

Welcome to the Interschool Board of *CAURS 2008*



What is the mission of CAURS?

To encourage undergraduate research and collaboration among students in the Chicagoland area through an annual symposium and grants.



University of Illinois at Chicago - Northwestern University - Loyola University
DePaul University - Illinois Institute of Technology - University of Chicago

What is AURS?

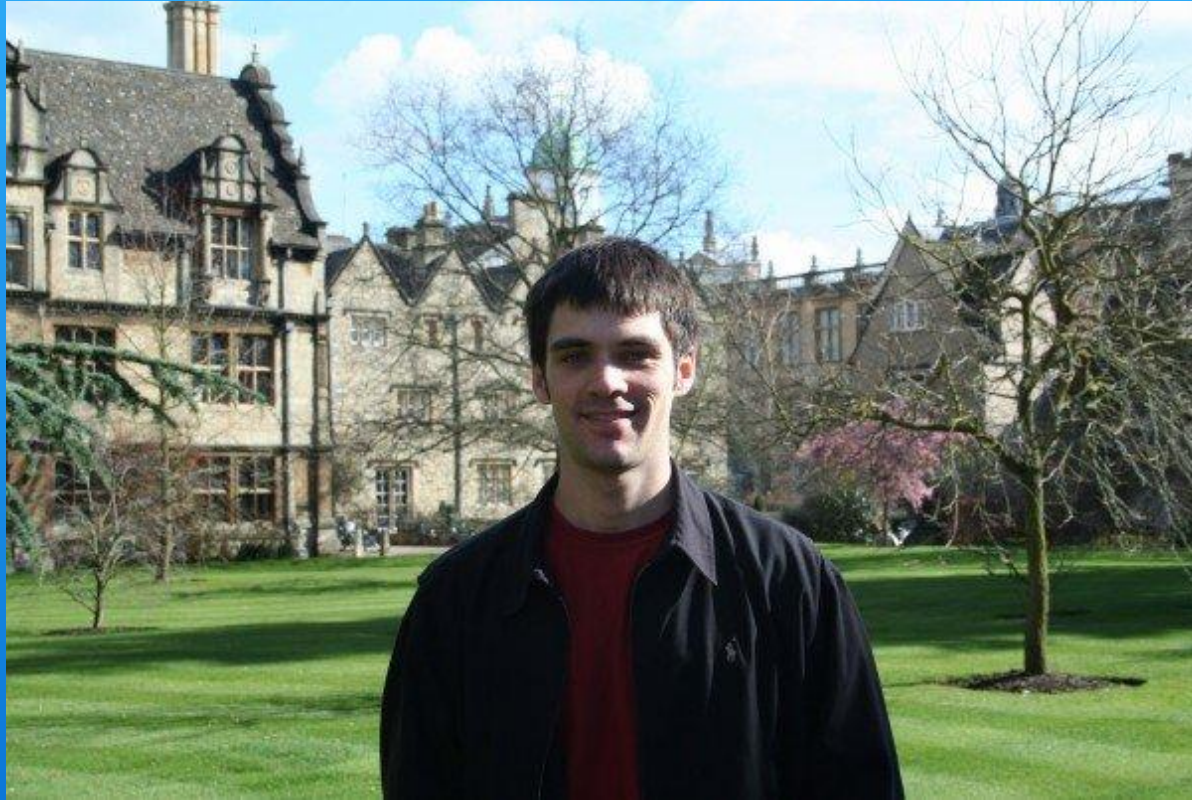
The American Undergraduate Research Society is the parent organization of CAURS which sponsors regional undergraduate symposia around the world.



What other regional symposia are sponsored by the AURS?



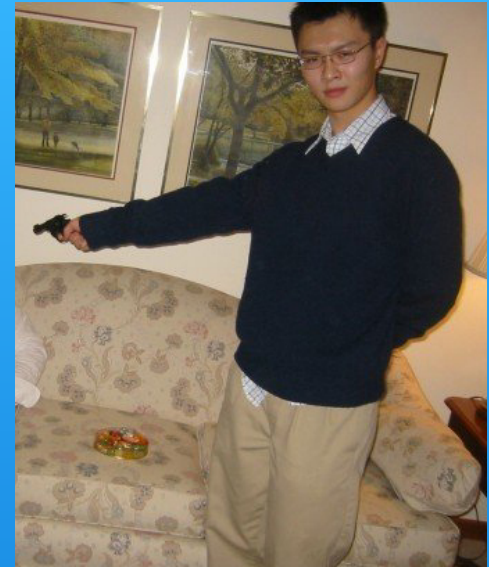
Who founded this organization?



Chandler Robinson, Northwestern University '06
Founder and Chairman of CAURS and AURS - Spring 2005

Other AURS Names to Know:

Vice-Chairman:
Terrance Lee



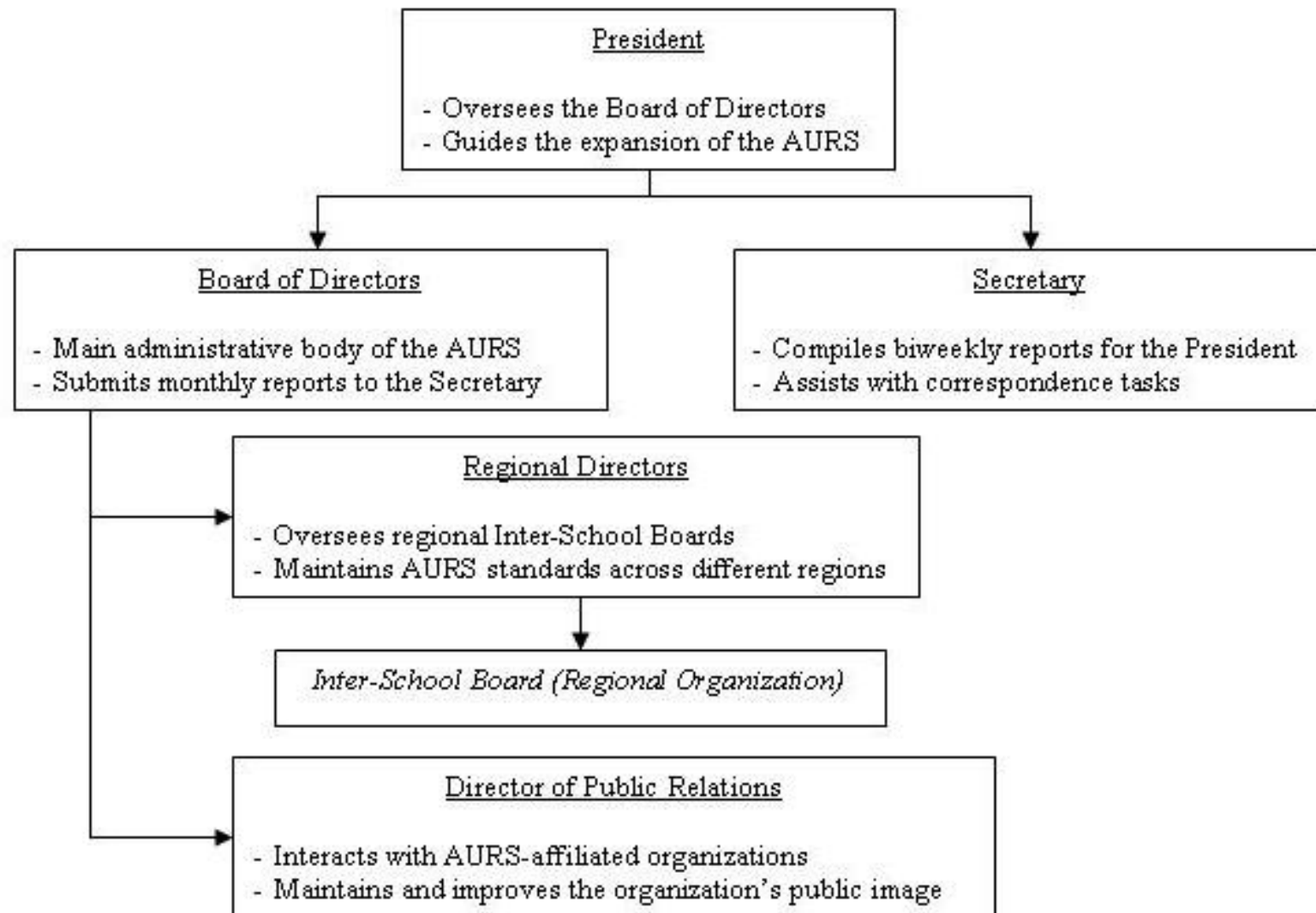
Secretary:
Stephanie Tang



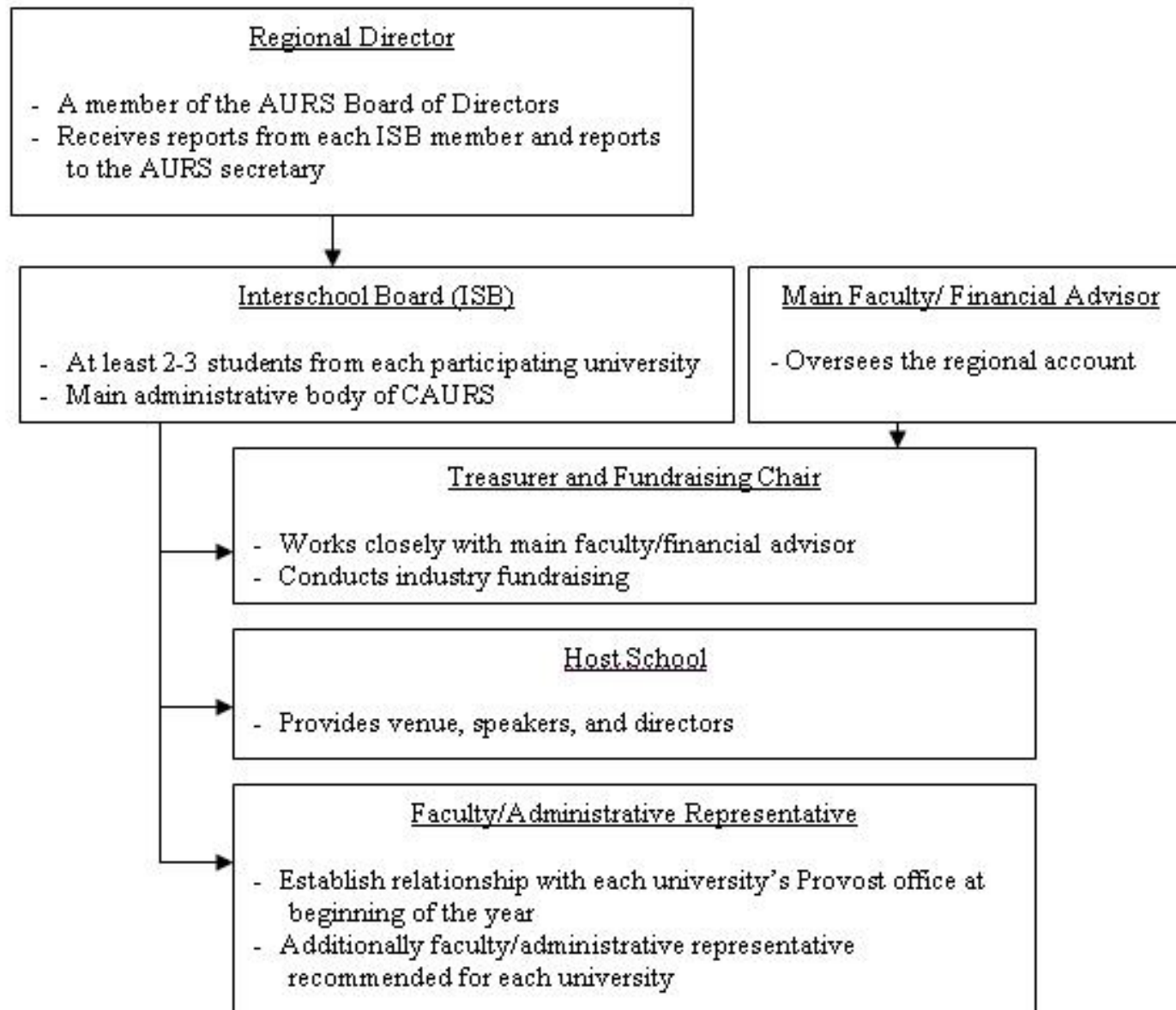
Chicago Regional Director:
Alice Tang



Organization and Responsibilities for National Organization



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Overview of CAURS



What disciplines are represented at CAURS?

Any subject area in which research is actively being pursued, including chemistry, biology, physics, engineering, math, social sciences, psychology, cognitive science, and more!



The inaugural year: April 2005

- Held at the Kellogg Business school downtown
- Participating schools:
 - University of Chicago
 - Northwestern
 - Loyola
 - UIC



CAURS 2007

- Held at Loyola Chicago Law Center
- Participating schools:
 - University of Chicago
 - Northwestern
 - Loyola
 - UIC
 - Depaul
 - IIT
- 95 Participants
- Over 14 disciplines represented



Sample Schedule

10:00 - 10:45 a.m. Registration and Breakfast

10:45 a.m. Opening Address

11:00 a.m. Oral Presentations

12:15 p.m. Lunch with graduate/medical school info tables

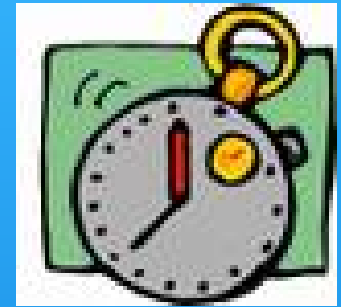
1:15 p.m. Poster Presentations, Session I

2:15 p.m. Coffee Break

2:45 p.m. Poster Presentations, Session II

3:45 p.m. Research Lecture

4:30 p.m. Banquet Dinner and Awards Ceremony



Achievements of Past Participants

Yoni Kahn, Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship

Suraj Pradhan, Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship

Laura Hughes, Gates Scholarship

Chandler Robinson, UK Fulbright Scholar

Marsela Jorgolli, Academic All-American & Goldwater Scholar

Laura Hughes, Goldwater Scholar

Steve Brusatte, British Marshall Scholar

Shawn Anthony, Harvard Medical School

Tiara Kawahara, Graduate Student, Stanford University



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Upcoming Host of CAURS 2008

