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Outstanding Fall Quarter Achievements for ASI Student Leaders

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In Fall 2001, student volunteers and employees of Associated Students, Inc. demonstrated excellence with a variety of outstanding achievements. The following demonstrates some of the outstanding achievements made by our community members.

ASI Bronco Events and Activities Team, B.E.A.T., received the Delegation of the Year award at the National Association for Campus Activities regional conference (NACA). NACA is a member based, non-profit organization which serves as a "clearing house and catalyst for information, ideas and programs promoting a variety of college and university activities, from leadership development to student programming."

Senate ProTemp, Lorena Márquez, was appointed as a Student Representative of the Steering Committee for Region 15 of the Association of College Unions International (ACUI). As a student representative, Lorena will be delegated the responsibility of providing leadership in setting policies and priorities and ensure an active focus of student development.

The ASI Graphic Art Studio (GAS) received various graphic design awards during the ACUI and NACA conferences. At the annual Region 15 ACUI conference, graphic designer Javier Garcia was awarded third place in the category of multicolor poster. During the NACA convention, graphic designer Richard Juatco received the award for second place in one color poster design. In addition, ASI won the honor of receiving first place for website design. The ASI website was redesigned and launched during the first week of Fall Quarter 2001. The website was produced as a result of the design and web-work of ASI staff Christopher Peoples and Vergil Castello.

ASI President, Allen Coson, was selected as a student delegate to the Organization of American States (OAS). The goal of the OAS is to achieve justice, to work in solidarity, and defend the sovereignty of the chartered American States — North, Central, and South America. Allen will be working with other delegates to grasp a better understanding of key issues affecting the Americas.

"I have always had the passion to bring peace across the nations. I strongly believe that we will one day live in a world of liberty and democracy. Until then, I have to attain the knowledge to make future decisions," Coson said regarding his recent appointment.

These outstanding achievements demonstrate the dedication of ASI student volunteers and staff in serving all students and creating a positive environment for all of Cal Poly Pomona.