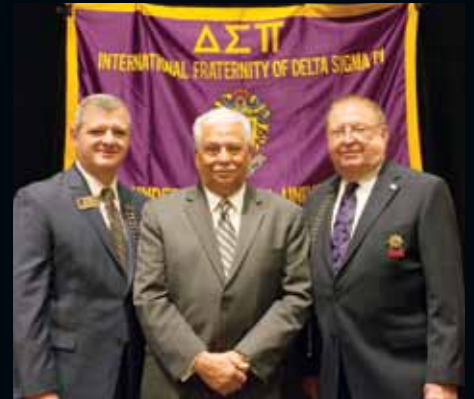


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**On the Cover:** The 2015-17 Board of Directors prepares for an epic Deltasig Mardi Gras parade through the streets of New Orleans to the Steamboat Natchez. Bottom left: Tricia Smith offers closing remarks at the banquet after being elected Grand President. Bottom center: Joshua Reneau, Pardis Khoshlesan, both Kennesaw State (GA), and Mackenzie Evans, Georgia, are all smiles at the Deltasig parade. Bottom right: 2017 National Honorary Initiate Alden McDonald (center) with PGP Mitch Simmons (left) and PGP Bill Tatum (right).

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“The miracle is not that we do this work, but that we are happy to do it.”

This quote by Saint, Mother Theresa could not ring truer for our organization. Delta Sigma Pi wouldn't be the organization that it is today without the passion, dedication and drive of each brother and volunteer. From the moment we pledge, we all contribute our time and talent to this organization...because we believe in it.

This belief begets passion. The passion for Delta Sigma Pi lives within each brother and demands that we give back to this organization, tenfold, what we have received out of it. We place higher expectations on ourselves because we want to leave this organization better than we found it. With each passing semester, we improve our organization and grow because of our highly talented and motivated members.

As we head into the next biennium, think about the principles outlined below. Reflect on them and ask yourself what will enhance your Deltasig experience while also providing you and your fellow brothers valuable skills to achieve personal and professional milestones.

**Define success** – Don't define it based on what you read or the success of others. Take time to create your own PERSONAL definition of success, the guiding principle upon which you base your future decisions related to your career path, financial wealth and most importantly, your family.

**Don't grow up** – You may find the most successful businesses (the kind you want to work for) reward creativity, innovation and risk taking. These attributes are found prevalently in children. Life is a whirlwind, so keep being a “kid at heart” not only will you be more successful, you will have a lot more fun along the way!

**KBL** – Know, Believe and Love what you are doing. With these three pieces in place, you will generate happiness in any activity.

**Keep learning** – The world's greatest leaders possess one common trait – they never stop learning. Don't be afraid to ask plenty of questions or to challenge yourself with new ideas, skills and technology. (Just ask me – I finally joined the mobile app Slack!)

**Show up and work** – There is no substitute for hard work. The grit and grind of showing up every day, sometimes early and occasionally staying late will pay dividends. The bottom line is hard work pays off. Every. Time.

**Inspire by example** – All people desire strong leadership. They look to leaders for inspiration and to find key traits like strong work ethic, honesty and vision.



*New GP Tricia Smith prepares for the Deltasig Mardi Gras parade with John and Giuliana Bishouty (children of brothers George Bishouty, Siena (NY), and Beth Bivona, Buffalo (NY)).*

As a leader (we all are leaders to someone) one of your critical jobs is to inspire by example. Words and platitudes hold little meaning if not supported with daily actions and personal results.

**Teamwork makes the dream work** – Never forget that Delta Sigma Pi is a family. We are a team with you every step of your journey. As individuals, it can be easy to forget that we are part of something larger than ourselves. Rely on your brothers. We all share common goals and can provide support to one another to achieve them.

**And finally, Find Your Why** – Think about why you chose to join Delta Sigma Pi, why you're proud to be a Deltasig and why it drives your passion today.

I believe in the power of this Fraternity and the impact it makes on each of us and the difference that WE make in our communities. A fraternity of members banded together with these ideals espoused in the forefront of our minds... that is a group of people possessing the power to change the world.

Fraternally,

Tricia Smith  
Grand President

**“Fraternal Forum” allows elected leaders, staff, and interested members to offer updates, viewpoints and commentaries on issues facing the Fraternity. Contact the Central Office if you have an interest in contributing a column. Final determination of content rests with the editorial staff.**

# Letting the Good Times Roll Delta Sigma Pi's 51st Grand

Over 1,250 brothers and guests traveled from all over the country to gather in The Big Easy and share the ultimate Deltasig Experience – Grand Chapter Congress.

From inspirational speeches to the Friday night parade of more than 1,000 Deltasigs toward a Steamboat Natchez cruise, to the Grand President's Tailgate and Dance, those four days brought memories that will not soon be forgotten.

Brothers collected more than 100 lbs. of pop tabs, donated food, bottled water, toiletries, toys and \$300 for the New Orleans Ronald McDonald House. Nearly 60 brothers and guests teamed up with Save Our Cemeteries to remove trash, weeds and other vegetation from around tombs in New Orleans' historical cemeteries.

Thank you to everyone who joined us in New Orleans!

## CONGRESS HIGHLIGHTS:

Our 51<sup>st</sup> Grand Chapter Congress brought members together to celebrate the end of another great Deltasig biennium! Highlights (in somewhat chronological order) included:

- Educational sessions and roundtable discussions on topics ranging from recruitment and member engagement to personal finance, getting a job, leadership skills and more.
- The Grand President's Tailgate and Dance with games and "special guest" the GEICO Gecko. New Orleans "flavor" was experienced with Lucky Dogs and snowballs for everyone!
- Recognition of Leadership Foundation supporters (see a list of all supporters starting on page 28).
- A bead-fueled Mardi Gras march to the Natchez, mentioned above, complete with police escort, marching band, costumed revelers and dune buggies!
- Presentations by our National Collegians of the Year Jen Huynh (2016) and Olivia Malice (2017).
- National Honorary Initiation of Alden McDonald, president and CEO of Liberty Bank. Brother McDonald captivated us with inspirational remarks on how he and his company elegantly responded to—and rebuilt from—Hurricane Katrina.
- Election of Grand President Tricia Smith, re-election of VP-Finance Kelly Rabin, election of North Central PVP Cory Stopka, Northeastern PVP Dan Collins, South Central PVP Mark Wernette, Southern PVP Carrie Sagel Burns and Western PVP Crystal Justice, and the elections of Regional Vice

Presidents. (See page 9 for more details).

- Presentation—and eloquent remarks from—Lifetime Achievement Award honoree Claire Sammon Roberts, *San Francisco State*.
- The Grand Chapter Congress Banquet, a formal affair that opened with a Grand March led by local second line brass band Kinsfolk and Fraternity leadership, emceed by Burton Bridges and ended with Conchita Dixon leading the "Rose of Deltasig." Paul Garcia and Jeff Fizer helped organize a supplementary Deltasig chorus we hope to expand upon for 2019 and beyond. If interested, contact Paul at [pjgarcia1@gmail.com](mailto:pjgarcia1@gmail.com).

## NEXT UP: Atlanta!

Save the date for August 14-18, 2019, and plan to experience firsthand all Congress has to offer. ▲



GCC Host Committee Chair Kathy Fischer Bradbury (left) and then Gulf South RVP Susan Lackey enjoy the Friday evening Mardi Gras parade riding in a dune buggy provided by local Shriners – as expertly arranged by Kathy.

# at Chapter Congress



From left: Then North Central PVP Jodi Schoh, then South Central PVP Henry McDaniel, Golden Council member Kris McDaniel and VPF Kelly Rabin are ready to throw beads during the parade to Steamboat Natchez.



2015 COY Chad Robinson and 2016 COY Jen Huynh led the way during the Deltasig parade! Behind them, a local high school band brought even more fun and entertainment to the event.



Spencer Kau and Henry Nguyen, both Pacific (CA), wear Deltasig letters—and excitement—during the parade! Then National Organizational Development Committee Chair Wendy Eilers (left) snuck in the photo!



Deltasigs gathered at the Sheraton New Orleans before setting out on the town for Delta Sigma Pi's Mardi Gras Parade, which included nearly a thousand brothers!



Brothers from the Western Province stopped briefly to snap a photo during the parade. From left: Chloe Sension, San Diego State; Ariana Fariab, Redlands (CA); Agnes Song, California-San Diego; Glaiza Julian, Cal State-Fullerton; (behind Glaiza) Jeff Liang, California-Irvine; Melisa Vargas, California-Riverside; Nathan Sou, California-Irvine; and Cristina Gao, Chapman (CA).



Rochelle Siegrist, Cal State-Long Beach, Adrian Avalos, Cal State Poly-Pomona, and Jim Siegrist, Southern California, represented Los Angeles Alumni Chapter along the Mississippi River in front of the Natchez Riverboat.

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From left: 2019 Atlanta GCC Host Committee Chair Velvet Simmons, PGP Mitch Simmons, Eva Meyer, North Carolina-Chapel Hill, Matt Meyer, Iowa State, and Mike McNulty, Louisiana State, attended the Leadership Foundation Reception, where thousands of dollars were raised to support educational programming for the Fraternity through silent and live auctions.



During the banquet on Saturday evening, past and present Educational and Leadership Consultants gathered to snap a photo and reminisce about chapter visits and their time spent at the Central Office.



Then GP Onuka Ibe presented the 2017 Lifetime Achievement Award to Claire Sammon Roberts, San Francisco State, who was recognized for her years of dedication to the Fraternity and Foundation. Learn more about Claire in the July 2017 issue.



Kinsfolk Brass Band led the Grand March into Saturday's banquet and set the stage for an incredible evening of brotherhood and celebration!



The New England Region gathered at the banquet Saturday night. Front and center is newly elected Northeastern PVP Dan Collins. Also pictured is 2016 COY Jen Huynh, newly elected New England RVP Dan DelPiano, and then National Professional Development Committee Chair Paul Carpinella.



Deltasig Partner, the GEICO Gecko, joined the Grand President's Dance for fun, games, local treats and dancing. Lauren Boyda and Abigail Peters, both Kent State (OH), joined the Gecko for a photo op.



Delta Sigma Pi's career partners participated in a panel discussion, answering questions and giving insight on what they look for in job candidates. The session was moderated by Justine Ramsey, GEICO, and joined by Kandace Spivey, alliantgroup, Sara Rubenstein, Fisher Investments, Diedre Gwin, OneMain Financial, and Yolanda Johnson, Enterprise Careers.



Attendees enjoyed local New Orleans eateries while networking with Deltasig partners and brothers during Wednesday's Lunch and Learn. The marketing roundtable was led by Patrick Aloisio, Ascension Brands (fifth from left), and Suresh Bhagchandani, ExecSocks (center).



Then GP Onuka Ibe (back row, third from right) joined brothers from his chapter, Truman State, during the Grand President's Dance. Also pictured is the chapter's longtime chapter advisor, Debi Cartwright (back row, center). Brother Cartwright was recognized by the Professional Fraternity Association with its Advisor of the Year award in September (see page 18)!



Brothers represented their favorite sports teams during the Wednesday dance and tailgate party. From left: Charlie Kenney (later named DD of the Year — see page 12), new South Central PVP Mark Wernette, then Southwestern RVP Kevin Gore and new Southwestern RVP Josh Robinson.

## Grand Chapter Actions

Updated bylaws are available online at [dsp.org/bylaws](http://dsp.org/bylaws).

Bylaws Article XII, Section 17 was amended to remove Inactive Status procedure details, to allow the Board flexibility in adapting to the changing collegiate environment via policies.

Bylaws Article XII, Section 11 was amended to remove ambiguity regarding a prospective pledge being rejected three times.

A Resolution to assemble resources to conduct a comprehensive review of the member selection bylaws and any related policies was approved. Recommended actions will be presented to the 2019 Grand Chapter.

The Honorary Initiation Ritual was updated by inserting the preamble to the bylaws and added a series of principles the initiate must agree to (similar to the collegiate initiation).

Three proposals to change Ritual failed. Details are available by contacting [centraloffice@dsp.org](mailto:centraloffice@dsp.org).



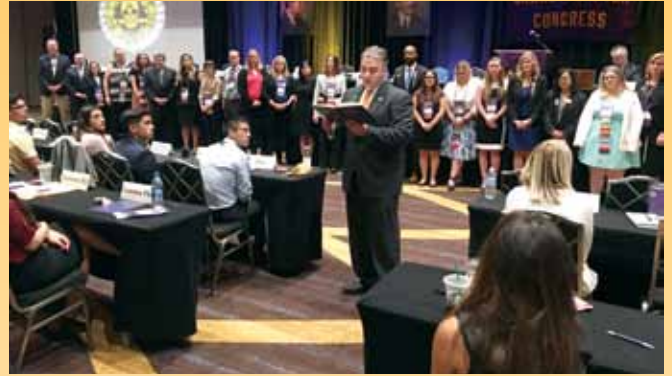
During the Grand President's Dance, attendees had the chance to compete and play games. From left: CJ Cook, Krystopher Holasek, 2017 COY Olivia Malice and Lillian Duong, all Georgia Tech, proudly show off the prizes they won playing a claw machine game.



Amanda Girton, South Florida-Tampa, shows off just some of the 100 lbs. of pop tabs donated by GCC attendees to benefit our national service initiative, Ronald McDonald House Charities. Brothers also donated goods and new or gently used Delta Sigma Pi T-shirts. The shirts were sold and all items and proceeds were donated to the New Orleans Ronald McDonald House Charities.



More than 50 Deltasigs and guests joined forces with Save Our Cemeteries to help restore historical cemeteries in New Orleans on Tuesday. Volunteers braved the summer heat to clear away brush, pick up trash and perform other landscaping tasks.



PGP Mark Chiacchiari officially welcomed our new group of elected leaders by performing the Grand Officer Installation Ceremony.



Alumni members supported those that were acknowledged for service and support to the Fraternity and Foundation during the Alumni Recognition Lunch on Thursday. From front left: Ashley Bernstein, South Florida-St. Petersburg; Central Gulf RVP Holly Vernon; Golden Council member Ollie Moses; then Southern PVP Janene Markuske; Ted Markuske; and new Southern PVP Carrie Sagel Burns. From back left: Rachel Trimble, South Florida-St. Petersburg; then South Atlantic RVP Chris Sands; JD Beecher, Florida State, and Yolisma Beecher.



Onuka Ibe's family joined him at GCC to help celebrate his final days as GP. Brother Ibe will continue his role on the Board as PGP. From left: Ibe Ibe (father), Afocha Ibe (mother), Ifeanyi Tafel-Ibe (daughter), Michelle Tafel (wife) and Brother Ibe.



Delta Sigma Pi flags were proudly flown on the Natchez Riverboat, where nearly a thousand Deltasigs enjoyed an evening of jazz, food and friendships.



PGPs welcomed 2017 NHI Alden McDonald, president and CEO of Liberty Bank and Trust Company, into the Fraternity. From left: Norm Kromberg, Mark Chiacchiari, Kathy Jahnke, Onuka Ibe, Alden McDonald, Bill Tatum, Mike Mallonee, Mitch Simmons and GCC Chancellor Randy Hultz.



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# CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 2016-17 DELTA SIGMA PI AWARD WINNERS

## NATIONAL WINNERS



Orange County (CA) Alumni Chapter was highly rewarded this year, taking home national recognition for Outstanding Alumni Chapter, Outstanding Professional Activities, Outstanding Collegiate Relations and Outstanding Service Activities. Chapter members in attendance celebrated the accomplishments at the Grand Chapter Congress banquet.

Gamma Psi at Arizona was not only GCC's most-represented chapter (36 members traveling more than 1,000 miles each earning them the Kenneth B. White Collegiate Chapter Award), but received the R. Nelson Mitchell Outstanding Collegiate Chapter award for its professional and philanthropic success. The brothers also earned regional awards for financial operations and scholastic development.



**INDIVIDUAL AWARDS**  
**Chapter Advisor of the Year**  
 J. Kirk Atkinson, serving  
*Western Kentucky*  
**District Director of the Year**  
 Charles M. Kenney, serving  
*Texas Tech*

**COLLEGIATE CHAPTER AWARDS**  
**R. Nelson Mitchell Outstanding  
 Collegiate Chapter**  
 Arizona  
**Most Improved Collegiate  
 Chapter**  
 Texas Tech  
**Outstanding Professional  
 Activities**  
 Arizona State  
**Outstanding Service Activities**  
 Nebraska-Lincoln

**Outstanding Financial Operations**  
 South Dakota  
**Outstanding Alumni Relations**  
 California-Irvine  
**Outstanding Scholastic Development**  
 Howard (DC)

**ALUMNI CHAPTER AWARDS**  
**Outstanding Alumni Chapter**  
 Orange County (CA)  
**Most Improved Alumni Chapter**  
 Space City Houston  
**Outstanding Professional Activities**  
 Orange County (CA)  
**Outstanding Service Activities**  
 Orange County (CA)  
**Outstanding Collegiate Relations**  
 Orange County (CA)

## PROVINCIAL WINNERS

**INDIVIDUAL AWARDS**  
**Chapter Advisor of the Year**  
 Chapter listed is the chapter served as Advisor.  
 North Central – Terri A. Mische, *St. Cloud State (MN)*  
 Northeastern – Susan Clark, *Ohio State*  
 South Central – Debra K. Cartwright, *Truman State (MO)*  
 Southern – J. Kirk Atkinson, *Western Kentucky*  
 Western – Paul Witman, *California Lutheran*  
**District Director of the Year**  
 Chapters listed represent those served as District Director.  
 North Central – Molly J. Rae, *Northern Illinois*

Northeastern – Gary F. Perez, *Northeastern (MA)*  
 South Central – Charles M. Kenney, *Texas Tech*  
 Southern – Erika L. Klosterman, *Bellarmine (KY)*  
 Western – Richard R. Boner, *La Verne (CA)*  
**COLLEGIATE CHAPTER AWARDS**  
**R. Nelson Mitchell Outstanding  
 Collegiate Chapter**  
 North Central – Drake (IA)  
 Northeastern – Kent State (OH)  
 South Central – Oklahoma State  
 Southern – Tennessee  
 Western – Arizona

**Most Improved Collegiate  
 Chapter**  
 North Central – Michigan State  
 Northeastern – Albany (NY)  
 South Central – Texas Tech  
 Southern – South Florida-St. Petersburg  
 Western – Northern Arizona  
**Outstanding Professional  
 Activities**  
 North Central – Drake (IA)  
 Northeastern – St. Peter's (NJ)  
 South Central – Texas Tech  
 Southern – Savannah State (GA)  
 Western – Arizona State  
**Outstanding Service Activities**  
 North Central – Nebraska-Lincoln  
 Northeastern – Miami (OH)  
 South Central – North Texas

Southern – Florida  
 Western – Arizona State  
**Outstanding Financial  
 Operations**  
 North Central – South Dakota  
 Northeastern – Babson (MA)  
 South Central – Louisiana State  
 Southern – South Carolina  
 Western – Cal State-Fresno  
**Outstanding Alumni Relations**  
 North Central – DePaul (IL)  
 Northeastern – Bentley (MA)  
 South Central – Truman State (MO)  
 Southern – South Florida-St. Petersburg  
 Western – California-Irvine

### Outstanding Scholastic Development

North Central – St. Cloud State (MN)  
Northeastern – Howard (DC)  
South Central – Truman State (MO)  
Southern – Georgia  
Western – Washington-Seattle

### ALUMNI CHAPTER AWARDS

**Outstanding Alumni Chapter**  
North Central – Twin Cities (MN)  
Northeastern – Cincinnati Alumni  
South Central – Oklahoma City Tornado Alley  
Southern – Atlanta  
Western – Orange County (CA)  
**Most Improved Alumni Chapter**  
North Central – Chicago  
Northeastern – Cincinnati Alumni  
South Central – Space City Houston  
Western – Long Beach-Pier 9

### Outstanding Professional Activities

North Central – Twin Cities (MN)  
Northeastern – Cincinnati Alumni  
South Central – Oklahoma City Tornado Alley  
Southern – Atlanta  
Western – Orange County (CA)  
**Outstanding Service Activities**  
North Central – Twin Cities (MN)  
Northeastern – Cincinnati Alumni  
South Central – Oklahoma City Tornado Alley  
Western – Orange County (CA)

### Outstanding Collegiate Relations

North Central – Chicago  
Northeastern – Cincinnati Alumni  
South Central – Oklahoma City Tornado Alley  
Western – Orange County (CA)

## REGIONAL WINNERS

### INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

**Chapter Advisor of the Year**  
*Chapter listed is the chapter served as Advisor.*  
Atlantic Coast – Lonny Butcher, *Central Florida*  
Central – Darrell E. Brown, *Indiana-Purdue at Indianapolis*  
Central Gulf – Jessica Crew, *Alabama*  
Desert Mountain – Matt McCarthy, *Arizona State*  
East Central – Susan Clark, *Ohio State*  
Empire – Peter Capriariello, *Stony Brook (NY)*  
Gateway – Debra K. Cartwright, *Truman State (MO)*  
Great Lakes – Robert Bergman, *Lewis (IL)*  
Great Plains – Laurie Miller, *Nebraska-Lincoln*  
Gulf South – Michael S. Luehlfing, *Louisiana Tech*  
Huron – Jaime Leyrer, *Saginaw Valley State (MI)*  
Mid-South – J. Kirk Atkinson, *Western Kentucky*  
Midwestern – Turner White, *Rockhurst (MO)*  
New England – Jessica Kenerson, *Bentley (MA)*  
Niagara – Steven E. Sossei, *Siena (NY)*  
North Central – Terri A. Mische, *St. Cloud State (MN)*  
Rocky Mountain – Karen Hodel, *Denver*  
Sierra Nevada – Leslie P. Vaughan, *Pacific (CA)*  
South Atlantic – Austen Canonica, *Florida Atlantic*  
South Pacific – Paul Witman, *California Lutheran*  
Southeastern – Mary J. Roberts, *Georgia College and State*  
Southwestern – Gayle L. Thurman Randall, *Angelo State (TX)*  
Steel Valley – Raymond E. Jones, *Pittsburgh*  
Tornado Alley – Don Mitchell, *Oklahoma State*

### District Director of the Year

*Chapter listed is the chapter served as District Director.*  
Atlantic Coast – Saisha Delevoe, *Florida State*  
Bay Area – Jennifer R. Aichele, *Cal Poly-San Luis Obispo*  
Capital – Gayatachew Dorsainville, *George Mason (VA)*  
Central – Lauren R. Morgan, *Indiana State*  
Central Gulf – Whitney C. Massey, *Alabama*  
Desert Mountain – David Pratt, *Arizona*  
East Central – James E. Kuhn, *Bowling Green State (OH)*  
Eastern – Christina Wilson, *Philadelphia*  
Empire – Dhimitra Papadimitri, *CUNY-Baruch*  
Gateway – Stephanie M. Morris, *Missouri State*  
Great Lakes – Molly J. Rae, *Northern Illinois*  
Great Plains – Brandonelle Unkrich, *Iowa*  
Gulf South – Quindarien D. Price, *Louisiana Tech*  
Gulf Western – Kimberly Ann Garza, *Texas A&M-Corpus Christi*  
Mid-Atlantic – Aimee S. King, *North Carolina-Chapel Hill*  
Mid-South – Erika L. Klosterman, *Bellarmine (KY)*  
Midwestern – Kathryn A. Goebel, *Central Missouri*  
New England – Gary F. Perez, *Northeastern (MA)*  
Niagara – Adam H. Thumen, *Albany (NY)*  
North Central – Danielle Gohman, *St. Cloud State (MN)*  
Pacific Coast – Carley Haro, *Chapman (CA)*  
Rocky Mountain – Alexander J. Goodenow, *Colorado State*  
Sierra Nevada – Tina Mistry, *Cal State-Fresno*  
South Atlantic – Dylan Cassidy, *South Florida-St. Petersburg*  
South Pacific – Richard R. Boner, *La Verne (CA)*

Southeastern – Weslie M. Clark, *Georgia and Clemson (SC)*  
Southwestern – Marc W. Link, *Baylor (TX)*  
Steel Valley – Jason Ewing, *Kent State (OH)*  
Tornado Alley – Charles M. Kenney, *Texas Tech*

### COLLEGIATE CHAPTER AWARDS

**R. Nelson Mitchell Outstanding Collegiate Chapter**  
Atlantic Coast – Florida  
Bay Area – San Jose State (CA)  
Capital – George Mason (VA)  
Central – Indiana-Purdue at Indianapolis  
Desert Mountain – Arizona  
East Central – Cincinnati  
Eastern – Rider (NJ)  
Empire – St. Peter's (NJ)  
Gateway – Truman State (MO)  
Great Lakes – DePaul (IL)  
Great Plains – Drake (IA)  
Gulf South – Tulane (LA)  
Huron – Michigan State  
Mid-Atlantic – Richmond (VA)  
Mid-South – Tennessee  
Midwestern – Central Missouri  
New England – Babson (MA)  
Niagara – Albany (NY)  
North Central – St. Cloud State (MN)  
Pacific Coast – San Diego State  
Pacific Northwest – Washington State  
Rocky Mountain – Colorado State  
Sierra Nevada – Cal State-Fresno  
South Atlantic – Tampa (FL)  
South Pacific – Cal State-Long Beach  
Southeastern – South Carolina  
Southwestern – North Texas  
Steel Valley – Kent State (OH)  
Tornado Alley – Oklahoma State  
**Most Improved Collegiate Chapter**  
Atlantic Coast – Savannah State (GA)  
Capital – Shepherd (WV)  
Central Gulf – Alabama  
Desert Mountain – Northern Arizona

Eastern – La Salle (PA)  
Empire – St. Peter's (NJ)  
Great Lakes – Loyola-Chicago  
Great Plains – Iowa State  
Gulf South – McNeese State (LA)  
Huron – Michigan State  
Mid-Atlantic – Richmond (VA)  
Mid-South – Tennessee  
Midwestern – Central Missouri  
New England – Bentley (MA)  
Niagara – Albany (NY)  
North Central – St. Cloud State (MN)  
Pacific Coast – Cal State-Fullerton  
Pacific Northwest – Washington State  
Rocky Mountain – Denver  
Sierra Nevada – California-Merced  
South Atlantic – South Florida-St. Petersburg  
Southeastern – South Carolina  
Southwestern – Texas-Arlington  
Steel Valley – Duquesne (PA)  
Tornado Alley – Texas Tech  
**Outstanding Professional Activities**  
Atlantic Coast – Savannah State (GA)  
Bay Area – Cal State-East Bay  
Capital – George Mason (VA)  
Central – Ball State (IN)  
Central Gulf – Jacksonville State (AL)  
Desert Mountain – Arizona State  
East Central – Ohio State  
Eastern – New Jersey  
Empire – St. Peter's (NJ)  
Gateway – Southern Illinois-Edwardsville  
Great Lakes – Northern Illinois  
Great Plains – Drake (IA)  
Gulf South – Louisiana Tech  
Gulf Western – Texas A&M-Corpus Christi  
Huron – Michigan State  
Mid-Atlantic – Virginia Tech  
Mid-South – Western Kentucky  
Midwestern – Central Missouri  
New England – Massachusetts-Amherst  
Niagara – Cornell (NY)  
North Central – Winona State (MN)  
Pacific Coast – California-Irvine  
Pacific Northwest – Washington-Seattle

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Rocky Mountain – Colorado-Colorado Springs  
Sierra Nevada – Cal State-Chico  
South Atlantic – South Florida-Tampa  
South Pacific – Hawaii-Manoa  
Southeastern – Georgia  
Southwestern – North Texas  
Steel Valley – Penn State-Erie  
Tornado Alley – Texas Tech  
**Outstanding Service Activities**  
Atlantic Coast – Florida  
Bay Area – Cal Poly-San Luis Obispo  
Capital – Howard (DC)  
Central – Indiana-Purdue at Indianapolis  
Central Gulf – West Florida  
Desert Mountain – Arizona State  
East Central – Miami-Ohio  
Eastern – Rider (NJ)  
Gateway – Truman State (MO)  
Great Lakes – Wisconsin-Madison  
Great Plains – Nebraska-Lincoln  
Gulf South – Louisiana State  
Gulf Western – Texas-San Antonio  
Huron – Michigan State  
Mid-Atlantic – Richmond (VA)  
Mid-South – Tennessee  
Midwestern – Central Missouri  
New England – Massachusetts-Amherst  
Niagara – Binghamton (NY)  
North Central – Wisconsin-La Crosse  
Pacific Coast – Cal State-Fullerton  
Pacific Northwest – Washington-Seattle  
Rocky Mountain – Denver  
Sierra Nevada – Nevada-Reno  
South Atlantic – Tampa (FL)  
South Pacific – Hawaii-Manoa  
Southeastern – Georgia  
Southwestern – North Texas  
Steel Valley – Kent State (OH)  
Tornado Alley – Oklahoma State  
**Outstanding Financial Operations**  
Atlantic Coast – Savannah State (GA)  
Bay Area – Cal Poly-San Luis Obispo  
Capital – George Mason (VA)  
Central – Illinois State  
Central Gulf – Auburn (AL)  
Desert Mountain – Arizona  
East Central – Ohio State  
Gateway – Truman State (MO)  
Great Lakes – Lewis (IL)  
Great Plains – South Dakota  
Gulf South – Louisiana State  
Gulf Western – Houston  
Huron – Michigan State  
Mid-Atlantic – Richmond (VA)  
Mid-South – Tennessee  
Midwestern – Central Missouri  
New England – Babson (MA)  
Niagara – Albany (NY)  
Pacific Coast – California-Irvine  
Pacific Northwest – Washington State  
Rocky Mountain – Colorado-Colorado Springs  
Sierra Nevada – Cal State-Fresno  
South Atlantic – Florida Southern

South Pacific – Cal State-Long Beach  
Southeastern – South Carolina  
Southwestern – North Texas  
Steel Valley – Pittsburgh  
Tornado Alley – Texas Tech  
**Outstanding Alumni Relations**  
Atlantic Coast – Savannah State (GA)  
Capital – George Mason (VA)  
Central – Indiana-Purdue at Indianapolis  
Desert Mountain – Texas-El Paso  
East Central – Cincinnati  
Eastern – La Salle (PA)  
Gateway – Truman State (MO)  
Great Lakes – DePaul (IL)  
Great Plains – South Dakota  
Gulf Western – Texas-San Antonio  
Huron – Saginaw Valley State (MI)  
Mid-South – Bellarmine (KY)  
Midwestern – Central Missouri  
New England – Bentley (MA)  
Niagara – Binghamton (NY)  
North Central – St. Cloud State (MN)  
Pacific Coast – California-Irvine  
Pacific Northwest – Washington-Seattle  
Rocky Mountain – Northern Colorado  
Sierra Nevada – Cal State-Chico  
South Atlantic – South Florida-St. Petersburg  
South Pacific – Loyola Marymount (CA)  
Southeastern – Clemson (SC)  
Southwestern – Texas Christian  
Steel Valley – Pittsburgh  
Tornado Alley – Cameron (OK)  
**Outstanding Scholastic Development**  
Atlantic Coast – Savannah State (GA)  
Capital – Howard (DC)  
Central – Indiana-Purdue at Indianapolis  
Desert Mountain – Arizona  
East Central – Bowling Green State (OH)  
Eastern – Rider (NJ)  
Gateway – Truman State (MO)  
Great Lakes – Marquette (WI)  
Great Plains – Drake (IA)  
Gulf South – Louisiana Tech  
Gulf Western – Texas A&M-Corpus Christi  
Huron – Michigan State  
Mid-South – Tennessee  
Midwestern – Central Missouri  
New England – Babson (MA)  
Niagara – Albany (NY)  
North Central – St. Cloud State (MN)  
Pacific Coast – California-Irvine  
Pacific Northwest – Washington-Seattle  
Rocky Mountain – Colorado State  
Sierra Nevada – Pacific (CA)  
South Atlantic – South Florida-St. Petersburg  
South Pacific – Hawaii-Manoa  
Southeastern – Georgia  
Southwestern – Texas Christian  
Steel Valley – Pittsburgh  
Tornado Alley – Cameron (OK)

## Alumni Chapter Recognition Program

The Alumni Chapter Recognition Program was developed in 2013 to encourage alumni chapters to promote leadership, enrich programming, enhance communication with their membership and receive recognition for their efforts. Chapters can be recognized on three levels: Bronze, Silver, and Gold.

The Bronze level has requirements in three categories: chapter events, communications and supporting the Delta Sigma Pi Leadership Foundation. Silver chapters must complete the Bronze level requirements, additional chapter events and communications and fulfill criteria in the Certified Deltasig Leader, collegiate relations and recruitment categories that begin on the second level. Gold chapters will have completed requirements of the Bronze and Silver levels, increased chapter communications, events and CDL training, and submit a chapter planning and operations report.

### **Congratulations to the following alumni chapters reaching recognition for 2016-2017!**

#### **GOLD**

Atlanta  
Chicago  
Cincinnati Alumni  
Oklahoma City Tornado Alley  
Orange County (CA)  
Twin Cities (MN)

#### **SILVER**

Denver  
Jacksonville (FL)  
Long Beach-Pier 9  
Los Angeles  
Space City Houston

#### **BRONZE**

No winners



Charlie Kenney, North Texas, (middle) was selected as National District Director of the Year for his work serving Texas Tech (awarded Most Improved Colligate Chapter). He is pictured with members of Texas Tech and South Central PVP Mark Wernette. From left: Hunter Welborn, Corbin Ganterbein, Kenney, Wernette and Allison Coe.

# CHAPTER MANAGEMENT PROGRAM RECOGNITION

The Chapter Management Program is divided into three achievement levels: Accredited Chapter, Chapter of Recognition and Chapter of Excellence. The CMP allows chapter members, national leaders and staff to evaluate chapter operations and activities. Chapters are required to submit items to the National Fraternity to achieve each level and are expected to reach the Accredited Chapter level, which includes the minimum standards for every collegiate chapter. If all requirements for Accredited Chapter are completed, the chapter should strive to achieve the second level, Chapter of Recognition, and then the third level, Chapter of Excellence.

*Congratulations to the 52 chapters that reached Chapter of Excellence, 86 chapters reaching Chapter of Recognition and 129 that earned the Accredited Chapter in 2016-2017!*

## EXCELLENCE

*A Chapter of Excellence is a chapter that is operationally sound with a well-rounded program focusing on larger scale events and National Fraternity promotion. To earn Chapter of Excellence, a chapter must achieve the Accredited Chapter tier, the Chapter of Recognition tier and complete the required and optional items for the third tier. These are the top performers in Delta Sigma Pi.*

Arizona	Colorado State	Massachusetts-Amherst	San Jose State (CA)
Arizona State	Colorado-Boulder	Mercer (GA)	Savannah State (GA)
Babson (MA)	Concordia (CA)	Minnesota-Minneapolis	South Dakota
Ball State (IN)	Drake (IA)	Nebraska-Lincoln	South Florida-St. Petersburg
Baylor (TX)	Florida	Nevada-Reno	South Florida-Tampa
Bowling Green State (OH)	Florida Southern	Northern Colorado	St. Cloud State (MN)
Cal Poly-San Luis Obispo	George Mason (VA)	Oklahoma	Tennessee
Cal State-Chico	Georgia College & State	Oklahoma State	Texas A&M-Corpus Christi
Cal State-Long Beach	Howard (DC)	Pacific (CA)	Texas Christian
California-Davis	Indiana-Purdue at	Penn State-Erie	Texas-San Antonio
California-Irvine	Indianapolis	Redlands (CA)	Truman State (MO)
Cameron (OK)	Iowa	Rider (NJ)	Washington State
Clemson (SC)	Loyola-Marymount (CA)	San Diego State	Western Kentucky
			Wisconsin-Madison

## RECOGNITION

*A Chapter of Recognition is a chapter that is operationally sound with a well-rounded program that focuses on alumni, faculty, and new brothers. To earn Chapter of Recognition, a chapter must achieve the Accredited Chapter tier and complete the required and optional items for the second tier. All chapters listed under Chapter of Excellence also achieved this level.*

Akron (OH)	Georgia Tech	Northern Arizona	Syracuse (NY)
Alabama	Iowa State	Northern Illinois	Texas A&M-College Station
Binghamton (NY)	La Verne (CA)	Ohio State	Texas Tech
Cal State-Fresno	Lewis (IL)	Rockhurst (MO)	Virginia Tech
Cal State-Northridge	Louisville (KY)	Siena (NY)	Wayne State (MI)
Chapman (CA)	Loyola-Chicago	South Carolina	Wayne State (NE)
Eastern Illinois	Midwestern State (TX)	Southern California	West Virginia
Georgia State	North Carolina-Greensboro	Southern Methodist (TX)	Western Illinois
		St. Edward's (TX)	Western Michigan

## ACCREDITED

*An Accredited Chapter is a chapter that is operationally sound and functions within all the guidelines of the National Fraternity. To earn Accredited Chapter, a chapter must submit 100% of all items in the first tier, with at least 95% of those items correctly completed and submitted on time. All chapters listed under Recognition and Excellence also achieved this level.*

Albany (NY)	DePaul (IL)	Louisiana State	Rochester Tech (NY)
Angelo State (TX)	Duke (NC)	Lynchburg (VA)	Saginaw Valley State (MI)
Auburn (AL)	Duquesne (PA)	Miami (FL)	Shepherd (WV)
Bellarmine (KY)	Georgia	Miami (OH)	Southern Illinois-
Buffalo (NY)	Grand Valley State (MI)	Michigan State	Edwardsville
Cal State-East Bay	Hawaii-Hilo	Minnesota State	St. Peter's (NJ)
Cal State-Fullerton	Illinois-Urbana	Missouri State	Tampa (FL)
California-Merced	Jacksonville State (AL)	Nebraska-Omaha	Washington-St. Louis (MO)
Coastal Carolina	Kansas	Northeastern (MA)	Wingate (NC)
Colorado-Colorado Springs	Lindenwood (MO)	Philadelphia	Winona State (MN)
Denver	Longwood (VA)	Pittsburgh	Wisconsin-La Crosse

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Alumni brothers from Babson (MA) met in New York City over



Oklahoma City Tornado Alley held their semi-annual meeting and elections in June.



Veronica Chung, Bentley (MA), and Erik Budlong, Bryant (RI), met in Shanghai over the summer while both were visiting. This photo was taken at the Bund, a waterfront area in central Shanghai.



From left: Briken Jensen, St. Cloud State (MN), met with Kendra Walker, Indiana-Purdue at Indianapolis, and Che Ouyang, California-San Diego, while visiting Berlin in May. The group shared Fraternity stories and talked about their travels.

## Space City Houston Leads Hurricane Harvey Relief Efforts

Within days of its discovery, Hurricane Harvey developed into a Category 4 hurricane, making landfall east of Corpus Christi, Texas and moving through Houston and later Beaumont. Deltasigs from across the Gulf Western Region acted swiftly. As Harvey made landfall in Rockport, a number of brothers from San Antonio to Austin Alumni Chapters quickly offered their homes, couches, and extra bedrooms to Deltasigs and others evacuating north. Gulf Western RVP Musanna Al-Muntasir coordinated the safety of brothers and chapters as he was evacuating himself with his family.

Brothers from around Texas started helping in relief efforts and helping each other. Working with a local charity in Houston, The Friends of the Phoenix, Space City Houston helped with transporting meals to a shelter on the city's outskirts. The effort would later serve over 2,000 meals to first responders in the National Guard operating shelters for flood evacuees. After hearing of the flooded home of our 2001 Lifetime Achievement awardee Frank Busch, Sam Houston State, several including Rufis Estis, Louisiana Tech, his wife Brenda, Jeff Berlat and Gilbert Landras,

both Houston, pulled together to salvage and clean out the damage that was left behind. ▲



Chris Kiszkiel and Yagna Patel-Kiszkiel, both Texas-San Antonio, and Karen Tran, Texas A&M-Kingsville, trucked 1,000 diapers, toiletries, snacks, blankets, towels, and other assorted items to Rockport, Texas to aid in Red Cross relief efforts. This was in response to Laura Mullen, Texas A&M-College Station (not pictured), who worked with Gulf Western RVP Musanna Al-Muntasir to help a Red Cross donation center get extra help.



Brothers met up in Atlanta at the 2017 Rotary Convention in June. From left: Past Rotary District Governor David Hennel, Bentley, Past Rotary International President Gary Huang, Past Rotary Director Larry Lunsford, Truman State (MO), and Past Rotary President Claire English, Shepherd.



## Congratulations to Helmet Honorees who were recognized during Grand Chapter Congress!



A very impressive number of brothers were recognized with Silver Helmets at the Alumni Recognition Luncheon during Grand Chapter Congress. Thank you for your 25 years of service to Delta Sigma Pi! From left: Diane Thibault-Wankmiller, Buffalo (NY); Mike McNulty, Louisiana State; Thomas Arnott, Rider (NJ); Sara Somerset, Bentley (MA); Melinda Cooper-Polakoff, Cal State-Northridge; Jennifer Aichele, Cal State-Sacramento; Rochelle Siegrist, Cal State-Long Beach; Kelly Menke, Houston; Matt Schneider, Rider (NJ); Beth Bivona, Buffalo (NY); Tracy Jursz, Connecticut; Dara Moore Schneider, Buffalo (NY); Karon Drewniak, Georgia; Katie Magoon, Eastern Illinois; Larry Mroz, Penn State-Erie; Linda Oakes, Rider (NJ); Ruben Johnston, Nevada-Las Vegas; and Stacey Scheinkman, Missouri-St. Louis. Not pictured, but also recognized: Judith Briggs, South Dakota; Jeffrey Briggs, Miami-Ohio; and Kathy Fischer Bradbury, Loyola-New Orleans.

Brother Mike Mallonee started his volunteer service as a District Director; became the Director of Alumni Activities in 1975; and was subsequently elected in 1979 as the twenty-seventh Grand President. After his service on the Fraternity's Board of Directors ended in 1985, Mike became a Trustee of the Delta Sigma Pi Leadership Foundation for five years, serving as Chairman and President from 1993-1994.

Mike's tenure as Grand President was a period of growth and change. Twenty new collegiate chapters were installed and several reactivated. The first computer system was purchased for the Fraternity and a new Executive Director, Mike Mazur, was hired. A new management level was added with four Provincial Vice Presidents being included on the Fraternity's Board of Directors. While serving on the Leadership Foundation Board of Trustees, Brother Mallonee oversaw the merger of the Leadership Fund and the Educational Foundation. Numerous scholarships and grants were added and funded during his term as Foundation President. In 1994, the first summer Leadership Academy was sponsored in Oxford with Deltasigs and invited guests learning the fundamentals of good leadership.

In 1994, Brother Mallonee was recognized for his

exemplary service, support and leadership by earning the Lifetime Achievement Award. This top honor, however, did not halt his support and love of Delta Sigma Pi. He has recently served as a District Director to award-winning Gamma Psi Chapter at Arizona and has continued to serve on Foundation committees. He continues to support the Leadership Foundation and is involved with a number of endowments that help a wide variety of brothers world-wide. ▲



Mike Mallonee, Oklahoma, was recognized with the Golden Helmet for his continuous service to the Fraternity and Leadership Foundation for over 50 years. From left: Then GP Onuka Ibe, Mallonee and PGP Mark Chiacchiarri.

**New job? Start a new business? Get promoted or recognized for an achievement?**

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**Nidhi Duggal**, *Adelphi*, is marketing administrator at Wyndham Vacation Ownership in New York, N.Y.

**Christine Spicknell**, *Adelphi*, is assistant director - grants and sponsored programs at Queensborough Community College – CUNY in Bayside, N.Y.

**James George**, *Akron*, is business development manager at American Tire Distributors in Akron, Ohio.

**Michael Frandsen**, *Albion*, is president at Wittenberg University in Springfield, Ohio.

**Morgan Chegwiddden**, *Angelo State*, is assistant director neighborhood and family services at City of San Angelo in Texas.

**Leann Holbert Criswell**, *Angelo State*, is Galveston County program manager at Interfaith Ministries for Greater Houston in Le Marque, Texas.

**Tristan Cotter**, *Arizona*, is vice president, global sales at Canvas in Washington, D.C.

**John Gallagher**, *Arizona*, is an analyst at Hamilton Realty Finance in Dallas.

**Fredrick Gradillas**, *Arizona State*, is senior cost estimator at Raytheon Missile Systems in Tucson, Ariz.

**Nicole Thornbro**, *Arizona State*, is a prosecutor at Bexar County District Attorney in San Antonio.

**Virginia Turner**, *Auburn*, is a major accounts manager at Verizon Wireless in Waynesville, N.C.

**Joseph Curley**, *Babson*, is retired as president at Curley Insurance Agency, Inc. He lives in Wakefield, Mass.

**Jamie Smeltzer**, *Ball State*, is a consultant at Ontario Systems, LLC in Muncie, Ind.

**Robert Chang**, *Baylor*, is processing/data analyst at Knowledge Base Marketing Group in Richardson, Texas.

**Julian Dozal**, *Baylor*, is a research consultant at Qualtrics in Provo, Utah.

**Rachael Oury**, *Baylor*, is marketing manager at Transportation Intermediaries Association in Old Town Alexandria, Va.

**James Wilson**, *Baylor*, is a president at Wilson Consulting in Temple, Texas.

**Tanya Marcum**, *Bellarmine*, is senior auditor at Buetow, LeMastus, & Dick, LLC in Louisville, Ky.

**Aaron Epstein**, *Binghamton*, is the personal and business agent at Westrock Insurance Agency in New City, N.Y.

**Peter Ferrara**, *Binghamton*, is fiscal officer (controller) at Brookhaven Science Associates, LLC in Upton, N.Y.

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## Dr. Debra Cartwright Named PFA Faculty Advisor of the Year

Each year, the Professional Fraternity Association (PFA) hosts national awards to recognize outstanding individuals and chapters in the Greek community. Delta Sigma Pi's very own Dr. Debra Cartwright was given the Faculty Advisor Award of Excellence by PFA for her service to the Truman State (MO) Chapter.

Dr. Cartwright has served as chapter advisor for Iota Nu at Truman State (MO) since 2008 and consistently goes above and beyond to serve Delta Sigma Pi. Whether it is helping a brother in the classroom or through the Fraternity, she is always willing to sacrifice her time for a student. This includes attending every Sunday

night executive meeting and Monday night chapter meeting, and challenging the executive committee to always strive to be their best for the chapter.

Dedicating numerous weekends to attending LEAD events and Grand Chapter Congress, she networks with other chapters and stays updated on changes and Fraternity news to best serve her chapter. Although these activities are not required of her, she happily attends anyway. A frequent supporter of the Delta Sigma Pi Leadership Foundation, Dr. Cartwright's selfless dedication to the Fraternity sets an example of brotherhood, love and professionalism. ▲



*Associate Executive Director Shanda Gray (left) presented Dr. Debra Cartwright (right), Truman State (MO), with the Faculty Advisor Award of Excellence at the PFA Awards banquet in Birmingham this summer.*

## Milestones

Did you recently tie the knot? Welcome a new bundle of joy? Do you know a brother who has passed away? If so, please tell us. Email your mergers, gains or losses to [magazine@dsp.org](mailto:magazine@dsp.org).

### Mergers

**Michael Clark**, *Cal State-Fresno*, and Sara Martin on May 28. They live in Fresno, Calif.

**Perry Harris**, *Cal State-Northridge*, and Shanel on February 3. They live in Gilbert, Ariz.

**Shawn Oliver**, *Cal State-Sacramento*, and Sabrina Vigil on March 25. They live in West Sacramento, Calif.

**Gregory Maslowski**, *DePaul*, and Heather Hannah on March 18. They live in Carol Stream, Ill.

**Deb Haas**, *Iowa*, and Steve Moeller on October 2, 2016. They live in Charlotte, N.C.

**Adam Katch**, *Iowa State*, and Sasha Chell on July 29. They live in Maple Grove, Minn.

**Jeff Pellegrin**, *Louisiana State*, and Julia Daigle on April 22. They live in New Orleans.

**Mitchell Wyninger**, *McNeese State*, and Emily Soileau on April 21. They live in Sulphur, La.

**Nicole Pesek**, *Northern Arizona*, and Matthew Nevin on April 27. They live in Tucson, Ariz.

**Bryan Albers**, *Texas-Arlington*, and Cruz Orona on May 6. They live in Dallas.

**John Heisler**, *Truman State*, and Lindsay Gordon on July 3. They live in Enterprise, Ala.

**Sam Lackner**, *Truman State*, and Hanna Erickson on May 28. They live in St. Louis.

**Tonya Wagner**, *Wayne State-Nebraska*, and Allen Simpson on April 29. They live in Lincoln, Neb.

**Brian Havelka**, *Western Illinois*, and Caroline Dukich on March 25. They live in South Elgin, Ill.

**Thomas Bolen**, *Western Kentucky*, and James Haliburton on May 20. They live in Victoria, Texas.

### Gains

**Jillian and Brian King**, both *Albany*, on June 28 – Emma. They live in White Plains, N.Y.

**Alyssa Baltas**, *Bowling Green State*, and Nicholas on April 24 – Jack Nicholas. They live in Rocky River, Ohio.

**Lisa and Robert Rojano**, both *Cal State-Fullerton*, on January 25 – Nicolas Robert. They live in Yorba Linda, Calif.

**Tiffany Szabo**, *Kent State*, and Jon on January 11 – Mia. They live in Galion, Ohio.

**Lauren Schook**, *Michigan*, and Karl on June 2, 2016 – Joseph. They live in Chicago.

**Amy Brandt**, *Nebraska-Lincoln*, and Joshua on September 22, 2016 – Oliver. They live in Des Moines, Iowa.

**Viviana and Rene Barba**, *New Mexico State*, on April 5 – Liam. They live in Las Cruces, N.M.

**Karin Olivo**, *Radford*, and JR on June 9 – Everett. They live in Warrenton, Va.

**Nicole McKenzie**, *Shepherd*, and Daniel on October 18 – Trenton. They live in Earleville, Md.

**Karina Gomez**, *Texas A&M-Corpus Christi*, and Brandon Young on April 26 – Brayson. They live in Corpus Christi, Texas.

### Losses

#### Adelphi

Jonathan Heller (November 15, 2016)

#### Albany

Gene Facey (June 20)

#### Arizona State

David Patton (March 7)

#### Ball State

Thomas Fulk (May 1)

#### Cal Poly-Pomona

William Takanabe (June 23)

#### Creighton

Earl Bunkers (January 3)

#### Dayton

Paul Lammert (April 4)

#### DePaul

Terrin Kulangara (April 6)

#### Detroit-Mercy

Robert Check (October 31, 2016)

#### Ferris State

Gerald Erickson (May 30)

#### Florida Atlantic

Dwight DeBoer (April 11)

#### Georgetown

James Davin (October 9, 2016)

#### Georgia State

William Patrick (May 25)

Thomas Rankin (May 1)

#### Hawaii-Hilo

Jerome Gemine (June 13)

#### Illinois-Urbana

Gabrielle Ives (June 21)

#### Indiana State

Herbert Abbott (January 23)

#### Kansas

Byron Strange (February 16)

#### Kentucky

Claude Vincent Fister (June 8)

#### Louisiana at Lafayette

Sherry Flood (May 28)

#### Memphis

Ralph Williams (July 24)

#### Michigan

John Nashem (August 8)

#### Michigan State

Billie Stahlman (February 21)

#### Monmouth

John Knieriem (July 29)

#### Nebraska-Lincoln

Kathi Burdess (June 16)

William Dickinson

#### Nebraska-Omaha

Jon Nelson (February 19)

#### New Jersey

Megan McQuaide (July 18)

#### New Mexico State

Joseph Seskey (February 14)

#### Ohio

Alan Wagner (May 8)

#### Oklahoma State

Stephen McCloskey (June 28)

#### Rutgers

Jack Sellman (October 3, 2016)

#### Saint Louis

Raymond Barnes (December 23, 2016)

Robert Stagoski (January 6)

#### San Francisco

Joseph Simini (June 18)

#### Savannah State

Romona Saussy (January 9)

#### Southern Mississippi

Ben Tullos (April 19)

#### Texas Tech

James Gardner (April 14)

Michelle Zavala (July 26)

#### Virginia Tech

Leon Harding (December 15, 2016)

#### Wayne State-Michigan

Ronald Arkils (April 27)

#### Wisconsin-Madison

David Derber (June 17)

Thomas Dorrington (May 20)

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**Karen Nemelka**, *Bowling Green State*, is a business analyst consultant at United Healthcare in Mentor, Ohio.

**Alexis Tolman**, *Bowling Green State*, is manager, global accounts at Lamnont Associates in Tracy, Calif.

**Laura Habberfield**, *Buffalo*, is a sales and operations planning manager at New Era Cap in Buffalo, N.Y.

**Sirichok Chomjinda**, *California-Davis*, is mortgage closer at Wells Fargo in San Diego.

**Aaron Kuck**, *Cal State-Chico*, is legal project manager at Telsa, Inc. in Fremont, Calif.

**Joel Anderson**, *Cal Poly-Pomona*, is a senator for California State Senate in El Cajon, Calif.

**Mark Seymour**, *Cal State-Chico*, is tax manager at KPMG in Santa Clara, Calif.

**Lucy Akoubian**, *Cal State-Long Beach*, is an enterprise account executive at MicroStrategy in Tustin, Calif.

**Perry Harris**, *Cal State-Northridge*, is contract administrator at Defense Contract Management Agency in Tempe, Ariz.

**Jason Sumi**, *Cal State-Sacramento*, is a faculty member at Sierra College in Rocklin, Calif.

**Walter Copeland**, *Case Western Reserve*, is a CPA at Copeland and Company in St. Pete Beach, Fla.

**Brian Tibbs**, *Central Florida*, is vice president finance and business intelligence at Monti, Inc. in Cincinnati.

**Raymond Villanova**, *Central Florida*, is an instructional computing technician at Indian River State College in Fort Pierce, Fla.

**Rebecca Jones**, *Central Missouri*, is the senior supervisory agent at Wishes Family Travel in Kansas City, Mo.

**George Lusk**, *Christian Brothers*, is international captain at NetJets in Cordova, Tenn.

**Jonathan Kallschmidt**, *Cincinnati*, is senior program administrator at Great American Insurance in Cincinnati.

**Meghan Pope**, *Cincinnati*, is a sales representative at Paycom in Irvine, Calif.

**Phil Brekke**, *Colorado-Boulder*, is channel development manager at Dizzion Inc. in Denver.

**Anna Kahalekulu**, *Colorado-Boulder*, is owner, designer at Kulua LLC in Wailuku, Hawaii.

**Brenton Ashcraft**, *Colorado State*, is remodeling consultant at Power Home Remodeling Group in Centennial, Colo.

**Alexa O'Connell**, *Connecticut*, is solution architect at Hewlett-Packard Enterprise in Boston.

**Edna Wu**, *CUNY-Baruch*, is senior accountant at the Henry Luce Foundation in Brooklyn, N.Y.

**Karen Oaks**, *Dayton*, is assistant director, Center for Corporate Education at Stony Brook University in N.Y.

**Erin Scharler**, *Dayton*, is a marketing consultant at Freelance in Aurora, Ohio.

**Miller Baird**, *Denver*, is owner at Hospitality Financial Advisors, LLC in Denver.

**Gregory Maslowski**, *DePaul*, is email marketing manager at EZLINKS Golf LLC. in Chicago.

**James Fitzgerald**, *Detroit Mercy*, is retired. He lives in Lakeland, Mich.

**James Henning**, *Drake*, is retired as CFO of True Zone Resources. He lives in Kingwood, Texas.

**Jay Treinen**, *Drake*, is partnership development manager at Collinson Group in Plano, Texas.

**Rachel Prahl**, *Duquesne*, is system administrator-SAS planning at Dick's Sporting Goods in Pittsburgh.

**Andrew Schieve**, *Duquesne*, is MRPC-buyer at Rolls-Royce in Indianapolis.

**Daniel Goebel**, *Eastern Illinois*, is dean and professor of marketing at Northern Arizona University, The W. A. Franke College of Business in Flagstaff, Ariz.

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 Brandon Chan, *Pacific (CA)*  
 Savannah Dawn Claywell, *Western Kentucky*  
 Katie S. Contreras\*, *Cal State-Fresno*  
 Melinda Cooper-Polakoff, *Cal State-Northridge*  
 Cody Cox, *Western Kentucky*  
 David Cummings, *Coastal Carolina*  
 Daniel G. DelPiano\*, *Connecticut*  
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 James W.H. Gerhardt\*, *DePaul (IL)*

Gabrielle A. Gregg, *Oklahoma State*  
 Trey Hernandez\*, *Loyola Marymount (CA)*  
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**Mike Tuosto Recognized With 2017 ICON Honors Award**



Mike Tuosto, *Rutgers-Newark*, general manager of public affairs for PSEG's nuclear operations was presented with an inaugural 2017 ICON Honors Award in August in Somerset, New Jersey. Recognizing New Jersey business leaders over 60 for their iconic success and leadership in and out of their professional field.

Tuosto was initiated into Beta Omicron in 1959 and remained very involved with the university, serving as a member of the Rutgers Board of Governors for 13 years and as the chair of the Rutgers Board of Trustees. Following two terms, Tuosto was elected Trustee Emeritus.

Professionally, Tuosto's long history with PSEG involves serving in numerous managerial positions, including corporate human resources officer, where he coordinated contacts between PSEG and the federal and state government agencies.

Congratulations, Mike, on this well-deserved recognition! ▲

**Thomas Hamilton**, *Eastern Illinois*, is retired. He lives in Frankfort, Ill.

**John Pajkos**, *Eastern Illinois*, is a substitute teacher K-12 at Leland School District 1 in Leland, Ill.

**Sarah Land**, *Evansville*, is owner, designated MAI certified general real estate appraiser at David Matthews Associates in Evansville, Ind.

**Silburn Tomlin**, *Ferris State*, is registered representative at Voya Financial Advisers in Bingham Farms, Mich.

**David Van Surksun**, *Ferris State*, is development sourcing manager at Herman Miller, Inc. in Zeeland, Mich.

**Richard Geringswald**, *Florida Southern*, is CFO and vice president finance at Arrowhead Products in Los Alamitos, Calif.

**Peter Nelson**, *Florida State*, retired as professor emeritus, political science at University of Dayton. He lives in Dayton, Ohio.

**Melody Williams**, *Florida State*, is office manager at Wikle Properties Management Services in Palm Harbor, Fla.

**Antonia Tanya Replegle**, *George Mason*, is security systems engineer at Ascolta in Herndon, Va.

**Sherman Cohn**, *Georgetown*, is professor of law at Georgetown University in Washington, D.C.

**Richard Bishop**, *Georgia*, is tax director at United Parcel Service in Atlanta.

**Mary Daly**, *Georgia*, is an actuarial consultant at Oliver Wyman-Marsh & McLennan Company in Los Angeles.

**Anna O'Donoghue**, *Georgia*, is a risk advisory consultant at Dixon Hughes Godman in Atlanta.

**Franklin Patterson**, *Georgia*, is an attorney at Bart Patterson & Associates, LLC in Gainesville, Ga.

**Elizabeth White**, *Georgia*, is senior business analysis manager at AJC International, Inc. in Atlanta.

**Dessi Zaneva**, *Georgia*, is director, strategic sourcing at National DCP in Duluth, Ga.

**Ronnie Cagle**, *Georgia Tech*, is project controls manager at WestRock Company in Norcross, Ga.

**Robert Roy**, *Georgia Tech*, is president at Roy International Company, Inc. in Lemmon, S.D.

**Angela Strothmann**, *Georgia Tech*, is a resort revenue management intern at The Walt Disney Company in Orlando, Fla.

**Thomas Wood**, *Georgia Tech*, retired as a cost analyst at Triumph Aerospace in Milledgeville, Ga.

**Mathew Johnson**, *Georgia Southern*, is an associate analyst at Ernst & Young in Jacksonville, Fla.

**David Long**, *Georgia State*, is a professor of trust accounting at Mercer University in Macon, Ga.

**Colin Seal**, *Georgia State*, is manager, public affairs at Grifols in Washington, D.C.

**Nakeeta Wills**, *Howard*, is executive assistant to directors of estimating and purchasing at JRM Construction in New York, N.Y.

**Glenn Koproske**, *Illinois-Urbana*, is president at MVNS in St. Louis.

**Daniel Noven**, *Illinois-Urbana*, is president at Noven Financial Group, Inc./N&A Professional Group, P.C. in Denver.

**Keith Anderson**, *Indiana-Bloomington*, is retired. He lives in Elmhurst, Ill.

**Jill Hahn**, *Indiana-Bloomington*, is coordinator at Randall T. Shepard Leadership and Law Academy in Evansville, Ind.

**Stacey McCreery**, *Indiana-Bloomington*, is president at ROI Search Group, LLC in Indianapolis.

**Larry Miller**, *Indiana-Bloomington*, is associate vice president-retail at Colliers International in Phoenix.

**Abigail Quaid**, *Indiana-Bloomington*, is a professional services analyst at Nielsen in Cincinnati.

**Amie Bowen**, *Indiana-Purdue at Indianapolis*, is an elevator coordinator at Gavilon Grain in Ladgoa, Ind.

**Deb Haas**, *Iowa*, is director of tax at American & Efid in Mount Holly, N.C.

**Charles Koberg**, *Iowa*, is broker/owner at American Eagle Properties in Folsom, Calif.

**Maria Heiser**, *James Madison*, is senior talent business partner at Cornerstone OnDemand in Santa Monica, Calif.

**Doug Huie**, *Kennesaw State*, works in student services at Paulding County Schools and as an independent home inspector in Marietta, Ga.

**Ryan Gerber**, *Kent State*, is systems administrator at Lee Health in Fort Myers, Fla.

**Matthew Golladay**, *Kent State*, is president at Brightpet Nutrition Group in Lisbon, Ohio.

**Cleveland Harris**, *Lamar*, is owner at Phoenix Wealth Building & Insurance Services in Sugar Land, Texas.

**Thomas Butler**, *Lewis*, is managing director at Imago Solutions Ltd. in London, UK.

**Tara Rajesh**, *Lindenwood*, is global business development coordinator at BHS Global in St. Louis.

**Arthur Slate**, *Long Island Post*, is part-time vehicle relocation and delivery driver at Enterprise Holdings in West Bridgewater, Mass.

**Barry Slobin**, *Long Island Post*, is president at Homepro Fasteners LLC in Lexington, N.C.

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**Matthew Crawford**, *Longwood*, is manager of internal audit at Smithfield Foods in Chesapeake, Va.

**Derek Robertson**, *Longwood*, is student program manager at Longwood Dining Services in Prospect, Va.

**Roman Guillory**, *Louisiana at Lafayette*, is managing partner at Guillory Consultant Firm, LLC in Lake Charles, La.

**Lisa Rideaux**, *Louisiana at Lafayette*, is economic stability manager at Department of Children and Family Services in Opelousas, La.

**Shannon Chandler**, *Louisiana at Monroe*, is assistant director of payroll at University of Texas in Arlington, Texas.

**Jeff Pellegrin**, *Louisiana State*, is producer at inXile Entertainment in New Orleans.

**Jordan Smith**, *Louisiana State*, is senior risk consultant at Grant Thornton LLP in Dallas.

**Jeffrey Foundas**, *Louisiana Tech*, is special operations plans officer at General Dynamics Information Technology in Kailua, Hawaii.

**Rowland Jones**, *Louisiana Tech*, is president at R.D. Jones Consulting Inc. in Quitman, Texas.

**Laura Siegman**, *Loyola-Chicago*, is a consultant at Aon Hewitt in Chicago.

**Lowena Manzano**, *Loyola Marymount*, is a teacher at Temecula Valley Unified School District in Temecula, Calif.

**Richard Kollauf**, *Marquette*, is director of business advisory at BMO in Milwaukee.

**Dwight Chadbourn**, *Maryland-College Park*, is retired. He lives in Juno Beach, Fla.

**Andrew Halphen**, *Memphis*, is credit analyst at Veritex Community Bank in Dallas.

**Italo Siervo**, *Miami-Florida*, is professor, world languages at Miami Dade College in Miami.

**Dionna Burkins**, *Miami-Ohio*, is HR manager, associate director at JLL in Columbus, Ohio.

**Emily Felton**, *Miami-Ohio*, is audit associate at KPMG in Columbus, Ohio.

**Melissa Lane**, *Miami-Ohio*, is financial accounting analyst, senior at Anthem, Inc. in Mason, Ohio.

**Megan Colwell**, *Michigan*, is branch manager at Robert Half in Des Moines, Iowa.

**Sarah Strycker**, *Michigan State*, is analyst, tech support at Rocket Fuel, Inc. in East Lansing, Mich.

**Dennis Allen**, *Missouri-Columbia*, is a volunteer at American Red Cross in St. Louis.

**James Estes**, *Missouri-Columbia*, is retired. He lives in Lake Ozark, Mo.

**Douglas Hart**, *Missouri-Columbia*, is retired. He lives in O'Fallon, Mo.

**Cleavie Figueroa**, *Missouri-St Louis*, is systems engineer at NJVC, LLC in St. Louis.

**Dale Christ**, *Missouri State*, is technology engineer at Norfolk Southern in Atlanta.

**Christopher Potthast**, *Missouri State*, is vice president of administration and finance at The Family Conservancy in Kansas City, Kan.

**Crystalle Cotton**, *Nebraska-Omaha*, is self-checkout host at Walmart in St. Louis.

**Mark Elston**, *Nevada-Reno*, is senior vice president/investments at Stifel in Reno, Nev.

**Kelsey Jensen**, *Nevada-Reno*, is marketing manager at Cisco Systems in Reno, Nev.

**Kerry Akin**, *New Mexico*, is associate director at Optum in Gilbert, Ariz.

**Rita Muniz**, *New Mexico*, is vice president of business development and contract management at ADV LTD NM in Albuquerque, N.M.

**Richard Antram**, *New Mexico State*, is assistant general manager at Sears Holding Corp in Nuevo, Calif.

**Dana Roark**, *New Mexico State*, is co-owner at Great Harvest Bread Co. in Katy, Texas.

**Marcus Thornton**, *New Mexico State*, is a foreign service officer for U.S. Department of State in Dulles, Va.

**Bernard Ferrara**, *New York*, is retired as commander at United States Navy. He lives in Monterey, Calif.

**Anthony Kit**, *New York*, is equity analyst at Key Group Holdings (USA) LLC in Dallas.

**Heather DarDar**, *Nicholls State*, is accountant at Kief Hardware in Cut Off, La.

**Jacques Frere**, *Nicholls State*, retired as a teacher. He lives in New Orleans.

**Ashley Richard**, *Nicholls State*, is senior night auditor at Clarion Inn & Conference Center in Morgan City, La.

**James Bettes**, *North Texas*, is retired. He lives in Tucson, Ariz.

**Adam Carlat**, *Northern Arizona*, is president at One2One Wealth Strategies in Glendale, Ariz.

**Daniel Helmchen**, *Northern Illinois*, is owner/principal at Golden Land Mark Development Group in San Diego.

**Darrin Brodie**, *Ohio*, is a financial analyst at JPMorgan Chase & Co. in Columbus, Ohio.

**Trudi Fisher**, *Ohio*, is SAP analyst at L Brands in Columbus, Ohio.

**Trevor Pettway**, *Oklahoma*, is staff accountant at ONE Gas in Tulsa, Okla.

**Ruth Elder**, *Pacific*, is community program manager at Thurston County in Olympia, Wash.

**Stefan Whitwell**, *Pennsylvania*, is national account manager at Financial Planning and Wealth Management in Austin, Texas.

**Ira Kisver**, *Penn State-State College*, is retired. He lives in Flower Mound, Texas.

**Lisa Pacell**, *Penn State-State College*, is audit director at Isdamer & Company, LLC in Bala Cynwyd, Pa.

**Jeffrey Borish**, *Philadelphia*, is retired. He lives in Huntington Valley, Pa.

**Laura Grimm**, *Pittsburgh*, is a quality control analyst at Ally Bank in Cranberry Township, Pa.

**Stephanie Bloyd**, *Purdue*, is a business analyst at State Farm Insurance in West Lafayette, Ind.

**Sean Gallahan**, *Radford*, is first vice president at Cassaday & Company, Inc. in McLean, Va.

**Ronald Axelrod**, *Rider*, is title abstractor/title searcher at RED Vision Systems Inc. in Chester, N.J.

**Edward Cain**, *Rochester Tech*, is investment manager at Highland Wealth Advisory in Rochester, N.Y.

**Evan Maxon**, *Rockhurst*, is president at MediaFusion in San Antonio.

**Stephanie Yowell**, *Rockhurst*, is delivery analyst at Netsmart in Overland Park, Kan.

**Robert Richter**, *Rutgers-Newark*, is retired. He lives in Colonia, N.J.

**Christopher Chille**, *St. Joseph's*, is a food service sales representative at Hormel Foods in Folsom, N.J.

**Emily Brady**, *Saint Louis*, is marketing coordinator at Saint Louis Cardinals in St. Louis.

**Jacob Warren**, *Saint Louis*, is sales development representative at Juristat in St. Louis.

**Remilynn Perez**, *San Francisco*, is case manager III at HealthRight 360-Bridges in San Francisco.

**Joseph Zotter**, *Santa Clara*, is owner at Thruput Travel Solutions in Menlo Park, Calif.

**Collinda Lee**, *Savannah State*, is special education coordinator at the Board of Education in Milledgeville, Ga.

**Kimberly McCormick**, *Savannah State*, is educator at Duval County Public Schools in Jacksonville, Fla.

**Nicole McKenzie**, *Shepherd*, is a realtor at Hogans Agency Inc. in Chestertown, Md.

**Danielle Feldman**, *Siena*, is internal audit associate at PricewaterhouseCoopers in New York, N.Y.

**Courtney Lynch**, *Siena*, is senior specialist-endurance programs and partnerships at ALSAC/St. Jude Children's Research Hospital in New York, N.Y.

**Dustin Pratt**, *South Dakota*, is portfolio manager at Avalon Capital Group in North Sioux City, S.D.

**Allan Seaver**, *South Dakota*, retired as credit manager at Kohler Co. He lives in Sheboygan, Wis.

**Leland Adams**, *South Florida*, is revenue analyst at LEGOLAND Florida Resort in Winter Haven, Fla.

**William Broyles**, *Southern Methodist*, is CFO at UHU Technologies LLC in Richardson, Texas.

**Shoanee Garrison**, *Southern Mississippi*, is principal at Galena Elementary-Marshall County School District in Holly Springs, Miss.

**Amanda Gilbert**, *Southern Mississippi*, is an analyst at Williams Sonoma in Memphis, Tenn.

**Peter Denne**, *Tampa*, retired as vice president at Denne Property Holdings Inc. He lives in Gulfport, Fla.

**Richard Glynn**, *Tampa*, is front desk supervisor at Marriott in Natick, Mass.

**Candace Higgs**, *Tampa*, is tech ops at Lloyds Banking Group in Birmingham, UK.

**Richard McKenzie**, *Tampa*, retired as senior vice president at AltadisUSA in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

**Jimmy Hilliard**, *Tennessee*, is Harbert Eminent Scholar and professor of finance at Auburn University in Ala.

**LaTara Robertson**, *Texas-Arlington*, is owner/chief coordinator at Beautiful Realities Events in Dallas.

**Delphin von Briesen**, *Texas-El Paso*, is principal/manager at Promerit LLC in Leander, Texas.

**Maria Duron**, *Texas Tech*, is marketing coach/strategist at Know, Like + Ignite in Midland, Texas.

**Trey Gordon**, *Texas Tech*, is an operations analyst at JP Morgan Chase in Lewisville, Texas.

**Onuka Ibe**, *Truman State (MO)*, is senior consultant at La Piana Consulting in Silver Spring, Md.

**Peter Firmin**, *Tulane*, retired. He lives in Littleton, Colo.

**Glenn McSparin**, *Valparaiso*, is patient access representative at Franciscan Health Rensselaer in Rensselaer, Ind.

**Erika Springer**, *Washington-Bothell*, is marketing operations specialist at Cray Inc. in Seattle.

**Jennifer Movall**, *Wayne State-Nebraska*, is owner at Local Government Professional Services, Inc. in Storm Lake, Iowa.

**Bob Price**, *Wayne State-Nebraska*, is president at Inner Circle, Inc. in Omaha, Neb.

**Brian Havelka**, *Western Illinois*, is senior sourcing specialist at RTC Industries in Rolling Meadows, Ill.

**James Woolard**, *Western Illinois*, is application executive at Epic in Verona, Wis.

**Pooja Naidu**, *Western Michigan*, is project manager at PTC in Chicago.

**James Thomas**, *Western Michigan*, is global purchasing and supply chain rotational program at General Motors in Warren, Mich.

**Ivan Mercer**, *West Liberty*, is retired as plant controller at Carrier Transcold. He lives in Athens, Ga.

**Christopher Anderson**, *Winona State*, is assistant vice president at U.S. Bank in Minneapolis.

**Nicholas Sanders**, *Wisconsin-Madison*, is accounting rotational business associate at CNA Insurance in Chicago.

**Steve Nichols**, *Wisconsin-Whitewater*, is principal at Warnke/Nichols Ltd. in Delafield, Wis.

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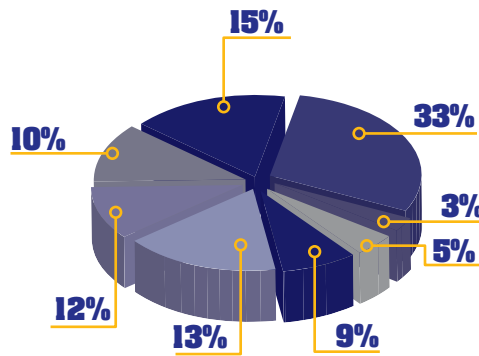
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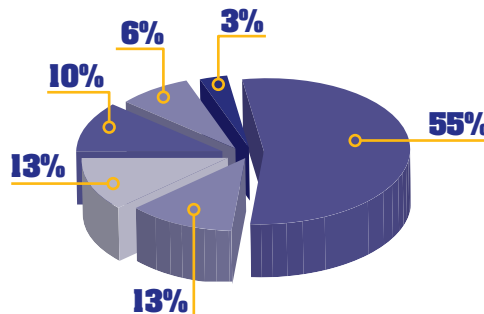
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12%	Insurance, Regalia and Other	\$ 339,284
10%	LEAD Events	\$ 299,096
9%	Royalties/Investments	\$ 266,505
5%	Leadership Foundation Management Fees	\$ 139,000
3%	Leadership Foundation Grants	\$ 76,363
		<b>\$ 2,867,212</b>



## Where Does the Money Go?

55%	Chapter Services	\$ 1,227,325
13%	Headquarters Management/Maintenance	\$ 292,041
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6%	Grand Chapter Congress	\$ 144,076
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Staff Visits  
Made to:

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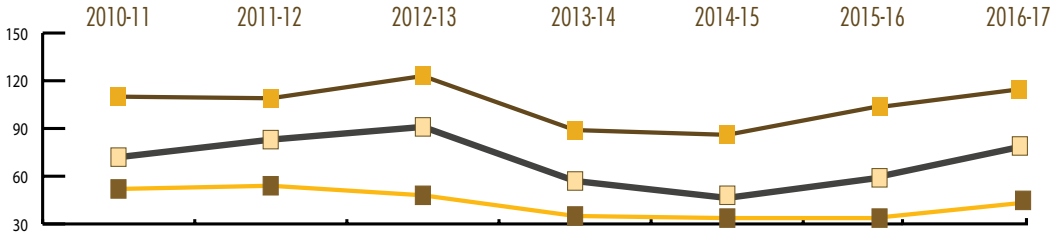
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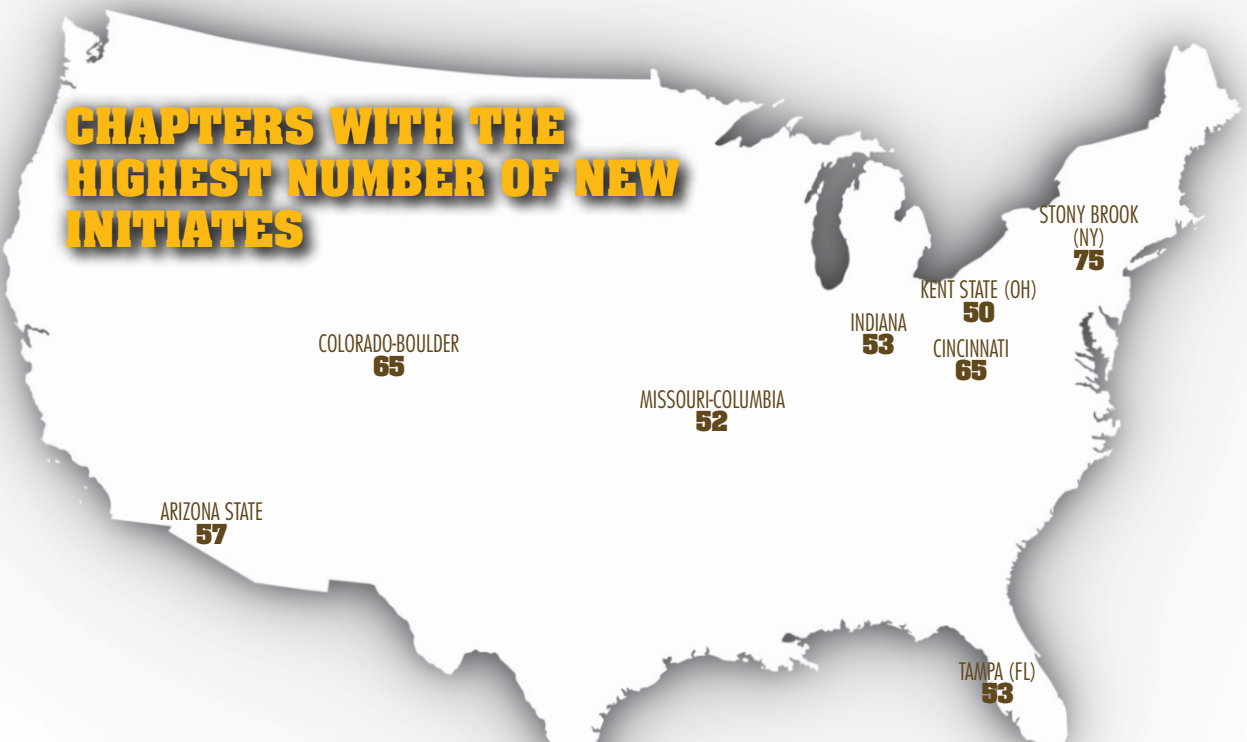
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<b>Collegiate</b>	40

## CHAPTERS WITH THE HIGHEST NUMBER OF NEW INITIATES

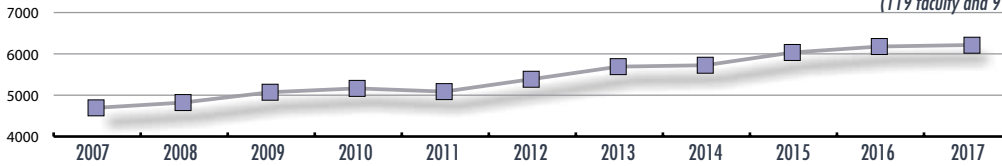


# MEMBERS

# 271,800

Total number of Delta Sigma Pi Initiates worldwide

Total Annual Initiates

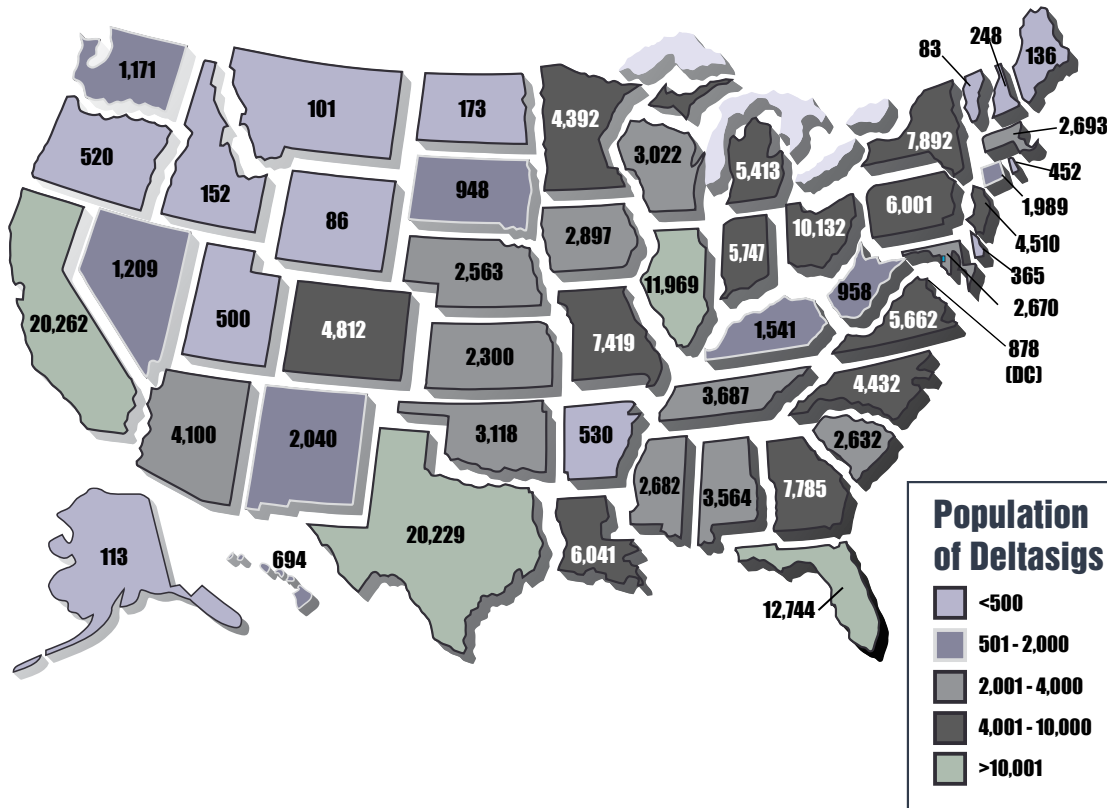


6,186 new members initiated  
(119 faculty and 9 honorary)

# 141,472

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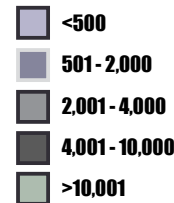
## DELTASIGS ACROSS THE COUNTRY



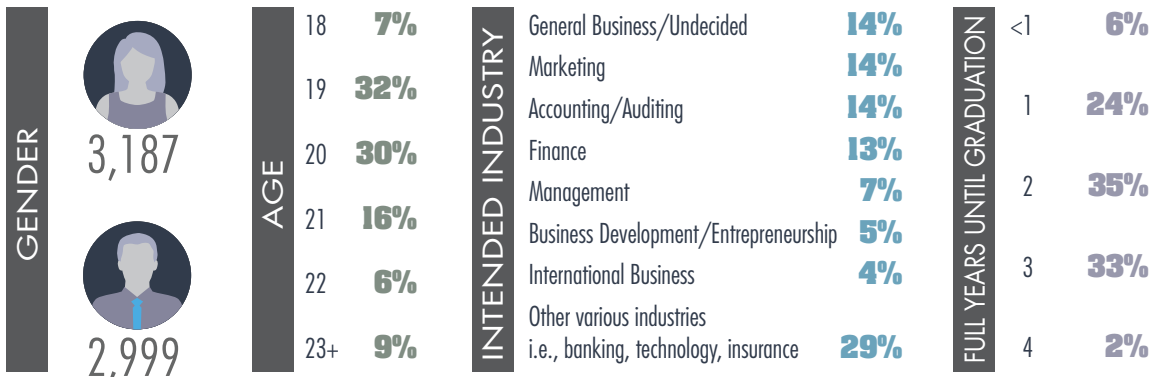
### INTERNATIONAL POPULATIONS (with 10 or more)

AUSTRALIA	14
BAHAMAS	46
BOLIVIA	11
BRAZIL	17
CANADA	165
CHINA	35
ECUADOR	11
FRANCE	35
GERMANY	46
GUAM	19
HONDURAS	12
HONG KONG	32
INDIA	51
INDONESIA	29
JAPAN	49
MALAYSIA	53
MEXICO	84
NETHERLANDS	18
NORWAY	20
PAKISTAN	14
PANAMA	23
PHILIPPINES	26
PUERTO RICO	49
SAUDI ARABIA	19
SINGAPORE	34
SOUTH KOREA	20
SPAIN	17
SWEDEN	10
SWITZERLAND	14
TAIWAN	17
THAILAND	17
TRINIDAD	11
TURKEY	14
UNITED KINGDOM	86
VIRGIN ISLANDS	16

### Population of Deltasigs



## PROFILE OF A NEW MEMBER



5,820

Members Who Held Collegiate Chapter Office Positions 2016-2017

1,793

2016 LEAD School registrants



1,975

2017 LEAD Provincial Conference registrants

458

Members who attended a LEAD School and a LEAD Provincial

498

Miles between Central Office & Atlanta (site of the 52nd Grand Chapter Congress, August 16-20, 2019)

# LEADERSHIP/ PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Total attendance at all professional events submitted by chapters:

Alumni 2,341

Collegiate 103,932

228 CDLs

157 Advanced CDLs



# SERVICE

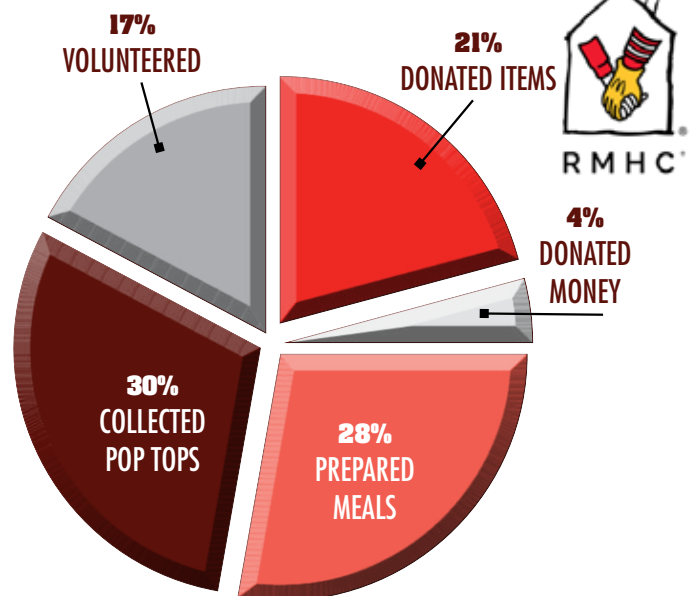
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Collegiate & alumni chapters & colonies participated in Make A Difference Day events



## Summary of Ronald McDonald House Charities Events:

133 chapters conducted 231 events with almost 3,500 members participating



52,602

Total Service Hours Reported

I left Grand Chapter Congress in New Orleans truly overwhelmed by the passion and energy of all Deltasigs! As you know, the Delta Sigma Pi Leadership Foundation provides grants to support the educational programming at Grand Chapter Congress, LEAD Schools and LEAD Provincial Conferences. We continue to be impressed with how the Fraternity leverages these grants to provide high quality presenters and programming. This was particularly evident by the level of engagement from all of the session attendees. Without the support of our donors, these educational opportunities would not be possible. The Trustees of the Leadership Foundation would like to take this opportunity to thank each and every one of our donors for their support!



In addition to educational grants, the Leadership Foundation continues to support individual brothers through its scholarship program. The Foundation will award dozens of scholarship checks to 2017 Collegians of the Year and 2017 scholarship recipients totaling more than \$100,000.

As I left New Orleans, I found myself thinking about the generosity of our donors and the amazing opportunity this provides us to support the Fraternity and our brothers. Over the course of one week, we raised over \$100,000. In addition, we raised more than \$80,000 through our Deltasig For Life Donor program and individual gifts over the course of the 2016-2017 fiscal year. Many of you have shared your "why" with me over the years and I am always moved by the stories and experiences. For each of our donors, the "why" they give may be slightly different, but the passion and generosity that follows is truly moving. I want to thank you all for that generosity and for continuing to believe in the value the Fraternity brings to our brothers!

Over the past few years the Fraternity Board finalized their strategic plan, which includes the development of a Presidents' Academy. The Presidents' Academy is a national training event for collegiate chapter presidents. It is designed to equip collegiate chapter presidents to develop their leadership potential in a way that has immediate benefits to them personally, to the chapters they lead and to the Fraternity as a whole. In accordance with the Fraternity's request, the Leadership Foundation will provide grant funding to support this effort. We are excited to partner with the Fraternity in a way that aligns the strategic plans of the two organizations. We look forward to engaging alumni and collegiate members as donors and volunteers in these fundraising efforts!

I am honored to serve another term as the Chair of the Delta Sigma Pi Leadership Foundation and am excited to see what we can accomplish with the support of our donors!

Fraternally,

Katie I. Magoon  
Leadership Foundation Chair and President



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(As of 6/30/2017) \* Denotes Deceased

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Brothers attended a fundraising event at Mardi Gras World in support of the Leadership Foundation, where they toured the float den with hundreds of props used in floats for numerous New Orleans celebrations, and even got to design their own mini-floats competing against teams of Deltasigs! This float took on a likeness to Past Grand President Kathy Jahnke, posing next to it.



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(Annual Giving Societies)

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Δ Denotes Deltasig For Life Donor

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The Deltasig For Life Donor (DFLD) program is a meaningful and tangible way for members to exhibit their lifelong commitment to Delta Sigma Pi by pledging to support the Leadership Foundation's annual fund through monthly or quarterly automatic credit/debit card gifts. When you give to the Leadership Foundation as a Deltasig For Life Donor, your tax-deductible gift has exponential impact.

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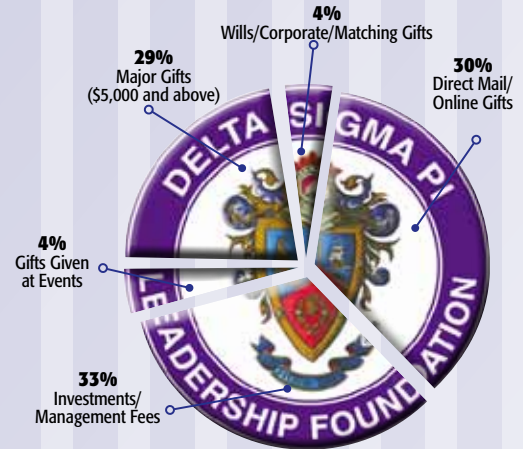
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- You want to make a significant outright gift to support one of our programs now.
- Your other charitable contributions for the year have reached your percentage-deduction limitation.
- You have adequate or surplus retirement savings.
- You do not need the additional income necessitated by the minimum required distribution.
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- You are subject to a rule that limits your itemized deductions.
- You do not itemize deductions.

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## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

### January 19-21

Fraternity Board Meeting—Oxford

### February 9-11

Northeastern LEAD Provincial Conference & Council Meeting—Boston

### February 16-18

North Central LEAD Provincial Conference & Council Meeting—Milwaukee

### February 23-25

Southern LEAD Provincial Conference & Council Meeting—Charlotte

### March 2-4

Western LEAD Provincial Conference & Council Meeting—San Diego

### March 9-11

South Central LEAD Provincial Conference & Council Meeting—St. Louis

### April 25

National Alumni Day

### October 5-6

Birmingham (AL) LEAD School

### October 12-13

Minneapolis (MN) LEAD School

### October 19-20

Dallas (TX) LEAD School

### October 26-27

Cleveland (OH) LEAD School

### October 27

National Make A Difference Day

### November 2-3

Albuquerque (NM) LEAD School

### November 7

Founders' Day

## Minutes in Seconds from August 13 and 19, 2017 Board Meetings

### Interim Mail Votes not previously reported:

- ▲ Approved 17-18 operating budget with a \$2.50 per semester dues increase.
- ▲ Approved Member Accident Protection Program (MAPP) to start spring 2018. This supplemental insurance program is being provided to collegiate members at a low annual cost of \$5 per dues paying member.
- ▲ Initiation Ritual memorization CMP item was moved from Chapter of Excellence (Tier 3) to Accredited Chapter (Tier 1).
- ▲ Approved requirement of any initiations off the campus in which the pledges are enrolled to be approved by the Provincial Vice President, including chapters participating in a joint initiation on another campus.
- ▲ Adjusted the merchandise policy to restrict use of our name and trademarks to licensed vendors and provided additional guidance to members, chapters, staff and vendors regarding restrictions of use of our trademarks.
- ▲ Placed Alpha Omicron (Ohio University) on suspension for 90 days.

### At Meeting:

- ▲ Approved IRS Set Aside Resolution of passive income in the amount of \$341,503.
- ▲ Approved tentative list of chapters financially ineligible to vote at GCC pending payment onsite by cash or credit card. (Delta Tau (Indiana State) and Epsilon Upsilon (New Mexico State) paid and were eligible to vote.)
- ▲ Approved Leadership Foundation grant request funding prioritization for 2018-19, including \$200,000 for Presidents' Academy.
- ▲ Accepted the following brothers into the Golden Council: Chad Robinson, Jessica Anderson, Kevin Gore, Kristy Koller, Erica Kolsrud, Kristen Kralik, Catherine Leslie, Nicole Moeller, Jackie Napalan, Nicole Orlando, Joshua Panwala and Holly Vernon.
- ▲ Approved change for CDL Certificates to be printed by submitter instead of printed by the Fraternity and presented at events.
- ▲ Approved changes to Central Office Staff Employee Insurance Program, adding an HSA.
- ▲ Failed GCC "Dress down" Leadership Foundation fundraiser day due to complicating factors.
- ▲ Removed local requirements in the pledge education program policy: pledges to serve on a chapter committee and to participate in chapter fundraising.
- ▲ Added policy language to better identify for a pledge what professional dress generally includes.
- ▲ Removed policy that permits chapters at quarter schools to exceed the 10-week time limit for fall pledges by delaying fall initiation into the January term.
- ▲ Added a CMP demonstration as a requirement of the pledge education program.
- ▲ Approved 2018 Fall LEAD School Budget. (Rates are the same as 2017.)
- ▲ Approved changes regarding electronic account platforms, including a requirement for chapters to include "Delta Sigma Pi" and the Greek letter chapter name in their account title.
- ▲ Add wording to the GCC reimbursement policy regarding lower reimbursements to Regional Vice Presidents who only attend part of GCC.
- ▲ Adjust the spring Initiation Ritual Memorization CMP item (Accredited Chapter) from June 15 to June 1.
- ▲ Allowed the Grand President to approve and sign the Executive Director's current employment agreement as long as it does not deviate materially from the one presented to the 2015-2017 Board.
- ▲ Approved chapter reorganization for Kappa (Georgia State University) by unanimous vote.
- ▲ Approved to write off \$3,204.50 debt for Alpha Omicron (Ohio University), which is on university and Fraternity suspension.
- ▲ Approved one-year probation and a 6-month offer of receivership to Kappa Pi (University of North Florida).



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*As the city assessed initial damages, Space City Houston received a call from Steve Parker, Houston, telling them a neighborhood was overlooked. With donations from Deltasigs around the country, they helped more than 100 families that next day. Afterwards, the chapter raised additional money and donations for 125 cleaning kits and other supplies. From left: Joelle Berlat, Gilbert Landras, both Houston; Monica Wascom; Laura Mullen, Texas A&M-College Station; Arturo Perez, Texas-El Paso; and Derry Webb, Houston.*