



April/May 2005

Events

You Can't Take It with You
Reilly Theater
April 20–May 8

Chancellor's Day Parade
LSU Parade Ground
April 28

LSU Dance Concert
Shaw Center for the Arts
April 29–30

Spring Commencement
May 20

LSU Memorial Day Ceremony
LSU Parade Ground
May 30

LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY

From the Desk of Chancellor Sean O'Keefe

What's new @ LSU

In recent months, LSU students set yet more benchmarks for National Flagship Agenda success—on and off the field!

The Producers Too, a team of five accounting students from LSU's E. J. Ourso College of Business, was named the national winner of the xAct competition sponsored by PricewaterhouseCoopers. Bonnie Dye, Sanaz Aghazadeh, Colton Fontenot, Daniel Fontenot, and Mattie Pourciau competed against teams from Binghamton University, Indiana University, Marquette University, and Saint Louis University. Professor Barbara Apostolou was the team's mentor.

Erin Meradith, an accounting student at LSU's E. J. Ourso College of Business, received the William S. Smith Student Highest Achievement Award from the Institute of Internal Auditors for earning the highest score of students worldwide on the 2004 Certified Internal Auditor exam. Wendy Overton, business manager for the Division of Continuing Education, took a certificate of honor for exceptional performance on the exam.

Prior to their appearances in the NCAA Tournaments, the LSU men's and women's basketball teams swept SEC honors awarded by the Associated Press. Sophomore forward Brandon Bass and junior guard Seimone Augustus were named the conference's players of the year for the men's and women's divisions, respectively. First-year head coach Pokey Chatman was selected as the coach of the year for the women's division.

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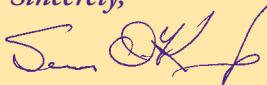
What a privilege it is for me to serve you as LSU's chancellor. It is exciting to be a part of this great university as it brings to fruition its aspiration for national pre-eminence articulated in the National Flagship Agenda.

The enthusiasm and support of LSU faculty and staff for the Flagship Agenda and the outstanding efforts of our students—as evidenced on the reverse side of this postcard—without question ensure our success.

I welcome the challenges and opportunities that face us as we write the next chapter in LSU's history.

My family and I have enjoyed a wonderfully warm welcome to the campus and the Baton Rouge community. As the months unfold, I plan to meet and get to know LSU friends and supporters in cities and towns across the state, to share my vision for our University and to learn from you how LSU can best continue to serve the citizens of Louisiana.

Sincerely,



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Chancellor

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