



## Congratulations to the 2011 Oklahoma Graduates of the Graduate School of Banking at Colorado

The Graduate School of Banking at Colorado (GSBC) and the Oklahoma State Banking Department are pleased to announce the graduation of fifteen (15) Oklahoma bankers as part of the Class of 2011. The graduates include (pictured left to right, front to back): **Shirley Scott** (First Bank & Trust Co.-Perry); **Joy Kelly** (SpiritBank-Tulsa); **Kelly Jordan** (Farmers State Bank-Quinton); **Danna Robinson** (Stockmans Bank-Gould); **Chelsea Bradshaw** (Citizens Bank of Edmond); **Lawrence Yunker** (Central National Bank-Enid); **John Meyers** (Kirkpatrick Bank-Edmond); **Brian Hartley** (Oklahoma State Bank-Vinita); **Skyler Holman** (American Heritage Bank-Sapulpa); **Jason Casey** (American National Bank-Ardmore); **Todd Krout** (First Bethany Bank & Trust-Bethany); **Rodney Dunn** (Stockmans Bank-Altus); **Dustin Riddle** (Oklahoma Heritage Bank-Stratford); **Michael Truitt** (Oklahoma State Banking Department-Tulsa); and **Brent Bates** (Arvest Bank-Del City).

A total of 128 graduates from across the nation were recognized for their accomplishments in a ceremony held on Thursday, July 21. **Bates**, **Casey**, and **Scott** each graduated with honors.

In addition to the fifteen graduates, there were 24 first- and second-year students from Oklahoma on the GSBC campus this July during the 61<sup>st</sup> Annual School Session.

GSBC is *America's Premier Community Banking School* and prepares students to take on senior management roles within their organizations. Each student has been recognized by their bank CEOs, presidents, and supervisors as rising stars within their organization. Over the 25-month course of the School, students are required to complete six intersession research projects, on-campus coursework two weeks each summer, exams, and a bank management simulation.

**Oklahoma sends more bankers to GSBC than any other banking school in the nation!** GSBC will hold the **62<sup>nd</sup> Annual School Session July 15-27, 2012** on the beautiful University of Colorado campus in **Boulder, Colorado**. For additional information about the School, please visit [www.GSBColorado.org](http://www.GSBColorado.org) or call 800-272-5138.

