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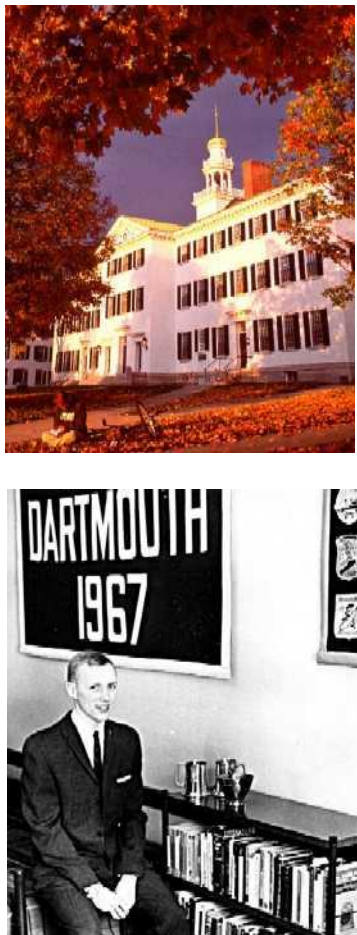
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Dartmouth College: the Journey Begins

support the movement. A week later two of them had offered their churches for the meetings. Everywhere the Negroes came up to the students and thanked them for being there, for showing that some white people cared.

Greeley reported that it was at the Negro high school that the movement had its greatest success. Having had given a special talk to some thirty high school students who had attended the first meeting, explaining the importance of their participation. From the time the students got on the buses the next day they sang freedom songs, which lasted through the day, and in each class students went up to their teachers and asked them to attend the meetings. For the first time the teachers, despite fear of losing their jobs, did come.

The final phase, for the students, was the attempt to integrate St. Augustine's restaurants. Greeley was arrested at the plush Pines de Leon Motor Lodge, where Mrs. Penobscot was later called. Jacoby entered the restaurant of Munson's Hotel in an integrated group of seven, and they were scared. But it was the police who came to take their order. Lawder's group of six was served at the Chalmers Restaurant—all of whose windows were broken that night. Locked out of the next restaurant, they were arrested on the sidewalk by police with cattle prods. The alleged horniness of these weapons was nullified, Lawder said, by the fact that the police aimed for the groin.

The jail in which they spent the next four days at the city's expense they described as "a clubhouse for the Ku Klux Klan." Here they were threatened in the cells by police and civilians alike, and saw 54 Negroes in a cell for four. One night nine of the whites were put in a seven foot square room where Greeley and Jacoby took turns sitting on the floor, the only space available. Dean Unsworth visited them and reported to the College that they were well, but without mattresses and blankets. The College wired money for bail and the trio arrived back in Hanover after missing the first few days of the spring term. If their case is not moved to a federal court, they have to return for trial in early May.

Students arriving back in Hanover learned of the arrest from *The Dartmouth*. The newly-established Hanover NAACP chapter, largely a faculty group, enlisted student support in obtaining funds to pay bail for white and colored demonstrators. Sholemia stood in the rain on street corners, in front of the Nugget, and knocked on dormitory doors to collect well over \$1000 which was telegraphed to St. Augustine.

A large crowd was present in the Cutler Hall lounge to hear Lawder, Greeley, and Jacoby tell the story of their trip. The three agreed that any meaningful change in the South would have to come from the southern people themselves, and that the North has its share of the problem. They had gone only with the idea of making some small contribution, of at least doing something.

The most important effect of the trip may have been the increased interest in civil rights it aroused on this campus. A significant percentage of students were among the more than 150 persons attending the official organizational meeting of the NAACP.

DAVID BOLLOT '63

Freshman English Takes to the Stage

WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE intended his plays to be performed on the stage, since any drama must be produced in order to come to life. In Professor John Finch's section of English II, twenty freshmen devoted the winter term to a study of *Othello*, and concluded the course by putting on the first act of the play. The work in the classroom involved studying the text of the play, investigating its stage history, and reading the critical literature on it. This provided a solid background for the students' understanding of *Othello*, but it was not until they moved onto the stage that the play was fulfilled.

Professor Finch analyzed the development and the implications of the play. The director of the production, Prof. Ward

Williamson, discussed the physical aspects of the Elizabethan theatre and described the use of scenery and costumes in Shakespeare's time. With the class-room study completed, the students auditioned and were cast in their roles. Everyone had a hand in the production, some as actors, others assisting with such things as lights, sound, set, or costumes. The play began to take shape in the scenery storage room of the Hopkins Center as the students learned and interpreted their roles under the guidance of director Williamson.

Three performances of *Othello*, Act I, were presented in the Studio Theatre of the Hopkins Center on Friday, March 13, and twice on Saturday evening, March 14. Full houses helped to bring out the best in the student-actors. Iago, the devious ensign, was portrayed by Craig Orloway. Andrew Barric was noble Othello, and Ann Sachs, a Hanover High School student, played the attractive Desdemona.

The set for the play consisted of a simple arrangement of four platforms. The lighting and the music were skillfully blended so as to create a mood for the action. As for the costumes, the major characters wore shirts that evoked the Elizabethan period, the senators dressed in flowing robes, and the attendants and soldiers wore tunics. The performance was a class exercise, not a false production which would have necessitated elaborate scenery and costumes.

From its beginnings the Hopkins Center has been thought of as an instrument of instruction. Such a venture as the Freshman *Othello* is a step toward realizing that aim, a step from theory to practice, from the classroom to the stage.

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Freshmen, with Desdemona, in their Hopkins Center production of *Othello*.

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Cosmopolitan Club Is An Active Center For Foreign Students

THE first Cosmopolitan Club at Dartmouth College started in March 1951, when a temporary organization was created as a result of the work of Kyo Imai, a Japanese visitor who was visiting the campus. The organization drew up a provisional constitution in May, and five years later, in January 1956, it joined the National Association of Cosmopolitan Clubs. Subsequently, through the records don't show exactly when, the club went out of existence.

After World War II, under the Displaced Persons Act of 1948, many foreign students came to American universities to study, and Dartmouth was one of the institutions granting scholarships to some of them. The Foreign Students Club was established on campus in 1950 with the purpose of helping to further international understanding. It endeavored to promote the discussion of ideas and beliefs, as well as provide information relating to the cultural, political, and economic backgrounds of the various countries from which the members came. The Foreign Students Club was renamed the Cosmopolitan Club in May 1951. A primary function of the club is to promote friendship, goodwill, and better understanding of foreign undergraduates by Americans. This non-partisan organization serves as a means of integrating foreign students into an American college system.

The Dartmouth Cosmopolitan Club carries out its objectives in several ways. Continued on Next Page

Issue of JANUARY 1965



A day in the open, at the Vermont farm of Prof. Clyde E. Dankert, is enjoyed by (l to r) David Currier '66, Shizue Kotada '66 of Kenya, David Mangelsoff '67, John Wang '68 of Taiwan, and Juan Valencia '68 of Mexico.

Frequent panel discussions on current international problems produce interesting and unusual opinions. Guest speakers give talks on topics ranging from art, religion, or philosophy to scientific advancements. And social activities are not neglected. The club holds several mixers with women's colleges in the area and also sponsors college conferences.

In 1950 the club collaborated with the National Students Organization and sent several Dartmouth foreign students on a trip around New England. An International Weekend sponsored by the club in April 1957 brought to Hanover thirty delegates from New England colleges. The Cosmopolitan Club Conference in May 1958 enabled undergraduates from several Eastern women's colleges to get together with Dartmouth students for a weekend of discussion groups, mixers, and receptions. Just this fall, the club became affiliated with the People-to-People organization. Such activities increase the understanding of young men of different backgrounds and help to make the foreign student feel at home in Hanover.

Students, members of the faculty, and Hanover townspeople have cooperated in a number of ways. Two faculty advisers, Prof. Herbert Sensenig '28 and Colonel Harold Moorman, counsel the incoming students. Beginning in 1963, the club has sponsored a program which assigns interested American undergraduates to foreign students to guide them through the first few hectic weeks. The family of James Campion '28 entertained a Swedish student at their home, and Prof. and Mrs. Clyde Dankert held a picnic for the foreign students.

Several former members of the club

Fortunato E. Quesada '51 is presently the second secretary of the Peruvian embassy in Argentina. A Siamese student, Prasong Sukhum '53, holds the position of assistant budget director of Thailand. Other notable alumni and members of the Cosmopolitan Club have been: David Wang '55, who in addition to his creative writing, teaches at the University of Hawaii; Ilse Silgum '56 is Assistant Professor of Economics at Cornell; Chiharu Iga '57 won a silver medal for Japan in skiing at the 1956 Olympics; and Seiko Enbutsu '58 is now a coordinating engineer with Mitsui Millie Machinery Company in Japan. These graduates stand out as examples of the fulfillment of the purpose of the Cosmopolitan Club, namely the promotion of goodwill and understanding among the peoples of the world.

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D.O.C. Memorial Fund To Encourage Expeditions

A evidence that the spirit of outdoor adventure will never be a lost tradition for the Dartmouth Outing Club, that organization has established a singular fund to memorialize and encourage the venturesome as its dual purpose. The program has been given the title of Expeditionary Memorial Fund and resources are now being raised to turn a small beginning into a meaningful operation.

The purposes of the Expeditionary Fund, as described by Peter Ward '65

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Mentors (L-R):

J. Hart
W.L. Gulick
V. McGee
T.S.K. Scott-Craig



Editor in Chief, Aegis Yearbook 1967



Aegis: 'Perhaps a Work of Art'

The production of a yearbook is a dangerous business for at every turn the leering demons of half-truth and maudlin sentimentality threaten even the most coldly cynical staff member.

The campus is fortunate to be graced by an organization which usually overcomes these dangers to produce a yearbook that stands well above the average annual. The organization is, of course, the Aegis, and its latest offering is no exception to the general run of excellence.

Since the invention of a yearbook, the reasoning behind and emphasis in such a publication have changed a great deal. Whereas before, such productions were merely to an throne each senior class in a doubtful immortality, most good yearbooks now attempt to portray the collage campus in totality and convey the moods and tones of the college experience.

Pictures are not merely thrown into the book in a random manner simply because they look nice, they are selected and weighed for their meaning and their effect. The most important part is no longer the monotonous stretch of facts, it is the opening pictorial section.

Before attempting to comment on this section, it should be noted that with a touch of genius, this year's Aegis staff chose to introduce each section with appropriate selections from the Oresteia. While the cynical choice for the Advertising section may alienate some businessmen, the overall effect is delightful.

The opening part roughly surveys the last year. The pictures range from Freshman Week, the long winter nights, through Regatta Weekend to Graduation. The temporal sequence, however, is overshadowed by careful control of picture selection and make-up. A delicate balance is kept, in sports pictures, between spectators and participants, between the openly concerned and those whose interests are more centered in dates, and between the free-lance sportswoman and those who form part of a team. The pictures of the participants themselves

constantly show a transition from group action toward the individual's role and struggles in the same. Typically, a sequence of track pictures begins with the crowd at the gate, depicts three or four men running closely together, and concludes with an individual's strain toward the end of the race.

In other parts of the pictorial section, the emphasis is upon mood, the joy of dance, the strain of a mixer, the seriousness of soldiers marching, the tension of late nights of study. Irony figures prominently in the Aegis, as men who have come to a joking co-existence with the fate that may await them are depicted. "Eki Vietnam" proclaims the sweatshirt of one chap, "We may be sent to Vietnam on a goodwill tour sponsored by the Selective Service" a representative of the Dartmouth Five comments, to pick out two examples.

The only objection to this section one could have is an objection to the use, as text, of the rather pedestrian Dartmouth song.

Another aspect of this book is its increased emphasis upon the written word, especially on the subject of change. The faculty section, traditionally filled with only pictures and a few favorite quotes, contains many interesting and some superb comments on what is going on within the Dartmouth Community and what the prospects may be for the future Dartmouth man.

The yearbook staff seems committed to the idea of change and throughout students start off the various sections with many very careful and excellent comments on change in fraternities, in organizations, in the College in general, and in publications. That some do not seem so sure of the change only makes the whole increase of written words more important.

This book is more than a beautiful collection of pictures, it is a significant comment upon the College, its life, and its future. If read carefully, it stands out as an outstanding production, indeed, perhaps a work of art.

—John Dunn



Class Secretary, Photographer, & Webmaster

Dartmouth College Class of 1967

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For the College on the hill!

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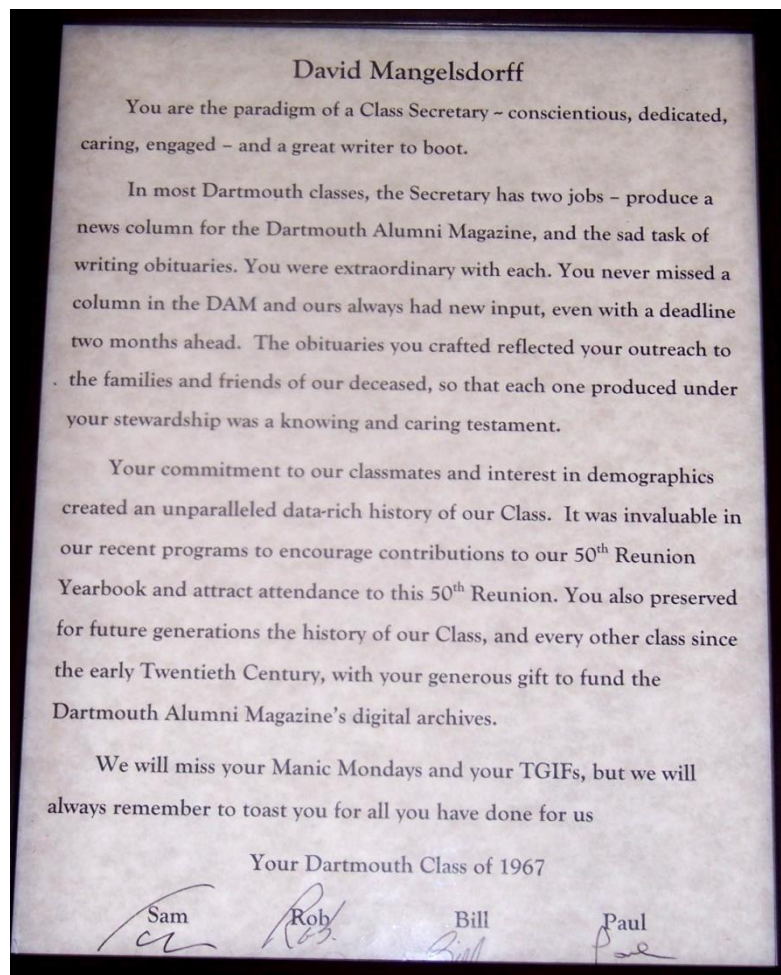
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Class Demographer and Necrologist

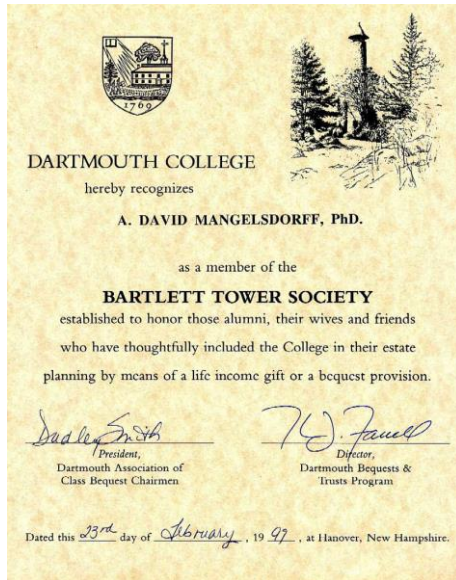
Deceased Dartmouth Class of 1967

														
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Michael Vaccaro	Kenneth J. Davidson	John Donovan	Ned Gillette	James Gibb	Benjamin H. Kemper	Jack Helfrich	William E. Swift	Charles Farnum	Gerald Magonigal	Allen McCook	John E. Kirkin	Robert E. Fisher, Jr.	William Robb	John S. Toomey
														
Keith Hodge	Mickey Beard	John K. McPherson	Harris Wagenseil	Albert C. Brunelli	Jeffrey D.L. Wortman	G. Anthony Harris-Smith	Robert E. Wood	Harold Bernt	John W. Nunley	James Van Amburg	Lewis Pauker	Josiah W. Powell	Henry B. Polin	Christian W. Fulop-Miller
														
Brian T. Becker	William M. Herron	John B. Gormly	Ronald W. Lorensen	William R. Hayes, Jr.	Stephen J. Heiser	C. Ranson Samehon, II	John F. Seaver	David A. Sinclair	John English	Edwin J. Masters	Robert Ervin	Laurie M. Hellman	David G. Ovaitt	Paul Klungness

And the granite of New Hampshire
is made part of them 'til death...

Safe at last in the wide, wide, world!

Dartmouth College Philanthropy



President Wright's Community Letter
MARCH 3, 2005

Dear Friends,

Greetings from snowy Hanover. We had a great Winter Carnival, but now the term is going by quickly, and as we approach the end of winter the days are longer and the sun is higher in the sky. I want to share my update on the College on the Hill. This is an exciting time at Dartmouth — and I always hope by this means to provide you with a little glimpse into the life of the College.

Dartmouth is a dynamic and vibrant institution, and I would highlight just a few indicators of this strength.

Faculty ~ Dean of the Faculty of Arts and Sciences Carol Folt recently announced a series of significant gifts to the Faculty of Arts and Sciences to advance the academic program and to help with the expansion of the faculty. These include:
* \$10 million from the Sherman Fairchild Foundation to endow two distinguished professorships in emerging fields;
* The establishment of the Charles Hansen Professorship at Dartmouth — the generous gift of Mark Hansen '78 in honor of his father — to recognize and reward faculty whose teaching is true to the highest standards of Dartmouth's educational mission;
* The A. David Mangelsdorff '67 Fund to recognize faculty whose scholarship has contributed to the advancement of interdisciplinary knowledge;

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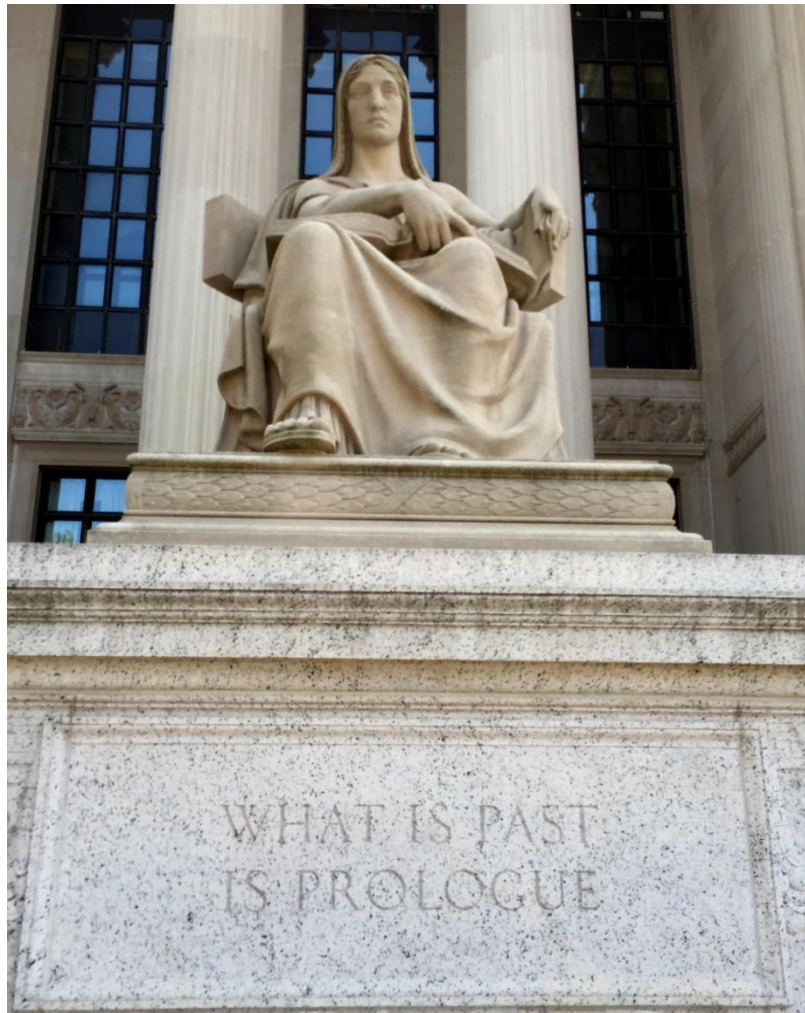


Birth of BASIC Dartmouth College <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WYPNjSoDrqw>



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2004	DartmouthCollege	ADM 2004 CHAR UT #1	psychology, multi-disciplinary
2013	DartmouthCollege	ADM 2013 CHAR UT #2	DAM magazine
2016	DartmouthCollege	ADM 2016 CHAR UT #3	veterans
2017	DartmouthCollege	ADM 2017 CHAR UT #4	cybersecurity
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What is Past is Prologue: '67s Into the Wide, Wide World



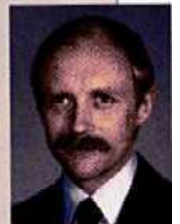
give a rouse

Dr. Bill Boyle '59, who has worked at the Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center since 1970, has been named the 2003 New Hampshire Pediatrician of the Year.

John "Rafter Jack" Patterson '60, a builder in Norwalk, Connecticut, completed a 2,168-mile hike from one end of the Appalachian Trail to the other. He hiked the first 164 miles in northern Georgia in 1999 and in March 2002 started off where he had left off, finishing last fall on Mount Katahdin in Maine.

Hector Motroni '66, Th'67, chief staff officer and chief ethics officer at Xerox Corp. in Stamford, Connecticut, has been named to the Top 50 list of most powerful Hispanic executives in technology in business by *Hispanic Engineer & Information Technology* magazine.

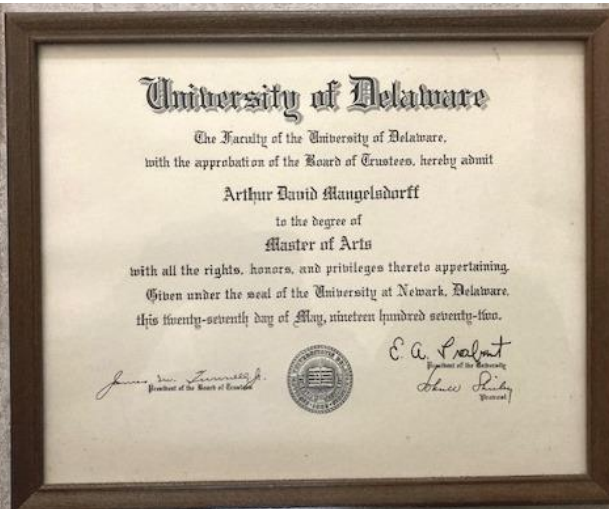
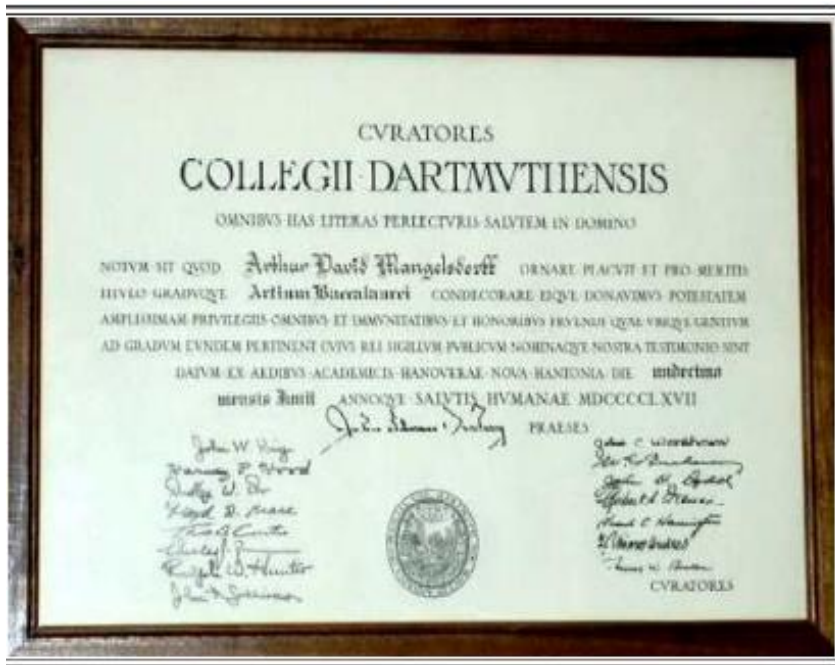
David Mangelsdorff '67, a psychologist and professor with the U.S. Army-Baylor University graduate program in health care administration, has been awarded a Fulbright scholarship to participate in the German studies program in Berlin to examine demographics.



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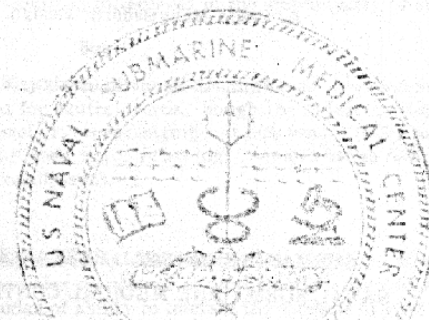
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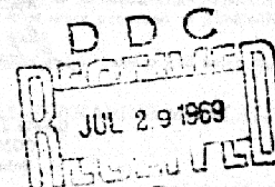
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Life-long learner

Servant leader and team player

Colonel, MSC (USAR, retired): 1971-2000

Civil Servant: 1974-2016

International Military Organization Leadership: NATO, TTCP

Editorial Review Boards and Publishing Experience

Professional Organization Leadership: American Psych. Assoc.,

International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies

Operational Stress and Psychological Support programs

Adjunct AB faculty: 1973-1993

Full time AB professor: 1994-2016

Faculty Research Fellow Baylor Oral History Institute: 2010-2016

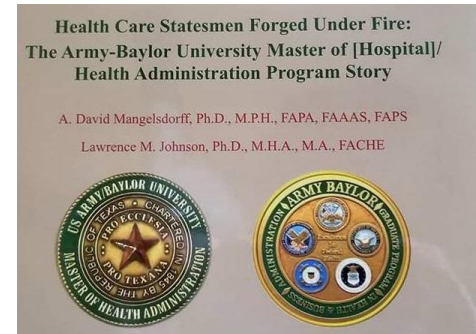
Professor emeritus 2016-present: <https://hankamer.baylor.edu/person/david-mangelsdorff>

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Tormented/mentored 1,300 students during tours: <http://www.cybermarine-lite.net/bc00xx.htm>

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Multiple federal professional awards: <http://www.cybermarine-lite.net/p09.htm>

Professional society recognition: Sigma Xi, FAPA, FAPS, FAAAS

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Published articles in seven decades

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General advice: give back more than you receive. Gladly learn, gladly teach!

Sic ‘em Bears!

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University of Delaware, Newark, DE
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University of Delaware, Newark, DE
- 1980 - **MA - English**
St. Mary's University of San Antonio, San Antonio, TX
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- 1974-1982. Social science analyst, Health Care Studies Division, U.S. Army Academy of Health Sciences, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.
- 1982-1992. Supervisory research psychologist, Technical Director, Health Care Studies and Clinical Investigation Activity, U.S. Army Health Services Command, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.
- 1992-1993. Supervisory research psychologist, Directorate of Health Care Studies and Clinical Investigation, U.S. Army Medical Department Center and School, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.
- 1994-2002. Professor and Psychologist, U.S. Army-Baylor University Graduate Program in Health Care Administration, Center for Healthcare Education and Studies, U.S. Army Medical Department Center and School, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.
- 2002-2006. Professor and Psychologist, U.S. Army-Baylor University Graduate Program in Health Care Administration, Department of Health Services Administration, U.S. Army Medical Department Center and School, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.
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- 1985 to 2000. Member, Department of Defense Human Factors Engineering Technical Advisory Group, Sustained Operations Working Group.
- 1991 to 2000. Army consultant, Assistant Secretary Defense (Health Affairs), Tri-Service advisory working group on patient satisfaction survey.

International Military Organizations

- 1988 to 1989. NATO Research Study Group 10 "Psychological Fitness" [U.S. National Leader].
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- 1991 to 1994. NATO Research Study Group 22 "Psychological Support" [NATO chairperson].
- 1989 to 1994. German-American Engineer-Scientist Exchange Program, Academy of Health Sciences [Program director].
- 1994 to 1998. The Technical Cooperation Program (TTCP) Action Group on "Psychological Aspects of Human Performance in Military Operations" [U.S. representative].
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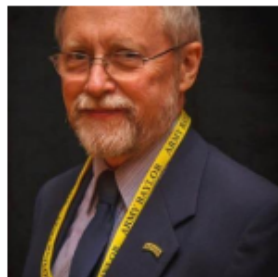
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- [Encyclopedia of Psychology](#), Consulting Editor Military Psychology (Oxford University Press and American Psychological Association)

Professional Organizations Leadership

- [American Psychological Association \(APA\)](#)
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1983-1984. President
1986-1988. APA Council Representative
1989-1992. Member-at-large Executive Committee
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1985 to 2000. Publications Committee
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Honoring A. David Mangelsdorff: Scholar, Mentor and Historian

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"Gladly learn, gladly teach!" These words embody the lifelong commitment of A. David Mangelsdorff, PhD, a scholar, educator and historian whose influence has shaped military healthcare leadership for decades. His impact on the Army-Baylor MHA/MPH Program, military medicine and the broader academic community is immeasurable.

For more than four decades (1973-2018), Mangelsdorff served as a cornerstone of the Army-Baylor Graduate Program, mentoring and teaching more than 1,300 military healthcare leaders, at least 50 of whom went on to earn doctoral degrees. His unwavering commitment to research and education helped forge the next generation of healthcare administrators, ensuring that military medicine continued to evolve and excel. No history of the Army-Baylor program is complete without his mention.

"No one contributed more to the Army/Baylor HCA program than Dave," said Larry Lyon, PhD, retired vice provost and dean of the Graduate School.

Beyond the classroom, Mangelsdorff, a retired Colonel in the Medical Service Corps, U.S. Army Reserves, was a dedicated historian of military healthcare administration. As a faculty research fellow for the Baylor Oral History Institute, he documented the program's impact on federal healthcare, preserving its legacy for future scholars and leaders. Alongside Larry Johnson, PhD, he conducted nearly 50 interviews with graduates and program directors, providing invaluable insight into the program's influence. His book, "Health Care Statesmen Forged Under Fire: The Army-Baylor University Master of Health Administration Program Story," stands as a definitive account of the program's accomplishments and the distinguished careers it has shaped.

To understand the magnitude of his lifetime achievements, one only needs to glance at his biographical notes, which are so extensive that they leave the reader wondering how a single individual could accomplish so much. His expertise spans psychology, military medicine, demographics and defense, among many other fields. His work as a faculty member in the Army-Baylor Graduate Program built on his extensive teaching and military experience and was marked by an unwavering dedication to scholarship, mentorship and the professional growth of military healthcare leaders. Although retired, he continues to contribute as a professor emeritus and scholar-citizen.

Mangelsdorff's contributions extend far beyond research and teaching. His work embodies the very spirit of the Army-Baylor mission: developing principled, forward-thinking healthcare leaders prepared to tackle the challenges of military and federal healthcare. His dedication, scholarship and mentorship have left an indelible mark on the profession and the program he so faithfully served.

It is an honor to recognize Mangelsdorff's extraordinary legacy. His impact will continue to inspire those who follow in his footsteps, ensuring that research, education and service remain at the heart of the Army-Baylor tradition.

"Gladly learn, gladly teach!"

Mangelsdorff has lived by these words, and through his contributions, he has ensured that countless others will do the same.

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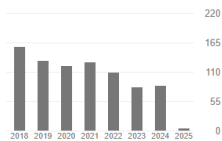
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Effects of Temperature and Illumination on the Locomotor Activity and Internal Temperature of the Turtle (*Terrapene Carolina carolina*)

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INTRODUCTION

In the study of biological rhythms in reptiles, two major dependent variables have been appraised: locomotor activity and temperature. With few exceptions, the locomotor activity rhythms in some lizards have been shown to be endogenous. The only reports with turtles have shown locomotor activity to have damped out quickly in constant conditions (Cloudey-Thompson, 1970). In the case of temperature, generally no differences have been reported possibly because of restricted activity.

The purposes of the present experiments were: (1) to determine the parameters suspected of affecting locomotor activity in the Eastern Box turtle (*Terrapene Carolina carolina*) by manipulating light and temperature stimuli; and (2) to determine the existence of a 24 hr rhythm in internal temperature.

Other specific questions were investigated: (1) are a light cycle or a temperature cycle alone, or together, sufficient to synchronize the locomotor activity; (2) if there is a rhythm present with external cycles, is this pattern self sustaining in constant environmental conditions; and (3) does it become desynchronized or damp out in constant conditions?

METHODS

EXPERIMENTAL CONDITIONS.

Table 1 presents the successive experimental conditions to which the subjects were exposed, for how long, and what responses were recorded. The subjects for the high illumination conditions were two male and two female adult turtles, *Terrapene Carolina carolina*. Three additional animals were added for the low illumination conditions. The turtles were housed separately in plastic terrariums in which a layer of soil was added to give irregularity to the floor of the terrarium. Food and water were provided four to six times per week randomly during the experimental conditions.

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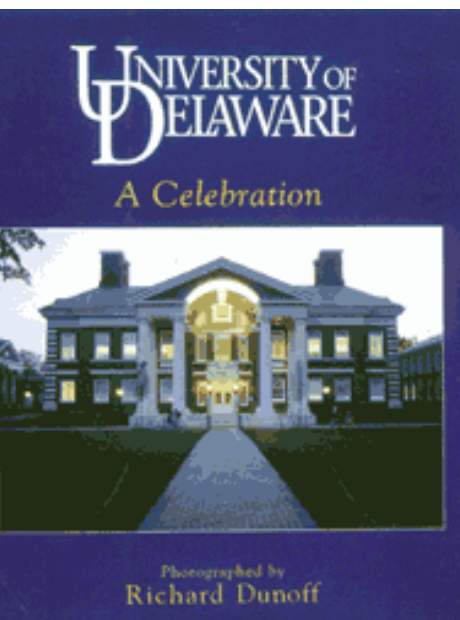
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Habituation to Scenes of Violence

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ABSTRACT

This study in early 1971 dealt with the effects of "set" (labeling of a picture) and Advanced Army ROTC membership on subjects' cognitive and physiological responses. A laboratory analog of the habituation process was suggested as a parallel to some of the attitudes toward the war in Viet Nam. Subjects were significantly more aroused by an auto accident scene than by the massacre and control slides (larger amplitude skin conductance changes). Across all series, there were significant trials effects (a decrease in amplitude of skin conductance changes, indicative of habituation). The set "Viet Cong massacre of civilians" produced higher self report ratings of agitation than the same slide with the caption "American...". There was cardiac deceleration to the Viet Cong label, but generally cardiac acceleration to the American label on the massacre presentation. ROTC cadets habituated more rapidly on the "agitated" - "calm" ratings to repeated presentations of the massacre and to an auto accident scene than non-ROTC male students.

DESCRIPTORS: Heart rate, Skin conductance changes, Self report, Violent stimuli, Habituation, Set.

Repetition of stimuli generally leads to habituation, so could the American public have habituated to the mass media's coverage of the Viet Nam war? This study in early 1971 dealt with the effects of "set" (label) and Advanced Army ROTC training on subjects' cognitive and physiological responses to repeated presentations of a Vietnamese massacre scene.

Zifferstein (1967) described the Vietnamese conflict as a "sociopsychological case study of psychological habituation to war." It has been the gradualness of the escalation of the war effort which found the American public committed to a war, yet unable to describe how or when it developed.

Lazarus, Spiesman, Mordkoff, and Davison (1962) used physiological indices to measure responses to threat induced by a film of primitive submission rites. By using appropriately designed sound tracks, Lazarus has been able to "short-circuit" or reduce the threat. The results showed that the cognitive appraisal of the subjects to the same visual

film events could be manipulated by the verbal "sets" given to them.

Hart, Wood, Britain, and Shadman (1970) recorded physiological responses to affective visual stimuli. Male subjects viewed 30 slides of homicide scenes, nude females, or ordinary objects. The physiological responses given by subjects who saw a different homicide scene on each trial were generally resistant to habituation. Those subjects who repeatedly saw the same homicide slide showed rapid habituation of the electrodermal response. The cardiac response was primarily one of deceleration to the homicide slides.

Averill, Malinstrom, Koriati, and Lazarus (1972) had male subjects repeatedly view an emotionally complex stimulus (a film segment) of an industrial accident. The cardiac response to the accident scene was primarily deceleration. Skin conductance responses habituated over trials and self report ratings of distress also habituated with repeated presentations.

It was hypothesized that subjects would respond differentially to repeated exposures of a massacre scene depending on the "set" (label) accompanying the scenes. The label "Viet Cong massacre of civilians" was predicted to produce greater agitation than the set "American massacre of civilians."

It was predicted that Advanced Army ROTC cadets would habituate more rapidly to repeated exposures of the massacre scene

WHAT IS THE SENSATION SEEKER? PERSONALITY TRAIT AND EXPERIENCE CORRELATES OF THE SENSATION-SEEKING SCALES¹

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Correlates of the Sensation-Seeking Scale (SSS) (1968) were tested in seven studies and two replications using undergraduate Ss. The SSS, or particular subscales of the SSS, were related to an MMPI trial of F, Pd, and Ma, and to a cluster of scales of the 16 PF which indicated an uninhibited, nonconforming, impulsive, dominant type of extraversion, but not to scales which measure a friendly type of sociability. The SSS was related to openness to new experiences (E. T. Fitzgerald's Experience Inventory scale) and to reported ranges of actual experience with sex, drugs, and alcohol. An attempt was made to develop a nonverbal SSS based on figure preferences which was only partially successful. The SSS was unrelated to hypnotizability and locus of control (J. B. Rotter's I-E scale).

The Sensation-Seeking Scale (SSS; Zuckerman, Kolin, Price, & Zoob, 1964) is predicated on the assumption that individual differences in "optimal levels" of stimulation or arousal are basic personality dimensions not adequately measured by existing tests. The sensation seeker is seen as a person who needs varied, novel, and complex sensations and experiences to maintain an optimal level of arousal. His optimal arousal level is assumed to be greater than that of non-sensation seekers, although this assumption has not yet been tested. When stimuli and experiences become repetitive, it is assumed that the sensation seeker will become bored and nonresponsive more quickly than most other persons. He is presumed to be more sensitive to inner sensations and less conforming to external constraints.

Sensation seeking has been suggested to be an aspect of other traits such as extraversion (Eysenck, 1967) and psychopathy (Quay, 1965). The construct also has elements in

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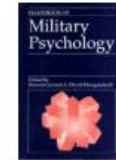
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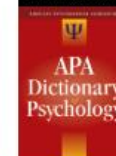
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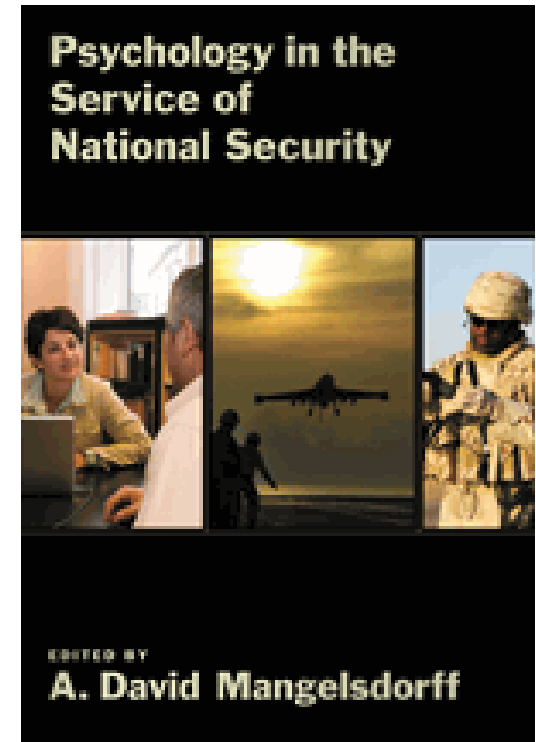
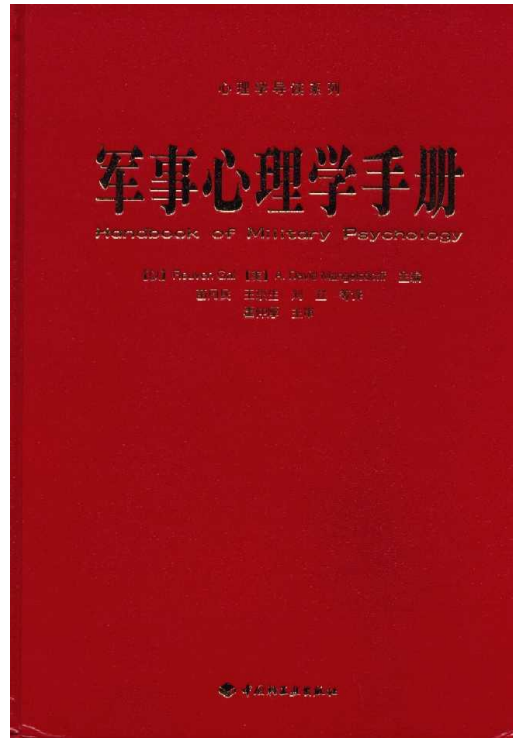
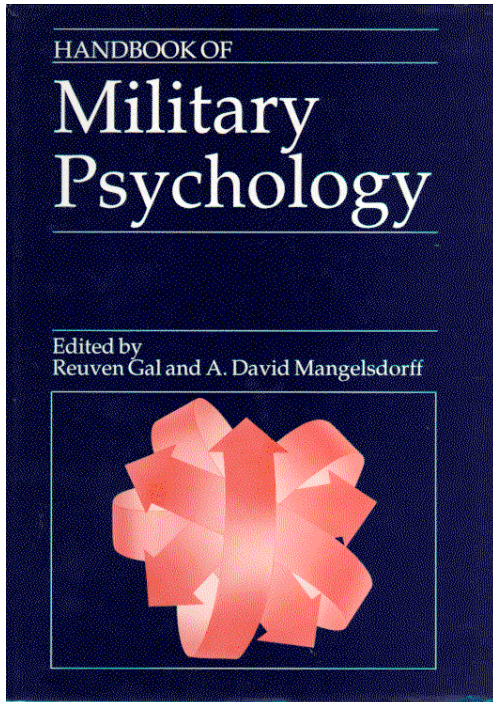


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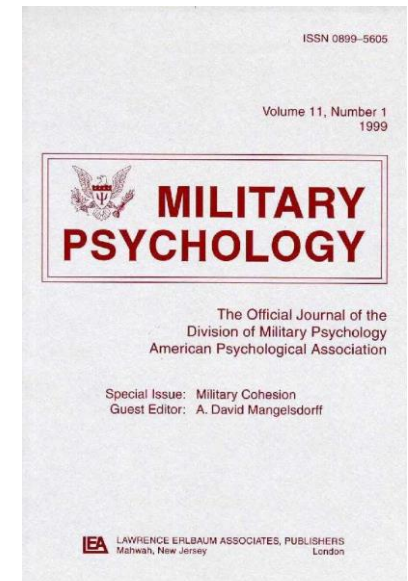


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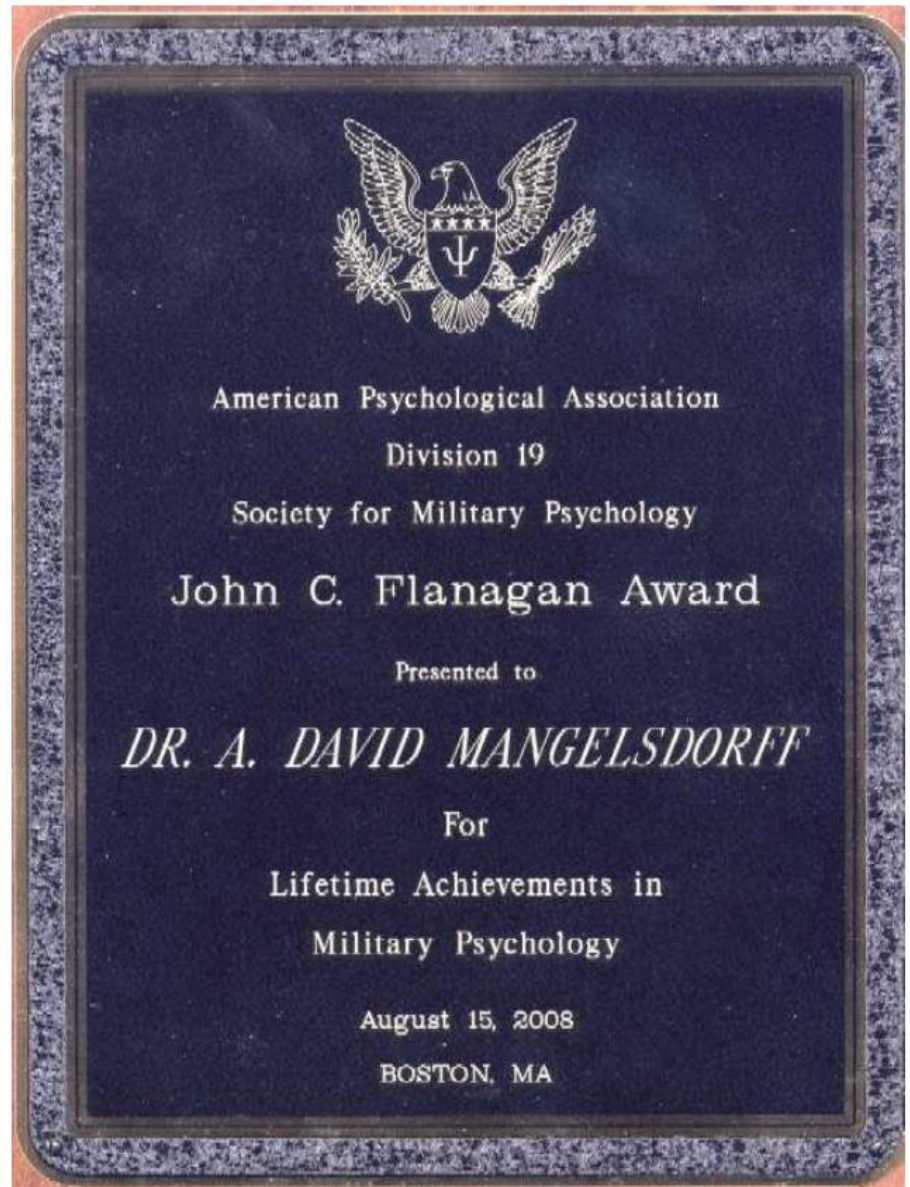
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Lessons learned and forgotten: the need for prevention and mental health interventions in disaster preparedness

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Abstract

Human beings have been subjected to the effects of both natural and man-made disasters for centuries. How humans have coped with catastrophes has been recorded through history. This review proceeds from an examination of the efforts in legislation and disaster research through a brief history of war-time experiences and treatment of combat stress reactions. As warfare changed, so did the ability of soldiers to cope. Likewise, treatment interventions to restore soldiers to effectiveness evolved with the changes in warfare. The treatment principles developed in war and the concepts recognized from the stress literature can be integrated to understand how the treatment interventions work. Examples of the delivery of mental health services are reviewed. The lesson learned during war were often forgotten after the war. It was not until the 1970s that the need for prevention and planning for mental health interventions during and after disasters was legislated. Research efforts are now focusing on planning, implementing interventions, and following survivors/victims for posttraumatic effects.

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Executive Skills/Competencies

Executive Competencies in Health Care Research: A Decade of Assessment

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Commanders of military treatment facilities (MTFs) and leaders of the Military Health System face major challenges managing financial uncertainty, organizational reform, readiness requirements, deployment operations, delivery of health services, and maintaining quality and access of health care for beneficiaries. The field of health care practice and the academic programs designed to prepare health care administrators long have been, and remain to be, challenges that recognize and deal with the demands of continual change.¹ The U.S. Army-Baylor University Graduate Program in Health Care Administration (HCA) has evolved over 50 years, meeting those challenges, and educating current and future leaders in the Federal sector.²⁻⁷ Over the past decade, the faculty and students of the U.S. Army-Baylor University Graduate Program in HCA have amassed a body of administration research, documenting executive competencies and skills in health care, which 1) contributes to the literature and academic inquiry within the health services and sciences fields, 2) provides guidelines for the development and revision of relevant curricula within the graduate program, and civilian sector executive development education programs, and 3) supports the Department of Defense's (DoD) Joint Medical Executive Skills Development Program Competencies⁸⁻⁹ and in particular, the Army Medical Department's (AMEDD) Executive Skills courses.

Joint Medical Executive Skills Development Program Competencies

What elements of academic courses and assignments should be incorporated into the professional development of MTF commanders and leaders? To address these concerns, the U.S. Congress in the Defense Appropriations Act of 1992, mandated that MTF commanders be required to demonstrate professional administrative skills. The Secretary of Defense for Health Affairs convened a Tri-Service Task Force in early 1992 to identify managerial competencies required to successfully command MTFs. The competencies (knowledge, skills, and abilities) identified in the joint medical executive skills development program are accepted in both private and military sectors. The set of competencies identifies basic skills that a potential MTF commander should possess before assuming command. The Surgeons General of the U.S. Army, U.S. Navy, and U.S. Air Force have approved the methods by which competencies may be acquired by departmental officers. Army officers achieve competencies through military education, graduate education, and progressive job experience. Navy and Air Force officers may also attain competencies through professional certification. Because career patterns (assignments, educational opportunities, and contingency operations experience) vary widely within and among the Armed Services, potential MHS leaders may not have fully achieved qualification in all specific competencies. The only academic curriculum addressing all the required federal competencies is the U.S. Army-Baylor HCA program. Baylor program graduates (and other officers selected for senior leadership positions) return to attend the AMEDD Executive Skills courses (for commanders and senior staff) to obtain updates on the current trends and research which draw from the executive competencies studies. Commanders need to stay current in their knowledge and skills about health care trends and developments.

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Summary:

Since 1951, the U. S. Army-Baylor University Graduate Program in Health and Business Administration (H&BA) has been preparing students to assume leadership positions with federal health-care organizations. The purpose of this project is to document historical narratives of students, alumni, faculty, and administrators that have been a part of the Army-Baylor program over the last fifty-nine years.

Collaborating closely with the Baylor Graduate School and Hankamer School of Business on the Waco campus, the U. S. Army-Baylor H&BA program has educated over 2,500 graduates since its establishment in 1947 and affiliation with Baylor in 1951. Although the name Army-Baylor features the branch of the military for the majority of its students, the program serves students from several military branches including army, army civilians, air force, coast guard, navy, and the United States Public Health Service and Department of Veterans Affairs.

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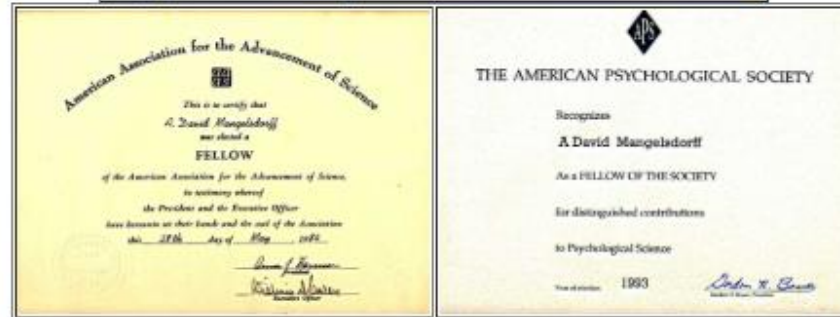
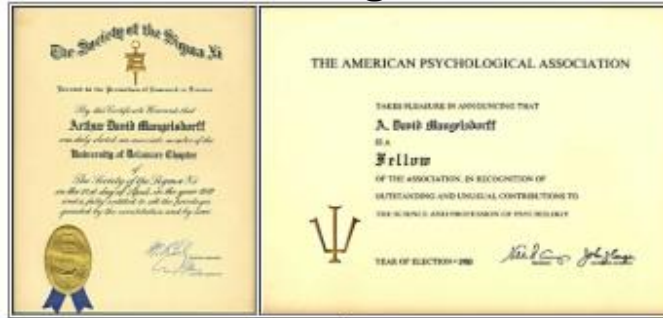
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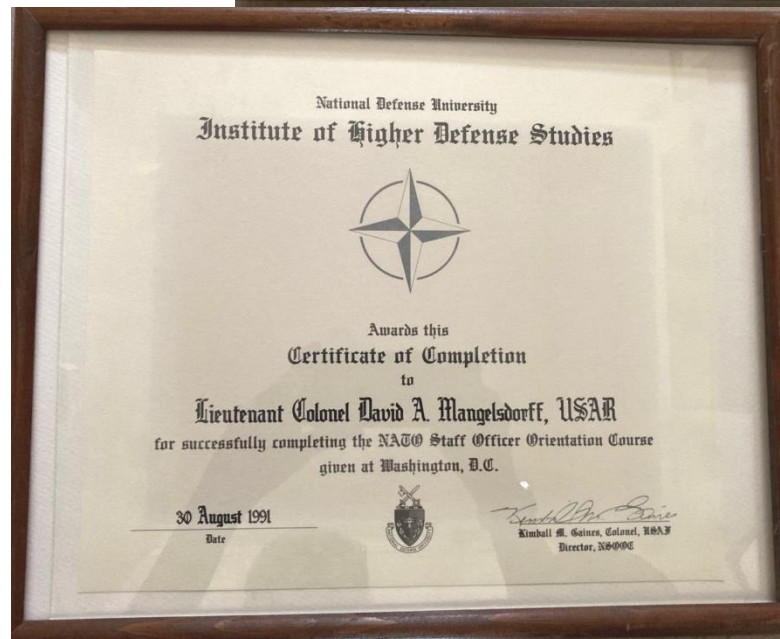
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THIS Eighteenth DAY OF October 1999

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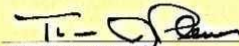
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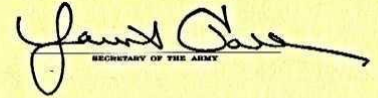
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John "Rafter Jack" Patterson '60, a builder in Norwalk, Connecticut, completed a 2,168-mile hike from one end of the Appalachian Trail to the other. He hiked the first 164 miles in northern Georgia in 1999 and in March 2002 started off where he had left off, finishing last fall on Mount Katahdin in Maine.

Hector Motroni '66, Th'67, chief staff officer and chief ethics officer at Xerox Corp. in Stamford, Connecticut, has been named to the Top 50 list of most powerful Hispanic executives in technology in business by *Hispanic Engineer & Information Technology* magazine.

David Mangelsdorff '67, a psychologist and professor with the U.S. Army-Baylor University graduate program in health care administration, has been awarded a Fulbright scholarship to participate in the German studies program in Berlin to examine demographics.



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Competency-Based Curriculum

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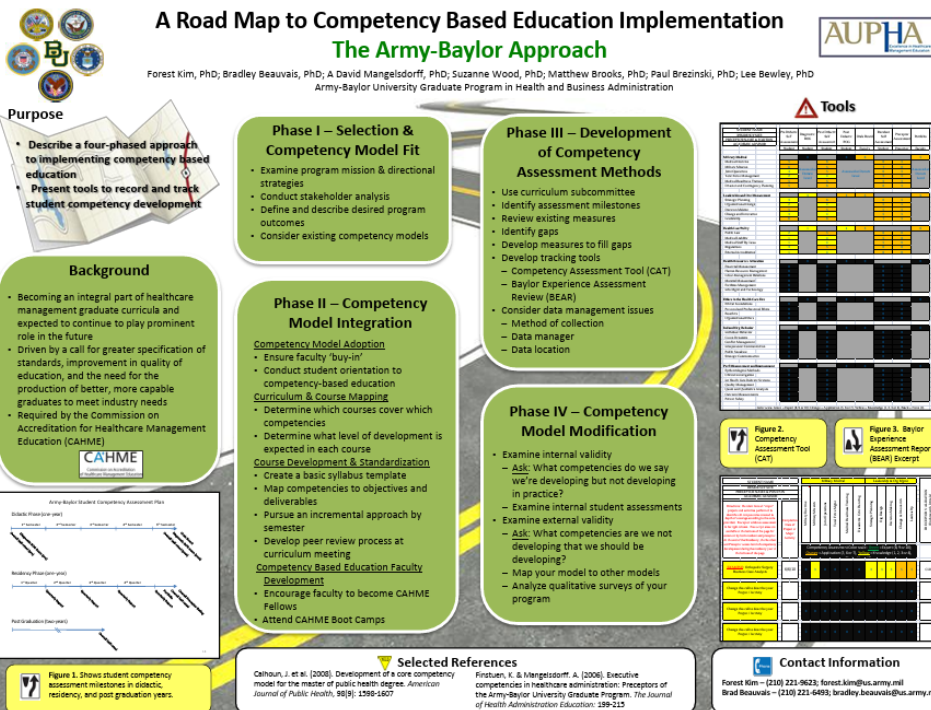
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Health Care Statesmen Forged Under Fire: The Army-Baylor University Master of [Hospital]/Health Administration Program Story

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Classroom Scenarios for Community Disaster Preparedness, Group Dynamics, and Competency Development



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Purpose/Hypothesis: The National Response Framework provides the context for how organizations at the local, county, state, and federal levels work together to execute their roles in a community disaster. In 1992, Congress required that DoD medical treatment facility commanders demonstrate a set of professional administrative skills. Selected Joint Medical Executive Skills (JMES) competencies are critical to supporting community disaster preparedness and responses. By using scenarios, students can put selected theoretical concepts from the classroom scenarios into practice.

Subjects: Participants are seven classes in the Army Baylor MHA program (n=421) matriculating between 2009 and 2015.

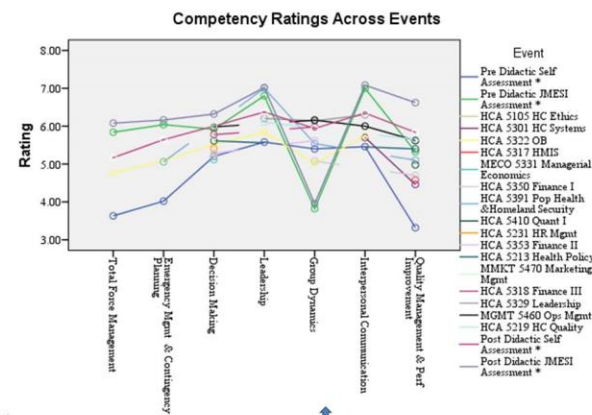
Methods: In the Organizational Behavior and Organization Theory class (HCA5322) students are organized into teams representing organizations at local, state, and federal levels. The task is developing coordinated action plans to assist San Antonio deal with possible emergencies or disasters. Student teams communicate, coordinate, develop, and prepare organizational action plans to solve scenarios. Themes to be covered include: mission, lessons learned from previous disasters, courses of action (routine to operational contingencies), coordination, and action plans.

National Response Plan:		
Disaster Preparation, Coordination, and Reporting Levels		
Civilian-Federal Level	Activity/Agency	Reports to
Local	at risk group	
	First responders	
	Incident Commander	Mayor
	Community Emergency Response team	
	San Antonio Metro Health	Emergency Operations Center
	Local hospitals	
	Incident Command Post	
	Emergency Operations Center (EOC)	
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	Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)	U.S. Department of Homeland Security
	Northern Command	U.S. Department of Defense (DoD)
	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)	U.S. Department of Health & Human Services (DHHS)
	Directorate of Military Support (DOMS) - military assistance to civilian authorities	
	United States Agency for International Development (USAID)	U.S. Federal Government/Congress
	President United States	
	World Health Organization	United Nations

Results: Students learn the importance and application of communication skills, group dynamics, emergency management, contingency operations, coordination, and organizational design. Outcomes include a greater awareness of the complexity of developing coordinated activities in support of a community (at local, county, state, federal, and international levels), the Incident Command System, and the National Response Framework.

Conclusions: Students build on their existing experience and develop an awareness of how the JMES competencies are important in putting theoretical concepts from the textbooks into practice in supporting community disaster preparedness and organizational responses.

Relevance: Students are encouraged to develop their own leadership and management development skills with application to community health and security preparedness.



Note:
Competency Level Rating :
(8-10) Expert
(5-7) Application
(1-4) Knowledge





Fort Sam employee earns top civilian award

By Elaine Wilson
Fort Sam Houston Public Information Office

A Fort Sam Houston civilian employee is the recipient of the Department of the Army's highest civilian service award.

Acting Secretary of the Army Pete Geren presented the Decoration for Exceptional Civilian Service to Dr. A. David Mangelsdorff in a ceremony last month in Washington, D.C.

"I am honored and humbled by the recognition," said Mangelsdorff, a two-time recipient of the honor. He first received the award in

1988. "It is a testimony to the work and efforts of my colleagues and former Army-Baylor graduate students."

Mangelsdorff was honored for his work as a professor and psychologist for the Army Baylor Graduate Program in Health and Business Administration at the Army Medical Department Center and School. His award citation praises his contributions to the Army-Baylor program, assessment of patient attitudes in the military health system, research in military psychology, homeland security and community preparedness.

Mangelsdorff has a track record of excel-

lence. He has three master's degrees and a doctor of philosophy degree. The retired colonel served for 30 years in the Army Reserve and has worked as an Army civilian for more than 33 years. He also is a published author and a former Fulbright scholar. The Fulbright Scholar Program sends 800 U.S. faculty and professionals abroad each year. Mangelsdorff spent time in Germany studying demographics to help map out future U.S. health care plans.

"The award recognizes a team effort," Mangelsdorff said. "I couldn't have done it alone."



Dr. A. David Mangelsdorff

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for extraordinary contributions while serving as Professor, Army-Baylor University Graduate Program in Health and Business Administration, Army Medical Department Center and School Health Readiness Center of Excellence from June 2014 through September 2016. During this period, Dr. Mangelsdorff educated and mentored a generation of healthcare leaders. Through his research, he pioneered the fields of military psychology, patient satisfaction, and executive competency development. His contributions in teaching, serving, and research were instrumental in moving the Army-Baylor Program in national rankings from 20th to 11th to 7th. Dr. Mangelsdorff's prolific and pioneering research, selfless service, and exceptional development of graduate students are a great credit to him, U.S. Army Medical Command, and the Department of the Army.

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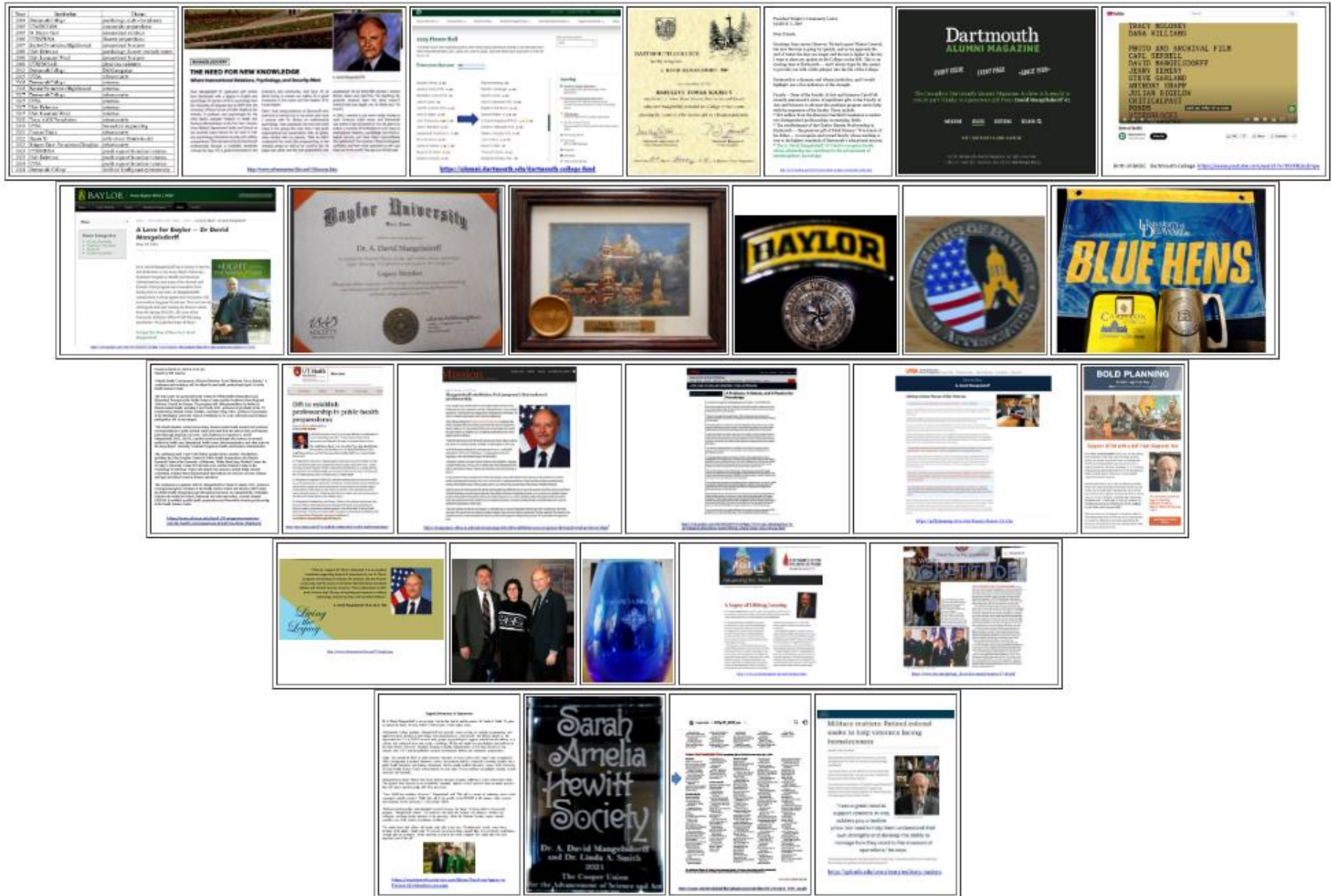
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Year	Institution	Theme:
2004	Dartmouth College	psychology, multi-disciplinary
2005	UTxHSCSOM	community preparedness
2005	St. Mary's Univ	international relations
2006	UTXSPH SA	disaster preparedness
2007	Baptist Foundation	international business
2008	Univ Delaware	psychology, disaster research
2008	Univ Incarnate Word	international business
2009	UTXHSCSAH	physician assistants
2013	Dartmouth College	DAM magazine
2013	St. Mary's Univ	conflict resolution
2015	UTSA	cybersecurity
2016	Baptist Foundation	veterans
2016	Dartmouth College	veterans
2017	Dartmouth College	cybersecurity
2017	Univ Delaware	veterans
2017	Univ Incarnate Word	veterans
2017	UTSA	veterans
2018	Texas A&M Fndtn	cybersecurity
2019	UTSA	biomedical engineering
2021	Cooper Union	cybersecurity
2022	Rutgers Univ Fndtn	cybersecurity
2022	Sigma Xi	early career Grants-in-Aid
2023	Univ Delaware	psych support homeless veterans
2023	UTXSPH SA	psych support homeless veterans
2024	Dartmouth College	artificial intelligence cybersecurity
2024	UTSA	psych support homeless veterans

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Sigma Xi: [Legacy Society](#)

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Texas A&M University: [Legacy Society](#)

Texas A&M University: [Heritage Society](#)

University of Delaware: [Delaware Diamonds Society](#)

University of Delaware: [Carillion Circle](#)

University of Incarnate Word: [Verbum Society](#)

UTSA: [Sombrilla Society](#)

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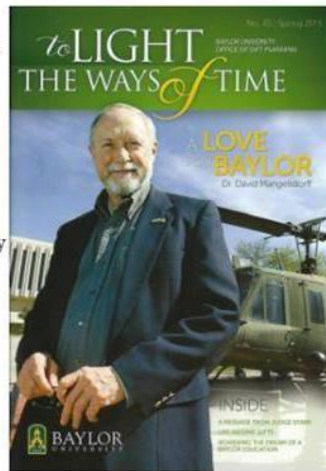
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A Love for Baylor ~ Dr David Mangelsdorff

May 29, 2015

Dr A. David Mangelsdorff has a history of service and dedication to the Army Baylor University Graduate Program in Health and Business Administration, and many of the alumni and friends of the program have benefited from having him in our lives. Dr Mangelsdorff's commitment to the program and its mission will now endure long past his tenure. Find out how by clicking the link and reading the feature article from the Spring 2015 (No. 45) issue of the University of Baylor Office of Gift Planning newsletter: "To Light the Ways of Time."

[To Light The Ways of Time: Dr A. David Mangelsdorff](#)





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MANGELSDORFF

THE NEED FOR NEW KNOWLEDGE

Where International Relations, Psychology, and Security Meet

Dave Mangelsdorff '67 graduated with honors from Dartmouth with a degree in English and psychology. He earned a PhD in psychology from the University of Delaware and an MPH from the University of Texas School of Public Health at San Antonio. A professor and psychologist for the Army Baylor Graduate Program in Health and Business Administration at the Fort Sam Houston Army Medical Department Center and School, he has received many honors for his work in military psychology, homeland security, and military preparedness. Of his decision to fund a Dartmouth professorship through a charitable remainder trust, he says, "It's a good investment in the

institution and community. And since I'm all about trying to sustain our nation, it's a good investment in the nation and the creation of its future leaders."

DAVE: I had caring professors at Dartmouth who took time to mentor me. In my senior year I took a seminar with Vic McGee on mathematical psychology. I was outclassed, the only non-math major in the group. But even then I had good organizational and presentation skills. At graduation, McGee told my parents, "Well, he didn't understand the math, the programming, or the research design as well as he could've. But his paper was great and his oral presentation was

exceptional." At my thirty-fifth reunion I tracked McGee down and told him, "I'm teaching. My graduate students learn the same research method that you taught me. So thank you." He loved it.

In 2003, I wanted to put some estate money to work. Untrusting made sense, and Dartmouth was where it had all started for me. My plan is to endow a number of institutions in such areas as international relations, psychology, and technological security, and have them cross-pollinate. The satisfaction? The students. If they're energized, confident, and learn what questions to ask—put them out in the world. Then get out of their way!

A. David Mangelsdorff '67

2025 Honor Roll

The 2025 Honor Roll recognizes alumni and friends whose Dartmouth College Fund cash gifts have been recorded between July 1, 2024 and June 30, 2025. Type and select your class year to view the honor roll.

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Dated this 23rd day of February, 1992, at Hanover, New Hampshire.

President Wright's Community Letter MARCH 3, 2005

Dear Friends,

Greetings from snowy Hanover. We had a great Winter Carnival, but now the term is going by quickly, and as we approach the end of winter the days are longer and the sun is higher in the sky. I want to share my update on the College on the Hill. This is an exciting time at Dartmouth — and I always hope by this means to provide you with a little glimpse into the life of the College.

Dartmouth is a dynamic and vibrant institution, and I would highlight just a few indicators of this strength.

Faculty ~ Dean of the Faculty of Arts and Sciences Carol Folt recently announced a series of significant gifts to the Faculty of Arts and Sciences to advance the academic program and to help with the expansion of the faculty. These include:

* \$10 million from the Sherman Fairchild Foundation to endow two distinguished professorships in emerging fields;

* The establishment of the Charles Hansen Professorship at Dartmouth — the generous gift of Mark Hansen '78 in honor of his father — to recognize and reward faculty whose teaching is true to the highest standards of Dartmouth's educational mission;

* The A. David Mangelsdorff '67 Fund to recognize faculty whose scholarship has contributed to the advancement of interdisciplinary knowledge;

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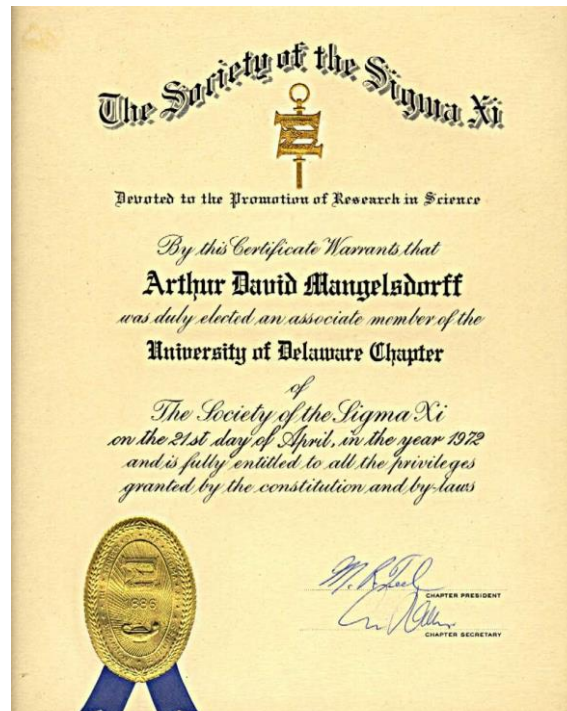
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[May 2025] With deep gratitude, DIMACS announces the *Endowed DIMACS Support Fund* created by Dr. [A. David Mangelsdorff](#) and Dr. Linda A. Smith.

The fund honors the memory of Dr. Mangelsdorff's parents Arthur Fred Mangelsdorff, M.D. (Rutgers College, 1924) and Maesie Rowland Mangelsdorff (Douglass College, 1935), as it also celebrates their Rutgers roots. Both were loyal alums—Arthur was an officer of his alumni class and received the Loyal Son alumni award, while Maesie was also an officer of her alumnae class and received the Margaret T. Corwin Alumnae Award. The elder Mangelsdorffs met at the American Cyanamid company in nearby Bound Brook NJ, where Arthur was the assistant medical director and Maesie worked in personnel. The couple married and settled down in Plainfield NJ, where they raised their son to have an expansive passion for learning as well as local pride in Rutgers. David Mangelsdorff fondly recalls attending reunions and Rutgers sporting events with his parents while growing up. These connections made donating to Rutgers a natural choice for honoring Arthur and Maesie.

What led Dr. Mangelsdorff and his partner Dr. Smith to DIMACS was a shared commitment to students' learning and practical interdisciplinary research, exemplified by DIMACS's connections to cybersecurity and homeland defense through [CCICADA](#), the homeland security center based at DIMACS.

Both educators, Drs. Mangelsdorff and Smith have parallel legacies of service, teaching, and mentoring. As a professor for the Army-Baylor University Master of Health Administration/Master of Business Administration program for over 50 years, Mangelsdorff prepared his military graduate students to be confident leaders able to solve complex problems and take care of their teams in challenging situations. Early in her career, Dr. Smith worked in a clinical laboratory at a major medical center and then at a state public health laboratory. At the latter, she began conducting seminars and soon discovered her passion for teaching. She launched her academic career as a professor of clinical laboratory sciences at the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio and never looked back! For nearly four decades, she dedicated herself to educating new generations of medical laboratory science professionals. During their careers, both professors were honored with awards for exemplary teaching and for service to their professions, and both are now retired as emeritus faculty members of their respective institutions.

Dr. Mangelsdorff has a long record of philanthropy to universities, both individually and together with Dr. Smith. Retired as a full colonel from the U. S. Army Reserve, many of his gifts are directed toward areas informed by his service, such as cybersecurity (which drew him to DIMACS and CCICADA) and programs for veterans, especially homeless veterans. He says, "Many of my graduate students are military officers. For a variety of reasons, some military personnel post-service have difficulty integrating into civilian life. Statistics on homelessness suggest too many are former military veterans, often with mental health issues, who need support. The military emphasizes leaving no one behind."

His advice for students is to "be a generalist with a mix of liberal arts, computer systems and programming, and the STEM disciplines" and to read history. If he were just starting out he says, "I would learn more about computer systems, programming languages, and artificial intelligence." Perhaps he would even do this at DIMACS!



Arthur Fred Mangelsdorff & Maesie Rowland Mangelsdorff



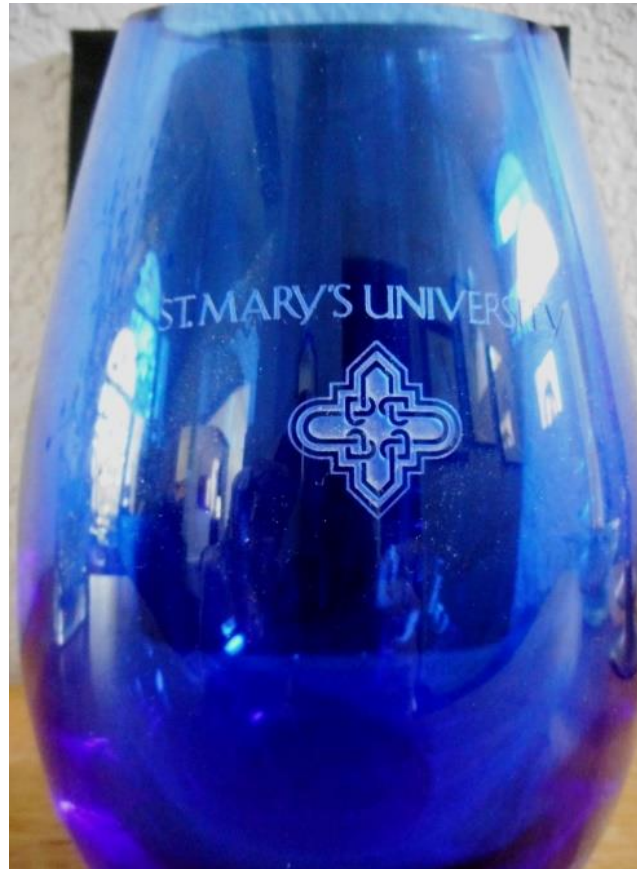
Linda A. Smith & A. David Mangelsdorff

The Drs. A. David Mangelsdorff and Linda A. Smith Endowed DIMACS Support Fund is set up as a charitable gift annuity through the Rutgers Foundation. As such, it is a deferred gift that DIMACS will use to support teaching, consultation, and research in cybersecurity, homeland security, and disaster preparedness initiatives in accordance with the donors' wishes. Their gift is the first of its type to come to DIMACS and represents an investment in the future that is deeply appreciated.

Many of the themes highlighted through the gift align with the work of the CCICADA Center, based at DIMACS. CCICADA Director [Fred Roberts](#) says, "I am extremely thankful to Dr. Mangelsdorff and Dr. Smith for such a special gift recognizing the importance of work on cybersecurity, homeland defense, and disaster response. The research on a wide variety of homeland security problems conducted at DIMACS, particularly at our CCICADA Center, will surely benefit. We at DIMACS and CCICADA put a major emphasis on the close integration of research and education, so the gift will enrich many Rutgers students involved in research groups in cyber defense, resilience of systems to disasters, and related topics. Dr. Mangelsdorff's dedication to support for homeless veterans resonates with programs we have started that are aimed at understanding strategies for providing shelter for the homeless and at understanding related stress to law enforcement personnel. The gift provides renewed incentive to emphasize these directions of research. I hope that we can ensure that this generous gift will establish an enduring legacy for the Mangelsdorff family and will honor the memory of Rutgers alumni Arthur Fred Mangelsdorff, M.D. and Maesie Rowland Mangelsdorff by inspiring and encouraging intensive homeland security research and learning."

DIMACS Director David Pennock adds his own expression of thanks saying, "The generous gift from Drs. Mangelsdorff and Smith will provide a fantastic resource to support the Center's research and educational programs in homeland security, cyberterrorism, and disaster preparedness, including activities that shine light on the needs of homeless veterans. Their donation also gave us a chance to learn about the couple's truly extraordinary lives. It's poetic that their gift honors David's Scarlet-Knight parents who inspired him to pursue a life of interdisciplinary learning and service that fits well with the ethos of DIMACS. Among David's dozens of awards, including multiple Researcher of the Year, Educator of the Year, Exceptional Civilian Service, and Philanthropist awards, one of his earliest awards—an Optimist Club award from 1963—struck me. It seems that he not only sees his own glass as half full but generously fills the glasses of everyone around him—his students, fellow service members, colleagues, family, and friends—well past halfway. We are thrilled, humbled, and grateful to benefit from his and Dr. Smith's generosity."

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The Inauguration of
THOMAS M. MENGIER, J.D.
as the Thirtieth President
of St. Mary's University

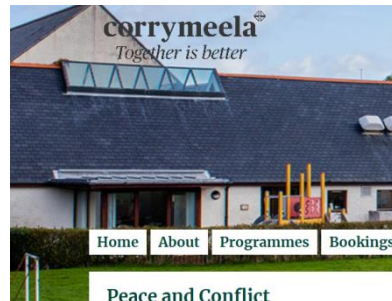
"Why do I support St. Mary's University? It is an excellent investment supporting themes of importance to me. St. Mary's programs and institutions educate the students, the San Antonio community, and the nation to be better informed about homeland defense and national security concerns. This complements my life's work of more than 35 years of teaching and research in military psychology, national security, and homeland defense."

A. David Mangelsdorff, Ph.D. (M.A. '80)



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1845	Baylor University, Waco, Texas <i>A. David Mangelsdorff, Ph.D., Alumnus</i>	1881	University of the Incarnate Word, San Antonio, Texas <i>James J. Doyle, Ph.D., Chancellor</i>
1850	University of Dayton, Dayton, Ohio <i>David Corbett, Ph.D., President</i>	1885	St. Edward's University, Austin, Texas <i>Donald J. Guzman, Alumnus</i>
1851	Santa Clara University, Santa Clara, California <i>Austin R. Woody, Alumnus and Trustee</i>	1886	University of St. Thomas, St. Paul, Minnesota <i>Patrick Connor, Alumnus</i>
1856	Sagehen University, New York <i>Carlos Roberto Jolin, M.D., Ph.D., Alumnus</i>	1907	Nebraska Wesleyan University, Lincoln, Nebraska <i>Paul Olson, Ph.D., President</i>
1858	Pennington College, Atchison, Kansas <i>Martin Landolt, Alumnus</i>	1891	Texas Lutheran University, Burgin, Texas <i>Stuart Dorsey, Ph.D., President</i>
1861	North Central College, Naperville, Illinois <i>Herman B. White Jr., Ph.D., Vice-Chair, Board of Trustees</i>	1892	Our Lady of the Lake University, San Antonio, Texas <i>John Strassburg, Ed.D., Vice President for Academic Affairs</i>
1866	Carlson College, Northfield, Minnesota <i>Acis Meeks Day, M.D., Alumnus</i>	1899	St. Philip's College, Alamo College, San Antonio, Texas <i>Paul Quinlan, Vice President of Academic Affairs</i>
1869	Trinity University, San Antonio, Texas <i>Denise A. Althoff, Ph.D., President</i>		

Digital Defenders of Tomorrow

Dr. A. David Mangelsdorff is not an Aggie, but the fact that he and his partner, Dr. Linda A. Smith '90, plan to support the future of Texas A&M's Cybersecurity Center makes sense.

A Dartmouth College graduate, Mangelsdorff has spent his career working in computer programming and applied research and later in networking, telecommunications, cybersecurity and defense initiatives. He represented the U.S. in NATO research study groups on psychological support, retired from the military as a colonel, and conducted stress and security workshops. He has also taught as a psychologist and professor in the Army-Baylor University Graduate Program in Health Administration at Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio since 1973, and has published research on homeland defense and community preparedness.

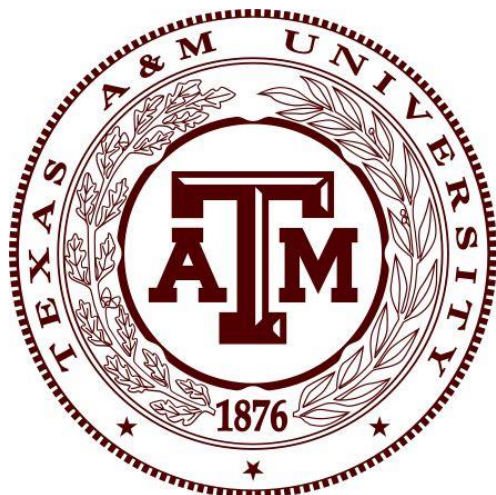
Smith, who earned her Ph.D. in adult extension education at Texas A&M, is the couple's link to Aggieland. With a background in medical laboratory science, the professor initially worked in a teaching hospital and a public health laboratory and training department. She has taught medical laboratory science at the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio for more than 30 years and has won multiple teaching awards statewide and nationally.

Both professors firmly believe that Texas A&M is the place to make a difference in the cybersecurity field. This inspired their decision to use a charitable remainder unitrust—which provides them an annual payout—that will endow a professorship after they pass away.

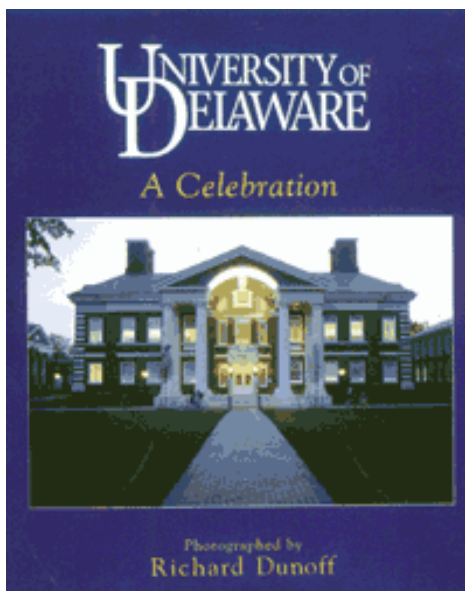
"Texas A&M has a tradition of service," Mangelsdorff said. "This gift is a means of continuing service to the community and the country." While their gift is not specific to the DCLDP, it will enhance other research and education for the university's cybersecurity efforts.

"Endowed professorships and substantial research increase the impact of Texas A&M's cybersecurity program," Mangelsdorff shared. "The professor who holds this position will influence students and colleagues and bring further attention to the university, which the National Security Agency already considers one of the centers of academic excellence."

The couple hopes their efforts will inspire other gifts in this area. "Breakthroughs mostly come from a meeting of the minds," Smith said. "It's not just one person doing a grand thing. It is everybody contributing. A single gift has an impact. It's like throwing a stone in the water; it ripples out. I think that's the most important part of this gift."



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PROFILES OF IMPACT

A. David Mangelsdorff

Lifelong Scholar Honors UTSA Veterans

"A university is just a group of buildings gathered around a library." —Author Shelby Foote

Ever since a young Puritan minister named John Harvard left his collection of 260 volumes to the new Harvard College in 1638, the library has been the center of academic life at every institution of higher education in the United States.

Though much younger than Harvard's library, UTSA Libraries are no less important to the institution they serve—and the donors who support the Libraries' mission are no less an influence on their success.

It is friends and patrons like Professor A. David Mangelsdorff, a self-described "traveler, scholar, educator, philanthropist, and damn Yankee," who value the resources and services of the UTSA Libraries and are committed to supporting a premier public research library for San Antonio.

A health psychologist and professor emeritus at the Army-Baylor University Graduate Program in Health and Business Administration at Fort Sam Houston, Dave is a graduate of Dartmouth and holds a Ph.D. in psychology from the University of Delaware, an M.A. in literature from St. Mary's University in San Antonio, and a Master of Public Health from UTHealth School of Public Health in San Antonio.

"I am basically a Renaissance person who dabbles in everything from science to history to literature, art and entertainment. I've even studied music," noted the lifelong learner and Fulbright faculty scholar.

In recent years, Dave has become a champion of UTSA—first by establishing the A. David Mangelsdorff, Ph.D. Professorship in Information Technology and Cyber Security in the College of Business through a charitable remainder trust. He then made a gift to the Libraries that included part of his own professional and personal library, and another charitable remainder trust to establish the Professor Mangelsdorff Veterans Support Resources Endowment. When he first reached out to the UTSA Libraries, "I asked what they were doing for student veterans, and they said they were putting together a Special Collections room specifically to allow student vets a quiet place, resources and opportunities to share ideas—a place to hide and center themselves. The more we talked the more it made sense."

"If a university wants to support moving veterans forward, I support them in any way I can," added the retired Army Reserves colonel, whose lifelong passion has been to bring awareness of the lessons learned from combat and operational stressors to the development of appropriate resiliency techniques for the armed forces.

Dave's interests align well with UTSA, which is committed to providing resources and spaces that enhance student success. As a veteran and military educator, Dave appreciates UTSA's special emphasis on military student support to assist the nearly 5,000 UTSA students who identify as veterans, active duty, guard and reserve, ROTC, dependents, and family members. Dave's support contributes to UTSA's efforts to provide a true "one-stop shop" for these students through the Center for Military-Affiliated Students in the John Peace Library on the UTSA Main Campus.

A Professor, A Veteran, and A Passion for Knowledge



At the heart of the campus, UTSA Libraries support student success across all fields of study.

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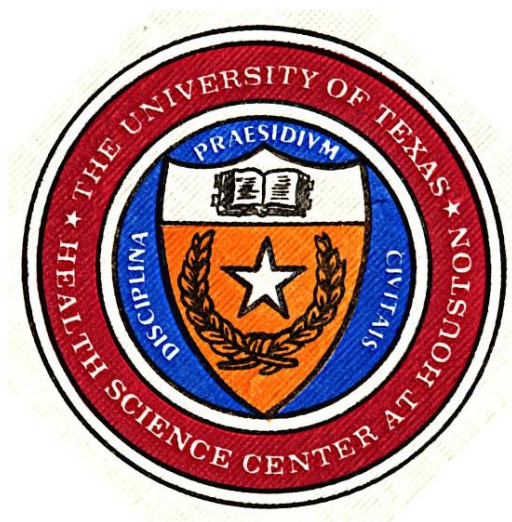
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Military matters: Retired colonel seeks to help veterans facing homelessness

Updated: January 02, 2024

After decades of military and civil service, A. David Mangelsdorff, PhD, MPH '82, lives by a set of strongly held beliefs.

"We should leave no one behind, and we should help others be the best they can be," he says. "These have always been part of my mission."

His most recent donation to UTHealth Houston School of Public Health serves these goals by supporting research and community outreach for veterans facing homelessness in San Antonio, Texas.



A. David Mangelsdorff, PhD, MPH '82

"I see a great need to support veterans. In war, soldiers pay a terrible price. We need to help them understand their own strengths and develop the ability to manage how they react to the stressors of operations," he says.

David notes that veterans are often hesitant to seek help. "They are focused on accomplishing their mission, not getting mental health assistance."

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Shared by Will Sansom

"Mental Health Consequences of Recent Disasters: From Oklahoma City to Katrina," a conference and workshop, will be offered to area health professionals April 3-6 at the Health Science Center.

The twin events are sponsored by the Center for Public Health Preparedness and Biomedical Research at the Health Science Center and the Southwest Texas Regional Advisory Council for Trauma. The programs will offer presentations by leaders in disaster mental health, including Carol North, M.D., professor of psychiatry at the UT Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas, and Barry Hong, Ph.D., professor of psychiatry at the Washington University School of Medicine in St. Louis. Discussion and audience participation will be encouraged.

"MC-Flash translates current and evolving disaster mental health research into practical recommendations to guide medical center personnel from the intense early post-disaster period through long-term recovery," said conference co-organizer A. David Mangelsdorff, Ph.D., M.P.H., a professor and psychologist who lectures on research methods in health care, international health issues, telecommunication and other topics at the Army-Baylor University Graduate Program in Health and Business Administration.

The conference April 5 and 6 will feature speakers from a number of institutions, including the Johns Hopkins Center for Public Health Preparedness, the Disaster Research Center at the University of Delaware, Walter Reed Army Medical Center, the St. Mary's University Center for Terrorism Law, and the National Center on the Psychology of Terrorism. Topics will include San Antonio's mental health disaster consortium, evidence-based psychological interventions for survivors of mass violence, and legal and ethical issues in disaster operations.

The conference co-organizer with Dr. Mangelsdorff is Charles R. Bauer, M.D., professor of surgery/emergency medicine at the Health Science Center and director of the Center for Public Health Preparedness and Biomedical Research. Dr. Mangelsdorff, a Fulbright Scholar who studied at Oxford, Dartmouth and other universities, recently donated \$100,000 to establish a public health preparedness and biomedical research professorship at the Health Science Center.

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APRIL 14, 2012 BY ROSANNE FORKE

Mangelsdorff establishes PAS program's first endowed professorship

When McAllen native Darrell Alviar was leaving the military, he drew on his background as a Navy corpsman to seek his civilian profession. "It was a natural progression. I had already been seeing patients and dispensing medications," he said, in a Marine Corps Infantry Unit in Iraq and Afghanistan.

Alviar will be entering the **Physician Assistant Studies (PAS)** program in the School of Health Professions this fall as part of the first class to complete the master's degree in two years instead of three. The recent changes also expand the class size from 30 students to 40, so additional graduates can move more quickly into the workforce.

"I liked the idea that several of the faculty members are former military and that San Antonio is so military friendly. I thought I would fit right in," Alviar said.

As the PAS program celebrates its 10th anniversary in 2012 — ranked 18th nationally by U.S. News & World Report — it's appropriate to look at its beginnings, which coincidentally began with the military.

"During the Vietnam War, there were few doctors on the battlefield," explained, J. Glenn Forister, M.S., M.P.A.S., PA-C, interim chair of the Department of PAS and an Army Reserve veteran. "Medics were the closest you'd come to having a doctor."

In 1965, Duke University started the first civilian PAS program. Many of the students in the early days of the profession were former medics, including Dennis Blessing, Ph.D., PA-C, who served as a surgical technician in Vietnam and later became a founding faculty member of the Health Science Center program. He now is a professor and associate dean of the School of Health Professions.

After the success of a pilot program that placed civilian students in unfilled slots in an Army PAS program at Fort Sam Houston, the School of Health Professions received approval from the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board in 2000 to start its own bachelor's degree program. This quickly developed into a three-year master's degree in 2003. And by extending rotations throughout South and Central Texas, the program has become well known for its emphasis on primary care and providing culturally competent health care services to underserved populations, Forister said.

"Since our students are often in rural settings, we challenge them to become independent thinkers and active contributors to the health care team. This comes from our origins as a military program where service to others is paramount," Forister explained. The changes to the program in January, which streamline the classroom portion of the programs will help bring more PAs into communities throughout the state.



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Federal/Military Service:

- USNR Groton, Connecticut, Ensign, 1967-1968
- Army ROTC, University of Delaware, Commission 2LT, 1971
- USAR Fort Sam Houston, Texas, Captain thru Colonel, 1972-2000, Colonel, retire, 2000
- Department of Army Civilian, Fort Sam Houston, 1974 to 2016, retire, 2016
- [NATO](#) Research Study groups, Chairperson, 1989-1994
- Technical Cooperation Program, USA National Leader, 1994-1998
- Department of State, consultant to Embassy of Suriname, 1998

Teaching

- [Appointments:](#)
- University of Delaware (lecturer, teaching assistant, NASA fellow)
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Dartmouth Class 1967 – 50th year reunion yearbook

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At College, several themes evolved which I continue to enjoy: reading, research (asking questions, finding answers), traveling, planning and organizing projects, and helping others (teaching, volunteering, and philanthropy). I have good memories of studying great classics (whether in Humanities, English, Leadership, or Psychology courses). Before Dartmouth, I won the Navy Cruiser Science award at the Greater Newark Science Fair competition in New Jersey. The experience started my personal odyssey and appreciation of education and the military.

I was in the Green Key Honor Society, co-chaired the Cosmopolitan Club, edited the class yearbook, and conducted independent research my senior year with Dr. W. Lawrence Gulick. I sharpened my skills editing our *Aegis* yearbook documenting changes seen by faculty and students at the College. I learned from distinguished educators including: Victor E. McGee, Jeffrey Hart, Tom Vargish, TSK Pat Scott-Craig, and Bill Slesnick. From Professor Gulick, I gained an appreciation for sensation and perception, experimental design, and analytic techniques. With Dr. McGee, I had a senior seminar on mathematical psychology. The group project involved regression models using MMPI profiles to predict undergraduate grade point averages. At graduation, Professor McGee met my parents and related that I did not fully understand the mathematical models, the programming languages, or the research design; McGee qualified that the research paper was great and the oral presentation was exceptional (earned an A). At our 35th reunion, I tracked down



Linda Smith and Dave Mangelsdorff

Professor McGee and updated him on my career. I still use applied mathematical models with sophisticated programming (now understanding more of the nuances) and the research themes are comparable (predicting behavioral outcomes). Now I have written hundreds of papers and reports, and still give notable oral presentations (feedback and encouragement make a difference). At College, I experienced the excitement of learning from caring professors and took away a set of habits and perspectives that enriched my life significantly.

After studying literature at Oxford in the summer term of 1966, I traveled around Europe visiting families of the Cosmopolitan Club students. I developed a taste for international travel. Since 1968, I have been on the other side of the podium, and I incorporate many of the themes into my own graduate classes with military officers in the Army-Baylor University Masters in Health Administration program: Organizational Behavior, Quantitative Analysis, International Health, Networking/ Telecommunications, and Management Theory through the Great Books. I plan to continue working with veterans at local colleges by mentoring and facilitating discussions about learning from the great texts as the vets transition from combat to classrooms.

After College, I earned graduate degrees in Psychology (Ph.D., MA; Delaware), English (MA; St. Mary's San Antonio), and Public Health (MPH; Texas), had a Fulbright faculty scholarship to Germany, and graduated from the National Defense University—all of which facilitated my becoming a better academic and military officer (retired as full colonel in Army Reserves). I put into practice my enthusiasm for traveling and organizational skills as I represented

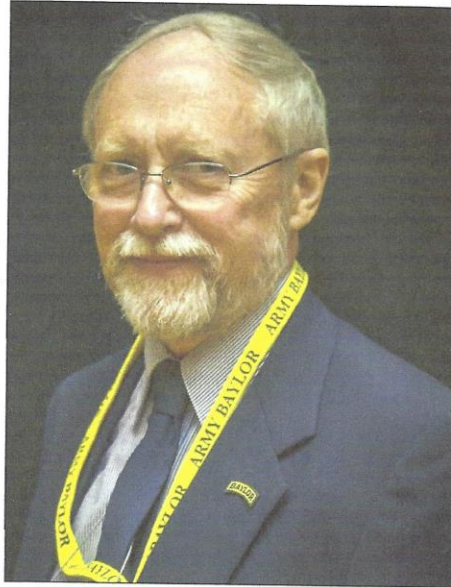
the USA as chair of NATO Research Study Groups and in other international research forums.

I regularly incorporate lessons learned, community preparedness, and group dynamics in my classes with my Army-Baylor Master in Health Administration students; I have served with the Army at Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio since 1972. Active support for my adopted home of San Antonio, Texas, has included organizing and hosting multiple community disaster preparedness programs and conferences supporting county and regional medical societies, first responders, and health professionals. I was active with the local Red Cross chapter and community long-range planning groups as well.

My furry surrogate children are named for Shakespearean characters. Even before my alarm clock sounds, they remind me when it is time for feeding them. The bargain is they have to monitor the answering machine though they rarely record the messages.

An unexpected track has been as a philanthropist endowing more than 10 trusts supporting professorships and college interests at Dartmouth and universities in several other states. My foci include multi-disciplinary scholarship, national security, and community preparedness.

I will continue investing in more planned trusts in support of veterans entering college. I endowed a



Prof. David Mangelsdorff, Ph.D.

trust to establish the online Digital Archive Dartmouth Alumni Magazine; it allowed me to keep track of my classmates as I have served as alumni class secretary since 1997.

As a scholar, my edited works included the *Handbook of Military Psychology*, *Psychology in the Service of National Security*, *Military Cohesion*, *U.S. Army-Baylor University Health Care Administration 50 Year History*, the military psychology section of the *Encyclopedia of Psychology*, *APA Dictionary of Psychology*. Numerous national and international conference and stress workshop proceedings are among my 600-plus papers, presentations, reports, and citations. There is even a Chinese version of my *Handbook of Military Psychology*.

I am recognized as a Fellow of the American Psychological Association, American Association for the Advancement of Science, American Psychological Society, Sigma Xi, Upsilon Phi Delta, and Psi Chi. I won a Fulbright faculty scholarship in 2003 to study demographics in Germany. One of my personal goals as a Fulbright scholar was to walk in the footsteps of my ancestors around Berlin and its suburbs; I accomplished that objective. Tracking my own family history has helped me write obituaries of our classmates.

Ulysses (in Tennyson's poem) notes his determination "to strive, to seek, to find, and not to yield." My own plans are to continue exploring the world after our reunion. Having attended Oxford University in England as a student, my first trip will return to pub-crawl to as many haunts as I can recall. My quest is a continual search for great beers; I need more data. Linda, my life partner, will ensure quality control for our data collection.

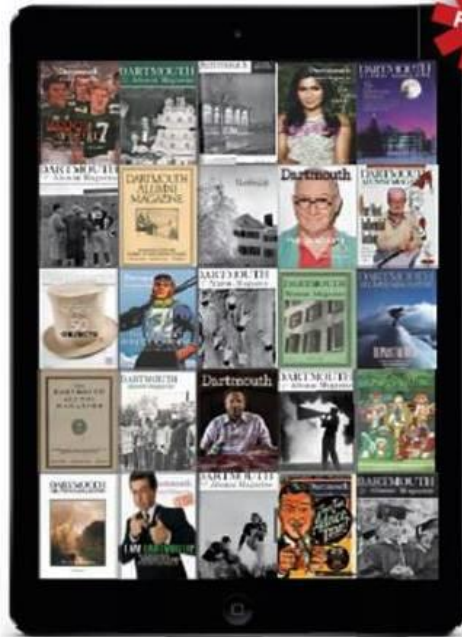
In *Canterbury Tales*, Chaucer's Oxford clerk is observed to "gladly learn and gladly teach."

My odyssey remains a quest for learning from the past, expanding my knowledge, solving problems, teaching, writing, and testing the limits. I have gained some insights over the years. In Shakespeare's *The Tempest*, Antonio notes, "what is past is prologue." Thucydides encouraged his officers to learn from the past; what worked and what did not. My plans are to continue traveling and actively learn. This Damn Yankee, Professor Emeritus at Baylor University, has served as a civil servant for over 44 years, and Army reservist for 30 years. I am a servant leader, full professor, Fulbright faculty scholar, full colonel, herder of cats, and full of myself. My best wishes to all who read these ramblings: May you find fair winds, following seas, and many opportunities to imbibe the culture!

Hope to see y'all in Hanover. Please call me, anytime, and stop by when you are in Texas.



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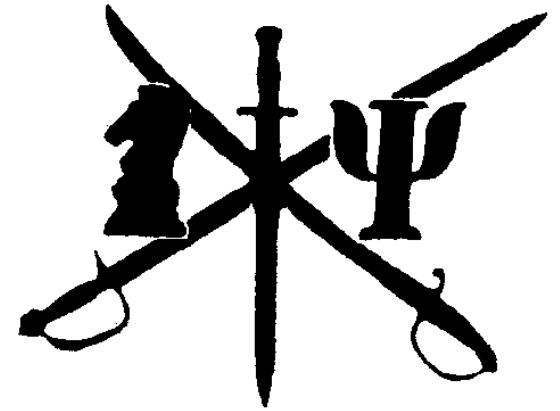
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