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THE ACADEMY OF NATURAL SCIENCES NAMES THREE NEW BOARD MEMBERS

PHILADELPHIA—The Academy of Natural Sciences is pleased to welcome three new members to its Board of Trustees. They are Allen Model of Philadelphia, Byron Clark of Devon and Carl Cutler of Villanova.

The new members were elected at the Academy's 198th annual meeting on May 25. Founded in 1812, the Academy is the oldest natural history museum in the Americas and a world leader in biodiversity and environmental research. The institution is gearing up for its bicentennial celebration in 2012.

Model is the co-founder and managing director of Overseas Strategic Consulting, Ltd., a consulting company that provides press and government spokesperson training internationally. Model has served on numerous boards of both public and private corporations, as well as many nonprofit environmental organizations including The Nature Conservancy and National Audubon Society. He earned a bachelor's degree from Harvard College, a master's from Columbia University, and a law degree from the University of Pennsylvania School of Law.

Clark is the managing director of sales for Mellon's Private Wealth Management Group, a division of Mellon Financial Corp., providing asset and wealth management services. He also serves on the Upper Mainline YMCA Association Board and the Finance and Property Committee for the UCC Valley Forge Church. Clark earned a bachelor's degree in geology from Bucknell University.

Cutler is a partner in the Philadelphia office of Brown Brothers Harriman & Co. and chief financial officer for its banking and advisory business. Prior to this position, he was employed by Mellon Bank and PNC Financial. Cutler holds a bachelor's degree in economics from Denison University.

"We look forward to working with Allen, Byron and Carl as we prepare for our 200th anniversary and embark on our next 200 years in the Philadelphia community," said Academy Board Chairman James Macaleer.

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The Academy of Natural Sciences, founded in 1812, is the oldest natural science research institution and museum in the Americas and a world leader in biodiversity and environmental research. The mission of the Academy is the encouragement and cultivation of the sciences.

HOURS: Monday–Friday, 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Saturday–Sunday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. ADMISSION: \$12 adults; \$10 children 3-12, seniors, college students, military personnel; from May 28–Sept. 6 military and up to 5 family members are free; free for members and children under 3. \$2 fee for Butterflies!

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