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*Christina Askew
Grand Regent*

Reconnect, Reset, Celebrate

I always think of the spring semester as one of connection and celebration. It's when we all meet at the APhA Annual Meeting and Expo, the majority of our Provinces host assemblies, and we recognize the accomplishments of our members and soon-to-be graduates with awards. This year, the excitement seems heightened as we are scheduled for some of these items to be in person for the first time in two to three years. While our events are expected to look different than in the past, this is the perfect time to really embrace opportunities at professional events to meet new brothers and reconnect with old friends. The future challenges we face will be made easier by working together, sharing ideas and stories, and creating bonds that will last into the future. I hope all chapters support sending brothers to their Province assemblies and to the upcoming 60th Grand Council Convention (GCC).

GCC has always been my favorite event to meet other brothers and come back to my chapter with new ideas. This year's convention schedule has been adapted to give everyone more free time to create connections while mixing in sessions to learn about the Fraternity and conduct business. The "Rise to the Challenge" theme of the meeting is perfect for capping the last few years and leading into the future of Kappa Psi.

We have all been impacted by our time off campus and have a need to regroup and reimagine our goals. It's both exciting and scary to think about making big changes. We have learned a lot about adapting and connecting, and sharing these next steps will make it easier to make these changes. I again challenge each chapter and brother to identify one new goal to work toward over the next three years. Even small initial steps in developing those plans can take us to incredible success over time. And while we have a lot to be excited about, it is normal after all we have been through to feel overwhelmed about setting these new goals or trying to reimplement previous plans. Your brothers are always here to help. Reach out to your GCD, the International Executive Committee, the Province Supervisors, or The Central Office when you need some assistance. I look forward to seeing many of you soon at upcoming assemblies and in July at the 60th Grand Council Convention.

Fraternally,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Christina Askew".

Christina Askew, Pharm.D.
Grand Regent 2019–2022

The 60th GCC has the perfect location and programming to allow brothers to reconnect, recharge, and rededicate themselves to the Fraternity and their profession. Go to www.kappa-psi.com to register!



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On the Cover:

The 60th Grand Council Convention is set
to take place at the beautiful Arizona Grand
Hotel and Spa in Phoenix. The room rates
that have been negotiated for attendees
and amenities provided make this a great
opportunity for brothers to bring their
spouses and entire families. We hope to see
you there for one big extended Kappa Psi
family reunion!



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Rise to the Challenge

Brothers,

This spring issue of *THE MASK* is full of the information you will need to prepare for the 60th Grand Council Convention in Phoenix, Arizona. After two very trying years, it is time for our Brotherhood to “Rise to the Challenge” and show up in large numbers for our biannual family reunion. The Grand Council Convention will be a wonderful time to meet new brothers from across the country and to network and make bonds that will last a lifetime. We will also be conducting the business of the Fraternity and will elect new leaders for the 2022–2024 campaign. The candidates' bios are included in this issue so you can learn more about them before attending the Grand Council Convention. At GCC, there will be opportunities for student poster presentations along with a career roundtable and chapter sales to update your Kappa Psi paraphernalia.

Over these last two plus years, we have been “Making an Impact” on our profession and our communities, but now more than ever we need to reconnect the Brotherhood and be present at the Grand Council Convention. The Arizona Grand Resort and Spa in Phoenix is a beautiful location with lots to do for brothers who want to bring their families. It is also the perfect place to recharge our Kappa Psi batteries and begin our new adventures together.

I encourage everyone to “Rise to the Challenge” and attend the 60th Grand Council Convention, July 17–21 in Phoenix. It will be the experience of a lifetime and create fun-filled memories with your brothers, while shaping the future of our Order. See you in Phoenix!

Cameron VanDyke
EDITOR

Slate of Candidates for International Office 2022-24

These are the candidates who are slated to run for office at the Grand Council Convention this July. Chapter members should get questions or preferences to their delegates asap.

Candidates for Grand Regent



Christy Askew

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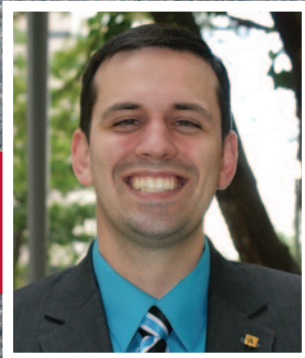
Christy Askew is a 1992 initiate of Epsilon chapter at the University of Minnesota and has a variety of experience across the chapter, Province and International level. Currently, she serves as the Kappa Psi Grand Regent. Prior to her current term, she served as Grand Vice Regent, Grand Counselor, Grand Historian, Convention Chair for the 59th Grand Council Convention, Parliamentarian at the 56th Grand Council Convention and has worked with many of the Fraternity's committees. Christy chaired the GCC Planning Committees (2017-2019), Social Media Committee (2017-2019), Legislative Committee (2015-2017), History Committee (2013-2015), the Province Transition Committee (2011-2013), co-chaired the Province Development Committee for two terms (2007-2011) and co-chaired the Risk Management Committee (2005-2007). Additionally, she served as a committee member of Pledge Program Development (2011-2013), Ritual (2003-2005), Frank H. Eby Award (1997-1999) and four terms on Graduate Development (1999-2005, 2009-2011).

In addition to her committee appointments, Christy has served several times in

supervisory roles for the Provinces as Province Supervisor Liaison, Supervisor of Province X, Province III and Mountain East Province as well as Assistant Supervisor for Province II and Province I.

Within her own Province, she was elected to a two-year term as Satrap and served for three years as Historian. For the Minnesota Graduate chapter, she has held the positions of secretary-treasurer for eight years, historian for two years and regent since 2008.

Christy has attended 14 previous Grand Council Conventions serving as a Delegate, Alternate Delegate or officer. She looks forward to using her wide-ranging experiences to serve the Brotherhood during the next two years and advance the mission of Kappa Psi.



Jason Milton

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Jason Milton is a 2004 initiate of Gamma Phi Chapter at the University of Georgia. He earned his Pharm.D. in 2008, obtained an MBA in healthcare management in 2010 from Brenau University, and graduated from medical school in 2014 from Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine. In addition, he commissioned into the United States Navy



in 2010. He currently works as a staff neurosurgeon at Naval Medical Center San Diego where he performs complex cranial and spine procedures. He also oversees the complex spine care for the Pacific Partnership humanitarian mission.

Jason remains active in Kappa Psi as our Grand Vice Regent, brother of Georgia Graduate Chapter, and an active member of multiple Provinces. Jason believes it is important for brothers to remember that Kappa Psi is a part of all of us and should remain a priority as we grow in our careers, regardless of our paths. Holding onto traditions and preserving rituals are an integral aspect of growth and success as brothers and professionals. Maintaining a strong foundation is the best way to honor our heritage, create new bonds, and ensure organizational viability.

Jason believes that is integral for our membership to band together and reaffirm our bonds as we weather difficult times as a profession and an organization. It is important that we spend time enhancing membership and maximizing the benefits that our brothers receive from our organization. Jason believes that a better understanding of our organizational documents and a streamlining of our leadership and educational design will better position our organization for future success.

As a graduate brother, Jason believes strongly in promoting the pillars of Kappa Psi in all that he does; personally, socially, and professionally.

Candidates for Grand Vice Regent



Melissa Buchanan

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Melissa Buchanan, Pharm.D., MSCR, BCGP, is a fall 2008 Delta Lambda chapter initiate. She is a professional services supervisor at Omnicare Clinical Intervention Center in Spartanburg, South Carolina, which provides pharmacy services to 26 states. She currently holds pharmacist licensure in 34 states and is pursuing licensure to obtain all 50 states and D.C.

As a graduate brother, Melissa served as Grand Counselor (2019–2022), Grand Historian (2015–2019), chair of the International Legislative, Policy, History, and Publications committees. Melissa was the Great Lakes Province Assistant Supervisor (2013–2015) and a member of the International Philanthropy, Longevity, and Graduate Chapter Task Force committees. Her participation on a Province level includes Atlantic Province Awards Committee chairperson (2012–2015) and a member of the Province Development Committee (2012–2017). Melissa is a charter member and current secretary of the South Carolina Upstate Graduate chapter. She has attended numerous Province meetings and six GCCs.

As a collegiate, she was the Province III Historian and served on the Province Philanthropy, Resolutions, Province Development, and Scholarship committees. On a chapter level, she was the ritualist and

member of the Judiciary, Service, Province, and Scholarship committees. Melissa was the 2010 recipient of the Brie Anne Reynolds Memorial Scholarship, which honors a Delta Lambda brother with exemplary character and dedication to the Fraternity. In 2011, she helped reactivate the Buies Creek Graduate chapter.

Melissa is a member of Phi Lambda Sigma and the American Society of Consultant Pharmacists. Her passions outside of pharmacy include her children Josephine and Thorin, college sports, and photography.



Chris Miller

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Chris Miller was initiated in 2004 into the Beta Kappa chapter at the University of Pittsburgh. Upon earning his Pharm.D. in 2008, Chris entered into community pharmacy practice where he worked as a community pharmacist, district leader, and advanced to his current position in compliance, regulatory affairs and patient safety.

As a collegiate, Chris served as the Beta Kappa treasurer for two terms and also on the 52nd Grand Council Convention host chapter Planning Committee. Additional chapter responsibilities included chairing a Province assembly planning committee and also the Beta Kappa House Committee. Chris' involvement on the Province level included holding the office of Treasurer,

Satrap, and 53rd GCC Delegate. Nationally, Chris served on the Collegiate Development Committee. Chris was the recipient of the 2008 Beta Kappa scholarship award and the 2008 Province II Paul Hiller Brother of the Year Award.

As a graduate, Chris continued to actively participate within the Province by serving as Satrap both in Province II and then in Mountain East Province. Chris received the Province II Graduate Brother of the Year Award in 2010. He was also a charter member and regent of Laurel Highlands Graduate chapter. Chris has served on various international committees including the Graduate Chapter Awards Committee, Grand Council Deputy and Graduate Development committees. In 2009, Chris received the Grand Council Deputy Certificate of Excellence, and in 2014 he received the Grand Council Deputy Outstanding Achievement Award. From 2013–2015, he served as the Province Supervisor for the Southeast Province. Chris served as the Coordinator of Province Affairs from 2015–2017, Beta Kappa chapter Grand Council Deputy from 2008 to 2017, and as Graduate Member-at-Large on the International Executive Committee from 2017–2019. Currently, Chris serves on the International Executive Committee as Grand Historian. In addition, he continues to remain active in the Pittsburgh Graduate chapter by holding various offices. Outside of Kappa Psi, Chris is a member of various pharmacy organizations and the University of Pittsburgh School of Pharmacy Alumni Society where he served as president during 2015–2016.



Slate of Candidates for International Office 2022-24

Candidates for Grand Counselor

Chris Miller

See bio under Grand Vice Regent.



Joe Nardolillo

Joe Nardolillo is a 2012 initiate of the Beta Epsilon chapter at the University of Rhode Island. Following graduation, Joe completed a PGY1 residency with the Albuquerque Indian Health Center and a PGY2 ambulatory care residency at the University of Colorado. Joe is currently a clinical assistant professor at Wayne State University and practices within the Henry Ford Health System in Detroit, Michigan.

Within Kappa Psi, Joe has held roles at the chapter, province, and international levels. As a collegiate, he served as rush chair, chaplain, graduate liaison, and regent. In recognition of his leadership, Joe was elected Northeast Province Satrap. He began his international involvement serving on the Collegiate Development Committee and the 57th GCC Resolutions Committee. In 2017, Joe was elected to the International Executive Committee (IEC) as Collegiate Member-at-Large and simultaneously co-chairing the Collegiate Development Committee. Following his first term, Joe

continued involvement on the IEC in his current role as Grand Ritualist, during which time he has ensured continuity of our traditions by supporting chapters faced with pandemic restrictions. Additionally, he chairs the Pledge Program Committee which produced a new program to support chapters' educational efforts. On a local level, he maintains membership in Providence Graduate chapter and supports the brothers of Mu Omicron Pi.

Beyond Kappa Psi, Joe is an active member within ASHP, PLS, AACP, NLA, and RxSHARE. Joe seeks to continue to bring his perspectives from daily interactions with the next generation of pharmacists to serve the Brotherhood and advance the Fraternity as a member of the IEC.

Candidates for Grand Historian



Saswat Kabisatpathy

Saswat "Swat" Kabisatpathy is honored with the nominations for the positions of Grand Historian and Grand Ritualist. He is a 2010 initiate of Iota chapter at the Medical University of South Carolina and currently work as an executive for Avant Pharmacy & Wellness Center in Charlotte, North Carolina.

Previously, he served the Fraternity in many roles both within and outside of Kappa



Psi. As a collegiate brother, he served as chapter regent as well as Phi Lambda Sigma's National Speaker of the House. Additionally, he has served as Province III Webmaster, Southeast Province Assistant Webmaster and Vice Satrap.

As a graduate brother, Swat had the privilege of serving as Assistant Supervisor of Great Lakes Province from 2015-2017 and was appointed Parliamentarian of the 57th GCC. In 2016, he was one of ten presenters at the inaugural Leadership Symposium. Swat has been appointed to serve on a number of IEC committees; Web Development, Policy, Leadership Development, Legislative Committee and chair of the Governance Task Force. In 2018, he was a charter member of Charlotte Graduate chapter. Currently, Swat serves as chair of the Graduate Development Committee.

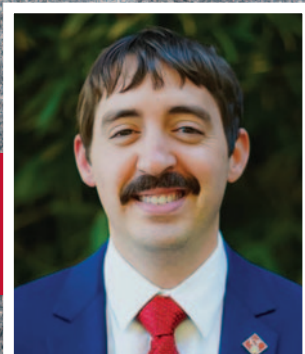
Saswat is grateful for the numerous recognitions and awards received over the years in service to the Fraternity, and was honored as a 2015 Pharmacy Times Future Pharmacist finalist as well as 2016 PFA Outstanding Volunteer of the Year Award.

Swat said, "While the pandemic presented our Fraternity with a myriad of challenges, serving as your Graduate Member-at-Large these past three years has been an honor and a privilege. I look forward to the opportunity to share my ideas and vision with you in person at the 60th GCC!"

Joe Nardolillo

Please see his bio under Grand Counselor.

Candidates for Grand Ritualist



Kelsey E. Johnson

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Kelsey E. Johnson is a 2010 Chi chapter initiate from the University of Illinois at Chicago. Upon graduation, Kelsey worked as a CVS staff pharmacist followed by pharmacy manager. Currently, he works as a clinical pharmacist at Illinois Masonic Medical Center in Chicago, Illinois.

As a collegiate, Kelsey spearheaded the chartering of Epsilon Rho chapter on UIC's sister campus. He held additional positions as Chi's vice regent and graduate chapter APPE liaison, and Illinois Graduate's historian/chaplain, parliamentarian, and currently vice regent. Kelsey was elected Mid-America Province's inaugural Secretary in 2012. He continued to serve as Vice Satrap (2013–2014), Satrap (2014–2015), and returned as Vice Satrap (2021–2022) during the pandemic to help the Province refocus. Kelsey has served three+ terms as Province Supervisor: Great Lakes (2015–2017), Northwest (2017–2019), Pacific West (2019–2021), Northeast (2021–present). He has worked on several international committees, including a previous term as the Risk Management Committee chairperson and a Leadership Academy graduate mentor/facilitator during the most recent cycle. He currently participates on the Pledging Committee and serves as co-chair for the Philanthropy Committee (including liaison with Reach Out and Read) since 2019.

Throughout his Kappa Psi journey, Kelsey has received several honors, including Chi chapter MVP, Mid-America Province Graduate Brother of the Year, Kappa Psi Foundation Pfizer Scholarship, and the F. Harvey Smith Grand Regents Letter of Recognition.

Kelsey is excited to see so many brothers in person again at the 60th GCC and looks forward to further discussing his views for the future of Kappa Psi!



Matthew Jordan

Matthew Jordan

Matthew (Matt) Jordan is an initiate of Beta Lambda chapter at the University of Toledo. He is currently a clinical pharmacist and military officer, serving as the chief of pharmacy operations at Spangdahlem Air Base, Germany. Matt is board certified in Medication Therapy Management and holds additional certifications in pain management, battlefield acupuncture, and training as a competent medical authority for protection of installation defense and nuclear surety missions force wide.

Matt has had the opportunity to serve in multiple leadership roles within and outside the Fraternity. As a collegiate, he had the privilege of serving as Beta Lambda's vice regent, regent elect/pledge educator, and regent while also chairing the Great Lakes Province's Awards Committee for three

years. Matt also served on the Great Lakes Province Executive Committee as the Vice Satrap (2017–2018), Satrap (2018–2020), and Immediate Past Satrap (2020–2021). He also helped support the National Collegiate Chapter Awards Committee, the National Advocacy Commission, the Kappa Psi 2020 Leadership Symposium Committee, and Graduate Relations for Northeast Province from 2018–2020. Outside the Fraternity, he served as the president of the University of Toledo Pharmacy Student Council and vice president for the Nu chapter of Phi Lambda Sigma. Recently, he also served as the president of the Company Grade Officers' Council (CGOC) at Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst (the Department of Defense's only tri-service joint base) and currently serves as the deputy director for the European/Africa CGOC Council, overseeing the development of more than 800 Air and Space Force lieutenants and captains.

Developing leaders through service to others has been the cornerstone of Matt's philosophy and what has kept him rooted in Kappa Psi. His efforts cumulated in multiple team recognitions for outstanding performers, high-caliber processes, and recognitions at various levels as the 'Company Grade Officer of the Quarter and Year,' and the Great Lakes Province's Graduate Brother of the Year (2018). This also propelled him to accept a position as part-time faculty at his alma mater, teaching leadership principles and process improvement skills to Pharm.D. students in a 'first of its kind' hybrid course.

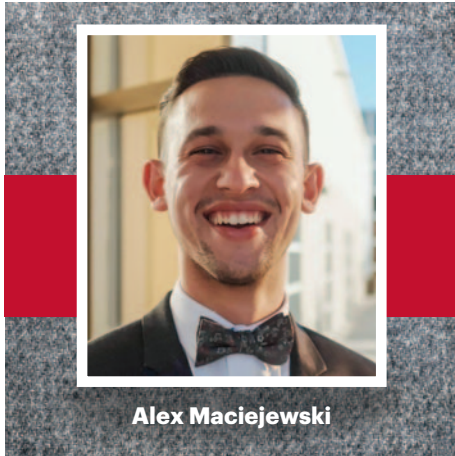
Brother Jordan is humbled and honored to be nominated for the positions of Grand Ritualist and Graduate Member-at-Large. He looks forward to attending GCC in 2022 and discussing his thoughts and direction for these roles at the assembly with his brothers.

Saswat Kabisatpathy

See bio under Grand Historian.

Candidates for Grand Ritualist continue on the next page . . .

Slate of Candidates for International Office 2022-24



Alex Maciejewski

Alex Maciejewski, Pharm.D., MSLD, currently serves as the Collegiate Member-at-Large on the International Executive Committee. Since his initiation into Beta Chi chapter at Drake University as a first-year in 2014, Alex served in numerous roles, including treasurer and regent as well as chaired the Risk Management, Judiciary, and Finance committees. Throughout his involvement, Alex has striven to motivate members, enhance the leadership development of fellow brothers, and increase overall engagement within the chapter.

His commitment to Kappa Psi has also motivated him to serve in greater capacities,

such as the Northern Plains Province Secretary (2018) and Vice Satrap (2019). Upon graduation in 2020, Alex completed a PGY-1 community-based residency in Chicago, Illinois, with Albertsons Companies in the Jewel-Osco Division. During his residency, Alex furthered his passion for ambulatory care by providing innovative patient care services in the community pharmacy setting and leading numerous city-wide immunization events. Furthermore, he pursued an ambulatory care fellowship with Washington State University in Spokane where this inaugural opportunity has provided him with the ability to continuously be adaptable to change as a leader working in an inter-professional setting. Alex is excited to continue his post-graduate training as a PGY-2 ambulatory care resident at the Spokane Teaching Health Clinic.

In his transition as a new practitioner and graduate brother, his experiences both within and outside of Kappa Psi have continued to fuel his passion for serving the Fraternity. Kappa Psi has been the core of his foundation throughout the collegiate and graduate experiences, and Alex aspires to bridge this continuum of excellence and pride in our next generation of Brotherhood.



Emily Hailstone

Emily Hailstone is a 2014 initiate of the Delta Gamma chapter at Auburn University and is currently the pharmacy operations coordinator for Baptist Medical Center East in Montgomery, Alabama. She is honored to be nominated for Graduate Member-at-Large.



She has served our Fraternity in many roles both as a collegiate and graduate brother. As a collegiate brother, she was elected and served as her chapter's secretary from 2015–2016 and as Gulf Coast Province Historian from 2016–2017. Emily also served as alumni and web chairs for Delta Gamma and chaired the Gulf Coast Province Publications Committee while in pharmacy school. She also was involved with the fundraising committees for both her chapter and Province.

As a graduate brother, Emily served as Assistant Supervisor of Northeast Province from 2019–2021 and is the current Assistant Supervisor for Northern Plains Province. She has also served the Gulf Coast Province as Immediate Past Satrap (2020–2022), Satrap (2019–2020), Secretary (2018–2019), Treasurer (2017–2018), and chaired the Advisory Committee from 2020–2022. Completing two years of residency and working out of state gave her the opportunity to serve as historian for Tampa Graduate chapter from 2018–2019. On an IEC level, she has chaired the Resolutions Committee for the 59th GCC and GCC Planning Committee from 2019–2020. She has also served on two IEC committees for graduate development and pledge program development.

Emily looks forward to continuing to serve the Fraternity and is excited to share her ideas, vision, and passion with her Kappa Psi brothers at the 60th GCC.

Kelsey E. Johnson

See bio under Grand Ritualist.

Matthew Jordan

See bio under Grand Ritualist.

Alex Maciejewski

See bio under Grand Ritualist.



Alex Shayan Shantiai

Alex Shantiai (he/him/his) is a third-year student pharmacist at the Lloyd L. Gregory School of Pharmacy at Palm Beach Atlantic University. With his Delta Upsilon chapter, he has served in roles by officer positions, committees, yet additionally as a mentor and friend to provide moral, spiritual, and educational support. Within the spheres of our four pillars, Alex supports many pharmaceutical organizations including managed care, health-systems, hematology/oncology, and industry. Alex continually seeks to advance the profession of pharmacy evident in his involvement policy. Prominently with his APhA chapter, he served as the policy vice president, PVP-elect, and P1 liaison.

His advocacy passion in legislative affairs advanced through serving multiple councils with state associations (FPA & FSHP), NACDS RXImpact Day, ASHP Virtual Legislative Day, Pharmacy Legislative Week, and state association liaison. This year, Alex has appreciated the opportunity to serve on the National ASHP Council on Pharmacy Management, on the Phi Lambda Sigma Programming Committee, and Regional Assistant Webmaster officer for the Southeast




Province of Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity, Inc.

He has ultimately been grateful for the connections made with the Kappa Psi brothers across the nation through the many events and virtual meetings.

Finally, Alex serves as his Class of 2023 president and wishes to extend his time to work with and for the collegiate chapters internationally. His essential directive is to address the needs of the members within the organization. Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity, Inc. has gifted Alex with love, excitement, and joy and he wishes to return the debt.

Rise to the Challenge!



Kappa Psi 60th GCC
Phoenix, AZ
July 17th-21st
2022

60th Grand Council

Arizona Grand Resort & Spa, Phoenix, Arizona

This is your opportunity to meet and network with brothers throughout the Fraternity and attend professional and fraternal workshops. We will vote on legislative changes and vote for the new International Executive Committee.

Planned events include officer forums, personal and professional development workshops, leadership and chapter development workshops, and receptions. We will be having a virtual 5K run, a non-traditional pharmacy career panel, and a student poster session. We also have some Kappa Psi Foundation fundraising events planned.

Join your Brothers as we "Rise to the Challenge!"

The Arizona Grand Resort & Spa is home to the 7-acre Oasis Water Park ranked Top 10 in the U.S. by the Travel Channel.

For more information, or to register for GCC, go to:

<http://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/event?oeidk=a07ej2v9xwq96b1c135&llr=zkmcdc7eab>

Convention

July 17–21, 2022

Registration fees:

Collegiate: **\$350.** \$475 after May 15, 2022

Graduate: **\$425.** \$550 after May 15, 2022

Guest: **\$325.** \$400 after May 15, 2022

Child (age 0–4): \$0

Child (age 5–12): \$100

Registration includes the Opening Reception, Continuing Education, Awards and Benefactor Reception, attendance at all forums and workshops, attendance at all business meetings (brothers only), Grand Council Deputy Luncheon (GCDs only), guest breakfasts, Alpha Reception, GCC favors, and the Anniversary Banquet.

2022 APhA Convention

2022 American Pharmacists Association Annual Meeting

The 2022 American Pharmacists Association Annual Meeting and Exhibition was hosted in San Antonio, Texas, March 17–21. This was the first in-person APhA annual meeting since March 2019 due to the pandemic. The APhA opening reception was held in the San Antonio Convention Center Exhibit Hall with a fiesta theme, complete with a mariachi band. Members of the International Executive Committee were present throughout the weekend and greeted approximately 300 brothers visiting the booth with Kappa Psi name badge ribbons and the always coveted coat of arms pin.

Many congratulations are in order for our brothers who received awards at the annual meeting and who were candidates for national positions!

Julie Akers (Beta Pi GCD) Thomas Menighan Pharmacy Management Excellence Award

Stephen Carrol (Gamma Omega initiate) Good Government Pharmacist-of-the-Year Award

Gretchen Garofoli (Beta Kappa initiate) APhA-APPM Fellow

Andrew Bzowycykj (Nu initiate) APhA-APPM Fellow

Michael Doherty (Beta Lambda initiate) Linwood F. Tice Friend Award

Alex Varkey (Delta Delta initiate) President-Elect Candidate

Scott Tomerlin (Gamma Psi initiate) Trustee Candidate

(The above are the known accomplishments as of March 21, 2022. Results still pending for other elections.)

It is never easy running for a national position in any organization. Thank you to all the brothers who offered to serve the profession and represent the Fraternity.

The Kappa Psi reception was held Saturday evening at the Grand Hyatt. The Executive Committee greeted and welcomed the 275 brothers and guests. Local themed fare such as barbecue sliders, chips with salsa, queso and guacamole were enjoyed by the attendees. The evening program kicked off with introductions of the current Executive Committee by Executive Director Porter. Grand Regent Christy Askew then welcomed brothers and guests and acknowledged previous members of the Executive Committee in attendance including Cameron Van Dyke, Chris Woo, Matt Lacroix and Mike Sherry.

Before the awards presentation, Grand Regent Askew gave an update on the state of the Fraternity, highlighting the current number of brothers in addition to the number of new brothers who have been initiated over the past year.

Our honored guest of the evening was Johnny Porter, the 2022 recipient of the A. Richard Bliss Jr. Grand Council Citation of Appreciation Award, Kappa Psi's highest award. Past Grand Regent, past editor of *THE MASK* and current executive director, Porter is a 1974 graduate of Southwestern Oklahoma State University. He was initiated into the Delta Beta chapter on August 31, 1971. In addition to Brother Porter's service to Kappa Psi, he has been a leader in numerous other professional organizations and civic groups. While working as a pharmacist for CVS during his 42-year career, Johnny precepted students from various schools and was also awarded the Paragon Award. Brother Porter accepted that award along with his wife, Kathy.

We look forward to seeing everyone at our upcoming GCC, the ASHP Midyear Clinical Meeting in Las Vegas, Nevada, and the next APhA Annual Meeting and Exposition in Phoenix, Arizona, in 2023.

Chris Miller

Grand Historian 2019–2022

Grand Historian Chris Miller welcomes brothers to the Kappa Psi booth.





Grand Counselor Melissa Buchanan hands out ribbons and tickets to the reception.



Epsilon Kappa brothers pose for a photo outside the Expo hall at APhA 2022.



Gamma Delta Brothers Rachel Ialacci, Anna Eskender, and Lauren Osadcuk



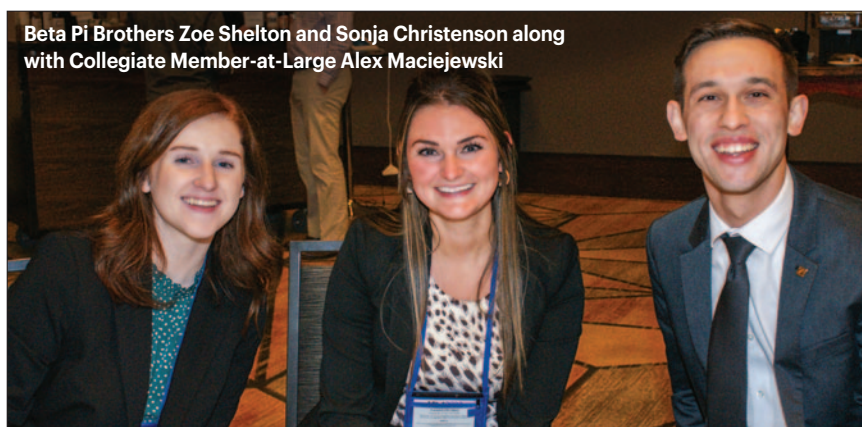
Brothers excitedly visit the booth.



LEFT: Zeta Lambda pledge Sammy Daas, Grand Regent Christy Askew and Grand Historian Chris Miller at the Kappa Psi booth.



Beta Pi Brothers Zoe Shelton and Sonja Christenson along with Collegiate Member-at-Large Alex Maciejewski

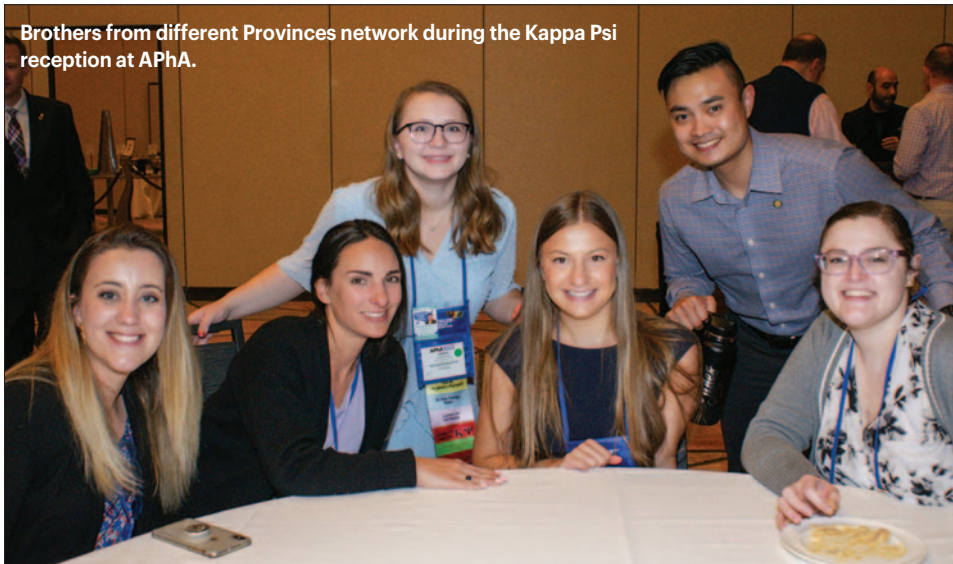


RIGHT: Gamma Chi alumnus Ron Smolen

2022 APhA Convention



Epsilon Epsilon brothers enjoy time together at the booth at APhA.



Brothers from different Provinces network during the Kappa Psi reception at APhA.



Beta Phi Brothers Tomi Nicole, Hannah Culyer, and Lauren Auteri attend the Kappa Psi reception during APhA.



Graduate Brothers Gretchen and Mark Garofoli enjoy the reception.



RIGHT: The Executive Committee stands with Executive Director and 2022 A. Richard Bliss Award winner Johnny Porter. (L-R): Graduate Member-at-Large Saswat Kabisatpathy, Grand Ritualist Joe Nardolillo, Grand Regent Christy Askew, Executive Director Johnny Porter, Grand Counselor Melissa Buchanan, Grand Historian Chris Miller, and Collegiate Member-at-Large Alex Maciejewski.



Epsilon Kappa brothers along with Grand Historian Chris Miller and Collegiate Member-at-Large Alex Maciejewski.



The Long and Winding Road

(reprint of the speech by Johnny Porter at the Kappa Psi reception during APhA)

First of all, I want to thank the Executive Committee and the Bliss Award committee for selecting me for this highest honor of Kappa Psi, and to the collegiate brothers for allowing Kappa Psi to be a small part of your college life. Without you, we do not exist. THANK YOU!



Grand Regent Christy Askew presents the 2022 A. Richard Bliss Award to Executive Director, Past Grand Regent and Past Editor of THE MASK Johnny Porter.

As I look back, it is for me to imagine how I got here.

For a naive kid from Hartshorne, a very small town in Oklahoma, just going off to college was a big deal. Not many did from my hometown, but I just seemed to want to be different and have other plans—college was not one of them.

However, my grandmother and parents had other thoughts on that subject. How fate plays such a big role in your life and sometimes just plain good luck is amazing. You see, I just wanted to join the Army, but since we were in the middle of the Vietnam War, my family did not share my thoughts on that matter, so, that idea was quickly squashed. School was my only viable option, since going to Canada to dodge the draft was not reasonable.

I realize that most of you have no idea what I am talking about, but ask your grandfather or maybe your father—I bet one of them will know.

Fraternity. That was a foreign word to me when I set foot on the campus of Southwestern Oklahoma State University School of Pharmacy. During the first semester, I had no desire to join anything. I was too scared about grades to even consider doing something that would take time away from studying.

But, the second semester I had a change of roommates in the dorm and I became roommates with one of my future best friends, Mike Albus. He was also from a small town: Pep, in west Texas, population probably less than 100—same as my hometown.

At the beginning of the second semester in 1971, Mike brought in a flyer about Kappa Psi and a “Smoker” pledge meeting they were having as a way to introduce students to the Fraternity. Wow, the ’70s were a whole different world! He and I both smoked and they were giving out free packs of cigarettes, so you can guess where we went.

We were both in awe and so taken aback by the Kappa Psi story told by Dr. David Coates, Beta Kappa, one of our future professors and you know the rest. Long story short, we both decided to pledge and after a whole semester of pledging, we were initiated in August of 1971.

That past 50 years plus has really seemed quite short. I would have never dreamed that I would be standing here accepting the A. Richard Bliss Award. Even earlier this year when Grand Regent Askew called and told me, I was sure she was playing a joke on me. I was kind of speechless and for anyone who knows me, that is a miracle in itself.

What had I done to earn this? I had never ever planned this nor did I ever expect it. Just like when I was elected Grand Regent in 1991, I was surprised when it happened. I felt the same when I was selected as editor of *THE MASK*. Surprised, but grateful.

Many of you do not know that I applied for the job of editor of *THE MASK* in 1980, but Tony Palmieri was selected for the job. Remember what I said about fate? If I had been selected editor of *THE MASK* in 1980, I may have never been elected a member of the Executive Committee, become Grand Regent or Executive Director.

You see, for me, the Fraternity has always been a place where I had fun, laughed with friends, traveled to many small towns, enjoyed many GCCs and had way too many “bagarettas.” (If you do not know what those are, just ask around. I bet you will find someone who has had one.) It was also the place where I met some of my closest friends. In addition to Mike, I met Paul Knecht, Gamma Mu, as a pledge in Weatherford, Oklahoma, in 1971 at a Province VII meeting.

I met Dr. Dewey Garner and Dr. Bob Magarian in St Louis in 1972 at a Province VII meeting and I met Charlie Carden in 1973 as he was pledging the Fraternity at Delta Beta. I also met Ben Welch in 1985 at a Province IV meeting. Little did I know at the time, but he would move to Delta Beta as a professor and he and I would become fast friends.

These are just a few of the people who have encouraged me and helped me along the way these past 50 years. We are all still close friends, so that FOR LIFE thing, we took to heart! We still share way too many laughs when we travel somewhere.

Without these people, I would not be standing here today. You see, the Fraternity has never meant one to me—it has always meant many.

Many people have come before me in the Fraternity who have demonstrated the Kappa Psi way. I learned lots of things from many of them, simply by listening and remembering.

I read about their travels, the business of the Fraternity, good and bad, from reading the History of the Fraternity in the old MASKs. I learned about many of our past leaders and what the Fraternity meant to them. It was never about them, but instead, it was always about the bigger picture and future of our Fraternity.

At this point, I would be remiss not to thank my wife, Kathy, for not leaving me the day the moving van pulled up to the office in Richardson, Texas. Neither one of us had any idea how much this would affect our lives. She gave a lot more than I, as she had to endure the weekends I was away and the countless hours I spent at The Central Office after a full day at the pharmacy. Thank you, Sweetie. I could not have done it without you.

Serving the Fraternity has never felt like a job. Someone once said if you really love your job, it does not seem like work. Well, they were right; when it comes to Kappa Psi, because for me, it has never seemed like work. So, after all the years on the Executive Committee (8), as editor of *THE MASK* (14) and Executive Director (14), I can truly say it has been my pleasure to work for you—to represent you at numerous Fraternity meetings, way too many pharmacy association meetings to count, and at many of our colleges and universities.

I have been very fortunate to meet many Kappa Psi leaders of the past and to work with, laugh with, enjoy their company, and become their friends. Because of Kappa Psi, I have been privileged to meet many leaders in the world of pharmacy and also my share of college deans, sometimes not under the best of circumstances. Nonetheless, we had to meet, and we accomplished many things to help Kappa Psi stay on the right track. It has always been my biggest pleasure to meet the newest brothers of Kappa Psi. You are the future leaders and lifeblood of our Fraternity.

I feel like together we have accomplished so much in such a short time, but there is always more to do. I, for one, cannot wait to see what the future holds for Kappa Psi. My one hope is that the Kappa Psi Leadership Conference will return soon, as it was one of my goals to bring it to fruition since I was Grand Regent in 1991 and I feel it lays the groundwork for our future leaders in Kappa Psi and the profession of pharmacy.

It really has been a short 50 years, but I would not do a single thing differently if I could do it over. I have always thought the Fraternity was a special bond, really understood by only a few, but enjoyed by all. Once again, thank you for letting me work for you. It has always been my pleasure. —JP



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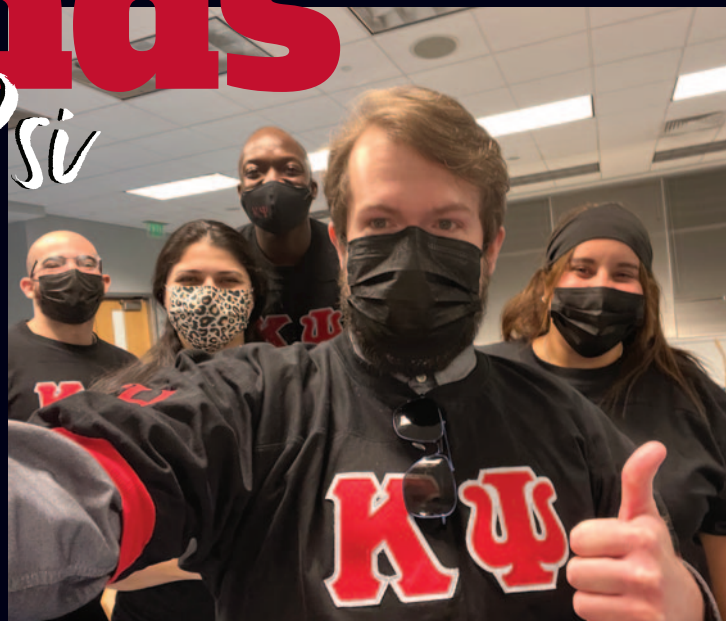
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99 Hands of Kappa Psi



Epsilon Gamma Brothers Andrew Pham, Pisey Lee, Dia Cabrera, and Leanna Hunt work on a patient prescription together at the Riverside Free Clinic.



On February 8, 2022, Epsilon Eta brothers had a very special family reunion. They were able to hold their first in-person chapter meeting in almost two years! They had a great experience being able to reconnect with their extended Kappa Psi family!



Iota Brothers Alehx Almodovar, Evan Young, and Ben Emery raise money for the Lowcountry Food Bank.



Epsilon Theta Brothers Jessica Martin and Callie Chapman donate books from the chapter's Reach Out and Read donation drive to Family Health Centers.

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Next meeting: To be determined

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

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



Theta Brother William Norton will present on "The safety and effectiveness of Neulasta Onpro in obese patients" at the HOPA 2022 conference in March.

Theta

Medical College of Virginia

Founded 7/30/1921

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We have had a steady start to the spring semester. Brothers are actively serving the community by providing COVID vaccines in retail/independent pharmacies or at community service events. Daniel Wong volunteered at a COVID vaccine clinic at the University of Richmond, an event which was led by Theta chapter alumnus Joseph Jadallah. Other brothers are partaking in research and Will Norton will present at the HOPA 2022 Conference in Boston, on March 30. We are so proud of Brother Norton taking on this research and expanding the knowledge base of the ever-growing field of hematology/oncology pharmacy. Benjamin Cheria represented Kappa Psi at the SNPhA Region I Conference in Atlanta in late February.

During rush week, Will Markle and the executive board organized a Pizza Lunch event and Buffalo Wild Wings Dinner event. At the Wing Dinner, Theta alumni brothers spoke to potential pledges about how Kappa Psi enhanced their leadership and service skills.

—Daniel Wong



Beta Xi brothers help deliver food for TABLE during the holidays.



Gamma Xi brothers in community lab with the beloved Mrs. Kathy, who is the lab instructor for P1 Compounding and Community labs. Mrs. Kathy was a Kappa Psi Little Sister when she was in pharmacy school at the college. Brothers (L-R) Christian Corriveau, Josh Kim, Connor Owens, Joe McNamara, Kunal Patel, Sam Moore, Sam Eaton, and Caleb Gosnell.

BXi Beta Xi

University of North Carolina

Founded 5/1/1915

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We have had an amazing spring semester so far. Many of us were able to attend the Atlantic Province's virtual assembly and are so proud to have three Beta Xi brothers elected to Atlantic Province positions, including Katie Flynn as Secretary, Katy Ryan as Chaplain, and Jonathan Boucher as GCC Delegate.

We have continued to support our philanthropy and local community. Alongside blood and platelet donations, our brothers have been involved with Habitat for Humanity, adding the final vinyl siding on a house. We have

also been involved with TABLE, a local organization dedicated to feeding children healthy foods. Many of our brothers helped deliver food for them. Our brothers have also been recording themselves reading bedtime stories to send to the kids for Reach Out and Read (see page 31).

We have been hosting several professional development opportunities like the LinkedIn and Scholarship workshop. These events allow our brothers to develop professionally as they seek various career opportunities. Four of our brothers will be inducted into Rho Chi this semester and we are proud of them for representing our chapter.

Our Social and Brotherhood Development committees have also

been busy organizing several events as we are now able to gather in person again. We got to celebrate at our semi-formal and were able to see many of our brothers on rotations. Our chapter also had a PowerPoint night at the house where we got to enjoy brothers presenting on a topic they were interested in. We have begun to restart dinners at the house before chapter meetings as COVID restrictions loosen and are excited to bring back this old tradition. We are looking forward to also bringing back our Tunnel Party and going to Formal later this semester!

Gamma Xi

University of South Carolina

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The year 2022 started off great as 16 new P1 brothers were initiated into our chapter. As the pandemic has impacted all of us the past few years, specifically hampering relationships due to social distancing, one of our goals this semester is networking with our alumni. We are finishing up our chapter's website which we look forward to utilizing in efforts to connect with alumni. For community service, brothers worked closely with Blanketing Families for the past few years by organizing schoolwide canned food drives, clothing drives, and children's toys/books.

Gamma Phi

University of Georgia

Founded 5/23/1951

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Our chapter was chartered nearly 71 years ago in 1951. We currently have 45 active brothers who uphold the traditions of Kappa Psi. We would like to introduce Dr. Jordan Khail as our newest faculty advisor as of this semester. Dr. Khail is a Kappa Psi alumnus of the Gamma Psi chapter and we are all thankful to have him involved with us.



Meet Gamma Phi chapter's new faculty advisor, Brother Jordan Khail!

This pledge season, we welcomed eight new brothers into our Fraternity. We had seven brothers attend the virtual Province assembly. We also had one of our brothers elected as Parliamentarian of Atlantic Province!

We have been involved with many charitable events this spring semester. We were able to raise \$1,750 to win first place in UGA Miracle, a fundraising competition held at the College of Pharmacy for student organizations. The money raised will go to Children's Healthcare of Atlanta and provide much needed medical services for children in need.

Our brothers also participate in Adopt-a-Highway by regularly cleaning a section of highway near one of our parks. This marks the ninth consecutive year we have participated in this program, and we are proud to continue to serve our community in this way.

ΓΨ Gamma Psi

Mercer University

Founded 3/16/1953

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As we approach the midpoint of the spring semester, we were able to host our annual ski trip to Gatlinburg, Tennessee, which presented a great opportunity for brothers from different chapters to connect and fellowship. Attendees were able to participate in exciting winter events like snowboarding. We are in the process of preparing pledges to become brothers of the Fraternity. We also look forward to our long-awaited annual Founders Day as we celebrate 25 years of brotherhood for Dr. Marvin Smith. The chapter will be hosting a GALA in addition to other festivities around the city including a "roast" and dinner for all attendees. We look forward to seeing alumni and brothers from other chapters.

We continue to remain active in the community by holding health screenings in many pharmacies in areas around our school. Collegiate brothers remain heavily involved by hosting projects and service-learning events like our men's health barbershop initiative in which brothers educate patients on chronic disease like high blood pressure and diabetes. Along with the American Red Cross, Gamma Psi was able to successfully host another blood drive. We also continued our traditional roadside cleanups through Adopt-a-Highway.

Congratulations to graduating Brothers Brian Arana-Madriz, Ekene Oranu, and Kyle Noonan who have all accepted fellowships at their respective companies. Our brothers and alumni continue to assist the P3 brothers as they prepare for fourth-year APPE rotations.



Gamma Psi pledges interpret blood pressure readings during the men's health barbershop initiative.

ΔΔ Delta Lambda

Campbell University

Founded 4/23/1988

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We kicked off the new school year with a group of potential brothers pledge the Fraternity. We were able to do a brotherhood event where we painted pots together and then donated those with plants to a group in our community! Another thing we were able to do was our Pledge Social. The pledges came together and planned a fun event that the brothers could participate in. The pledges also collected books for Reach Out and Read. Some of these books are also used to fill up our book boxes that we set up throughout the community last year. We have really been able to grow close to these pledges and look forward to them becoming part of our Brotherhood in the next couple of months!

Since returning to school, we have been able to aid in some volunteer opportunities around campus. One thing we do weekly is provide tutoring services for our pledges. Our tutorial chair and her team meet weekly with the pledges and go through topics they are struggling with in their classes and help them gain a better understanding of them. The pledges have really seemed to enjoy this! Another opportunity that our brothers were able to participate in was doing some practice grading for the pharmaceuti-

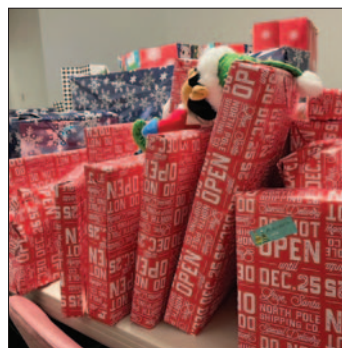
cal science students on our campus. They were able to sit in on some of their practice presentations and help them prepare for their official one! We love being able to give back to our community and the students on our campus as well!

Charlotte Grad

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Charlotte Graduate chapter sponsored five children and two adults through the Amity Medical Group Angel Tree Program. We attended the virtual Atlantic Province assembly this January. Any brothers interested in joining our Grad chapter can email charlottegrad@kappapsi.org. We look forward to seeing everyone at GCC!



Charlotte Graduate brothers provide gifts to those in need at Christmas.

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Next meeting:

October 21-23, 2022 in Cincinnati, Ohio hosted by Beta Phi

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

Υ Upsilon

University of Kentucky

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Just before spring semester started, we initiated our new member class of just under 50 new brothers! We headed to the Palomar clubhouse to host the initiation ritual, followed by an initiation dinner. After initiation, the chapter headed to Malibu Jack's, a nearby arcade and bowling alley to socialize and welcome our new brothers!

In February, our social chair planned a fun new event for brother team building! We hosted a murder mystery party where brothers were split into groups of five to try to solve the mystery of "the murder at the family reunion." Within each group, members were given scripts and played the role of one of five characters: the butler, the son, the wife, the daughter and the son-in-law. As the teams progressed through the script and asked each other questions, each team member had to decide which character in the group they thought should be the prime suspect for the murder. Each group raced against the others to see who would be the team to solve the mystery first!

ΒΑ Beta Lambda

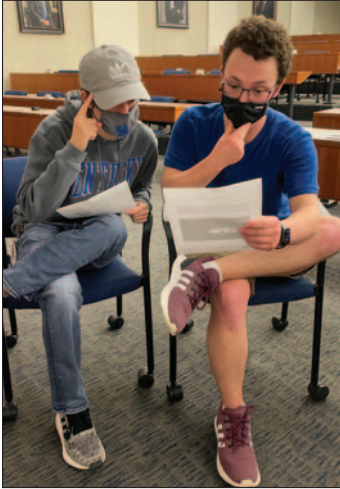
University of Toledo

Founded 5/22/1925

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This semester has started to feel normal like before the pandemic. School obviously comes first, but we also have had a good time as we are halfway through the semester. With the completion of our rush week, we got to meet a few new pledges at various events such as a Chipotle and Game Night, Trivia Night at The Stubborn Brother Pizza, and bowling.

We are also planning for upcoming events such as The Big Event, which is a day of service where organizations



Upsilon Brothers Jacob Johnson and Jordan Arnold work together to solve "the murder at the family reunion."

across UT come together to do service projects and give back to the Toledo community that does so much for us. Other events include volunteering at Drug Take Back Day as well as having more social events with our brothers, including a Toledo Walleye hockey game and intramural games of basketball and indoor soccer. Finally, we are currently in the process of planning our STAG event for the actives and alumni of Beta Lambda chapter after the end of the spring semester. At this event, we catch up with the alumni brothers while enjoying our graduate dinner at a steakhouse, a golf outing, and a cookout with yard games!

BΦ Beta Phi

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We started our year off right by initiating 26 new brothers! Our new brothers have shown great commitment and energy already! We had a slow start to the semester due to the COVID spike, but we are happy to have returned to in-person events! We kicked February off with our annual candygram sale! It was a nice way to show our classmates how much we appreciate each other. We sold a record amount of 150 and next year we plan to sell even more!

We also celebrated Founders Day in February. It was a great opportunity to honor our current collegiate brothers for their achievements as well as honor our graduate brothers. We recognized our executive board for the years of 2020 and 2021 since we were unable to do so last year. We also recognized our Pledge of the Year, P2, P3 and P4 Brother of the Year.

We are excited to host our Spring into Action week in March where we promote the importance of volunteer-



Beta Phi initiated 26 new brothers into the chapter.



A few Beta Lambda brothers enjoy a game of euchre after the Chipotle social!

ing and provide multiple ways to volunteer. Throughout the week, we are hosting a canned food drive competition for St. Vincent De Paul. The competition will be between the classes and the winning class will receive a prize. We will also be volunteering at a soup kitchen and holding a CycleBar event where the proceeds will be donated to The Trevor Project.

—Sara Lowery

ΓΔ Gamma Delta

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Regent Dylan McWilliams and officer of philanthropy Atlee Carr have been collaborating to create a children's book telling the history of Ohio Northern University in celebration of the University's sesquicentennial. The book, titled "If You Give a Polar Bear a Time Machine," tells a story of Klondike, our mascot, traveling to numerous historical events for Ohio Northern University. Sales for the book have concluded and totaled over



Gamma Delta Brothers Dylan McWilliams and Atlee Carr coordinate the creation of a children's book starring the Ohio Northern mascot.

220 books! The money raised from book sales will be donated to Reach Out and Read. Additionally, Atlee, representing Kappa Psi, coordinated bringing the GAP (God Always

Provides) Project to Ohio Northern University's campus (see photos on page 30). The GAP Project is a food packing event sponsored by the International Disaster Emergency Service (IDES). Gamma Delta partnered with Student Senate, Alpha Phi Omega, Christian Pharmacists Fellowship International (CPFI), American Pharmacists Association-Academy of Student Pharmacists (APhA-ASP), and ONU's two other pharmacy fraternities, Kappa Epsilon and Phi Delta Chi, for funding and volunteers. Within the span of two hours, 75 students, faculty, and even the university president helped pack around 16,000 meals! These meals will be distributed using IDES missionary services to areas around the globe suffering from malnutrition and hunger.

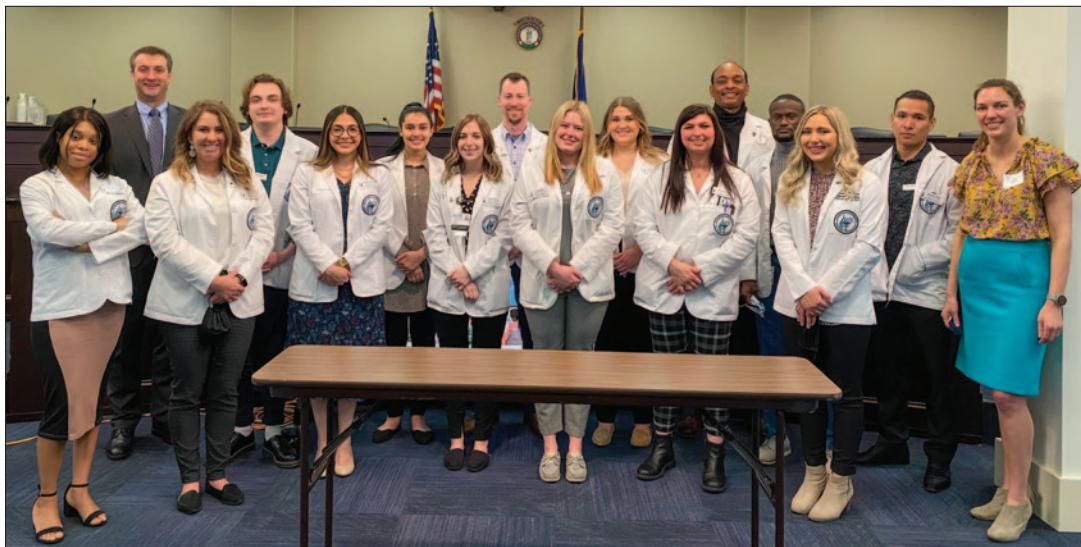
Officer of fundraising Katie Arnold continues to create innovative ideas to put the fun in fundraising. Her efforts allow us to support our chapter and give back to others. Officer of social affairs Katie Reeder is solely focused on pulling off our first in-person formals since COVID. Vice regent Alexis Kyler plans an etiquette dinner with our faculty brothers to increase collegiate and faculty brother interaction while also educating the chapter on proper etiquette during a formal dinner.

—Tatum Repragle

ΓΧ Gamma Chi

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Gamma Chi has kicked off a successful spring semester. We now have six new associate members and are glad they have decided to join Kappa Psi. Brothers are all determined to serve the community and are continuing to host blood drives and other volunteer events around campus.



Several Epsilon Theta brothers attend Pharmacists Day at the state capitol in Frankfort, Kentucky, to advocate for the profession of pharmacy on February 16.

As the COVID-19 positivity rate continues to decline, we are still able to have in-person social events such as recruitment and brother nights. We hope to continue to be maskless in the fall and are thankful we are moving along with a mostly normal semester.

—Calvin Smith

ΕΘ Epsilon Theta
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During January, our chapter hosted a Reach Out and Read fundraising competition between the P1, P2, and PA1 classes (See page 18). Students from the entire college were given a chance to support a great cause and the class that donated the most books, the P1s, won a pizza party for their entire class! At the conclusion of the donation drive, books were donated to the Family Health Center-Iroquois location in Louisville. Our Kappa Psi brothers have also been given the opportunity to volunteer at FHC to read the donated books to children while they wait to see their healthcare providers. This philanthropy project was a great way for our chapter to make a small difference in our community and it would not have been possible without the help of our devoted secretary, Jessica Martin.

On February 8, we held our Big/Little Reveal. This was a highly anticipated event and a great way to strengthen our relationships within the chapter. Thanks to pledge educator Zoe Saulman for planning this event for our newly initiated brothers.

—Bailey Bartley



Psi chapter building fellowship with a night out at the bowling lanes.

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Next meeting: To be determined

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Graduate chapters: Auburn Graduate, Louisiana Graduate, North Alabama Graduate, Tennessee Graduate

Ψ Psi

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The brothers of the Psi chapter had amazing P3 send-offs on all three campuses. We are proud of what they have all accomplished. As they finish their final exams and begin their rotations, they can apply the knowledge they have gained over the past three years.

Our Brother of the Month Award has been awarded to ALL P3s because they have been so awesome! They started school traditionally and had to adapt as the world changed. They are one of the few classes that began their

practices amidst an ongoing pandemic. They know firsthand how lives have been impacted, but they can now participate in the treatment of patients affected by COVID as well.

As always, we have been at work administering countless vaccines, now with the inclusion of the recently immunization-certified P1 class that has been doing a fantastic job! We thank all those who were involved in the certification of our P1s, including our awesome P3s!

We would also like to highlight some brothers who are doing amazing things in addition to their standard schooling. Brittany Satterly was heavily involved in the immunization certification process of our P1 class. Clayton Hausburger and Addison Young are two of three who will be representing our school in the ACCP Clinical Research Challenge. Also, congratulations to Abbi Mason, Autumn Potter, and Taylor Kissel for all becoming Tennessee Pharmacists Association-Tennessee Society of Student Pharmacists (TSSP) delegates. Approximately 20 of our brothers, including Addison Young as well as four of our Executive Committee members, were inducted into Rho Chi Honor Society.

On a closing note, we give a big shout-out to our dean, Dr. Marie Chisholm-Bruns, who will be leaving us. Although not a brother, she has greatly impacted our lives and really worked hard every day to make our school better and has always supported us and our chapter. We wish her luck in her new role as executive vice president of Oregon Health and Science University.

EK Epsilon Kappa

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Epsilon Kappa is happy to welcome our 18 Xi Class pledges this semester. Two of our pledges became TPA-TSSP members-at-large for Belmont at our Tennessee Pharmacists Association meeting on February 27. Four of our brothers are serving on the Gulf Coast Province Executive Committee for 2022–2023: Kaitlyn Kerley (Secretary), Natalie Hall (Chaplain), Fernando Diggs (Treasurer), and Lexi Smith (GCC Alternate Delegate).

We completed NARCAN training on February 28 for one of our professionalism events. We have held two philanthropy events already, which included working at the men's campus kitchen for the Nashville Rescue Mission and our Adopt-a-Highway cleanup. We also had a super fun fundraising event at the Winter Classic here in Nashville as



Winners of the Chi chapter photo contest.

the Predators played the Lightning! We have Reach Out and Read starting in March as well as some really fun brotherhood events coming up, including a picnic and a game night. Our Xi initiation will occur on March 26!

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Next meeting:

October 28–29, 2022 in Indianapolis, Indiana hosted by Beta Upsilon

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, Kansas City Graduate, St. Louis Graduate

Mid-America Province has been hard at work since our last update. We gathered virtually for our fall assembly where we got to see many old faces as well as meet many new faces! It was a great time to come back together and feel the brotherhood on a Province level that may not have fully been experienced because of the pandemic. Our Secretary, Jenny Donaldson, was able to organize a Career Roundtable where several of the brothers in our Province came to answer questions and talk about the numerous careers in our profession. We are looking forward to coming together IN-PERSON at Zeta Mu in Springfield, Missouri, where we will gather to experience a minor league baseball game, hold our Province business, and elect a new

Executive Board! MAP continues to be impressed with our chapters and the hard work they are doing within the community, at their schools, and everything each and every single brother is doing to strive to reach the pillars of our great Kappa Psi! MAP also looks forward to seeing all of our brothers in Phoenix for the long-awaited 60th GCC!

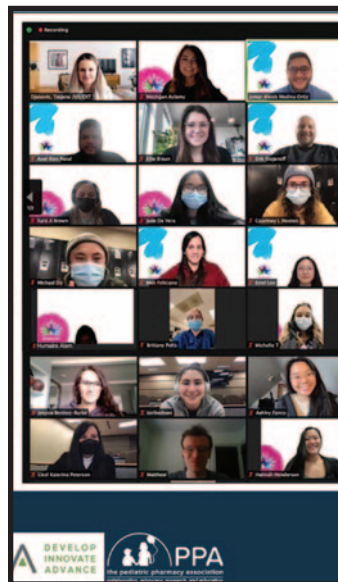
X Chi

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Chi brothers have found creative ways to incorporate meaningful events into this semester despite the COVID-19 pandemic. Transitioning from the



Epsilon Rho Brother Tatjana Djakovic (top left) gives a presentation on Pompe disease with several brothers in attendance for support.

annual Initiation Night to the first general body meeting of the year on Zoom, the brothers have reinforced the strong bond of brotherhood by starting the meeting with a sentimental slide show of the brothers with November to February birthdays. The virtual meeting was filled with never-ending laughs and giggles, and the energy radiated throughout the entire meeting with the newly initiated Phi Class. Tai Rohan echoes this by saying, “This was the first realization of what a great fraternity I’ve joined. Looking at each photo was a flash of memorable moment filled with belly

laughs and a reminder of the friendships I’ve made.”

Despite all the challenges brought by COVID-19, our chapter has been working relentlessly to continue the Fraternity’s traditions. For instance, with the new rotations approaching, we are raising money with the biannual white coat sale with a new professional design. In addition, intramurals are being implemented by sergeant of arms Mark Lim to create another teamwork-based activity. Although it will be online once again, the goal is to strengthen the bonds between our brothers. Historian Cherri Phan has scheduled professional composite photos for the chapter. Roxan Shoa, will begin to compile professional summaries into a newsletter where Chi chapter brothers can submit a recent professional pharmacy conference, research posters, or viral pharmacy topics to distribute amongst the Fraternity. These summaries showcase the core values of our Fraternity and the impact the brothers have made on the community and in the field of pharmacy.

—Jessica Kim

ZM Zeta Mu

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Zeta Mu is hard at work preparing for MAP 2022! We have started off the semester strong by coordinating a Valentine’s Day fundraiser and now we will focus on putting the finishing touches on MAP events. Our chapter has assigned members to different committees to give everyone a chance to get involved. We have all been hard



St. Louis Grad brothers present Mike Pruett with the Robert A Magarian Order of the Silver Mortar for 25 years of service to Kappa Psi. (L–R): Steve Wagner, Neil Schmidt, Mike Pruett, Steve Platou, Joe Raible, John O’Dwyer, Momo Salem, and Shrvan Prasad.

at work figuring out details of hotels, social events, and community engagement. In addition to meetings on Saturday, we plan to take in a Springfield Cardinals game on Friday night. Mark your calendars for April 9 and get ready to order your tickets—this year's MAP is one you won't want to miss!

EP Epsilon Rho

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We are conducting pledging in the spring for the first time to work with PIs who had a hard time adjusting to virtual COVID classes. Although we are navigating unique challenges in planning events in this time period, we have six pledges and are impressed with their hard work and dedication in becoming KΨ brothers. The pledging process may still not be over, but we are very confident that there will be no drops and the chapter will be in a great position for the following year, which was one of our main goals.

Being Rare Disease Month, we had the opportunity to host a recent alumna from our chapter, Brother Tatjana Djakovic, Pharm.D., 2021. Tatjana is completing a fellowship in Rare Diseases at Sanofi Genzyme and was hosted in a joint GBM for The Drug Information Association and the Pediatric Pharmacy Association, organizations in which Jomar Medina Ortiz and Mezghan Aslami hold the position of presidents, respectively. Tatjana presented on Pompe disease, a genetic disorder in which complex sugar called glycogen builds up in the body's cells. She went into the clinical presentations and the importance of its treatment, especially in the early years of a child's life. Brother Tatjana's career and presentation was a perfect example of the high standard our brothers bring to the practice of pharmacy.

I am also excited to announce that some active KΨ brothers were finally able to get Littles this semester! We decided to do the Reveal after our Explore Rockford event which consisted of a picture scavenger hunt. Unfortunately, due to the new rising cases of COVID, we decided to make the event virtual, but with a twist! The pledges were tasked with creating a story based off the photos they scavenged online. It was an experience full of laughter; the active brothers really enjoyed hearing the stories created by the different pledge groups. Just as important, the pledges really seemed to enjoy this event as well, as it further displayed our close brotherhood.

—Alejandro Cisneros-Orozco



Sigma Brother Minh Ta immunizes Brother Eileen Zheng at the APhA-ASP and Safeway Pharmacy COVID-19 Booster Clinic.

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Next meeting: October 28–30, 2022 in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania hosted by Beta Kappa

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

Σ Sigma

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After a busy fall semester with rush and pledging, we had a relaxing winter break. Unfortunately, due to the surge in COVID-19 cases around the holidays, the School of Pharmacy declared that all organizational functions take place virtually until at least March 1, 2022. The newly initiated brothers had their first general body meeting over Zoom and we look forward to being together again in person next month.

As a result of the recent increase in COVID-19 cases, our brothers have worked tirelessly to immunize and educate the community about the benefits of being vaccinated. Several brothers, including Minh Ta, Eileen Zheng, Paul Badua, Shelley Wang, and Saina Karami, volunteered to help APhA-ASP and Safeway Pharmacy with their COVID-19 Booster Clinic.



Beta Kappa Brother Vincent Knecht gives the brothers a presentation about time management and tips for studying.



Delta Epsilon officers Michael Hair and Allison Covert prepare for the Cookie Monster rush event.

On February 15, more than 200 Maryland pharmacists and student pharmacists gathered for Legislative Day. We are incredibly fortunate to live so close to the nation's capital and have a direct influence on the profession of pharmacy. SGA president, Brother Sean Kim, co-led this initiative and did a fantastic job coordinating all of the meetings, setting up the Zoom rooms for hundreds of legislators, and communicating information to all participants. Together, we advocated for bills that would recognize pharmacists as healthcare providers and ensure reimbursement for the services they provide.

Eric Tao and Sabrina Wang are president and president-elect for the American Society of Consultant

Pharmacists (ASCP). They planned a Paint Night for student pharmacists, where students could purchase a blank canvas and decorate it to their liking. These paintings were donated with a hand-written note to the older adults in the Pickersgill Retirement Community. Our brothers had a great time exploring their creative sides while supporting a great cause.

Some of our newly initiated brothers traveled to Washington, D.C., to visit some monuments and eat dinner. Other brothers gathered to celebrate the Lunar New Year. These get-togethers made memories we will forever cherish and it was a nice break away from the books. This semester, we look forward to strengthening our Brotherhood even more at the MEP spring assembly!

BH Beta Eta

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We started off spring semester with our annual back-to-school social where students gathered to catch up after the winter break. Right away, some of our brothers took a trip to Wisp Ski Resort in Deep Creek, Maryland, and spent the weekend tubing and skiing the slopes. Our brothers had a blast and it was great to form bonds with our newly initiated members from last fall.

We congratulate our regent, Hunter Curry, as he took on the position of Webmaster for the Mountain East Province Executive Committee alongside Matt Whiteman, a former graduate brother of Beta Eta, who was elected MEP Vice Satrap. Our community service coordinator, Macie Bliss, was selected for the Scholarship Awards and Philanthropy Committee, and our social coordinator, Nikayla Croce, was selected for the Communications



Epsilon Omicron brothers have fun playing Secret Santa with each other.



Epsilon Nu Brother Sophia Amoah poses with her new Littles, Gabriel Joseph and Vivian Ndah.



The brothers of Delta Kappa chapter make an elegant appearance at this year's SNPhA Conference in Atlanta.

Committee. We are very proud of our brothers for taking on these positions and representing Beta Eta well!

We have several brothers who plan to take a trip to Maryland for the spring 2022 Mountain East Province. At the end of April, we plan to hold our first Date Party where brothers will dress up and celebrate the semester nearly coming to an end. We are very excited to plan this new event and hope it will become a tradition.

We held another blood drive in February and had 39 donors sign up. Our goal was to collect 25 units and we collected 37. Many of our brothers helped with registration and donor snacks and water. March starts our Kappa Psi 5K challenge where our

brothers can sign up to track their steps daily for a month with a goal of 7,500 steps a day. The winner will receive a prize and we hope this event encourages our brothers to stay active and move their bodies during the stressful school year.

—Samantha Harpel

BK Beta Kappa
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Our brothers participated in the University of Pittsburgh's Day of Giving, where we ended up with 77 donations and placed 10th for the organizations that raised the most money! Lauren McCabe organized an event to

write letters of kindness to the Homeless Children's Education Fund for the service grant she received last year.

We were proud to induct 28 new brothers into our chapter on January 13. Although the ceremony had to be held online to avoid pandemic risks, we awarded the new brothers with a huge cake and other treats when we next met in person.

On February 24, the 2022–2023 executive board elections were held and MEP Vice Satrap Matt Whiteman came to speak to our chapter and inspired many brothers, especially the newly inducted, to attend MEP Province assembly.

Beta Kappa brothers can boast of several achievements. Jamie Kim won the APhA Counseling Competition; Bethany Corry, Megan Hutar, and Katherine McGraw won the SCCP Clinical Competition, and all four brothers have moved on to the next round in their respective competitions. Brothers Margaret Schmidt, Elizabeth Donnelly, Bethany Corry, Caroline McKenna, Ethan Nguyen, Jessica Abbott, Anneliese Harp, and Elle Midey were inducted into Phi Lambda Sigma while Bethany Corry, Joseph Chen, Madison Kornides, Shay Roth, and Lydia Shen were inducted into Rho Chi.

—Ruth Li

ΔE Delta Epsilon
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This semester, Delta Epsilon's rush theme was centered around the Muppets and Sesame Street! Our rush events included Elmo's birthday with cake, trivia night, and a Cookie

Monster-themed game night with insomnia cookies. We have gained four new pledges this semester and are looking forward to initiation. Our chapter is currently fundraising Pittsburgh Popcorn for the chapter as well as for the upcoming Duathlon event on April 9 that supports UPMC Children's Hospital.

—Sophia McCarthy

ΔK Delta Kappa
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On February 19, our brothers attended the SNPhA Conference in Atlanta. This conference, like many others, is amazing because it allowed us to network and cultivate lifelong relationships with other students and healthcare professionals.

Our brothers are committed to giving back to the underserved communities, especially during the colder seasons. So, we organized a blanket drive and received many donations from brothers, Howard students and the community.

During the Super Bowl weekend, the chapter hosted a social gathering. We are all aware that pharmacy school isn't a walk in the park, so we truly appreciate moments when we are able to have mental breaks and fellowship with one another while eating delicious food!

ΔΞ Delta Xi
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Our chapter exemplified creativity and ingenuity with rush activities. The theme for the year was "Squid Games." Once again, we had a big



DC Grad Brothers Drs. Erika Dunham Sheppard and Tamika Sanders at Pharm.D. Mentee Training.

turnout with promising potential new members. We have a lot of interest within our chapter for the upcoming MEP.

—Anjali Batra

EO Epsilon Omicron

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Before the start of the pledging season, the brothers put together a social event to do a Secret Santa with one another over winter break.

The brothers have worked hard planning and coming together to facilitate the pledging season. Twenty bids were offered to potential pledges and 13 accepted. Further on, the pledges were surprised with their new family trees. The families met at certain locations for pictures and to reveal to the rest of the fraternity the pledges' new Bigs and families.

We were also given the opportunity to participate in the MEP Instagram Valentine's Day post from the brothers of Epsilon Omicron.

—Hailey Antalek

District of Columbia Grad

Founded 5/23/1953

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In the past few months, DC Grad brothers have made some impactful professional presentations. Dr. Cheryl Gilbreath presented at Howard University College of Pharmacy Lunch and Learn series in December. Brothers Erika Dunham Sheppard and Tamika Sanders assisted Delta Kappa with Pharm.D. Mentee Training at the

University of Maryland College Park in February.

DC Grad brothers also have had social time with Delta Kappa brothers and look forward to more brotherly fellowship in the coming months. We are eager to see everyone in person at the Mountain East Province assembly.

—Allison L. Hill

Maryland Eastern Shore Grad

Founded 8/23/2014

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The brothers of Maryland Eastern Shore Grad have been working these past few months with Epsilon Nu's newest pledge class. We are excited for the new brothers joining our local pharmacy school. We are also thrilled for Brother Tosin David who welcomes the birth of her son. We look forward to seeing brothers at upcoming Province meetings and at GCC this summer!

—Ryan Fillis

Pittsburgh Grad

Founded 6/19/1935

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Pittsburgh Grad has had a quiet 2022 so far. We are planning our elections in the next couple months as well as attending the actual, in-person Mountain East spring assembly in Washington, D.C. Some ideas we've discussed on and off for a while are hosting a golfing activity with CE in the summer for any interested pharmacists in the area (or not in the area for our nearby brothers who like to travel). We're also looking forward to seeing many beloved faces at GCC in Phoenix.



Gamma Lambda brothers volunteer at the CommonCare Meals Ministry in Cambridge.

Northeast Province

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Next meeting:
To be determined

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, Connecticut Graduate, Harrisburg Graduate, Maine Graduate, New York Graduate, Pocono Graduate, Providence Graduate

BE Beta Epsilon

University of Rhode Island

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Our chapter began the semester with a Super Bowl watch party and Super Bowl squares. It was a great game and a perfect day for the brothers to get together. In February, Evan

Goncalves, Jake Drezek, Cam Leach, and Dave Young hosted an informative and interactive Structured Objective Clinical Exam (OSCE) information night for the P1 class.

As spring break approaches, there is still a lot on Beta Epsilon's agenda. We are planning to attend a Celtics game in March or April, and a formal with $\Lambda\Kappa\Sigma$ is also in the works. In early April, a CPR certification night is being held. Everyone is excited for the Province assembly in late April as it'll be the first assembly that P1s, sophomores, and freshmen will have the chance to go to!

—Tyler Merrill

$\Gamma\Lambda$ Gamma Lambda

Northeastern University

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Gamma Lambda planned to kick-start the spring semester with our annual retreat; however, due to weather concerns, it was decided by the chapter to reschedule the retreat date to March.

Our P1 brothers are now on their Co-Ops working in a variety of health-



Brothers of Delta Omicron volunteer at a local pharmacy to provide blood pressure screenings and educate patients on safe medication disposal.



Good luck to Brother Dr. Jacobs on his retirement from the Nesbitt School of Pharmacy. Dr. Jacobs served as a pharmaceuticals professor for many current and graduate brothers. We are so grateful to have had him!



Zeta Beta Brothers Jahmal, Sophan, Prim, Katie, Erik, and Chid have fun at Game Night.

care settings, ranging from industry to outpatient. Our community service chair continues to actively plan events for our brothers to participate in. In December, our newest brothers volunteered for Bay Cove's women's respite center to help assemble hygiene kits. In January, some of our brothers volunteered at the Prison Book Program in Quincy where they assisted in the distribution of books to prisoners

incarcerated in facilities across the country (See photo on page 46). Most recently, a few of our brothers volunteered at the CommonCare Meals Ministry at Saint Peter's Church in Cambridge where they prepared and cooked entrées for the community.

Other committees have also been proactive in our chapter. We were able

to donate \$616.86 to the Greater Boston Food Bank from the Philanthropy Committee's December fundraiser. Our Judiciary Committee has done a great job offering changes to our chapter's bylaws and updating us on these changes. Our Professional Committee set up an APPE panel last week where our P4 brothers shared

their experiences at various rotations. We also have a collaboration event with the Kappa Phi Lambda sorority on racial discrimination in healthcare coming up in March. Moving forward, our chapter is planning a tri-frat boat cruise in April and working to reschedule our spring retreat!

—Ashley Own

ΔO Delta Omicron

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The brothers of Delta Omicron are happy to be back together this semester. We have so much planned, including conferences, fundraising, and community service events. Brothers have been performing blood pressure screenings and educating patients on proper disposal of medications at a local pharmacy and will continue to hold these events throughout the semester. Also, the chapter will be volunteering at Blue Chip Animal Refuge again. We are excited to be back in person and are looking forward to upcoming events!

ΔX Delta Chi

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Before last semester ended in December, we participated in a charity drive called Winter Warm-Up where we bought and donated winter clothes for children in need around the area. Early in February, we held our recruitment week for prospective new members that included some information sessions and a bowling night at the end of the week with the other professional fraternity on campus. This event brought a lot of people together, whether new prospective members or older members who already graduated. During this education month, we are holding many events to introduce our new members to this wonderful Fraternity. We have had information sessions for the new pledges and we held an event we call 'speed dating' where new members got to know current brothers. This lets pledges figure out which brother they would like as their Big and vice versa. We are also running a book drive for Reach Out and Read where we ask brothers to donate new or used children's books for local schools.

We are going to begin our food drive for the Preble Street homeless shelter in Portland, which we expect many brothers to participate in. To finish off Pledge Month, we are holding a Big/Little Reveal, an iron chef competition and to wrap it all up, the initia-

tion ceremony. During the iron chef competition, pledges will be judged on a dish they prepare for celebrity judges and whoever makes the best dish will win a prize! At the end of March, we will hold our initiation ceremony to welcome the 13 new members of our chapter!

—Gabriel Johnson

ZB Zeta Beta

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A lot has happened since our winter MASK submission, so hold onto your seats while we catch you up! We've been excited to come back to school and kick-start Pledge Month! We have four new initiates: Sophan Penh (P2), Prim Sribanchuen (Pre-Pharm), Katie Sopasiri (Pre-Pharm), and Erik Borda (Pre-Pharm). We are very excited because last year, we had no initiates. We've alternated education nights and brother bonding nights with events including speed dating, bowling, Big/Little Scavenger Hunt, and Game Board Night. The initiation ceremony was at school on February 28, then we celebrated with dinner at Green Tea Sushi Restaurant.

We have been busy with fundraisers, starting off with Valentine Carnation Grams. We sold 155 carnations and all the love was free! The entire School of Pharmacy got into the spirit! We have a fundraiser in progress where we are making pocket-sized laminated lab cards for students to buy and carry with them when they are off on rotations for easy referencing. When the weather gets warmer, we plan to host a Spicy Wing Challenge fundraiser to raise some money and maybe watch some professors cry from the heat!

—Hannah Pham

ZI Zeta Iota

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We opened our spring semester with our Children's Book Donation Drive. The books will be used to support Reach Out and Read. It was our delight to deliver 50 books to a local pediatric office to help drive youth learning!

Our ongoing project for February has been an Eternal Red Thread Bracelet sale. Profit from this sale will be donated to help support individuals of Nepal who were rescued from sex trafficking. Students at our university will not only have these red bracelets as an item of fashion, but they also raise awareness. We take great pride



Zeta Beta Pledge Month bowling event. (L-R): Hannah, Sophan, Rafa, Chid, Jahmal, Prim, Katie, and Erik.

in working through these projects because it is another form of speaking up for those suffering around us.

—Calvin Metellus

ZII Zeta Pi

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Our semester started off on a rough note with Activities Fair being virtual, but we made the most of it and created an Instagram Reels video showcasing who we are and landed with a solid 5.7k views! Talk about a great turnout! Although Activities Fair didn't have the best turnout, we had great events planned for rush week.

The first event we hosted was our usual Informational Night. We introduced our e-board and got to talk about all our accomplishments as a fraternity as well as show the future brothers how close of a family we are. The second event we hosted was Professional Night. This was a new event we introduced but it was so successful. All the brothers and future brothers came dressed to impress. We got to talk about career goals as well as some of our current job experiences. This event was eye-opening in the sense that everyone had a different path in mind. The third event we hosted was Game Night which is always a fan favorite. Not only did everyone get



Zeta Pi brothers kick off the start of the semester with Professional Night.

competitive, but we were also able to see everyone's skills and tactics on winning. Another event we hosted was Brotherhood Night. This is also an event we host every year as it is super casual and a great way for people to step out of their comfort zone. This, in fact, did happen and we were able to

have great conversations with everyone. The last event we hosted was Paint Night, which turned out to be the most exciting event for everyone. We were quite impressed with all the paintings and everyone actually did showcase their inner creativity.

—Krishna Tamakuwala

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Next meeting: To be determined.

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

ΒΣ Beta Sigma

North Dakota State University

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Beta Sigma's spring semester is off to a great start. Our newly elected officer team is eager to begin implementing new ideas, especially with the reduction of COVID-19 restrictions. Accordingly, we've seen improvement in attendance at events, including a successful rush week. We're excited to welcome four new members into our chapter in April! Additionally, the lessening in restrictions has allowed us to increase our participation in philanthropy events. Recently, we had the opportunity to make Valentine's Day cards for Eventide nursing home residents. We're preparing for our event with Churches United, where we'll be sorting donations for those in need.

One of our chapter's goals is to improve our connection with other Greek organizations. Recently, we hosted an outdoor ice-skating event with Phi Delta Theta and Alpha Gamma Delta. We had a great time meeting their members and are looking forward to similar events like this in the future.

Our chapter is very excited to attend the Northern Plains Province Assembly in Milwaukee this spring, especially because many of our members haven't experienced an in-person Province before. Almost half of our chapter has registered so far with more to come. We are very excited to meet you in person!

—Makenna Hesch

ΒΨ Beta Psi

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Even though the semester has just started, our brothers have taken part in a multitude of events that allowed them to get to know each other better. Some of these activities also formed part of the chapter's rush season: ice skating, a coffee hangout, and an



Beta Sigma brothers work at a rush event with Project Linus to make tie blankets for children in need.



Gamma Epsilon Brothers (L-R) Ashley Meacham, Emily Do, and Macy Ohlde at the Elmwood Pharmacy COVID-19 vaccination clinics.

extremely fun game night. Early this month, the brothers and their guests dined out together in order to mark the start of the spring semester. More social activities are being planned, including another step challenge that comes on the heels of the successful one held in August last year.

Our chapter has partnered with the Student College of Clinical Pharmacy to launch a tumbler fundraiser.

Our brothers have met about how to make Kappa Psi a more visible entity within the local school community. With restrictions expected to be easing as we get into March, we hope to have more flexibility to reach our goals. The past two years have been a

challenge and we can confidently say that Kappa Psi has risen to it and has not allowed it to stop us from being an active part of the community.

ΓΕ Gamma Epsilon

University of Nebraska

Founded 3/20/1920

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Our chapter was pleased to welcome 26 new initiates in the fall of 2021. We had a busy and successful rushing season regardless of the challenges the pandemic brought with off-campus classes and hybrid learning. The executive team worked together and got creative to have another successful recruiting season.

We are determined to continue fighting the pandemic and our pharmacy outreach chairs collaborated with Elmwood Pharmacy of Omaha, Nebraska, to host numerous vaccination clinics throughout the spring semester. We are thankful for the opportunity to work with a local pharmacy and to provide patient care.

ΓΚ Gamma Kappa

South Dakota State University

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In January, our chapter had an ice cream fundraiser at Frost Arena. We also had a speaker from the VA in Sioux Falls talk to brothers about pursuing a residency after graduation. The knowledge gained from this talk will help prepare brothers for the application process. In February, we hosted a blood drive and it was a resounding success! Continuing a yearly tradition, we competed against the University of South Dakota and are pleased to report that South Dakota State had the most donors. We had 44 donors and could save 123 lives!

In March, our chapter is having a bowling night where brothers will be able to bond and get to know each other better. We are also hosting a blanket making event. The blankets will be donated to the Domestic Abuse Shelter in Brookings. We have 10 candidates who are pledging this semester and are very excited to welcome our new brothers at initiation!

—Sunniva Dunagan

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Kappa Psi 99 Hands at work: developing

Gamma Delta Brother Adia Welch helps package meals for project God Always Provides.



Gamma Delta Brother Atlee Carr coordinated project God Always Provides on the Ohio Northern campus.



Gamma Delta brothers package meals for God Always Provides.



Montana Grad brothers enjoy time together at the Northwest Province winter assembly. Kappa Psi is for Life!



industry, sobriety, fellowship, high ideals.



Beta Xi brothers help Habitat for Humanity build houses.



Beta Xi Brother Esha Thakkar reads bedtime stories for Reach Out and Read kids.



DC Grad and Delta Kappa brothers enjoy a dinner social.



Beta Omicron Brother Nanako Miimi sorts through frozen meats to help pack meals for local families.



Delta Zeta brothers take home some cupcakes from the Scratch Cupcakery fundraising event.

ΔΖ Delta Zeta
 University of Iowa
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Even though the snow melted, we had a hailstorm, and the melted snow turned to ice all in the past week, our brothers can't be stopped from participating in the many activities our chapter has hosted this semester. We had a fundraising event at the packed Carver-Hawkeye Arena where brothers got to enjoy the men's basketball game against the ranked Purdue Boilermakers and helped to clean up the stadium after the close—but tough loss. Then, we hosted a fundraiser with Scratch Cupcakery for the entire College of Pharmacy, just in time for Valentine's Day.

Our brothers attended a joint public relations and social event before elections last week where we had a CV Review Night and got to make a lot of great updates. P3 brothers were not only able to assist younger brothers, but also refine their own CVs to a pristine level before rotations start in a few short months. After the event, we quickly grabbed some pizza, reflected on our most recent meeting where we reviewed Robert's Rules, and were ready to elect a new executive board with the highest of ideals, excited and ready to bring back all events as non-virtually as possible.

We were happy to give our chapter another opportunity to donate food

and clothing items to the Iowa City Shelter House and dropped an overflowing bin off to them a few weeks ago which was greatly appreciated. Later this semester, we will have a joint public relations and philanthropy event at the Mid-Winter Special Olympics Iowa Tournament. We hope to apply some of the things we've learned in the classroom by taking participants' vitals, providing information on tracking healthy habits, and health education.

We were able to partake in a friendly trivia competition with the Phi Delta Chi brothers at a local pizza shop. We are crossing our fingers on our 99 hands that we will get to have our first spring gala since 2019 later this semester. As of right now, our P4s are the only active brothers who have been able to experience one!

We will be hosting our Graduate Ritual in May and saying goodbye to a group of 23 fourth-year brothers. We will miss them and wish them all the best of luck in their future careers!

—Caroline Hartman

ΔΨ Delta Psi
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At the end of last semester, we worked together to adopt a family through The Salvation Army. We bought presents and household necessities that we gave to Duluth families.



Delta Psi brothers participate in the Polar Plunge for Special Olympics!

We are currently in the middle of a change war with the other fraternity on campus to raise money for Reach Out and Read and St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

We also had some brothers participate in a Polar Plunge in Lake Superior where we raised \$1,700 for Special Olympics.

We are working on planning some events for later in the semester, including a bags tournament. Brothers are also looking forward to getting out once the Duluth weather warms up and volunteering for our Adopt-a-Beach and Adopt-a-Highway events!

—Abby Burritt

ZΘ Zeta Theta
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As I sit here and write perhaps my last MASK submission, I think about how APPEs are coming up and how my time in pharmacy school is coming to an end. I am sure many brothers out there can echo this. It is important to look back on what we have and look forward to what we have to come.

Zeta Theta chapter is starting off this semester strong. During the first weeks of January, we were able to gather a strong incoming pledge class.

These pledges will be initiated just in time to attend the NPP assembly here in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. I know all of us at Zeta Theta chapter are eager to host the first in-person conference in years. We have a great team planning the assembly, led by Allison Smith and Karina Rauenhurst. It will be great to network in person as opposed to Zoom like in years past.

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The Iowa Grad chapter held elections at our January meeting. We are excited to announce our 11th Meagan Wilson GCC Scholarship essay contest presented by Iowa Grad. This is an opportunity for the collegiate brothers of Delta Zeta and Beta Chi to be awarded scholarships to help offset the costs of attending GCC. We will also be hosting a virtual Q&A Session for the Beta Chi and Delta Zeta brothers in March and are looking forward to attending the next NPP assembly in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, in April.

Finally, we would like to congratulate fellow Iowa Grad Brother Brett Barker on his new position of vice president of government affairs for the Iowa Pharmacy Association!



Seven graduate brothers representing Community Pharmacy, Oncology Pharmacy, Managed Care Pharmacy, Clinical Drug Development, Critical Care Pharmacy, Academia/Geriatrics Pharmacy, and MSL share their experiences at the Beta Omicron Grad Panel. Now that is some powerful brotherly networking!

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Next meeting:

To be determined

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

Winter Province assembly just wrapped up in the Northwest Province and with it came a new Executive Committee Board. Congratulations to our new Satrap, Alex To, and to returning Brothers Khali Miller, as Vice Satrap, and Asteria Yiu, as Chaplain! Special thank-you to Immediate Past Satrap, Judy Huynh and the rest of the Executive Committee Board for your hard work this past year! Our winter Province assembly was hosted by Epsilon Chi at the University of Utah on February 18–20. It was our first in-person Province since the beginning of the pandemic.

We welcomed a total of 63 brothers, 46 collegiate and 17 graduate brothers. The weekend was eventful, brothers got to connect with new and old brothers with some visiting from the Pacific West Province, and the furthest traveled brother coming all the way from Orlando! Shout-out to the Executive



Beta Omicron brothers wind down from exams with a fun Fluid Art Social!

Committee, Planning Committee, Alex To, and all those who attended for making the winter Province assembly possible!

Our December Philanthropy Challenge was a food and clothing drive. We saw brothers from multiple chapters participate in some closet and pantry cleaning before the new year to find items to donate. We also held our annual Province-wide gift exchange.

—Angie Chung

BO Beta Omicron
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Since our last update, we have wrapped up our pledging season and initiated 44 new brothers. To conclude our pledging process with our Kappa Psi pillars of Industry and Fellowship, Catherine Mai organized a Clinical Skills Competition (photo on page 47) and a Grad Panel. With the majority of

our pledge class being first-year students, our Clinical Skills Competition serves as one of their first exposures to case-based critical thinking and problem solving before their first therapeutics course in the curriculum. It can be overwhelming for our first-year students to tackle these cases prior to gaining a strong clinical foundation, but it is also good practice! Many of our upperclass brothers came out to show their support and act as standardized patients while guiding our pledges.

Another event to help both our brothers and pledges is our Grad Panel. Once again, Catherine Mai worked hard to contact graduate brothers from a variety of disciplines to share their experiences. Hearing about our fellow brothers' journeys is always inspiring and enlightening.

At the end of the final exam our pledges take prior to initiation, our chapter hosts a surprise event to lead Littles to their new Bigs and Kappa Psi families. Due to COVID-19 precautions, we opted to keep this event remote again this year. We brought back our virtual pharmacy quiz where pledges are designated a brand name drug and are led to a Zoom breakout room with their Big disguised as the generic name for their drug. It's fun to see all the pledges' surprised faces when they realize this is their Fam Reveal!

Our community outreach coordinator, My-Hien Nguyen, organized a volunteering experience at the Food Lifeline Hunger Solution Center. Our brothers helped to pack meals for families all over Washington. Emma Wu also organized an innovative Fluid Art Social where brothers could get creative, relieve stress from exams, and bring home a colorful canvas. These events demonstrated to our new brothers our desire to serve our community while also being mindful of our mental health.

At the winter NWP assembly, our chapter brought home four awards: Best Chapter Report, One for All and All for One Award, Graduate-Collegiate Collaboration Award, and the Professionalism Award. Judy Huynh, the Immediate Past Satrap of the Northwest Province, was given the Asklepios Key for her dedication to our Province and chapter!

—Christia Kim

BII Beta Pi
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Our chapter kicked off the spring semester with our annual ski trip to Schweitzer Ski Resort in Idaho. Social

chair Cierra Sitton meticulously planned and executed a memorable weekend getaway for everyone to bond with the new brothers who were initiated in the past year. Our executive team also organized a productive retreat at the beginning of the semester to brainstorm ideas to evolve our growing chapter.

Our chapter continued our biweekly "Geek of the Week," where we recognize a brother for their academic achievements and contributions to the chapter. Catherine Chung, our philanthropy chair, continues to uphold the pillars and has been often recognized as our Geek of the Week.

During last month's Northwest Province winter assembly, our chapter was awarded two NWP awards: Furthest Traveled Chapter and the Most Creative Chapter! We were recognized as the most creative chapter for our annual Luau. This event has been a great bonding experience for brothers and rushees! Our regent, Zoe Shelton, will be serving as Secretary on the NWP Executive Board. Congratulations, Zoe!

ΔM Delta Mu

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Unfortunately, COVID restrictions returned to British Columbia in January and all of our meetings were switched to an online format. Our chapter decided to postpone the initiation ceremony to the beginning of March in hopes that restrictions would be lifted. Thankfully, we will be able to have an in-person initiation welcoming 37 new brothers in the upcoming weeks!

ΕΞ Epsilon Xi

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Through our general meetings at the start of the new semester, we decided to focus more on recruiting new members in the beginning of the semester and host three more rush events.

Our first event was held on January 22 at Tet Festival in Portland, Oregon. Along with the APhA-ASP chapter of our school, our brothers volunteered at the health booth, where they measured blood pressure and glucose level of attendees and counseled along with the professors.

Our chapter held study hall sessions as rush events for our future P1 brothers. P2 brothers joined to help them with their upcoming exam on cardiovascular disease. On February 17, we held our last rush event, Game Night,



Beta Pi brothers brainstorm ideas at the Mount Spokane executive retreat. (L-R): Catherine Chung, Zoe Shelton, Cierra Sitton, Carissa Teeters, Ranbir Kahlon, Kiana Lee, Cindy Chau, Eric Carnes, Allie Rembert, and Julie Akers. (Julie's daughter, Addison Akers, far right).



Epsilon Pi's newest Mu Class! (L-R): Annalisa S, Zachary C, Natalie J, Micaela R, and Danielle E.

and 10 future brothers came to have fun with our chapter. We currently have 20 P1 and P2 brothers and 27 P3 brothers. On February 22, we pinned 12 pledges for this semester.

We have an upcoming wellness event and a fundraising event coming up, as well. Please follow us on Instagram @kappapsi.epsilonxi for more information.

—Hyunjo (Julie) Lee

ΕΠ Epsilon Pi

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We are so excited to welcome six new members to our chapter. Although a majority of the pledging process was difficult due to being online/hybrid, the initiates persevered and proved themselves to be a strong



Epsilon Xi brothers volunteer at Tet Festival in Portland, Oregon, for one of their rush events.

class. Sergeant at arms Matthew Shin did an incredible job navigating through the hybrid system, holding both in-person events and Zoom events so everyone felt comfortable, safe, and welcome.

In the last year, our chapter has worked hard to coordinate philanthropy events while maintaining high safety standards in the midst of the COVID pandemic. We've helped with Walk to End Alzheimer's, participated in Rake Up Boise, written holiday letters for an assisted living home, and many of our brothers have painted ceramic bowls for the local food bank's "Empty Bowls" fundraiser.

ΕΧ Epsilon Chi

University of Utah

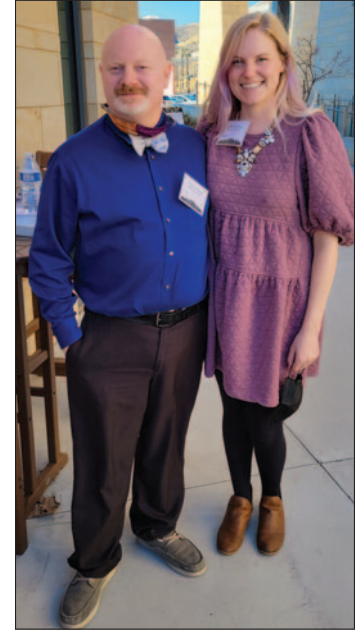
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Starting off the new year, we welcomed three new brothers to Epsilon Chi! Our pledges worked so hard this



Zeta Omicron brothers welcome 14 new brothers to their chapter.



Montana Graduate Brothers Thomas Harris and Bri Sullivan.



Epsilon Chi brothers and Utah Graduate brothers at winter Province assembly.

ZO Zeta Omicron
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We have been busy. We had a fun Christmas party planned where we also had our Big/Little Reveal. A couple weeks after that, we welcomed 14 brothers to our chapter. We also had visitors from neighboring chapters and loved having them for the evening.

Several brothers were able to present posters at Capitol Hill and not only represent our school, but we also were able to show lawmakers some prevalent issues surrounding pharmacy and hopefully present some resolutions. Advocating is very meaningful and we're glad we were given the opportunity to do just that.

Finally, NWP was special for our chapter, as we had two brothers elected to the Executive Board! This is the first time in Zeta Omicron's history that we've had more than one brother represent. Current regent, Ashley Glazener, was elected as Treasurer and our sergeant at arms/webmaster, Angie Chung, was elected Historian.

Kianna Boc has been our pledge educator and our philanthropic chair this year and has done an amazing job. For all her hard work in teaching the best pledge class, and her philanthropic events like "Operation Christmas Child," she was awarded the Four Pillars Award. Kianna is a perfect example of all four pillars and we are so proud of her.

Montana Grad

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Montana Graduate Brothers Thomas Harris and Bri Sullivan attended Northwest Province's winter assembly in Salt Lake City in February. It was great to catch up with brothers and make new friends! Bri was elected Northwest Province Webmaster. Both brothers look forward to attending GCC this summer and continuing to build collegiate relationships.

—Bri Sullivan

Seattle Grad

Founded 3/1/1925
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Seattle Grad stayed busy and connected after the holidays. With our January event, we satisfied our burger craving with America's finest, Red Robin. We also worked with Beta Omicron chapter on a Grad Panel, a CV workshop and a clinical skills competition. In February, we attended the Northwest Province assembly virtually. We look forward to warmer months ahead and more monthly get-togethers!

Utah Grad

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It has been quite eventful the past few months. In October, Brothers Kyle Murray and Angie Vo participated in the Kappa Psi Foundation Virtual 5K. Brothers Alex To, Steven Ly, Amber Friedrich, and Angie Vo met at the Gateway Mall to enjoy deli-

past semester and we are proud to finally call them brothers! We celebrated with boba socials and a pizza party after crossing. The newly initiated brothers also attended winter Province assembly following initiation.

Our chapter hosted the 2022 winter Province assembly over Presidents' Day Weekend for the Northwest Province. We were happy to finally see brothers from other states in person and to begin a transition to a more 'normal' assembly. One Epsilon Chi brother, Mrs. Autumn Magill, who attended winter Province assembly virtually last year, described her experience: "The best part of WPA this year was seeing so many brothers I had only seen over Zoom before. The feel-

ing of brotherhood was strong as we gathered together for the socials and meetings."

A Utah Graduate, Dr. Alex To, was elected Satrap for the Northwest Province. Our regent, Tyler Moffat, described his favorite experience of the winter Province assembly: "Definitely meeting and talking to other brothers, whether they were active pharm students or graduates." A newly initiated brother, Ivy Nguyen, described her experience: "I loved that I had the opportunity to meet brothers from different chapters! The venues were conveniently located and enjoyable." We look forward to seeing more brothers at GCC this July!

—Liam McCoy



Northwest Province winter assembly group photo.



Grand Historian Chris Miller, Patrick Hryshko (Arizona Grad/Nevada Grad,) Johnny Wong (Seattle Grad), and Graduate Member-at-Large Saswat Kabisatpathy play video games at the Quarters arcade in Salt Lake City for the Friday social.



Utah Grad Brother Kyle Murray and his daughter Parker Murray run at the Kappa Psi Foundation Virtual 5K.

pledges still got the full KΨ initiation experience. One of the best things about our chapter is our ability to adapt to changing situations but also maintain tradition and professionalism.

—Jessica Wang

ΓN Gamma Nu

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On January 18, we hosted the first rush of the spring semester, Game Nite, via Zoom. Brothers and potentials floated between breakout rooms that contained various games such as Cards Against Humanity, Jackbox and Skribbl.io. Although rush occurred in a virtual setting, brothers and potentials alike had a good time. On January 28, we hosted a scavenger hunt via Zoom. Potentials rotated around breakout rooms and participated in a virtual scavenger hunt, where they searched for various household items and answered questions. Despite being online and taking place on a Friday night, over 20 potentials participated in the event.

On February 4, we held our annual Rush Dinner at the Stockton Country Club, highlighting the professional achievements of the brothers and alumni, while showcasing the brotherhood present within the Fraternity. Twenty potentials, over 30 alumni, and many of the third-year pharmacy students attended this dinner, making it a tremendous success.

ΓY Gamma Upsilon

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This past quarter has been full of great memories in our chapter. We have been working hard to brainstorm and plan our fundraisers, philanthropy events and social events for the spring semester! We are excited that our new initiates have been able to get more involved in our chapter and now have their “Big/Little” families. We had such a fun and special night, hosted by some of our brothers, where we were able to celebrate the new initiates with their families. Some of our future events include a spring break luau and a “senior week” full of events to show our appreciation for our P4 brothers who will be graduating soon.

ΔΣ Delta Sigma

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Before winter break, we were able to hold our Kappa Psi banquet with 37 of our newest members of Delta Sigma chapter. Most recently, we held a

cious food and good company. We had the pleasure of attending the crossing of Zeta Omicron’s Eta Class at Roseman University, and the crossing of Epsilon Chi’s Lambda Class at the University of Utah.

We were finally able to meet old and new brothers in person at the 2022 NWP winter assembly in Salt Lake City. Alex To was elected as the new Province Satrap. Many heartfelt thanks to Epsilon Chi alumnus Dr. Ashley Tran for an informative CE on Substance Use Disorder.

—Kuang-yie Vo

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Next meeting:

April 29-May 1, 2022, hosted by Gamma Nu in Sacramento, California

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

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We started December with a white elephant gift exchange between brothers and it was a success! Some of us definitely walked away with memorable gifts. After celebrating the holidays together, our chapter wanted to spread some holiday cheer with a clothing drive for St. Anthony’s. Our chapter started 2022 by initiating the new pledges. Unfortunately, due to the unpredictability of the pandemic, we had to move the initiation back to Zoom. Regardless, all of us had a great time in our respective roles and the



Gamma Upsilon Brothers Kelsi Flynn, Ani Robles, Nazanin Mardi, Allyson Demarco, Crystal Zhang, and Cindy Jebara enjoy the Big/Little Reveal.



Delta Sigma Brothers (L-R) Sergey Vahratyan, Andy Pham, Cheryl Yu, and Justin Enriquez grab a pic in their red Kappa Psi shirts after a meeting.



Delta Tau brothers volunteer at the health fair in SunCoast Casino in Summerlin, Las Vegas, Nevada.



Delta Phi brothers and pledges come together for a night of arcade games and food at Dave & Buster's.

Valentine's Day fundraiser where we generated \$250 in income. As the COVID restrictions are easing up, brothers are bonding outside of Kappa Psi events. They have formed teams for intramural sports, gym partners, and study partners.

—Kishen Rathod

ΔT Delta Tau
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We are one of the Kappa Psi Service Grant recipients and received \$1,000 for our philanthropic project which goes out to Reach Out and Read. In December, we volunteered at Three Square and packaged food for the poverty stricken and gathered hygien-

ic supplies for Catholic Charities. In January, we volunteered at Las Vegas Rescue Mission as community advocates and Get Outdoors Nevada at Kiel Ranch Park where we helped pick up trash alongside the road. In February, we partnered up with Paw Partners Unleashed at their Pet Health Fair and Blood Drive and helped impact wellness for pets. We also volunteered with Scale the Strat which was part of the American Lung Association project. At Scale the Strat, we had various roles such as helping transfer photos as well as checking in runners. This March, we will be hosting Kappa Psi: Roseman University Community Fair. In March, we will have an educational children's fair for students who fell behind academically

during the past two years in these unprecedented times. There will be game booths, prizes, interview panels, science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) resources, and more.

—Nick Callanta

ΔΦ Delta Phi
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With the end of the winter quarter quickly approaching, our chapter has been hosting many events, bringing the brothers and pledges together. For our quarterly social, brothers and pledges met at Dave & Buster's for a night of arcade games and food. Many were able to bond over friendly com-

petition as well as win some prizes to end the night.

In addition, the pledges recently hosted their very own Pledge Party for the brothers. Although the event was held over Zoom, they did a wonderful job creating a welcoming environment by having a variety of activities and games that were inclusive of everyone. Brothers were able to jump from one breakout room to the next to play various games such as Trivia, Skribbl.io, and Jackbox.

For our winter philanthropy event, we took the Kappa Psi Service Grant we were gifted and were able to fundraise an additional \$500, bringing the total fundraised amount to \$1,500. With these funds, we are partnering with the UC San Diego Health

Obstetrical Refugee and Asylum Seeker Task Force to provide baby essentials to asylum seeker mothers and their newborns after their discharge from the hospital.

EΓ Epsilon Gamma
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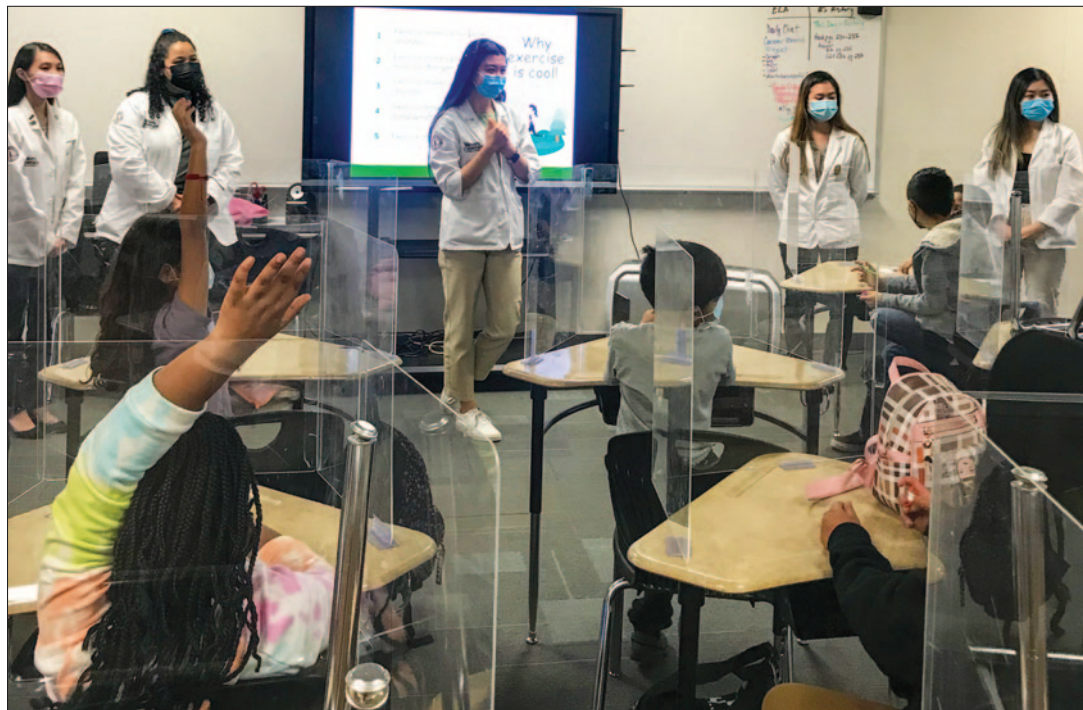
In January and February, our chapter has been very involved in community service and outreach activities. Brothers continue to volunteer for the Riverside Free Clinic every other Wednesday. A variety of healthcare professionals, undergraduate and professional students work together to donate their time and skills every other week to keep this clinic going. Our brothers help out as student pharmacists by filling prescriptions and counseling the patients who come in. Additionally, our chapter has been participating in a program called “Let’s Move” where we visit elementary schools in our community at least once per month to educate the youth about the importance of COVID-19 spread prevention and living a healthy lifestyle. Leanna Hunt, our professional chair who arranges these events, says she enjoys interacting with kids and teaching them about healthcare. She believes pediatrics is not something everyone gets to experience because most of our patients are adults. Although they aren’t our patients, we can still make a positive impact on their lives because we are teaching them to take care of themselves and the people they love.

—Ashley Nguyen

EΙ Epsilon Iota
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We kicked off 2022 with our last rush event, Alumni Night. The event was hosted on Zoom and students came to learn more about Kappa Psi and hear from the alumni brothers about their experiences in pharmacy school to where they are now. It was informational and inspiring for us to hear about the wonderful things our brothers are doing after pharmacy school. Rush season was followed by pledging season and we now welcome our newly initiated Pi class!

This semester, we brought back our food truck fundraiser, which went on a hiatus for two years due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Every week, we brought a food truck on our campus to serve delicious foods to our faculty and students during lunchtime. Everyone at CNU had a chance to eat from lobster



Epsilon Gamma Brothers Ashley Nguyen, Leanna Hunt, Erin Chiang, Kimberly Phan, and Darlene Ly educate San Jose K-8 Elementary School students on the importance of a healthy lifestyle through the “Let’s Move” program.

rolls, waffle and ice cream cones, gyros to Peruvian food. I enjoyed seeing my classmates get excited to see what food truck will be coming that day and what kind of food they offered.

We also hosted a roundtable to let our Pi class learn more about all the great organizations we have at CNU. Students got to go around to different rooms and talk to us about our organization(s) and our responsibilities in each organization. This event is to encourage students to explore the other student organizations and get involved.

After spring break, we went on a spring retreat to Lake Tahoe. It was a great weekend to hang out and unwind from any stress we might have had.

EΨ Epsilon Psi
 University of Hawaii at Hilo
 Founded 1/12/2013
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Welcome 2022! In January, our community service chair, Daijro Oshitari, partnered with Rainbow Friends Animal Sanctuary in Kurtistown, Hawaii, to work with them in caring for their animals. This amazing organization is a non-profit that rescues and provides love and care to more than 500 of Hawaii’s neglected animals.

We also kicked off our 2021–2022 pledging season. The Lambda Class has planned a Jackbox social event, a Bingo fundraiser and donation drive, and a Letters 2 Our Kupuna service

event. The Jackbox social event allowed Epsilon Psi brothers and the Lambda class to join through Zoom and enjoy online games such as Drawful, Quiplash, and Job Job. This hour-long event allowed us to learn more about each other as well as enjoy some brotherly competition. The pledges are currently conducting a Bingo fundraiser/pet donation drive. The funds raised will be donated to the animals of the Rainbow Friends Animal Sanctuary. As we’ve done before, the Lambda class held a “Pandemic Acts of Service” by opening a campus-wide event requesting letters/cards for the Letters 2 Our Kupuna initiative. This initiative continues to reach out to kupuna in senior communities across Oahu. Their mission is to remind our kupuna that they are loved, not forgotten, and we are all in this together. We are proud of the progress of our Lambda class and look forward to their crossing event coming soon.

Our social committee chair, Davian Ugaitafa, initiated monthly social groups that bring five to six brothers together to promote brotherhood. Each month will have varying themes such as Love for February, Luck for March, Easter in April, and Relaxation for May. We are excited about this opportunity to see each other more in person and create new memories.

—Cierralyn Cabral

ZΣ Zeta Sigma
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As the world returns to normal, members of Zeta Sigma chapter are making the most of our remaining tenure in the Brotherhood. Due to forces beyond our control, our chapter’s size has progressively dwindled. Even though there are barely enough of us remaining to fill our executive positions, we still have plans for the spring semester.

At the very beginning of March, our chapter has planned to climb out of our respective places of study to experience a little culture. Downtown Fresno holds an event called Art Hop on an annual basis, in which multiple art galleries open for a night of tours, food, and music. Additionally, a game night for the brothers is rapidly approaching. Diversions can be important in our current environment of stress and study.

Since the spirit of community aid runs deep through our Fraternity, we have several philanthropic pursuits in the works as well. We are currently in the midst of organizing a blood drive (though that went on hold during the Omicron surge). Collecting books for “Read Across America” will keep us busy in the meantime. With a little luck and a bit of industry, I’m sure we can make this semester a philanthropic success.



Zeta Tau brothers enjoy a night together at the clever Big/Little Reveal.

ZT Zeta Tau
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The beginning of spring trimester marked rushing and pledging for the new upcoming class. We had two virtual rush events and one in-person event at Dave & Buster's. The first event gave those interested in Kappa Psi the chance to talk to the active brothers by hopping around into different Zoom breakout rooms. The second event was an online scavenger hunt where we were able to learn more about the students through fun activities. The rush events turned out to be very successful. Dr. Lawrence Brown even came out to Dave & Buster's to play a few games with us!

Our first vice regent set up a board game night social for the pledges to interact with the active brothers to help them determine who they would potentially want as a Big/Little. The event consisted of food, activities, card making, and watching "Encanto." We also had a Valentine Grams fundraiser where we made grams for each other to distribute on Valentine's Day. Just a few weeks ago, we officially had the pinning ceremony for the Theta class. We were able to hold the pinning ceremony in person this time while maintaining a safe space due to regulations. In February, we had our first Pledge Night which was also the Big/Little Reveal. The active brothers arrived with their decorated puzzle pieces and at the end of the night, the pledges had to go look for their matching puzzle

piece. It was a great time and everyone seemed to enjoy meeting their Big/Little and we look forward to the future Pledge Nights!
 —Theresa Doan

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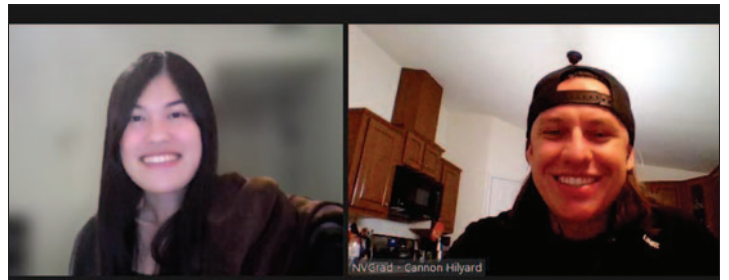
Zeta Chi brothers kept busy over winter break with two events. A group of brothers went on an early morning hike at Lost Dutchman State Park. It was cold but the views were well worth it! We are currently planning another hike for spring break. Our second event over winter break was a service project at Feed My Starving Children. This is always a chapter favorite as it is a great opportunity to socialize and simultaneously help pack meal packs for children in foreign countries. Zeta Chi is scheduled in March to volunteer at St. Mary's Food Bank which provides food for residents in Phoenix and nine other Arizona counties.

Our P3 brothers recently received their white coats and will attend their ceremony on April 8. We could not be more proud of them! Regent Wendy DeBano was part of our school's team for the Academy of Managed Care Pharmacy & Therapeutics (P&T) competition this semester. They made it through the first round and are headed to the semifinals! Finally, some brothers have started new intern positions at places such as Costco and Phoenix Children's Hospital.

—Tori Frazier



Zeta Chi brothers hike at Lost Dutchman State Park.



Nevada Graduate brother and mentor Cannon Hilyard is all smiles with mentee Yen Pham.

Arizona Grad
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The last few months for Arizona Grad have been quiet. We've met a few times with a focus on staying connected and giving back. We held our holiday white elephant gathering and it was very successful. As to giving back, we are looking at ways to promote Province and GCC attendance with scholarships. On top of that, we've had a good amount of activity in our local social media channels advertising intern opportunities for collegiate members and job openings for grads. As we move into summer, we are very excited to have GCC right in our backyard this summer. We look forward to seeing old friends and meeting new brothers.

—Jeremy Hillman

Nevada Grad
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2022 is finally here and Nevada Grad brothers are embracing the opportunities to make their impact on the community and collegiate brothers. In fall 2021, we began our search for collegiate brothers seeking mentorship in the Nevada Grad chapter.

Since then, mentors and mentees have been meeting regularly to discuss career options, board preparation, and more. Thanks to the now regular use of virtual meetings, collegiate brothers have amazing opportunities connecting with graduate brothers, regardless of where they are.

Current brother and former Nevada Graduate historian Cannon Hilyard currently mentors two collegiate brothers from Delta Tau, Yen Pham and Jad Khalil. As a collegiate who also participated in the mentorship program during his P3 year, he appreciated his time the mentors gave him and he wanted to be able to do the same. Just as mentees gain advice from mentors, According to Cannon, "Sometimes the time you can give to your mentees is just as valuable as any advice. The biggest challenge I faced was scheduling time with my mentees, but when we were able to meet, it was always fun and productive to keep up with them."

We are so grateful for our graduate mentors taking time out of their busy schedules to create valuable memories for the mentees and we hope this inspires other chapters to provide that same guidance to others around them.



Pacific Graduate chapter presents the Robert A. Magarian Order of the Silver Mortar to Adam Kaye, Chris Amaral, and Lawrence “LB” Brown, members of the 1997 Nu Class of Gamma Nu.

Pacific Grad

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Pacific Graduate chapter kicked off 2022 with a series of activities. In February, 32 alumni brothers from our graduate chapter attended the annual Gamma Nu chapter Rush Dinner at the Stockton Golf and Country Club. The event continues to be one of our best opportunities to network with Gamma Nu. During the dinner, Pacific Graduate chapter presented the Robert A. Magarian Order of the Silver Mortar to Adam Kaye, Chris Amaral, and Lawrence “LB” Brown, members of the 1997 Nu Class of Gamma Nu. Also in February, the Pacific Grad chapter held our semiannual business meeting at the Gamma Nu House in Stockton, California.

Pacific Grad is looking forward to our upcoming events, including Pacific West Province in Sacramento, and GCC in Phoenix, Arizona. We hope to see you there!

—James Wall

Pomona Grad

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This year, we hosted the annual Residency Workshop to provide guidance to the P4 brothers of Epsilon Gamma who planned on applying to residency. When it was deemed safe and practical to hold an in-person event, the workshop was organized with an in-person lecture followed by a hybrid mock interview session of both in-person and Zoom calls. The P4 brothers were then matched to mentors with experience in their respective fields that each P4 brother was interested in pursuing. This personally tailored approach would allow for a

smoother application process. With the world in a pandemic, the workshop had adapted to doing Zoom interviews to account for changes in the residency interview process—an approach the P4 brothers had all appreciated. With high hopes, Pomona Grad wishes good luck to the brothers applying to residency this year!

The first event of the new year was the Pomona Grad Hike, where grad brothers were able to get to know new pledges and build relations. It was nice to put a face to a name as most of the interactions have been online. With most brothers not going out often, it was good to get some exercise and a little sun. One grad brother brought her two doodles, which made the hike

all the more enjoyable. Throughout the hike, grad brothers became more familiar with the new pledges and vice versa. They shared their interests and hobbies while talking about their journey in pharmacy. We hoped to show the new class that alumni are active in Kappa Psi long after graduation and show that brotherhood is for life.

—Zachary Oh

San Francisco Grad

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San Francisco Grad recently hosted a virtual get-together over Zoom to catch up with all of our brothers as well as welcome some new faces. Since most of us haven’t seen each

other in person for quite some time, we were all very excited to hear about the latest developments in everyone’s life. We also discussed organizing potential in-person events as businesses reopened in our area. We look forward to seeing more Pacific West brothers and the next spring Province and GCC meetings.

—Nick Au

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Next meeting:

To be determined

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, Orlando Graduate, Savannah Graduate, SE Florida/Bahamas Graduate, Tampa Graduate

I Iota

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After five long months of hard work and dedication, pledging season came to an end. Iota crossed over seven new members in February and we can’t wait to see how they continue to grow as brothers. Brother Almodovar explained that her favorite part of the pledging experience was “getting to meet the graduate brothers and learning about their various specialties.



The brothers of Pomona Grad interact with the new class of Epsilon Gamma during the Pomona Grad Hike.



Iota brothers make final preparations for their annual Turkey Fry.

Kappa Psi has contributed to where they are in their careers in many ways, and talking with each of them gave me insight and motivation to make the most out of my Kappa Psi experience both as a student and beyond!"

Just two short weeks later, Iota held elections for the 2022–2023 Executive Committee. The outgoing Executive Committee did an incredible job navigating obstacles that were thrown our way and everyone is looking forward to a less virtual year ahead. This year, Iota was able to donate 1,100 cans to the Shifa Clinic, raise over \$2,000 for the Lowcountry Food Bank, participate in many vaccine clinics, and hold Adopt-a-Highway cleanups.

Brothers are eagerly awaiting the upcoming spring Southeast Province assembly. Additionally, Iota is gearing up to host the Province meeting here in the fall. Brothers Angeleki and Dr. Young have already crafted a timeline and plan for an exciting weekend in Charleston, South Carolina.

ΓΣ Gamma Sigma
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Spring 2022 has provided more time than ever for our chapter to focus on Kappa Psi's pillars. Brotherhood activities have strengthened our Fellowship, many brothers set to graduate in May are learning where post-graduation opportunities will take them, philanthropic endeavors continue in our effort to uphold Sobriety, and as always, the chapter is upholding High Ideals and sharing our Kappa Psi experience with pre-pharmacy students!



Eleven new brothers of Delta Omega's Sigma class.

Eisha Ludtke and Lucas Ciriello planned an exciting restaurant tour of downtown Gainesville. Brothers from all four UF College of Pharmacy cohort traveled together all night. The event was golf-themed in honor of our upcoming Golf Tournament benefiting Children's Miracle Network.

Brothers Luna Adamo and Jimmy Eggleston participated in a "Tri-Fraternity Fellowship Panel" in February to help younger students prepare for fellowship applications, interviews, and advice. Previous vice regent, Luna, received a postdoctoral fellowship with Biogen in Boston. Jimmy was awarded a fellowship with Sanofi Genzyme on the Medical Science Liaison: Multiple Sclerosis and Neurology Team. Past regent, Joshua Dadural, Joseph Washington, and Leah Valdes will also be practicing in fellowships across the Northeast following graduation. Many other Gamma Sigma brothers are pursuing hospital residency or community pharmacy positions.

Philanthropy continues to be a focus for our chapter this spring. Joseph Ryan helped organize a college-wide carnation sale with UF's Student Society of Health-System Pharmacists. Carnations were sold as Valentine's Day grams and all proceeds went to Relay For Life. We also continue to practice "road cleanups" with Keep Alachua County Beautiful.

We were lucky to meet one of our goals this past month—to foster rela-

tionships with the University of Florida Pre-Pharmacy Society on the undergraduate campus. Adam Essler and Hannah Reynolds planned an incredible event where we could meet these students interested in pharmacy and share our experiences. The social was held on February 25 at Midpoint Eatery. We hope to continue this mentorship relationship moving forward so more pharmacy students see the Fellowship, Industry, Sobriety and High Ideals that Kappa Psi Gamma Sigma has to offer!

—Lauren Trummel

ΔΩ Delta Omega
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Over these past few months, Delta Omega has been insanely busy with community service projects and most important, new brother initiation. At least once a quarter, our brothers help a local organization known as People Helping People. This organization's mission is to spread Christian love to the less fortunate while providing a warm meal and basic hygiene products. These services are provided every Sunday in Forsyth Park, Savannah. Our chapter implements our brotherhood pillars of Fellowship and High Ideals to make the greatest impact on our local community.

After serving the community, it was time for our chapter to have some fun!

We welcomed 11 new brothers into Delta Omega on January 29. After the ceremony, the newly gained brothers were presented with their Kappa Psi jerseys with their respective nicknames on the back. This exciting moment had to be captured with plenty of pictures in front of our balloon wall. It was wonderful having the upperclassmen reunited with their Littles and Grand Littles. We even had some of our graduating brothers and faculty brothers in attendance for the ceremony and celebration.

—Lexie Cross

EH Epsilon Eta
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It has been a winter full of brotherhood and accomplishments for Epsilon Eta. On December 3, 2021, we held our Pizza Social where brothers took a break from their classes and rotations to enjoy pizza and games. On December 4, our collegiate and graduate brothers held our annual Brosgiving event; this year, we were able to resume having a Brosgiving dinner in person. Our brothers showed support to the first-year pharmacy students as they received their white coats. We had a table at the White Coat Ceremony where we provided roses and the Oath of the Pharmacist frames to the first-year pharmacy students and their families. We also held our second round of recruitment events in January.

On February 8, 2022, we had a very special family reunion. We were able to hold our first in-person chapter meeting in almost two years! It was such a great experience being able to reconnect with our family. After our chapter meeting, we held the pinning ceremony for our Xi class pledges.

In February, we held our Annual Awards Banquet, celebrating the hard work of Epsilon Eta brothers. We were honored to have Dr. Gary Levin, one of our chapter's founders, as our keynote speaker and to have our CO-GCDs, Dr. Aashish Morani and Dr. Victoria Reinhartz, reveal and present the awards to the recipients. We also held a special raffle ticket drawing during the awards banquet and included in the prizes were artwork made by our historian, Drew Johnson.

Dr. Shelly Kearns and Kyrjljehn Galiotte, Nicholas Lopez, and Sarah Stoner have been doing special work with Mobile Health Consultants (MHC). Dr. Kearns, who was our pledgemaster for the Lambda class in 2018–2019, was recently named the chief of education and research for MHC. Kyrjljehn Galiotte, our chapter's



Epsilon Eta Brother Drew Johnson and pharmacy technician Karla Hernandez make unit dose medication packages for Turning Point Care Center.

vice regent, has been working as a research contributor for MHC. Nicholas has been working as a contributor to MHC and Sarah was recently named the clinical content intern for MHC and is working on special projects about disease management and healthcare education.

Drew Johnson, has gained special experiences working in addiction rehabilitation and behavioral health pharmacy in Georgia. Drew has been working as a pharmacist intern at Convenient RX LTC/Turning Point Care Center in his hometown of Moultrie, Georgia. The following is an account of his experiences.

“In 2020, I was able to have the opportunity to begin working as a pharmacist intern in the specialized areas of addiction rehabilitation and behavioral health pharmacy. My IPPE institutional rotation was held at Convenient RX LTC in my hometown of Moultrie, Georgia. Convenient RX LTC is located inside of and provides pharmaceutical services to Turning Point Care Center. Turning Point Care Center is a behavioral hospital located in Moultrie, Georgia, and it provides a range of both inpatient and outpatient programs to help patients as they navigate through their journeys of recovering from addiction. Shortly after completing my IPPE rotation, I was hired as a pharmacist intern for Convenient RX LTC and have been working part-time there ever since.

“Through my experiences working at Convenient RX LTC, I have learned that pharmacists play a great role in helping patients successfully overcome their struggles with addiction. My supervisor, Dr. Jack Adams III, is a key member of the patient healthcare team at Turning Point. He uses his

knowledge of mental and behavioral health medications to help the Turning Point providers establish safe and effective medication programs for their patients. He plays a key role in helping verify and ensuring the safety of the treatment regimens of our patients.

“I have learned a lot about the intricacies of addiction rehabilitation treatment programs from Dr. Adams and the technicians at our pharmacy. Our pharmacy team helps to reduce the risk of our patients experiencing potentially dangerous withdrawal symptoms and complications through the accurate and effective dispensing of medications that have a crucial role in helping patients overcome their addictions. As an intern, I help the



Epsilon Mu Brothers Shelby Figueroa and Nekira Frelix work on creating their paddles, totem, and perfect square.

technicians make unit dose packages of important medications, help ensure that the control medication inventory is accurate and secure, and help ensure the floor stock inventories of each wing of the hospital are accurate and well supplied. I also help ensure that the emergency crash carts for each wing are up to date and contain the appropriate medications in case of patient emergency.

“My experiences have really opened my eyes about the intricacies of addiction rehabilitation and the important roles that pharmacists can play in helping patients as they navigate through their journeys of overcoming addiction. This experience has taught me the importance of finding the balance between being efficient and accurate.”

—Drew Johnson



Epsilon Eta's Mu Class brothers with special guest appearance by Brother Matthew Haas.



Tampa Grad Brothers Matt Schneller, Jerica Singleton, Cailyn Caselli, Clarissa Maravilla, Cesar Redaja, and Rodjysne Jones come together to celebrate at the baby shower for Brothers Natasha and Patrick Del Rosario.



Tampa Grad Brothers Clarissa Maravilla, Shannon Usztok, Kristin Tiettmeyer, Angeleke Vakiaros, Donna Mae Pate, Jerica Singleton, and Jennifer Marsh come together to celebrate at the baby shower for Brother Lairyn Kenney.

EM Epsilon Mu

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The semester started off with the Nu Class paddle day. Although there were only two of them, they were able to carve out their paddles, totem, and perfect square as well as sand them before the day ended. We are thankful to Dr. Rose for allowing us to use her garage and tools and are excited to see the final product once they are stained and painted.

We are also thankful to the multitude of graduate brothers who continue to help out our chapter. In January, we had a mini-9-minute networking event to speak to first-year students who were interested in the Fraternity and were hoping to get to know a bit more about us prior to the fall rush season. Thank you to Dr. Liem Dang, Dr. Brianna Hachey, Dr. Mikel Ferraro, Dr. Dominick Curry, Dr. Kristin Hand, and Dr. Brandon Del Carpio for making time in their evening to come out and talk.

Our Philanthropy Committee has consistently provided us opportunities to attend Hollaback! training. Within the past year, they have allowed us to participate in a Bystander Intervention Training, Diversity and Inclusion Training, and a Conflict De-Escalation Training. Our chapter denounces all acts of hate, violence, discrimination, and racism against any group or person, so these events allow us to strengthen our ability to respond to,



The support of graduate brothers is essential to our chapters. Here, Savannah Graduate Brothers Chris Winslow and Aquila Ingram attend Delta Omega's initiation.

prevent, and intervene in instances of harassment.

A final thank-you goes out to our retiring e-board (Sabrina Satchfield, Lydia Borah, Alexis Kovacs, Matthew Doenges, Leena Aboueljoud, Bre'onna Harrison, and Reginald Leandre) for all of your hard work throughout the past year. No matter how tough things are, you urge us to be strong and do better. May we always bring out the best in each other every day.

—Shefa Ali



Brothers from Tampa Grad and Zeta Delta enjoy a fun afternoon of fellowship while working to strengthen the chapters during a collegiate visit.

ZΓ Zeta Gamma

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The spring semester is in full swing! In February, we had our chapter's Founders Day, Valentine's Day fundraiser, and Reach Out and Read book donation event. Zeta Gamma is thrilled to announce our newly elected executive board. Everyone will transition to their new roles ahead of spring assembly in Miami. This semester, we

will be partnering with Drug Free Duval to work on their local surveys of pharmacies in the area. We also have several other events that are in the works.

ZΔ Zeta Delta

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As we are in the midst of our spring semester, Zeta Delta has been quite busy with lots of great events! Earlier

this month, we had our monthly philanthropic park cleanup at the Takomah Trail Park in Tampa, Florida. Together, we collected seven full bags of trash to help “Keep Tampa Bay Beautiful.” A major shout-out to Alex Altimore, our philanthropy chair, for organizing this event! We also had a recent SEP Collegiate Development Committee meeting to discuss the development of our chapter as we will soon become smaller as the rising PY4 brothers will be off to APPE rotations. Other insightful topics we covered include reaffirming with all our brothers what our chapter vision and plans are. This will help reiterate the values of our chapter as we look toward the progress and future of Zeta Delta. We are currently on service break but are looking forward to attending the SEP spring assembly hosted by the Zeta Phi chapter in Miami, Florida, in March!

Savannah Grad

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Savannah Graduate brothers attended the Southeast Province in-person spring assembly in Tampa, Florida, in February. We conducted our quarterly Adopt-a-Mile cleanup with Delta Omega pledges and brothers. Savannah Grad brothers made sure they demonstrated that Kappa Psi is for life by welcoming in Delta Omega’s new brothers at initiation.

Tampa Grad

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Tampa Grad brothers enjoyed a wonderful winter of fellowship, welcoming brothers from across the Bay area to join together to socialize. Tampa Grad enjoyed an outing to our local farmer’s market in St. Pete as well as a truly ‘cool’ time out on the slopes at Snowcat Ridge in Dade City. Brothers were also happy to gather together to celebrate Brothers Natasha and Patrick Del Rosario as well as Brother Lairyn Kenney on their upcoming babies.

Brothers also enjoyed getting together to find ways to strengthen our chapters during a collegiate visit with Zeta Delta. We also look forward to joining brothers from all over the Province for assembly in Miami where there is sure to be tons of opportunity for growth and, as always, a good time!

Voluntary Graduate Dues

Volunteer dues provide support for various awards/scholarships, the Collegiate Leadership Symposium, GCC expenses, social events/receptions at APHA/ASHP and more!



Epsilon Beta Brothers (L–R) Olivia Hinojosa, Anais Tristan, Priyanka Bhatta, Alexis Amaya, and Bryttany Vu help clean up trash and debris from the Feik School of Pharmacy parking lot.

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Next meeting:

To be determined

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

ΓO Gamma Omicron

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We all had a little break from school due to the snowstorm last week. Last month, we officially initiated five new brothers into our chapter. This Brotherhood is expanding little by little each year!

As the snow and ice slowly melted, our brothers had a social event at Round1. Everyone had a lot of fun bowling, munching on pizza, and catching up. Two of our new brothers (Meggie and Joyita) even came out to the event!



Newly initiated brothers at Gamma Rho’s initiation dinner.

ΓP Gamma Rho

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Since December, our chapter has settled down and continued to focus on welcoming our incoming brothers. We held our first chapter meeting of the semester at the beginning of February, where all of our new brothers who were initiated in November got to join us for the first time. We have already had interest from many of our new brothers who are excited to step up into an executive position next year.

We also currently have a long-term fundraiser going on to help raise money for our chapter. Our fundraising team put together an amazing event called “Pie in the Face.” We have recruited seven of our professors (including our chapter advisor and the dean of our college) to volunteer to get a pie smashed in their face. Students and faculty from our college have been making suggestions on who they want to see get a pie in their face, and currently we have a tie, with one of them being our own chapter advisor.

Along with this fundraiser, we have just started one of our philanthropy events of the semester. This year, we



Brothers of Epsilon Beta get together after donating to APhA's Diva Drive before the holiday season.



Epsilon Beta spring pledge class of 2022 after initiation gather for a picture.



Delta Pi's newest members help out at the Red Raider Market, making a difference in their community.

teamed up with APhA and SSHP to do a donation drive for Roadrunner Food Bank, a local nonprofit organization that provides food to those in need. Due to COVID restrictions here in New Mexico, we kept this philanthropy event as a donation drive, where brothers can contribute non-perishable food items and/or money. We hope to have this philanthropy event in person next year, where we can all give our time as well.

ΔΠΙ Delta Pi
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We've held a few fundraisers such as our yearly Tyler's Barbecue Fundraiser and profit share in Amarillo and a Vale-gram fundraiser in February. Our newest brothers have been participating in local philanthropy events, particularly our group

working with the Red Raider Market in January. We've managed to keep in touch with our brothers on other campuses through online word games, particularly Wordle. Our biggest event was the successful holding of our Masquerade where nicknames were revealed to our newest brothers by their Bigs.

—Vincent Tran

EB Epsilon Beta
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Our chapter finished the rushing season with our annual Speed Dating event where rushees get to interact with brothers as we ask lighthearted questions like "what type of topping is best on pizza?" or "are you a morning person or a night owl?" Vice regent of pledging Nikala Royal put this event together and while it had to be virtual, it helped brothers determine which rushees to offer bids to for spring pledge class of 2022.

January 25 marked the start of pledging for SPC 2022 and it was a fun experience for all the brothers since we were able to host pledging in person again! The pledges learned all about our Kappa Psi traditions and even formed bonds with one another around our motto "One for All and All for One."

In February, we organized our annual scavenger hunt for the pledges. This is an event that brings

all the pledges to work together in teams to find brothers stationed all over downtown San Antonio. While it's a lot of work and walking, it brings out friendly competitiveness to beat the other teams.

One of our chapter's favorite parts of pledging is the Big/Little Reveal which was hosted by the pledges at Elsewhere Garden Bar & Kitchen in San Antonio. The pledges played "Guess Who" to try and guess their Big Brother and match a complementary picture with one another. This fun experience brought together pledges and gave them a Big Brother to guide them through the hardships of pledging and pharmacy school. At the end of February, our chapter welcomed in 17 new brothers, including one faculty brother, Dr. Briana Williams, who graduated from the University of Colorado Skaggs School of Pharmacy.

Our brothers continue to show the community we care through thoughtful acts of kindness. With COVID numbers still rising, our brothers chose to write letters to our veterans, elderly patients in nursing homes, and to children to show all these individuals we care and are thinking deeply about them. Brothers also put together food donations for our school pantry so those long nights of studying on campus come with a nutritional snack!

Before spring break begins on March 5, brothers plan to get together one last time to pick up as much trash in the school parking lot as we can.

As our busy semester continues, Epsilon Beta brothers look forward to our Founders Day celebration, Awards Dinner, and Southwest Province, all in April of 2022.



Epsilon Epsilon chapter Executive Board for the 2021–2022 academic year gather for a formal picture. Top (L–R): Eileen Liou, Zachary Mayo, Megan Davis, Danielle Garrison, Isaiah Cruz, Jonathan Zaldivar, and Kaitlyn Braeutigam. Bottom (L–R): Jennifer Narsh, Ashley Ferris, Lauren Esqueda (regent elect), Gabriela Gonzalez (regent), Tori Lyn Shiver, and Kristina Esqueda.



Gamma Lambda brothers volunteer at the Prison Book event in Quincy.



Zeta Lambda Brothers Brunch Social—Brothers met for a delicious brunch social after a tough exam.

ET Epsilon Tau
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Our chapter has continued our partnership with Adopt-a-Highway and plans to hold two trash pickup events this spring. Also, we are collaborating with our local Phi Lambda Sigma student chapter and with Operation Brown Bag out of Tye, Texas, to give underprivileged students in the com-

munity free lunches for nourishment outside of school. In addition, we are planning a fundraising event for St. Patrick's Day to have current students buy their own pot of gold—gold that is also delicious chocolate coins. Finally, we are planning to do a Founders Day Brunch for all our current, active members and we look forward to celebrating our brothers' accomplishments with many of our fourth-year brothers who are undergoing the Match Process for residency.

Denver Grad
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Over the last few months, we have been keeping busy and haven't had a lot of time to meet up. We are in the midst of determining times to meet up for a game and movie night as well as trying to get together at the park with our furry friends and families.

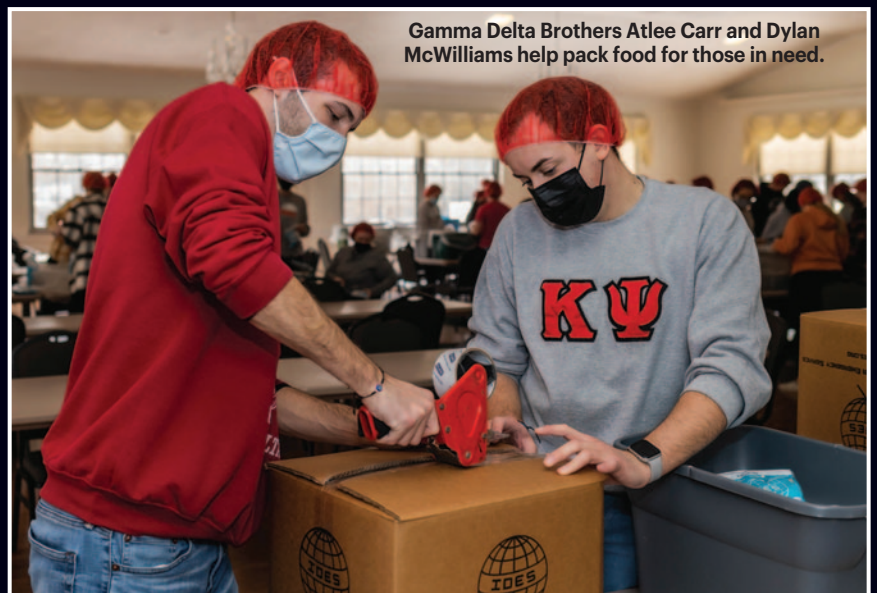


INDUSTRY SOBRIETY FELLOWSHIP HIGH IDEALS

Beta Omicron brothers and pledges work together on a clinical case written by vice regent Catherine Mai to assess for problems and provide their recommendations.



Delta Xi brothers had a blast during rush night with their "Squid Games" theme.



Gamma Delta Brothers Atlee Carr and Dylan McWilliams help pack food for those in need.



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