

## The J. Patrick Lee Prize in Ethics

This annual undergraduate essay competition is established to honor Patrick Lee who served as National Secretary-Treasurer of Delta Epsilon Sigma with dedication and commitment for over 20 years, and whose leadership transformed the Society. As a tribute to Dr. Lee's praiseworthy ethical character and judgment, this competition encourages students to reflect on ethical issues in ways that engage the challenges of our contemporary world. Essays should evidence research and well reasoned reflection on a specific ethical issue that emerges from an academic, professional, political, ecological or social justice context. Topics should explore ethical issues engaging the Catholic intellectual tradition. Essays must be submitted as MS Word Documents, in double-spaced format, and be between 1500 and 5000 words in length. An abstract should also be included. Proper citation is expected, following the norm in the discipline from which the topic area derives (e.g., APA. MLA, Chicago Manual of Style, Terabian, etc.). There is a Prize Award of \$2,500.00, along with publication of the essay in the **Delta Epsilon Sigma Journal.** Senior projects from the calendar year will be accepted, and there is no limit to submissions from each campus. **Deadline: December 1**<sup>st</sup>. Materials should be sent electronically to the National Office at the University of St. Thomas at desnational@stthomas.edu.

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