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**Greetings!**

Welcome to our new electronic newsletter, The Crest. Our initial foray into the world of eNews has proven to be quite popular, so we've officially launched this new publication for brothers and friends of the fraternity.

The Crest will be our quick response mechanism for disseminating news and information about the fraternity on a regular basis. If you have eMail contact information for anyone in the brotherhood, please pass it along to HQ so we can keep everyone in the loop.

Enjoy The Crest!

Fraternally,

Darold Larson, Executive Director

**• Conclave Recap****Acacia Enters Its "Gateway To Greatness"**

The first Conclave of Acacia's second century made history when over 200 of our Fraternity's finest alumni and undergraduates converged on the city of St. Louis, Missouri, for the 54th Biennial Conclave and Leadership Academy. With the famed St. Louis Arch as a backdrop for our theme, Gateway to Greatness, we prepared to enter our own....

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**• Death of a Hero****Morningside Brother Killed In Iraq**

During his young life, Donald Champlin, Morningside '96, had trouble saying where he was from. As the son of a Marine, he lived in at least 10 different places. The last place he resided — Iraq — was only for a month....

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**• New HQ Staff****McGovern Returns In New Role**

Patrick McGovern, Indiana '99, a former Leadership Consultant for the fraternity, has been hired to fill the newly-created position of Director of Membership Development....

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**• New Consultant****Ross Joins HQ Staff**

Daniel Ross, University of Central Oklahoma '02, is the fraternity's newest Leadership Consultant....

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## • Brother Search

### New Online Brother Search Goes Live

Been trying to track down an old pledge brother? Ever wondered what happened to the guy who used to crack everyone up in the house? Now you can find out with a few clicks of your mouse with Acacia's online brother search feature at Acacia.org.

It's couldn't be any easier. Simply login to Egypt on Acacia.org and click on "Find A Brother".

**[Click here to search for a brother!](#)**

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