1984-85 In Review

This past year was very successful for NUCEAO. The organization continues its rapid growth as the paid and life membership now totals nearly 600 members. Activities during the year were well attended. Both luncheons, held at Polcaris, (Nov. 28, Speaker: Stephen Paris, Esq., Topic: Liability in Design and Construction; and Jan. 29, Speaker: Al Pacelli E'46, Topic: Construction Management on the Southwest Corridor) were very successful.

The Annual Alumni Dinner meeting continues to be the highlight of our activities. This year 142 members and guests gathered on March 26, 1985 to socialize and honor this year's outstanding alumnus award winner, Joseph E. Heney '52. Also honored were two student achievement award winners, Ann M. Brach receiving the Bertram Berger Memorial Award and William G. Mowell receiving the Joseph L. Lawler Memorial Award. Next year's dinner is scheduled for the evening of March 25. That evening is during spring semester break, allowing for ample parking. Please mark your calendar now for that evening!!

The Alumni Employment Referral Committee is now active and assisting the University's Career Development and Placement Office to upgrade the referral program.

This year's NUCEAO contribution to the Student Chapter includes:
* $600.00 as partial assistance to send two student chapter representatives to the San Francisco ASCE Annual Meeting to receive their seventh Ridgeway Award (out of eight years) as the most outstanding student chapter in the nation.
* $1,500.00 toward the printing cost of the Student Chapter ASCE Annual Report.
* $1,000.00 toward the cost of the student sponsored Jobs Fair held on February 23, 1985 at Northeastern University.

We congratulate the Student Chapter for their excellent program and wish them continued success and recognition.

The organizational by-laws are in the process of being revised. The revisions were prompted by the University's desire to have all its alumni clubs separated from the University as individual tax exempt organizations. During this process we saw the need to update and streamline our by-laws. The suggested modifications and changes will be sent out shortly.

As the outgoing president, I thank all of you for your membership, your contributions to the Student Chapter Assistance Fund, your active support and assistance, and I look forward to seeing you all at future NUCEAO activities.

Sincerely,

NUCEAO PRESIDENT

Edward J. Comeau
NUCEAO Luncheon

The very successful NUCEAO luncheon series continues on Wed. May 15 at Polcari's Restaurant, in Boston's North End. The day's speaker is William Geary, Commissioner of the Metropolitan District Commission in Boston. Mr. Geary, referred to by Governor Michael S. Dukakis as 'one of the finest public servants he's worked with,' is the man responsible for the successful operation of one of the government's largest entities. The M.D.C. operates under an $18 million budget, employs more than 2,700 people, and provides vital water, sewer, and police service to 54 cities and towns in Metropolitan Boston.

The cost for the luncheon is the usual $9.00 for members and $10.00 for non-members. A social hour begins at 11:30 a.m. with lunch at 12:15. Mr. Geary will speak following lunch.

To reserve, complete the form and send along with a check for $9.00 (member) or $10.00 (non-member) made payable to NUCEAO to: Alvin Aronson, Office of Alumni Relations, 125 Richards Hall, Northeastern University, 360 Huntington Ave., Boston, MA 02115.

NUCEAO LUNCHEON
May 15, 1985

Name: ______________________________ Class: __________

Address: __________________________________________

City: ______________________________________________

State: ___________ Zip: ___________ Phone: ___________

No. Attending: ___________ Members: ___________ Non-Members: ___________

Amount Enclosed: ___________

Officer's Meeting

The newly elected NUCEAO officers and class representatives held their first meeting on April 23 at the Northeastern Dedham Campus. The meeting involved lively discussions relating to several areas and committees; i.e., Membership, By-Laws, Programs and Honors & Awards. The following members are current committee chairmen: Ed Comeau '58 - Nominating, Joe Randall '51 - Newsletter, Dan Fritzschke '70 - Membership, Pete Ziner '48 - Reunion, Larry McCluskey '48 - By-Laws, and Emile Troup '62 - Programs.

Please refer to the list of class representatives on the back page of this newsletter for your class information. If your class is not listed, please contact Stanley Shuman 734-2700 to volunteer.

Other meeting discussions included suggestions on a Reunion weekend, a NUCEAO Directory, the May 15th Luncheon at Polcaris, the late June weekend for 50 year alumni, a student reception for Civil Engineering seniors, and representation of NUCEAO at the ASCE Convention to be held in Boston in October '86.

The next officers' meeting is scheduled for Monday, June 10 at the Boston Edison Company Solar House in Brookline. A notice is forthcoming.

OFFICERS
President - Stanley Shuman '48
Vice President - Daniel Fritzschke '70
Vice President - Emile Troup '62

Secretary - Lawrence McCluskey '48
Treasurer - Richard D. Smith '53
Editor of Newsletter: Joseph J. Randall '51,
A.G. Lichtenstein & Assoc. 762-3838
Alumni Business Card Manager: Nick Rubino '79
C.E. Maguire 890-0100, Ext. 382
Annual Dinner

More than 140 alumni, students, and faculty, representing 43 classes were on hand for the NUCEAO Annual Alumni Dinner held at the Ell Student Center on Tuesday, March 26.

The evening featured the presentation of three awards for outstanding achievement in Civil Engineering. The Bertram Berger Memorial Award for student achievement was presented to senior, Ann Brach. She also accepted the other award for student achievement, the Joseph L. Lawler Memorial Award, presented to William Mowell, also a senior. A new plaque listing past NUCEAO Outstanding Civil Engineering Alumni Award winners was presented to Richard Scranton, representing Department Chairman Mishac K. Yegian, by outgoing president Ed Comeau '58. The plaque listed, among the others, the name of Joseph Heney '52, who was recognized that evening, with the Outstanding Civil Engineering Alumnus Award for 1985.

The remainder of the evening's program was comprised of: an address by outgoing NUCEAO president Ed Comeau '58; a report by Prof. Richard Scranton on the Civil Engineering Department, and a synopsis by Stanley Shuman '48 on proposed changes to the organization by-laws. Finally, Franklin Davis '60 presided over the election of new officers.

Above, outgoing president Ed Comeau '58 passes the gavel to new president Stanley Shuman '48 and Ann Brach (middle) is congratulated on her student award by Susan Enos '80 and Ed Comeau.

Below, Outstanding Alumnus Award winner Joe Heney '52 (middle) displays his new chair. Susan Enos and Ed Comeau are alongside. Also Susan Enos and Joe Heney hold plaque listing past Outstanding Alumnus Award winners, including Joe Heney's name.
Above, the large gathering of Civil Engineers await dinner in the Ell Center Ballroom.

Below, outgoing president Ed Comeau '58 presents plaque listing past outstanding Alumnus Award winners to Rick Scranton of the Civil Engineering Department at N.U. Mr. Scranton was representing Dept. Chairman Mishac Yegian.
Alumni Bits

Joe W. Lavin '43 is recuperating at his new retirement home in Florida from a by-pass operation. He would be pleased to hear from his friends. Address: 812 Briny Ave., Apt. 4B, Pompano Beach, Florida 33062.

Charles A. Parthum '51 was recently inducted into Chi Epsilon, the national civil engineering honor society. He is only the ninth non-student to receive this honor. He is the Senior-Vice President of Camp Dresser & McEve Inc. (CDM)

Robert C. Lesuer '71 is currently employed as a Managing Consultant with the general management consultant firm of Cresap, McCormick & Paget in New York City.

Jan C. Porter '71 is the Vice President of Construction for JMB/Federated Realty and is expanding his own successful marketing and entrepreneurial business ventures.

Kenneth Krooohs '72 is the Senior Planner, Transportation with the City-County Planning Board in Winston-Salem, N.C.

Blair Enman '73 is owner of Enman Engineering, Civil, Sanitary and Environmental Engineers, with offices in North Clarendon and Woodstock, Vermont.

Michael N. Kelly '75 announces the arrival of a new family addition: Michael Patrick.

Captain Howard S. Lincoln '75 recently returned from a 32 month stay in Okinawa, Japan where he was a Project Manager with the Japan Engineer District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. He is presently an instructor with the Department of Engineering at the U.S. Military Academy, West Point, New York.

Kenneth F. Bryant '79 became the proud father of a son, Daniel Kenneth, on May 13, 1984.

John F. Pescatore '79 is currently working on a Ph.D. in Civil Engineering (Water Resources) at Old Dominion University in Norfolk, VA. He received his M.S. in C.E. in 1982 from the University of Cincinnati.

Denise B. Evans '80 is working as a Material Control Engineer at the Schlage Lock Company in San Francisco.

Scott M. Albert '81 received his Masters Degree in Business Administration from New Hampshire College - Graduate School of Business (August 1984).

Mark D. Evans '81 has entered the Ph.D. program at Berkeley. He has received his M.S. in Civil Engineering and will receive his Masters Degree in Engineering this year.

Stephen Rusekika '82 and his wife Kathleen are proud parents of Mathew Stephen, born on January 25, 1985.

Charles E. Wear '82 has begun employment with Carter & Towers Engineering in Swampscott, MA.

Carol J. Lemb '84 completed the U.S. Army Engineer Officer Basic Course at Fort Belvoir, Virginia. She is now stationed at Fort Hood, Texas with the 62nd Engineer Battalion where she is the only female officer.
Class Representatives

17-25  Julius Abrams      232-7530  '63  John P. Sullivan  969-0500
16  Barney Evans           516-941-4536  '64  Joseph Guertin  969-0050
40  Dan Miles              482-7293  '65  Leon Asadoorian  685-3333
43  Joe Lavin              305-941-1061  '66  Craig E. Barnes  367-3106
44-46  Roderick W. Sommers 437-3459  '66  Gordon Slaney  267-6710
47  Jack Cusack            843-9404  '66  Alan Vitkevich  729-6188
48  Stanley Shuman         734-2700  '67  Vernon Barows  528-7830
48  Lawrence McCluskey     246-6394  '68  Paul Showstead  482-2930
50  David O'Neil           325-5280  '69  Michael Kupferman  437-2444
51  Robert Meserve         437-3396  '70  Dan Fritzche  359-6703
51  Joe Randall            973-5340  '71  Vernon Eldrinhoff  662-8562
52  Joe Heney              742-5151  '71  Nick Mariani  262-3200
52  Bob Homer              653-7599  '72  Ron Jantzen  965-9600
53  Richard D. Smith       647-0046  '72  Bob Tillman  437-3469
54  William Freeman        742-5151  '73  Tim McGrath  491-8300
55  Dave Weiner            742-3400  '75  Richard Carneiro  965-7189
56  Donald Cullivan        742-5111  '76  Bill DiTullio  742-5151
57  Bob Barton             327-1500  '77  Bill Kay  762-3603
57  Marty Weiss            367-4000  '78  John McDonough  742-5151
58  Edward J. Comeau       326-4030  '79  Gary Cunniff  328-6893
59  Alfred Schiff           653-8715  '79  Carl Dumas  289-8900
60  Franklin B. Davis      598-5560  '80  Karen Adams  823-9074
62  Emile W.J. Troup       329-7417  '81  Scott Albert  603-624-8705
63  Al Pincince            742-5151

Perpetuating fellowship among members is one of the main goals of the Organization. At the April 23rd meeting of officers and class representatives, discussion focused on some of the classes which already have developed close ties by implementing regularly scheduled activities of common interest. For example, several members of the Class of '48 meet for lunch in Boston every other month, and members of the classes of '25 and '26 frequently schedule trips to Maine or Cape Cod together.

If you know, or would like to get to know, some classmates and would enjoy this type of activity, the Organization would be glad to suggest good meeting locations, help make reservations, help locate and contact your classmates, etc. For more information, contact your class representative, Stan Shuman or Dan Fritzche.