

BHSA, USA to Celebrate Nine Years of Existence in 2011

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Massive preparations have already begun in the host city of Atlanta, Georgia to commemorate this milestone in the history of the association. Without a formal organized chapter of officers and ad hoc committees as is customary in organizations, the few but committed alumni and former students of the institution are pulling together cohesively to ensure the success of the convention. With mere two and a half months since the Providence, Rhode Island convention, The Atlanta group has made remarkable progress. The main venue for lodging, meeting and the banquet has already been secured. Music, photography, and the park activities are in concluding stages. There is also plan for a pool party which will help to remedy the normally hot summer of Hotlanta.

In all estimation it will be a huge and festive weekend of events. It is not premature to anticipate that the 2011 convention will be one of the best (if not the best). Committed members in several parts of the United States have begun working the phones and other electronic media to encourage active and passive members, as well as other graduates and former students to attend. I am very encouraged to learn of some commitments thus far.

Thanks to all who have got on board so far, including our colleagues from Charlotte, North Carolina. We are encouraging others in the Atlanta area to join in the efforts to make the ensuing convention a memorable one.