



Delta Kappa Alpha

National Honorary Cinema Fraternity

HONORARY AWARDS BANQUET

honoring

Rosalind Russell

Norman Taurog

Robert Wise

February 7, 1965

TOWN and GOWN
University of Southern California

PROGRAM

National Anthem Miss Dorothy Sandlin

DINNER

- I. Opening . . . Dr. Norman Topping, President of USC
- II. Representing Cinema . . . Dr. Bernard R. Kantor,
Chairman, Cinema
- III. Representing DKA Howard Kazanjian,
President DKA
- IV. Master of Ceremonies Gene Kelly
- V. Tribute to honorary members of DKA
- VI. Presentation of Awards to Rosalind Russell
Norman Taurog
Robert Wise
- VII. In closing Dr. Norman Topping

Banquet Committee of USC Friends and Alumni

Mr. Edward Beloin	Mr. Stanley Musgrove
Mrs. Harry Brand	Miss Eleanor Parker
Mr. Jackie Coogan	Miss Mary Pickford
Mr. George Cukor	Miss Dorothy Sandlin
Mr. Delmer Daves	Mr. Leonard Spigelgass
Miss Irene Dunne	Mrs. Daniel Taradash
Mr. Henry Garson	Mr. King Vidor, Chairman
Mr. Ross Hunter	Miss Ruth Waterbury
Mrs. Leiland Atherton Irish	Mr. David Weisbart
Mr. Gene Kelly	Mrs. Olin Wellborn III
Mr. Arthur Knight	Mrs. Tichi Wilkerson
Mr. Ernest Lehman	Mr. Jerry Wunderlich
Miss Frances Marion	

Slides shown during dinner courtesy of the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences, National Screen Services, and various private collections.

DEPARTMENT OF CINEMA

In 1929, the University of Southern California in cooperation with the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences offered a course described in the Liberal Arts Catalogue as:

Introduction to Photoplay: A general introduction to a study of the motion picture art and industry; its mechanical foundation and history; the silent photoplay and the photoplay with sound and voice; the scenario; the actor's art; pictorial effects; commercial requirements; principles of criticism; ethical and educational features; lectures; class discussions, assigned readings and reports.

The Dean and instructor was Karl T. Waugh. Special lecturers listed in the catalogue included Douglas Fairbanks, J. Stuart Blackton, Ernst Lubitsch, Irving Thalberg, Clara Beranger, William Cameron Menzies, Edwin Schallert, and William C. De Mille.

In 1932 the Department was the first in the United States to offer the Bachelor of Art's degree with a major in Cinema. In 1935 the Department was the first to offer the Master of Art's degree with a major in Cinema, and was the first department to offer the Ph.D. in Communications with a major in Cinema in 1958.

The Department of Cinema of the University of Southern California is the oldest and the largest in the United States. The University has received an Academy Award, has had eight films shown at Edinburgh, and has won eight Screen Producers Guild Awards and numerous other awards from festivals both here and abroad.

CINEMA DEPARTMENT STAFF

Glenn McMurry
Eugene Petersen
Don Perrin
Phyllis Rutten
Larry Sherman
Maynard Smith
Melvin Sloan
Wolfram von Hanwehr
Georga Wehbi
Daniel Wiegand
Frank Withopf
William Allen

Irwin Blacker
Jarvis Couillard
Herbert Farmer
James D. Finn
Jim Guenot
David W. Johnson
Bernard Kantor—Chairman
Arthur Knight
Herbert Kosower
Russell McGregor
Ken Miura

Richard Harber—Faculty Advisor of DKA

Distinguished scholarships available to students:

The Acme Scholarship
The George Cukor Scholarship
The Directors Guild of America Scholarship
The Samuel Warner Employment Scholarship
established by Jack L. Warner

Musicians
Courtesy School of Music, USC

Delta Kappa Alpha, National Honorary Cinema Fraternity, was founded at the University of Southern California in 1936. Its purposes are to provide an opportunity for fellowship among students of Cinema; to maintain a relationship between the motion picture industry and film students; and to promote the phases of film that are symbolized by the initials D K A: Dramatic; Kinematic, Aesthetic.

Officers of the National of DKA

Herbert Farmer and David Johnson

Officers of the Alpha Chapter, Fall semester 1964-65

President	Howard Kazanjian
Vice-President	David Spaid
Secretary	Mustapha Hijaouy
Treasurer	Dennis Lee Galling

New active members of the Alpha Chapter
Fall semester 1964-65

Alan Coats
Richard P. Crowe
Linda Delton
Paul Golding
William Heskett
Carol Kamen
Randal Kleiser
Charles Lippincott
John G. Moore, Jr.
Howard Myrick
Nicholas E. Spanos
Frank Stitt



Delta Kappa Alpha



This certifies that

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has served the Alpha Chapter as
President - Spring 1965

Delta Kappa Alpha
National Honorary Cinema Fraternity

Robert E. Faine
Executive Secretary

this twenty-third day of May, 1965

Ray Lim
President

December 20, 1965

Miss Lucille Ball
c/o Desilu
780 Gower Street
Hollywood 38, California

Dear Miss Ball:

In recognition of your outstanding achievements and contributions to the motion picture, it is our desire to confer upon your Honorary Membership in Delta Kappa Alpha.

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Our list of Honorary Members is made up of people who have made great and diverse contributions to motion pictures. To commemorate this twenty-eighth year, a banquet will be held on Sunday evening, January, 30, 1966 in Town and Gown on the USC campus. We know it will be as enjoyable as previous banquets.

There is no one today whom we feel is more worthy to become an Honorary Member on this occasion than yourself. Mr. Weitzman has already told me that you will accept the honor and be present at our banquet. Of course, we are all delighted, especially our students since this choice of honoree is theirs.

The Banquet Committee is being formed. At the moment they include: Mrs. Harry Brand, Mr. Robert Crane, Mr. George Cukor, Mrs. Beatrice Greenough, Mr. Ross Hunter, Mr. Arthur Knight, Mr. Stanley Musgrove, Miss Rosalind Russell, Miss Dorothy Sandlin, Mrs. Norman Taugog, Mr. King Vidor, Miss Ruth Waterbury, Mr. David Weisbart, Mrs. Tichi Wilkerson, Mr. Jerry Wunderlich.

We will let you know further details about the banquet and the program right after the first of the year.

We offer our personal congratulations.

Cordially,

Bernard R. Kantor

Bernard R. Kantor
Chairman, Cinema

Delta Kappa Alpha

National Honorary Cinema Fraternity



January 11, 1965

Department of Cinema
UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA
UNIVERSITY PARK
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90007

DKA Honoraries

Charles Brackett
Joe E. Brown
George Cukor
John Cromwell
*C. B. DeMille
John Flory
Gene Fowler
Marjorie Fowler
John G. Frayne
Arthur Freed
Karl Freund
William Goetz
Sir Cedric Hardwicke
James Wong Howe
John Huston
Gene Kelly
Stanley Kramer
*Jesse Lasky
Jack Lemmon
Harold Lloyd
*William Cameron Menzies
Fred Metzler
Arthur Miller
Boris V. Morkovin
Charles Palmer
William Perlberg
Mary Pickford
Miklos Rosza
George Seaton
William Seiter
Mark Serrurier
Mogen Skot-Hansen
Robert Snyder
George Stevens
Robert Surtees
Gloria Swanson
*Gregg Toland
Slavko Vorkapich
King Vidor
*Jerry Wald
Jack Warner
Wally Westmore
Billy Wilder
Elmo Williams
Roy Wolford
Fred Zinnemann
Adolph Zukor
*Deceased 6/64

Miss Rosalind Russell, Mr. Norman Taurog, and Mr. Robert Wise will be honored February 7th at a black tie dinner sponsored by Delta Kappa Alpha, national honorary cinema fraternity, and the University of Southern California, Department of Cinema.

You are cordially invited to attend this event which will be held in Town and Gown on the USC campus at 7:30 p.m.

Friends of the University who are on the planning committee for the evening include Mrs. Harry Brand, Mr. George Cukor, Mr. Delmer Daves, Mrs. Leiland Atherton Irish, Mr. Gene Kelly, Mr. Arthur Knight, Miss Frances Marion, Mr. Stanley Musgrove, Miss Mary Pickford, Miss Dorothy Sandlin, Mrs. Daniel Taradash, Miss Ruth Waterbury, Mr. David Weisbart, Mrs. Olin Wellborn III, Mrs. Tichi Wilkerson, and Mr. Jerry Wunderlich.

We feel that this banquet will be as exciting and memorable as those held these past few years. We sincerely hope you will join us. A card is enclosed for your reply. Seating capacity is limited. Won't you reply as early as possible.

Cordially,

King Vidor, Chairman
Banquet Committee

Delta Kappa Alpha

National Honorary Cinema Fraternity



Department of Cinema

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

UNIVERSITY PARK

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90007

Nov. 14, 1966

December 22, 1965

DKA Honoraries

Charles Brackett
Joe E. Brown
George Cukor
John Cromwell
*C. B. DeMille
Blake Edwards
John Flory
Gene Fowler
Marjorie Fowler
John G. Frayne
Arthur Freed
Karl Freund
William Goetz
*Sir Cedric Hardwicke
James Wong Howe
John Huston
Gene Kelly
Stanley Kramer
*Jesse Lasky
Jack Lemmon
Harold Lloyd
*William Cameron Menzies
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Arthur Miller
Boris V. Morkovin
Charles Palmer
William Perlberg
Mary Pickford
Miklos Rosza
Rosalind Russell
George Seaton
*William Seiter
Mark Serrurier
Mogen Skot-Hansen
Robert Snyder
George Stevens
Robert Surtees
Gloria Swanson
Norman Taurog
*Gregg Toland
Slavko Vorkapich
King Vidor
*Jerry Wald
Jack Warner
Wally Westmore
Billy Wilder
Elmo Williams
Robert Wise
Roy Wolford
Fred Zinnemann
Adolph Zukor
*Deceased 6/65

Dear Friends and Alumni of DKA:

The Twenty-^{ninth}~~eight~~ Anniversary of Delta Kappa Alpha is upon us. In honor of this event, on January 15, 1967 at 7:30 p.m. in Town and Gown at the USC campus, we are planning a banquet worthy of this occasion. This black tie affair will bring together Alumni, Associate Members, Friends, and Honorary Members from the twenty-~~three~~ years of DKA existence.

Newly elected Honorary Members who will be inducted into DKA at that time will be ~~Miss Lucille Ball, Mr. Gregory Peck, and Mr. Hal Wallis.~~ ^{Miss Irene Dunn, Mr. Frank Capra, Mr. Jacob Oakie, and Mr. William Wyler}

The Planning Committee will include: Mrs. Harry Brand, ~~Mr. Robert Crane, Mr. George Cukor, Mrs. Beatrice Greenough, Mr. Ross Hunter, Mr. Arthur Knight, Mr. Stanley Musgrove, Miss Rosalind Russell, Miss Dorothy Sandlin, Mrs. Norman Taurog, Mr. King Vidor, Miss Ruth Waterbury, Mr. David Weisbart, Mrs. Tichi Wilkerson, Mr. Jerry Wunderlich.~~ The rest of the Planning Committee will be announced soon.

Please save the date. . . Sunday night, January 15, 1967. . . a formal invitation will follow after Christmas.

Thank you for your attention, and we hope to see you Sunday, January 15, 1967.

Cordially,

Bernard R. Kantor

Bernard R. Kantor
Chairman, Cinema

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R. J. Gilmore

May 11, 1965

Herbert E. Farmer, Cinema *HEF*

Funds for the Spring DKA Banquet

via: B.R. Kantor, Chairman, Cinema

B.R. Kantor

Through an error caused by patterning a mailing piece after the one used for the February Delta Kappa Alpha Banquet in Town and Gown, the invitations for the Spring Banquet to be held at the Knickerbocker Hotel requests that the check for reservations be made to USC instead of DKA. Unfortunately, these were mailed before the error was caught.

It appears the simplest way to cope with this situation is for us to deposit the funds received so that they will eventually be available for expenditures in account 22-1837-3170 Cinema Funds. This account already is used to handle some funds under the partial control of Delta Kappa Alpha to earnings of the Film Classic Series which they sponsor.) It is anticipated that deposits will be made to this account which exactly equal the charges paid to the Knickerbocker Hotel on this project.

Please let me know right away if you feel that the situation should be handled differently as the date of the Banquet is May 23rd and I should process the requisitions requesting a purchase order to the Hotel next week.

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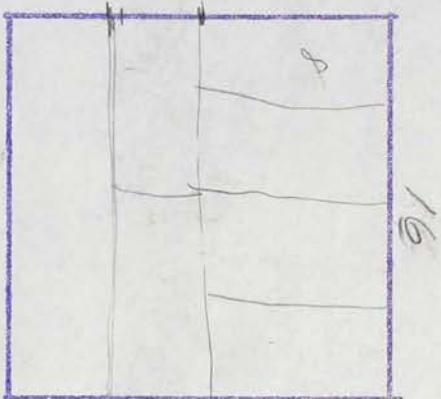
cc: N.D. Warren

DKA- Feb 7, 1965- 7:30 PM
Town & Gown

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Mike Preston

January 19, 1965

Robert Maners

Parking for DKA Banquet,
evening of February 7 (Sunday)

Would you arrange for free parking at the Town & Gown Lot and the Faculty Center Lot for guests attending the DKA Banquet on February 7th. There should be attendants available for directions.

Also, please send 200 copies of the Campus Map, showing these lots, to Dr. Bernie Kantor in the Cinema Department. He will mark the maps and send them to the guests with their tickets.

Many thanks.


Maners

cc: Bernie Kantor
Tom Nickell
Roger Olson

Gordon Johnson
I assume that this will be
changed to a blanket order which Planning has
for all events like this (that is the guards, parking, etc.)
Another Blanket order is coming thru for
our stuff.

Bob

November 16, 1964

Miss Rosalind Russell
706 N. Beverly Drive
Beverly Hills, California

Dear Miss Russell,

In recognition of your outstanding achievements and contributions to the motion picture, it is our desire to confer upon you Honorary Membership in Delta Kappa Alpha.

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There is no one today whom we feel is more worthy to become an Honorary Member on this occasion than yourself. We are also inviting Mr. Norman Taurog and Mr. Robert Wise as Honorary Members on this occasion. We look forward to your acceptance of this honor and to having you with us on February 7th.

The banquet committee is currently being formed and will be chaired by Mr. George Cukor. The complete committee will be announced shortly.

We offer our personal congratulations.

Cordially,

Herbert E. Farmer
President, National DKA

Bernard R. Kantor
Chairman, Cinema

DKA BANQUET

February 7, 1965
(definitely)

COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN

Gene Kelly

HONORARY MEMBERS

Norman Taurog
Robert Wise
Rosalin Russell

1 December 1965

Mr. Gregory Peck
226 S. Cliffwood Avenue
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Peck:

In recognition of your outstanding achievements and contributions to the motion picture, it is our desire to confer upon you Honorary Membership in Delta Kappa Alpha.

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1 December 1965

Mr. Hal Wallis
515 S. Mapleton Drive
Los Angeles, California

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UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Campus Memo

To: Thomas Nickell, Vice-President
Planning

DATE: November 29, 1965

FROM: Bernard R. Kantor, Cinema

SUBJECT: Tentative Budget for DKA
Banquet

BRKantor

D K A BANQUET, January 30, 1966
(tentative budget)

EXPENSE

550 dinners at \$5.50 each	\$3,025.00
Decorations	360.00
Flowers	125.00
Stationary & programs	200.00
Stamps	350.00
Printing awards	20.00
2 perma placks	60.00
Robotyping 3000 letters	200.00
Gifts to committee	250.00
Faculty club snacks & tomato cocktails	50.00
Miscellaneous	150.00
	<u>\$4,790.00</u>

4,665.55

INCOME

Seat & serve 550 people	
130 free invites	
420 to pay	
390 to pay at \$10 per ticket	\$3,900.00
30 to pay at \$5 per ticket	150.00
	<u>\$4,050.00</u>

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NOTE: About \$600 in the red - probably could cut this down a bit.

BRK/sf

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