HONORS POSTER PRESENTATION AND RECEPTION
Featuring Honors Projects of Spring 2006 Graduates

Wednesday, April 26, 2006 from 3:30-5:30 p.m. in the Great Hall, Memorial Union

College of Agriculture
* Rebecca Bandli, Horticulture & International Agriculture
* Joel Britson, Microbiology & Agricultural Biochemistry, graduating F’06
  * Andrew Brown, Biochemistry, graduating S’07
Elizabeth Dahlstrom, Food Science and Human Nutrition, presented S’05
  * James Gilbert, Environmental Science
  * Elicia Grace, Genetics & Microbiology
Melissa Grant, Animal Science, presented F’05
  * Christopher Groth, Agricultural Biochemistry, graduating S’07
  * Cara Langfitt, Animal Ecology
* Tara Miller, Animal Science & Microbiology, presenting mentor research
  * Sarah Mullen, Dairy Science & Agricultural Business
  * Joshua Obrecht, Animal Ecology
* Katie Petersen, Plant Health and Protection & International Agriculture
  * Laura Riley, Animal Science & Animal Ecology
    * Ann Rossi, Agronomy
  * Jennifer Scaccianoce, Animal Science
  * Kyle Taylor, Agriculture Biochemistry
  * Stephanie Tsang, Agricultural Biochemistry
  * Mary-Elizabeth West, Animal Ecology

College of Business
* Matthew Ahrens, Finance & Accounting
  Valerie Andersen, Finance, presented S’05
  * Valerie Anderson, Marketing
* Thomas Barntsen, Marketing & Management
  * Erin Brownmiller, Accounting
* Ian Cassady, Finance & International Business
  * Janessa Fink, Marketing & Management
  Karen Goff, Accounting, presented F’05
  * Michelle Hanninen, Marketing
    * Jennifer Hansen, Accounting
  * Paul Keller, Finance & Environmental Studies
  * Drew Larsen, Accounting & Political Science
Ashley Ober, Accounting & Finance, presented F’05
  * Barbara Orr, Accounting, graduating S’07
  * Ashley Osgood, Management & Marketing
* Craig Padleckas, Management Information Systems & Accounting
  Melissa Remhof, Accounting & Finance, presented F’05
    * Cristin Setchell, Finance
  * Sarah Sletten, Finance, presenting mentor research
  Kelsey Ulmer, Accounting & Management, presented F’05
  * Megan Vesely, Finance & International Business
    Megan Weiler, Finance, presented F’05
    * Dean Woodward, Finance
College of Engineering
* Nicholas Benson, Aerospace Engineering, presenting mentor research
* Justine Bormann, Aerospace Engineering, presenting mentor research
  * Jonathan Brand, Agricultural Engineering, graduating F’06
* Mark Brayton, Mechanical Engineering, presenting mentor research
  * Karl Broer, Agricultural Engineering, graduating S’07
* Andrew Cinnamon, Aerospace Engineering, presenting mentor research
* Cole Christensen, Aerospace Engineering, presenting mentor research
  * Allison Cole, Chemical Engineering, presenting mentor research
  * Samuel Cotter, Civil Engineering, presenting mentor research
* Elizabeth Deyoung, Aerospace Engineering, presenting mentor research
  * Joel Dunham, Aerospace Engineering
* Robert Grandin, Aerospace Engineering, presenting mentor research
* Brian Kaplinger, Aerospace Engineering, presenting mentor research
* Frank Laipert, Aerospace Engineering, presenting mentor research
  * Ben Schlesser, Agricultural Engineering
* Matthew Strayer, Aerospace Engineering, presenting mentor research

College of Human Sciences
Nandini Bakshi, Elementary Education, presented F’05
* Morgan Brubaker, Health and Human Performance, graduating F’06
  * Jessica Conrad, Dietetics
Erin Dutcher, Early Childhood Education, presented F’04
Melissa Fox, Nutritional Science & Biochemistry, presented S’05
* Sarah Kenkel, Family and Consumer Sciences Education and Studies, graduating S’07
  * Nicole Laugesen, Apparel Design and Merchandising
  * Megan Miller, Health and Human Performance
  * Jessica Russell, Health and Human Performance
* Elizabeth Starrett, Food Science, presenting mentor research
  * Dawn Wedeking, Health and Human Performance
* Melissa Wilmarth, Family and Consumer Sciences Education and Studies

College of Liberal Arts and Sciences
* Anna Burhardt, Genetics
* Catherine Compton, Music Education & Vocal Performance, graduating F’07
  * Kate Ekle, Psychology
Melissa Fox, Nutritional Science & Biochemistry, presented S’05
* Karen Groszek, Mathematics
  * Perry Iverson, Computer Science & Mathematics
    * Mark Jacobson, Biology
  * Brendan Kline, Mathematics & Economics
    * Celeste Kruger, Psychology
    * Stephanie Law, Physics
    * Jennifer Lowry, Biology
  * Warren Miller, Technical Communication
  * Tyler Niska, History & English Literature
  * Alexis Olson, Sociology & Psychology
    * Emily Puhl, Spanish & History
* Nicholas Redmond, Philosophy & Religious Studies & Sociology
  * Alex Reynolds, Chemistry
* Lauren Roscoe, Political Science & International Studies
  * Courtney Segota, Anthropology
  * Sara Snyder, Biochemistry
* Ramsey Tesdell, Technical Communication
College of Design

* Michael Barta, Art: Graphic Design
* Anthony Borich, Community and Regional Planning & Political Science, presented S’05
* Bethany Carton, Landscape Architecture
* Ian Hampson, Landscape Architecture
* Carl Hoffnagle, Graphic Design
* Jaclynne Maranell, Art and Design & Advertising, graduating 1’06
* Lisa Mattheussen, Architecture
* Marnie Meylor, Art: Graphic Design
* Levi Reeves, Architecture
* Carrie Rosman, Art and Design & Journalism and Mass Communication
* Brian Ryckman, Landscape Architecture
* Theodore Willger, Landscape Architecture
* Tim Youngquist, Community & Regional Planning

*Student is Presenting
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HONORS PROGRAM INFORMATION
Spring 2006 HONORS CALENDAR
April 18: Fall 2006 Seminar Registration opens at noon
April 19: HSB Ultimate Frisbee, 6:30 p.m., RCA Courtyard
April 24-28: Dead Week
April 26: Poster Presentation, 3:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m., Great Hall, Memorial Union
May 1-5: Finals Week
HONORS COURSES
Students may obtain reference numbers for Honors courses from http://www.public.iastate.edu/~honors/courses/f06courses.html, the Honors program Course/Seminar Brochure, the Honors Office, or the semester Schedule of Classes at http://www.adp.iastate.edu/cgi-bin/class. Students register on the web for Honors courses during their specially assigned registration periods. Honors courses are filled on a first-come, first-served basis. Courses and lab sections marked by a $ require students to pay an additional fee for course materials.

HONORS SEMINARS
The following is a listing of the Honors Seminars for the Fall 2006 semester. Full descriptions of the seminars can be found online at http://www.iastate.edu/~honors/seminars/currentseminars.html. Seminar registration begins April 18th at noon. Reference numbers are now posted online. Reminder: do not register for the seminars before noon on the 18th. Any registrations before noon will not be considered valid.

HON 321A  King Arthur: History, Legend & Cinema          MW 10-10:50am (IP)
HON 321B  Cracking the Code of Life: Biology in the Information Age       W 6:00-8:00pm (2nd)
HON 321C  Concepts of Ecosystem Health: Is There a Doctor in the House   M 2:10-4:00 (2nd)
HON 321D  Contemporary Arabic Culture                        R 11:00-12:00pm (IP)
HON 321E  Creative Imagery, Manipulating the Medium and the Message   T 11:00 – 11:50 am
HON 321F  Innovation: From Good to Successful Ideas            W 9:30-11:30am (1st)
HON 321G  Reduce, Recycle and Redesign – Basics of Campus Sustainability     T 1:10-2:00pm
HON 321H  Incunabula to PDFs: What is the Future of Libraries?       T 6:00-8:00pm (2nd)
HON 321J  Different Selves: Individual Identity and Its Role in Community R 10:00-11:50am (1st)
HON 321K  The Pilgrimage Route to Santiago de Compostela (Spain)      W 1:10-2:00pm (IP)
HON 321L  Christianity and Science                              R 11:00-1:00pm (1st)
HON 321M  DaVinci and Friends: Decoding Italian Renaissance Art     T 4:10-5:00pm (IP)
HON 321N  Developing Your Emotional Intelligence: EQ over IQ?        R 3:10-5:00pm (2nd)
HON 321P  Transformational Role of Information Technology          T 3:10-5:00pm (1st)
HON 321Q  Foods for Space Exploration                          T 3:10-4:00pm
HON 321R  Introduction to Human-Computer Interaction                (Day/Time TBA) (1st)
HON 321S  Art, Medicine, Healing and the Creative                TR 3:10-4:00pm (2nd)
HON 321T  Are You What You Eat?                        (day/Time TBA)
HON 321U  Cyborgs: Fact and Fiction                           T 7:00-9:00pm
HON 321V  From LOL to LMAO: Is it TMI?                     M 3:10-5:00pm (2nd)
HON 321W  Wisdom for a Livable Planet: People Who Made a Difference  W 5:10-7:00pm
HON 321Y  (A)Broad: Gender in an International Context          T 2:10-4:00pm (1st)
HON 321Z  Vampires, Witches, & Commissars: Russian & Soviet Fairy Tales F 10:00-10:50am

*(2nd) denotes that the seminar will be held during the 2nd half of the fall semester, (1st) denotes that it will be held during the 1st half of the fall semester. (IP) denotes the seminar has been approved for International Perspectives Credit.

CREDIT LIMIT FOR REGISTRATION
The general registration policy states that students cannot register for more than eighteen (18) credits for any semester. All Honors students will have a twenty-one (21) credit limit for registration. This limit will be coded automatically by the Honors Program.

PASS/NOT PASS POLICY FOR HONORS STUDENTS
Honors students may not take any course Pass/Not Pass unless approval has been secured from the student’s college Honors committee prior to the student selecting the Pass/Not Pass option. Please note that this policy does not apply to courses/seminars offered on a Satisfactory/Fail grading system. It applies only to those courses - both Honors and non-Honors- for which you may elect the Pass/Not Pass system rather than
the standard A-F grading system.

NEW MEMBERS
Please join the University Honors office is welcoming the following New Members:

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HAVE ANY GOOD IDEAS LATELY?
If you have a good idea for an Honors Seminar topic, let us know. We are always interested in good seminar topics. If you have an idea who could or should teach the seminar, we’d love to hear that too. Please contact Gene Takle or Ricki Shine.

POSTER PRESENTATION INFO
This Spring’s Honors Poster Session will be on April 26 from 3:30-5:30 p.m. in the Great Hall of the Memorial Union. Mark your calendars for the upcoming dates if you are planning on presenting at the Spring Poster Presentation:

Project Abstract: Due April 22nd
Post Graduate Info: Due May 1st

These forms are all on-line at: http://www.iastate.edu/~honors/general/projects.html.

GRADUATING WITH HONORS?
Honors Graduates can pick up their Graduation Cords from 2130 Jischke Honors Building during Finals Week. *(Those graduating from Human Sciences will receive theirs during their College convocation.)* Certificates will be handed out by each college.

HSB NEWS
INTRODUCING THE NEW HSB EXEC BOARD
President – Rachel Allen
Vice President – Chris Groth
Secretary – Krista Sheldahl
Treasurer – Alicia Owens
Intramural Chair – Lisa Willman
Social Chair – Suzy Khert
Programming Chair – Miko Wilford
Publicity Chair – Mariana Seda
Webmaster – Karen Tarara

ULTIMATE FRISBEE
It’s that time of year again! Grab your discs and come play Ultimate Frisbee with the Honors Student Board. This is a competitive event, so winning team members will receive Champion t-shirts provided by HSB. There are a few students who have managed to win one at every Ultimate event, so the stakes
are higher than ever this year! Come alone or bring a team of your friends, but make sure to check out HSB Ultimate Frisbee - Wednesday, April 19th at 6:30 at the RCA Courtyard. See you there!

W. ROBERT PARKS AWARD RECIPIENTS
Congratulations to the following individuals who have received the 2006 Parks Award for their contributions to Iowa State University Honors Program: Quinn Warnick (Faculty), Tom Becker (Friend), and Lisa Willman (Student).

The W. Robert Parks Commendation is an award given to a faculty member, a friend, and a student who is associated with and has made an outstanding contribution to the University Honors Program. Award recipients receive a plaque and are treated to a dinner at the end of the year.

GRANTS, SCHOLARSHIPS & OTHER FUNDING
RESEARCH GRANTS FOR HONORS PROJECTS
Grants of up to $500 (University Honors Grants) are available from the Honors Program to defray expenses of your Honors Research Project. A description of the project and a detailed budget are part of the application process. Projects that are substantially completed are ineligible for funding - apply early in your project planning process! Detailed information, including applications, guidelines, and funding are available at http://www.iastate.edu/~honors/general/projects.html or from Suzanne in the Honors Office. The best grant applications are typed, free of spelling errors, and contain thoughtful and clear explanations of project goals and budgets. Work with your project advisor in preparing your application and call the Honors Office at 294-0855 with questions or concerns. There is no specific deadline for University Honors Grants.

EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES
STUDY ABROAD ESSAY CONTEST: TRAVEL! WRITE! WIN!
Did study abroad make a difference in your life? Did your study abroad experience influence your career, personal development, or educational opportunities? The Study Abroad Center wants to know about it!

As part of the official “Year of Study Abroad” as designated by the U.S. Congress, Iowa State University is sponsoring a Study Abroad Center Essay Contest. All current and former ISU students who have a study abroad experience may participate. All winning essays will be published on the Study Abroad Center website, and prizes will be awarded.

Please go to the ISU Study Abroad Center homepage and click on “Year of Study Abroad Essay Contest” to enter. http://www.iastate.edu/~study-abroad/

Go directly to the Essay Contest Web site:
http://www.iastate.edu/~study-abroad/YOSA/YOSA.html

YPA ISU PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SERIES
Come experience a session related to professional development & quality of life. The session will be held at the Memorial Union from 12:15pm to 1:00pm. Please bring your own sack lunch and participate in an open panel discussion with dessert on us! For more information on the session, visit www.ypames.com or contact Monica Gutshall at monicag@gatewayames.com.

Congrats, you got the job! But what else can your community offer you? 
Wednesday, April 19, 2006 !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! Oak Room
Transitioning from being a student to being in the real world can be challenging, even socially. The usual FACs and frat parties just aren’t the same once you have a career and start working 40 hours a
week. Come hear representatives from Juice, Des Moines’ newest and hippest publication, talk about transitioning socially as a student, what to look for in your community, how to get involved, and how to enjoy it all!

SUMMER OPPORTUNITIES
TELSTAR POSITION HIRING
Do you love talking to new people? Sharing your awesome Iowa State experiences with others? Learning new things? Do you want to gain personal and professional experience, work in a family environment, and develop your leadership skills? If these things sound interesting to you, you may want to apply to be an Iowa State University TelSTAR!

The TelSTARS are a diverse group of 20 Iowa State students who build relationships with prospective students. They answer a variety of questions about the University, and enjoy sharing their personal experiences. The TelSTARS feel that this is not just a “job”. They are a fun group and a meaningful organization! Please read below for the job description and apply today!

Desired Characteristics:
Enthusiasm
Knowledge of Iowa State
Outgoing
Reliable
Friendly
Personable
Self-Motivated
Willingness to Learn

Necessary Skills or Requirements:
Enjoy talking on the phone
Able to make good conversation with strangers
Customer Service Experience
Computer Knowledge
Must be able to work a minimum of 12 hours a week. (Hours of operation are 4-8 Monday-Thursday and Sunday 12-8 during the school year. We change to summer hours of Monday-Friday 11-5 in June). Prefer staff that can work commit to summer and fall.

Call 294-4591 or email: telstars@mail.adp.iastate.edu if you have questions! Apply in room 0122 of the Student Services Building. Ask for Jen. Applications are due Wednesday, April 19 by 5 p.m.

WILD ROCKIES FIELD INSTITUTE BOUNDARY WATERS COURSE
WILD ROCKIES FIELD INSTITUTE is offering an 18-day, academic, field-based course, "Boundary Waters: Wilderness Land & Lakes", July 17 - August 4, 2006 in the exquisite wildlands of northern Minnesota and southern Ontario!! Earn 3 semester credits through the University of Montana, transferable to other colleges & universities.

Do something different this summer. Have an adventure! Canoe and backpack among loons, northern lights and bushels of blueberries! Spend intimate time with the land and water! Develop a sense of place and get a taste of the ecology and management issues facing an area that supersedes political boundaries.

Read more about the course at: http://www.wildrockies.org/wrfi/trips/BWCA04.html
Application deadline is April 20. For more information and an application, contact the Wild Rockies
FULLFILL IP REQUIREMENTS ABROAD
Still looking for something to do this summer? Fulfill your International Perspectives Requirement with an adventure by Studying Abroad! The following travel courses have a limited number of spots available. If you are interested please stop by 111 Curtis or contact Jamie Harpenau, jharp@iastate.edu right away for more information.

Brazil - May 9 - 28
* Spend 5 days traveling down the Amazon River by boat
* See how life is lived along the banks of the Amazon
* Visit the pristine beaches of Alter do Chao the "Caribbean of Para" along the Amazon river
* Explore the Atlantic Rain Forest
* Stay in Recife, one of the oldest cities in Brazil
* Visit mangroves and The Manatee Project, Itamaraca Island
* Visit Sugar Mill and Sugar Cane plantations

Ghana, Africa - May 8 - 28
** Visit a Monkey Sanctuary
** Cocoa Research Institute
** Go on a canopy walk in the rain forest
** Visit two castles used to house slaves once
** Visit Mole National Park - see elephants, antelopes, hartebeests, waterbucks, buffalo!and warthogs. Also the possibility to see lions, leopards, and hyenas

East Asia - (South Korea and/or China) May 7 - June 10
You can choose to go to both countries for 5 weeks to conduct a comparative study, or go to either of the two countries for 16 days for a more focused study. The unique part of this travel course is the hands-on learning opportunity. You will get your hands wet while you are there and get immersed in the culture as much as possible. You will be!!
* interacting with students (both college and K-12 level)!
* observing and actually working with some of the farmers on their farms!
* home stay in South Korea!!
* even possible home stay with Chinese farm families.!!

If you are getting tired of learning another culture through newspaper, Internet, and classroom lectures? Come and join us for a once-in-a-life experience in China and/or South Korea!

WINGSPEAD CONFERENCES
ATTEND A MEETING OF THOUGHTFUL INQUIRY
Wingspread conferences, sponsored by The Johnson Foundation, bring together experts and other individuals who are leaders in the development of policies specific to the conferences. Honors students at Iowa State are among the students from only a dozen other schools around the nation who have special status as Wingspread Fellows and are invited to apply to attend the conferences at no cost to themselves. Students attend as observers to the deliberations, but have plenty of opportunity to interact with the experts on an informal basis. In fact, it is not necessary to be majoring in the area of the conference topic. The Foundation is interested in encouraging students to become educated citizens and, thus, have opened these conferences to any interested student. Wingspread was built in 1939 and designed by Frank Lloyd Wright. Wingspread is located on Wind Point, a peninsula on the western shore of Lake Michigan in Wisconsin. For further information on the conference or facility go to
http://www.johnsonfdn.org/tour.html. Please look at the information below for upcoming conferences and consider becoming a Wingspread Fellow. ALL OF YOUR EXPENSES ARE PAID FOR THE CONFERENCES. Contact Ricki Shine, rshine@iastate.edu, or 294-4292, AS SOON AS POSSIBLE if you are interested in attending one of the sessions.

What’s Going On in Community Media?
Statement of Purpose: Across the country, communities are taking control of the media and adapting the new technologies to their purposes. They are partnering with public broadcasters, establishing low-power radio stations, organizing on cable access channels, joining community wireless networks, and producing for satellite-delivered public interest channels. How can we help these innovative communities sustain their efforts and connect with one another? This conference was developed to: Bring community media innovations to scale. The principal issue is: Community media. Synopsis: Across the country, communities are taking control of the media and adapting the new technologies to their purposes. They are partnering with public broadcasters, establishing low-power radio stations, organizing on cable access channels, joining community wireless networks, and producing for satellite-delivered public interest channels. How can we help these innovative communities sustain their efforts and connect with one another? Dates: Tuesday, April 18 - Thursday, April 20– begins at TBD and adjourns at TBD

Achieving the Promise of Community-Higher Education Partnerships
Statement of Purpose: To advance authentic community-higher education partnerships through a network of experienced community partners. This conference was developed to: Advance the civic engagement “movement” through the articulation of issues, solutions, and recommendations garnered from community practitioners who have experienced both the positive and negative sides of community-campus partnerships. Synopsis: Conferees will discuss issues and opportunities in developing authentic partnerships between community organizations and higher education institutions from the perspective of community partners. Emphasis will be placed on lessons learned and concrete actions that can be taken to strengthen the development of reciprocal partnerships. Expected Outcomes: Statement of perspectives; recommendations for partnership development; case studies and an action plan. Dates: April 24-26, 2006 (Monday - Wednesday)– begins at 4:00 p.m. and adjourns at 1:30 p.m.

Building Bridges: Marriage, Fatherhood, and Domestic Violence
Statement of Purpose: To improve communications and cooperation between the marriage, fatherhood, and domestic violence advocacy communities. This conference was developed to: Address tensions and distrust between these three advocacy groups. The principal issue is: Marriage, domestic violence, and fatherhood. Synopsis: These advocacy groups share the goal of fostering healthy and safe families. Yet their agendas and search for dollars often causes them to behave as adversaries. This meeting will bring these groups together to clear the air and better pursue their common objectives. Co-sponsors: Center for Law and Social Policy, The National Conference of State Legislatures, and The Johnson Foundation. Expected Outcome: A détente among these groups and perhaps a common agenda. Dates: May 1-3, 2006 (Monday-Wednesday)– begins at 4:00 p.m. and adjourns at 1:00 p.m.

Funders’ Network for Smart Growth and Livable Communities
Statement of Purpose: To define best smart growth practices and model behaviors needed to achieve success in states and regions across the country and to help identify indicators to evaluate the Network and its members’ impact and effectiveness on smart growth initiatives. This conference was developed to: Create an internal/organizational plan for evaluation, which will be incorporated into the Funders’ Network strategic plan and to develop an assessment tool the Funders’ Network will use in performing leadership services. The principal issue is: Smart Growth. Synopsis: This conference distills lessons from 20 years of smart growth practice to be applied in regions across the nation. Outcome: Guidelines for effective smart growth programs supported by foundations and non-profits. Dates: May 31 - June 2, 2006 (Wednesday-Friday)– begins at 6:00 p.m., adjourns at 1:00 p.m.
Leadership Summit for Sustainable America: Energy and Climate Change (1st of 4)

Statement of Purpose: To review the nation’s progress on sustainable development over the past decade, focusing on energy and climate change, and to develop an action plan for advancing U.S. sustainability over the next five years. This conference was developed to: Begin a two year process to create an action plan based on key findings of the President’s Council on Sustainable Development report (1996), and develop sustainability indicators for measuring progress at the national level. The principal issue is: Sustainable development nationally. Synopsis: This conference begins a series of four with an examination of climate and energy goals for the US. Future conferences will address other specialized areas. Outcome: An action plan and set of indicators to measure progress, and assignments for organizations to track progress. Dates: June 5-7, 2006 (Monday-Wednesday)— begins at 6:00 p.m. and adjourns at 1:00 p.m.

Blue Water in Green Cities

Statement of Purpose: To ensure that cities and their water resources become ecologically sustainable and are able to provide clean water for all beneficial uses, and address legal and social barriers to urban ecological sustainability and propose practical ways to overcome those barriers. This conference was developed to: Explore the links between urban water quality and hydrology, and the broader concepts of green cities and smart growth. The principal issue is: Urban water use. Synopsis: Conferees will develop standards and practices for handling urban water courses in natural, instead of engineered, settings. Co-Sponsors: National Science Foundation, CDM Inc., Northeastern University, and The Johnson Foundation. Expected Outcome: Standards for natural watercourses and purification in urban areas. Dates: July 12-14, 2006 Wednesday - Friday— begins at 1:30 p.m. and adjourns at 1:00 p.m.

GETTING INTO FORT JISCHKE AFTER HOURS

In order to have after-hours access to the Honors Building, see Linda in the Honors Office and sign up for access. You then will be assigned a card. If you already have a university-provided keycard to enter your residence, the Honors Building system will be coded to allow you entrance using that keycard. If you do not have a keycard, you will be issued one that you will be able to pick up at the Honors Program Office. It may be as long as two weeks for the new keycards to be issued or for current keycards to be coded into the system. You will be granted access to the Honors Building as long as you are a member of the Honors Program in good standing and you must abide by the After Hours Building Use Policy. If you lose your access card there is a $15 replacement fee.

THE AFTER-HOURS BUILDING-USE POLICY FOR THE JISCHKE HONORS BUILDING! Three words: DON'T BE STUPID!

If you need further elaboration, read on:

These are a few rules and guidelines that all students must follow when using the Honors Building after business hours. These are based on the Building-Use policy, ISU building-use regulations, ISU security regulations, and Jischke Honors Building supervisor policies. In general, after-hours use of the Honors Building is a PRIVILEGE granted by ISU security and the Building Supervisor Ricki Shine. This privilege can and has been revoked for student noncompliance of the building policies and guidelines. It is for the benefit of all that these guidelines be followed. HSB, as the Honors student representative body, has the responsibility to make all Honors students aware of these policies and to enforce them. These common-sense rules MUST be followed; by not doing so, you directly jeopardize the privilege of Honors Building use after hours for all students.

---Entrance after hours is by access card only. Card readers are located at the Northeast door and the South door.
---Do not post any signs, flyers, etc. on the walls or woodwork.
---Pick up trash before you leave.
---You may not sleep overnight in the Honors Building.
---Only members in good standing in the Honors Program are allowed in the Honors Building. You may not allow non-honors students into the building after hours.
---NEVER prop an outside door open - it violates the university building-use policy and it sets off an alarm.
---If you are the last person to leave the Honors Building after hours, you MUST check:

*Computers: Are the computers and printers all turned off?
*Lights: Are all lights EXCEPT the foyer lights turned off?
*Trash: Is trash picked up off of the floor? Is the kitchen and lounge area straightened-up? Are all books returned to where they belong?
---If someone is studying, respect their right to study quietly - that's why the building is here.
---Don't use the phone for lengthy personal conversations. If you unplug the phone in the lounge area an alarm will go off and DPS will be alerted. It is for the benefit of all that these guidelines be followed.

NOTE: There is to be no alcohol or illegal drugs in the Honors Building at any time. Violators will be referred to the Dean of Students for disciplinary action.