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Oregonian Dave Frohnmayer Receives Prestigious Award

Indianapolis, Ind. - Delta Upsilon International Fraternity awarded Dave Frohnmayer, *Harvard '62*, with the James B. Conant Award of Merit in Education.

The Delta Upsilon Awards of Merit have been named for the Fraternity's historical tie to the Founders' description: "The only superiority that we acknowledge is the superiority of merit."

Frohnmayer currently serves as President Emeritus of the University of Oregon and an of counsel attorney for Harrang Long Gary Rudnick P.C. in Eugene, Ore. He formerly served as dean of the University of Oregon School of Law, as Oregon's Attorney General and as a member of the Oregon House of Representatives. Frohnmayer served as the president of the University of Oregon from 1994-2009. He is one of the founding directors of the National Marrow Donor Program, a fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, a national prize-winning author on the United States Constitution, a magna cum laude graduate from Harvard College, and a Rhodes Scholar at Oxford University. Frohnmayer received his law degree from the University of California at Berkeley.

The award is named in honor of James B. Conant, *Harvard '14*, a pioneer in the field of education. Conant was an American chemist, president of Harvard College, a member of the U.S. Army during World War I, and the first U.S. Ambassador to West Germany, as well as a member of Delta Upsilon. Conant came into his presidency with a passion for change. He created a diversified student body, and promoted new ways of educating, through the adoption of the Scholastic Aptitude Test and co-educational classes. During his presidency, women were admitted to Harvard Medical School and Harvard Law School for the first time. Conant is considered to be one of the greatest presidents in Harvard's history.

Frohnmayer accepted his award at the Delta Upsilon 2013 Leadership Institute in Phoenix, Ariz. on Saturday, Aug. 3, during the Awards Luncheon Ceremony in recognition of his extraordinary contributions to higher education. Dave Frohnmayer was initiated in 2001 as a sitting president of the University of Oregon Chapter of Delta Upsilon.

Delta Upsilon is the premier men's fraternity committed to *Building Better Men* for a global society through service, leadership development and lifelong personal growth of our diverse membership. Established in 1834, Delta Upsilon is a men's college fraternity with 79 chapters and colonies across the United States and Canada. The Fraternity, founded at Williams College in Williamstown, Mass., is the oldest, non-secret, Greek-letter society. More than 132,000 men have joined the organization since its founding 178 years ago.

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