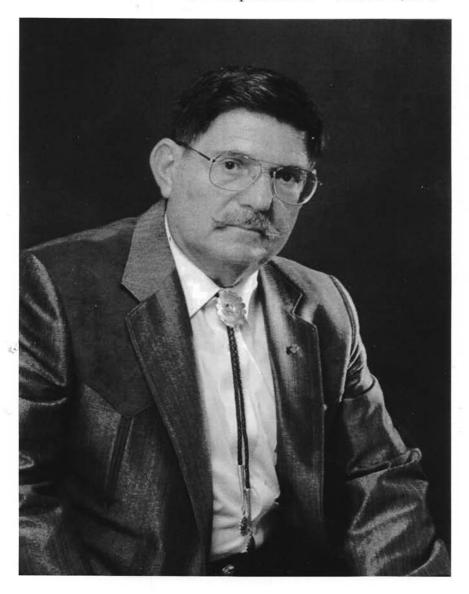
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Friday Luncheon - Crystal Ballroom, 12:15pm

"Celebrating the Kleinfeld Era in Verse and Vignettes"

The Executive Committee plans a surprise event at this luncheon. Speakers and events to be announced.

Friday Banquet - Crystal Ballroom, 7:00pm

This is the Annual Awards Banquet for presentation of prizes

Speaker: Gerald R. Kleinfeld,

"The Past and Future of German-American Relations."

This will be Professor Kleinfeld's farewell address as Executive Director of the Association. After the address, there will be a brief ceremony of expressions of gratitude.

The Executive Council of the
German Studies Association dedicates this
Congratulatory Program to Gerald Kleinfeld on
the occasion of his retirement as founding
Executive Director of the GSA with deepest
gratitude for his twenty-nine years of service to the
German Studies Association and to the disciplines
of German Studies.

With warmest best wishes,

Katherine Roper, President
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Patricia Herminghouse, Past President
Gerald Fetz, Secretary-Treasurer
Diethelm Prowe, Editor, German Studies Review



As a PhD candidate,

Gerald R. Kleinfeld

the founder and spiritus rector of the German Studies Association, was a Fulbright grantee in Vienna during the 1959-60 academic year. Since then his professional career not only has been a superb example of the longitudinal impact of the Fulbright Program.

He also personally has exemplified the Fulbright mandate by promoting mutual understanding between the peoples of the United States and other nations.



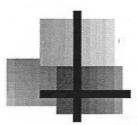
Gerald R. Kleinfeld as a graduate student in 1959

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wish to thank Professor Kleinfeld for over three decades of distinguished service and acknowledge the enduring importance of his manifold contributions to the study of the German-speaking world.

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In my name and in the name of my Swiss colleagues and compatriots, I would like to congratulate Professor Gerald Kleinfeld on his retirement as Executive Director of the German Studies Association and on his many impressive accomplishments over the past three decades.

Prof. Kleinfeld has promoted a broad spectrum of Germanspeaking learning, from history and political science to economics, musicology and geography. The always stimulating annual Conference of the German Studies Association has been an integral part of his tireless efforts.

I am grateful to Prof. Kleinfeld for the great interest he has shown in Switzerland in the past 29 years and wish him the very best success on his future endeavors.

Christian Blickenstorfer Ambassador of Switzerland to the United States of America It is with a feeling of sadness that we join others in offering a special farewell to Dr. Gerald Kleinfeld, but at the same time we do it with a feeling of gratitude — gratitude for everything that was achieved under his watch in the German Studies Association and for the privilege of having been able to work with him and to contribute to this progress.

Dr. Kleinfeld is not only the founder, but indeed the soul and the spiritus rector of the German Studies Association. We owe it to his vision as well as to his indefatigable effort that the GSA became the dynamic and respected organisation it is today. Closely connected to Austria since his years of study at the University of Vienna, Dr. Kleinfeld very consciously made room for Austria and Switzerland in the GSA and this also has served the organisation very well. Austria attaches great importance to her contribution to the GSA, as an important part in strengthening transatlantic ties and broadening the base of knowledge of and cooperation with the German speaking world.

Sad as we are to see Dr. Kleinfeld retire we wish him all the best for many fruitful and happy years and very much hope that he will continue to be a great friend and contributor to the German Studies Association.

All my colleagues at the Austrian Embassy in Washington as well as many friends from Austria join me in extending our thanks for the good years of cooperation and our best wishes for the future!

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Eva Nowotny Austrian Ambassador to the United States



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We congratulate Dr. Gerald Kleinfeld

for his accomplishments as an outstanding scholar and internationally recognized leader of the German Studies Association who has dedicated his academic career to enhancing the understanding of Germany in the United States and who has played an essential role in shaping the new field of German Studies and providing it with a unique forum for discourse.

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> Gerald D. Feldman, Director Beverley Crawford, Associate Director



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The Directors and Collegium of the CCEAE / CCGES express their thanks and congratulations to Professor Gerald Kleinfeld for his outstanding contributions as Executive Director of the German Studies Association.

La direction et le corps professoral du CCEAE / CCGES présentent leurs remerciements et leurs félicitations au professeur Gerard Kleinfeld pour ses réalisations remarquables à titre de directeur exécutif de l'Association d'études allemandes.

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AICGS expresses its thanks and appreciation to Gerald Kleinfeld for his leadership, commitment and many accomplishments. For all of us engaged in German Studies, Gerry has made a significant and lasting difference in our work.

We wish to express our gratitude and deep respect for the standards of excellence he has set for our profession.

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The faculty and staff of the BMW Center for German and European Studies at Georgetown University congratulate Professor Gerald Kleinfeld on the occasion of his retirement as Executive Director of the German Studies Association. We are grateful for his vision and leadership, which have been central to the association's flagship role in the field of German studies.

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Congratulates Professor Gerald R. Kleinfeld

for his remarkable leadership of the German Studies Association.

On behalf of the North American region, the Goethe-Institut New York congratulates and celebrates Professor Gerald Kleinfeld on his years of service and dedication to the German Studies community here and abroad.

Alles Gute!

Es ist nicht genug zu wissen, man muß auch anwenden; es ist nicht genug zu wollen, man muß auch tun.
-Johann Wolfgang v. Goethe





The Washington Office of the

Friedrich Ebert Foundation

expresses its gratitude and deep appreciation to

Professor Gerald Kleinfeld

for his outstanding service to the German Studies Association as its founder and Executive Director for 29 years and for his many contributions to a better understanding of the crucial and complex relationship between Germany and the Unites States.

His relentless efforts to help improve the German American partnership even at difficult times deserve the highest respect of both the German government and the German people.

Dr. Dieter Dettke, Executive Director Washington Office of the Friedrich-Ebert-Foundation

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To Gerry Kleinfeld for decades of thoughtful, collegial consultations on German-American relations.

Gerry you made a difference.



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To our friend and most esteemed colleague, Professor Gerald R. Kleinfeld

Dear Gerald:

Our gratitude goes out to you for your long and untiring activity in promoting the studies of Germanspeaking countries throughout the United States of America.

You have, in an outstanding manner, mastered the task of founding and organising an annual event which, under your directorship, has grown to dimensions previously not thought possible, becoming the most important convention in this field.

As an institutional patron of the German Studies Association, the Hannah Arendt Institute is pleased to congratulate you for this truly outstanding achievement, which will leave a mark in the history of American-German academic relations.

With heartfelt thanks.

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Gerhard Besier (Director)

CONGRATULATIONS

and deep gratitude to

GERALD R. KLEINFELD

for three decades of brilliant and dedicated service to the German Studies Association and for his significant contributions to scholarship.



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Department of Germanic and Slavic Languages and Literatures University of Colorado at Boulder

As a graduate student in German at the University of Minnesota in the late 1970s, I heard about a new professional association and a new journal launched by a professor in Arizona - one of my peers even advised me to submit to this new journal, since my graduate school work was interdisciplinary in nature. The German Studies Association has since played a major role in transforming our discipline. My work as a teacher, researcher, and administrator has been helped in direct and manifold ways by the supportive atmosphere provided by the GSA, its journal, and its founder Gerald Kleinfeld. As the curricula of German Departments developed throughout the 1980s and 1990s, expanding access to the study of the German-speaking countries and building ties to humanities and social science disciplines (even as traditional German programs shrank and floundered in many cases), our beacon was the German Studies Association. The legacy of Gerald Kleinfeld's vision can be seen in the centrality of German studies in the liberal arts curriculum; the emergence of interdisciplinary programming drawing on the arts, humanities, social sciences, and business; three decades of outstanding and broadly relevant publications in GSR; and three decades of meetings, conferences, initiatives, innovations designed to activate linkages between area studies and cultural studies, between national literatures and history.

In Boulder the German studies legacy appears clearly in the interdisciplinary nature of all of our degree programs. Since the early 1990s we have offered a bachelor's degree in Germanic Studies, followed by a master's in what we call Modern German Studies, the concurrent bachelor's/master's in Germanic Studies, and a dual MA/MBA.

Gerald Kleinfeld, your colleagues at the University of Colorado at Boulder -- Adrian Del Caro, Patrick Greaney, Thomas Hollweck, Patricia Schindler, Ann Schmiesing, Ingrid Sixberry, Davide Stimilli - salute you for your fine service to the Association and to the broader cause of revitalizing the study of the German-speaking countries. We wish you health and continued success, we thank you for many years of tireless work.

THANK YOU, GERRY!

The faculty and students of the Department of German, Scandinavian and Dutch at the University of Minnesota express their profound gratitude to Professor Gerald Kleinfeld for his almost thirty years of exemplary leadership as co-founder and Executive Director of the German Studies Association. Through Dr. Kleinfeld's untiring efforts as director of the organization and his many years as editor of the GERMAN STUDIES REVIEW, German Studies has become a field of important interdisciplinary academic discourse, not only in the United States, but also abroad. Professor Kleinfeld has been a leader and a scholar, from whose work we have all profited!

Thank you, thank you, thank you, Gerry. We are deeply indebted to you.



The Department of Germanic & Slavic Studies
at the University of Florida
congratulates Gerald Kleinfeld,
founder of the German Studies Association
and the German Studies Review,
on his 30 years of service.
Thank you for your dedication and outstanding contributions to the
field of German Studies.

For Gerry Kleinfeld with our special appreciation.

Willst du aber das Beste thun So bleib' nicht auf dir selber ruhn Sondern folg' eines Meisters Sinn; Mit ihm zu irren ist dir Gewinn.

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The Department of German Studies at McGill University extends its gratitude and best wishes to *Gerry Kleinfeld*. Thank you for your dedication and outstanding contribution to the German Studies Association. With flair and determination, you have been instrumental in reshaping the study of things German in Canada and the United States.

We congratulate you on your success and look forward to finding out which challenges you will take on in the future.

Your colleagues at McGill University.

From yesterday's Western Association of German Studies To today's German Studies Association . . .

Thanks for your decades of leadership and support From your friends and colleagues in the German Program at the University of Arkansas

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Dear Gerry,

We cordially thank you for your contribution to the profession of German Studies, and especially for founding and developing the GSA and the GSR over these many years. Those of us who have worked closely with you know well the many long hours, care, and imagination that you have invested. We fondly remember hosting the 11th GSA convention in St. Louis. It was an inspiring cooperation and a memorable occasion for our department. For many of us, the GSA provided an entry into the profession and an introduction to new approaches to literature and culture, and we thank you for helping to foster new generations of scholars. Lynne Tatlock recalls her work with you on the Executive Committee and this year's program committee with gratitude and admiration.

We hope that the future will hold new opportunities for collaboration in the many venues that our profession holds ready for its talented and experienced members.

With best wishes,

Mike Lützeler • Matt Erlin • Jennifer Kapczynski • Lutz Koepnick • William Layher Erin McGlothlin • Eva Russo • Stephan Schindler • Lynne Tatlock • Gerhild Williams

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The Department of German Studies at Cornell University applauds Gerry Kleinfeld, Executive Director of the German Studies Association, for three decades of incomparable stewardship.

With best wishes for new challenges and rewards ahead!

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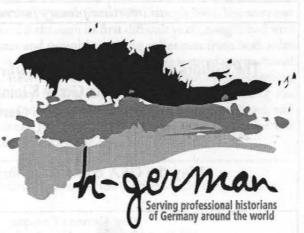
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as he concludes his momentous tenure at the head of the German Studies Association.

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Thank you, Gerry!

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I HOPE YOU ENJOY THE FUTURE YEARS AS MUCH AS YOU HAVE ENJOYED YOUR PAST YEARS.

YOU'RE ALWAYS WELCOME TO COME IN AND SAY "HI".

From all of us,

