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Memorandum

To: Phi Tau Phi Members

From: Nai-Chang Yeh & Paul Lee
Chapter President & Vice President

Date: October 22, 2003

Subject: 2003 Chapter Fall Meeting on Sunday, November 23.

The 2003 Chapter Fall Meeting will be held at the Library of Avery Center in the California Institute of Technology on **Sunday, November 23**. We are delighted to have Professor Sunney I. Chan, Hoag Professor Emeritus of the California Institute of Technology, as our keynote speaker for the evening. Professor Chan has had a distinguished research and administrative career and has also done great services to Phi Tau Phi over the years, including the President of the West America Chapter from 1981 to 1983. He has recently returned from Taiwan where he served as the Deputy Director of Academia Sinica. Professor Chan will speak to our members about "Science, Research, and Education in Taiwan". In addition to the keynote speech, we shall welcome new members and award the 2003 Phi Tau Phi Scholarships to six outstanding students, including three graduate (Yong Steven Cen, Jun Tony Huang, Jianzhong Xi) and three undergraduate students (Kwan Yu Chiu, Michael Lee, Eric Shin-Hong Lin) in the Southern California area. The scholarship recipients will give poster presentations on their academic activities during the reception. In addition, Professor Phoebe Dea, Secretary of the National Office of Phi Tau Phi, will represent the National Office to make an announcement.

Detailed meeting information and dinner reservation form are enclosed, together with the membership information form for update if any changes are necessary. Please confirm your attendance to the meeting on or before **Thursday, November 13**. Please also check the Phi Tau Phi membership directory on our website http://www.geocities.com/phi_tau_phi_west/ for your membership information. If changes are necessary, please make the corrections and mail the updated information back to the address indicated in the membership information form.

We look forward to seeing you at the Chapter's meeting.

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Phi Tau Phi West America Chapter 2003 Fall Meeting information

Date: Sunday, November 23, 2003.

Location: Library of Avery Center, California Institute of Technology
293 S. Holliston Avenue, Pasadena, CA 91125
(Please see the enclosed instructions for details, or visit our website at
http://www.geocities.com/phi_tau_phi_west/.)

Agenda:

5:30 -- 6:00 PM	Reception & scholarship recipients' poster presentation
6:00 -- 7:20 PM	Dinner buffet
7:20 -- 7:40 PM	Awarding scholarships and introducing new members
7:40 -- 8:10 PM	Oral presentations by scholarship recipients
8:10 -- 8:20 PM	National Office announcement, Professor Phoebe Dea
8:20 -- 8:50 PM	Keynote speech, Professor Sunney I. Chan "Science, Research, and Education in Taiwan"
9:00 PM	Adjourn

Reservation: Dinner @ \$35.00 per person.

Please confirm your attendance to the meeting before **Thursday, November 13, 2003.**

You may either send e-mail to Professor Paul L. Lee (paul.lee@csun.edu) and bring a check payable to the *Phi Tau Phi Scholastic Honor Society*, for dinner reservation to the meeting. Also, if you have not paid the membership due this year, please kindly include it in your check. If you prefer, you may the reply form and check to Professor Paul Lee at the address listed above.

Reply Form for Phi Tau Phi Chapter Meeting on November 23, 2003

Name(s): _____

I (We) plan to attend the meeting.

I (We) cannot attend the meeting.

Dinner reservation @ \$35.00 per person: _____

Membership dues (\$10.00): _____ (if not yet paid in 2003)

Donation to scholarship funds (optional): _____

Donation to general operation funds (optional): _____

Total amount enclosed: _____

(Please make your check payable to Phi Tau Phi Scholastic Honor Society. You may either mail the check or bring it to the meeting. Please confirm your attendance before **November 13, 2003.**)

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Members information update:

1. Name: _____ Chinese Name _____
Spouse's Name: _____
2. Preferred mailing address: _____

 Home Work
3. Telephone: Work _____ Home _____
4. FAX: _____ E-mail: _____
5. Year elected to Phi Tau Phi: _____ (approximate if necessary; please do not omit)
6. Degrees earned: Year _____ Field _____ School _____
Year _____ Field _____ School _____
Year _____ Field _____ School _____
7. Specialization: _____
8. Professional Title: _____
Affiliation: _____
 current latest
9. Suggestions and/or nominations of new members (optional):

Please bring the completed form to the meeting or send it by **November 13, 2003** to:

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Instruction to the Avery Center at Caltech

The Avery Center (Building #99 on the Caltech campus map) is located at 293 S. Holliston Avenue in Pasadena. The nearest cross street is Del Mar Blvd., and the Avery Center is south of Del Mar, east of Chester Avenue, and west of Hill Avenue. The Avery Library where the meeting is to be held is on the first floor of the Avery Center. If going east bound on Del Mar Blvd., you should make a right turn onto Holliston. The Avery Center should be to your right on Holliston, and the parking lot to your left, which is marked as #107 on the campus map. For more details, please refer to the enclosed campus map, or go to the web site <http://www.caltech.edu/map/>.

If you take 210 Freeway, get off Hill Avenue exit and turn south on Hill. Once you reach Del Mar, make a right turn and travel one block to Holliston, then make a left turn on Holliston and park.

If you travel via 110 Pasadena Freeway, go all the way to Pasadena. The 110 Freeway becomes Arroyo Parkway. Continue going north on Arroyo until you reach Del Mar, then make a right turn to Del Mar until you pass Wilson, Chester, and then reach Holliston. Turn right onto Holliston and park.

In case that you have further questions or need hard copies of the maps, please contact the administration assistant to Professor Yeh, Ms. Loly Ekmekjian, for more information. Her e-mail address is loly@alice.caltech.edu, and her phone number is (626) 395-4315.