

a letter from the president

It is an honor and a privilege to serve on the Board for the Museum of Danish America. Serving with so many people who are focused on the preservation of Danish culture and history is truly a pleasure! It has been great to have the opportunity to work with so many talented staff that makes the museum what it is today. It is due to the efforts of the staff and volunteers that the museum has been able to succeed over the last 30+ years. However, equally important are the generous financial contributions, both large and small, that have been made to the museum over the years.

The year 2014 was an eventful one. The new Curatorial Center was completed and dedicated on October 18, 2014. The added space that this facility provides is a great addition to the current museum structure. It provides the opportunity to receive, process and house donations of historical note made to the museum. Our staff has also been afforded the opportunity to move into much needed office space. The building

addition was made possible by the generous donation of museum patrons. It is with such generous contributions from these folks that we are able to continue the preservation of Danish culture and heritage. I encourage you to read the section of this Annual Report regarding Collections, authored by Angela Stanford, Curator of Collections/Registrar.

I certainly do not wish to “steal the thunder” of the additional staff who are also providing updates in this Annual Report. Therefore, I would encourage you to review the reports provided by the following staff: John Mark Nielsen-Executive Director, Tova Brandt-Albert Ravenholt Curator of Danish-American Culture, Michele McNabb-Genealogy Center Manager, Deb Christensen Larsen-Development Manager and Terri Johnson-Administrative Manager.

As we move into 2015, we face both challenges and opportunities. Some of the areas that need to be addressed are as follows:

1. STRATEGIC PLANNING

The current plan used by the museum covers the years 2011-2015. This plan has provided and continues to provide a “roadmap,” if you will, for guiding the activities of the museum. The technical term for strategic planning is as follows: An organization’s process of defining its strategy, or direction, and making decisions on allocating its resources to pursue the strategy. A new plan will be developed during 2015 that will be put into action for the 2016-2020 time period.

2. OUTREACH We must figure out ways to expand the reach of the museum. A fantastic job has been done thus far via exhibits, genealogy research, Brown Bag Lunches, electronic media, and countless hours of staff time traveling to various venues nationwide. How do we attract new members, especially with an emphasis on youth?



By
Gary
Knudsen

3. PARTNERSHIPS Our current strategic plan calls for expanding our partnerships with other Danish organizations. I am happy to report that we have moved in this direction during 2014. With the guidance and direction of John Mark Nielsen, our Executive Director, we have developed a partnership with the Rebild National Park Society, a Danish-American friendship organization. A partnership has also been approved with the Danish American Archive and Library, located in Blair, Nebraska. These partnerships tend to expand communication and mutual benefit to each organization. Are there other partnerships that can be developed for the mutual benefit of all?

4. ESTATE PLANNING The museum has been fortunate over the years to be on the

receiving end of generous contributions made to our endowment, building and general operating funds through bequests and estate gifts. The challenge remains on how to grow our endowment fund to a level that the revenue from that fund can assist in sustaining the operation of the museum. Those interested in contributing to the museum may certainly contact the museum staff.

5. ELECTRONIC MEDIA Web page updates/upgrades are going to be an ongoing essential activity. Our museum Design Store provides excellent items for purchase. Can we reach out even further electronically? We live in a social media world that young and old access on a daily basis. We need to have the technical and financial means to keep the museum in front of the world via electronic media. This effort takes staff time and a financial commitment.

6. STAFFING We all know that we would like to clone the current staff and keep them in their current positions forever, however, we also know that change is inevitable. As we anticipate some staff changes within the next year or two, a search committee has been pulled together to review our staffing needs and how to go about recruiting replacements. The search committee is composed of current and former board members.

There are probably additional challenges and opportunities that will come up throughout the year. It goes without saying that your continued financial support and membership is essential to the sustained success of the museum. Thank you!

board of directors

The 2014-2015 Board of Directors is a special group of men and women who have unselfishly dedicated themselves to the preservation of their Danish American heritage and the mission of the museum. They join an elite group of individuals who, over the past 31 years, have worked to build and maintain a museum of which all Danes, Danish Americans and the American public can be proud.

Participating at their own expense, the board members come together three times a year to share their skills and experience in providing oversight to the administration of the museum and to develop ideas and plans that will contribute to its continuing vitality. It is the practice of the board to meet each February and June in different locations around the United States so that they may share and celebrate Danish heritage with those Danish Americans who may not otherwise be able to link directly with the museum. In 2014, the board held its February meeting in San Diego, California, and

its June meeting in Luck, Wisconsin, with election of new board members. In October the board meeting was held in Elk Horn, Iowa. The museum's annual meeting was held in Elk Horn with new board members assuming their office; outgoing members present and participating.

Without the dedication, energy, and support of a strong, team-oriented Board of Directors, the museum staff would not be able to work effectively in managing the day-to-day operations of the Museum of Danish America.

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who we are

MISSION STATEMENT

The Museum of Danish America celebrates Danish roots and American dreams.

VISION

- ◆ To be widely recognized as the world's leading compiler and communicator of the history and inspirational achievements of Danish Americans.
- ◆ To turn the museum and the villages of Elk Horn and Kimballton into one of Iowa's top destinations for tourists, educators and local family excursions – and to support other local communities featuring Danish-American history.
- ◆ To be widely recognized as a thought leader and trendsetter in the international museum industry, constantly featuring new and inspiring experiences for worldwide audiences through innovative exhibits, events, publications and online media tools.

CORE VALUES

We are:

- ◆ **Inspirational:** We honor the vision, ambition and diligence of Danish-American achievers, and we seek to inspire future generations by telling their stories.
- ◆ **Deeply rooted:** We treasure our Danish heritage, and we are deeply committed to our local American communities.
- ◆ **Focused on the future:** We realize that to keep the past alive, we must always remain part of the future.

staff & interns

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

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Chelsea Jacobsen, *University of Iowa (Inventory Assistant)*

Madeline Mongar, *Northwest Missouri State University (Inventory Assistant)*

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a year of success

HIGHLIGHTS FOR 2014

- ◆ Celebrated the completion of the 8,200 sq. ft. Curatorial Center, designed by AHTS Architects of Waterloo, Iowa and built by Meco-Henne Construction of Omaha, Nebraska and Carroll Control Systems, Inc. of Carroll, Iowa. The center also features a unique “green roof” of prairie grasses and forbs provided through in-kind gifts from the Peter Ørum family and its companies, Midwest Groundcovers and Midwest Trading of St. Charles, Illinois and a grant from the Iowa West Foundation.
- ◆ Redesign of the museum’s entrance by Country Landscapes of Ames, Iowa that features a welcoming plaza and incorporates the Copenhagen Gas Lamps.
- ◆ Reached a population of over 250,000 through visits to the museum, traveling exhibits, social media, and programs and presentations around the country.
- ◆ Participated in numerous festivals and events from December Nights in San Diego’s Balboa Park and the annual meeting of the Rebuild National Park Society in Solvang, California across the continent to the Danish-American Chamber of Commerce – Atlanta in Georgia and the annual meeting of the Federation of Danish Associations in Ottawa, Canada.
- ◆ Continued our partnership with the Petersen House Museum in Tempe, Arizona.

EXHIBITS

- ◆ *Schleswig-Holstein: Turmoil on the Danish-German Border* – This exhibit created by our museum explores the events and results of the rise of Danish and German nationalism from the 150th anniversary of the disastrous defeat of the Danish Army in 1864 at the Battle of Dybøl Mill through the plebiscite held in 1920 after World War I when the Danish majority in North Schleswig voted to return to Denmark. Tensions in this area contributed to both German and Danish immigration to the United States between 1848 and 1920 with many immigrants settling in Iowa. Following display at our museum, the exhibit moved to the German American Heritage Center in Davenport, Iowa. Humanities Iowa and the National Endowment for the Humanities provided major funding for the exhibit and related programming.
- ◆ *Nude Vases, Cubist Faces: Modernism at Rookwood Pottery* – Following its display in Elk Horn, this exhibit, organized by our museum with guest curator Annemarie Sawkins, Ph.D., was on exhibit through March 2015 at Iowa’s oldest cultural institution, the Dubuque Museum of Art in downtown Dubuque.

- ◆ *Danish Modern: Design for Living* – Containing over 50 items of Danish modern furniture and housewares and occupying over 1,500 sq. ft., this exhibit represents the first major exhibit organized and curated by our museum that has traveled to other major museums. In 2014 it was exhibited at the Goldstein Museum of Design in Minneapolis and the Nordic Heritage Museum in Seattle. Through June 21, 2015 it will be at the Figge Museum in Davenport, Iowa.
- ◆ Eight of the museum’s traveling exhibits were hosted by eighteen different venues in seven different states and reached an audience of 91,143.

COLLECTIONS

Among the many valuable artifact donations in 2014, the museum received the following:

- ◆ Danish Sisterhood in America banner donated by the Danish American Center, Minneapolis, Minnesota.
- ◆ Wood carving by Jes Smidt depicting in relief Queen Thyra directing the building of the *Dannevirke* donated by the Martin Holst Family of Cedar Falls, Iowa.
- ◆ Secretary/hutch owned by Aage and Magda Clements and then their daughter, Annelise Clement Stoakes. The story of this piece of furniture, donated by Annie Jones of Jefferson, South Dakota, follows the family as it travels from Denmark to Japan prior to and throughout World War II and then, following the war, back to Denmark and ultimately to the United States.
- ◆ Complete set of the Bing & Grøndahl Seagull pattern porcelain and glassware belonging to Poul and Elie Steffensen was donated for use at the museum by their son, Carl and Frances Steffensen, Houston, Texas.



By
John Mark
Nielsen



GRANTS

- ◆ scan|design foundation BY INGER AND JENS BRUUN
- ◆ Iowa West Foundation
- ◆ Prairie Meadows
- ◆ Shelby County Community Foundation
- ◆ Iowa Great Places Program awarded the museum a third and final grant to complete features in the Jens Jensen Prairie Landscape Park
- ◆ Humanities Iowa and the National Endowment for the Humanities
- ◆ Eric and Joan Norgaard Charitable Trust
- ◆ Albert Victor Ravenholt Fund

GRADUATE STUDENT INTERNS

In addition, the museum continues to benefit from the work of graduate student interns. Danish interns were again sponsored through a grant from the scan|design foundation BY INGER AND JENS BRUUN of Seattle, and American interns were funded by grants from the Historical Resource Development Program through the State Historical Society of Iowa.

merit of recognition

THE MUSEUM OF DANISH AMERICA PERMANENTLY RECOGNIZES TWO GROUPS OF FRIENDS AND MEMBERS WHO HAVE DISTINGUISHED THEMSELVES THROUGH OUTSTANDING SUPPORT, BOTH WHILE LIVING AND IN THEIR ESTATE PLANS.

LIFETIME LEGACY GIVING

Five categories reflect all cumulative donations of \$25,000 and greater from individuals or their estates, foundations, trusts and organizations. These names are inscribed on a large plaque at the museum's entrance.

In 2014 the Board of Directors was pleased to add the names of Anonymous
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collections

As our members have seen throughout the past year, 2014 brought about many changes for the museum. The biggest of those affecting the Collections Department was the addition

of our new Curatorial Center, officially opened in October. With increased space for working with our collections and for artifact storage, we have provided for decades of growth. This is

important as we continue to build our collection through such generous donations as the almost 500 pieces we received during 2014. Objects like children's clothing, artwork, photographs,



By
 Angela
 Stanford

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exhibitions

Exhibitions are a museum's way of telling stories. Sometimes those stories are woven between artifacts, images, and historical experiences. Sometimes those stories share new artistic visions or new discoveries about the world around us. Sometimes those stories are told within a museum gallery, and sometimes they can be told in schools, libraries, and other community centers.

For a national museum like ours, exhibitions that can travel coast to coast are particularly important. We introduced five brand new traveling exhibitions to our program in 2014, which continues to expand the variety of stories to share with communities like

yours. Did you learn about the life and career of Søren Kierkegaard in Minneapolis or Iowa City? Did the history of Schleswig-Holstein help you understand some of your own family history? Are you one of those "Happy Danes on the Plains" discussed in the exhibit of the same name? Have you enjoyed the beauty of art pottery from Rookwood? Have you explored the reasons behind Denmark's rank as the happiest country? All of these stories have been shared with museum visitors and with communities across the country.

Your support of the Museum of Danish America makes these exhibitions possible. Whether in Elk Horn or in your own city, we hope you enjoy the stories of Danish America.

ON-SITE GALLERY EXHIBITIONS IN 2014

Danish Modern: Design for Living
April 6, 2013 – January 5, 2014
Søren Kierkegaard: The Global Dane

February 1 – April 13, 2014
Schleswig-Holstein: Turmoil on the Danish-German Border
Feb. 22 – September 1, 2014

Nude Vases, Cubist Faces: Modernism at Rookwood Pottery

April 26 – November 9, 2014
Danish Children Growing Up American

Sept. 27, 2014 – April 4, 2015

Exploring Danish Happiness
October 2014 – April 2015

Photography by Diana Velasco: Two Nationalities

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Danish Modern: Design for Living
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St. Paul, Minnesota
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*Nude Vases, Cubist Faces:
Modernism at Rookwood
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genealogy center

2014 was another busy year and one of continued growth for the Genealogy Center. We added over 500 individual immigrant files to our database and, thanks to the diligent work of interns Helle Skovsgaard Christensen and Katherine Ehrig-Page, made significant inroads into the backlog of books and other materials needing processing and entering into our computer database – so much so that we are once again bursting at the seams! With the completion of the Curatorial Center, we look forward to moving some of our less-frequently used periodicals and Special Collections to a new

storage area in the main museum building. This will allow us to rearrange the reading room and relieve some of the congestion on our shelves. Our summer photo exhibit on immigrants to the US and Canada who participated in the 1864 Dano-Prussian War and numerous speaking engagements kept staff and our dedicated volunteers occupied, as did the dozens of requests for research and translation assistance. Wanda Sornson once again designed and set up an interesting display on the history of *julenisser* for Julefest and the holiday season.

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Our volunteers help with a number of tasks including assisting staff with greeting visitors, data entry, indexing, mailings, translations, research, and with special events such as the grand opening of our Curatorial Center in October 2014.

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wall of honor

The purpose of the museum, among other things, is to tell the continuing story of the Danish immigrant experience and influence in America and the evolving story of Danish-American heritage. As a way of paying tribute, the Danish Immigrant Wall of Honor was established in 1992 listing the name of an immigrant, their year of entering the United States, and their place of settlement. The immigrants' stories and family histories, if available, are part of the growing repository at the Museum of Danish America's Genealogy Center.

Listed here are the names of the immigrants placed on the Wall in 2014:

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GEORGE HEMMING NIELSEN (1892) Racine, Wisconsin – Gordon L. Nielsen of Tulsa, OK; Lindbergh L. Nielsen of Waupaca, WI

JENNIE DAGMAR NIELSEN (1905) Shafer, Minnesota – Michael W. Garey of Hovland, MN

JOHN PETER PETERSON (1890) Bismarck, North Dakota – Larry Peterson of Grove City, OH; Marilyn Score of Boyceville, WI

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