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Dear Friends and Colleagues,

On behalf of the BACCHUS and GAMMA Peer Education Network, I would like to invite you and your students to participate in the 2004 Area 8 Conference, February 6-7 at The University of Mississippi, in Oxford, MS.

As many of you know, the BACCHUS and GAMMA Peer Education Network is divided into 12 areas throughout the United States. We are in Area 8, which is comprised of schools from Alabama, Mississippi, and Tennessee. By attending the Area 8 Spring Conference, you will have an opportunity to meet with other students and advisors to share your ideas and experiences. This is also a great time to give your students, your advisors, your affiliate group, and your programs the credit that they deserve, by nominating them for and award! This is also a wonderful time to share your knowledge, expertise, and successes with others, by presenting an educational program at the conference. The forms necessary for nominations and program proposals are enclosed. Also included is a copy of the tentative schedule, a hotel accomodation request, and a general registration form. For convenience, online registration is available at our website, <http://www.olemiss.outreach.edu>.

The Spring Conference is designed to be educational, inspirational, and fun, while also being a reminder of how important our missions are and what a powerful impact we can have on education and prevention efforts.

We welcome individuals and groups affiliated with the BACCHUS and GAMMA Peer Education Network, as well as those individuals and groups who are thinking of starting peer education groups. It should be a wonderful experience for everyone, and I look forward to seeing all of you at Ole Miss!

Sincerely,
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