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Dr. David A. Rockstraw  
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Dear Dr. Rockstraw:

I am pleased to inform you that your student chapter has been selected as an Outstanding AIChE Chapter for the 2007-2008 school year. This award is in recognition of the membership and participation of the students and faculty, the quality and quantity of your meetings and activities, and your chapter's involvement in local, regional and national events. The award will be announced at the Annual Meeting.

Please contact Gordon Ellis to confirm the correct spelling of your name and the name of the student chapter president(s). I have enclosed a form to be used for this purpose. Unless otherwise informed, he will forward the award certificates to your school. Please respond before October 7, 2008 so awards will be available at the annual meeting.

You will also find two additional enclosures. The first is a listing of all award winners this year. The second is a composite of what a perfect student chapter would be! This may help you as you strive to make your award-winning chapter even better. The listing of special activities that are being done by student chapters may give you ideas for your chapter. Let me know if I can be of further assistance in this area.

Congratulations to you and the members of the student chapter.

Sincerely,



Marvin E. Borgmeyer  
Chairman, Awards Committee  
AIChE Student Chapters Committee

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