NEW MEMBERS

Subsequent to action by the Commission on Accreditation at its meetings in March 2012, NAST is pleased to welcome the following institutions as new members:

**Institutions Granted Associate Membership**

- **AMERICAN COMEDY INSTITUTE**
  481 8th Avenue, Suite 736
  New York, NY 10001
  Stephen Rosenfield
  Director

- **UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY**
  Lexington, KY 40506
  Nancy C. Jones
  Chair, Department of Theatre

**Institutions Granted Membership**

- **EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY**
  1000 East Fifth Street
  Greenville, NC 27858
  John Shearin
  Director, School of Theatre and Dance
  Messick Theatre Arts Center

- **INDIANA UNIVERSITY – PURDUE UNIVERSITY FORT WAYNE**
  2101 East Coliseum Boulevard
  Fort Wayne, IN 46805
  John O’Connell
  Chair, Department of Theatre

- **METROPOLITAN STATE COLLEGE OF DENVER**
  P.O. Box 173362
  Denver, CO 80217-3362
  Marilyn A. Hetzel
  Chair, Department of Theatre

**Formal Commission Report.** The official report of actions taken by the NAST Commission on Accreditation in March 2012 follows.
After positive action by the Commission on Accreditation, the following institutions were granted Associate Membership:

American Comedy Institute
University of Kentucky

Progress reports were accepted from six (6) institutions recently granted Associate Membership.

After positive action by the Commission on Accreditation, the following institutions were granted Membership:

East Carolina University
Indiana University – Purdue University Fort Wayne
Metropolitan State College of Denver

Action was deferred on seven (7) institutions applying for Membership.

Progress reports were accepted from three (3) institutions recently granted Membership.

After positive action by the Commission on Accreditation, the following institutions were continued in good standing:

American Academy of Dramatic Arts
The Hartt School
Neighborhood Playhouse School of Theatre
The New York Conservatory of Dramatic Arts
Oklahoma State University
San Francisco State University
Southern Illinois University Carbondale
Southern Illinois University Edwardsville
University of Mississippi
Wayne State University

Action was deferred on fourteen (14) institutions applying for renewal of Membership.

Progress reports were accepted from nine (9) institutions recently continued in good standing.
One (1) institution was granted Substantive Change.

Action was deferred on three (3) institutions applying for Substantive Change.

Eight (8) programs were granted Plan Approval.

Action was deferred on two (2) programs submitted for Plan Approval.

One (1) progress report was accepted from an institution concerning programs recently granted Plan Approval.

Six (6) programs were granted Final Approval for Listing.

Action was deferred on two (2) programs submitted for Final Approval for Listing.

Six (6) institutions were granted second year postponements for re-evaluation.

One (1) institution was notified regarding failure to pay dues.

Three institutions were notified regarding failure to submit the HEADS annual report.

Twelve (12) institutions were notified regarding receipt of the 2010-2011 Supplemental Annual Report.

One (1) institution was notified regarding failure to submit the 2010-2011 Supplemental Annual Report.