CoB Fundraising: Doty vs. Gunther

A Look at Partnership Society Donations in Spring of 2002 and Spring of 2005

This report compares the fundraising talents of current CoB Dean Harold Doty to that of former CoB Dean William Gunther. To do so, our investigators compared Partnership Society membership rolls and giving levels at two points: Spring of 2002 and Spring of 2005. Membership rolls and giving levels were reported in both the Spring 2002 and Spring 2005 issues of *Joint Venture*, the CoB highlights magazine.

The Partnership Society is structured with four broad giving categories or levels. These are classified as "Partners," "Directors," "Executives," and "Associates." This structure has been maintained since the inception of the Society in 2001. The table below specifies the level of giving required to reach each of the three categories:

| Giving Level | Requisite Donation |
|--------------|---------------------------|
| Partner | \$1,000 and above |
| Director | \$500 to \$999 |
| Executive | \$100 to \$499 |
| Associates | Gifts to \$99 |

To assess Doty's fundraising talents, we examined membership rolls in the Partnership Society using the Spring 2005 issue of *Joint Venture*. To compute a total for both Doty and Gunther, we decided to use the midpoint values (\$) for each level of giving after the "Partners" level. In other words, for each member in the "Directors" category, we added \$750 to each person's total. With "Executives" we used \$250, etc. For "Partners," we used the \$1,000 baseline figure. Using this system, Doty's fundraising totals are presented below:

| | <u>Partners</u> | Directors | Executives | <u>Associates</u> | <u>Totals</u> |
|-----------|-----------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| Members | 0 | 1 | 100 | 240 | 341 |
| Donations | \$0 | \$750 | \$25,000 | \$12,000 | \$37,750 |

The Partnership Society membership rolls from 2005, under Dean Doty, are presented in the first screen at the end of this document (1 page of names; yellow page #16). As the numbers indicate, Dean Doty was able to cultivate only one Executive member of the Society, and he was a complete failure in generating any Partners membership. Doty's total was just under \$38,000, as the table above points out.

It's interesting to take a look at CoB faculty participation in the Partnership Society in the Doty Administration:

| | <u>Partners</u> | <u>Directors</u> | <u>Executives</u> | <u>Associates</u> | <u>Totals</u> |
|---------|-----------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| Members | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| | | | Dolly Loyd | | |
| | | | John Clark | | |

So, only Dolly Loyd (Instructor of Marketing) and John Clark (Associate Professor of Finance) supported Doty's vision for the CoB by joining the Partnership Society in 2005. That's a shame, perhaps, for Clark, given the 2005 Brandt Award scenario (see report at usmpride.com).

Now we turn to former CoB Dean William Gunther. The Partnership Society membership rolls from 2002, under former Dean Gunther, are presented as screens 2 and 3 at the end of this document (2 pages of names; pages 14-15). Gunther's fundraising totals are presented below:

| | Partners | Directors | Executives | <u>Associates</u> | <u>Totals</u> |
|-----------|-----------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| Members | 6 | 7 | 84 | 402 | 499 |
| Donations | \$6,000 | \$5,250 | \$21,000 | \$20,100 | \$52,350 |

As you can see, it's not much of a contest. Gunther "developed" six Partners and 7 Directors, while Doty could only "develop" a single Director. The Gunther Administration, in it's first attempt, garnered \$52,350 to support the Partnership Society, fully 38.7% more than what Doty was able to achieve, even though the CoB fundraising apparatus was well-oiled by the time Doty arrived on the scene in 2003.

Next, we examined CoB faculty contributions under the Gunther Administration:

| | <u>Partners</u> | Directors | Executives | Associates | Totals |
|---------|-----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------------|---------------|
| Members | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 5 |
| | | Ed Nissan | Jon Carr | Rohan Christie-David | |
| | | | Frank Mixon | Len Trevino | |

So, five faculty joined the Partnership Society by Spring of 2002. Gunther was even able to cultivate as many Directors from within the CoB as Doty cultivated from around the globe. As the tables above indicate, the Gunther-Pickering era was the high-water mark for CoB fundraising. The Doty-Dieth regime is treading water, comparatively speaking.

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Membership in the Partnership Society represents a direct investment in the lives of students and faculty through scholarships, fellowships, innovative programs and improved classroom technology.

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Last January, The University of Southern Mississippi's College of Business Administration invited friends and alumni to become charter members in our newly established Partnership Society. More than 500 of you

accepted our invitation. All funds raised through the Partnership Society are used for student scholarships and faculty development. For example, this fall five students received Partnership Society scholarships and three outstanding faculty members, Jon Carr, Edward Nissan, and Len Trevino, received Partnership Society Professorship awards. Thank you for joining us in our quest for continuing excellence and national recognition

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