

CHAPTER REPORT FORM

Chapter name: Southeast and Caribbean Chapter

Meeting held? Yes.

Date of Meeting: February 21-23, 2004 (at Emory University, Atlanta GA)

No. in Attendance: 19 SEMSEC registrants

Final program and business meeting report attached.

Officers, Addresses, Phone Numbers, Terms of Office (Dates). Note whether continuing (C) or newly-elected (N).

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Chapter Funds:

Pre-meeting balance: \$308.54
Meeting income: \$495.00
Other income: \$250.00 (from SEM for honoraria)
Meeting expenses: \$103.45

Other expenses: \$250.00 (honorarium to Regula Qureshi, keynote speaker)
Current balance: \$700.09
(If the Dale A. Olsen Student Prize is awarded, another \$50.00 will be debited from the current balance.)

Next Meeting (Date and Place): North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC, a joint meeting with the North Carolina Folklore Society. Local Arrangements: Alison Arnold. Program Chair: Frank Gunderson

In addition to meetings, what other chapter activities are being carried on?

- The 2004 program committee is currently judging student papers for the Dale A. Olsen Student Prize.
- President Alison Arnold has proposed amending the chapter by-laws, which are out-of-date with current chapter procedures. . A committee was named to study the issue.

Respectfully submitted,
Thomas George Caracas Garcia
SEMSEC Vice President/Secretary-Treasurer, 2004-2005