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BUSINESS HONOR SOCIETY HOSTS ANNUAL INDUCTION BANQUET

(Mahwah) – The Delta Mu Delta National Business Honor Society hosted its 20th anniversary induction banquet on March 30 in the Pavilion on the campus of Ramapo College of New Jersey.

Giving the keynote address was Ramapo College alumna Frances Hackett '80, vice president, Administration and the Office of Servicemembers' Group Life Insurance (OSGLI), Prudential Financial, and a member of the College's Foundation Board of Governors and School of Administration and Business Advisory Board. She resides in South Plainfield.

Four student inductees spoke at the ceremony. Jasmina Bisanovic of Mahwah earned induction for the second time as an MBA, having earned induction as an undergraduate student. Thomas Gerlach of Oakland, who is enrolled in the College's MBA program; Marta Izak of Westwood, who is in the College's Marketing and Criminal Justice program; and Ralph Pena of Highland Mills, NY, a major in business administration/finance also gave presentations.

Dana W. Hildebrandt of Forked River, an accounting major, was selected by the School of Administration and Business as the 2005 Outstanding Student. The new inductees selected Dr. Teresa Hutchins, assistant professor of economics at the College as the 2005 Outstanding Teacher. This is the second time she has received the award.

Dr. Frederic Champlin, dean of the School of Administration and Business and an associate professor of management was recognized for outstanding service. Also recognized were Gail Brady, chairperson of the College's Board of Trustees; Cathleen

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Davey, executive director of the Ramapo College Foundation; student Anthony Dovi; Dr. Kathleen Fowler, professor of English and women's studies; and Bernard Milano, a member of the Ramapo College Foundation's Board of Governors.

Fifty-five students were inducted at the March 30 event. They included:

Suzanne Armhold, Spotswood	Kevin James Keenan, Montvale
Jessica L. Asgar, Rivervale	Christina M. Lastra, Wharton
Michael A. Best, Mahwah	Brian C. Marker, Oakland
Elona Bogopolsky, Cresskill	Lynette R. Martin, Suffern, NY
Fernando Brens, Paterson	Joseph V. Martinello, Jr., Ramsey
David Robert Brooks, Vernon	Charles Matrai, Oakland
Cynthia Chasse, Green Brook	Nicole T. Peterson, Toms River
Vanessa Melo Cirne, Rutherford	Melinda Piscopo, Ridgewood
James A. Clavijo, Clifton	Gabrielle N. Platukis, Wantage
Anthony J. Cusmano, Garfield	Christine M. Prodrumides, Campbell Hall, NY
Yanina De Leon, Paterson	Gary Reloj, Pomona, NY
Brian Dikun, Rutherford	Bridget C. Rivers, Paramus
Genadi Enchev, Mahwah	Emely Rodriguez, Newark
Ruth Arlene Ferguson, Verona	Jaclynn N. Sabat, Forked River
Jill Leah Freudenfels, E. Brunswick	Gail M. Stibitz, Netcong
Stephanie Ganz, Berkeley Heights	John S. Taccarino, Marmora
Robert James Greulich, Clifton	Tuguldur Tungalag, Mahwah
Rachel Esther Herbert, Neptune	Daniel J. Vaccarella, Toms River
Delvin Kariuki, Paterson	Michael Weinstock, Monroe, NY

Delta Mu Delta is a national honor society that promotes and recognizes outstanding business student achievement. Ramapo College students are eligible for induction through its Delta Nu Chapter. Delta Mu Delta membership is the highest national recognition a business student can earn. Students who are inducted become lifetime members. Faculty advisors to Delta Nu/Delta Mu Delta are Susan Eisner, M.P.A., associate professor of management and Constance Crawford, M.B.A., C.P.A., associate professor of accounting.

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