



**FILOMENO C. GAPULTOS, JR., MD'72 Intern
Most Outstanding Alumnus of the Year**

**Obstetrics and Gynecology
Russellville, Alabama
Past President, USTMAAA and USTMAAF**

- He is a proud alumnus of UST Faculty of Medicine & Surgery, Class 1972 Interns.
- As the Most Exalted Brother of the Tau Mu Sigma Phi, ushering in the 1970 Pan Asian Bishop Meeting at the Medicine Auditorium with His Holiness, Pope Paul VI presiding.
- He spent his last year of medical school Internship rotation at Makati Medical Center 1971-72. His batch was the first official Interns at Makati Medical Center.
- Began work as a first year OB-GYN Resident under the auspices of Dr. Constantino P. Manahan at the Makati Medical Center during Martial law in the Philippines in 1972-73.
- Rotating Internship Program at Maimonides Medical Center & Coney Island Hospital, Brooklyn, NY in 1973-74.
- OB-GYN Residency Program at Brooklyn-Cumberland Medical Center, Chief Resident, an affiliate of the State University of New York, Downstate Medical Center, NYC
- Thriving OB/GYN practice in the Shoals, Northwest Alabama which continues operation today with him as the CEO of the Women's Clinic Shoals.
- In a special effort to give back to his Alma Mater, Dr. He has become a leader in fundraising. Besides his personal contribution to the USTMAAA ENDOWMENT FUND, the following endeavors have been successful because of his tireless effort: He continued the legacy of his late friend and classmate, Dr. Nitz Mempin-Marino raising \$182,330.00 for the Class 72 Interns Legacy Fund, the 3rd largest contributor to USTMAAA Foundation Endowment Fund portfolio. Dr. Gapultos funneled several funding to the Faculty of Medicine & Surgery Book Scholarship Program.
- He led USTMAAA as President in 2007-2008.
- In a 2008 episode of the popular television show, "Desperate Housewives", a slur against Philippine medical graduates was uttered by one of the stars of the show. Dr. Gapultos initiated the USTMAAA sponsored summit that led to the formation of "FALCON" (Filipino American Leadership Council) that decried the insult.
- He was President of the Tau Mu Sigma Phi USA Foundation, Inc. in 2008-2009. The Tau Mu Sigma Phi USA Foundation Inc. became a \$25,000 plus major donor to USTMAAA Endowment Fund.
- Dr. Gapultos spearheaded a campaign for the Thomasian Alumni Center raising more than \$100,000 with the help of his Tau Mu Sigma Phi brothers.
- In 2009–2011, he served as President of the USTMAAA Foundation Inc. During his term of office, he saw the realization of the world class, Fr. Buenaventura Paredes Thomasian Alumni Center, home for all Thomasians..
- In the year 2010, the coffers of the USTMAAA Foundation Endowment Fund passed the \$4 Million mark.
- He was quite pleased to be one of the five main contributors in the project to build the Klinika Tomasino Building that serves the health needs of a large GK Village in Towerville, Bulacan.
- He is on the Dean's Circle of Donors (\$25,000 plus), USTMAAA Endowment Fund.
- Collected thousands of dollars for USTMAAA disaster drives, including a \$2500 donation to the victims of the Terrible Typhoon Yolanda.
- As a lifetime member of the Board of Directors both USTMAAA & USTMAAA Foundation Inc., he continued to be one of service to the University of Santo Tomas for numerous years.
- Other positions include Chairman of the USTMAAA Conventions and was a member of the USTMAAA Finance Committee for several years.
- He was a contributor to the US Thomasian Newsletter and the USTMAAA website for years.
- His charity work has taken him on several USTMAAA sponsored Medical Missions to Pampanga; GK Village, Towerville, Bulacan; Tagum Regional Hospital in Davao City; and Benguet Hospital in Baguio.
- List of ACADEMIC POSITIONS and AWARDS are available upon request.