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Making an Impact

59th GCC in Washington, DC



Celebrate Making an Impact



*Christina Askew
Grand Regent*

Greetings Brothers,

The 59th Grand Council Convention was a wonderful opportunity for brothers to meet from around the country and celebrate all that we are doing in making an impact. The most notable example of this was in the announcement that Kappa Psi had donated \$50,000 over the past two years to Reach Out and Read. Additionally, we saw the tremendous efforts of our chapters in also donating more than 18,000 books to local physicians' offices. Based on these efforts, Kappa Psi now joins other notable organizations in being recognized as an official literary partner of Reach Out and Read. I also personally loved the stories shared at GCC of how others have made an impact on individuals in ways both big and small, expected and unexpected. These personal stories are the ones that truly inspire others to move forward with kindness, knowledge and gratitude.

While Kappa Psi has accomplished much in the past few years, the Executive Committee is moving forward with big goals. Leadership programming, service expansion and infrastructure changes are at the core of our focus. We have had tremendous growth in our chapters and our membership which brings greater need for communication and technology resources to help maximize the ability to function productively. The EC is exploring resources for association management systems including database functions, learning management systems, award and service programming and more. Along with this, we are reviewing changes to the budget that may be needed to implement these options while also anticipating decreased revenue due to decreasing membership, as admissions at schools have started to decrease. Committees have been restructured to help us focus on expanding our education and technology and strengthening our relationships with our university partners. For anyone who missed volunteering for the initial committee assignments, I will have a second call for committees in 2020 to allow additional participation and provide an opportunity for new members to get involved.

I'm excited about what the future holds for Kappa Psi. I challenge you all to reach out to those you haven't worked with before, try new projects or engage with others in projects you have not previously worked. Don't forget to share your stories of how you and your brothers are making an impact by submitting stories or media for publication in *THE MASK* or on social media to mask@kappapsi.org, publicrelations@kappapsi.org and socialmedia@kappapsi.org.

Fraternally,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Christina Askew'.

Christina Askew, Pharm.D., BCPS

Grand Regent 2019–2021



Executive Director Johnny Porter and Grand Regent Robert Mancini present then Grand Vice Regent and 59th Grand Council Convention Chair Christy Askew a commemorative plaque.

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On the Cover:

Kappa Psi made a huge impact on our nation's Capital as our flag was flown over the APhA building. A special thank you to APhA for allowing this to happen. From workshops, continuing education, and just seeing the sites, the impact of the 59th GCC will be felt for years to come.



Recruiting season was in full swing this fall as chapters worked hard to find the very best candidates to add to our Kappa Psi Brotherhood. ABOVE: Beta Nu holds a barbecue picnic on Manawa Lake to recruit the brightest pharmacy candidates to join their Beta Nu family.

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Keep filling those prescriptions for literacy

Brothers,

In this issue of *The MASK*, we look back on all the impactful moments from the 59th Grand Council Convention in Washington, DC. Based on your reports, everyone in attendance had an amazing time this summer and carried that enthusiasm into the fall recruitment and new member education.

The highlight of the Grand Council Convention was Grand Regent Robert Mancini presenting a check to Reach Out and Read representative, Donna Cohen Ross, for \$50,000 and it was announced that Kappa Psi is an official partner with Reach Out and Read. I encourage all brothers to keep filling those prescriptions for literacy for the youth of America. Every dollar or book we contribute can change the future for a young child. Outstanding work brothers, and way to make an impact in all of our communities that we touch.

Finally, I want to encourage brothers and chapters alike, to share your stories with *The MASK*. If you have a special event or project, want to recognize a brother who has gone that extra mile, please reach out to me so we can continue showing the impact that we as Kappa Psi brothers are making.

Faternally,

Cameron



Editor Van Dyke speaks during a panel discussion at GCC.

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CHRIS MILLER, PHARM.D., GRAND HISTORIAN

Grand Ritualist Mike Starvaggi ties the Golden Bow to begin the 59th GCC.



The 59th Grand Council Convention convened July 17–21, 2019, in Washington, D.C. This was the third Grand Council Convention hosted in the United States of America's capital city (sixth GCC and 27th GCC). The host hotel was the Grand Hyatt and the convention chairperson was Dr. Christina Askew. There were 594 brothers and guests registered for the convention (340 collegiate brothers, 229 graduate brothers, and 25 guests).

Prior to the opening of the 59th Grand Council Convention, Matthew Jordan, Pharm.D., M.S. (Beta Lambda), gave the convention's first Continuing Education session, "Impactful Leadership: Taking Your Team to the Next Level." Following the CE program, General Session I commenced with Grand Ritualist Michael

Starvaggi conducting the Golden Bow opening ceremony. Grand Regent Robert Mancini, Grand Vice Regent Christina Askew, and Executive Director Johnny Porter welcomed the Brotherhood and their guests to the 59th Grand Council Convention. The candidates for the 2019–2021 International Executive Committee were introduced and they shared their visions and goals for the Fraternity over the next two years.

Grand Regent Robert Mancini introduced the keynote speaker of the evening, Tracy Anderson-Hagg, Pharm.D., BCPS (Epsilon). Brother Anderson-Haag shared her experiences in the Fraternity and profession and how they made and can make an impact. "Being present provides opportunity," Brother Anderson-Haag stated in her keynote address.

Following the keynote speech, Grand Regent Mancini completed General Session I with closing remarks. Brothers and their guests gathered in the Constitution Ballroom for the opening reception. The theme of the opening reception was "Remembering Our History, Creating Our Legacy." Brothers interacted with each other by completing a crossword puzzle created by the 2017–2019 International History Committee with Fraternity history facts. A photo booth was present for brothers to take pictures in.

Thursday morning began with a Continuing Education program, "Medical Marijuana: Where is the Pharmacist? Check Local Listings," given by Jennifer Donaldson, Pharm.D., BCPPS (Beta Upsilon). General Session II followed with officer reports, standing committee reports, and the Memorial Exercise was performed. A special presentation was given in remembrance of Brother David Caristi by Brother Joseph Lavino (Mu). Before the session, a spotlight slide show recognized achievements of brothers. General Session II concluded and brothers dispersed to Officer Forums led by members of the Executive Committee and appointed officers. Following the officer forums, the 12th Biennial Scholarship and Awards Luncheon was held. Many brothers and chapters were recognized for their hard work over the 2018–2019 academic year. At the conclusion of the awards luncheon, Past Grand

Grand Regent Robert Mancini and Executive Director Johnny Porter call the 59th GCC to order.



IMPACT!



Keynote speaker, Tracy Anderson-Haag, receives her commemorative plaque from Grand Regent Robert Mancini.



NPP Graduates Deanna McDanel, Brett Barker, and Chrisann Rauzi enjoy the final night banquet.



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Founding members of the 1879 Society: John Grossomanides, John Porter, Gary Van Riper, Norm Campbell, and Cameron VanDyke.



Brothers of the Mid America Province gathered for a group photo following the GCC banquet.



Regent and Editor of *THE MASK* Emeritus Dr. Anthony Palmieri III was awarded the Preston W. Eldridge, Jr. Order of the Golden Mortar for his 50 years of membership in Kappa Psi.

Following the luncheon, a meet the candidates forum was held. This was the first time in recent history in which the candidates were all available for interviews during a scheduled time to allow brothers and delegates to discuss the candidates' plans for the future of the Fraternity. The benefactor reception was held Thursday evening where the founding members of Society 1879 were introduced and presented with their society pin and certificate. The day concluded with the Kappa Psi Foundation's TopGolf outing in which \$3,789 was raised for the foundation.

Friday morning opened with a breakfast meeting including the Province Supervisors and Grand Regent Mancini. Following the breakfast, Continuing Education – Session III on "Continuous Glucose Monitoring" was given by Brother Christyn Mullen-Lee, Pharm.D., BCACP (Delta Kappa). General Session III contained committee reports and the first legislative session. The 2020 location of the third Kappa Psi Leadership Symposium was announced. The symposium will be held in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, July 30–August 1, 2020. Following General Session III, the Advisory Committee held a working lunch and the Grand Council

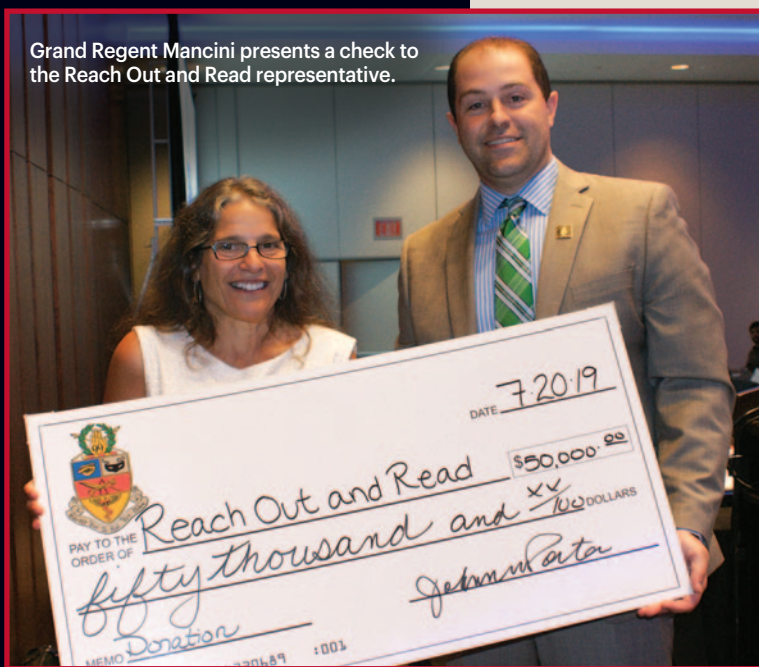
Deputies held their biannual luncheon with an open forum discussing their collegiate chapters. Brothers had an opportunity to eat at a local restaurant, Bobby Van's Grill, where throughout the week, part of the proceeds would be donated on behalf of Kappa Psi to local charities including Bread for the City and Food & Friends in which more than \$500 was raised. Friday afternoon contained three workshop sessions.

Students presented posters on multiple topics including clinical research and Kappa Psi involvement. Brothers from Gamma Kappa and Delta Omicron were recognized for their posters. Graduate brothers provided career and professional advice to collegiate brothers during the career roundtables.

Brother Vicky Shah (Delta Kappa), Pharm.D., BCPS, kicked off Saturday morning with Continuing Education – Session V presenting "Deadliest Catch: ID Guideline Updates Edition." Along with Brother Shah, brothers from Delta Omicron assisted Vicky in the CE presentation. General Session IV was called to order and started with the legislative hearing. Provinces presented their multimedia reports to the Grand Council. Students who attended the APhA Institute on Substance Use Disorders presented

a report on their experience and impact on attending the conference. The Philanthropy Committee presented their report announcing that the Fraternity reached its goal of \$50,000 donated to Reach Out and Read. Philanthropy Committee chairs Sanaz Farhadian (Delta Phi) and Eliana Kurzum (Delta Lambda) were recognized by Grand Regent Mancini with W. Bruce Philip Certificates of Commendation. Donna Cohen-Ross from Reach Out and Read gave a presentation on the impact that Reach Out and Read has on both the community and advancing a child's reading ability. The announcement was made that Reach Out and Read officially recognizes Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity as a Literacy Partner. Following the general session, Province caucuses were held.

Grand Regent Mancini presents a check to the Reach Out and Read representative.



Eliana Kurzum, Delta Lambda



Sanaz Farhadian, Delta Phi



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Saturday evening was filled with various events. More than 40 chapters and Provinces had tables to display and sell their Kappa Psi products during chapter sales. For the first time in recent GCC history, the Ice Cream Social returned to the GCC agenda. Brothers enjoyed custom sundaes while enjoying brotherhood. The Foundation Poker Tournament organized by James Wall occurred concurrently with the Ice Cream Social. Third place in the poker tournament was Jennifer Sonnen (Epsilon Beta); second place was Drew Cremeans, husband of Amanda Cremeans (Beta Kappa); and first place was Scott Dingus (Gamma Kappa). A thank-you was given to Stephanie Forsythe (Beta Kappa) for assisting with the final table during the tournament. A Kappa Psi fundraiser event was hosted by Southeast Province, raising \$4,000 for the Foundation.

During the week of GCC, a virtual 5K event was held as a fundraiser for the Kappa Psi Foundation. The virtual run/walk had 101 participants and sponsors from all corners including Afghanistan. The heat and humidity of D.C. didn't stop brothers from raising more than \$3,800 for the Foundation. A medal was offered to participants. Kyle Murray (Epsilon Chi), Trisha Miller (Delta Epsilon), and Becky Fahrenbruch (Gamma Epsilon) helped organize the event. This event, along with the other fundraisers, helped the Foundation raise more than \$10,000 at the 59th GCC.

Sunday morning kicked off with the last Continuing Education–Session VI. Brother Corey Edwards (Epsilon Gamma) presented “Analyzing Pharmacy Data with Pivot Tables.” General Session V started out with the legislative session followed by new business. Following new business, the Resolutions Committee presented their report. As other business was completed early, election of International Officers was moved to General Session V and General Session VI was cancelled. Electronic balloting was used during elections.

The following were elected as International Officers: Grand Regent: Christy Askew; Grand Vice Regent: Jason Milton; Grand Counselor: Melissa Buchanan; Grand Historian: Chris Miller; Grand Ritualist: Joe Nardolillo; Graduate Member-at-Large: Saswat Kabistapathy; Collegiate Member-at-Large: Alex Maciejewski.

Due to Session VI being cancelled, brothers were able to sightsee around Washington, D.C., for the afternoon. The Alpha Chapter Reception and the 140th Anniversary Banquet were held Sunday evening. The newly elected officers were installed and newly installed Grand Ritualist Nardolillo untied the golden bow. Grand Vice Regent Milton announced the location of the 60th Grand Council Convention to be held July 16–24, 2021, at the Arizona Grand Resort and Spa located in Phoenix, Arizona. After an exciting week in Washington, D.C., filled with brotherhood, networking, education and fellowship, brothers returned to their respective chapters to share their experiences and to make an impact. ■



Robert Mancini (far right) joins the other Past Grand Regents who were in attendance at the 59th GCC: (L–R kneeling) Norm Campbell and Tony Palmeiri. (Standing) John Grossomanides, Johnny Porter, Brian Reisetter, Brian Furbush, and Latha Radhakrishnan.



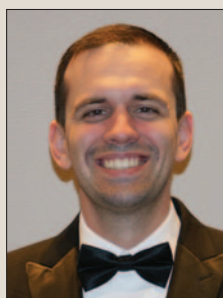
International Executive Committee



Candidate interviews were held Thursday and final votes were cast on Sunday during Session V. The 2020-2022 International Officers were installed during the 140th Anniversary Banquet Sunday evening.



Christy Askew
Grand Regent



Jason Milton
Grand Vice Regent



Melissa Buchanan
Grand Counselor



Chris Miller
Grand Historian



Joe Nardolillo
Grand Ritualist



Saswat Kabistapathy
Graduate
Member at Large



Alex Maciejewski
Collegiate
Member at Large



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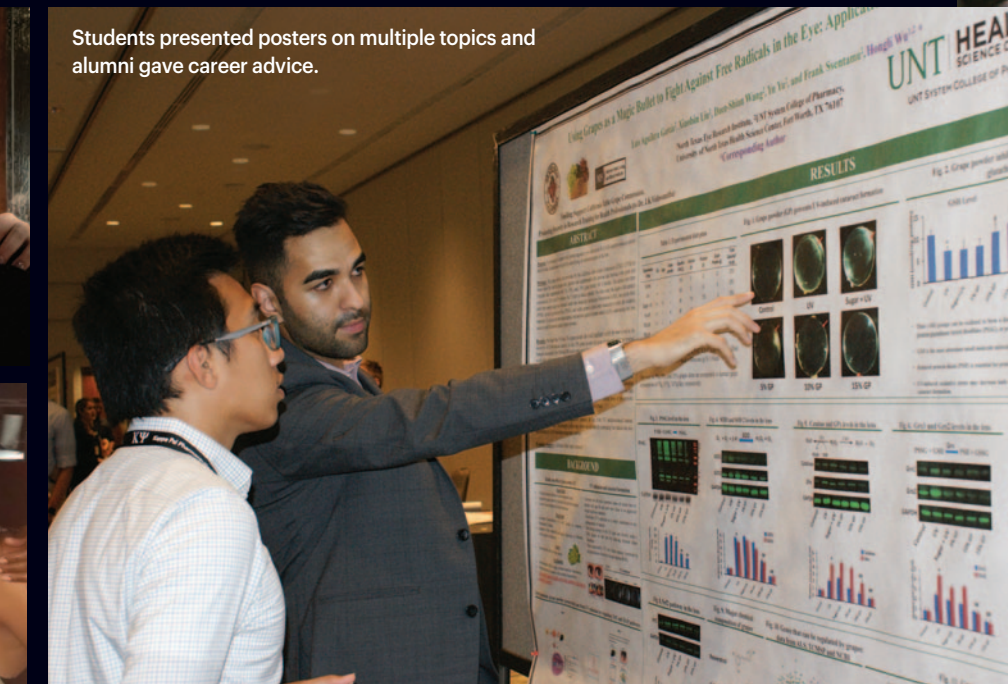
The GCC schedule was packed with continuing education, leadership training and Fraternity business sessions.



Brothers put on their best poker faces for the traditional Foundation Poker Tournament.



Students presented posters on multiple topics and alumni gave career advice.



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During downtime, brothers enjoyed fellowship and all the sites offered in our Nation's Capital. It was a special treat that the National Air and Space Museum's celebration of the 50th anniversary of the Apollo 11 mission took place on the National Mall during GCC.



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Arizona Collegiate Chapters visit Thailand

Kristin Shelledy, Zeta Chi vice regent



Brothers (L-R) Nicole Javier (ΓΥ), Thomas Goss (ΓΥ), Joss Delaune (ΓΥ), Gabriella Gambadoro (ΓΥ), Kristin Shelledy (ΖΧ), and Alex Le (ΓΥ).

Six students from the University of Arizona chapters Gamma Upsilon (Tucson) and Zeta Chi (Phoenix) spent two weeks in Bangkok, Thailand, over summer break. During their trip, brothers enhanced their pharmacy knowledge by learning traditional Thai herbal medicines, making clinical home visits to disadvantaged Thai patients, and touring local hospitals, pharmacy schools, and independent pharmacies. Brothers from both UA campuses strengthened their bond through rich cultural experiences at historic landmarks and temples, including wearing traditional Thai dress. Many lasting memories were made while enjoying fresh coconut and eating the famous Pad Thai dish with new Thai pharmacy student friends. The trip was made possible through the International Pharmaceutical Student Federation at the University of Arizona. The UA IPSF chapter sends students and faculty abroad each summer to learn about international pharmacy practices, immerse themselves in local culture, and make lasting connections with other pharmacy professionals. To hear what students have to say about the trip, follow the UA Thailand 2019 blog at: uacophai2019.blogspot.com.

Zeta Zeta brothers enjoy APPE rotation with Indian Health Services

Zeta Zeta Brothers Virleny Garcia and Elane Kleyn had the privilege of completing an APPE rotation in Pinon, Arizona as pharmacy interns in the Indian Health Services. Brother Garcia described the experience as “One for the books! This rotation opened our eyes to the Navajo culture, traditions, and their way of life” while Brother Kleyn added “It was a wonderful rotation, in which we were able to assist pharmacist serve an underrepresented population. We were able to counsel patients, collaborate with doctors and work on projects to address adherence.” We are very proud of their accomplishments and look forward to seeing where our beautiful profession will take them.

Zeta Zeta Brothers Virleny Garcia and Elane Kleyn during their APPE rotation at the Pinon Health Center in Pinon, Arizona.



This summer, Nina Ameli completed a clinical rotation at an independent community pharmacy that specializes in homeopathic medicines, Pharmacie Centrale, located in the heart of Vieux Nice (Old Nice), France.

ABOVE: Nina stands in front of the pharmacy called Pharmacie Centrale located in Vieux Nice, France. The other photo is inside the pharmacy displaying the over the counter medications and vitamins.

(Information pulled from University of Arizona Health Sciences website.)

Gamma Upsilon brother enjoys International rotation in France

Gamma Upsilon Brother Nina Amell says, “A huge part of why I wanted to pursue setting up a new site in France is thanks to my experience with the exchange program Tempe Sister Cities. In 2011, I was paired with a host family that lived in a city called Èze near Nice. I fell in love with the city, culture, and family. I had my heart set on arranging a site when I found out international rotations were possible at UA. It was a bit of a challenge since there is not a pharmacy school in Nice and their equivalent to rotations are much longer than six weeks. But with the help of my French family and several emails later, my dream became a reality.

Nina learned some things were different in France. Prescription billing and processing is much simpler. Prescriptions are scanned in upon intake, stamped, and given back to the patient, so no need to store them onsite. In France, everyone has immediate social security benefits accessed through a Carte Vitale. The Carte Vitale is a physical identification card with a chip used to pay for all healthcare services. Many people also have secondary insurance or (a mutuelle) that can have more pharmacy coverage. Generic medications are at no cost to the patient. Even if something is not covered the price is much less than the states. Maybe 10–20 euros instead of \$100–\$200 in the US. Medications are all in pre-doses boxes so no counting pills either. Some similarities are how people consult community pharmacists for just about anything such as a rash, cough, allergies, bug bites, etc.

Nina said, “What surprised me is how close pharmacies are in proximity. In the states, we have maybe different chains across the street but here you can have two different independent pharmacies with only one store in between them. Competition is hard for them and keeping customers coming back is essential to build a clientele. Another thing that surprised me is that pharmacists in France do not administer vaccines at this time. Patients come in with a prescription to take back to their physician. The legislation is changing that next year and pharmacists will start administering vaccines.

Nina reports, “My day for a community pharmacy in France is unique since they specialize in homeopathic medicine. I usually spend my morning in the lab making dilutions and homeopathic tablets for stock or on-demand for prescriptions. I measure out granules or globules (different size sugar pellets) which are the base to absorb the oil, then add the strength of the dilutions of the compound and let it dry. After it is dry, I created and print the labels on the computer and input the lot info for verification and release.

In France, homeopathic medications written by a doctor are reimbursed by the social security insurance but next year reimbursement will go down to 30% reimbursement and the year after stop. I think learning about the different compounds and natural oils is super interesting. Some common ones are Arnica Montana, Natrum Sulfuricum and Nux Vomica.

After lunch, I help in the main pharmacy with tourists, process and release prescriptions, and go through the order to put back stock. The days go by really fast.

Putting yourself out there to take on an international rotation is so much more than just vacation. By stepping out of my comfort zone to practice in a completely different country and language has made me grow immensely. It also gives you skills you can carry into any aspect of pharmacy and giving you real-life experiences to talk about in interviews. I highly recommend pharmacy students to pursue one and take the leap if you want to set up your own.



Brothers of Gamma Zeta traveled the world during the summer of 2019, including a stop at the School of Pharmacy University of London.

Beta Omicron Brothers on mission in Ghana



Brothers of Beta Omicron during their mission trip to Ghana.

During the summer, Beta Omicron Brothers Kyessa Hudson, Melissa Julyanti, Brent Kirshenbaum, Richard Lee, Yujun Luo, Katie Necas, Jon Nguyen, and Danling Yan carried out a medical mission in Ghana through Global Brigades. They had the opportunity to take vitals and patient history in triage and collaborate with a variety of licensed providers, such as physicians and optometrists. They also worked in a pharmacy to dispense and counsel medications under the supervision of licensed pharmacists.

The 99 Hands of Kappa Psi



Gamma Chi brothers make an impact during Pharmacy Day at the Capitol. (L-R) Kelsey Adkins, Brooke Bennett, Abbey Magolan, Chelsea Jennings, and Aleah Hunt.



Epsilon Phi had eight brothers initiated into Phi Lambda Sigma



St. Louis Grad chapter Brother Chris Brown raises money for cancer research through "Pedal the Cause."



Psi brothers help renovate the reading area at Christ Community Health Services for Reach Out and Read.

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Next meeting:

January 24-26, 2020, hosted by Gamma Phi Chapter in Athens, GA

College chapters: Theta, Beta Xi, Gamma Xi, Gamma Phi, Gamma Psi, Delta Lambda, Epsilon Delta, Epsilon Zeta, Epsilon Phi, Zeta Xi, Zeta Rho, Zeta Psi

Graduate chapters: Appalachia Graduate, Athens Graduate, Atlanta Graduate, Buies Creek Graduate, Charlotte Graduate, Georgia Graduate, North Carolina Graduate, Ringgold Graduate, South Carolina Graduate, South Carolina Upstate Graduate, Virginia Graduate

The Atlantic Province has had a tremendous year so far, filled with various events and accomplishments. We have been very proud of the fellowship and the bonds that are being built with our newest chapter, Zeta Psi. We welcomed Zeta Psi into the brotherhood in the Spring, and we look forward to helping them grow.

Grand Council Convention in Washington, D.C. was very good to our Province. Both collegiate and graduate brothers were recognized on numerous occasions. Eliana Kurzum received the W. Bruce Philip Certificate of Commendation for her efforts over the past two years with Reach Out and Read. She raised over \$250,000 and collected 18,000 books for the organization. Mandy Irvin was named a 2019 Professional Fraternity Association award recipient as Outstanding Volunteer of the Year for establishing a T.E.A.L. walk with the Delta Omega chapter in Savannah, Ga. The walk is held every year and has raised \$1,800 since 2014. The chapters within our Province were awarded with multiple accolades throughout the week as well. Gamma Psi was awarded the title of #2 chapter in the nation. They have consistently placed within the Top 5 for multiple years. One of the GCDs for the Gamma Psi, Dr. Neal Patel, was awarded with a certificate of excellence for his work with their chapter. Gamma Psi also had two brothers, Stephen Djanor and Andrew Blake, who received Foundation Scholarships. Beta Xi was awarded the title of #7 chapter in the nation, and Zeta Rho was recognized as a top performing chapter. Delta Lambda was recognized with the Impact Award for their tremendous efforts with Reach Out and Read. Our graduate chapters were also recognized for their efforts as



Theta brothers enjoy time together between classes.

well. Virginia Grad and Charlotte Grad were both recognized as top performing graduate chapters. We are very proud of all of the hard work that our chapters have put forth.

Over the summer, Zeta Xi hosted our Summer Assembly in Knoxville, Tenn. This was a remarkable weekend and we are very proud of the efforts they put forth in ensuring this event was a success. We were able to have representatives from each chapter in attendance throughout the weekend. Brothers were able to attend various sessions, workshops, and socials. Each chapter designed a gift basket that was raffled off with proceeds going to Reach Out and Read. We look forward to reconnecting with everyone at the Winter Assembly in Athens, Georgia in January, and we welcome all brothers from outside of our Province!

—Preston Skersick

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Founded 7/30/1921

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At the end of the school year, we have raised \$3,500 for the Center for Healthy Hearts, which is a free clinic that provides primary care and chronic disease management for the uninsured population in the Richmond area.

Kevin Lan, Johnny Nguyen, and graduate brother Philip Jan enjoyed summer assembly in Knoxville! They were able to exchange a multitude of wonderful ideas on how to improve chapter communication/participation.

Kevin Lan, Johnny Nguyen, Dean Bakoulas, Ryan DeGuzman, and graduate brother Philip Jan were able to attend GCC. The conference was a busy five days, but they left with memories of meeting many brothers from across the nation!

Future events for our chapter include Kappa Ball, Chili Cook-Off, Kappapalooza and more!

ΒΞ Beta Xi

University of North Carolina

Founded 5/1/1915

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Beta Xi brothers had a fun time during recruitment season, getting to know the rushees while hanging out with brothers! Our events, including Trivia Night, a cookout, the alumni panel, and a bonfire, all had a great turnout. We are pleased to have 22 wonderful new pledges.

Outside of recruitment and pledging, we held one of our favorite events, a flu shot clinic, in August. Teaming up with CVS, brothers were able to immunize more than 50 pharmacy students. We continue to have a strong focus on philanthropy and have many events

planned for this semester, including a pediatric playroom at UNC Hospitals, Ronald McDonald House, and Adopt-a-Highway. Our first time volunteering with Habitat for Humanity involved helping with landscaping for a senior living community. We can't wait to work with them again! Another favorite philanthropy is our fundraising for Reach Out and Read with family dinners cooked by our brothers before weekly meetings.

We look forward to welcoming our alumni back to the chapter house in October for our Homecoming and Alumni Weekend!

ΓΞ Gamma Xi

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We have worked hard on improving the house for all future brothers. A few of our brothers attended summer assembly and were able to get good ideas there. Now that school is back in session, we have been busier than ever. We were fortunate enough to welcome four new pledges. We have also continued our tradition of fielding a flag football team for the fall semester and the season is underway! This is a great opportunity for both pledges and current brothers to build special bonds. Lastly, we have started selling water bottles to help raise money for our chapter and to allow for any improvements needed on the house or for hosting more alumni events.

ΓΦ Gamma Phi

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Gamma Phi has been busy planning fall assembly. We are excited to host fellow brothers in the classic city. The chapter just finished formal recruitment, near doubling last year's pledge class size with a total of 16 new candidates. We are excited to teach them the traditions of Gamma Phi. Our usual community service projects are underway such as road cleanups. We also are gearing up to sponsor a booth at our pharmacy school's upcoming health fair where we will educate attendees on how to get better quality sleep.

—Briggs Hightower

ΓΨ Gamma Psi

Mercer University

Founded 3/16/1953

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Our chapter had another great turnout for our annual Founders Day Weekend where we enjoyed fellowship with current and past brothers. We also honored alumnus Brother Dr. Brandon Corpening on his many achievements and dedication to the Fraternity. Founders Day Weekend gave our new pledges a look at the fellowship bond between brothers that is so important to our Fraternity.

In April, we hosted a spelling bee where contestants spelled the names of medications and other pharmacy-



Beta Xi brothers show off their rush tanks before the bonfire recruitment event. Thanks Beta Psi!



The brothers of Gamma Psi gather at a local Washington, D.C., eatery for food and fellowship.

related terms. All proceeds from this event were contributed to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation and it turned out to be quite a success. We also continued our tradition of holding a roadside cleanup through the Adopt-a-Highway program and held health screenings in many pharmacies in the areas surrounding our school. We also enjoyed participating in nearby Henderson Middle School's health fair where we were able to help educate the youth on medication safety.

Three of our six graduating brothers are beginning residency or fellowship programs with the remainder set to begin successful careers as pharmacists. They set the bar high for the rest of our chapter.

Over the summer, many of us attended the Atlantic Province assembly and a month later we attended the 59th Grand Council Convention in Washington, D.C. While at GCC, brothers attended many workshops to expand their knowledge of the Fraternity and the profession of pharmacy.

Following the GCC over the summer, our chapter held our annual retreat in the mountains of Blue Ridge, Georgia, where we were able to enjoy the fellowship of both collegiates and alumni as well as get a lot of planning done for the upcoming year. As classes resumed for the fall semester, our chapter hosted a 'Welcome to Atlanta' social to inaugurate the new students to the school and our city. The event had a great turnout and introduced Kappa Psi to the incoming class of student pharmacists. Additionally, we co-hosted a 'Kappa Kamp-Out' event with our school's Kappa Epsilon chapter, where students were able to wind down and socialize after a hectic beginning to the school year.

We have a blood drive in conjunction with the American Red Cross in the works for October. With the recent devastation caused by Hurricane Dorian in the Atlantic coast, we are

currently rallying students, faculty and our community to donate in support of those affected in the Bahamas.

Congratulations to Brother Preston Skersick for receiving our chapter's 99 Hands Scholarship, awarded annually for service and commitment to Gamma Psi and the Fraternity.

ΔΔ Delta Lambda

Campbell University

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Delta Lambda hit the ground running the first day of the semester, providing breakfast for the first-year students and allowing them to mingle with brothers over coffee and donuts. Our chapter participated in Campbell's annual inclusion fair.

Our fundraising team hosted a Zaxby's fundraiser where brothers worked the counters, cleaned tables, and placed food on trays for one night. We had a great time stepping outside our comfort zone to raise money for Reach Out and Read. We also hosted a Bake Sale this year to raise money for the chapter.

We celebrated the International Day of Peace, September 21, by hosting an inter-fraternal social event that combined all three pharmaceutical fraternities on campus and focused on building each other up and showing non-brothers the true values of Kappa Psi. It was a wonderful success and we hope it will become an annual tradition. Our service chair has planned an inter-fraternal "spooky" blood drive, which will be held on October 31 to further promote unity on campus.

ΕΦ Epsilon Phi

South University-Columbia

Founded 4/14/2012

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Epsilon Phi brothers are fueled with inspiration from the summer assembly and ready to improve the chapter. Upholding the Fraternity's vision, "Leaders in pharmacy, excellence in

Welcome Zeta Psi!



Zeta Psi brothers waste no time putting their 99 Hands to work. Brothers team up with APhA-ASP, SNPhA, HUSSHP, and NCPA in a Bahamas Relief Drive to donate toiletries and clothes to support the victims of Hurricane Dorian.

ΖΨ Zeta Psi, Hampton University

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On Sunday, April 14, 2019, Zeta Psi Chapter was chartered at Hampton University School of Pharmacy. Our 26 charter members/newly initiated brothers are extremely eager to meet all our Kappa Psi brothers and continue our journey in our beloved Fraternity. The charter members are heavily involved in other organizations such as APhA, SNPhA, NCPA, HUSSHP and Rho Chi. Brothers took no time getting involved in activities, as we were able to collect more than 70 books for the Reach Out and Read Foundation. We look forward to establishing our unique traditions and community initiatives as we put the 99 Hands of Kappa Psi to work at Hampton!

life," eight brothers were initiated into Phi Lambda Sigma. Our chapter reached out to the community by adopting an HIV initiative to bring awareness to PrEP, PEP, and decrease stigma surrounding those living with HIV. Pledgemaster Heather Young has been selected to provide a platform presentation in October at the South Carolina HIV, STD, and Viral Hepatitis Conference in Columbia. Her presentation topic is entitled "My Script Rewards evaluated: Discussion of its coverage of inexpensive HIV medications." Also, in an effort to improve alumni relations, our inaugural newsletter will "hit the presses" this fall!

Charlotte Grad

Founded 11/17/2018

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Charlotte Grad capped off the summer with an exciting trip to DC for the 59th GCC. We had 8 graduate Brothers in attendance and were excited to learn how we could "Make an

Impact" for the upcoming year and beyond. It was an exciting week for us as the chapter was recognized as one of the Top Performing Graduate Chapters for 2019 and our very own Regent, Brother Saswat "Swat" Kabisatpathy was elected to serve as Graduate Member at Large for the 2019-2021 term. But the accolades didn't stop there as we were also informed that our very own Brother Mandy Irvin was recognized as the 2019 PFA Outstanding Volunteer of the Year award winner. Having had a strong foundation of philanthropy while in Savannah, Brother Mandy has translated that passion into the Charlotte area and consistently engages our Brothers to participate in numerous philanthropy events throughout the year. We are excited to wrap up our first year as a chapter this November with our annual "Bros-giving" event! If you're a Grad Brother in the Charlotte and surrounding areas, we hope you can celebrate with us!

—Allie Fay



Upsilon Brothers (L-R) Adam Kiser, Erin Lyon, Erin Bowe, Milre Matherne, Melynda Kromsky, and Houston Williams volunteer at the fifth annual Doggie Paddle benefiting the Lexington Humane Society.

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Next meeting:

April 3–5, 2020 hosted by Beta Phi,
Cincinnati, Ohio

College chapters: Xi, Upsilon, Beta
Lambda, Beta Phi, Gamma Delta,
Gamma Chi, Epsilon Theta, Zeta Epsilon,
Zeta Omega, Mu Omicron Pi

Graduate chapters: Ada Graduate,
Central Michigan Graduate, Cincinnati
Graduate, Cleveland Graduate,
Columbus Graduate, Detroit Graduate,
Kentucky Graduate, Toledo Graduate

Ξ Xi

The Ohio State University

Founded 5/21/1925

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Even after the incredible success of hosting spring GLP, Xi chapter is showing no signs of slowing down. Throughout summer, brothers have exemplified the pillars of industry, sobriety, fellowship, and high ideals. Brother Raymond has flexed his philanthropic efforts toward direct patient care with the Peruvian American Medical Association, and Brothers Eglar and Smit have exemplified the pillar of fellowship among the baobabs in Madagascar. Our values and efforts have not gone unnoticed. During the recent GCC in Washington, D.C., Xi was recognized as the fourth best chapter in entire Fraternity!

Now that fall is well underway, Xi continues to push forward with our

philanthropic and social events. Philanthropic Committee chair Gunnar spearheaded a fundraising bake sale to provide financial relief to those affected by Hurricane Dorian. Brother Laura worked with Versiti to host a blood drive. We also made waves among the students when selling our creatively designed tumblers and fashionable tank tops. Our pledging process was successful, as always. Our Rush Committee wooed prospective pledges with memorable events as an ice cream social, speed meet-a-brother, dancing tacos, and more!

—Ellie La

Υ Upsilon

University of Kentucky

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This summer, during GCC, we were honored to receive the Frank H. Eby Scholarship Tray Award, which is given to the chapter with the highest percentile of eligible brothers earning Scholarship Honors Certificates. On August 11, we drove up to Cincinnati to meet with the Beta Phi and Kentucky Grad chapters to take in a ball game. It was such a fun day cheering at the game and meeting brothers from other chapters!

Upsilon chapter is also off to a great start this fall. New member educator Houston Williams did a phenomenal job recruiting and we were able to offer 35 bids to potential new members. Our main volunteer event for new members was the fifth annual Doggie Paddle held in September. Let me tell you, nothing brings people together better than dogs! We had around 20 volunteers, including brothers and potential new members, get



Gamma Delta brothers at Pancakes on the Patio recruitment event. (L-R): Colette Rzeszutko, Jerica Hollenbaugh, Zachary Kiss, and Brandon Nguyen.



Beta Phi brothers pose for a chapter photo prior to the chapter's welcome cookout.

involved. They helped register and sign owners and their dogs in, as well as supervised dogs during their social dog event. The event benefited the Lexington Humane Society; the funds created each year help the shelter run and take care of the more than 500 animals. Other social pledge events included our annual luau and a cookout. We have begun planning our second masquerade event to be held November 14. Can't wait to tell you all about it in the next MASK!

—Lexi Baskin

ΒΦ Beta Phi

University of Cincinnati

Founded 2/12/1927

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Before the start of the year, we were able to squeeze in a summer event, so we all decided to go kayaking for our brotherhood retreat. There was some lost phones and a few sunburns, but we all had a great time.

We gave a warm welcome to the incoming P1s by hosting a cookout. We had a lot of fun planning events for the new rushes, including; bowling, a Red's game, the Kappa Psi Carnival, and UC fundraising at Mio's. The KΨ Carnival gave us an opportunity to raise money for Reach Out and Read through carnival games, cotton candy and hotdog sales, and a Mario cart tournament. This last was our newest event and I'm happy to say that we had a great turn out. We had some wonderful prizes for participating students and it was great to turn the school into a fair ground. The 'We are UC at Mio's' helped raise money for a family who lost everything in a house fire. We showed our support as a school to help this family get back on their feet after this terrible circumstance.

We are looking forward to hosting spring province in Cincinnati, Ohio.

—Kalen Templeton



Gamma Chi brothers play cards with rushees.



Ada Grad brothers gathered to celebrate the wedding of Brothers Kyle & Lauren (DePietro) Weslosky.

ΓΔ Gamma Delta
Ohio Northern University
Founded 3/20/1920
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Our recruitment events kicked off as soon as we got to campus and included a cookout, pancakes on the patio, a dog toy-making philanthropy event, and volleyball. At the end of a successful recruitment season, we received 18 new pledges. They have since received their mentors and have started their new member education process. In August, we joined Beta Lambda for pizza and a Toledo Mud Hens baseball game to celebrate the end of summer. In addition to our dog toy-making recruitment event, philanthropy chair Rielyn Castle is coordinating a food drive to collect canned goods for the Ada Food Pantry and women's care packages for our Province philanthropy. This past week, brothers in their third year of our pharmacy program received their white coats, indicating their halfway point in the program. Brothers are getting excited for Province and for upcoming socials, like chapter bowling in October. We remain busy with our

centennial coming up next semester, where we will celebrate 100 years with brothers and alumni in Findlay, Ohio. Two of our brothers, Trate DeVold and Lauren Osadczuk, were nominated for Homecoming Court!

ΓΧ Gamma Chi
Ferris State University
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Gamma Chi started off the semester strong by hosting a blood drive with PLS through Michigan Blood. We had 94 donations which ended up providing enough blood to save 282 lives. We are also gearing up to host our National Drug Take Back event and our annual Pharmacy Spelling Bee where students participate to win the opportunity to have the money raised donated to a charity of their choice. We are also hosting a Reach Out and Read Book Drive competition between the pharmacy classes and the winning class gets to pie a brother!

We hosted five rush events: cookout and yard games, Casino Night, Trivia Night, root beer float social, and an ice cream social. We are happy to welcome 13 new associate members!



Mu Omicron Pi brothers (L-R): Daniel Fredrick, Hussein Safaoui, Ryan Caputo, and Fadi Manuel package food for the less fortunate at Forgotten Harvest.

More than 40 brothers will be attending Great Lakes Province in Detroit and we look forward to building new bonds and connecting with good friends from other chapters.

We keep the brotherhood alive by having various Brother Nights such as a tie dye event, a game night, and many euchre games! Our summer meeting was hosted in Traverse City at a brother's cottage where 15 brothers and an alumnus were able to get together for the weekend. Brothers went boating, swimming, played volleyball, kayaked, hammocked, and made lasting memories. Our annual alumni assembly is coming up in November and will be hosted in Grand Rapids. Brothers, alumni, and advisors get to reconnect over a meal, a chapter update video, and tons of storytelling! The night before our alumni assembly, brothers will be attending a Grand Rapids Griffins hockey game together!

—Caitlyn Filzek

ΕΘ Epsilon Theta
Sullivan University
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Our rush events, focused on allowing the new pledges an opportunity to get to know the brothers, included an afternoon of food and fun at Dave & Buster's and attending a Bats game. Then we hosted a Finals Burnout Prevention event during finals week.

As part of our philanthropy work, we focused on two main projects. First, we collected more than 200 books for Reach Out and Read during the first quarter of this academic year. A special thanks to vice regent Kelci Voyles for working hard on this project. Our Service Committee has begun a new service project this year called "Beanies for Cancer." Brothers and fel-

low classmates are making beanies to donate to Norton Cancer Center. These beanies will go to cancer patients who are undergoing treatment at their center. Through hard work, our brothers have already reached half of our goal set for this year.

We are in the process of forming a new Grad Brother Relations Committee and will begin sending members to the monthly grad brothers' meetings. This is an attempt to improve communication between our students and our grad brothers, allowing us to plan joint social and professional events as well as improve networking opportunities.

—Merkie Slone

ZE Zeta Epsilon
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Founded 5/3/2014
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We welcomed four students who just completed rush week and are now starting their pledging, philanthropy, fundraising and social events. For rush, we have had Bowling Night, Game Night and Meet 'n Greet cookouts which were all a great success. Four of our brothers, including our vice regent who are all going to be at the Province assembly.

—Aisha Osanyinpeju

ΜΟΠ Mu Omicron Pi
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The Mu Omicron Pi brothers enjoyed a fulfilling experience via food packaging and collaborating with members of the community to provide nourishment for the less fortunate at Forgotten Harvest in Oak Park, Michigan. The brothers are in the process of establishing a young men's

Welcome Zeta Omega!



Grand Ritualist Joe Nardolillo presents the charter to Zeta Omega.

Above: The brothers of the Great Lakes Province along with Executive Committee members: Grand Vice Regent Jason Milton, Grand Historian Chris Miller (not pictured), Grand Ritualist Joe Nardolillo, and Collegiate Member at Large Alex Maciejewski.

ZΩ Zeta Omega

Cedarville University School of Pharmacy Founded 10/5/2019 zetaomega@kappapsi.org

Brothers from Gamma Delta, Gamma Chi, Central Michigan Graduate and Columbus Graduate joined together to welcome Zeta Omega Chapter located at Cedarville University in Cedarville, Ohio. Zeta Omega Chapter was chartered on October 5, 2019. The afternoon started with the initiation of six brothers and then the installation of the chapter by installing officer Grand Ritualist Joe Nardolillo. Grand Council Deputy Dr. Douglas Anderson gave remarks along with Grand Vice-Regent Jason Milton, Grand Historian Chris Miller and Great Lakes Satrap Matt Jordan. After the installation of the chapter, the group travelled to nearby Dayton, Ohio for a celebratory dinner at Wheat Penny.

club at a local middle school in the metro Detroit area. We plan to empower and educate the youth in order for them to achieve High Ideals. Last but not least, we look forward to hosting the fall Great Lakes Province assembly in Detroit!

—Fadi Manuel

Cincinnati Grad

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Cincinnati Grad has been busy working to revamp our chapter to get more involvement. Our new e-board members are: regent Sammi Stander, vice regent of membership Amanda Roll, vice regent of philanthropy Abby Ballard, secretary Brittany Bennett, treasurer Sydney Schnee, historian Becca Lahrman, chaplain Brook McQuitty, event coordinator Hanna Burgin, and Nick Messinger is GCD. Our team has already put in a good amount of work including updating ordinances, creating and filling committees, organizing a multitude of events, and working with our affiliate collegiate chapter, Beta Phi.

We rented a tailgate spot for the University of Cincinnati football season so brothers would have a meeting place to reconnect. Brothers enjoyed getting together this fall.

One of our other goals is to continue to foster our relationship with Beta Phi. They invited us to a multitude of their rush events, including the annual Reds baseball game. We had a great turnout of grad brothers and enjoyed sharing our passion for the Fraternity with current and prospective brothers.

Our chapter has also been deeply affected by the loss of Dr. Robert Cluxton who served as a loyal brother and advisor for Beta Phi and Cincinnati Grad for many years. He spent the last few years developing the Kappa Psi Leadership Development Fund, an endowment to support collegiate brothers by providing funds to attend professional meetings. Outlines of the fund are in process. If you are interested in supporting these efforts, please reach out to Sammi Stander or Nick Messinger.

Our Philanthropy Committee is in the process of planning different

events to help us give back to our community, and we are working closely with Beta Phi to help plan spring Province 2020 for GLP. We are also hoping to set up some CE through our chapter this year. Please feel free to reach out to any executive member with questions about getting more involved, especially if you have recently moved into the greater Cincinnati area. We would love to have your help revitalizing our chapter.

Cleveland Grad

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At Cleveland Grad, it was our honor to be named among the top performing graduate chapters at this year's GCC. We hope to keep the momentum going throughout the rest of the year, starting with Great Lakes Province. Along with that, we look forward to welcoming Zeta Omega as the newest chapter to the Great Lakes Province while we're there! As always, proud to be your brothers, Cleveland Grad.

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Next meeting:

January 3–5, 2020, hosted by Gamma Omega in Little Rock, Arkansas.

College chapters: Psi, Beta Rho, Gamma Zeta, Gamma Omega, Delta Gamma, Delta Eta, Epsilon Kappa, Epsilon Lambda, Zeta Upsilon
Graduate chapters: Auburn Graduate, Birmingham Graduate, Louisiana Graduate, Middle Tennessee Graduate, North Alabama Graduate, South Alabama Graduate, Tennessee Graduate

Gulf Coast Province had a fantastic time at #GCCinDC! Having a time to share ideas and plan for the future was an extremely rewarding experience! Our philanthropic side showed up when we put our artistic skills to good use making cards for the Cards for Hospitalized Kids organization. GCP would like to invite everyone to our winter assembly January 3–5, 2019, in Little Rock, Arkansas, hosted by the brothers of Gamma Omega.

Ψ Psi

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At the end of the spring semester, we completed renovations at the Christ Community Health Center for Reach Out and Read. We turned the children's area in the waiting room into a fun and inviting space that encourages them to read and play. Our brothers look forward to volunteering to read for children at this new and improved reading area this upcoming year. At the beginning of summer, our chapter was overflowing with excitement because we were able to grant a wish for a 7-year-old boy named Jordan through the Make-A-Wish Foundation. On June 12, Jordan's wish to meet Mickey at Disney World was granted!

We are proud to promote brotherhood within our chapter and have been celebrating our monthly PSI-day with donuts while wearing our favorite Kappa Psi shirts on all three campuses. The Nashville campus is looking forward to hosting a Topgolf night this September with brothers from all three campuses in attendance. Brothers from across the state are also eager to attend our annual tailgate this October hosted by our brothers at the Knoxville campus during the UT vs. UNC game to cheer on the Vols and hopefully secure that victory!

We've also been busy planning fundraisers and service events this fall. Brothers had a blast playing Bingo with children and their families at the Ronald McDonald House in Memphis and we cannot wait to go back again. At a service event at St. Mary's Cathedral, pledges had the chance to provide blood pressure screenings and counsel community members about hypertension with guidance from our second- and third-year brothers. Pledges also had the opportunity to meet current brothers at an ice cream fundraiser at Margie's 901 while raising money for Reach Out and Read.

As the highlight of our fall semester, brothers were thrilled to welcome 81 new pledges. The rush period allowed us to connect with the pledge class in a variety of ways. We demonstrated our teamwork at our second annual Kappa Psi Field Day, tested our trivia knowledge at a joint Trivia Night event with Phi Delta Chi, and indulged in fajitas prepared by our brothers with a talent for cooking at our yearly Fajita Night. Our new pledges enjoyed a crawfish boil on Bid Day and they now look forward to being initiated this October.

BP Beta Rho

University of Mississippi

Founded 4/19/1926

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Our GCD, Dr. Jordan Ballou, and Brothers Micheal Gallagher, Claire Calcote, Khalil Martin, and Lex Rountree represented the chapter at GCC. They networked and fellowshiped with other brothers and alumni and brought fresh new ideas back to the chapter!

Our brothers promoted and gave an amazing glimpse into our chapter at the organizational fair and gained a large number of potential members for the upcoming school year! In September, we began our rushing process and held our first interest meeting and cookout for potential new members by the name of Kappa Psi Cookies and Coffee and the annual Kappa Psi Cookout, which were huge successes!

ΓΖ Gamma Zeta

Samford University

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Brothers of Gamma Zeta traveled the world during the summer of 2019. We had brothers in London, Ireland, Germany, and Honduras, as well as Utah, for the APhA Institute on Substance Use Disorders. Our regent and vice regent were able to attend GCC in Washington, D.C., where Gamma Zeta was named a Top Performing Chapter!



Gulf Coast Province brothers enjoy site-seeing during the Grand Council Convention in D.C.

We kicked off the fall semester by initiating five new brothers who pledged during the spring. Our dean and two other faculty brothers joined us for the ritual. Once classes started, we participated in a membership drive to let new students know about our Fraternity and rushing process. We started our new semester-long rush with the annual ice cream social, then went roller skating and bowling. We will be finishing out rush with a cookout and a philanthropy project at an animal shelter.

Our chapter is building upon a philanthropy project that began last year by continuing to volunteer with The Salvation Army this semester.

ΓΩ Gamma Omega

University of Arkansas

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This summer, Tiffany Withrow and Arthur Shaw had an awesome experience at GCC. They loved the opportunity to meet brothers from all across the country. While there, they met an alumna from Arkansas, and we have worked with her to restart the Arkansas Graduate chapter.

To kick off the fall semester, we had a potluck for the first Razorback game at the home of our GCD, Dr. Howell Foster. It was a great way to catch up with brothers we had not seen over summer break. We've also made sure to have brothers represented at all big events on campus to welcome the P1s and show them how active we are as a fraternity. We hosted a breakfast for the P1s' first exam, and it was fun to get more time to talk with them one-on-one before rush starts next month.

On campus, brothers set up a "How are you doing table?" for National Suicide Prevention and Awareness Month in September. Free cookies



Beta Rho Brothers Micheal Gallagher, Claire Calcote, Khalil Martin, and Lex Rountree join GCD Dr. Jordan Ballou (center) at GCC.



Delta Gamma brothers kayak down the Coosa River.

and mindfulness quotes were handed out to spread awareness about mental health. At the River Market in downtown Little Rock, Kappa Psi brothers screened patients in the community

for blood pressure and blood glucose with Synergy Saturday. We look forward to hosting the winter assembly in January of 2020!

—Michelle Briere



Gamma Zeta kicked off the semester by initiating five new brothers who pledged during the spring.



Beta Rho brothers and PNM's join Past Grand Regent Brian Reisetter (center) at the Kappa Psi Cookout.

ΔΓ Delta Gamma

Auburn University

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Over the summer, brothers were busy completing internships, attending conferences, and volunteering in various ways. Emily Campbell and Emily Marcato attended GCC in Washington, D.C. Shelby Battles, Alex Partridge, Madissen Patterson, and Jordan Tynes volunteered as camp counselors for HSOP's annual Pharmacy Camp. In June, Rachel Padgett, Allis Hamby, and Tori Marshall traveled to Rio Dulce, Guatemala, on a medical mission trip to reach out to those without access to medical care. Like previous years, we ended the summer by kayaking down the Coosa River in Wetumpka, Alabama.

This year, the pledging process went excitingly well. Some of the brothers assisted in the organizational

fair and spoke with many students who were interested in knowing more about Kappa Psi. At informal rush, we grilled out and made greeting cards for various holidays to give to children in the hospital. Additionally, we hosted our first tailgate of the football season when Auburn played Tulane University. We hosted a CV workshop and it was beyond successful with more students attending than expected. We also plan to host an exam review for the students during exam week. Brothers have been very involved this semester in playing intramural sports, including football and volleyball.

For service, we plan to do a Reach Out and Read book drive, partner with CPNP for the Alzheimer's Walk, and continue our tradition of delivering home-cooked meals to patients enrolled in our school's Pharmacy Practice Experience (PPE) program in November and collecting toys for chil-



Delta Eta chapter has brothers in several leadership positions on campus, including Senate, Miss COP, treasurer, secretary, and president.

dren for Christmas. Academically, our brothers go above and beyond by being involved in many other organizations and continue to excel in their studies. We had five brothers inducted into the Rho Chi honor society.

—Micaela Truett

ΔΗ Delta Eta

Xavier University of Louisiana

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Delta Eta chapter started the school year by welcoming the new P1s during student orientation. We participated in the organizational fair where we had a poster presentation that was decorated beautifully! The poster included some information and pictures about our chapter and its accomplishments. We topped off the presentation by serving the P1 Class cake! We also hosted Delta Eta's annual Fashion Show during orientation! During the show, brothers would dress in different attire and walk the runway! The P1 students would have to guess if the brother's outfit was appropriate to wear in the College of Pharmacy. It was super fun and interactive and also gave brothers a chance to get to know the new class of students as well as bond with each other!

We held our annual Kappa Psi Week that kicked off with a Monday Mixer where we provided snacks to the College of Pharmacy while informing them of the events to come. Following was Trap Tuesday!! The brothers put together a PowerPoint presentation full of miscellaneous drugs while listening to the song that had those drugs in the lyrics. It was extremely educational and fun. It even helped some students on their drug quiz which warmed the brothers' hearts. On Wednesday, we held a professional development event where Brother Dr.

Randall Schexnayder spoke about professionalism. On Thursday, we encouraged students to take a break from studying and enjoy Game Night! This night was full of food, fun, and laughter as we played card games, got twisted up from playing Twister, and also played board games. On Friday, we finished with an ice cream social. To end our fun-filled week, we hosted a community service health fair event at New Home Ministry where we provided blood pressure screenings, blood glucose screenings, information on food size portion control, and offered a friendly ear to listen to our patients' concerns.

EK Epsilon Kappa

Belmont University

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We are off to a great start with tons of plans for the remainder of the semester. The brothers kicked off the school year by attending the Back-to-School Picnic that the college hosts every year to meet incoming students and to celebrate the beginning of a new school year along with faculty and current students. Our very first philanthropy effort was a water event, benefiting the Nashville Rescue Mission. We partnered with our fellow Phi Delta Chi chapter for a friendly fraternal competition and ended up donating nearly 20,000 bottles of water! Our first social event of the semester was a party. Brothers grabbed their golf clubs and hit the green at Topgolf. It was a great time for our brothers to reconnect after summer break. We continued the semester with the first Meet the Brothers event where new and old students came to the Tennessee State Fair for some games, fun, and fair food. It was a great opportunity for new students to become familiar with



The brothers of Epsilon Kappa at the Back-to-School Picnic.



Epsilon Lambda chapter at the Live on the Green Rush Week event.

the chapter. As the semester begins to pick up, we are looking forward to more service events, professionalism events, our annual Chili Cook-Off fundraiser, and increasing brotherhood throughout. We would like to recognize the newest brothers of Rho Chi: **Brothers Chen, Tease, and Stiehle**. Congratulations to these three on all of their hard work!

—Cylene Talabucon

EA Epsilon Lambda

Lipscomb University

Founded 8/13/2010

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We had a successful pledge week including the Kappa Psi Amazing Race, attending Live on the Green in Nashville, and an ice cream social. We have 22 pledges and cannot wait to welcome them into our Fraternity in November.

Stephanie Wendlett, Nicole Northcutt, Caitlyn Betbeze, and Lily Price represented our chapter at GCC in Washington, D.C., this past July. These brothers brought back lots of new ideas to implement into our chapter and made lifelong connections with brothers from around the country.

Our chapter has raised money from our annual Service Auction to endow a scholarship that was awarded to former regent Stephanie Wendlett for showing outstanding leadership. We are very excited to offer this scholarship for the second year in a row!

We also hosted our annual Talent Show this spring. Congratulations to Kyle Owens for placing first and thank you to all other contestants who participated!

Epsilon Lambda has many service and social events planned for this semester and we are looking forward to a great year!

—Lily Price

ZY Zeta Upsilon

Union University

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Zeta Upsilon started the semester off by partnering with our school to sponsor the annual White Coat Ceremony for first-year student pharmacists. For several years, we have been honored to help host the ceremony and reception. Our chapter is very involved in welcoming the first-year students, and our partnership with the university has provided each pharmacy student with their white coat at the ceremony. We also take pride in writing handwritten letters to each student to put in their white coat. These letters serve as encouragement to the new students on their special day. We host a reception after the ceremony for the students and their families. It has been a great event that allows our chapter to serve and take part in such a memorable time in these students' lives.



Scholarship chair Jerod Theis and Social chair Tumi Osunsanmi enjoy Rho chapter's Back-to-School Cookout

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Next meeting:

April 17–18, 2020, hosted by Zeta Mu, Springfield, Missouri

College chapters: Pi, Rho, Chi, Beta Upsilon, Gamma Theta, Gamma Pi, Delta Nu, Epsilon Rho, Epsilon Upsilon, Epsilon Omega, Zeta Mu

Graduate chapters: Illinois Graduate, Indiana Graduate, St. Louis Graduate

Mid-America Province brothers are excited to see the changing of seasons into our favorite—pledging season! Grand Council Convention this past July got all of the MAP brothers who attended excited to start making an impact on their chapters as well as their respective communities. It was a rejuvenating opportunity for attendees to meet brothers all over the country and come together as one Fraternity, both collegiate and graduate, to realize just how much of an impact we can make when working together. The camaraderie that comes with being a member of Kappa Psi is priceless. With the upcoming rushing festivities of all of the MAP chapters, I hope the future pledges, as well as current brothers, think of their Kappa Psi experience as an incalculable investment into their family and future career as a pharmacist.

—Amanda Kuhn

II Pi

Purdue University

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Since the start of the semester, we have been focused on having successful rush events and recruiting potential brothers for our chapter.



Epsilon Rho brothers at first social. (L-R): Brother Daniel, NK, Eric Z., Iwana, Eric S., Angi, and Crystal.



Pi brothers work at their booth during a student organization fair.

This semester, we have put an emphasis on reconnecting with many of our alumni to hear about their experiences since graduation and also participate in various activities both at Purdue and in the local community. We plan to host a faculty luncheon to get to know our professors. We have planned future professional projects and community service events we are going to participate in such as Natalie's Second Chance and Boo-at-the-Zoo. We planned our 5K run sometime later on in the semester.

—Cindy Lam

P Rho
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Rho has been busy hosting events to educate future brothers and get ready for their initiation on November 15. We hosted our annual Back-to-School Cookout with the pledges at Holcomb Park. New potential members were able to ask any questions and discuss them with the active members, while enjoying freshly grilled burgers/hot dogs and playing games. Then we held a "Get-to-Know-You Bingo" to give pledges and actives a chance to bond and make connections. The person who was able to get a

Bingo first won a School of Pharmacy T-shirt. Our latest pledge event was a volleyball social to initiate some team building opportunities. Meanwhile, the current brothers have been participating in all these events to meet their future Little, which is to be revealed on October 16 during our brotherhood meeting.

Along with going to these events, many brothers have also been volunteering at Jubilee Café, which is a place where volunteers serve breakfast to the underserved. Many brothers are signed up to attend Harvesters in Topeka, where they will be assembling supplies for those in need. Another upcoming event we have planned is Mr. Pharmacy, where male students participate in a satirical pageant-like contest. The winner will be able to give all the donations from the event to an organization of their choice.

—Haena Lee

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As the fall semester began, we were eager to meet incoming P1 students. We held our photo race event where we were divided into groups and were given a list of locations in riddles.



Gamma Theta brothers at spring Province 2019. (L-R): Lauren Bell, Garrett Matthews, and Julie Bays.

Teams had to solve riddles and take a photo at each location they solved for. The team who finished first got a larger Italian ice. We also had our annual rush barbecue where we grill and participate in outdoor sports. Thankfully, we had great weather and even better food. Brothers and new students were playing football, socializing and eating in the park. We are excited to start the 2019 pledging season and welcome in a new group of neophytes.

—Neha Patel

Gamma Theta
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This fall, we got to set up a booth at the School of Pharmacy Organization Fair as well as Lunch on the Lawn. The two events give organizations the opportunity to show new pharmacy students what our school has to offer them outside of the curriculum. There are almost 40 pledges this semester, which we are very excited about. They



Delta Nu brothers enjoy the final rush event with volleyball and badminton.

have had a couple opportunities so far to meet active brothers and see what Kappa Psi has to offer them.

We have been very busy planning fundraising events, service opportunities, as well as our pledging brothers' classes and initiation. Our vice regent and regent will attend fall Province at Midwestern University.

—Molli Cooper

Delta Nu
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We had a blast at our school's organization fair where we provided information about Kappa Psi to students. For our first rush event, we played pool and bowled with students who were interested in joining our chapter at Main Event, an entertainment facility. For our second rush event, attendees had a great time networking and getting to know more about our brothers while playing bag toss, darts, and sand volleyball at the Downers Grove Sand Club. For our third and final rush event, we had an amazing time playing volleyball, badminton, and a variety of other games with potential new brothers. We look forward to hosting the 2019 MAP fall assembly in Downers Grove, Illinois!

—Henry Le

EP Epsilon Rho
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So far this fall, we had one social event where we met at Granite City to catch up on our summers and prepare for the fall semester. We have also participated in the ALS walk again this year. This semester, we have eight pledges signed up for the pinning ceremony! Our Brotherhood is beyond excited to see our family grow exponentially.

—Crystal Zupon

EY Epsilon Upsilon

Roosevelt Univ. College of Pharmacy

Founded 3/31/2012

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We held our first pledge meeting last week and it was a pleasure to meet all the new pledges; we hope they make it through the process into the Brotherhood. A couple brothers are attending the fall assembly, hosted by Delta Nu. We continue to volunteer at Feed My Starving Children and will be having our first volunteer event with the pledges on November 7.

—Bianca Vargas

EQ Epsilon Omega

Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science (RFUMS)

Founded 11/23/2013

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Our first philanthropy effort was another wildly successful Feed My Starving Children meal packing event. We were able to pack 720 meals. Our next philanthropy event was at Bernie's Book Bank where they believe "books and reading are both the vehicle and the road to a better life."

We enjoyed chapter bonding at a bowling event. A handful of brothers shocked and wowed the chapter with trick shots and serious skill. Soon brothers will be venturing out to a pumpkin patch.

Rush Week is in full swing. We are proud of our vice regent, Monica Salabun, for pulling together impactful speeches, presentations, and events. We hosted an immunization jeopardy session to help students study, refresh and apply their knowledge. It is vital to make time for fun to keep sane and strong through the challenging coursework. We were able to converse with the potential rushees in a relaxed setting and they were able to see the fun-loving and well-balanced values of our chapter. Ahead of us, we have another fun-filled event at Whirlyball, an indoor game of basketball combined with lacrosse while driving bumper cars. This has been a fan favorite for many years now. We will also host the Speedy Social, a formal event where rushees will meet brothers in a speed dating fashion.

—Marie Aquilino

ZM Zeta Mu

UMKC School of Pharmacy at Missouri State University

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Zeta Mu kicked off the semester with a week full of rush events, including a scavenger hunt across the Springfield area, a fiesta party at Brick City, a night of sand volleyball, and a mug cake and board game night! Rush



Brothers of Zeta Mu welcome 16 new pledges after their pinning ceremony.

chairs Hayley Graves and Montana Zitnak did an incredible job planning some fun events and we had great attendance at each one. We gave out 19 bids and had 16 pledges for our Zeta Pledge Class. This is one of the largest pledge classes our chapter has had since we were founded.

At the beginning of September, we held a Welcome Back Barbecue. This event was extended to all Kappa Psi alumni in the area as well as potential pledges. Vice regent Katie Pennell opened her home to us for an evening of grilling, yard games, and socializing with brothers. Later in September, we went mini golfing. In October, our Social Committee is working on an event at Rutledge-Wilson Farm Park Harvest Fest where we will do fun fall activities like a bonfire, a pumpkin patch, and a haunted corn maze.

Our Philanthropy Committee planned the first street cleanup of the semester with another planned for the end of the semester as well. The Committee is also planning on celebrating National Do Something Nice Day by making nice notes to put in students' lockers!

We are working diligently to compile a list of Kappa Psi brothers living in the Springfield area so we have contact information to invite them to future events.

The Fundraising Committee is in the process of planning our second "Minute to Win It" where students, friends, family, and faculty create teams of four to compete against one another in minute-long games. This year is Halloween-themed, so there will also be a costume contest for an advantage in some of the games.

Several of our brothers are planning on traveling to Downers Grove for the



Indiana Grad with Delta Upsilon and Pi brothers at GCC.

fall Mid-America Province. This will be an exciting semester to attend MAP because Zeta Mu is hosting our first Province meeting in the spring!

—Katy Zadnick

Indiana Grad

Founded 4/9/1978

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Indiana Grad has been staying busy. We had a blast at GCC, where we were amazed at the impact our Fraternity is having on our communities and profession. We continued to support brothers from Pi and Beta Upsilon chapters attending GCC and had a great time of fellowship with them at Pi Pizzeria. We look forward to seeing everyone again in Phoenix in 2021!

We continue our work with our chapter philanthropy's emphasis on meal support and food insecurity by focusing our efforts on food drives, packaging meals for children and families in numerous countries, and serving meals through local charities. We will be planning our annual Ronald McDonald House dinner as part of this effort. We look forward to a time of fel-

lowship at our fall assembly hosted by Delta Nu!

St. Louis Grad

Founded 5/24/1949

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The St. Louis Grad chapter proudly recognizes 26 brothers who graduated from St. Louis College of Pharmacy in May and we look forward to working with them as new graduate members. Congrats to newlyweds Brandon and Belma Corpening and to Becca Nolan for collaborating on the article "Fluoroquinolones Broad Spectrum with Narrow Indications" published in *the Missouri Pharmacist*. Ben Calcaterra teamed up with Illinois lawmakers to combat high drug prices. Illinois House Bill 464 goes into effect January 1, 2019. Congratulations to Chris Brown for raising money for cancer research through "Pedal the Cause." Brothers enjoyed the summer in St. Louis by going to Cardinal baseball games, float trips, and the Backstreet Boys concert.

—Steve Platon



Beta Eta enjoy time together at a Pittsburgh Pirates baseball game.



Sigma brothers reunite with one of their alumni.



Epsilon Omega brothers work hard at Feed My Starving Children, packing 720 meals for children in third world countries battling against starvation.

Mountain East Province

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Next meeting:

March 6–8, 2020, hosted by Beta Eta, Morgantown, West Virginia

College chapters: Sigma, Beta Eta, Beta Kappa, Delta Epsilon, Delta Kappa, Delta Xi, Epsilon Nu, Epsilon Omicron, Zeta Kappa

Graduate chapters: Buffalo Graduate, District of Columbia Graduate, Laurel Highland Graduate, Maryland Graduate, Maryland Eastern Shore Graduate, Northern Virginia Graduate, Pittsburgh Graduate, West Virginia Graduate

Σ Sigma

University of Maryland

Founded 3/27/1924

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Sigma brothers have put their 99 Hands to work in the community. Brothers gathered at the Canton Waterfront in Baltimore to volunteer with the American Diabetes Association at their annual Step Out Diabetes Walk and prepared a delicious meal for the residents of the American Cancer Society's Hope Lodge in Baltimore.

Once again, students representing the several schools of University of Baltimore's Medical Campus competed in our 15th annual Wing-a-Thon to raise money for the Reach Out and Read. The newly inducted brothers came together to organize the 15th annual Kappa Psi Spelling Bee to also raise money for ROR.

BH Beta Eta

West Virginia University

Founded 5/16/1925

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The best way to start the semester is with a back-to-school social, which is

just what Beta Eta did. Our vice regent of recruitment, Kate Green, planned many fun events to allow us to meet and have fun with those rushing. There was a Trivia Night and Game Night, just to name a couple. Everyone had a great time at these events.

We have had many volunteering events this semester. A group of brothers helped at the Marion County Humane Society by washing dogs, carrying new supplies, helping out around the shelter, and, of course, having fun with the animals. We collected school supplies at the beginning of the semester for children going back to school and books for Reach Out and Read. Vice regent of community service Rachael Largent planned many events, including immunization clinics and a trunk-or-treat event.

Beta Eta had a large turnout at our Pittsburgh Pirates baseball game social at PNC park. Brothers had a great time spending time together.

—Rachel Cruickshank

BK Beta Kappa

University of Pittsburgh

Founded 3/26/1913

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At the end of last year, Beta Kappa was back in downtown Pittsburgh for our annual formal dinner and dance. We were joined by brothers from the Epsilon Omicron chapter, who made the journey all the way from Buffalo, New York. We are indebted to their contribution as they served as our preceptors in having a raucous good time.

Following the elegance of spring formal, Beta Kappa chapter partook in P4 Night. As the chapter crammed for finals, we also gave our graduating P4 brothers the Kappa Psi send-off they deserved. Following P4 Night, we broke out the grill again to tailgate for a Pittsburgh Pirates baseball game.

During the summer, brothers banded together to spend time at Cat Café's game nights, hikes, and white water rafting—the commitment to ongoing fraternal involvement was deeply moving.

Brothers were central in the foundation of RxPlore, a summer camp designed to introduce prospective students to the profession of pharmacy. This endeavor underscores Kappa Psi's commitment to function as leaders in our school and in the profession at large, the future of pharmacy and the trust the public places (or will place) in us as pharmacists.

A letter to *THE MASK* could not be penned without being slightly bragadocious. Beta Kappa was represented spectacularly at the GCC convention. Thai Nguyen, Emily Craine, and Kim Dao presented a poster on care



Brothers at Howard University organize and lead the campus clean up.

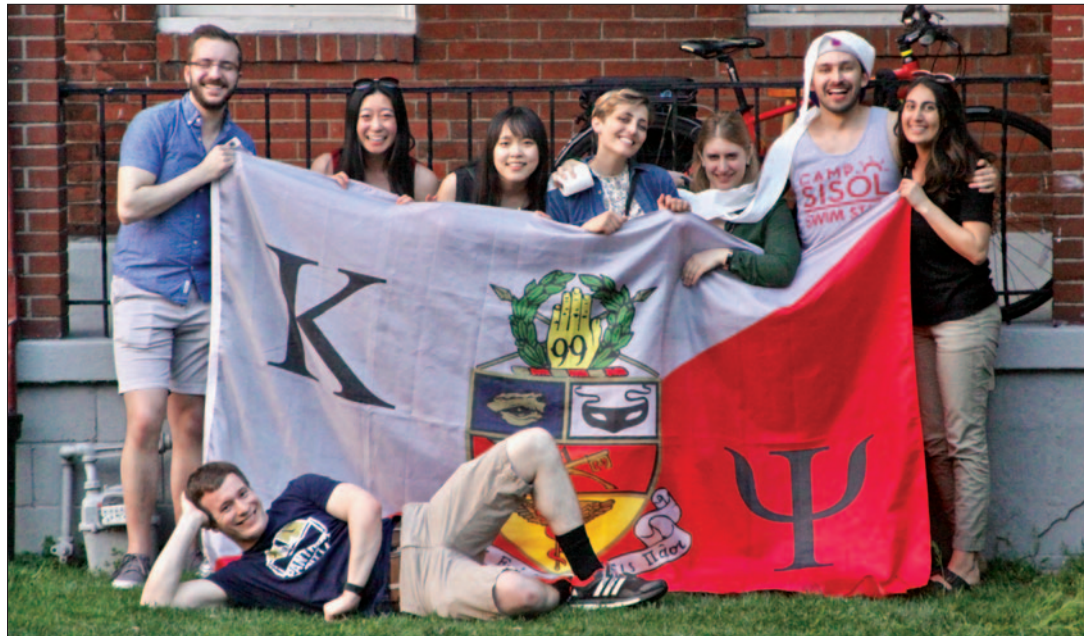
provision to underserved communities. Rachel D. Young served as a Province delegate; Dr. Chris Miller, Pharm.D., was elected to Grand Historian; Dr. Karen Hoang, Pharm.D., was presented an outstanding achievement award; Dr. Taylor Watterson, Pharm.D., was awarded a GCD Certificate of Excellence; Joseph Rizkalla was awarded a Kappa Psi Foundation Scholarship; and Beta Kappa was named a Top Ten chapter.

—Noah Donnenberg

ΔΕ Delta Epsilon Duquesne University

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This semester, we took things up a notch and became one of the most desirable professional fraternities to join on campus. Our rush theme was all about movies and how they have shaped our Fraternity. We were given four auditions to promote our Fraternity to potential pledges. Our first showcase was our annual Meet the Pharmacy Greeks event with our main competitors Lambda Kappa Sigma, Phi Delta Chi, and Kappa Epsilon. At the end of the night, we were able to rack up 10 potential pledges. In the second showcase, we were a part of the annual Duquesne EXPO where all the organizations on campus go outside and table for the students who are interested in getting involved on campus. At the end of the day, we gained 13 potential pledges. Our third audition was our DIY Polaroid Night, where we got together for a mini schoolwide event on campus and made homemade polaroid frames and took pictures to fill them with. Our last showcase was a chance to speak in front of the PPY2 Seminar (second-



Beta Kappa P4 graduates (L–R) Drs. Robert Aikman, Joshua Zimardo, Shannon Ye, Lina Shao, Amanda Colangelo, Rachel D. Young, Ryan Pasquarette, and Niha Idrees pose on the evening of their night.



RUSH event was a success! Epsilon Omicron visits SkyZone and gets to know the rushers.

year undergrad students). After this, we walked away with 11 more names.

Our rush events were also very successful and revolved around a different movie. The first event was inspired by the movie “Wreck-It Ralph.” In this, we did a video game and board game night where all the brothers brought different games and got to know each other and the pledges on a competitive level. The second event held was inspired by the movie “The Breakfast Club,” which was our movie trivia and speed dating night. On this night, all the brothers came together and brought their knowledge of not only popular movies, but also of the Fraternity and what we’re all about. It was yet another excellent bonding experience. The final event was inspired by the movie “Happy

Gilmore.” For our marvelous finale, we all went mini golfing. After everything, we have 22 pledges officially pledging the Fraternity, the most we’ve had in five years!

In other news, we’ve been looking to expand our fundraising opportunities around campus through our Yankee Candle fundraiser and our bake sale. We also plan to expand our philanthropy efforts with Reach Out and Read. We hope to form a partnership with our faculty brother, Dr. Montepara. This will be an excellent opportunity for us because she is scheduled to read her published kids’ books at the Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh. We will be collecting used children’s books to donate to the hospital during this event.

—Alex Puleo

ΔΚ Delta Kappa Howard University

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Members of the DC Grad chapter and Delta Kappa Chapter got together at Food & Friends to feed special populations in the DC community.

Brothers of Delta Kappa also participated in a Kappa Psi led campus cleanup. Brothers hosted a “Made With Love” women’s wellness drive that collected feminine hygiene products to give back to the community and promote awareness of the active role pharmacists have in women’s health outcomes.

We also participated in the Walk to Stop Diabetes. We had the opportunity to perform blood pressure screenings



Pittsburgh Grad brothers enjoy a custom mac-n-cheese bar during their business discussion.



Brothers of Delta Xi chapter at Initiation Night.



Delta Epsilon brothers at Meet the Greeks Night: (L-R top row) Michael Kampas, Durrant Carlson, Matthew Davis, Zacheus Stager, Dakota Miller, Madison Watkins; (L-R bottom row) Sarah Kirkpatrick, Natalie Shields, Nina Ricci, Carly Uba, Isabelle Petrush, and Alexander Puleo.

and educate patients on the day-to-day knowledge of nutrition, exercise, monitoring, and the importance of medication adherence.

ZK Zeta Kappa
Marshall University
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Between studying for midterms and IPPEs, we have put together some fun,

stress relieving activities for our brothers. Upcoming activities include a day at the pool and bowling at Strike Zone near Marshall University School of Pharmacy. Another activity that is highly anticipated is an ugly Christmas sweater game night to help our pledges and our brothers get to know one another. Zeta Kappa is excited to initiate new faces and personalities into our chapter!

Buffalo Grad

Founded 4/14/1930

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For the month of September, the Buffalo Grad chapter had our monthly meeting at Mooney's where we enjoyed delicious chicken wings, mac and cheese, and brotherhood. We are excited about attending Epsilon Omicron's third rush event in October. We are also excited for the Mountain East Province hosted by the Sigma chapter in Baltimore!

—Max Schmidt

District of Columbia Grad

Founded 5/23/1953

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DC Grad ended the summer months engaged in brotherhood activities and service. We welcomed three brothers to the chapter: Brittany McCollum and Tamika Sanders, both from Delta Kappa, and Jonathan Lee from Nu. Brothers enjoyed two social events, a Baltimore Orioles game along with Sigma and a D.C. United Soccer game. We also imparted wisdom at the Delta Kappa chapter retreat. DC Grad brothers answered the call and participated in the Mountain East Province Day of Service. We helped with food preparation at DC's Food & Friends. We all look forward to attending Mountain East Province in October.

—Allison Hill

Maryland Eastern Shore Grad

Founded 8/23/2014

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The brothers at Maryland Eastern Shore Grad have been busy this summer. We had three brothers attend GCC in Washington, D.C., and were awarded as one of the top performing grad chapters. In addition, we hosted a day care reading event at our UMES Child Development Center for Reach Out and Read, with brothers in attendance from Epsilon Nu. We celebrated the upcoming birth of Rachel Cordrey's first child with a baby shower hosted by Rich DeBenedetto and aided in the crossing of new brothers within Epsilon Nu. Much more is coming up in the fall, with a breast cancer walk in October and an Alzheimer's walk planned for November.

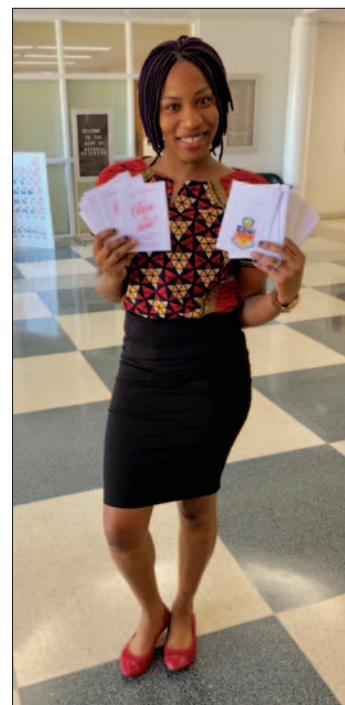
—Ryan Fillis

Northern Virginia Grad

Founded 2/23/2019

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Northern Virginia Grad was well represented by Regent TJ Chapman, and Christine Cooper at the 59th GCC. A Grad brother also sponsored a brother of Delta Xi to attend GCC as



Epsilon Nu brothers send PIs welcome notes during the 1st week of school.

well. TJ Chapman (Northern Virginia Grad) and Christine Oh (Delta Xi) are seen below. Additionally, we're excited to see you all at the next Mountain East Province in Baltimore!

Northern Virginia Grad is excited to see many new and familiar faces at the next Mountain East Province assembly in Baltimore. Congratulations to regent TJ Chapman for starting his program for Master of Sciences in Health Administration at University of Wyoming! [Editor Note: Read more about the Master of Sciences in Health Administration program at UWY: UWYOHEALTHADMINMS.ORG]

—S. Sara Pek

Pittsburgh Grad

Founded 6/19/1935

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Pittsburgh Grad had an excellent, if melt, adventure in Washington, D.C., for the 59th GCC. We love catching up with brothers from all over and seeing new faces. We also took home a Top Performing chapter award. The grad chapter has also been getting together for some low-key meetings and fellowship, including our not-quite-annual Mac-n-Cheese Bar, to plan for the fall and winter. Pittsburgh Grad is working on a CE luncheon and blankets for a local crisis shelter as well as getting our toys together for the annual 96.1 KISS Stuff-A-Bus to benefit Toys for Tots in late November/early December.

—Liz Van Dyke

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Next meeting:
March 27–29, 2020, hosted by Nu,
Storrs, Connecticut

College chapters: Nu, Beta Epsilon,
Beta Omega, Gamma Lambda, Delta
Omicron, Delta Chi, Zeta Beta, Zeta
Zeta, Zeta Iota, Zeta Nu, Zeta Pi

Graduate chapters: Albany Graduate,
Boston Graduate, Central New York
Graduate, Connecticut Graduate,
Harrisburg Graduate, Maine Graduate,
New Jersey Graduate, New York
Graduate, Philadelphia Graduate,
Pocono Graduate, Providence Graduate

BE Beta Epsilon

University of Rhode Island
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Our brothers enjoyed a great week in Washington, D.C., at GCC, which got the entire chapter excited for another productive year! Many brothers came to campus early to help the new pharmacy freshmen move into their dorms. It was a great way to introduce ourselves to the incoming class.

Under the direction of Evan Goncalves, the rush process has proved successful and promising. More than 40 prospective new brothers attended our bonding and informational events, including bowling, Wing Night, and a barbecue by the bay.

In the coming weeks, Justin Jackson is gearing us up for our semester's philanthropy events, including our nationally recognized men's health awareness Movember Campaign and our Narragansett beach cleanup. For the second year in a row, our chapter will be participating in Light The Night, a walk aimed to build awareness of certain blood cancers. This year, we have even been granted the opportunity of captaining the entire College of Pharmacy team. We are excited to assist in raising money for research while showing their support to patients and their families.

—Matthew Champion

BΩ Beta Omega

Temple University

Founded 5/22/1930

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Over the summer, we attended a golf tournament hosted by Delta Omicron to benefit Reach Out and Read. It was great to network and con-



Gamma Lambda brothers represented Kappa Psi well at the "Pharmacy Fraternities on Campus" Tri-frat Panel event.



Brothers and rushees enjoy Beta Epsilon's barbecue by the bay.

nect with brothers during the summer break. Early in September, through a spark of spontaneity, brothers from Delta Omicron, Zeta Pi, Philadelphia Grad, and Pocono Grad came together at our chapter house for the most ambitious brotherhood crossover social event in history. We had the opportunity to meet new faces, exchange ideas, catch up with old friends, and overall just enjoy one another's company!

We kicked off the semester at Temple University's annual Giving Back to Temple festival hosted by TUSP's APhA chapter. Brothers dressed in their white coats to let the student body know what's what in the health field through presentation and conversation. Through a recently formed partnership with the Bethesda Project, we lent a helping hand to "Our

Brother's Homeless Shelter" here in Philly. We spent the afternoon doing laundry, helping in the kitchen, or cleaning. That night, we all left with full hearts knowing we had made an impact on our community.

—Yonatan Ghidey

ΓΛ Gamma Lambda

Northeastern University

Founded 10/28/1958

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At the beginning of the semester, we held RxPo and rush events to inform students about our Fraternity. Our first rush event was the annual Tri-frat Panel: "Pharmacy Fraternities on Campus," which included the other two pharmacy fraternities, Lambda Kappa Sigma and Phi Delta Chi. We then held various events such as Pasta Night, Alumni Speaker and Speed

Dating, Chill and Grill, Brother Panel and Ice Cream Social, and Dine in Boston. At Pasta Night, rushees and brothers got to know one another while eating pasta that our brothers made. For the Alumni Speaker and Speed Dating event, brothers were able to have one-on-one conversations with each rushee. After the speed dating, our alumnus Dr. Gurpreet Sagoo shared his experiences in Kappa Psi and as a pharmacist at Dana-Farber Cancer Institute. Chill and Grill was a hamburger grill out and social. The Brother Panel and Ice Cream Social allowed brothers to share their own experiences in Kappa Psi and pharmacy in general. For our Dine in Boston rush event, brothers split up into groups with rushees and went to different places in Boston. While they were able to bond over food, brothers



Zeta Zeta chapter's back-to-school "Info Night" with special guests Dr. Ian Wells, Christine Le, and Captain Matthew Jordan.



Brothers from Delta Omicron, Zeta Pi, Philadelphia Grad, and Pocono Grad at the Beta Omega house for a social event.

gave advice to rushees, stressing the importance of having connections and being involved.

Our first community service event of this semester was at Hub on Wheels, where people raise money for important causes by riding bikes around Boston.

—Yeji Go

ΔO Delta Omicron *Wilkes University*

Founded 11/7/1997

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After sending 10 brothers to GCC in Washington, D.C., this summer, Delta Omicron has been working vigorously to remain a top collegiate chapter. In



Nebraska Grad Ally Strobel (center) with Zeta Beta brothers at GCC.



Zeta Iota brothers welcome potential pledges at the annual rush ice cream social.

August, we held our second golf tournament with proceeds going toward Reach Out and Read. We had an amazing turnout from some of our Northeast collegiate and graduate chapters.

We had a few brothers visit Temple University in September to attend Beta Omega's annual Back-to-School Kickoff event. We also had a very exciting rush season, taking 29 pledges! During rush, we held an event where we made dog toys out of donated T-shirts and will be sending more than 150 toys to a shelter.

—Teagan Bigelow

ΔX Delta Chi *University of New England*

Founded 11/19/2011

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Delta Chi is preparing to host our brothers for the Northeast fall Province! We have been working tirelessly and are excited to show everyone our city of Portland and all the hidden gems it has to offer.

Our first fundraising event was a dress-down day to donate to the American Red Cross to aid them in their efforts to help those affected by Hurricane Dorian. We collected a minimum donation of \$3 to be eligible for a dress-down day. We plan to work with a local soup kitchen to provide volunteer opportunities throughout the semester.

With Maine being one of the first states to see fall foliage, we will be joining two other pharmacy organizations in an apple picking event.

—Selma Alani

ZB Zeta Beta

Husson Univ. School of Pharmacy

Founded 2/1/2014

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A summer vacation did not keep Kappa Psi off of our minds. Regent Chidera Nwanna represented the chapter at GCC in Washington, D.C. She enjoyed her time at the conference and even got to meet some of our chapter's founding members.

We participated in the Student Organization Carnival that Husson puts on every year for the incoming P1 class. It was fun getting to know some of the P1s through a game of "Who Wants to Be a Millionaire?" Then, it was exciting to see some of those same P1s come to our first rush event at The Sports Arena bowling alley.

We recently got together to go indoor rock climbing. Getting to literally help each other climb higher was an eye-opening experience that strengthened our bonds.

—Nancy Adindu

ZZ Zeta Zeta

Touro College of Pharmacy

Founded 5/25/2014

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Our rush season included events such as a Game Night at Dave & Buster's, an on-campus Movie Night, laser tag and our annual "Info Night," during which we had the honor of hosting Dr. Ian Wells, Dr. Christine Le, and Captain Matthew Jordan as our guest speakers. They highlighted their career paths and the impact the Fraternity had in their lives. We now have 13 potential brothers.

We hosted our annual "Back-to-School Supply Drive," collecting school supplies for the students at Ps 76 A Phillip Randolph middle school located in our Harlem, New York, community. Brothers had the privilege of delivering the supplies personally and met the principal as well as several of the students. We are currently organizing a Reach Out and Read book drive.

ZI Zeta Iota

University of Saint Joseph School of Pharmacy

Founded 3/7/2015

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Our first rush event was an information session during orientation. After the informational session, we had collected a number of applicants who were really interested in becoming part of the Brotherhood.

At our ice cream social, potential pledges asked questions about our chapter and the Fraternity. The current e-board mentioned the importance of the pledging process and talked about several events and volunteer opportunities that are going to take place this coming fall.

In September, our chapter co-sponsored an educational seminar on Precision Medicine with the Academy of Managed Care Pharmacy student organization at the University of Saint Joseph School of Pharmacy. The speaker conducted a lecture on the importance of personalized medicine and mentioned how technology has grown to create such spontaneous molecules that cater to individuals that have a different genetic makeup when fighting a common disease. Brothers learned the complex nature of developing these medicinal products, while also touching upon some topics of oncology and learning about Intermountain Healthcare system in Utah.

—Hirsh Patel

ZN Zeta Nu

The Arnold and Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

Founded 6/27/2015

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We're proud to announce that Northeast Province assembly was a complete success! A big thank-you to all the brothers who came to New York to join us. Together, we were able to donate \$2,496 to Reach Out and Read.

We're proud to announce that two Zeta Nu brothers have earned positions on the NEP Executive Board. Congratulations to Historian Michael Bautista and Vice Satrap Krystle Tantillo.

After a successful Club Fair and Rush Week, we are now looking forward to welcoming our potential brothers. We have a great event taking place this October. Our chapter will be collaborating with Little Essentials, a NYC based non-profit organization to collect donations for care packages for families in need.

—Nicaury Rodriguez



The 2019–20 Northeast Province Executive Committee



Maryland Grad brother/alumni Lieutenant Commander Sophia Park who works at the FDA speaks at Zeta Pi's first professional event of the year: "Unconventional Professions in Pharmacy."

ZII Zeta Pi

St. John's University

Founded 5/14/2016

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We started the semester with our annual St. John's Fall Activities Fair. We invited all the students who came to our table to join us for our spring rush events. Our first professional event was a talk about "Unconventional Professions in Pharmacy." Brother Lieutenant Commander Sophia Park, who works at the FDA, was our guest speaker. She spoke about the opportunities available for pharmacists and students becoming pharmacists within the IHS and U.S. Public Health Service. The

event was very successful with a large turnout.

Brothers Elaine Augustine, Michelle Chin, Nicole Ng, Mustafa Syed, Harvard Huynh, and Oudit Balkaran have recently been inducted into the Pharmacy Leadership Society (Phi Lambda Sigma). Some of us participated in University Service Day and went to multiple locations to give back to the community. Our first fundraiser was a Kung Fu Bubble Tea and everyone enjoyed it.

—Miriam Hegazy

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Northern Plains Province

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Satrap: Lauren Cartledge

Next meeting:

April 3–5, 2020, hosted by Epsilon, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

College chapters: Epsilon, Beta Nu, Beta Sigma, Beta Chi, Beta Psi, Gamma Epsilon, Gamma Kappa, Delta Zeta, Delta Psi, Zeta Theta

Graduate chapters: Iowa Graduate, Minnesota Graduate, Nebraska Graduate, North Dakota Graduate, South Dakota Graduate, Wisconsin Graduate

NPP brothers had so much fun at GCC, exploring D.C. and meeting new brothers! Many people visited the National Mall, various museums, and used the electric scooters to travel the city. One brother from NPP even achieved 20,000 steps a day! Brothers were happy to bond with their fellow Midwesterners over some pizza and caucusing.

Many thanks to our Province delegate, Monica Nikseresht, and alternate delegate, Francesca Milavets, for all their hard work. These brothers did an awesome job of keeping our Province informed through effective communication and organizational skills! We would also like to thank Christine Cooper and Sanaz Farhadian, for being such great Supervisors for our Province the past two years.

NPP had much to celebrate at GCC. Our philanthropy efforts allowed us to raise the most money and donate the most hours of any Province since the last GCC! Delta Zeta (No. 5) and Beta Chi (No. 6) were placed in the top 10 chapters! We also had many Top Performing Chapters (Gamma Kappa, Beta Psi, Iowa Grad, Minnesota Grad, and South Dakota Grad). Gamma Epsilon received the Most Improved Chapter Award, while Iowa Grad received the Graduate Mentorship Award and Minnesota Grad received the Graduate Professional Award. Three of our amazing GCDs (Gary Van Riper, Deanna McDanel, and Taylor Watterson) were recognized with the GCD Awards of Excellence! NPP also had three brothers win a Kappa Psi Foundation Scholarship (Scott Dingus, Robert Schroeder, and Brittany Bittner). NPP is extremely proud of all our brothers. Our Province would not be successful without the hard work of individuals and their chapters!

NPP would like to formally congratulate Christy Askew (Grand Regent) and Alex Maciejewski (CMAL) on their International Executive Committee



Beta Chi brothers show their Kappa Psi pride with their new Kappa Psi ties!



Four NPP brothers from three chapters enjoy the sites of Washington, D.C. (L-R): Kaila Kuehn, Jaelyn Daggs-Olson, Natalie Lee, and Arianna Johnson.

appointments! Christy and Alex have been constant resources for the Province with unwavering love and loyalty to this Fraternity.

NPP also has a milestone to celebrate. At the November 1-3 Province assembly in Madison, Wisconsin, we will be celebrating the centennial of Beta Psi! Beta Psi was founded on December 6, 1919 and has remained an active chapter and a contributor at the regional level. We're excited for what the next 100 years will bring!

—Arianna Johnson

E Epsilon

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Over the summer break, brothers volunteered at Camp Superkids, a camp for kids with moderate to severe asthma. We helped give out medica-

tions and asthma education while having fun with the campers! We also continued to staff the Phillips Neighborhood Clinic (PNC) dispensing pharmacy Monday and Thursday nights. The PNC is a student-run free clinic that emphasizes interprofessional, team-based care in coordination with other health professional programs at the University of Minnesota.

Our Rush Week this fall was very successful as pledge educators Anna La and Margaret Cheng worked hard to organize a grilled S'mores event, an afternoon tea meet and greet, and a joint fraternal event to welcome our new classmates. We are happy to announce we have 20 pledges joining the Fraternity this fall!

We had a few fundraising events including our white coat embroidery and selling walking tacos in the student lounge. A team of brothers will be



Beta Psi Brothers Stephen Gebbia, Thomas Lofy, Elizabeth Langenstroer, and Travis Lee with GCD Taylor Watterson (center) as she receives the Grand Council Deputy Certificate of Excellence Award.

walking the Light The Night walk for the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society. We have also started a collaboration with the Fairview health system to volunteer at other walks throughout the year such as the JustUs Health Walk to End HIV.

We have enjoyed attending a drive-in movie together and are looking forward to karaoke and visiting ValleySCARE (a Halloween-themed amusement park). We have started planning for the NPP assembly which we will be hosting this spring!

—Sara Bugliosi

BX Beta Chi

Drake University

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Beta Chi had an amazing summer. We had 13 brothers travel to D.C. for GCC. There, Robert Schroeder won a Kappa Psi Foundation Scholarship and Alex Maciejewski was elected to the Executive Council as our Collegiate Member-at-Large! We were also recognized as No. 6 in the top 10 chapters in the nation! Our brothers who were able to attend GCC have been sharing their amazing experiences and inspiring us all to look forward to future Grand Council Conventions.

Beta Chi brothers have been active in our community helping at Meals for the Heartland and Reach Out and Read. We have enjoyed our brotherhood during weekly Bro hours, a

Night Out to Applebee's after chapter, a faculty-student lunch, and meeting up with Iowa Grad and Delta Zeta for a fun weekend! We also welcomed 11 new pledges this September!

—Matthew Burton

BΨ Beta Psi

University of Wisconsin

Founded 12/6/1919

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This fall semester has been very busy as we are honored to be hosting the NPP Province assembly in November, along with our centennial celebration to commemorate the 100th year anniversary for the chartering of Beta Psi chapter. A lot of work has gone into planning these events!

We sent four brothers and our GCD to GCC this summer. It was a great honor for Beta Psi to be awarded as a Top Performing Chapter during the assembly and to have our GCD, Taylor Watterson, be given a Grand Council Deputy Certificate of Excellence this year.

We have organized many community service events this fall. In addition to raising money for Reach Out and Read, we have trained new members to participate in Katy's Kids events and sent brothers to cook meals at the Ronald McDonald House.

Our backyard cookout rush event was well attended by prospective members, collegiates, and graduate brothers. After many rush events, including a trip to Taste of Madison,

Fondue Info Night, bonfire and S'mores, and Bob Ross Paint Night, we are happy to have 12 new pledges join our chapter. The pledge season has been shortened due to the Province and centennial celebrations, but our pledges have been very active getting to know each other through 'parent' and 'kid' activities as well as pledge-active member interviews. The pledge class also organized a fundraiser and a sleepover at the chapter house. For UW-Madison homecoming weekend, we will be hosting a tailgate party, where we look forward to seeing our Wisconsin Grad brothers!

—Lexi Plourde

ΓE Gamma Epsilon

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Founded 3/20/1920

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Our brothers wrapped up the summer by helping at Back-to-School events across the state. In Syracuse, we explained the difference between candy and medications to children and in Omaha, our brothers organized school supplies and stuffed bookbags for The Salvation Army's Back to School Backpack program. We then hosted a barbecue for the incoming class and are looking forward to welcoming our initiates at the end of their pledging process. We resumed our blood pressure screenings at the College of Saint Mary's health fair, and we are excited to continue our partnership with the Food Bank for the Heartland, the Walk for the Animals, and the Adopt-a-Highway program in the coming months!

—Sarah Stage

ΓK Gamma Kappa

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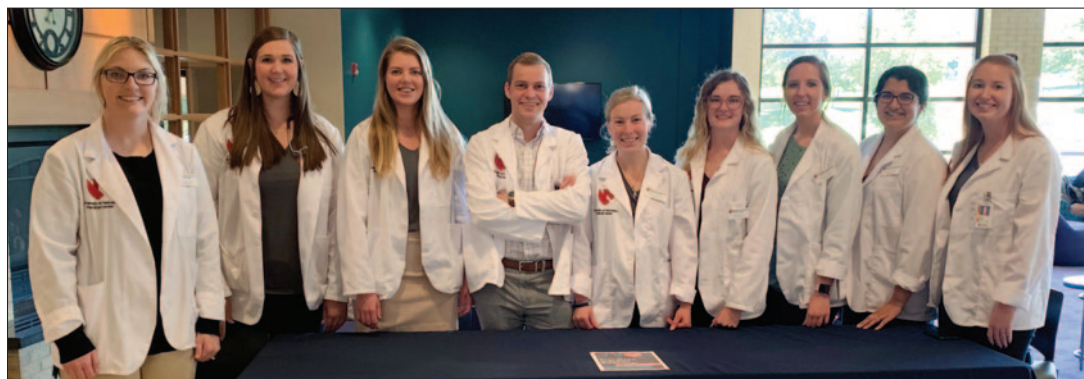
On March 27, 2019, we welcomed six new brothers: **Ashley Bernardy, Benjamin Ostebee, Jens Knutson, Sarah Eich, Anna Mohr, and Connor Holm.**

Jenna Van Beek organized a Spring Formal on April 13, 2019, which had 102 brothers and friends gather for a night of celebration and fun.

Analisa Buysse and Megan Ingebrigstson received the Grand Council Scholarship Key Award for graduating at the top of their class!

We have 15 new pledges for fall 2019. Coming up, we are organizing an Interview Night and will also be continuing the pledging process with Big/Little Reveal Night and much more. Several brothers and pledges were awarded scholarships at the College of Pharmacy's Scholarship Night.

—Benjamin Ostebee



Several Gamma Epsilon brothers assist with blood pressure screenings at the College of Saint Mary's health fair.



Newly elected 2019–2020 executive board members of the Gamma Kappa chapter of Kappa Psi.

ΔZ Delta Zeta

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Our pledges went through our fantastic rushing process to get a bid. We treated them to some early doughnuts and coffee before class, found a way to get them some ice cream, watched them outplay our active brothers at yard games and board games on two separate occasions and lastly, we all teamed up for a fun Pizza and Trivia Night. We are excited to see them become full brothers in November!

Our brothers have held socials from going to apple orchards and other trivia nights just for ourselves. In the future, we will be painting pumpkins, holding a Halloween party, going to a dog park, and having movie nights. Our public relations chair is planning candy or medication presentations, mock interviews for pre-pharm students, and enough flu shot clinics to fulfill any CVS quota.



Delta Psi brothers and pledges during the Lake Superior beach cleanup.

We've already held events at the Ronald McDonald House and plan to hold others for the Domestic Violence Support Shelter and HACAP too. For fundraising, we will be helping at

Hawkeyes football and basketball games and selling quarter-zips.

We joined Iowa Grad and Beta Chi at a Hawkeyes tailgate! Our chapter loves to stay connected with other



Wisconsin Grad has a great turnout at the Pharmacy Society of Wisconsin's reception.



Delta Zeta's chaplain Anna is about to surprise the new pledges with a cake!



Iowa Grad, Delta Zeta and Beta Chi brothers tailgating at the University of Iowa football game in Iowa City.

Kappa Psi brothers, which is why we received the Traveling Trophy at the last NPP Province assembly. We are proud to announce at GCC we were ranked fifth in the nation!

—Logan Mouglin

ΔΨ Delta Psi
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Our chapter has been busy hosting our annual pharmacy barbecue, wrangling critters at our Paws and Picnic dinner, and holding an Olympic Grand Games Tournament. We're anticipating 10 new pledges to our chapter as we grow our pharmacy!

In September, we completed our annual Adopt-a-Beach cleanup on the Lake Superior shore and in October, we'll complete our biannual Adopt-a-Highway cleanup. We're also volun-

teering for a Halloween-themed Healthtacular event for a new YMCA at the end of October and are working on the College of Pharmacy clothing order fundraiser.

—Derek Anderson

ZΘ Zeta Theta
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Zeta Theta has been very busy with recruitment and pledging events. We hosted an incredibly successful informational recruitment event at a local restaurant and now have 29 pledges! Our pledge educator has been keeping the pledges busy learning the history of the Fraternity, planning their own pledge class events, and researching their Kappa Psi family.

We also participated in the Great Pumpkin Run to raise money for

Feeding America. We are looking forward to initiating new brothers and continuing to plan fun events that benefit our profession and community.

Iowa Grad
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The Iowa Grad chapter has much to celebrate this year. We had 10 grad brothers in attendance at GCC and were honored to receive the Graduate Mentorship Award. We held our fall meeting in Iowa City/Coralville. Brothers had a great time tailgating and attending the University of Iowa football game! Collegiate brothers from Delta Zeta and Beta Chi, as well as family members, were in attendance. Three collegiate brothers in attendance were recent recipients of our Iowa Grad GCC Scholarship. Grad Brothers Deanna McDanel and

Pamela Wiltfang hosted the meeting where we held elections for the executive board. Pamela provided a professional development presentation on USP <800> in Iowa. For our philanthropy, we made pillowcases/blankets to be donated to the University of Iowa Children's Hospital.

Congrats to Pamela Wiltfang for being awarded the University of Iowa APPE Preceptor Excellence Award! Congrats to Brothers Greg and Christa Zumach on the birth of Benjamin Thomas and Justin and Anna Graff on the birth of James Marshall!

—Amy Munemoto

Wisconsin Grad

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WI Grad has been busy balancing fun and fundraising! We hosted a Forward Madison fundraiser in May and are currently selling Badgers football tickets! We also hosted a rush cookout and had a great turnout at the Pharmacy Society of Wisconsin's reception in Green Bay. WI Grad is very proud of Brother Taylor Watterson who received a Grand Council Deputy Certificate of Excellence Award at GCC for her hard work as Beta Psi's GCD. Currently, we are busy helping Beta Psi plan the NPP Province meeting, being held November 1-3 in Madison. WI Grad will also be hosting a centennial celebration on November 2, as Beta Psi is turning 100 years old this year!! We hope for a great turnout and look forward to seeing brothers from near and far.

—Jamie Platz

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Next Assembly:

February 14–16, 2020, hosted by Epsilon Pi, Boise, Idaho

College chapters: Beta Omicron, Beta Pi, Gamma Eta, Delta Mu, Epsilon Xi, Epsilon Pi, Epsilon Chi, Zeta Omicron

Graduate chapters: Idaho Graduate, Montana Graduate, Palouse Graduate, Portland Graduate, Seattle Graduate, Utah Graduate, Vancouver Graduate

Five of our chapters, including one grad chapter, were recognized as Top Performing Chapters at GCC and Beta Pi GCD Julie Akers received the Grand Council Deputy Certificate of Excellence. Brothers from all over participated in the first-ever virtual 5K and raised \$3,900 for the Foundation. Shout-out to Kyle Murray of Utah Grad for organizing this fantastic event. We also welcomed our new Province Supervisors, Thomas Roduta and Aaron Davis, to the Northwest Province!

With a new school year comes a storm of events! Chapters treated potential brothers to some gorgeous hikes, delicious food, and beautiful city scenery during the rushing season. Additionally, our Province kicked off the season of giving with our Province-wide food drive and soon we will be bleeding scarlet red for our Province-wide blood drive!

BO Beta Omicron

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Max Demeritt, David Huang, Judy Huynh, JT Lew, Yaling Vu, and Celine Wang attended the 59th GCC in Washington, D.C., and reported it was an incredible experience. “GCC was the first time where it felt like I was in a room full of hundreds of people who were all dressed up at 9 in the morning for business meetings because they legitimately wanted to be there,” said Brother David Huang. We are proud to say that our hard work paid off, as we were awarded one of the 2019 Top Performing Chapter Awards.

We kicked off the semester by cleaning “The Ave” (University Ave NE) with Adopt-a-Street. Our GCD Johnny Wong even took time out of his busy schedule to beautify our neighborhood in the rain with us.

We’ve had four rush events thus far and 49 students expressed interest in Kappa Psi during our Informational Session. Immediately afterward, we



Brothers and Graduates of Beta Omicron display their signed flag at the Grand Council Convention.



Brothers of the Northwest Province posing with their awards at GCC.

held a barbecue at Magnuson Park where actives and rushees got to know each other. It was cold and rainy for a barbecue but we couldn’t have been happier with the turnout. In addition to the rushees who showed up to the Informational Session, at least 20 more actives showed up to greet the upcoming class. Our third rush event was sharing breathtaking views during a hike to Rattlesnake Ledge. We had 27 actives and rushees show up. Everyone had an amazing time! Our most recent event was a second Adopt-a-Street, this time as a rush event. We had 57 actives and rushees participate. The sheer number of actives and graduates who showed up to the events thus far truly emphasizes that Kappa Psi is for life, an impression that is crucial for our new rushees to grasp.

—Judy Huynh

BII Beta Pi

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Beta Pi started off on a high note by earning Top Performing Chapter at the 59th GCC in Washington, D.C.

Like every year, we hosted the Welcome Back Barbecue with the Phi Delta Chi chapter on campus. As always, there was a massive turnout where we met several new rushees. We had a record turnout also at our ice cream social. These past several weeks have been filled with activity ranging from social events to philanthropy events such as helping make 800 bags of food for children in need through our local Second Harvest charity organization.

TH Gamma Eta

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Founded 6/4/1920

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Our chapter kicked off the semester with our Recruitment Luncheon and a Picto-Search around campus. Brothers split up into teams and helped potential members solve riddles to find various locations around the campus and snap selfies by each notable landmark. The search ended with plenty of laughs and lots of ice cream at the best local spot in Missoula. Recruitment chairs Alara Vogel and Keegan Whelan also organized a Jersey Party for the new class of pharmacy students to connect with brothers. Every other weekend you’ll find our brothers at our tailgate at UM football games—complete with burgers, dogs, and way too much fun cheering on the Grizzlies!



Gamma Eta brothers enjoy ice cream with the new class of pharmacy students after the Picto-Search they arranged around campus.



Delta Mu members in the middle of the hike on Mount Crumpit.



Thirteen of the fifteen rushees at the Liberty Park Barbecue, Epsilon Chi's first event of the year: (L-R standing) Tyler Lister, Jackie Simpson, Michael Kiley, Feng Ouyang, Chloe Munroe, Iris Wan, Paulina Liepinyte, Ashley Park, Loan Hyunk; (L-R kneeling) Jenni Giles, Heeseung Hong, Scott Khuu, and Jake Earl.

Our brothers have started up our favorite philanthropic event: playing Bingo with residents of a senior center. We have a great time socializing with the residents and our brothers do their best not to get too competitive when playing, but the winner does take home a handful of quarters! We had a blast representing our chapter at the Community Health Fair at the Southgate Mall. Regent Delaney Thompson chaired a booth that focused on the regional "Reach Out and Read" initiative. We asked community members to donate books for local schools and had plenty of opportunities to educate families and children in the community about the importance of reading together at home.

We look forward to our ice cream social and Halloween bowling parties,

as well as initiation. Later on, we'll host a Winter Formal and then we'll have our favorite new tradition—a chapter ski day in Whitefish, Montana.

If you are interested in what we are up to, visit: umkappapsi.weebly.com and please follow us on Instagram @KYGammaEta.

—Tianna Leitch & Kelsi Grinde

ΔM Delta Mu
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We started the school year with a trip to Squamish, British Columbia, for our annual retreat. It was a great way for us to reconnect with each other after a long summer of practicums.

While the Airbnb was amazing, we didn't just stay inside during the

retreat. We all voted on which hike to attend and Mount Crumpit won. Many brothers felt intimidated by a strenuous hike and even though it was about 7K and 300 m elevation, it was a wonderful bonding experience for us. The trek was lightly traveled with minimal stairs and we had to depend on each other to get up the mountain and get down. But it was definitely worth the view!

After the retreat, we promptly started rush events. We helped with orientation before school started and kicked off the semester with our annual pancake breakfast for students before class. The proceeds went toward BC Children's Hospital. It was a big success and everyone loved the pancakes. We also held our annual Trivia Night with an amazing turnout.

EΞ Epsilon Xi
Pacific University-Oregon
Founded 2/5/2011
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We kicked off the new year with some fantastic rush events. To highlight our collaborative spirit, we held a joint barbecue with our school's Phi Delta Chi chapter. We also hosted a pizza social, where brothers and rushees mingled in high spirits, because the best bonds are formed over a meal!

Brothers set a wonderful example of philanthropy by participating in the annual AIDS Walk in Portland and then passed on their knowledge to P1s during our Intro to Professional Development rush event. Coordinated by Kailey Hifumi (professional chair), brothers discussed tips for CVs, LOIs, and professional profiles.

—Cody Duong

EΠ Epsilon Pi
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We kicked off September with a full week of rush activities including a back-to-school barbecue, Taco Tuesday, Ice Cream Social with an Ice-Breakers game, a Pizza Party/Game Night, and two philanthropy events with the Idaho Food Bank and the Ronald McDonald House. Ultimately, we had 15 students who were chosen to embark on the pledging process, ranging from P1s to P3s. At our first official pledge training meeting, we held our pinning ceremony and revealed to the pledges who their Big was going to be. It was a fun moment to witness the excitement, both from the pledges and the brothers as we all venture into this semester's pledging process.

—Jazmin Agee

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Brothers of the Northwest enjoy all that Washington has to offer at the 59th GCC.



A group of Epsilon Chi brothers meet up with Dr. Kyle Murray and Dr. Leslie Cacioppo in Sugar House Park to raise money through the Kappa Psi Virtual 5K for the Foundation fundraiser! L-R: Manvir Dhaliwal, Omeid Vadipour, Karlee Paloukos, Annwin Chen, Angie Vo, Dixie Lee, Ashley Tran, Dr. Leslie Cacioppo, and Dr. Kyle Murray.

EX Epsilon Chi

University of Utah

Founded 10/6/2012

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Rushing began with our Rush Barbecue and was followed up with the Rush Food Drive the next morning. Both events had a great turnout. The barbecue had more than 50 people show up, including brothers from Epsilon Chi, Zeta Omicron, and Utah Grad in addition to the rushees. The Food Drive also yielded fantastic attendance and we collected a total of 728 pounds of food to donate to the Utah Food Bank! Since then, we also held our annual City Photo Tour and rushee interviews. At the conclusion of these events, we have 15 pledges.

Financial Committee chair George Darouiche and vice regent Karlee Paloukos got in touch with event organizers for the University of Utah football games so we could volunteer to raise money for the Fraternity. The first session of the season, we raised a whopping \$495!

Angie Vo (NWP Historian) and Alex To (NWP Alternate GCC Delegate) represented our chapter along with alumni Dr. Kyle Murray and Dr. Leslie Cacioppo and our new GCD, Dr. Justin Fernando. Justin ran the Rush and Pledge Workshop delivered at GCC and we hope to learn a lot from him in preparation for leading the incoming rushees. Epsilon Chi was nationally recognized as a Top Performing Chapter at the conference.

Every year, USPA hosts an organization presentation to introduce the new P1 class to the host of on-campus organizations. Although Kappa Psi does not fall under the umbrella of USPA-affiliated organizations, they welcome us in their presentation every year. This year, Eleni Gamvroulas, Shaylee Anderson, and Sandy Lui presented an overview of Kappa Psi, an introduction to the Four Pillars, an



Zeta Omicron chapter's newest pledges.

overview of the rush process, and an acknowledgement of our brothers who are also involved in other campus organizations.

Epsilon Chi alumnus Dr. Kyle Murray (Utah Grad) helped organize the Kappa Psi Virtual 5K July 10–19 for GCC. This fundraiser allowed brothers to run a 5K wherever they were worldwide. Brothers Manvir Dhaliwal, Omeid Vadipour, Dixie Lee, Karlee Paloukas, Angie Vo, Annwin Chen, and Ashley Tran joined Drs. Kyle Murray and Leslie Cacioppo for a 5K in Sugar House Park. Upon its conclusion, the Virtual 5K raised \$3,900 for the Kappa Psi Foundation!

When our College of Pharmacy held the annual Leadership Dinner, it was great to see that a bulk of those recognized were Epsilon Chi brothers. We have 17 brothers who hold leadership positions in 11 different groups for the 2019–2020 school year. Even more

impressive is the fact that when the USPA Annual Leadership Awards were conferred back in May, all four of the recipients were Kappa Psi brothers!

Congratulations to San Tran, Ashley Tran, Sonny Lui, and Taylor Drowne for displaying exemplary leadership over the past school year!

ZO Zeta Omicron

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Founded 1/16/2016

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Zeta Omicron had a great start this school year. We had a lot of incoming students attend almost all of our rush events, which included learning about Kappa Psi, how to build your CV, and lots of snacks. We ended up having 27 people accept their bids!

We have started collecting for our yearly food bank and have also begun gathering books for the Reach Out and

Read Foundation. Brothers cleaned our section of highway with Adopt-a-Highway earlier this school year and that was a lot of fun.

—Regan LeeMaster

Vancouver Grad

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Our newly chartered Vancouver Grad chapter continues to grow the chapter and reach out to Delta Mu graduates. We recently held a meeting at False Creek to discuss the growth and upcoming agenda for the chapter. Vancouver Grad will be cooperating with Delta Mu to organize chapter education seminars for the new pledges of the school year. Upcoming events include participating in a Province-wide fundraiser with Delta Mu as well as organizing more events to foster the spirit of brotherhood.

—Grace Chen

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Next meeting:

March 13–15, 2020, hosted by
 Delta Sigma, Phoenix, Arizona

College chapters: Beta Gamma, Gamma Nu, Gamma Upsilon, Delta Sigma, Delta Tau, Delta Phi, Epsilon Gamma, Epsilon Iota, Epsilon Psi, Zeta Sigma, Zeta Tau, Zeta Chi

Graduate chapters: Arizona Graduate, Hawaii Graduate, Los Angeles Graduate, Nevada Graduate, Pacific Graduate, Pomona Graduate, San Diego Graduate, San Francisco Graduate

ΒΓ Beta Gamma

Univ. of California-San Francisco
 Founded 9/23/1910

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Beta Gamma was kept busy this summer as we adapted to UCSF's new three-year curriculum transformation, culminating in the end of our rush season a whole two months earlier than usual! We planned several events that allowed us to acquaint ourselves with the P1s and demonstrate the camaraderie that we are known for.

Our chapter is thrilled about the turnout at our rush events. We started the fall semester off with a picnic in Dolores Park, hanging out at the Kappa Psi house, a five-course meal prepared by our chapter's board, and a service event where potential pledges made care packages for people experiencing homelessness in San Francisco. This event will be one of many, as service chair Francesca Alcalá has increased our chapter's enthusiasm for aiding the underserved people of San Francisco. After a successful rush season, Beta Gamma welcomed 44 new pledges at the Induction Ceremony!

We have a lot to be excited about! Our pledge coordinators (Brian Chen and Janice Ly) have arranged many events where we can mingle and bond. We will soon welcome brothers from across the West Coast to our city as we host the Pac West Province Assembly in November.

—Leena Dolle & Kevin Dichoso

ΓΝ Gamma Nu

University of the Pacific
 Founded 9/17/1960

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On September 3, we held our second annual speaker panel, where our alumni came back to share their personal experiences in their respective fields of pharmacy to first- and second-year pharmacy students. This event



Delta Sigma brothers are ready to meet their new pledges at the pinning ceremony.

RIGHT: Brothers and pledge brothers pose together at Gamma Nu chapter's annual Red Rager event: Nick Yabumoto, Grace Ko, Jimmy Nguyen, Carissa Leung, Jacky Jian, Bora Kim, Amir Chadha, Mariam Guirguis, Tommy Le, and Mark Tran.

was led by corresponding secretary Amir Chadha and the Professional Committee. Thank you to our alumni: Dr. Adam Kaye, Dr. Utsav Patel, Dr. Chris Tsui, Dr. Avinesh Raman, Dr. Stephanie Wong, Dr. Tiffany Lee, Dr. Robert Gapuz, Dr. James Uchizono, and Dr. Edlen Wong. We plan to continue to grow this event.

The next day, we hosted Pre-Rush No. 1/Meet the Bros where the brothers and potentials had the opportunity to mingle over pizza and refreshments. This event was a great way to start the year off, thanks to planning by second vice regent Kimberly Nguyen and the Rush Committee.

On September 6, brothers set out for our annual fall retreat, this year in Arnold, California. Thanks to first vice regent Vy-Han Ngo and the Social Committee, we all had a great two nights of bonding and festivities. It was a wonderful way to start off our fall semester.

We all celebrated with our 12 P1 brothers at their White Coat Ceremony. Congrats to Adrian Chen, Ashley Chow, Harriet Do, Jacky Jian, Joel Katsumata, Jessica Kaye, Kyle Kha, Stacey Kim, Kevin Kwak, Woojin Lim, Harrison Nguyen, and Karina Nguyen.

In September, we hosted our annual dance called Red Rager, prepared by first vice regent Vy-Han Ngo and the Social Committee. The festivities included a DJ, photo booth, and black light in the UC ballroom. Everyone who attended took home pictures, memories, and had a wonderful time!

—Carissa Leung



Beta Gamma Brothers Rachel Mong, Darra Drucker, Kathryn Kellohen, and Janice Ly enjoy time together during their rush event in Dolores Park.



Epsilon Gamma Brothers Dai Thai, Joseph Castro, Jennifer Dao, Jennifer Dang, Dr. Grace MyAnh Tran, Ricky Cheng, Stella Gee, and Philip Gao support the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society and Light the Night Walk.

ΓΥ Gamma Upsilon

University of Arizona

Founded 3/20/1950

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Our brothers are “fall” cleaning their closets to find gently used or new professional clothing to participate in the Business Suit Drive for this year’s theme of Mindfulness for Mental Health. As health care professionals, it’s important we truly live by Kappa Psi’s motto, “One for all and all for one” and help out our community.

Our chapter’s first social event was September 26 and it was a hit! We welcomed all classmates with open arms to mingle and share laughs. As Thursday Night Football was on in the background, active members cheered for their favorite team. Everyone was treated with appetizers and fun times as we all took a mental health break to recharge our batteries.

The last weekend of September, a few brothers headed to the Forum Health Fair to participate in immunization discussions, breathing assessments and hypertension screenings.

—Nicole Drabik

ΔΣ Delta Sigma

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Our pledgemasters did a great job this pledge season and we have 30 new pledges for our Phi Class! It was a great time getting to know the pledges at Speed Pledging as well as other events such as ice skating!

This quarter, we are participating in several different philanthropy events, including Feed My Starving Children, Roadside Cleanup, St. Mary’s Food Bank, Reach Out and Read, and FANS Across America. We also enjoy

fundraising with Gold Canyon Candle sales and Halloween candygrams, which are always a hit!

We look forward to all the pledge events with initiation, Big Brother Reveals, and the pledge season finale banquet!

—Tori Zizek

ΔΤ Delta Tau

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Two brothers, Monique and Rob, traveled to Washington, D.C., to represent our chapter at GCC. They report, “Rob and I attended GCC in Washington, D.C., back in July! We had an amazing experience meeting new brothers from around the country. We hope to make an impact this year in pharmacy school.” (Monique Busacay, Kappa Psi, Delta Tau chapter pledge educator)

Our board held a retreat in Las Vegas where rush events and meetings were planned out for the entire year. Orientation Week kicked off with more than 98 students interested in rushing Kappa Psi. At the White Coat Ceremony, we sold Roseman Pharmacy shirts to raise money for Province that will be held in fall of 2020 in Las Vegas.

We had eight rush events planned for the year where we showed the rushees what it was like to be a brother, how to become involved, as well as the amount of networking opportunities Kappa Psi could offer. Our rush events included an ice cream social, KΨ/PDC Barbecue, Game Day, The District, Container Park, Gameworks, and the Sunset Park Social. We ended with our traditional speed networking event.

—Morgan Tangcharoentanakit



Ninth annual golf tournament hosted by Kappa Psi Epsilon Iota.



Delta Phi brothers meet the incoming class of 2023 during UCSD Skagg’s annual Organization Fair and introduce them to Kappa Psi.

ΔΦ Delta Phi

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Over the summer, the new board embarked upon the annual executive retreat to Big Bear. Following a team-building hike up a mountain in the hot sun, a meeting was held to discuss the game plan for the 2019–2020 year. Our board not only got on the same page in the logistical plans, but bonded and set an energized precedent for the year.

Some of our Delta Phi brothers were able to make the trek to Washington, D.C., to attend GCC. Toward the end of summer, brothers relaxed and enjoyed the sun and food at the intercollegiate barbecue in Orange County with our fellow brothers in Pac West.

To open the school year, brothers set up an event to introduce ourselves to the incoming class of 2023 as well as reintroduce ourselves to class members who have not joined. We wore

and laid out some of our Kappa Psi swag and played a slide show made by rush chair Anthony Quach. Most of our brothers wear multiple hats and are a part of other organizations, so we were able to guide the new class in what is usually an overwhelming amount of information about all the other organizations.

—Karen Siazon

ΕΓ Epsilon Gamma

Western Univ. of Health Sciences

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As we began the new school year, both collegiate and alumni brothers of Epsilon Gamma participated in the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society’s Light the Night Walk in support of finding a cure for blood cancers. Surrounded by supporters and cancer survivors and with the help of Western U students and faculty members, we raised \$1,795 for the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society.

—Kenneth Mata



Epsilon Psi Brothers Brooke Higa, Keisha Salvilla, Ashley Maldonado, Brittany Luna, Nichole Chaffin, Roanne Deabler, Tiffany Lam, Yan Yee Ho, Mercedes Dennis, Earl Emboltura, Jessica Song, and Noelle Lovesey clean the highway.



Zeta Tau, Epsilon Gamma and Delta Phi brothers celebrate after the first exam of the year at the barbecue pool party.

EI Epsilon Iota

California Northstate College of Pharmacy

Founded 6/27/2009

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A huge congratulation to Michael Wu and Khai Nguyen for winning the SSHP Clinical Skills Competition.

In August, we participated in the university's annual Club Day where incoming freshmen learned about different organizations at CNU. We held a booth at this event and the entire chapter, including the e-board, attended to represent the Fraternity.

Our first rush event was Taste of Elk Grove. We included all different cuisines ranging from Chinese, Mexican, American, etc. in and around Elk Grove. This event was a great way to interact with other students on campus and engage with them on a one-on-one basis outside of the classroom. Brothers were assigned shifts and rotated every 10 minutes to offer food and mingle.

Next, our chapter held our ninth annual Golf Tournament Fundraiser: Better Your S.E.L.F. This was in partnership with S.E.L.F. (Sustainable Empowerment Leadership Foundation), a non-profit international organization that aids low-income/poverty areas in Honduras. They provide basic necessities to the people of those geographic regions. From A to Z, we executed the entire event: providing breakfast, managing 10 teams for an 18-course game of golf, hosting a lunch banquet with a plethora of raffle prizes, and just having fun. The money we raised for this event was donated to the non-profit organization that is led by Dr. Alex Cavalari, a brother of Epsilon Iota.

At our Game Day with the Brothers event, we played multiple sports like kickball, basketball, and football. We also treated the attendees with catering from In and Out. There was a good turnout and brothers and potential new members had a great time breaking a sweat and having fun.

We plan to host a few more events this semester, such as Rolling with the Bros and Alumni Night. We also plan a retreat to TopGolf that is open to the entire chapter including alumni. Epsilon Iota will be having our yearly Brosgiving where the entire Brotherhood throws a potluck and feast like a big happy family.

EΨ Epsilon Psi

University of Hawaii at Hilo

Founded 1/12/2013

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We started off our community service projects with a 2-mile Adopt-a-Highway cleanup bright and early one Sunday morning. Brothers collected more than 10 bags of trash along the highway, preventing the waste from entering the ocean. Although picking up trash under the sun may not sound exciting, brothers enjoyed quality time together by keeping their 'Aina (land) clean.

—Jessica Song



Gamma Upsilon Brothers Madison Schrunk and Alex Page take a much-needed study break while enjoying their time at the Kappa Psi social event.

ZΣ Zeta Sigma

California Health Sciences Univ.

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Our chapter has been trying to make an impact by sharing our knowledge with those in the community. We have been setting up free blood pressure and glucose readings at our local farmers market. We inform those who walk by if their blood pressure is high or low and what can be some of the causes. We also check their blood glucose and talk to them about that. We are trying to reach out to local programs dealing with kids to try to help educate them as much as we can. This led us to our local Boys & Girls Club, where we did a fun hand painting activity with them and then educated them on how to properly wash their hands.

ZT Zeta Tau

Chapman U. School of Pharmacy

Founded 1/6/2017

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Our new executive board consists of regent Sarah Kantari, first vice regent Tracy Luu, second vice regent Nikki Nguyen, secretary Jazmin Maddela-Chan, treasurer Alonso Del Castillo, chaplain Kayla Farahbod, historian Azin Isfahani, sergeant at arms Jessica David, and immediate past regent Randy Ouellette. We are planning our trip to Pac West, an upcoming bonfire, a Mario Kart tournament, a breast cancer awareness walk, along with a clothing drive and making new KΨ T-shirt designs.

Our first fundraiser was selling Vietnamese coffee, donuts, and ham and cheese croissants. It exceeded all of our expectations. The brothers loved the food so much that we held another one soon after and raised \$480 total. Our first bonding experi-

ence with the new brothers was a park day on July 21. Our board also set up a surprise baby shower for one of our faculty brothers, Dr. Souhiela Fawaz. We decorated her office with streamers and balloons, while also surprising her with a huge cake after she was done teaching one of our classes. It was wonderful to see all the brothers celebrate a beautiful moment. For our philanthropy event, we had a donation drive for Whittier Hospital. During July, brothers donated shampoo, conditioner, lotion, hand sanitizer and other supplies that the hospital runs out of in the mid-year for their long-term patients. We also collaborated with Epsilon Gamma and Delta Phi for the annual summer barbecue. This was a great opportunity for us to meet brothers from different chapters and have fun. Finally, we celebrated with the first-year brothers on the completion of their first exam by gathering at a brother's pool to grill hamburgers and enjoy each other's company.

—Azin Isfahani

ZX Zeta Chi

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Zeta Chi welcomed six pledges into the Kappa Psi Brotherhood on April 13, nearly doubling the size of the chapter. It was a truly heartwarming evening celebrated with members of AZ Grad, Gamma Upsilon, and Delta Sigma chapters in attendance.

We were delighted to cheer the first of our Zeta Chi brothers—Alexis, Chelsea, Nina, Saba and Vy—during their White Coat Ceremony.

To strengthen our bonds over the long summer break, we started meeting for biweekly dinners. During these meals, we grew closer, discovered new restaurants, and got a head start in planning events and pledging for the upcoming semester.

We held an executive board retreat to plan for the fall semester's events in a lovely home in Gilbert, Arizona. There, long, productive planning sessions were rewarded with games, movies, and delicious homemade dinners. Our hard work was met with a great turnout at our rush event, and we are excited to get to know our 11 pledges (including our first two male pledges!) during the pledging season.

Participation in philanthropy at Feed My Starving Children continues to be a favorite for us—a passion we love to share with Delta Sigma. In the past two sessions, we helped pack 325 boxes of food, containing a whopping 70,110 meals, which will feed an amazing 191 children in the Philippines for an entire year!



Brothers from Arizona Grad, Gamma Upsilon, Delta Sigma, and Zeta Chi gather for the annual mentoring barbecue.

Three of our brothers were able to reconnect with old friends and meet new brothers during summer adventures. Shana was able to attend the 59th GCC and Kris connected with brothers while traveling during a pharmacy Study Abroad program in Thailand!

Inspiring industry in our chapter, Shana and Aeryana excelled this summer by earning spots in highly coveted internships in the United States Public Health Services JRCOSTEP and the Mayo Clinic Pharmacy Internship Program in Rochester, Minnesota, respectively.

We may be small but when you join with the 99 hands of the Brotherhood, a mighty impact can be made.

—Lynh Tran

Arizona Grad

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In March, Dieu Chau led our chapter in collecting \$2,000 for Reach Out and Read. We also traveled to Orange County, California, for the Pac West 2019 spring Province. Prior to the meeting, Jeremy Hillman worked with Pomona Grad and Nevada Grad brothers to create a combined grad chapter report to promote staying involved after graduation and to get everyone excited for GCC.

In May, we hosted our annual barbecue and mentoring event with the collegiate chapters. Brothers from Gamma Upsilon, Delta Sigma, and Zeta Chi joined us for some good food, discussion, and bonding. Later in the month, we had a farewell brunch for



NV Grad brothers return to Delta Tau to celebrate the growth of the Kappa Psi family during their pinning ceremony of the Upsilon Pledge Class.

Kyle Hedquist as he prepares to travel to Florida for residency.

At GCC, we accepted an award for being a top performing chapter. We also received the exciting news of the location of GCC 2021 and have begun planning a potential social event.

In September, we installed our new officers and held our first general body meeting.

Nevada Grad

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Nevada Grad has been hard at work refining our Mentorship Program and finding ways to spend time with our brothers. In June, we had our first social gathering of the year by having a lunch social near the Vegas Strip. We were joined by several new graduates, and it was heartwarming to see NV Grad grow as Delta Tau graduates continued their involvement with Kappa Psi. The lunch social was followed by a dessert run of ice cream

and crepes at Eataly @ Las Vegas in Park MGM!

This marks the second year of Nevada Grad's Mentorship Program that is in place with our collegiate brothers of Delta Tau. Grad brothers from different fields of pharmacy, whether it be clinical, industry, or community, are paired with collegiate brothers who are interested in similar career paths. The program serves to further strengthen our presence and bond with our collegiate brothers at Delta Tau, while providing career guidance and fostering growth in leadership.

In late September, we had the pledge pinning ceremony for Delta Tau's new pledge class. Many Nevada Grad brothers came back to take part and celebrate this joyous occasion. NV Grad is currently waiting for our bowl-ing social which will be held at Red Rock Casino Resort!

—Nathan Lee



The new and old board of Kappa Psi Pomona Graduate look forward to a great year ahead!



San Francisco Grad at the Dine Kappa Psi Dinner rush event.

Pacific Grad

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Pacific Grad has stayed busy through the summer months. In May, we hosted the 11 graduating Gamma Nu brothers to a welcome dinner. The dinner was a chance for the graduates to get to know the 10 Pacific Grad brothers in attendance and learn how to remain active in the Fraternity once away from school, while enjoying the

excellent food at The AVE on the Mile, one of our favorite local restaurants.

Later in May, six grad brothers supported Gamma Nu chapter by helping to precept their annual Kappa Psi Health Fair. The event provided free cholesterol, blood pressure, diabetes, anemia, bone mineral density, asthma/COPD, insomnia, depression, anxiety, and memory decline screenings. A total of 79 patients were screened during this event, with many more



Zeta Chi P4 Brothers Nina, Saba, and Alexis at their White Coat Ceremony.

receiving information about lowering prescription costs, HIV and other infectious diseases, immunizations, breast cancer, skin cancer, and opioid prescription drugs.

In July, dozens of Pac Grad brothers attended Gamma Nu's annual Luau fundraiser in Stockton, California. Hosted by our own Dr. Floriddia, we all enjoyed a delicious barbecue hosted by Gamma Nu and the great fellowship that comes with being a brother of Kappa Psi.

In September, the Pac Grad executive board hosted the Gamma Nu chapter executive board at the Stockton Golf and Country Club for our annual retreat. The meeting is a great opportunity to discuss plans for the upcoming year, set the budget,

and get to know the new Gamma Nu e-board. It's always a great time and our favorite way to start off the new academic year!

—Matt Serna

Pomona Grad

Founded 6/19/2010

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Since our last update, we joined our collegiate brothers of Epsilon Gamma to celebrate Founders Day. We enjoyed a night of fun and socializing as we celebrated Epsilon Gamma's success, while raising funds for their chapter operation.

Fall is rush season and Pomona Grad has always been active in the pre-rush events hosted by Epsilon Gamma. Pomona Grad and Epsilon Gamma hosted a roundtable event where brothers shared their experiences with work, residency and, of course, Kappa Psi memories. The roundtable was a great opportunity for potential brothers to get to know the alumni. Pomona Grad also joined Epsilon Gamma in the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society's Light the Night Walk at the Angel Stadium of Anaheim. Here, we joined thousands of people who came to spread awareness of blood cancers and help raise money toward finding cures and treating patients. We were able to raise more than \$1,700 for the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society!

—Jonathan Choi

San Diego Grad

Founded 6/25/2011

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Since our last MASK article, San Diego Grad has hosted multiple social events, awarded our annual scholarship at Delta Phi's Graduation Banquet and, of course, had a great GCC in Washington, D.C.! We look forward to the new school year and new pledging season with Delta Phi.

—Corey Edwards

San Francisco Grad

Founded 6/30/1914

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San Francisco Grad stayed busy by attending rush events organized by Beta Gamma and hosting our own social gatherings. At the last rush event, "Dine KY Dinner," our graduates met with P1 students who were interested in the Fraternity over a delicious dinner prepared by Beta Gamma. Our chapter also organized an info session at BJ's in south San Francisco to inform new graduates about chapter plans for the year. We look forward to seeing many more brothers at Pac West Province in San Francisco this coming November.

—Nick Au

THE 99 HANDS OF KAPPA PSI AT



ABOVE: Beta Eta brothers carry new supplies while volunteering at the Marion County Humane Society.

BELOW: Beta Xi brothers help up with their annual flu clinic.



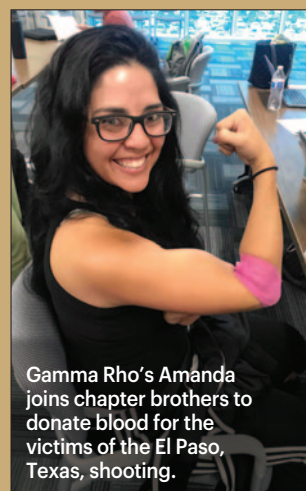
Psi chapter brothers volunteer to play Bingo with children and their families at the Ronald McDonald House.



Beta Omega Brothers Austin Murphy (L) and Noah Wheeler prepare food for the homeless at Our Brother's Homeless Shelter.



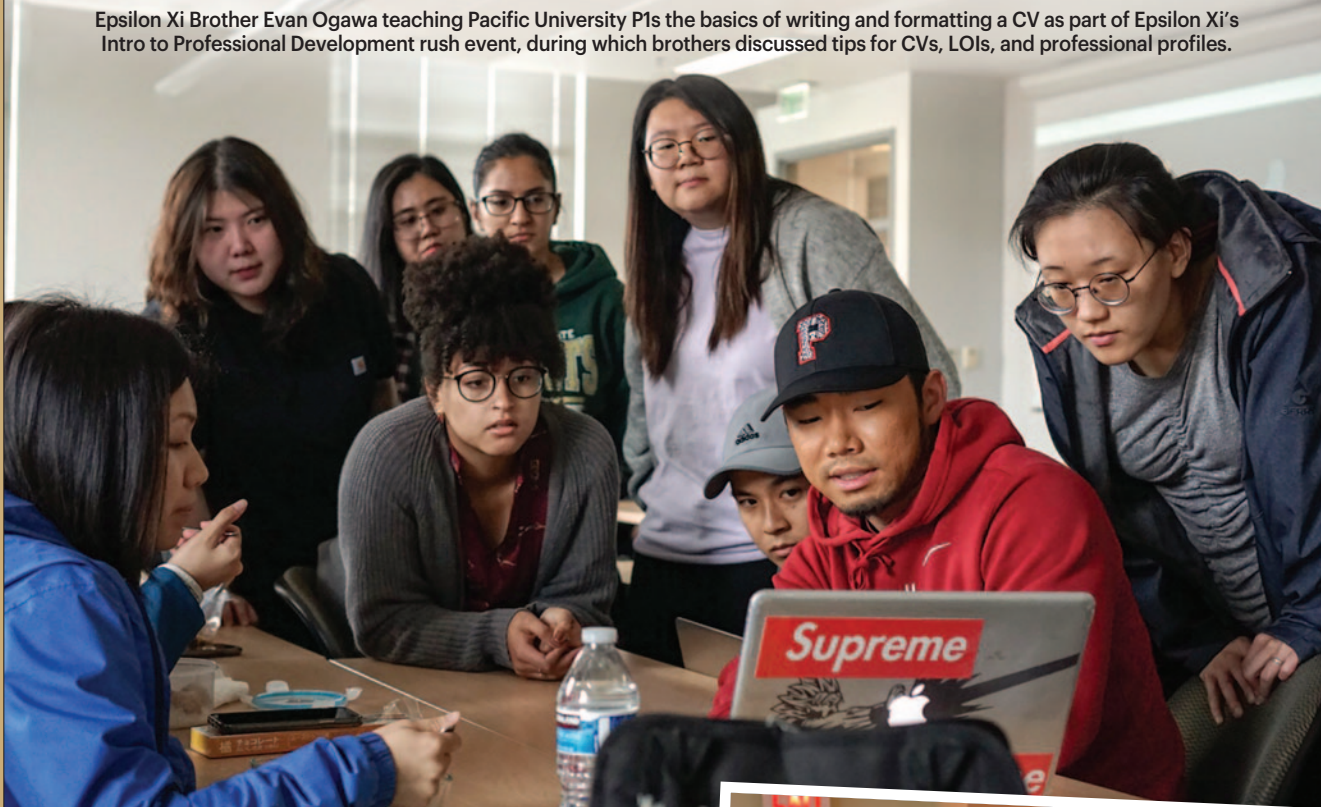
Epsilon Chi brothers and rushees team up to collect 728 pounds of food for the Utah Food Bank: (standing L-R) Manvir Dhaliwal, Alex To, Shaylee Anderson, Emma Wynn, Omeid Vadipour, Presley Whetman, Alesha Truong, Taylor Wood, Ashley Tran, Sonny Lui, Angie Vo, Jake Earl; (kneeling L-R) Victor Nguyen, San Tran, Alexandra Dansereau, George Darouiche, and Tyler Lister.



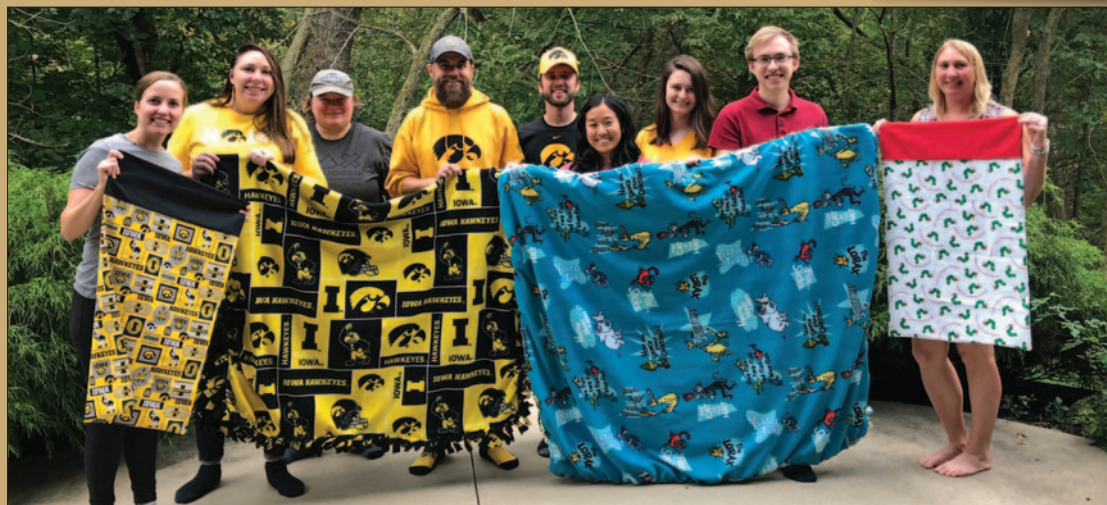
Gamma Rho's Amanda joins chapter brothers to donate blood for the victims of the El Paso, Texas, shooting.

WORK

Epsilon Xi Brother Evan Ogawa teaching Pacific University P1s the basics of writing and formatting a CV as part of Epsilon Xi's Intro to Professional Development rush event, during which brothers discussed tips for CVs, LOIs, and professional profiles.



ABOVE: Gamma Upsilon's P3 brothers Monica Ramirez, Jana Sawyer, Kalia Anderson, and Joss Delaune volunteer at a health fair to educate patients on ways to improve their health.



Iowa Grad sewed pillowcases and made blankets for the University of Iowa Children's Hospital at the IA Grad fall meeting.



Iota Brothers Dave Cook, Josh Lager, Mike Duong, and Zach Crane at the rush cookout.

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Next meeting:

February 21–23, 2020, hosted by Delta Rho, Fort Lauderdale, Florida

College chapters: Iota, Gamma Sigma, Delta Iota, Delta Rho, Delta Upsilon, Delta Omega, Epsilon Eta, Epsilon Mu, Zeta Gamma, Zeta Delta, Zeta Phi

Graduate chapters: Charleston Graduate, Gainesville Graduate, Jacksonville Graduate, North Florida Graduate, Orlando Graduate, Savannah Graduate, SE Florida/Bahamas Graduate, Tampa Graduate

I Iota

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Iota just finished up fall rush. Rush events included a KΨ cookout, Rutledge Street Cleanup, Faculty/Grad Lunch, and Bingo at Charleston Sports Pub. We offered 14 bids and 13 students accepted their bids. Notably, this is the first pledge class where Iota has had female candidates accept bids.

In August, we hosted a grad/collegiate cookout at Brittlebank Park, which was followed by a baseball game supporting our Charleston RiverDogs. This was a great opportunity for fellowship between the graduate and collegiate chapters.

In October, we will be holding our fall Chicken Bog with proceeds going toward the Kappa Psi Bahamas Relief Fund. Our Chicken Bog philanthropy is a great facilitator for collaboration between brothers and the pledges.

Over the summer, there were two noteworthy achievements of Iota faculty: Dr. James Sterrett was promoted from assistant to associate professor at MUSC and Dr. Anthony DeClue became the parliamentarian on the National Executive Board for Phi Lambda Sigma.



Gamma Sigma and Gainesville Grad brothers at SEP assembly in Savannah, Georgia: (L–R) Alex Branton, Josh Durdal, Greg Derival, Trinity Williams, Brian Lynch, Patrice Gabriel, Austin Burnette, Daniel Chun, Luna Adamo, Seth Scalera, Vishal Shahidadpury, Christian Calderon, Eric Chapman, Carlos Aleman, Jimmy Eggleston, Luke Versulien, and Michael Tomberlin.

ΓΣ Gamma Sigma

University of Florida

Founded 4/28/1949

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August continued to be an eventful month as our Student Ambassador brothers welcomed hundreds of new pharmacy students during orientation. Orientation gave us the opportunity to both fundraise University of Florida College of Pharmacy merchandise and table for Kappa Psi. In addition to Kappa Psi, we had brothers present for Student Council, ASCP, and SNPhA.

We started the fall semester with our annual Downtown Gainesville Social for all pharmacy students. The social introduces newcomers to restaurants and the general nightlife in downtown Gainesville while giving them the opportunity to mingle with their peers.

Our recruitment was composed of an interest meeting, five rush socials, and a mandatory meeting. We were fortunate to have 70 people express initial interest and 40 people qualify for a bid at the end. However, after selective discussion and voting, we decided to extend bids to 12 candidates.

One of the highlights of attending UF in the fall is the football games. The Florida Gators home games allowed our chapter to host Pharmacy Tailgates. In October, we will be hosting our third annual Gamma Sigma Alumni Tailgate where generations of



Delta Rho Brothers Raquib Zaman and Jon Kim (L–R) share the benefits of Kappa Psi and their personal experiences in the Fraternity with potential candidates at Delta Rho's first rush event of the year, Tex-Mex.

alumni will meet current brothers and the new pledges.

Our brothers have been spearheading countless organizational events on campus. IPSF Vice President Greg Derival co-managed the first “A Night Around the World” pharmacy event where students were invited to listen to multiple speakers present on what pharmacy is like in different countries. Student Council President-elect Luna Adamo facilitated the college-wide mentor and mentee program by matching first-year pharmacy students with second- and third-year students. Meanwhile, Joseph Washington continues to travel around the United States presenting to various SNPhA chapters as the national president-elect. Joseph Washington and Carlos Diaz recently attended the Industry

Pharmacists Organization National Conference in New Jersey.

Our chapter continues to give back to the community through our Adopt-a-Road program. We have reached out to local schools to bring back our volunteer public health talks. These talks teach our youth about nutrition, how to read nutrition labels, about the flu, the common cold, and hand washing techniques.

Gamma Sigma and Gainesville Grad chapters had 17 brothers attend assembly in Savannah. For a handful of brothers, it was their first time attending and this gave them the opportunity to learn more about general procedures in the regional level. Congratulations to Andrew Wilks and Alex Branton for representing our chapter on the SEP Executive Board.



Delta Iota Brothers Joshua Atkins (left) and Josef Wills pose in front of the Kappa Psi mural with their white coats. Congratulations!

ΔP Delta Rho
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Each year, the post-White Coat Ceremony reception is our first opportunity to meet the new student pharmacists. To many students, Greek life may be foreign or they have a previous negative perception. We preach that our mission is to advance the profession of pharmacy, which translates to prioritizing the development of each and every one of our candidates into upstanding brothers.

Our first rush event, Tex-Mex, was an opportunity to really sit down and explore the rushees' personalities and interests while hearing from leaders in our profession. We hosted our annual roundtable rush event, as we feel this event has the greatest benefit for us and our future candidates. Brothers from neighboring chapters, graduates, and those from our founding class attended, showing that we have a strong connection with our past and are working to build our future.

ΔΥ Delta Upsilon
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Founded 5/3/2003
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In June, we had the pleasure of participating in the Southeast Province Leadership retreat where several of our brothers joined together to help each of chapters achieve their goals, with the help of graduate brothers from across the Province. We are so grateful for their guidance and time during this monumental event.

GCC delegates Adrian Morera and Cristi Utset were shocked and over-

whelmed at their first Grand Council Convention by the hundreds of brothers in attendance and the many illustrious workshops and socials.

We held our summer chapter retreat in Key Largo, FL where we had distinguished guests from Zeta Phi. Brothers Jennyflor, Anthony Allen, and Marjorie truly appreciated being there. They attained so much knowledge from how we conduct our meetings and we hope this inspired them to perform their own planning retreat. Thank you to Morgan Alvah and Adrian Morera for opening their homes for this fantastic retreat.

During orientation week, we had the pleasure to give a brief presentation of what Kappa Psi has to offer to the students in the Class of 2023. We invited them to the Bifrat event to meet our brothers. The first day of school, we woke up early to be the first people to greet all of our colleagues and new P1 class with our Selfie with Kappa Psi recruitment event.

As the days went by, we conducted the first lunch and learn of the semester. We had many of our graduate brothers attend and answer questions from students at our College of Pharmacy. In a panel format, they answered questions in regards to the future of pharmacy and how students could pick a field that is right for them. Angelica Berni and Leah Marcelin brought their experiences from their roles at Baptist Hospital while Jose Thompson and Ryan Howerton gave their experiences at Walgreens.

We had the pleasure of hosting a University of Miami versus University of Florida rivalry game event. Several Zeta Phi brothers came to West Palm Beach to assist us in our event. We



Delta Upsilon Chapter group picture with our graduate brothers Leah Marcelin, Ryan Howerton, Jose Thompson, and Angelica Berni.

ΔΩ Delta Omega
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After multiple months of planning, our chapter had the privilege of hosting the Southeast Province fall assembly. We were honored to welcome brothers to the haunted city of Savannah, Georgia, for a KΨ-filled weekend. The closing event, Day of Dignity, was held at Forsyth Park where brothers gathered to help provide hundreds of meals to the underprivileged community of Savannah. This weekend, as well as its preparation, provided lasting memories for all of us.

Following the SEP assembly, we kicked off one of our chapter's most successful rush weeks. The week began with an informational meeting, where each of us had the opportunity to speak about how Kappa Psi has impacted our professional and personal lives. The week continued with a competitive bowling night and 'Flash Rounds,' where we had the opportunity to interview each person one on one. Rush Week concluded with a Sunday cookout, held at our GCD's residence, and ended with a water balloon fight between rushees and brothers. The strong presence of our graduate and faculty brothers, as well as the fellowship displayed throughout all of the rush events, provided the prospective pledges with a glimpse of what Kappa Psi is all about.

We participated in the sixth annual Savannah T.E.A.L. Walk in support of ovarian cancer awareness. Kelsey Martin and Bradley Stewart led the T.E.A.L. Walk Committee and



Delta Omega Brother Harryanne and rushee Korey Copeland help at the sixth annual Savannah T.E.A.L. Walk event.

even had Ramin Rahemi and Kurt Pessa attend, both remarkable brothers working in community pharmacy.

It finally came to the day of truth. Bid day! We were so glad to have so many potentials come through our door and 16 accept their bid into Kappa Psi.

At the Fall 2019 SEP Assembly, we were truly proud to see our Adrian Morera in his element as the Province Historian. He captured several memories throughout the event. We were ecstatic to assist Delta Omega in their Day of Dignity event that they conduct every quarter through the year which extends food and supplies to the underserved areas in Savannah.



Zeta Phi Brothers Prabhot Nijjar, Caitlin Stephens, Jennyka Tibule, Alexis Garza, and Marjorie Diaz are ready for the chapter's first info session.

planned numerous fundraising events throughout the year, which enabled our chapter to raise \$2,000 to support ovarian cancer research. The chapter was in charge of setup and the different activities at the event, as well.

EH Epsilon Eta LECOM-Bradenton Founded 3/28/2009 epsiloneta@kappapsi.org

We tabled during Student Orientation to recruit potential members and our first informational event was October 15.

We are conducting a philanthropy event called BUDDY Walk Reach Out and Read at Raymond James Stadium. There will be many more philanthropy events planned for the fall semester.

We enjoyed making an impact on the underserved community by providing them with food, water, clothes, and toiletries at the spring assembly in Savannah, Georgia.

EM Epsilon Mu University of Florida-Orlando Founded 11/12/2010 epsilonmu@kappapsi.org

In June, we kicked off the summer with brothers from all over SEP for a little fun under the sun at Wekiva Springs to celebrate our third annual Founders Day Reunion! Frigid waters did not stop brothers from having a blast as we canoed down the river, enjoyed food off the grill, and swam alongside the wildlife (go gata!).

Although every meetup with our brothers is memorable, GCC in D.C. did not fail to meet our expectations. Adding to that excitement, Harry Patrick Marcelin was granted the Grand Council Deputy Certificate of



No this isn't a promo picture for a new show on the CW. If pharmacy doesn't work, the versatile e-board of Epsilon Mu may have a career in show business! (L-R) Tracy Tolf, Brandon Del Carpio, Brianna Hachey, Reginald Leandre, Liem Dang, Kristen Cousins, and Devi Surajbali.

Excellence and Brandon Del Carpio was awarded the Kappa Psi Foundation Scholarship. We were honored to be given the Industry Scholarship Award as well as recognized as the ninth best collegiate chapter! These successes accumulated into a great week that has many of our brothers still feeling the post-GCC blues.

Our RUSH events, which represented each of the four pillars of Kappa Psi, included: Share-A-Meal at Ronald McDonald House, Tee Time at Drive Shack, our Why Kappa Psi: Grad Panel, and RUSHee interviews.



Epsilon Eta Brothers Matthew Haas, Shelby Landau, Brittany Ring, Dr. Christine Heng, Dr. Tahina Celestin Langeda Bontemps, Liony Arzu, Fejiro Omakor, Brenda Celestin, Albin Babu, Ariel Fucien, Olivia Frankson at SEP Leadership held at University of South Florida.

At the SEP fall assembly, we were both surprised and honored to be awarded the Industry Award, the Sobriety Award, the Fellowship Award, the High Ideals Award, the Best Chapter Report Award, and Chapter of the Year. Wow!

—Reginald "Prometheus" Leandre

ZΓ Zeta Gamma University of Florida-Jacksonville Founded 2/8/2014 zetagamma@kappapsi.org

We teamed up with Gator Pharmacy Wellness, an organization dedicated to health and wellness through exercise

and proper nutrition, to benefit Reach Out and Read. To enter a basketball tournament, participants were asked to donate money or a single book to the Reach Out and Read organization. Fun times were had by all and a good handful of books were donated to Reach Out and Read.

We started the new semester with a slew of events, including an international food festival, where participants were invited to provide their own ethnic foods to a potluck, and a VIP party at the Jacksonville Jumbo Shrimp minor league baseball game.



Gainesville Grad join collegiate brothers at SEP Assembly in Savannah, GA from left to right: Alex Branton, Josh Durdal, Greg Derival, Trinity Williams, Brian Lynch, Patrice Gabriel, Austin Burnette, Daniel Chun, Luna Adamo, Seth Scaleria, Vishal Shahidapury, Christian Calderon, Eric Chapman, Carlos Aleman, Jimmy Eggleston, Luke Versulien, and Michael Tomberlin.



Brother Harry Marcelin and Anthony Allen Reeves give their insight into Kappa Psi to several students at Larkin University.

ZΔ Zeta Delta University of South Florida Founded 3/15/2014 zetadelta@kappapsi.org

The first event of the semester was welcoming the PY1 class at USF Health TCOP and recruiting at the Organization Showcase. Twenty-three bids were distributed on Bid Day. Zeta Delta tidies up at Takomah Trails Park on a quarterly basis. We love enjoying our beautiful Tampa parks while giving back to our community and providing a safe, fun place for the neighbors to enjoy! Our chapter had a phenomenal time at fall assembly in Savannah, Georgia, where we earned the High Ideals Award for the Province along with Epsilon Mu.

ZΦ Zeta Phi Larkin University Founded 4/7/2018 zetaphi@kappapsi.org

In August, our Philanthropy Committee set up a service event at the Pelican Harbor Marina. Our chapter partnered with Critical Splash, which is an event focused on restoring the natural resources that are precious to our ecosystem. We were transported from the bay area to the island where we cleaned up small pieces or large pieces of trash that to us may not seem a big impact; however, other wildlife creatures may confuse the trash with food.

Gainesville Grad Founded 9/12/2015 gainesvillegrad@kappapsi.org

During August and September we helped Gamma Sigma Chapter with recruitment events. Our brothers attended SEP Assembly in Savannah, where they enjoyed the company of the new and old brothers of Gamma Sigma Chapter. On October 5, we will be hosting our 3rd Annual Kappa Psi Gamma Sigma Alumni Tailgate where generations of alumni will come into town and meet current brothers and the new Pledges.

Southeast Florida & Bahamas Grad Founded 8/7/2007 seflbahamasgrad@kappapsi.org

In early September, the northern islands of the Bahamas, the Abacos, and Grand Bahama were ravaged by



SFB Grad Brother Dr. Ravi Bacchus provides the beneficence of Kappa Psi through his personal and professional journey to his dream career in Critical Care.

Dorian, a Category 5 hurricane. With more than 1,000 people still listed as "missing" at the end of September, and thousands displaced and living in shelters weeks later, this killer storm has left destruction and disaster that has crippled life on these islands. Our brothers came together with the Southeast Province to do what we could to assist those in need. To date, we have collected thousands of dollars in funds and supplies, and we are working with the Bahamas Pharmaceutical Association and the Caribbean Association of Pharmacists to ensure that help gets to those in need. If you wish to help, please visit the following link from the Southeast



Zeta Delta Historian Randy Esfahani, regent Emily Peabody, parliamentarian Christine Cayan, SEP Assistant Newsletter Editor Danny Shoun, and vice regent Eric Cheung tidy up at Zeta Delta's adopted community park near campus!

Province. Thank you for adding your hands to the many brothers who have already done so. Foundation website <http://www.kappapsifdn.org/donate.php> or Southeast Province paypal [paypal.me/seprovince](https://www.paypal.com/paypalme/seprovince).

We attended rush events for the Delta Rho, Delta Upsilon, and Zeta Phi chapters. A Rush Week theme between the chapters was hosting a career panel/roundtable. These events helped inspire many prospects and gave them a bird's eye view of life as a grad brother.

A few of our brothers went back out to the local pharmacy schools and gave insight and words of wisdom on what comes after pharmacy school. Angelica Berni, Leah Marcelin, Jose Thompson, and Ryan Howerton went to Delta Upsilon and spoke for their "Lunch and Learn" series. Angelica and Leah spoke about their experiences in school which led them to their residencies and current positions at Baptist Health. Jose and Ryan gave insight into their retail community experiences. The students were introduced to the transitions of the care aspect of pharmacy showing the bridge between the typical hospital/retail pharmacy interactions.

Marvin Smith and Ravi Bacchus spearheaded the inaugural Southeast Province Graduate Retreat. The purpose of the retreat was to empower as many grad brothers as possible to speak on topics pertaining to brother and chapter development. Ravi Bacchus presented an APPE and residency workshop at Larkin University College of Pharmacy through SSHP.

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Next meeting:

March 13–15, 2020, hosted by Zeta Lambda, Fort Worth, Texas

College chapters: Gamma Omicron, Gamma Rho, Delta Beta, Delta Delta, Delta Theta, Delta Pi, Epsilon Beta, Epsilon Epsilon, Epsilon Tau, Zeta Eta, Zeta Lambda

Graduate chapters: Dallas/Fort Worth Graduate, Denver Graduate, Houston Graduate, New Mexico Graduate, San Antonio Graduate, South Texas Graduate, Southwestern Graduate, Texas Graduate

The Southwest Province executive board continued to meet over the summer about our “Chapter Advancement Week,” in which we dedicate time to help chapters improve in areas they felt needed assistance. After our trial last year, we look to improve our communication with each chapter as well as improve in our follow-up. We also plan to create a mentor/mentee program to increase involvement between our grad and collegiate brothers.

The officers held a leadership retreat in Austin to set our goals for the year as well as to prepare for the upcoming fall assembly, which will be held in Albuquerque, New Mexico, October 18–20. The brothers at Gamma Rho have been doing a fantas-



Gamma Omicron takes time to meet other brothers in Oklahoma! What a great group of people with a beautiful skyline showcasing OKC's Devon Tower.

tic job planning and organizing the meeting. We plan to Reach Out and Read for kids by volunteering with our Philanthropic Committee at a local children's hospital. We cannot wait to see all the brothers from Southwest Province!

—Hevron Hail A. Censon

ΓO Gamma Omicron
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We are still reminiscing about meeting our brothers from across the states and the memories made at GCC. For most of us who went to GCC, it was

our first time attending a national Kappa Psi convention and our first trip to Washington, D.C. Our chapter is already making an impact this year by volunteering at the LCDA health fair screening, where brothers provided blood pressure readings, glucose and cholesterol testing for the Latino community.

We are pumped for our new pledge class! We currently have 21 rushees who have showed their interest in KΨ. Huge shout-outs to rush chairs Victoria Chiang and Chelsea Ton, for organizing and planning our Rush Week throughout this summer. We had so much fun exploring the new

areas of Oklahoma City and meeting the new pharmacy class. Some of our rush events included dinner at one of the new food halls, The Collective; fun arcade games at Dave & Buster's; and hosting a study session for the P1 students who had exams throughout Rush Week. During our rush meetings, we had an alumni panel give their experiences and testimonies about what made Kappa Psi special to them. It was a great interaction between the alumni and prospective students. Thank you to all the alumni who took time out of their day to share their memories with us.

For our other socials, we made time to hang out with our Delta Beta brothers over at SWOSU. Despite the rain, we went to the OKC State Fair with some of the pledges. We look forward to a hangout at the grand opening of the new Scissortail Park in downtown Oklahoma City.

—Julia Ye

ΓP Gamma Rho
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Our fall semester started off with a bang as we hosted seven rush events during the first five weeks of the semester and on September 20, we pinned 34 pledges.

Our new pledges walked with us in the ALS Walk for the Cure to support our faculty brother, Dr. Debra Mackenzie. Our chapter is involved in this walk every year to honor Dr. Mackenzie's mother who passed away from complications of ALS.

The August, the Walmart El Paso shooting hit close to home, as many of our brothers and fellow classmates have family or friends near the area. We teamed up with the college's administrative staff and organized a blood drive for the victims of the shooting. It is a small gesture that can mean the world to a person in need, and many Kappa Psi brothers gladly lined up and donated for the cause!

Along with all the rush events, we also hosted a car wash and a donation-based bake sale where all proceeds will be used to host fall Province in beautiful Albuquerque. The executive team and committee chairs have been working hard to ensure that we all have a great time at fall Province in October.

—Morgan Stewart

ΔB Delta Beta
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Our chapter has embraced this semester with enthusiasm and ambition. In September, we hosted a rush



Southwest Province officers during a leadership retreat in Austin.



Gamma Rho brothers and pledges gather for the ALS Walk for the Cure in support of Brother Dr. Mackenzie's mother:



Brother Shawn Joseph featured left welcomes a new P1 while talking about what Kappa Psi means to us all.



Delta Delta Brother Minali Patel (middle) asks alumna Dr. Amanda Beck questions about appropriate screening for diabetes.

event at a local bowling alley that is managed by a Kappa Psi graduate. The turnout was exceptional with many great prospects who agreed with our ideals and were interested in joining the Fraternity.

We also planned a fun hangout with Gamma Omicron. We value sharing ideas with other brothers as it allows us to see the world of pharmacy and brotherhood from another perspective.

—Gage Bouziden

ΔΔ Delta Delta
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We have been fortunate enough to host several community service projects, most notably four health fairs in one day. One brother was able to secure a sponsorship to supply all of our health fairs for this upcoming year. Additionally, our officers were able to volunteer at the Houston Food Bank and help fight hunger in the city of Houston.

During the P1 student orientation, we had very strong rush events stemming from our successful first orienta-

tion/social. For our second informational, we had several graduate and collegiate brothers deliver very powerful speeches centered around the four pillars of our Fraternity. The second social hosted was a Board Game Night with a fantastic turnout of both the active brothers as well as the P1 students who waited after school to get to know our brothers!

—Rustin Pevehouse

ΔΠ Delta Pi
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Rush activities have been underway with brothers and pledges catching up from summer vacations and forging new relationships. After a night of competitive fun, we hosted Speed Sbibin' where the potential pledges got to know the brothers of this chapter at a DIY sundae bar with homemade ice cream. Trying to get as much information as possible, the hopefuls then ranked which brother they would like for their Big; the current brothers did the same for their potential Littles, but pledgemasters Joshua Hidalgo and



Epsilon Beta chapter's designed shirts will benefit the National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) organization.

Ryan Kellerman have the sole responsibility of matching the right Big to the right Little.

To let the Littles know which Big they were paired with, our chapter hosts the Pinning Ceremony. In an empty classroom, brothers were dispersed throughout the room. Once the pledges entered the room, they had to find a card that contained an emoji that best described themselves or as the current members have learned about them. These cards were placed inside balloons. When all the pledges found their correct card, each emoji was displayed and the Big with the corresponding emoji claimed them as their Little, expanding their familial lineages. Pledge season will continue with many more events, ending with the Masquerade, where the Littles find out what their Kappa Psi nicknames are!

EB Epsilon Beta
University of the Incarnate Word
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Following a successful interest meeting in which leadership and philanthropic services of the Brotherhood were highlighted, we hosted our first rush event, Brother Bingo, as an

opportunity for prospective brothers to better understand what our chapter is all about. Earlier this month, several brothers partnered with Helping Hands, an organization committed to serving humanity via relief efforts. Brothers also reached out to local pharmacies to set up health screenings for patients to better understand their cholesterol, blood sugar, and blood pressure. Our Fundraising Committee designed shirts to help raise awareness for mental illnesses where proceeds will benefit the National Alliance on Mental Illness organization. We look forward to our upcoming Morgan's Wonderland walk event to further strengthen this cause. As the semester rolls along, the brothers of Epsilon Beta will continue with past traditions, such as our well-received Tons of Fun rushing event as well as our Bros-Giving dinner. We will also strategically find ways to grow as a brotherhood.

—Mohammad Khondkar

ET Epsilon Tau
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We kicked off the semester with our annual back-to-school picnic to



Denver Grad brothers enjoy an evening out at the Rockies game.



Brothers of Zeta Lambda represent Kappa Psi as Student Ambassadors!



There was fierce competition in the form of a hands-free ice cream eating contest at Zeta Eta's first rush event.

welcome back our brothers and future members with a barbecue and games at the park. We had a great turnout at our first Adopt-a-Highway event of the year where we collected more than 20 bags of trash! Brothers and future pledges participated in the annual Cystic Fibrosis Walk in Abilene which was a great success.

—Alexis Ogbongbemiga

ZH Zeta Eta
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The Zeta Eta chapter is off to a great start this fall. From ice cream socials to regional wellness events, our brothers have been busy these first weeks of the new semester.

—Taylor Vasas

ZA Zeta Lambda
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Zeta Lambda is keeping the same pace with our social media updates so

we can appeal to the rushees. Since the beginning of school, we had a rush event, a meet and greet social, and two fundraisers.

Our brothers showed support to the underclassmen by handing out goodie bags to the PIs on their first test day. Our mandatory informational session had a great turnout with 84 potential rushees present. The Rush Committee also did a great job in preparing the PowerPoint presentation and the rush video to garner interest in Kappa Psi. In September, we had a #whyKΨ social open to everyone. We played Kahoot! as an icebreaker with the rushees and then broke off to play Uno, Jenga, and Love Letters. Some of our graduate brothers took time out to come and hang out with us.

Our first rush event was the Chill-n-Grill with KΨ. Despite the hot weather, we had a great turnout! GCD Dr. Jann helped man the grill. We all had a great time getting to know the rushees by playing Giant Jenga that has questions written on them, cornholes, and enjoying hamburgers and hot dogs. It is about to be fall soon so the Kappa Psi brothers have picked a long sleeve shirt fundraiser for the entire campus and we raised \$1,500 with our hard work. After the first set of tests that our brothers went through, we all hung out to unwind at the Punch Bowl Social where we played board games and bowled. Our brothers took time off to volunteer at the Tarrant Area Food Bank this past weekend, making sure no one goes hungry.

Sure we like to mention some achievements of our brothers: Luis Aguilera won the award for Promoting Diversity in Research Training for Health Professionals (PDRT) for his research on "Decoding the anti-cataractogenic mechanism of grapes



Epsilon Tau brothers have fun together during their Adopt-a-Highway clean up.



Houston Grad and Delta Theta brothers collect clothes for 2,000 families gearing up for school during the "Mia's Closet" philanthropy event.

via a systemic pharmacology approach." Armaghan Emily Amani published her first paper on "Design, synthesis, and evaluation of N-(4-(4-phenyl piperazin-1-yl)butyl)-4-(thiophen-3-yl)benzamides as selective dopamine D3 receptor ligands" to

identify dopamine receptors and find potential therapies to fight drug addiction and prevent Parkinson's disease. Dallas Aloffe, Alicia Nguyen, Erika Hoang, Yesha Patel, and Victoria Thornton are the new Student Ambassadors on campus!

We will be volunteering at the Ronald McDonald House, Tarrant Area Food Bank, and participating in the NAMI Walk this semester as we have been doing in the past years.

—Keira Nguyen

Dallas/Fort Worth Grad

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Since July 1, the Dallas Fort Worth Grad chapter of Kappa Psi had great participation at the 59th GCC with seven members in attendance. The chapter was proud to bring home two awards from GCC: Top Performing Grad Chapter and the Family Inclusion award. We are excited to attend the fall Province in Albuquerque, New Mexico, on October 18.

Denver Grad

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The last few months have been very eventful for Denver Grad, with many occasions to get to know each other. It started with us hanging out at our first GCC as a grad chapter. We later hosted two family events, one at the Colorado Renaissance Festival and the other at a Rockies game. It has been great getting to know the brothers' families, especially since the kids play as if they have known each other their whole lives. Over the next few months, we look forward to participating in events with Zeta Eta, including the American Lung Association's Run the Rocks.

—Michelle Hatchett

Houston Grad

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Houston Grad has continued. Houston Grad couldn't be happier to showcase what we've been up to this quarter!

The entire Houston Grad executive board attended the 59th GCC in D.C., where they were able to balance work, fitness, and fun with their love for the Fraternity. We then participated in the "Mia's Closet" philanthropy event where newly elected regent D.J. Onuaguluchi and a few Delta Theta brothers collected free clothes for 2,000 families gearing up for the first day of school! Immediate past regent Ashley Hall, along with two of the most dedicated past executive board members, Tom Roduta and Erin Chartier, represented our chapter and Southwest Province at the Southwest Province fall assembly in Savannah, Georgia. Tom Roduta also volunteered to review CVs for pharmacy students at Delta Delta's Student Societies of Health-System Pharmacy professional development event.



What does it mean to be a brother of Kappa Psi?

BY RUSTIN PEVEHOUSE

"What does it mean to be a brother of Kappa Psi?" This question is without a doubt one of the most common asked of active brothers by new students in pharmacy schools across the nation. Truthfully, it is an easy question to answer despite no two answers ever being the same. To be a brother of Kappa Psi means so many different things, which led the Delta Delta chapter in Houston to start a project designed specifically to help catalog these answers. This project was meant to show incoming students and our community exactly what it means to be a brother of Kappa Psi. A post consists of two main components—a paragraph and a photo. Usually, the photo is taken alone; however, many are taken with other brothers. As for the paragraph, brothers are asked to answer several questions or just write about something they find important. Questions include: Why did you choose Kappa Psi? How has your life changed since choosing Kappa Psi? Discuss a meaningful moment you have experienced since joining Kappa Psi. Besides the default questions, however, brothers are encouraged to write about anything they find important in any style they see fit.

This project was started two years ago by Brother Daniel Nguyen who was the chapter's historian at the time before becoming vice regent during the following year. The project was then carried on by the following historian, Hung Nguyen. Now spearheaded by Rustin Pevehouse acting as the current historian of Delta Delta, the brothers of the Kappa Psi project have not lost any momentum since its start. Daniel had two goals in mind when he founded the project. First, he wanted to create a platform for brothers to be able to share their personal stories about why Kappa Psi was so important to them. With so many brothers, there were endless unique stories and the Brothers of Kappa Psi project turned out to be a fantastic medium to allow incoming students the opportunity to read these stories. Secondly, Daniel wanted a candid portrayal of the brothers he had grown to love, and this project was the perfect method with which to tell their stories in a more natural light.

Going forward, Daniel, Hung and Rustin all plan on the project being continued to serve as a time capsule of the stories brothers consider to be the most important. Every year, as a new class is inducted, our chapter looks forward to the new stories about their passion for Kappa Psi being shared. Every class is different as is every brother, so for years to come, this project will showcase the different stories of the brothers of Kappa Psi because at the end of the day, we all love this great Fraternity known as Kappa Psi. ■



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