the convention are invited to participate in the following activities. While these presentations are not part of the Sigma Tau Delta Convention, they are open to "early arriving" members of Sigma Tau Delta.

9:30 a.m. "Good Morning" with coffee and doughnuts [Busch Center 308]

10:00 a.m. T.S. ELIOT SYMPOSIUM [Busch 307 & 308]

- Connie Smith - "T.S. Eliot and St. Louis University"
- Leslie Konnyu - "The St. Louis Celebration of T.S. Eliot 1988 Centennial"
- Dennis Weeks - "The Persona of Two Eliot Poems"
- A.J. Montesi - A Reading of Eliot's Poetry

11:00 a.m. SARAH TEASDALE FILM [Busch Center 201]

Dr. James Scott, film maker, will present film on the life of Teasdale.

1:00 p.m. FRENCH WRITERS AND OTHERS IN ST. LOUIS [Busch Center 307 & 308]

Dr. A.M. deMoret will speak on the French writer and other local ethnic writers.

2:00 p.m. COMIC STRIP WRITING [Busch Center 201]

Dennis O'Neil, science fiction writer and comic strip scenarist, will discuss his work.

2:00 p.m. POETRY READING [Busch Center 307]

Charles Guenther, Student poets, and John Montag will read their original poetry.

3:00-5:00 SIGMA TAU DELTA REGISTRATION

Registration begins on the first floor of Busch Center and continues in the St. Louis Room, 2nd floor Busch Center.

SAINT LOUIS ROOM - Display of various books of convention speakers. Exhibitions of presses and local painters. Display of folios printed by local presses.

Authors: Walter Ong, A.J. Montesi, John Coyne, Tom McDonough, William McAvoy, William Faherty, Harry Cargas, Charles Guenther, Leslie Konnyu, Jim Scott, Dennis O'Neil, Gerald Meyer, Clarence Miller, M.L. Broe, Shirley LeFlore, and others

Exhibitions: Nevertheless Press Kenneth Jackson
Cornerstone Press
Pat McCandles, Paintings
Claude Breckwoltdt, Paintings
Prints of Louis de Brocquy

5:00-7:00 OPEN FOR DINNER

7:00 p.m. EVENING SESSION [Busch, St. Louis Room]

Open Session

Welcome (Dr. H.I. Mandeville)

Introduction of Dr. Stockton, President
STD (Dean Riles, Arts and Sciences)

Introduction of National Board of STD
(Dr. Leavell)

Roll Call of STD Chapters (Dr. Johnson)

Announcements (Dr. A.J. Montesi)

EVENING OPTIONS

7:30-9:00 Voluntary Poetry Reading from Sigma Tau Delta Members [Tegeler Hall, Carlo Auditorium], Hosted by Dr. Mandeville; Members are encouraged to bring whatever poetry they wish to read.

7:30-8:30 Career Options for English Majors
Speakers: Robert Goss, Kincannon and Reed; Gerald Meyer, Vice President for McDonnell-Douglas [Busch Center 201]

9:00 p.m. Panel of expert poets judge voluntary poetry readings in Carlo Auditorium
Judges: John Coyne, Tom McDonough, Dennis O'Neil, H.I. Mandeville.

9:00-10:30 Showing of academy- award winning film, Best Boy, with speaker Tom McDonough, camera man for the film. [Kelley Aud.]

FRIDAY: APRIL 4, 1986

- 8:00 a.m. REGISTRATION, Coffee and Doughnuts
[Busch Foyer]
- 8:30-9:30 SESSION ONE:
- Designing and Publishing a Campus Literary Magazine - Donald Libey, Publisher/Assoc. Editor of The Rectangle [Busch 201]
 - Nuts and Bolts for New Chapters [Busch 307-8]
Tom Davidson & Students from St. Norbert's
- 9:45-10:45 SESSION TWO: Intro: Dr Stockton
Keynote Speaker: Fr. Walter J. Ong, S.J.
"Plato, Writing, Print, and Computers"
[St. Louis Room]
- 11:00-12:00 SESSION THREE:
- Workshop - Dr. Wm. McAvoy on his Twelfth Night Varioum [Busch Center 201]
 - Fund Raising and Fun Raising - Isabel Sparks, Central Regent, Missouri Western State College [Busch 307]
- 1:00-2:00. "On Wordsworth" - Dr. Clarence Miller, St. Louis University [Busch 308]
- 12:00-1:30 LUNCH PERIOD
- 1:30-2:30 Regional Caucuses (Dr. Johnson)
Election of Eastern and Western Regents
Election of five student advisors
Business Meeting
Congratulations to New Members (Dr. Stockton)
National Executive Secretary's Report
(Dr. Johnson)
National Treasurer's Report (Dr. Stockton)
Announcements (Dr. Montesi)
- 2:45-3:45 SESSION FOUR
Publishing Poetry/Prose Workshop
John Coyne, Tony Summers, Tom McDonough
[Busch Center 201]
Sponsor's Workshop (Connie Sutherland and others) [Busch Center 307]
- 3:45-6:00 Optional City Tour or Free Time
Sites of Interest on City Tour:
Union Station, St. Louis Center,
Art Museum, Shaw's Gardens,
Eugene Fields House.

Options to tour of city:
3:45-4:45 - Harry Cargas, Webster University, "Literature and Holocaust" [Busch 308]

4:45-5:45 - Dr. Mary Lynn Broe, SUNY, Binghamton, NY, "Women Writers" [Busch 307]

6:30-8:30 BANQUET: MAGGIE O'BRIEN'S
2000 Market Street
Chapter Roll Call; Outstanding Chapter Awards; Sigma Tau Delta Scholarship Winners; Rectangle Awards

Keynote Speaker: Mr. John Coyne
"The Making of a Novel"

Voices Fore: Choral Poetry Reading

9:00 p.m. MIXER (Forest Park Hotel Convention Room)

SATURDAY: APRIL 5, 1986

8:00-8:45 "Good Morning" coffee and doughnuts [Busch Foyer]

8:45-9:45 SESSION FIVE:

Making Every Chapter Outstanding by winners of the 1985 Outstanding Chapter Awards [Busch Center 307]

Student Involvement in the National STD [Busch Center 308] - Helen Whiteley

10:00-10:45 SESSION SIX:

- Workshop on the new STD Handbook [Busch Center 201]
- Public Relations for STD Chapters Helen Whiteley and Kenneth Chambers [Busch Center 202]
- A.J. Montesi: Poetry Reading
A.J. Montesi: "Teaching of Creative Writing" [Law School 02]

11:00-12:00 A Dialogue on "Film, Novel Writing, and Their Alliance", John Coyne and Tom McDonough [Law School 02]

12:00-1:15 LUNCHEON - Human Resources Building, Medical School Campus, Rooms 110-111 and 112-114. Music by Dan McDermott & Group. (Bus to So. Campus from Busch)

1:30-2:30 Roseanne Brooks will speak on "Clothes As Symbols and Signs in World Culture" [Cupples House]

1:30-2:30 Shirley LeFlore will speak on Black Literature and present a reading from her works [Lecture Hall 2]

3:00 p.m. THE SIGMA TAU DELTA 1986 CONVENTION ENDS.

THERE IS A POST SESSION TO WHICH ALL INTERESTED STD MEMBERS ARE INVITED. THE FOLLOWING IS A SCHEDULE OF EVENTS.

4:00-5:00 Irish Writers in St. Louis - Fr. William Faherty [Cupples House]
"The Celtic Influences on a Contemporary Irish Painter, Louis de Brocquy" - John Griffin [Cupples House]

5:00-6:00 The A.J. Montesi Achievement Awards St. Louis University Competition Only [Cupples House]

6:00-7:00 Reception for Award Winners [Cupples House]

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3:00-5:00 THERE WILL BE A BOARD MEMBERS MEETING OF STD AT MORRISEY HALL, 308. LATER Busch Center 307-8

Sponsors' St Louis Regional & Performing Arts Development Commission, School of Arts and Science, the English Department, and the St Louis University Graduate School Association.