

Congress Beacon



Newsletter of the 2017 Grand Chapter Congress

Candidates Edition – Updated 8/1/2017

Nominations Committee Reports Candidates for Grand Offices -- More Needed!

by Past Grand President Mark Chiacchiari, Chairman

The Nominations Committee, pursuant to Bylaws Article VI, Section 1, reports its activities with respect to submitting a slate of nominees for the 51st Grand Chapter Congress in the *Congress Beacon-Candidates Edition*. In addition to myself as Past Grand President and Chair, the committee is composed of Chuck Brown, Mitch Simmons, Kim Ward, and Kevin Weber. Each of the candidates listed in this report has consented to have his or her name placed in nomination. A review of each candidate's Fraternity experience is included in this *Beacon*.

Please note that along with the nomination form, a "statement of platform" and/or "comments" is requested from candidates for office. This statement provides voters a sense of the goals and views of each candidate. Statements read as submitted by the nominee, with the exception of capitalization and other elements reflecting Delta Sigma Pi styles and preferences. Each candidate is required to certify they have read and understand the Fraternity's Code of Conduct and will abide by it. In addition, each candidate for the office of Provincial or Regional Vice President is required to certify that he or she complies with residency requirements per policy N.3.

All chapters are reminded that nominations will be accepted through Grand Chapter Congress. They may be submitted at any time prior to July 1, and will be published in this document. Nominations prior to Congress are *strongly* encouraged – via www.dsp.org. Campaigning by those nominated by July 1 will begin earlier than floor nominated candidates. Refer to Fraternity Policy *Section M. Grand Chapter Delegates, Credentials and Voting* and *Section N. Nominations, Campaigning and Vacancies* for more details.

Any nominations received after July 1 will be considered floor nominations and will be made from the floor during the Grand Chapter Congress, pursuant to Fraternity Policy Section N. An electronic "Official Nomination Form" must be completed in detail and submitted to the committee before the nomination will be recognized. Floor nominees will have their Nomination Forms posted in an area designated at Congress. The Official Nomination Form is available on www.dsp.org and will be available online during Grand Chapter Congress.

This report will be presented again to the Grand Chapter Congress in August. Please contact Mark Chiacchiari with any questions at pastgrandpresident@dsp.org.

GRAND PRESIDENT (2 candidates)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Jodi Schoh

Campaign Website: www.dsp4schoh.com

Primary Address: Chanhassen, MN

Name of Employer or Business: Culligan Water

Job Title: Controller

Chapter Name or School: Kappa Upsilon/Winona State University

Date of Initiation: 5/11/1996

Email Address: jodi.schoh@gmail.com

Graduation Year: 1998

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Chapter President; Vice President of Chapter Operations

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I am accountable for the overall accounting function of the company including financial reporting and cash management. I provide leadership and partnering support to thirty-two Culligan franchises in operational and financials areas. I also lead various teams across the company to further our company initiatives and define best practices.

Alumni Chapter Offices Or Responsibilities Held (include dates): President (01 - 02); Vice President of Professional Activities (00 - 01); Chapter Liaison (03 - 04); Treasurer (10-11)

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Twin Cities (MN)

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): North Central Provincial Vice President (11 – Present); North Central Regional Vice President (07 – 11); Provincial Professional Development Chair (05 – 07); Provincial Awards Committee member (05 -07); Provincial Awards & Scholarship Chair (03 – 05); District Director (99 – 03); Presenter at various LEAD schools and volunteer leadership retreats; Certified Deltasig Leader Tier II; Leadership Foundation Donor; Grand President’s Circle Member

Statement of Platform: It is an exciting time to be a brother in Delta Sigma Pi. Our Fraternity is poised with a strong foundation and is ready to seize the opportunities we have before us. We have opportunities to grow, opportunities to lead and opportunities to further our successes as defined by our strategic priorities.

In order to capitalize on these opportunities, we must develop diverse and creative ideas to encourage collegiate and alumni brothers to feel engaged and empowered. Together, with your help, we can work to:

- Ensure collegiates, advisors, and volunteer leaders are educated and enabled to lead.
- Implement a plan for sustainable growth in collegiate and alumni chapters that effectively uses our resources.
- Identify new ways to be in the forefront in making a difference in our communities and the business world.

Each and every brother in Delta Sigma Pi plays an important role in continuing to build a meaningful future and ensure our Fraternity is around forever.

I am very grateful to have had the honor to serve in various roles in the Fraternity and look forward to the opportunity to work with all brothers as your next Grand President.

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Tricia Smith

Campaign Website: www.tricia4gp.com

Primary Address: Cuyahoga Falls, OH

Name of Employer or Business: ERC

Job Title: Director, Membership Engagement:

Chapter Name and School: Theta Kappa/University of Akron

Date Of Initiation: 3/4/2000

Email Address: NortheasternPVP@dsp.org

Graduation Year: 2002

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: President; Vice President- Pledge Education; Grand Chapter Congress Delegate 01; Northeastern Provincial Conference Delegate 02

Brief description of employment Responsibilities: As Director of Membership Engagement, I oversee client development, retention, and engagement efforts. My primary focus is to develop and maintain relationships with executive and HR teams through proactive communication efforts and educational programs designed to engage and encourage the usage of ERC's services.

Alumni Chapter Offices Or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Akron-Canton Alumni Chapter: Membership Committee 04-05; Grand Chapter Congress 03 (alternate), 05 (delegate); Cleveland-Akron Alumni Chapter: Vice President Social Activities 06-Present; Community Service Committee 07-09; Scholarship Committee 07-08; Membership Committee 06-07; Centennial Planning Committee Chair 07; Grand Chapter Congress 07 (delegate); Northeastern Provincial Conference 05-09 (delegate)

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Cleveland-Akron

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): District Director 04-09; Provincial Alumni Development Committee 05; LEAD Presenter 07, 11; National Leadership Volunteer Retreat 08, 10; Steel Valley Regional Vice President 09-13; Provincial Discipline Committee 09-17; Northeastern Provincial Vice President 13-17; Certified Deltasig Leader Tier II

Statement of Platform: Over my years of fraternal service, I've been privileged to see the positive impact Deltasigs make within our chapters, campuses, and business communities culminating in our achievements and progress in many areas. To continue our success I wish to develop our members by harnessing your unique expertise, and by cultivating deeper relationships within the business community.

To accomplish these endeavors requires:

- Engaging and invigorating Brothers with personal and professional opportunities that achieve the goals of the fraternity at the national and chapter levels.
- Leveraging our current strategic priorities with tools that support our organization and every brother, newly initiated, newly graduated, or newly retired.
- Communicating effectively within the organization, both information and opportunities, by creating a dialogue in lieu of information overload.

It is the passion, dedication, and drive of Brothers for over 100 years that led us here today. It is my goal to empower YOU with the ability to create positive change in your life. Be it Fraternal, Professional or Personal. A Fraternity of members with that type of power can alter the world.

I would be humbled and honored to continue the strong legacy that built Delta Sigma Pi by serving as your Grand President.

VICE PRESIDENT-FINANCE (2 candidates)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Corey Polton

Primary Address: Brea, CA

Name of Employer or Business: Cardinal Health

Job Title: Manager, Operational Excellence Black Belt

Chapter Name and School: Lambda Sigma/California State University-Fullerton

Email Address: coreypolton@gmail.com

Graduation Year: 2002

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: President (2 Semesters), Senior VP, VPCO, and Fundraising Committee Chair.

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I am currently a Manager, Lean Six Sigma Black Belt for Cardinal Health. In this role, I serve as a consultant to our Medical Distribution Centers and Cardinal at Home DC's in Ontario, CA; Chandler, AZ; and Portland, OR. As a LSS Black Belt, I drive change within the organization by focusing on customers, employees, and processes which create a culture of excellence within our facilities. I also coach and lead Lean Six Sigma Kaizen Events, Green Belt Projects, and Black Belt Projects to reduce unnecessary steps and remove waste within our processes. Other responsibilities include: Mentoring of future Kaizen Leaders and Black Belts, leading Lean Six Sigma site assessments, creating project pipelines and contributing at least \$1.4 Million in savings on an annual basis.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Denver Alumni Chapter President (2013-14), Denver Alumni Chapter VP Finance (2011-12), Los Angeles Alumni Chapter President (2006-2008)

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Los Angeles

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Leadership Foundation Trustee (August 2011-present); Leadership Foundation Grants Chair (August 2013-present); Leadership Foundation Nominations Committee (August 2015 - August 2016); Leadership Foundation Gifts & Solicitation Committee (August 2011 - August 2015); Leadership Foundation Grants Committee (August 2011 - August 2013); Leadership Foundation Scholarship Selection Committee (2009-11); South Pacific RVP (2007-09); Western Province Scholarship and Awards Chair (2005-07); District Director: Lambda Sigma (2016- present), Eta Sigma (2014-16), Alpha Nu (2009-10), Phi (2003-05), and Lambda Psi (2002-03)

National Events: 80+ Events since joining Delta Sigma Pi (Grand Chapter Congress, Lead Schools, Provincial Conferences, and National Volunteer Leadership Training)

Statement of Platform: It is hard to believe that it has been 17 years since I pledged Delta Sigma Pi. Since graduating in 2002, I have had the opportunity to serve the Fraternity in a number of ways, most recently as a Trustee for the Leadership Foundation. As my time on the Foundation board is ending, I know that I still have much to give to the organization that has given me so much over the years.

If elected as Vice-President of Finance, I will focus on the following:

- Create more flexibility to service our collegiate brothers.
- Focus on Technology, led by a Chief Information Officer, reporting to the VP-Finance.

- Create permanent Key Performance Indicators that must regularly be shared with all brothers.
- Engage Leadership Foundation donors.
- Enhance the population of corporate business partners.
- Prioritize the needs of our collegiate brothers and chapters.

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Kelly Rabin

Primary Address: Issaquah, WA

Name of Employer or Business: Milliman Inc.

Job Title: Consulting Actuary

Chapter Name and School: Alpha Iota/Drake University

Email Address: vpf@dsp.org

Graduation Year: 2002

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: VPCO

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I am a consulting actuary, advising life insurance companies on product development and financial management, including management of both assets and liabilities.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Seattle-Pacific Northwest President: 2006 - 2008

Chicago Alumni Chapter Board Member: 2002- 2004

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Seattle-Pacific Northwest

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Vice President - Finance: 2015 – present, Northwestern Regional Vice President: 2013 - 2015

Statement of Platform: It has been a great first term as VPF. While we have accomplished many things (modernized the budget process, restructured the investment portfolio, and reduced excess cash in order to improve yield opportunities), there is much left to do. There is a significant onboarding process associated with this position, and I hope to return for another term in order to maximize the effectiveness of this role.

My goals for the next 2 years are:

- improve chapter financial management; this is a goal from my first term that we are just beginning to focus on, having selected a chair and recruited volunteers for this task force
- continue to work with staff to create budgets that align with Fraternity strategic priorities
- continue to focus on cash management and investments, looking for ways to enhance yield while being prudent about risk
- as a Leadership Foundation trustee, support efforts to find new ways to engage donors and fund new Fraternity initiatives that will take leadership development to the next level

Thank you for your ongoing engagement and support!

NORTH CENTRAL PROVINCIAL VICE PRESIDENT (2 candidates)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Jillian Gartner

Primary Address: Des Moines, IA

Name of Employer or Business: Sutherland Global Services

Job Title: Director of Industry Marketing

Chapter Name and School: Alpha Iota/Drake University

Date of Initiation: 11/18/2005:

Email Address: dspjillian@gmail.com

Graduation Year: 2009

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Vice President, Chapter Operations (2007-2009); Webmaster, Halsey Invitational Event Committee (2007-2008); Webmaster (2006); Historian, Alpha Iota Fall 2005 Pledge Class (2005)

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I currently serve as Director of Industry Marketing for Sutherland Global Services, a leading provider of process transformation services to a number of Fortune 1000 organizations around the world. In my role, I am responsible for all marketing to the banking, financial services, mortgage and insurance verticals, held accountable for driving demand and awareness for Sutherland's services. For a complete view of my professional experience, please feel free to visit www.linkedin.com/in/jillianegartner.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Vice President, Chapter Operations (2012-2013)

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Des Moines-Central Iowa

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Regional Vice President, Great Plains Region (February 2014 – present); North Central Provincial Discipline Committee (August 2015 – present); Golden Council Member (August 2015 – present); District Director, Alpha Iota, Drake University (2012-2014)

I have also extended my leadership by attending and presenting at countless LEAD events, hosted several regional conferences and am a strong supporter of the Leadership Foundation.

Statement of Platform: Since initiation into Delta Sigma Pi twelve years ago, I have remained committed to serving our Fraternity. Through the many leadership roles held as a collegiate and alumni, I have continued to follow my mantra, "if better is possible, good enough is unacceptable," always seeking to improve the Fraternity.

If elected North Central Provincial Vice President, I will focus on the following:

- Development of volunteer leadership base: Identify and train new volunteer leaders; mentor current & future leaders
- Enhanced programming at LEAD events: Leverage my professional experience as an events manager to enhance the programs
- Expansion into new colleges and universities: Start new chapters and ensure their success
- Brotherhood: Be the best brother I can be to all members of the Fraternity

As a Regional Vice President for two bienniums, I have witnessed what is required to be a strong board member for the Fraternity. As a board member, I will handle all fiduciary responsibilities and Fraternity business.

Name of Nominee: Cory Stopka

Primary Address: St Cloud, MN

Name of Employer or Business: Viking Beverages (Coors Brewing)

Job Title: Branch Manager

Chapter Name and School: Theta Tau/St. Cloud State University

Date Of Initiation: 4/22/2006

Email Address: NorthCentralRVP@dsp.org

Graduation Year: 2010

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: President (2 terms); Chancellor; VP-Professional Activities; VP-Alumni Relations; National Events Chair; Chapter Anniversary Chair; 2007 GCC Delegate

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I lead our beer distribution business across five branches in Central Minnesota, our recently expanded Twin Cities territory, and our corporate headquarters. We have over 600 customers that we serve.

My responsibilities include developing strategic initiatives, setting budgets, general management, new product integration, promotions, serving as a brewery liaison, inventory management, special events, expanding our portfolio of craft brands, and generally directing our sales and marketing initiatives.

I am intricately involved with our executive and ownership group. As the head of this business, I am also our representative in a variety of community organizations, industry associations, and brewery relations.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): VP-Activities (2010); Lifetime Member

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Twin Cities (MN)

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Regional Vice President (2016-Present); Educational and Leadership Consultant at Central Office (2011-13); Golden Council Member (2013-Present); Attended 4 Grand Chapter Congresses (2007-15), 10 Provincial Conferences, 6 LEAD Schools; Presenter at various LEAD Schools and regional conferences; Leadership Foundation Donor (Deltasig for Life Donor); National Volunteer Leadership Retreat (2012 on staff & 2016 including Career Achievement Banquet); Chapter Bylaw and Policy documents review team (2013-15); Provincial Expansion Committee Chair (2013-15); Certified Deltasig Leader Tier II

Statement of Platform: Serving our great Fraternity is at the forefront of my mind. If elected as your Provincial Vice President, my main goal will be to advance the province by building on past successes and taking advantage of our opportunities. This foundation of success will translate to the national level as I will take my fiduciary duty as a Board Member to heart.

Over the course of the next two years our specific objectives will be as follows:

- Cultivate our volunteer leadership at the collegiate and alumni levels
- Explore opportunities for growth through expansion
- Improve event impact by carefully examining areas for improvement/advancement including provincial events

- Utilize strategic priorities to improve operations at the chapter, provincial, and national levels
- Listen to our Brothers and advance the Fraternity with their feedback

Since becoming a Deltasig over a decade ago, I have found joy and excitement by serving throughout the organization at many levels. My hope is that everyone involved with Deltasig will discover a passion that will provide lifetime joy whether that be personal, professional, or Fraternal.

NORTHEASTERN PROVINCIAL VICE PRESIDENT (2 candidates)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Daniel Collins

Primary Address: Burlington, MA

Name of Employer or Business: Sanofi

Job Title: Pharmacovigilance Regulatory Compliance Manager

Chapter Name and School: Xi Phi/University of Massachusetts-Boston

Date Of Initiation: 5/21/2005

Email Address: NewEnglandRVP@dsp.org

Graduation Year: 2007

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: President, Senior Vice President, Vice President-Professional Activities, Scholarship Endowment Chair, Ritual Team, Northeastern Provincial Council Delegate, New England Region Collegian of the Year (2006)

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: At Sanofi, one of the world's largest biopharmaceutical companies, I work as a Regulatory Compliance Manager in the Pharmacovigilance (Drug Safety) department. My role is to monitor the compliance of Sanofi's adverse event reporting system with global safety regulations. Specifically, I investigate late safety reports to determine the root cause and implement corrective and preventative actions in conjunction with the responsible organization. Additionally, I am tasked with analyzing the aggregate data for trending of systematic deviations and report our KPIs to senior management to support continuous quality improvement.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Boston Alumni Chapter member (2007 – present)

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Boston

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): New England Regional Vice President (2013-present); Northeastern Provincial Discipline Committee (2013-present); District Director - Lambda Tau (2009-2013); New England District Director of the Year (2011); New England Region Awards Committee (2008-2009); Leadership Foundation Gifts & Solicitations Committee (2011-2013); Certified Deltasig Leader Tier II; Member Golden Council and Deltasig for Life Donor programs; National Event Attendance: 30+ Events including (5 Grand Chapter Congress and numerous LEAD Schools, Provincial Councils (as both attendee and presenter), and National Volunteer Leadership Retreats)

Statement of Platform: I'm proud to be a Deltasig for many reasons. Perhaps the most poignant is that Delta Sigma Pi is dedicated to helping individuals better themselves and others. This focus on personal and professional growth is a fundamental aspect, interwoven into our

purpose, programming, and strategic priorities. As your PVP, my goal is to build upon this foundation by:

- Providing additional opportunities for brothers to advance their professional and fraternal skills by increasing chapter-led programming at LEAD.
- Enhancing engagement opportunities by adding career focused sessions at our provincial events. Already exceptional occasions for fraternal growth, I believe an opportunity exists to leverage our diverse alumni, tapping into their professional insights of many different industries which our collegiate brothers will soon join.
- Being an active partner with all brothers in the province, soliciting feedback from chapters and alumni to better understand and communicate your needs to the larger fraternal organization keeping in context with our strategic priorities.

As your PVP I will commit to helping build on what makes DSP great and to provide additional opportunities for brothers to grow, learn, and give back. It would be an honor to serve as your PVP; together we can achieve more!

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Mary Miracle

Primary Address: Monroe, OH

Name of Employer or Business: Nasco

Job Title: Region Sales Manager

Chapter Name and School: Alpha Theta/University of Cincinnati

Date of Initiation: 3/7/1981

Email Address: mary.miracle@icloud.com

Graduation Year: 1984

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Secretary 82-83, Community Service Chairperson, 83-84.

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: Responsible for revenue of multiple category sales in the Early Childhood and K-12 vertical for a multi state territory. As part of the first outside sales team for a 75 year old company, it is exciting to help set policies and practices while increasing revenue opportunities for my company.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): With the recharter of the Cincinnati Alumni Chapter, I have organized the Annual Founder's Day Open House at the Central Office, our premier event.

Previously, I have served as secretary of the Cincinnati Alumni Chapter for 85-86.

In 1987, I helped found the Heart of Illinois Alumni Chapter, and served as the first President.

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Cincinnati

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): District Director, 1985-1995; District Director, 2009-2010; East Central RVP, 2010-2013; District Director, 2014-2017

Statement of Platform: One of my favorite sayings is "you always leave a place better than you found it." While brothers in the Northeastern Province pursue excellence, we should always have the goal of continuous improvement. We should remember the PURPOSE as we become more PURPOSEFUL in our actions and events.

As your Northeastern PVP, one of my first priorities is to help our Fraternity achieve its goal of 250 active collegiate chapters. We should establish a Provincial Expansion Committee, tasked with exploring expansion opportunities at target schools and recruiting volunteers for possible colonies.

Delta Sigma Pi should expand our brand beyond college campuses. Our chapters should look for opportunities to partner with their local Chamber of Commerce, as well as making connections with high school organizations that support entrepreneurship and careers in business.

“Team Northeast” has some amazing events and I would dedicate at least one LEAD breakout session that will serve as a platform for knowledge sharing. Interested chapters will share information on their successful events to help other chapters. Additionally, the Fraternity needs a digital solution to share chapter best practices.

It will be an honor and privilege to serve as the next Northeastern PVP.

SOUTH CENTRAL PROVINCIAL VICE PRESIDENT (2 candidates)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Kevin Gore

Primary Address: Oak Point, TX

Name of Employer or Business: Pendello Solutions

Job Title: Business Technology Specialist

Chapter Name and School: Nu Xi/University of Missouri-Kansas City

Date of Initiation: 12/7/1996

Email Address: SouthwesternRVP@dsp.org

Graduation Year: 2000

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Fundraising Chair

VP-Chapter Operations

Alumni Relations

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: Working virtually, providing Information Technology support and expertise to several clients in the Kansas City area with offices in multiple states as well.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Kansas City Alumni Chapter President 2004-05

Kansas City Alumni Chapter Webmaster 2003-04

Kansas City Alumni Chapter VP-Finance 2002-03

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Area

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): District Director 2003-04 and 2011-12; Southwestern Regional Vice President 2012-Present

Statement of Platform: Twenty years ago I made the decision to join this great Fraternity. In over fifteen years as alumni I have served in numerous roles, including District Director for multiple chapters, Alumni chapter positions, and as Southwestern Regional Vice President. I have a unique perspective of how two different regions are made up and what works well in one may or may not work well in the other. I will use this experience to help guide me in leading the South Central Province. I have held various positions, professionally, many of which have been

in some form of leadership.

If elected, my major focus will be to personally travel to each region within the first year. I also plan to use my technology background to help bridge the geographic span of the Province to ensure I can be in as many places, as needed. I will also create a Provincial Marketing and Communications chair to assist with getting information out to the entire Province. Social media is a strong, powerful, and popular medium and feel the Province can communicate better as a whole.

It would be a great honor to be elected as your next South Central Provincial Vice President.

Name of Nominee / Volunteer: Mark Wernette

Primary Address: Lawton, OK

Name of Employer or Business: FSNB, National Association

Job Title: Compliance Officer

Work Address: Lawton, OK

Chapter Name and School: Epsilon Zeta/Midwestern State University

Date of Initiation: 4/12/2008

Email Address: markrw86@hotmail.com

Graduation Year: 2009

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Vice President–Chapter Operations; Senior Vice President (Colony); Petition Chair (Colony)

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I am the Compliance Officer of FSNB, National Association, a National Bank headquartered in Lawton, OK with 80+ branches in 10 states. I lead the bank's Compliance Department. I oversee all aspects of compliance within the bank; including Consumer Lending Compliance, Deposit Compliance, Bank Secrecy Act, Community Reinvestment, Commercial Lending, Audit and Regulatory Exam Coordination, Complaint Management, Vendor Management, and other functions related to risk management at the financial institution.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Vice President Community Service 2012-2013

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Oklahoma City Tornado Alley

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Tornado Alley Regional Vice President 2013-present; Golden Council member 2015-present; South Central Provincial Discipline Committee member 2015-present; South Central LEAD Task Force Co-Chair 2015-present; 2013-2017 Southwestern Region & Tornado Alley Region (STAR) Leadership Retreat Chair; District Director for Epsilon Zeta 2011–2013 (Awarded South Central Province and Tornado Alley Region District Director of the Year both years); South Central Provincial Scholastic Development and Awards Committee Member 2010–2013; Assistant District Director for Epsilon Zeta 2010-2011; Have attended 20+ LEAD events in multiple provinces and have led or assisted in leading breakout sessions and discussions at GCC, LEAD and regional retreats; Leadership Foundation Supporter

Statement of Platform: •Be a good brother to all.

•Be accessible and responsive.

•Be dedicated to always making our Fraternity better.

•Faithfully follow our Leadership Code of Conduct, and live up to our Oath and Purpose to the best of my ability.

•Carry out my duties as a Board member by upholding our Fraternity's Purpose, while balancing the

input from brothers, what is best for our National Fraternity, and my Fraternity experience and knowledge.

- Lead and empower the Provincial Team to create a culture of excellence within the province and our Fraternity as a whole.
- Work with Central Office staff and Provincial Leadership to enhance the experience of national events.
- Focus on Professional and Alumni Development.
- Travel the Province and communicate with brothers on a regular basis in order to stay connected with our members and effectively and responsibly lead the Provincial Team and make decisions on the Board.
- Explore possible resource and training opportunities to help our members and leaders reach their top potential.
- Approach discipline in a fair and constructive manner consistent with other PVPs, with an emphasis on preventative training.
- Promote awareness of our Leadership Foundation, National Initiatives and Programs, National Events, and the accomplishments of our Brothers.
- Foster innovation.

SOUTHERN PROVINCIAL VICE PRESIDENT (2 candidates)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Carrie Sagel Burns

Primary Address: Atlanta, GA

Name of Employer or Business: Atlanta Movie Tours

Job Title: Founder/CEO

Chapter Name and School: Alpha Tau/Mercer University

Date of Initiation: 11/30/1995

Email Address: SoutheasternRVP@dsp.org

Graduation Year: 1996

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: None, transfer student, not super involved/engaged as collegiate, chapter was struggling a bit at the time. One reason I encourage all collegiate students to attend National events.

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I am the Founder and current CEO of Atlanta Movie Tours, a movie location tour company in Atlanta with expansion efforts currently being undertaken. 2017 marks our 5th year, we have quickly grown and closing in on \$1mil revenue with close to 35k visitors and the #2 spot on Trip Advisor. I also act as CFO and handle daily activities of the business along with our Dir of Operations and work on networking, outreach and visioning for future development of the company and brand.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): After graduating I got very involved in the Atlanta Alumni Chapter and made amazing friends. I held the Web Chair, Social and VPF positions and remain connected to the chapter and attend whenever possible. The Atlanta Alumni Chapter does a great job at connecting new alumni brothers with established ones and furthering the Fraternal lifelong involvement. Transitioning and encouraging collegiate brothers to get involved after graduating is key to the future success of DSP and this starts with stronger alumni chapters.

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Atlanta

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): District Director - Alpha Tau

Regional Vice President - Southeastern

Statement of Platform: As Southern Provincial Vice President I would like to see Alumni Development start on the collegiate level with greater education on the roles after graduation, this includes improving on documentation and literature for positions. Would also like to see greater emphasis on the Marketing & Communication Chair position for better ease of sharing and finding information. Expanding on the feedback from LEAD sessions and encouraging professional speakers to assist with development and clean-up of current and potential sessions. Streamlining processes and helping develop "best practices" and procedures for roles would facilitate and ease new brothers into positions.

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Mike Sinclair

Primary Address: Lutz, FL

Name of Employer or Business: University of South Florida St Petersburg

Job Title: Accounting Instructor

Chapter Name and School: Theta Phi/University of South Florida-Tampa

Date of Initiation: 11/18/1983

Email Address: mikesinclair@outlook.com

Graduation Year: 1985

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: District Director, Chapter Advisor, President (Interim), SVP, Chancellor, Social Chair and Pledge Class President.

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I am currently an Accounting Instructor at the University of South Florida teaching on the St. Petersburg Campus. I also work in a consulting type role with the Internal Revenue Service in the Global High Wealth Division.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): None

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: St Pete-Clearwater (FL)

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): None

Statement of Platform: My goal as Provincial Vice President is to do everything within my power to help each chapter of the Province to be the best that they are can be. Having worked the last few years as a full-time faculty member and chapter advisor, I know the valuable role that Deltasig can play in the success of the colleges of business. Likewise, the better relationship we have with the Dean of the College of Business, the more exposure we get to students and faculty members, which significantly assists in recruiting and provides us opportunities to for additional funding. I intend to set up a plan for strengthening those relationships. Having worked my way up as a successful sales and marketing manager at Kraft General Foods and Unilever to becoming a national manager at Energizer, my experience in managing more than 1,500 employees and many moving parts while keeping all heading in the same direction will be invaluable in leading DSP. In closing, I will be a leader that focuses on helping chapters figure out what they CAN do, not what they CAN'T do. I believe that when possible, advice is much more productive than discipline.

WESTERN PROVINCIAL VICE PRESIDENT (3 candidates)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Trey Hernandez

Primary Address: Hermosa Beach, CA

Name of Employer or Business: MENEMSHA SOLUTIONS

Job Title: Manager Business Development

Chapter Name and School: Delta Sigma/Loyola Marymount University

Date of Initiation: 11/21/2009

Email Address: TREY.DSP@GMAIL.COM

Graduation Year: 2012

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: President - Oversaw rebuilding of Chapter, provided vision and planning for entire year of chapter operations; Chancellor - Accountable for orderly and efficient meetings, Ritual educator and planner; Brotherhood Chair - Provided opportunities for social and professional development; Ambassador - Met with other chapters and regions to support events, meetings and brotherly activities, Sharkfest Chapter Chair, Lead Chair, Regional Operations Chair, South Pacific - Provided overall attendance program for 10 chapter region; co-chair in planning Sharkfest; co-chair in planning Area conference for South Pacific and Pacific Coast regions

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: Oversee development of new business for four divisions of privately held Construction Solutions company. Develop and execute sales and marketing strategy to deliver \$30M sales pipeline throughout organization. Provide vision for sales units and work alongside executive leadership in overall planning. Lead for all company trade shows in the North American continent and provide insight in Europe markets.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): VP Collegiate Relations (2014 - Current) - Provided opportunities for current alumni to assist with leadership events Educated current seniors on Alumni chapter life through interactive meetings; Chair of Regional Initiation for South Pacific (2014); Led the operations for Regional initiation; Representative for LAAC at union of Brother Whitney Dixon Reed Mardis (Central RVP) and Michael Mardis in the North Central Province (May 2016)

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Los Angeles

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): District Director - Rho Upsilon Chapter (2015 - Current); National Professional Development Committee - Presidents Academy Chair (2015 - Current); Regional Vice President - South Pacific (2013 - 2015); Western Province - Disciplinary Chair (2014 -2015); 2017 Western LEAD Provincial Conference; 2015 Grand Chapter Congress – Chicago; 2015 Western LEAD Provincial Conference; 2014 Phoenix LEAD School; 2014 Western LEAD Provincial Conference; 2013 Las Vegas LEAD School; 2013 Grand Chapter Congress – Seattle; 2013 Western LEAD Provincial Conference; 2012 Western LEAD Provincial Conference; 2011 Grand Chapter Congress – Louisville; 2011 Western Prov Conf (Walnut Creek, CA); 2010 Western LEAD Prov Conf (El Paso)

Statement of Platform: It would be an honor to serve as your next PVP. This Province has been able to show its diligence in working towards common goals. I would like to continue that tradition by engaging our brothers to reach their full potential in leadership and professional development at all levels. It has been a privilege to serve in different roles as an RVP, DD, and other leadership capacities, all of which has given me a stronger vision for our Province. Below lays the framework for our strategic plan to work towards:

RVP's having support and working knowledge to provide appropriate guidance to DD's and chapters. The ability to share each other's experience will strengthen your Western Province leadership team.

Chapters will have a platform to display their very best leadership, through Provincial communications and appropriate recognition throughout the year. Thereby sharing our strengths to elevate the creativity each chapter can strive towards.

Local Alumni engaged to help develop leaders through an interactive experience with the collegiate chapters. Giving both our Alumni and Collegiate members the ability to personally and professionally continue their growth.

Successfully executed and united as one Province, we will elevate the standards of leadership across our great organization!

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Crystal Justice

Primary Address: Sacramento, CA

Name of Employer or Business: 7-Eleven, Inc.

Job Title: Business Consultant

Chapter Name and School: Lambda Mu/University of the Pacific

Date of Initiation: 11/20/1999

Email Address: justicecrystal@gmail.com

Graduation Year: 2002

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: President; Senior Vice President; Vice President of Pledge Education; Secretary; Grand Chapter Congress Delegate (2001); Provincial Conference Delegate (2002)

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: Business Consultant at 7-Eleven, Inc. - I work with a group of 7-Eleven Franchise locations on consulting them on business needs. As a consultant, I work with each individual Franchisee on evaluating their business, sales and profits and creating plans on how to expand on current strengths and improve areas of opportunities. We create solid plans to ensure that each individual location is successful by having the highest levels of guest service, profitability and sales.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Currently I am serving as President of the Sacramento Valley Alumni Chapter. We are in the process of reinvigorating the alumni chapter to recruit new members and have a solid alumni chapter in the Sacramento area.

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Sacramento Valley

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Sierra Nevada Regional Vice President (2013-Present); Western Province Discipline Committee (2015-2017); District Director-Epsilon Phi (2007-2013); District Director-Epsilon Theta (2011-2012) and (2002-2003); District Director-Delta Pi (2010-2011); Provincial Professional Development Committee Chair (2011-2013); Provincial Professional Development Committee (2009-2010); District Director-Lambda Mu (2006); Sierra Nevada Regional Awards Committee (2005-2006); Attended 2 National Officer Training Schools and 1 National Leadership Retreat; Grand President's Circle Member; Certified Deltasig Leader Tier II (2012-Present); Attended over 25 LEAD Schools and LEAD Provincial Conferences (1999-2017); Attended 4 Grand Chapter Congress (2001-2015); Attended LeaderShape (2002)

Statement of Platform: Since graduating from college, I have served the Fraternity in many ways as a Volunteer Leader. Through these positions, I have gained the knowledge and skills to serve you as Provincial Vice President for the Western Province. In business, I coach my franchisee's to "BE YOUR BEST!" As Provincial Vice President, I would like to work with each Region, Chapter and Brother in the Western Province to be your BEST!

I would also like to expand on the Leadership Development programs in our Province at LEAD Schools by infusing new curriculum for both Collegiate and Alumni. In the past biennium we have begun the LEAD Tours program in the Province. This has been a resounding success and I would like to continue our innovation to ensure that everyone who attends is getting the BEST experience possible.

In addition, I would like to continue to work on:

- Developing a pipeline of volunteer leaders for our Province
- Creating a solid Alumni/Volunteer Leadership Training Program
- Continuing current expansion to install 2-3 chapters per year
- Maintaining our strong Brotherhood within the Province

Thank you for your support and I would be honored to serve as your Provincial Vice President.

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Nick Rizzi

Primary Address: Denver, CO

Name of Employer or Business: OneRooftop

Job Title: Director of Operations

Chapter Name and School: Alpha Nu/University of Denver

Date of Initiation: 11/6/2010

Email Address: 2014COY@dsp.org

Graduation Year: 2014

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Vice President of Professional Events & Brotherhood Activities, President, Public Relations Chair, Senior Vice-President, (Each office held for the entire duration of the school year in every office except VPPE, where it was only a 6 month term)

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: At OneRooftop I am the Director of Operations. My primary responsibilities include sales, management, and operational duties as related to the company how I see fit. Usually it revolves around expanding our customer base, but often I'm also writing sales funnels and emails, managing our customer service team, fostering connections for the company, and attending conferences to help us advertise. As a small startup with less than 10 individuals, I often find myself wearing many hats, despite having an official role, I recognize it is important to be flexible as we grow and oftentimes lend myself out to whatever area needs me the most.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Denver Alumni Chapter Board Member (2014-Present)

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Denver

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): 2014 National Collegian of the Year and Delta Sigma Pi Board Member (2014-2016), Mu Chi District Director (Early 2016-Present), Rocky Mountain Regional Awards Committee (2014-2016), 2 Succeed Faster Conferences, 2 Leadership Retreats, 3 Grand Chapter Congress, and 16 LEAD schools and Provincial LEAD Conferences (2010-2017).

Statement of Platform: Our organization's impact and strengths come directly from our governing body; our collegians, alumni, and every volunteer leader in Delta Sigma Pi. Having served our Fraternity in volunteer roles for the past 7 years (and counting) I have witnessed firsthand our strengths and opportunities to improve. I am seeking to serve our province to help guide our members to be the best we can be.

The most important role of the Western Provincial Vice President is to focus on the future, our collegians. Should I be elected, I will focus on our leadership team, ensuring they have the best tools and training at their disposal. By creating a strong, cohesive team, collegians will have more opportunities to excel. We will then be able to focus on the training and development tracks during LEADs; for collegians and alumni. Additionally, we will be able to not only further build our connections, but to develop a more welcoming environment for alumni to open their doors to our collegians.

While there are many avenues we could take to achieve these goals, the destination is simple. Unity. It would be an honor to serve as your Western Provincial Vice President.

ATLANTIC COAST REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (1 candidate)

Name of Nominee: Trina Kirk

Primary Address: Yulee, FL

Name of Employer or Business: Yates Construction

Job Title: Human Resource Controller

Chapter Name and School: Kappa Pi/University of North Florida

Date Of Initiation: 11/12/1994

Email Address: trinakirk@hotmail.com

Graduation Year: 2003

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Chapter President; Vice President of Pledge Education; Vice President of Chapter Operations; Vice President of Alumni Relations; Chancellor; Ritual Chair; Brotherhood Chair; Faculty/Alumni Relations Chair.

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I work out of the Jacksonville Industrial Division Office for my company. I help manage the human resource functions within my division to include recruitment, hiring, and completion of the new-hire administration. Also, I am responsible for processing payroll for 200 employees within my Division. I also research employee reported payroll discrepancies against time records and field verifications to ensure accurate compensation. I update and maintain all personnel, training, and safety databases for current employees within my Division.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Vice President of Chapter Operations (2008-2010); Secretary (2010-2012); Vice President of Collegiate Relations (2012-2013); Chapter President (2013-2015); Secretary (2016-2017).

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Jacksonville

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): 2012- Present - District Director of the Kappa Chi Chapter at Savannah State University (Atlantic Coast Region); 2008-2012 - District Director of the Kappa Pi Chapter at the University of North Florida (Atlantic Coast Region); 2017 Southern LEAD Provincial Conference (Delegate); 2016 Jacksonville LEAD School; 2016 Career Achievement Banquet; 2016 National Volunteer Retreat; 2016 Southern

LEAD Provincial Conference (Alternate Delegate); 2015 Greensboro LEAD School; 2015 Southern LEAD Provincial Conference; 2014 Atlanta LEAD School; 2013 Columbia LEAD School; 2013 Grand Chapter Congress; 2012 Southern LEAD Provincial Conference; 2011 Atlanta LEAD School; 2010 Southern LEAD Prov Conf (Charlotte); 2009 Grand Chapter Congress (Washington, DC - Delegate); Tampa LEAD School; 2007 Grand Chapter Congress; 2005 Grand Chapter Congress; 2004 Tampa LEAD School; 2004 Southern LEAD Provincial Conference; 2003 Grand Chapter Congress (Alternate delegate),

Statement of Platform: Delta Sigma Pi has taught me many valuable lessons. One lesson of importance is Communication. If elected as the next Regional Vice President of the Atlantic Coast, collegiate and alumni brothers can expect open lines of communication not only from myself, but from those who are appointed District Directors. I would strive to ensure that each collegiate chapter has a District Director who is strong and effective to help guide them. I would work hand and hand with the District Directors to ensure each chapter is on a successful path to making themselves, as well as, our Region stronger and better. One such area would be working with the District Directors and the chapters in their journey to achieve Accredited Chapter or higher on CMP. I would aim to achieve 100% participation at all National and Regional events from all collegiate and alumni chapters. I want to work with the current alumni chapters to see what can be done to help strengthen them, as well as, look into possibly starting up new alumni chapters in other areas of our Region. It would be an honor to serve as the next Regional Vice President of the Atlantic Coast.

Nomination Withdrawn by Candidate 5/30/17

Name of Nominee: Theodore Moore

BAY AREA REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (0 candidates)

CAPITAL REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (1 candidate)

Name of Nominee: Monica Monroe

Primary Address: Jefferson MD

Name of Employer or Business: Simply Fresh Events

Job Title: Event Coordinator

Chapter Name and School: Epsilon Kappa/Shepherd University

Date Of Initiation: 4/2/2012

Email Address: mmonro01@comcast.net

Graduation Year: 2014

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: VP of Fundraising; Chapter President

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I had the aspiration to get into the Hospitality Industry at the age of 16. A few year later, I finally saw that dream become my profession and it has now become my career. As an Event Coordinator, I am in charge of high-end corporate events and weddings in the D.C.-Metro area. Besides the coordination and

planning aspect of my position, I also manage the company's social media hubs, network with local vendors and coordinators, and sometimes I even like to go back in our industrial-sized kitchen and help prepare food! My job requires strong attention to detail, excellent customer service, up-selling skills, and the ability to make rational split second decisions. One of my favorite aspects of my job is that, although it can be extremely stressful at times, it never feels like work- it is very important to me that I enjoy and love what I do!

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): June 2016- Present: VPCR
Continuing my fraternal involvement is very important to me! As an alumnus, I strive to make a difference in my local chapter by encouraging more alumni to become more actively involved, create a smooth transition for graduating collegiate brothers, and to make sure my alumni chapter stays active in not only local activities, but also national activities. I want my alumni chapter to always have a voice and make a difference. I want to set an example to the undergraduate brothers that being a Deltasig is something that should be a lifelong commitment and that they can always find a home in the Shepherdstown Alumni!

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Shepherdstown (WV)

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Alumni Chapter Delegate at Grand Chapter- Chicago, 2015

Statement of Platform: My goals would be to help the Region become more cohesive as a whole, to assist each chapter in achieving and maintaining chapter excellence, to encourage attendance and participation in Fraternal events such as LEAD and Grand Chapter, and to actively participate in Fraternity-wide programs such as Chapter Management, the Leadership Foundation, and in the local communities. Also, my goal would be to help educate collegiate and alumni brothers as best as I could in how they can best serve the Fraternity individually, collectively as a chapter, and even nationally- especially after graduation. I want to see each chapter set attainable goals, and strive to make a difference on the campuses and in their communities! Lastly, I want to make a difference in the Capital Region by creating lasting relationships with brothers and being present to their chapter for any needs that might arise- being present is the key to forming and maintaining any partnership, and I want each brother to know that they can depend on their RVP to help in every way that I'm able!

CENTRAL REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (2 candidates)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Jessica Anderson

Primary Address: Brownsburg, IN

Name of Employer or Business: Fastenal

Job Title: Sourcing Administrator

Chapter Name and School: Iota Sigma/University of Evansville

Date of Initiation: 11/19/2011

Email Address: CentralRVP@dsp.org

Graduation Year: 2015

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Interfraternal Relations Senior Vice President

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: We do a little bit of everything on my team, so it's really hard to describe in bullet points. We oversee the national account quoting process from beginning to end, assisting in preparing the quotes for the actual quoters to putting together a clean copy for the sales team to present to their customers. We also oversee a large amount of the contract pricing that is done for National Accounts, including updating pricing for existing national

accounts, creating pricing for new national accounts, and various other reporting duties. No day is ever the same and you never really know what's going to end up on your desk next.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Indianapolis no longer has a franchised alumni chapter.

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: No

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Central RVP - 2015-2017

Statement of Platform: My goals for the fraternity are rather simple, yet I believe they can do a lot of good for the fraternity. My first goal is inclusion, whether that be on the chapter, regional, or even national level. I want the chapters of the Central Region to feel like they are a part of something bigger than just their own chapters. I plan to achieve this by hosting more regional events as well as encourage national event attendance. My other major goal is to improve chapter operations. I hope to teach chapters that there's more to being a successful chapter than just a good CMP score. I want to help chapters go above and beyond what is expected of them, and truly enjoy doing it. My 3rd goal is open communication, whether that be collegiate member to collegiate member, collegiate member to national officer. I want the brothers of Central Region to understand that we truly are a brotherhood and we are always there for each other, in the good times and the bad.

Name of Nominee: Pablo Portillo

Primary Address: Indianapolis, IN

Name of Employer or Business: Eli Lilly and Company

Job Title: Financial Analyst

Chapter Name and School: Zeta Nu/Texas A&M University-Kingsville

Date Of Initiation: 11/23/2013

Email Address: pabloportillo18@gmail.com

Graduation Year: 2016

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: President-Spring 2016 & 2014-2015(full year); Senior Vice President-Spring 2014; Vice President of Alumni Relations-Fall 2015; GCC Chapter Delegate-2015; Provincial Chapter Delegate-2015&2016; Regional Collegian Of the Year-2016

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I am a financial analyst at Eli Lilly and Company. In this role, I provide real time cost estimations to support medicine development teams and overall forecasting activities. I ensure the appropriate changes in an asset progression are properly reflected within the company's integrated systems. Also, I oversee the management of different function budgets and aid in the analysis to define efficiencies and find greater cost savings. In addition, I assist in the recruitment and development of young talent.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Indianapolis no longer has a franchised chapter

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: No

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Certified Deltasig Tier I and Tier II; Deltasig for Life Donor; North Central Provincial LEAD-2017; South Central Provincial LEAD-2016, 2015, 2014; Grand Chapter Congress-2015; LEAD School-2013&2014

Statement of Platform: My plan as RVP would flow of the following five points:

- Assuring all chapters are aligned with the Fraternity's strategic priorities

- Increasing the amount of provincial and national awards within the region, including COY
- Implementing stronger lines of communications between appointed District Directors and collegiate
- Developing better flow of shared learning between the chapters of the region
- Establish line of sight with each chapter's faculty sponsor, dean, and student activities staff

My ultimate goal is to develop the region into the model of all that the Fraternity can offer and what others should strive for. As a previous President, I have had line of sight to all operations of a chapter. With the aid of my officers and school faculty in reevaluating our chapter events and shared ideas between the chapters in our region we drove to win Provincial Awards and achieve Chapter of Excellence with a 100%-member growth. Overall, I plan to make this an experience where we all can evaluate and enhance our current processes and better serve our Fraternity, local community, and ourselves. We will work together so we all may further grow our brotherhood through unique shared experiences and learnings.

CENTRAL GULF REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (1 candidate)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Holly Vernon

Primary Address: Prattville, AL

Name of Employer or Business: Jackson Thornton

Job Title: Senior Associate

Chapter Name and School: Eta Kappa/Troy University

Date Of Initiation: 10/14/2010

Email Address: CentralGulfRVP@dsp.org

Graduation Year: 2012

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Pledge Class President, Fundraising Chair, Vice President Pledge Education, President (2 years), Ritual Chair, Social Chair

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: My main responsibilities include tax return preparation (Individual, Partnership, Corporate, and Not-for-Profit), tax projections and planning, monthly client accounting and payroll, general compilation and review engagements, Not-for-Profit and Governmental auditing, and training and supervision of new staff.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates):

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Birmingham-Magic City

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Regional Vice President of Central Gulf Region of the Southern Province (August 2015 to Present), Cincinnati Leadership Retreat (September 2015), Tier One Certified Deltasig Leader (November 2016), Tier Two Certified Deltasig Leader (February 2017).

Statement of Platform: Delta Sigma Pi has taught me numerous lessons, but I believe the two most important are the value of good work ethic and the solidarity of a brotherhood.

The last two years as RVP was a learning experience that I am anxious to improve upon. My main focus will be strengthening the chapters within my region by guiding and providing the tools they need to achieve both chapter and national strategic goals. I want to ensure that the Central Gulf region excels in every facet of Fraternity operations. If elected to this position, I aim to achieve the following goals:

- 100% attendance at LEAD conferences & national conventions
- All chapters obtain Accredited status or higher
- Maintain a solid and stable communication line with the chapters and District Directors
- Strengthen the connection between alumni and collegiate members by encouraging recent graduates to stay involved.
- Increase chapter participation & membership numbers

The Central Gulf region is capable of fantastic things. By working together at the collegiate and national level, we can nurture brothers to become shining examples and strong leaders of tomorrow. I hope you will give me the opportunity to continue to work with you!

DESERT MOUNTAIN REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (1 candidate)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: David Pratt

Primary Address: Scottsdale, AZ

Name of Employer or Business: Homeowners Financial Group

Job Title: Human Resources/Payroll

Chapter Name and School: Gamma Psi/University of Arizona

Date of Initiation: 11/17/2012

Email Address: davidprattaz@gmail.com

Graduation Year: 2015

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: President - Spring 2015

Vice President Pledge Education - Fall 2014

Professional Activities Committee - Fall 2013

Fundraising Committee - Spring 2013

Silent Auction Committee - Spring 2013

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: As the human resources and payroll coordinator for Homeowners Financial Group, my job entails communicating with 365 employees in 13 states to ensure employee relations and financial operations run smoothly. Every day, I partner with hiring managers to write offer agreements and present them to their candidates, often times requiring several meetings to get the offer details correct. Once a candidate accepts, I make sure their on-boarding is a positive and professional experience. Once on-board, I work with employees on a daily basis to assist with their health benefits, retirement management, work-issues, and overall needs. I maintain our HR software with all employee demographic and compensation data and create various reports for upper management. Every two weeks I help coordinate payroll to make sure everyone is paid correctly and on time. This involves maintaining spreadsheets containing thousands of formulas, using proper communication with employees all over the country, and staying organized to ensure accuracy. I consistently use statistical analysis to understand how to make our processes better and more efficient. Aside from the on-boarding and payroll responsibilities, one of my favorite aspects of the job is participating in our leadership training exercises. We recently held training for

everyone in a managerial position, within the company, totaling over sixty people in a two-month period. I helped train our leadership team on topics such as hiring, terminating, performance reviews, interviewing, company culture, organization, communication, and compliance. In essence, my job at Homeowners Financial Group is to be a strong representative of the company and its culture, ensuring that employees are treated with respect at all times and provided the tools they need to succeed at the company.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates):

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Phoenix-Thunderbird

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): District Director - Gamma Psi Chapter - Fall 2015 through Spring 2017

Statement of Platform: I am currently a District Director. If elected Regional Vice President of the Desert Mountain Region, I will first and foremost appoint District Directors to each chapter in the region to establish a strong leadership team. My plan is to work through these district directors and use the proper channels of communication to communicate regional initiatives.

After appointing a strong team, it is my goal to have all chapters be recognized as Chapter of Recognition or higher in the two-year term. The CMP serves as a road-map of success for any chapter, and I hope to help each District Director understand and utilize the platform to assist and guide their respective executive committees. I plan to build regional unity through brotherhood days in the beginning of each fall term, and structured regional initiations for each spring. These strong regional events will help promote national events such as LEAD and GCC, where I hope to have high numbers of collegiate and alumni members attend. Finally, as Regional Vice President, I would work closely to promote national fraternity initiatives in the region and ensure the Desert Mountain region is a small but accurate representation of the fraternity at large.

EAST CENTRAL REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (1 candidate)

Name of Nominee: James Kuhn

Primary Address: Findlay OH

Name of Employer or Business: N/A

Job Title: N/A

Chapter Name and School: Xi Upsilon/Marshall University

Date Of Initiation: 11/18/2006

Email Address: JamesKuhn67@gmail.com

Graduation Year: 2010

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Chapter President; SVP; VPF; VPCO; VPPA; VPCS; VPSA

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I am currently a stay-at-home Father. Some of my responsibilities include: time management, inventory control, safety/risk management, and training.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): N/A

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Cincinnati

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): District Director, Alpha Omicron (Ohio University) – 2011; East Central Regional Awards Committee - 2014-2016; Co-District Director, Gamma Mu (Tulane University) – 2015; District Director, Theta Pi (Bowling Green

State University) - 2016-2017

Statement of Platform: I plan to place an emphasis on improving the following:

Intra- and inter-regional communication

(I would like to have a region where chapters regularly exchange ideas and best practices with other chapters within the region, as well as other chapters that are similar to their own regardless of geographic location.)

Chapter, personal, and professional growth

(Whether it's ensuring a healthy chapter size, improving operations, or helping Brothers to get more out of their membership, I want to see our Brothers and chapters move forward.)

Adherence to ritual

(I want chapters to adhere to our ritual as written and move away from "traditions" that take away from our ritual. I find it very important that Brothers have the same experience and perform our ritual as agreed upon by the Grand Chapter.)

Risk management

(I would like to ensure chapters are learning how to better identify risks and how to minimize those instances that can be troublesome to Brothers at all levels of the fraternity.)

EASTERN REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (0 candidates)

EMPIRE REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (1 candidate)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Jacqueline Napalan

Primary Address: New York, NY

Name of Employer or Business: Bloomberg

Job Title: University Relationship Manager

Chapter Name and School: Lambda Phi/California State University-Long Beach

Date Of Initiation: 11/16/2012

Email Address: EmpireRVP@dsp.org

Graduation Year: 2013

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Vice President of Alumni Relations (Spring 2013). External Ambassador (Fall 2013).

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I work with universities in the West United States to help build their finance curriculum around industry needs. I consult professors on how they can use our educational technology as a course supplement to their syllabus as it fosters experiential learning and applied financial theory. I often attend large scale academic conferences to generate awareness of how our clients incorporate our financial technology in the educational space to better prepare their students for a future career on Wall Street.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Vice President of Collegiate Relations (2014 - 2015). President (2015 - Present).

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: New York City

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Attended GCC 2013. Attended GCC 2015 (Delegate for the NYC Alumni Chapter). Attending GCC 2017.

As VPCR, I attended local collegiate chapter's alumni events, such as Alpha's Meet the Chapter meeting. I also invited the VPARs and VPPAs to the Bloomberg office for an exclusive finance student networking night.

As President, I created a strategic plan to rebuild our alumni chapter with the assistance of my officers. We re-branded and create a new website, hosted our first ever volunteer event, created a bi-monthly area alumni newsletter, established several flagship seasonal events, re-opened our bank account, and am working on seeding the Empire scholarship fund.

Statement of Platform: After a year of serving as the interim Empire RVP, I successfully connected all collegiate chapters in my region and helped them realize that their network is stronger than their own campus. I hosted a regional picnic in Central Park with over 55 brothers from 5 different campuses. The impact of their collaboration was evident at the following LEAD school, as I saw the brothers excited to see familiar faces during our regional meeting.

If I am re-elected as the Empire RVP, my primary goal is to continue to drive engagement across the region and foster an environment for both collegiate and alumni brothers to learn and grow. I plan to continue leading by example and illustrate to the collegiate brothers the many ways to stay involved after graduation.

I also plan to have more professional development opportunities for my DDs (e.g. webinars, workshops, team retreat). I host 1:1 meetings each semester, but it would be a great opportunity for my DDs to discuss challenges they have been having on campus and hear suggestions from peers advising other chapters in a casual setting. I am planning to require that my entire team go through CDL training as well.

GATEWAY REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (1 candidate)

Name of Nominee: Matthew Hudson

Primary Address: Saint Charles, MO

Name of Employer or Business: World Wide Technology

Job Title: Product Owner

Chapter Name and School: Beta Sigma/St. Louis University

Date Of Initiation: 4/17/2004

Email Address: southcentral.alumni@dsp.org

Graduation Year: 2005

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: VP Community Service - August 2003 to December 2004; President - January to December 2005

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I work in Supply Chain Operations at World Wide Technology, where we deliver strategic technology services and solutions to our customers. I am responsible for developing and maintaining the vision, strategy and roadmap for WWT's Logistics and Transportation systems to ensure my IT team of 25 are delivering the most value to our end users. My job requires me to gather feedback from all levels of our business, and turn that feedback into strategic outcomes that can be clearly communicated across our entire

organization.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): St. Louis, Secretary 2006-2007; St. Louis, VP Membership 2007-2008; St. Louis, Chancellor 2014-2016

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: St. Louis

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): District Director, Nu Eta Sigma Colony 2006-2010; District Director, Alpha Chi 2007-2010; District Director, Kappa Delta Iota Colony 2013-2014; Chancellor, South Central Province 2014-Present; District Director, Sigma Psi 2014-Present; National Bylaws Review Committee 2014-Present; Provincial Alumni Development Chair, South Central Province 2016-Present

Statement of Platform: Delta Sigma Pi was an extremely important part of my college experience, and the support and advice I received from my alumni mentors has been invaluable. It has always been my goal to pay it forward and dedicate my time and treasure to an organization that has given me so much.

I believe that DD's play a critical role in our organization. I will work to ensure all chapters in the region are assigned DDs, and that they receive the proper support and training needed for the position.

I believe in focusing on outcomes over requirements. Too often people are more concerned with ensuring the boxes are checked rather than doing something of value. I will work with the chapters to find ways they can deliver value to their organization and campus.

I believe that "Eureka" moments are rare. Great ideas usually do not come to us in an instant, but start as good ideas that are cultivated through collaboration. I will work to provide the chapters with the tools and opportunities to collaborate both within their chapter as well as across the region.

I look forward to serving you in the next biennium.

GREAT LAKES REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (1 candidate)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Nicole Orlando

Primary Address: Chicago, IL

Name of Employer or Business: FDIC

Job Title: Case Manager

Chapter Name and School: Kappa Upsilon/Winona State University

Date Of Initiation: 12/9/1995

Email Address: GreatLakesRVP@dsp.org

Graduation Year: 1998

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Senior Vice President; Vice President-Community Service

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I provide oversight to sound and troubled insured institutions throughout the nation. I work with examiners that conduct audits of insured institutions and I process the resultant reports of examination. I also coordinate oversight of troubled institutions with the applicable State or Federal agencies that share supervision of these banks. Lastly, I process formal and informal enforcement actions as well as applications for

insured institutions.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Twin Cities Alumni Chapter: Chapter Liaison 2003-2004; Vice President-Professional Activities 2004-2005; Vice President-Scholarships and Awards 2005-2006

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Chicago

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Great Lakes Regional Vice President 2015-present; District Director: Epsilon Iota 2003-2006, Xi Rho 2007-2010, Alpha Omega 2011-2013, Gamma Pi 2013-2015.

Statement of Platform: As the Great Lakes Regional Vice President, I will continue to schedule ongoing conference calls with the Region's District Directors. Over the last biennium, these calls have served as an excellent opportunity for each District Director to discuss chapter issues, raise questions, and announce chapter events. These calls have also allowed me to discuss Chapter Management Program deadlines, pledge education program and initiation guidelines, and regional and national events. I will also continue to work with the Region's District Directors and other volunteer leaders to provide educational and professional development opportunities to collegiate chapters. I hosted a regional conference in 2016 and selected session topics based on feedback received from the collegiate chapters. I will provide these development opportunities to collegiate chapters through annual regional conferences over the next biennium. Also, I plan to remain focused on identifying and implementing methods for enhancing each collegiate chapter's relationship with the advisor and school. Lastly, I will work with the alumni chapters to strengthen their relationship with collegiate chapters and maintain their membership through active recruitment. It has been an honor serving as the Great Lakes Regional Vice President and I look forward to working with the Region over the next biennium.

GREAT PLAINS REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (1 candidate)

Name of Nominee: Ellie Pelto

Primary Address: Omaha, NE

Name of Employer or Business: Concierge Marketing Book Publishing Services

Job Title: Marketing Director

Chapter Name and School: Gamma Eta/University of Nebraska - Omaha

Date Of Initiation: 4/17/2010

Email Address: NorthCentral.communications@dsp.org

Graduation Year: 2013

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: President - One semester term; Vice President - Chapter Operations - 2 year terms; Fundraising Chair - Two semester terms; Pledge Chapter Operations

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: As the Marketing Director for Concierge Marketing Publishing Services, I am responsible for a myriad of things. I do all of the industry compliance -- registering for ISBNs, copyrights, doing research on pricing and subject placement. I also proofread all books that are published through Concierge Marketing. In addition, I do marketing for our clients, whether that's creating a full marketing plan, social media campaigns, buying advertisements, creating other branded materials, and much more. For a full look at my employment history, please visit my LinkedIn page here:

<https://www.linkedin.com/in/elliapelto/>

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): President - January 2017 to Present; Alumni Chapter Contact - January 2017 to Present; Vice President - Collegiate Relations - May 2014-January 2017

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Lincoln/Greater Nebraska

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): North Central Province Marketing Chair - November 2015 to Present; Ritual Review Committee - 2016 to Present

2017 Grand Chapter Congress; 2017 North Central LEAD Provincial Conference; 2016 Overland Park (KS) LEAD School; 2016 Career Achievement Banquet; 2016 National Volunteer Retreat; 2016 North Central LEAD Provincial Conference; 2015 Great Plains Regional Conference; 2015 Springfield (MO) LEAD School; 2015 Grand Chapter Congress 2015 North Central LEAD Provincial Conference; 2014 Great Plains Regional Conference 2014 North Central LEAD Provincial Conference; 2013 Great Plains Regional Conference 2013 Las Vegas LEAD School; 2013 Indianapolis LEAD School; 2013 Grand Chapter Congress; 2013 North Central LEAD Provincial Conference; 2012 Des Moines LEAD School; 2012 North Central LEAD Provincial Conference; 2011 Omaha LEAD School; 2011 Grand Chapter Congress; 2011 North Central Prov Conf (Madison, WI); 2010 Indianapolis LEAD School (NC)

Statement of Platform: In seeking a term as Regional Vice President of the Great Plains Region, I hope to help further the success of all of the chapters in the region. I believe that with great leaders in place as District Directors, Chapter Presidents, and alumni, we can continue our great work for the Fraternity and communities we live in. I want to encourage the leaders of the region to lead by example, showing our commitment to excellence.

I plan to continue the yearly regional conference and hope to use this as a tool for brothers to grow professionally and fraternally, network, and learn from our fellow brothers to make us better as a whole.

As a strong proponent myself of National Fraternity events, I hope to encourage chapters to attend these events and will offer my help to increase attendance.

GULF SOUTH REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (1 candidate)

Name of Nominee: Megan LeBouef

Primary Address: Lake Charles, LA

Name of Employer or Business: Burrow Global Corp

Job Title: Contract Administrator

Chapter Name and School: Eta Tau/McNeese State University

Date Of Initiation: 7/23/2005

Email Address: megan.lebouef@gmail.com

Graduation Year: 2008

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Nu Eta Tau Colony 2004-2005:

Vice President of Alumni Relations 2004-2005; Webmaster 2004-2005

Eta Tau Chapter 2005-2008: Vice President of Pledge Education 2005-2006; Grand Chapter Congress Alternate Delegate 2005; Fundraising Chair 2005-2006; Senior Vice Present 2006-2007; Regional Initiation Junior Warden 2006; Ritual Chair 2006-2007; SGA Senator 2006-

2008; President 2007-2008; Eta Tau Collegian of the Year 2008; Eta Tau Provincial Delegate 2008; Gulf South Region Collegian of the Year 2008;

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: As a Contracts Administrator at Phillips 66 Manufacturing Complex, I am responsible for Vendor contractual and safety/training qualification for site access and badging. I coordinate the flow of and generate contractual documents (Scope of Work and Compensation Contracts, Amendments, Site Access Agreements, etc.) and maintain contract compliance and rate reports, procedures, and templates.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Lake Charles Alumni Chapter Secretary 2008-2009;

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: No

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Events Attended: Grand Chapter Congress 2005, 2009; South Central Provincial Lead 2005, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2016, 2017; South Central Provincial Lead Session Presenter 2011; South Central Lead School 2006, 2007, 2010; South Central Lead School Session Presenter 2010; Gulf South Regional Initiation 2006; Multiple Collegiate Events, Pledge Ceremonies, and Initiations from 2008-Current

Volunteer Leadership:

South Central Province Alumni Development Committee 2008; South Central Province Community Service Committee 2009-2011; National Organizational Development Committee 2009-2011; South Central Province Scholarship and Awards Committee 2009-Current; Gulf South Region Scholarship and Awards Committee 2009-Current; Eta Tau District Director 2009-Current Awards:

District Director of the Year 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013; Certified Deltasig Leader Tier I 2016;

Statement of Platform: If I am elected to serve as your next Gulf South Regional Vice President, I have but only one goal, and that is to inspire.

I have been a Brother of Delta Sigma Pi since 2005 when our chapter received its charter after being a Colony for less than a year. I, along with other colony members, were inspired to meet our requirements and join this Fraternity. As a collegiate, I was inspired to serve in numerous officer and chair positions to better our chapter. Since my graduation, I was inspired to serve continuously as District Director and on Regional, Provincial, and National Committees.

From the beginning of my Deltasig story to this current chapter that I'm in, there has always been that one driving force for me to be involved, and that is inspiration. Inspiration from Brothers I've met along the way and the collegiate and alumni experiences that make being a Brother so cherished.

I will be the inspiration for the Gulf South Region to be better than we were yesterday: to meet our CMP goals; to be educated; to be prepared; to be financially stable, to grow, and most importantly, to be an inspiration for others.

GULF WESTERN REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (1 candidate)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Musanna Al-Muntasir

Primary Address: Corpus Christi, TX

Name of Employer or Business: South Texas Lighthouse for the Blind

Job Title: Director of Marketing and Development

Chapter Name and School: Iota Psi/Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi

Date of Initiation: 12/1/2007

Email Address: GulfWesternRVP@dsp.org

Graduation Year: 2008

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Senior Vice President (2008) - One semester, Webmaster (2007-2008) - Two Semesters

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I am currently the Director of Marketing and Development for South Texas Lighthouse for the Blind. I oversee the organization's marketing efforts as they strive to employ, educate, and empower the blind community and those with visual impairments. I am also an academic. I enjoy reading, teaching, conducting research, consulting, writing and publishing. I believe every time I teach a student, publish a paper, make a professional presentation, or consult a company, I am making a marginal contribution to society.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): President - Corpus Christi Alumni Chapter (2010-2012), VP Collegiate Relations -Corpus Christi Alumni Chapter (2014-2015), VP Chapter Operations -Corpus Christi Alumni Chapter (2016-2017)

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Corpus Christi

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Regional Vice President (2015 – Present) 2 years; District Director 2009-2014 (6 years); Gulf Western IT Chair (2010-2015) 5 years; Position awarded by Past RVP Gilbert Landras; Certified Deltasig Leader Tier 1 and 2 (Since 2010); Leadership Foundation Donor - Foundation Member (Annual); Founder of theDeltasig Website

2017 Grand Chapter Congress (Future); 2017 South Central LEAD Provincial Conference (Future); 2016 Denver LEAD School; 2016 South Central LEAD Provincial Conference; 2015 Albuquerque LEAD School; 2015 Grand Chapter Congress; 2014 St. Louis LEAD School; 2014 South Central LEAD Provincial Conference; 2013 Houston LEAD School; 2013 Grand Chapter Congress; 2012 Dallas LEAD School; 2012 South Central LEAD Provincial Conference; 2011 Atlanta LEAD School; 2011 Grand Chapter Congress; 2011 South Central Provincial Conference (Baton Rouge, LA); 2008 Denver LEAD School

Statement of Platform: Being RVP for the last two years I am happy we were able to open new opportunities for the region. We're heading into our second regional conference to cater to our professional and networking needs of the Gulf Western Region. I look forward to spending the next term continuing to motivate chapters, train and educate them to effectively perform well in their positions, take part in conflict mediation, overcome weaknesses, and successfully lead them to Chapter of Excellence.

Many of you may know that the Gulf Western Region has always been my home. I served it faithfully for nearly a decade now as a collegiate and national officer. I even served as a District Director while I relocated for two years to the Southwestern Region. Having lived in another region gave me an outside perspective of how other regions are managed and insight to where areas could be improved.

My main goals for the next two years are to accomplish four items; establish more chapters (colonies) in the Gulf Western Region, increase the involvement and development of Alumni chapters, continue to host regional conferences and initiations, and help all chapters reach Chapter of Excellence for the year.

HURON REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (3 candidates)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Xavier Carr

Primary Address: Detroit, MI

Name of Employer or Business: Deloitte, LLP.

Job Title: Records Administrator

Chapter Name and School: Gamma Theta/Wayne State University

Date of Initiation: 12/7/2013

Email Address: xthedivineone@gmail.com

Graduation Year: 2015

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: VPPA- 2014; VPPE- 2014-2015; VPAR- 2015

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: Ensures compliance with established internal control procedures by examining records, reports, operating practices, and documentation. Assist Team Leader in adhering to deadlines for the completion of special projects. Audit and organize documents from company clients to prepare for salvage or destruction.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): VPPD- 2015-2016

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Detroit-Motown

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): LEAD School- 2014, 2015, 2016; LEAD Provincial- 2014, 2015

Statement of Platform: 1. Promote brotherhood and unity between the collegiate chapters in the regions by emphasizing that we are one Delta Sigma Pi and one Huron region via brotherhood programs.

2. Bridge the gap between the alumni and collegiate chapters in the region by creating professional development programs.

3. Have all collegiate chapters at the accredited level by the end of the school year.

4. Increase alumni chapter membership via branding and marketing to current alumni and collegiate brothers.

5. Increase collegiate membership by 10 percent each school year.

6. Charter a colony or reactivate at least one chapter during the term.

7. Have all collegiate chapters nominate at least one faculty employee or business owner for honorary membership during the term.
 8. Promote inclusion and diversity via forums or workshops.
 9. Have at least two collegiate brothers win a national award.
 10. Encourage brothers to go beyond the bare minimum pertaining to fraternity business.
 11. Improve chapter operations.
 12. Help strengthen struggling relationships between faculty members and collegiate chapters.
 13. Provide more scholarship opportunities for collegiate and alumni brothers.
 14. Encourage participation at the collegiate and national level.
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Name of Nominee: Kevin Finley

Primary Address: Saginaw, MI

Name of Employer or Business: The Dow Chemical Company

Job Title: Financial Accountant

Chapter Name and School: Mu Phi/Saginaw Valley State University

Date Of Initiation: 12/1/2012

Email Address: kdfinley@svsu.edu

Graduation Year: 2017

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Mu Phi Chapter President; Vice President of Finance; Co-Founder of Mu Phi chapter's Business week; Currently working to start a Tri-Cities Alumni chapter for the Huron Region

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I work as a Financial Accountant for the Dow Chemical company and my primary focus is to ensure that financial reports submitted are accurate and free from error. I achieve this goal through working as an Entity Accounting Lead and a Chart of Accounts Coordinator for North America.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates):

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: No

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): 2016 Huron Regional Collegiate of the Year

Statement of Platform: As a RVP candidate, I realize the importance of communication, collaboration, chapter and regional development, and awards for our region. Although I am a recent graduate from the Mu Phi chapter, I have been a member of Delta Sigma Pi for five years and have seen the growth and struggles of various chapters in our region. My age gives me an advantage as it relates to working with collegiate and alumni chapters, I aim to bridge the gap between chapters collaborating together. In 2016, I was the Huron COY and served as President and VP of Finance. My experience with DSP has given me a different outlook and approach due to my recent experience as a collegiate. I know what it is like to be a leader and a follower of a

chapter's leadership, and my ideas for improving the overall operations of our region involve more communications with each chapter, reinstating regional officer training, regional events, more financial planning, and increasing Huron's chapter recognition. Through this opportunity, I hope to grow with the chapters and maintain an open-door policy regarding all chapter matters to ensure that we maintain high quality chapter operations and moral!

Name of Nominee: Anna Trenshaw

Primary Address: Kentwood, MI

Name of Employer or Business: Steelcase

Job Title: Product Data Analyst

Chapter Name and School: Lambda Xi/Grand Valley State University

Date Of Initiation: 11/10/2012

Email Address: anna.trenshaw@gmail.com

Graduation Year: 2016

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Vice President of Community Service (Winter 2013); Vice President of Chapter Operations (2013 - 2014); President (2014 - 2016)

- Coordinate Lambda Xi LEAD event attendance (including the submission of a funding request from the school) for 6 national events

- Assisted in hosting a Founder's Day event Fall 2014

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: At Steelcase, I am a Product Data Analyst on the Product Data Specials Team. My responsibilities surround processing special office furniture orders in SAP to size, color, and features before being sent to manufacturing. I am responsible for process improvement initiatives, as well as representing our team at meetings in other departments.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Founder (May 2016); President (May 2016 - Present)

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Grand Rapids (MI)

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): EVENTS: North Central LEAD Provincial Conference 2013 - Milwaukee, WI; North Central LEAD School 2013 - Indianapolis, IN; North Central LEAD Provincial Conference 2014 - Chicago, IL; North Central LEAD School 2014 - Troy, MI; North Central LEAD Provincial Conference 2015 - Coralville, IA; Grand Chapter Congress 2015 - Chicago, IL; North Central LEAD School 2015 - Fort Wayne, IN; North Central LEAD Provincial Conference 2016 - Minneapolis, MN; North Central LEAD School 2016 - Grand Rapids, MI

RESPONSIBILITIES: District Director, Pi Tau Chapter, October 2016 - Present

Statement of Platform: As I write this statement, I think back to my last Brother meeting as a collegiate last spring. I had mixed feelings that night- sadness for what I was leaving behind and excitement for what is to come. And I am very excited for this opportunity to run to be the next Huron Regional Vice President. I believe that collegiate experiences, my organizational skills, and my commitment to the advancement of our Fraternity will help me achieve the following goals:

1. Facilitate consistent communication between myself, District Directors, and collegiate and alumni chapters to problem solve effectively and efficiently.
2. Encourage collaboration across collegiate chapters to increase participation in co-sponsored events.
3. Utilize my own experiences and National Fraternity resources to educate Brothers on best-practices, solutions to common problems, and opportunities to stay involved as an alumni.
4. Use the first three strategies to develop alumni chapters, colonize new chapters, and increase Huron region participation overall.

It would be an honor to serve as the next Huron Regional Vice President. Thank you!

MID-ATLANTIC REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (1 candidate)

Nomination Withdrawn by Candidate 6/30/17

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Marlena Jones

Name of Nominee: Aimee King

Primary Address: Durham, NC

Name of Employer or Business: U.S. Dept. of Agriculture - NRCS

Job Title: Personnel Security Specialist

Chapter Name and School: Mu Chi/University of Colorado at Colorado Springs

Date Of Initiation: 11/10/2007

Email Address: a.s.king37@gmail.com

Graduation Year: 2009

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Chancellor - Fall 2008 thru Spring 2009

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I take the results of background investigations and determine the suitability of federal applicants for federal work.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): None, but currently working with other brothers in the Raleigh / Durham, NC area to franchise an Alumni Chapter.

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: No

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Rocky Mountain Region Awards Committee Chair - 2010 thru 2013; Western Region Awards Committee member - 2011 thru 2013; District Director - Johns Hopkins University - 2010 thru 2011; District Director - Alpha Lambda (UNC - Chapel Hill) 2016 thru 2017

Statement of Platform: First and foremost, I am humbled and honored to be a Deltasig. Delta Sigma Pi has given me so much since I have become a Brother in 2007. DSP has given me the skills to succeed, and I still continue to learn at every Fraternal event, and from current Brothers. Learning and knowledge doesn't just stop at each and every Brother, but it is meant to be shared and passed on.

So, with that knowledge, my goal is to give District Directors in the Mid-Atlantic Region, the tools necessary to help build their perspective collegiate chapters, to the best chapters that they can be. The District Director, along with the Chapter Advisor, should be mentors, and the first

go-to for collegiate Brothers when the chapter is in need of guidance. I want to insure that the collegiate Brothers also have the tools necessary to succeed. I want to be able to host workshops for both District Directors and collegiate chapters in the region, to better themselves as volunteers and leaders within the Fraternity.

I am beyond thrilled to continue to serve this great organization, known as the International Fraternity of Delta Sigma Pi. Thank you.

MID-SOUTH REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (1 candidate)

Name of Nominee: Cody Cox

Primary Address: Bowling Green, KY

Name of Employer or Business: Houchens Industries

Job Title: Human Resources Intern

Chapter Name and School: Zeta Theta/Western Kentucky University

Date Of Initiation: 11/2/2013

Email Address: cody.cox736@topper.wku.edu

Graduation Year: 2017

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Chapter President; Vice President of Pledge Education; Vice President of Chapter Operations; Vice President of Alumni Relations

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: Reviewing I-9's; Calling stores; Preparing documents for the Human Resources Department. Will be moving up in the company or going to a new job over the summer. Will be a Monday-Friday day job.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates):

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: No

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates):

Statement of Platform: Not only do I want to continue expanding this region of our Fraternity, but I also want to build it. Having collegiate and alumni chapters interacting with one another is a first step in doing this. I also want to make sure that chapters are hitting benchmarks to becoming a Chapter of Excellence and I will be resource for that. Also, I hope to be an open communication line for all chapters. I want to encourage members to attend LEAD events and GCC to make sure our region is involving itself with the National Fraternity. This region has a diverse setting of jobs as well. It would be important for me to reach out to companies and find business leaders to bring to the Fraternity, as well as create internships for collegiate members and have a spreadsheet of jobs for alumni members. The Mid-South Region has a great platform, now it is time to build on that platform. Thank you so much for your consideration.

MIDWESTERN REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (0 candidates)

NEW ENGLAND REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (1 candidate)

Name of Nominee: Daniel DelPiano

Primary Address: West Haven, CT

Name of Employer or Business: State of CT, Dept of Education

Job Title: Teacher

Chapter Name and School: Theta Iota/University of Connecticut

Date Of Initiation: 12/4/2004

Email Address: daniel.delpiano@gmail.com

Graduation Year: 2006

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Vice President Professional Activities; Vice President Chapter Operations; Ritual Team Member; Northeastern Provincial Council Delegate

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I work in the field of education as a High School Teacher.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates):

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: No

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): District Director - Theta Iota Chapter - 2012-2017; Deltasig for Life Donor; National Event Attendance: 15 Events including (2 Grand Chapter Congress, numerous LEAD Schools and Provincial Councils (as both attendee and presenter);

Statement of Platform: As New England Regional Vice President I have the following goals for myself and the region over the next biennium:

1. Continue to work with our region's strong leadership team to support all the chapters in the region to the best of my ability.
2. All chapters in the region receive at least Accredited Status on CMP.
3. 4 Provincial Awards and 1 National Award.
4. Expand the region by open at least 1 more chapter.
5. Provide current and future alumni with opportunities to stay involved.
6. Encourage joint events throughout the region.
7. Encourage attendance at National Events from all of our chapters.

The New England Region is already full of Chapters who are hosting many incredible events. It is my goal to help the Region continue to be one of the best in Delta Sigma Pi.

NIAGARA REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (0 candidates)

NORTH CENTRAL REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (2 candidates)

Name of Nominee: Mark Dorn

Campaign Website: <https://medorn.wixsite.com/dorn4dsp>

Primary Address: Webster, MN

Name of Employer or Business: St. Olaf College/Transportation Consultant

Job Title: St. Olaf-Site Manager/Transportation Consultant

Chapter Name and School: Epsilon Iota/Minnesota State University

Date Of Initiation: 5/16/1981

Email Address: medorn@integra.net

Graduation Year: 1983

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Minnesota State University-Mankato (formerly Mankato State University) Colony President; Epsilon Iota Chapter President; Winona State University Colony President.

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I own my own business as a transportation consultant providing logistic solutions to clients in the Midwest. At St. Olaf College, I work in the Athletics Department with events and facilities.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Lifetime member of the Twin Cities Alumni Chapter. Vice President of Operations 2016-17 and District Director 2014-15. Co-organizer of annual Alumni Chapter Pig Roast 2012-2017. Co-organizer of several alumni and collegiate panels/special events. Attend monthly meetings, community service events and fundraisers.

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Twin Cities (MN)

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): District Director: 1985-91; 1996-98; 2008-2015; Regional Director: 1991-95; Silver Helmet recipient for 25 years of service in 2006; Chair of the North Central Province Provincial Scholastic Development and Awards Committee 2007-08; in 2011 the Halsey Invitational Spirit Award was renamed the "Mark Dorn Spirit Award". Attended numerous national, provincial, regional, and area conferences including 19 Grand Chapter Congresses; Regionals and Leads; and 32 Halsey tournaments.

Statement of Platform: EXPANSION

I offer over 30 years of experience in Delta Sigma Pi. During my past tenure, I lead expansion efforts at the University of St. Thomas, Iowa State, University of Nebraska-Omaha and the Mid-Iowa Alumni Chapter. I see new opportunities to expand in our region and I would like to put my expertise to work in this arena.

DISTRICT DIRECTOR DEVELOPMENT

I will implement District Director training--this is essential to ensure the DDs are successful in their role with their collegiate chapters. In addition to training, I will hold regular team meetings with the DDs to discuss successes and opportunities in the region and upcoming events and Fraternity initiatives. These meetings will allow the team to be well informed and feel supported.

COLLEGIATE INVOLVEMENT

As your RVP, I will offer avenues for participation at regional conferences, LEADs and Provincials to collegiate brothers beyond attendee.

CHAPTER SUPPORT

I look forward to meeting with each chapter to engage in dialogue about their goals for the coming year and discuss how I, along with the region's leadership team, and alumni, can support the chapter in achieving their goals.

I look forward to hearing your suggestions for the region--Thank you!

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Danielle Gohman

Primary Address: Sartell, MN

Name of Employer or Business: Capital One

Job Title: Senior Operations Coordinator

Chapter Name and School: Theta Tau/St. Cloud State University

Date Of Initiation: 12/6/2008

Email Address: daniellegohman@gmail.com

Graduation Year: 2012

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: President; Vice President Pledge Education (2 terms); Vice President Chapter Operations; Halsey Coordinator for the 2011 Basketball/Volleyball Tournament; Halsey Chair; National Events Chair; Social/Brotherhood Chair; Fundraising Committee; Investment Committee; 40th Anniversary Committee; Alumni Relations Committee; North Central Provincial Delegate 2011; Grand Chapter Congress Delegate 2011; Big brother (5 times)

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I work on the Items Processing team which is responsible of processing checks and making necessary adjustments on customers accounts to ensure accuracy and quality to our customers. I approve associate's adjustments and research manager level approval checks based on compliance and regulatory requirements. I review bank files before closing them for settlement. I am in charge of processing the early morning inclearing settlement so that the night team can settle the bank at the end of the night.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Lifetime member (June 2011-Present)

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Twin Cities (MN)

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): District Director: Theta Tau (2015-2017) Nu Tau (2013-2015); North Central Regional Awards Committee (2012-2013); Certified Deltasig Leader Tier II (2013-Present); Provincial Council Meeting Secretary 2012; LEAD Presenter (2010, 2016); Regional Conference Presenter (2013, 2015); Grand President's Circle Member (2009); Attendance at Grand Chapter Congress (2009, 2011, 2013); LEAD Schools (2009, 2010, 2011, 2012); LEAD Provincials (2009, 2011, 2012, 2016); Regional Conferences (2009, 2010, 2013, 2015); LeaderShape 2011

Statement of Platform: It would be an honor to serve as your next North Central Regional Vice President. My goals for the region include:

1. Communication- Having open lines of communication between the leadership team, collegiate chapters and alumni chapters is a key to success. I want to have regular conversations with chapters and leaders in the region. I would like to do a newsletter for the region that will have updates on events, accomplishments etc.

2. Training and development- I would like to continue to hold Regional Conferences by getting feedback from collegiate chapters to determine session topics. I would like to hold conference calls/meeting for our district directors so that they can be a greater resource for our chapters. I would like to work towards achieving CMP recognition for all chapters in the region through these conferences and our leadership team.
3. Participation- I would like to work with our leaders and chapters to increase attendance at regional, provincial and national events. I feel this is a pivotal part of helping the growth and development of future leaders.

I look forward to the next Biennium.

PACIFIC COAST REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (2 candidates)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Jen Lee

Primary Address: Riverside, CA

Name of Employer or Business: Segerstrom Center for the Arts

Job Title: Manager, Corporate & Foundation Relations

Chapter Name and School: Lambda Sigma/California State University-Fullerton

Date of Initiation: 4/26/2008

Email Address: PacificCoastRVP@dsp.org

Graduation Year: 2011

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: President, Vice President-Alumni Relations, Chancellor, Vice President-Scholarship & Awards, Faculty Liaison, Vice President-Pledge Education Assistant, 2011 Pacific Coast Region Collegian of the Year, 2011 Western Provincial Conference Chancellor

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: As the Manager of Corporate and Foundation Relations at Segerstrom Center for the Arts (non-profit performing arts organization) I focus on securing corporate and foundation support and executing corporate sponsorships.

In addition to coordinating and executing the day-to-day activities of both the corporate and foundations areas of the Development department, primary responsibilities include:

- Managing all aspects of benefits fulfillment per contracts/agreements for all corporate donors, including specific engagement and series sponsorships, and official product sponsors in conjunction with their affiliated agencies, and Board of Directors relationships.
- Creating proposals/grants and supporting documents for current and prospective corporate and foundation donors.
- Ensuring proper recognition of all corporate and foundation donors in the performance programs and associated programs/shows as well as recognition signage for all donors
- Maintain and manage a portfolio of 25-35 corporate and foundation donors and prospects with a goal of bringing in \$75,000 to \$100,000 in annual support by:

- Managing the Center's annual Corporate Membership Program, which currently raises an average of \$65,000 each year; creating solicitation materials, including brochures and letters, research and create prospect lists for new members, and follow-up on solicitations, including direct interaction with new members and prospects.

- Working closely with the Center's Corporate Council, a volunteer group of business professionals, planning and coordinating meetings, networking events, and annual solicitations, as well as facilitating the recruitment of new members through direct interaction with members and prospects

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): 2016-2017: President, 2015-2016: Vice President-Collegiate Relations, 2012-2013: Vice President-Chapter Operations, 2011-2012: Director of Arts & Culture

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Arlington Area Lone Star (TX)

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Presently Held Positions & Responsibilities - November 2016: Pacific Coast Regional Vice President, August 2011: Pi Sigma District Director, October 2011: LEAD Presenter, August 2013: National Bylaws and Policies & Procedures Review Committee

Former Roles - April 30, 2016: Cal Lutheran Installation Ritual Team, Fall 2014: Iota Pi Pledge Educator, October 2013: Sigma Phi (colony) Pledge Educator, August 2013: GCC Regional Election Caucus Moderator, 2011-2012 & 2012-2013: Western Provincial Alumni Development Committee, August 2011 - August 2013: Rho Phi (chapter & former colony) District Director, February 27, 2011: Provincial Conference Chancellor (Walnut Creek)

National Events Attended (since graduation) - 2016 Denver LEAD School, 2016 St. Louis National Volunteer Retreat, 2016 San Jose Western LEAD Provincial Conference, 2015 Chicago Grand Chapter Congress, 2015 Portland Western LEAD Provincial Conference, 2014 Phoenix LEAD School, 2014 Indianapolis National Volunteer Retreat, 2014 Long Beach Western LEAD Provincial Conference, 2013 Las Vegas LEAD School, 2013 Grand Chapter Congress, 2013 Sacramento Western LEAD Provincial Conference, 2012 Denver LEAD School, 2012 San Diego National Volunteer Retreat, 2012 San Diego Western LEAD Provincial Conference, 2011 Reno LEAD School

Statement of Platform: As many of you know from the recent interim election, immediately upon graduation I was immediately appointed DD for a chapter and a colony, but more importantly, I joined the close-knit leadership team for the Pacific Coast Region - experiences which have ultimately led me to this election and have helped me immensely in my short time as RVP.

Since becoming RVP, I have worked to lay the groundwork for a cohesive leadership team once again and to provide our volunteer leaders and chapters the much needed and requested support.

As stated during the recent interim election, it is my ultimate goal as the Regional Vice President to lead with integrity and specifically to re-engage the leadership of this region as a cohesive team and bring the chapters of the region closer once again. With the region's continued support, I want us to host an annual regional conference, in addition to Brotherhood Games and Regional Initiation.

I look forward to continuing to serve our region in this capacity and getting to know all of our chapters better in the coming biennium!

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Whitney Massey

Primary Address: Costa Mesa

Name of Employer or Business: LPL Financial // Level Four Wealth Management

Job Title: Branch Operations Manager

Chapter Name and School: Omicron Pi/Radford University

Date of Initiation: 11/13/2010

Email Address: whitney.dsp@gmail.com

Graduation Year: 2012

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Vice President of Chapter Operations

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I currently work with a Wealth Management firm who specializes in retirement planning, investment advising, and creating overall financial plans for retail clients as well as business owners. I work closely with the Wealth Advisors in my office to ensure smooth operations of all money movement, account transfers, and distribution/contribution requests. I also maintain production of financial statements and applications, preparation of spreadsheets, and reports. I check for accuracy, identify errors and reconcile discrepancies on all new business paperwork. I also ensure our office maintains detailed client records to comply with financial regulations. I am responsible for the administration and efficient daily operations as well as provide compliance and marketing support for our Irvine office.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates):

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Los Angeles

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): District Director, Zeta Upsilon 2013-PRESENT; District Director, Alpha Sigma 2015-PRESENT; District Director, Omicron Pi 2015-2016; National District Director of the Year 2015-2016; CDL Tier 1 (2013-PRESENT); CDL Tier 2 (2014-PRESENT)

2017 Grand Chapter Congress (upcoming); 2017 Southern LEAD Provincial Conference (upcoming); 2017 Western LEAD Provincial Conference (upcoming); 2015 Greensboro LEAD School; 2015 Grand Chapter Congress; 2015 Southern LEAD Provincial Conference; 2014 Southern LEAD Provincial Conference; 2012 Southern LEAD Provincial Conference; 2011 Atlanta LEAD School

Statement of Platform: Having 4 years of diverse experience as a DD with three universities in two regions, I bring a great strength to the Pacific Coast Region by providing an outsider's perspective. I have many goals and ideas that I'd like to bring to the Pacific Coast Region in the areas of:

Communication:

- Be the voice of the collegiate and alumni brothers in the region
- Promote communication between DD's to collaborate on best practices
- Ensure all chapters have a DD and proper guidance is being given from DD to Chapter
- Ensure the vision and goals of the chapter are being recognized and discussed

Awards and CMP:

- Encourage chapters to apply for awards and obtain COE
- Provide the tools for chapters to be successful
- 100% Accredited Chapters

Regional Efforts:

- Increase joint initiation efforts with the goal of a regional initiation
- Host regional events to promote inclusion
- Promote professional development within the region

Alumni Efforts:

- Identify potential alumni leaders in the region
- Develop a smoother transition for graduating seniors to the alumni world
- Keep close communication with alumni chapters in regards to chapter events and ways they can support chapters

PACIFIC NORTHWEST REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (1 candidate)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Morgan Conklin

Primary Address: Moscow, ID

Name of Employer or Business: Washington State University

Job Title: Teaching Assistant

Chapter Name and School: Omicron Psi/Washington State University

Date of Initiation: 4/7/2013

Email Address: morgan.conklin@wsu.edu

Graduation Year: 2015

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: President, Omicron Psi - 2014-2015;
VP Pledge Education - 2013-2014

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities:

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates):

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: No

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): District Director, Omicron Psi -
2016-Present

Statement of Platform: As an alumnus from the Pacific Northwest Region, and a current District Director for the area, I have seen first-hand the benefit brought to each individual chapter with each new colonization. That is why my main goal as Pacific Northwest Regional Vice President would be to further this expansion throughout the Pacific Northwest. I believe by penetrating deeper into this area we will see a growth in name recognition of Delta Sigma Pi and of each chapter's impact on their respective university and surrounding community, allowing for further expansion into areas yet to be touched (Oregon, Montana, etc.).

Beyond this, I hope to advance communication platforms between the chapters in an effort to build teamwork and communications of best practices as our young chapters continue to grow as well as continuing to support them in achieving COE and focusing on professionalism, as I have done as the District Director of Omicron Psi.

As a relatively new alumnus I look forward to continuing my experience as a volunteer leader with Delta Sigma Pi and learning more about how to support our collegiate members on a national scale.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (1 candidate)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Kristyn Koller

Primary Address: Parker, CO

Name of Employer or Business: CNI Technology

Job Title: Business Operations Manager

Chapter Name and School: Mu Rho/Colorado State University

Date of Initiation: 4/13/2007

Email Address: RockyMountainRVP@dsp.org

Graduation Year: 2009

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Senior Vice President, Professional Activities, Multi-media, Big Brother

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I am responsible for the overall business strategy for a small IT consulting firm. I lead a team responsible for sales and marketing of our firm. I also interface directly with clients as a liaison.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): None

Alumni Chapter Affiliation Denver

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Rocky Mountain RVP Aug 2015 to present, Mu Rho DD June 2013 to August 2015

Statement of Platform: Delta Sigma Pi is a great experience, and a safe place for college students to learn business principles. My objective would be to ensure the chapters of the Rocky Mountain Region are embodying the purpose of Delta Sigma Pi in the fullest definition.

My specific goals for the Rocky Mountain Region are:

1. Grow the region by targeting universities that do not have a Delta Sigma Pi Chapter
2. Continue leadership training to create a unified direction
3. Work to develop better alumni connections giving collegiate brothers a clear path to stay involved after graduation

SIERRA NEVADA REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (2 candidates)

Name of Nominee / Volunteer: Cody Heimerdinger

Primary Address: Reno, NV

Name of Employer or Business: CliftonLarsonAllen, LLP

Job Title: Senior Tax Accountant

Chapter Name and School: Delta Pi/University of Nevada-Reno

Date of Initiation: 4/24/2010:

Email Address: heimerd3@gmail.com

Graduation Year: 2013

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Pledge Class Community Service Chair (Spring 2010), Ritual Chair (Fall 2011), Chancellor (Spring 2012), Risk Management (Spring 2013), Vice President of Finance (Fall 2013), Chapter COY, Grand Chapter Congress and LEAD Provincial Conference Delegate

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I am a Certified Public Accountant at a top ten national public accounting firm, CliftonLarsonAllen, LLP. Most of my time is focused on

tax projects for individuals, C corporations, S corporations, partnerships, and limited liability companies. I prepare these tax returns, and review those returns that are prepared by other professional staff in the office. I also work on assurance engagements, such as compilations and reviews. In addition to tax and assurance, I work on a variety of consulting-related projects, including property tax negotiations and cost segregation studies.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Vice President of Chapter Operations (2014-2016), President (2016-Present), Grand Chapter Congress Delegate

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Reno Sierra Nevada

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): District Director - Delta Pi Chapter (2014-Present), Certified Deltasig Leader Tier 2 (2015-Present);

Attended the following events: 2016 Denver LEAD School, 2015 Grand Chapter Congress, 2014 Phoenix LEAD School, 2013 Las Vegas LEAD School, 2013 Grand Chapter Congress, 2013 Western LEAD Provincial Conference, 2012 Western LEAD Provincial Conference, 2011 Reno LEAD School, 2011 Grand Chapter Congress

Statement of Platform: My goal as Regional Vice President is to help each chapter to achieve Chapter of Excellence while also strengthening the sense of unity among the seven chapters in the Sierra Nevada region. I plan on holding monthly web-based meetings between chapter Presidents, VPCOs, and District Directors to discuss upcoming CMP due dates, any obstacles that there may be, and to share the "small victories". My hope is that this will provide a resource for chapters to help one another. I wish to also utilize our alumni chapters in the region to increase communication between alumni and collegiate chapters, keeping alumni excited and informed. I will start off the semester by bringing together District Directors and Alumni Chapter Presidents for an alumni "leadership retreat" to discuss questions, ideas to effectively help our chapters, and opportunities for the region. Lastly, to strengthen unity in the region, I want to expand inter-chapter networking by continuing joint initiations, promoting Brotherhood Games, organizing regional socials at LEAD events, and organizing an annual regional conference.

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Marcial Hoyos

Primary Address: Stockton, CA

Name of Employer or Business: California State Board of Equalization

Job Title: Tax Technician

Chapter Name and School: Lambda Mu/University of the Pacific

Date of Initiation: 11/20/1999

Email Address: marhoyos@yahoo.com

Graduation Year: 2002

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Grand Chapter Congress Alternate 2001, Vice President of Finance 2000 to 2001, Assistant Treasurer Spring 2000, Pledge Class Treasurer Fall 1999

Brief description of employment Responsibilities: Respond to general information calls at the BOE's toll-free number; respond to basic, routine tax program inquiries that do not require knowledge of auditing standards and regulatory interpretation/debate; clarify program requirements on a variety of tax program procedures and operations; print, review, fax and/or mail out duplicate tax returns to taxpayers upon request; utilize desk reference manual and official Board publications in response to inquiries; handle the less complex calls from the general public, taxpayers, and private and governmental entities. Perform basic permit registration, account maintenance, and permit closeout duties. Perform fax duties and mail

distribution; answer incoming office phone lines; perform back up clerical functions. Document telephone and written inquiries for which standard responses have not been developed or included in the Desktop Reference Electronic Access Manual (DREAM), refer these questions to program management or follow-up with tax program staff. Perform other job-related duties as needed.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates):

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: No

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Certified Deltasig Leader Tier II 2012 to Present; District Director: Lambda Mu 2013 to Present; Western Province Community Service Chair 2013 to 2014; Sierra Nevada Regional Vice President 2007 to 2013; Western Province Disciplinary Committee 2012 to 2013; District Director: Iota Phi 2002 to 2007; District Director: Nu Rho Spring 2007; District Director: Theta Chi 2004 to 2005

Statement of Platform: Hello Brothers of the Sierra Nevada Region! My name is Mar Hoyos and I have been serving this great Fraternity through various roles for the past 18 years. My previous experience as Regional Vice President has provided me with invaluable insight for this role. I had a strong impact on the region and I am excited to continue building on my success. I have no doubt that I am the most qualified candidate for the job.

During my role as Regional Vice President I:

- Helped chapters increase their CEI scores
- Tripled the number of chapters applying for awards
- Implemented and coordinated our Regional Conference
- Established a strong, open relationship with all the chapters

My goals for the next biennium are to:

- Increase attendance at national events
- Continue expansion in the region
- Help alumni chapters increase involvement
- Reestablished an annual Regional Conference
- Hold more regional events to promote brotherhood

Serving as Regional Vice President of the Sierra Nevada Region was an honor and a privilege. I look forward to working with all of you again and making our region the best in the province.

SOUTH ATLANTIC REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (2 candidates)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Gabriella Leto

Primary Address: Tampa, FL

Name of Employer or Business: Stansfeld Scott Inc

Job Title: Administrative/Accounts

Chapter Name and School: Theta Phi/University of South Florida-Tampa

Date of Initiation: 11/17/2012

Email Address: Gpantoja1031@gmail.com

Graduation Year: 2014

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Spring 2013 - Fall 2013 Vice President of Chapter Operations; Fall 2013 - Ritual Team for Joint Initiation at USF St. Petersburg; Spring

2014 - President and Vice President of Community Service; Spring 2014 - Lead Provincial Delegate in Orlando, FL; Fall 2014 - Vice President of Chapter Operations; Fall 2014 - Initiation Committee member; 2015 South Atlantic Collegian of the Year; 2015 Southern Province Collegian of the Year

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I work for a company that manages and markets a premium portfolio of wines, spirits, and health products through more than 150 independent distributors in 35 countries across the Caribbean markets. Some of my responsibilities include: Order Entry; Logistics Coordination for USA; Advertisement and Promotion Claims; Accounts Receivable; Accounts Payable; Point of Sale coordinator; Wine and Spirits Inventory Review;;Purchaser of wines and spirits into USA for reshipment into Caribbean markets

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): 2015-2016 Vice President of Operations; 2015 to present - Tampa Bay Alumni Chapter member; Fall 2017 - Theta Phi speaker for Professional Development;

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Tampa Bay

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Spring 2015 - Secretary for LEAD Provincial Council Meeting in Birmingham, AL; Spring 2015 to Fall 2015 - Southern Province Professional Development Committee member; Spring 2016 - Regional Awards Committee member; Fall 2016 - LEAD Presenter in Jacksonville, FL (Session: Chapter Officer Forum); Grand President's Circle member; Donor for Life member

Attendance:

Spring 2013 - LEAD Provincial in Raleigh, North Carolina; Fall 2013 - LEAD School in Columbia, South Carolina; Spring 2014 - LEAD Provincial in Orlando, FL; Fall 2014 - LEAD School in Atlanta, GA; Spring 2015 - LEAD Provincial in Birmingham, AL; Fall 2015 - LEAD School in Greensboro, NC; Fall 2016 - LEAD School in Jacksonville, FL

Statement of Platform: Since I joined Delta Sigma Pi in 2012, this Fraternity has given me the tools to succeed in the real world. I feel that now, it is my turn to give back to this beloved Fraternity. We have had great leadership in this region and I am ready to become a part of it. Here are some of my goals, if elected:

To increase CMP performance in the region so that each chapter can earn Accredited status or higher; I would like to see each chapter go above and beyond the requirements.

Improve officer transitions, and help chapters streamline this process. This is one of the single most important processes for chapters in terms of overall improvement. If chapters are not properly transitioning, the chapters will not advance but, fall backwards instead.

Encouraging chapters to host joint events; our brotherhood should stretch out beyond our individual chapters and I would like them to collaborate so the bonds of brotherhood can become even stronger.

I would like to bring back regional conferences as another means to educate our brothers for the betterment of the region.

As RVP, I want to make this region the best in our Fraternity!

Name of Nominee: Elyse Perez
Primary Address: Tampa, FL
Name of Employer or Business: Citi Bank
Job Title: Business Analyst
Chapter Name and School: Epsilon Rho/University of Tampa
Date Of Initiation: 11/13/2010
Email Address: Elyseiperez@gmail.com
Graduation Year: 2013

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Chancellor (1 semester); VP Pledge Education (1 semester); SVP Recruitment Planning Committee (2 semesters)

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: Currently an assistant vice president at the Senior Analyst level with Finance Risk Technology. Create weekly meeting agendas and minutes, present compliance metrics to senior management. Weekly creation of consolidated excel file used by 600+ project managers.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): VP Chapter Ops-2015-2016
Created twitter accounts to find members, as well as utilizing mailing lists and evites. Helped plan and facilitate events throughout the year. Assist current President with events as needed (Present)

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Tampa Bay

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): VP Pledge Educator for newly founded Upsilon Phi Chapter at Eckerd College (Feb-April 2016); District Director for Delta Iota at Florida Southern College (December 2016-current)

Statement of Platform: In 2010 when I attending my pledging ceremony I did not fathom how much Delta Sigma Pi would impact my life. Since that time I have served as a collegian and alumna in various capacities. When I was in college, I felt pulled towards VP Pledge Education- because fostering our values in new students passed on the legacy I am so proud of. One of those pledges was featured on a Forbes list last year. Thanks to LEAD I visited brand new cities and met people from all walks of life. When I graduated I sat next to my little, who served our chapter as president. A brother recommended me for my first job out of college. A few years later while interviewing for my current role with Citi, I was challenged by a Brother and felt confident I got the job. And even greater-my brothers are still some of my closest friends years after graduation. Serving collegians as DD, or even less officially as a mentor, brings me more satisfaction and joy than having a good day at work. I am not afraid of a difficult conversation or hard work. I only aim to help steer the ship of progress

SOUTH PACIFIC REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (1 candidate)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Erica Kolsrud
Primary Address: Glendale, CA
Name of Employer or Business: Rice Gorton Pictures
Job Title: Post Production Assistant Accountant
Chapter Name and School: Epsilon/University of Iowa
Date of Initiation: 12/4/2004

Email Address: SouthPacificRVP@dsp.org

Graduation Year: 2007

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Historian: Ensured proper documentation of fraternity events were taken for the semester, organized the semester slide show and scrapbook, updated promotional materials displayed throughout the University.

Vice President Alumni Relations (two terms): Updated member information as they graduated, informed brothers of alumni opportunities for both Delta Sigma Pi and the University of Iowa, organized a fall tailgate and spring event for visiting alumni to attend.

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: Currently work for a small post accounting production company on numerous films and televisions shows that are at various stages of production. Responsibilities range from auditing purchase orders and petty cash/card accounts to managing the accounts payable and receivable for feature films. Every month, I also reconcile bank accounts and help generate cost reports for all projects to ensure projects remain within the budget. I also dabble in 1099 auditing.

Alumni Chapter Offices Or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Vice President Chapter Operations (2014-2016)

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: No

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): South Pacific RVP (2015-Present); Chapter Financial Management Taskforce (2016- Present); District Director, Xi Omicron Chapter (2013-2015); District Director, Epsilon Chapter (2010-2013)

Statement of Platform: These past two years as South Pacific Region RVP have been great and I believe we have been building momentum. Momentum that I would like to continue. From implementing monthly President phones calls, generating chapter financial statements, event collaborating between chapters, to higher attendance at National Events and overall working on chapter operations, the South Pacific Region has been working on making what was a good foundation even stronger. I would like to continue working on that and add more focus to building a better system of officer transition, CMP understanding and events within the Region and neighboring Regions. By continuing in this position, I will continue to support each chapter and the Region in whatever endeavors we want to pursue. Whether that be to all strive for Chapter of Excellence, apply for and win National Awards or organize more inter-chapter events. I am here because I want to help build and support the chapters in which ever ways they need.

SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (1 candidate)

Name of Nominee: Meghan Hill

Primary Address: Marietta, GA

Name of Employer or Business: Watts Water Technologies

Job Title: eCommerce Merchandising Specialist

Chapter Name and School: Nu Pi/Kennesaw State University

Date Of Initiation: 5/2/1998

Email Address: Meghan4SERVP@gmail.com

Graduation Year: 1999

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Pledge Class President; Senior Vice President; Ritual Team

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: I am responsible for the management and overall strategy of E-Commerce Merchandising for Watts' family of brands for Channel Partners in wholesale, retail, and group channels. This includes digital asset strategy, data analysis, promotional planning and implementation, and cross-functional and cross-company project management.

Previous professional experience includes non-profit volunteer training and management, digital and social media marketing, and business to business sales.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Vice President Membership (2002-2004); Relay for Life Chair (2010- 2013)

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Atlanta

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): District Director (2011-2017)
Frequent LEAD School presenter specializing in "Ritual the Right Way" and "Risk Management" (because those are the fun ones)

Statement of Platform: I believe the biggest challenges facing the chapters of the Southeastern Region can be successfully overcome with an increased focus on training, transition, and teamwork.

Training: Our Fraternity is doing a great job creating training opportunities and materials, but I believe these are being underutilized because chapters do not know what is available to them or what to ask for. My first goal is to work with the District Directors to identify what resources chapters need and equip them with the knowledge they need to be successful.

Transition: Year after year, brothers are unprepared for taking on their new roles as officers, committee members, even the transition from college life to alumni life. My next goal as RVP is to work with both collegiate and alumni chapters to establish best practices for transitions with a focus on succession planning for chapter officers and volunteer leaders.

Teamwork: The previous RVP did a great job to encourage teamwork within our region by encouraging brothers to share best practices, biggest challenges, and joint initiations. My third goal is to continue to seek and provide opportunities for chapters to collaborate with a focus on partnerships between collegiate and alumni brothers and chapters.

SOUTHWESTERN REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (2 candidates)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Joshua Robinson

Primary Address: Frisco, TX

Name of Employer or Business:

Job Title:

Chapter Name and School: Epsilon Zeta/Midwestern State University

Date of Initiation: 11/14/2010

Email Address: jt.robinson@me.com

Graduation Year: 2013

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: VPCO, VPAR, Chapter COY

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: Responsible for advising customers on best practices for various technologies. Manage various technologies for end users.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): President 2016-present, VPCO 2015-2016

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Area

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Provincial Professional Development Committee Chair

Statement of Platform: My goal for the Southwestern Region is to increase collaboration between collegiate and alumni chapters by fostering increased communication by all chapters. I wish to encourage an environment where all chapters share knowledge and best practices. In my first year, I plan on holding a forum where, at minimum, the chapter presidents and VPCOs all meet and discuss their visions for the Region as well as what works well for their chapters and how they can help each other reach Chapter of Excellence.

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Allan Schuster

Primary Address: Dallas, TX

Name of Employer of Business: Kibo Commerce

Job Title: Account Manager

Chapter Name and School: Zeta Mu/University of Texas-Arlington

Date of Initiation: 11/15/1997

Email Address: southcentral.awards@dsp.org

Graduation Year: 2001

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: Zeta Mu Chapter 1997-1999: Pledge Class Chancellor, 1997; Inter-Chapter Communications Chair, 1998; Fundraising Committee Chair, 1998; Senior Vice President, 1998-1999; Ritual Chair, 1998-1999 Performed Ritual memorized in 2 semesters

Delta Epsilon Chapter 1999-2001:

Senior Vice President, 1999; Ritual Chair, 2000 & 2001; Brotherhood Chair, 2001; Grand Chapter Congress Delegate, 2001; Vice President of Pledge Education, 2001; Performed Ritual memorized in 4 semesters, including 2 regional initiations

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: Managing the contract renewal process with an assigned group of customer accounts. I work closely with customers and internal stakeholders to lead customer engagement around pricing and contract. Success in the role is defined by efficient renewal processing, regular customer communications that enhances program performance, escalation of customer issues/feedback to internal stakeholders, extension of higher value customer contracts for multi-year terms, and positive customer feedback on the execution of the process.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Austin Alumni Chapter: Vice President, 2005-2006; Grand Chapter Congress Delegate, 2005

Denver Alumni Chapter: Grand Chapter Congress Alternate, 2007

Dallas Area Alumni:

Vice President, 2008-2009; Senior Vice President, 2009-2010; President, 2010-2011; Vice President of Professional Activities, 2015-2016; Vice President of Collegiate Relations, 2016-2017; Grand Chapter Congress Delegate, 2011, 2013, 2015

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Dallas Area

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): National Events:

All 8 Grand Chapter Congresses 2001-2015; 3 Regional Conferences between 1998-2014; 13 LEAD Schools between 1999-2016; 14 LEAD Provincial Conferences between 2001-2016; 2006 National Volunteer Leadership Retreat

Previous National Responsibilities:

Gulf Western Regional Alumni Development Committee Member 2005-2006; Western Provincial Awards Committee Member 2006-2007; National Alumni Development Committee Member 2007-2013; Gulf Western Regional Awards Committee Member 2011-2013; District Director, Eta Theta (Angelo State), 2013-2014; District Director, Zeta Mu (Texas-Arlington), 2014-2015

Current National Responsibilities:

South Central Provincial Awards Committee Chair 2013-Present; District Director, Beta Phi (Southern Methodist), 2015-Present; Ritual Review Committee Member 2015-Present; Chapter Financial Management Task Force Member 2016-Present

Statement of Platform: The Southwestern Region represents a very diverse set of brothers from very different backgrounds including cultural, racial, geographic and socio-economic backgrounds. These differences can often divide us, but if managed properly, can be our biggest strengths. Our next RVP needs to understand how to bring all these talents and strengths together to make the region even stronger than ever before.

My vision for the region includes:

- 100% Accredited Chapters
- 67% Chapters of Excellence
- 5 National Award Winners
- Annual Regional Conference to focus on career development
- Successful Installation of our UT Dallas Colony
- Expansion of an additional colony
- Regional Initiation during the biennium
- Ongoing training for current and potential District Directors

As a District Director, I guided 3 different chapters to achieving their vision for their chapters including higher levels of CMP. As Awards Chair I have worked with our 38 collegiate and 11 alumni chapters in the province to see the best practices of our strongest chapters. As President of Dallas Area Alumni, I had established and strengthened relationships between the collegiate and alumni brothers. As the next Southwestern RVP I will use these experiences to lead us to our success!!

STEEL VALLEY REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (0 candidates)

Nomination Withdrawn by Candidate 7/15/17

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Kristen Kralik

TORNADO ALLEY REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT (1 candidate)

Name of Nominee/Volunteer: Jennifer Mayes

Primary Address: Norman, OK

Name of Employer or Business: University of Oklahoma

Job Title: Coordinator of Partnerships and Program Development

Chapter Name and School: Beta Epsilon/University of Oklahoma

Date of Initiation: 11/18/2006

Email Address: msjmayes@gmail.com

Graduation Year: 2007

Collegiate Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held: N/A

Brief Description of Employment Responsibilities: In my position, I provide instructional design and curriculum development support for online courses and programs. I assist with the assessment and evaluation of current programs within the College of Liberal Studies for the identified student learning outcomes which focus on the development of program-specific content expertise, interdisciplinary competence, development of personal/professional goals, diversity/inclusion, and civic engagement. I promote best practices of online teaching and in adult learning through the development of faculty training, student training, and course development.

Alumni Chapter Offices or Responsibilities Held (include dates): Awards Chair, 2016-present; President, 2015-2016; Vice President - Chapter Operations, 2011-2015

Alumni Chapter Affiliation: Oklahoma City Tornado Alley

National Activities or Responsibilities Held (include dates): N/A

Statement of Platform: As the Regional Vice President, I will be the voice of the collegiate and alumni brothers in the region based on their input. I will encourage and promote regional, cross-regional, provincial, and national events like STAR, joint initiations, LEADs, and GCC, as well as local collaborative events. I will provide the tools necessary for chapters and colonies to be successful and achieve their goals. I will encourage chapters to apply for awards and obtain the Chapter of Excellence tier for CMP. Since training and development are very important to me, I will provide and promote training for current and potential district directors, identify and develop potential alumni leaders in the region, and promote and foster professional development throughout the region. In order to help retain active members of the Fraternity, I will work with collegiate and alumni chapters to help develop a smoother transition for graduating seniors to the alumni world. Additionally, I will encourage and foster innovation as it arises.