



*Sigma Theta Tau International, Inc.*

HONOR SOCIETY OF NURSING

BETA XI CHAPTER

College of Health and Nursing Sciences  
Department of Nursing  
University of Delaware  
McDowell Hall  
Newark, DE 19716

DATE: October 25, 2007

TO: Senior Class Members of  
Beta Xi Chapter, Sigma Theta Tau International

FROM: Dr. Carolee Polek, Research Awards  
Beta Xi Chapter

RE: **HONORS DAY AWARD: PROMOTING NURSING  
SCHOLARSHIP**

Beta Xi Chapter of Sigma Theta Tau International is offering a scholarship of \$750.00 to be used for tuition for a graduate course in nursing. Members of Beta Xi Chapter who were inducted into Sigma Theta International from the baccalaureate programs in November 2007 are encouraged to apply for this award, which will be acknowledged on Honors Day in May.

The scholarship monies will be forwarded to the recipient upon proof of successful completion of a post baccalaureate course applicable to a graduate nursing degree. The course may be taken anytime within three years of graduation.

If you wish to apply, please submit the following to the Department of Nursing, 315 McDowell Hall, by **March 1, 2008**.

\*Cover Page with name, permanent address and phone number, and date of graduation

\*A summary of your professional goals

\*A one-page typewritten essay on  
**“The Importance of Research and Scholarship in Professional Nursing”**  
(Can be single spaced)

Contact Carolee Polek (cpolek@udel.edu) if you have questions.