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EDUCATION HONOR SOCIETY AT WESTERN INDUCTS 18

St. Joseph, Mo. —Dec. 16, 2005—The Missouri Western State University chapter of Kappa Delta Pi, an international honor society for education majors, initiated 18 students and one faculty member in November. Initiation into Kappa Delta Pi requires demonstration of leadership ability and professional skills, completion of Experience in Teaching II, a minimum GPA of 3.2, and approval of initiation by all education faculty.

The following members were initiated:

Kit Blake, instructor of education; **Melissa McCush** from Amazonia, Mo.; **Kevin Carroll** from Cameron, Mo.; **Megan Shank** from Gladstone, Mo.; **Suzanne Buckminster** from Kansas City, Mo.; **Jeanne Modin** from Kansas City, Mo.; **Sarah Lempea** from Linn Creek, Mo.; **Kelsi Fairley** from Newtown, Mo.; **Tammy Enna** from Platte City, Mo.; **Jenny Neland** from Platte City, Mo.; **Danielle Campbell** from St. Joseph; **Adrienne Chleborad** from St. Joseph; **Joy Donelson** from St. Joseph; **Heidi Kennedy** from St. Joseph; **Amy Miller** from St. Joseph; **Debra Durham** from Salisbury, Mo.; **Gentry Ann Moffitt** from Savannah, Mo., and **Leslie Payne** from Weston, Mo.

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Kappa Delta Pi was founded in 1911 to encourage good teaching practices and professionalism in education. Currently, there are approximately 63,000 members in the U.S., Canada, England and Australia.

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