

**Minutes of the Western Provincial Council Meeting
February 26, 2012
La Jolla, CA**

A. Opening Ritual

The meeting was opened by Ritual by Lisa Brown (*Western PVP*).

B. Call the Meeting to Order

The chancellor, Devin Strang (*Gamma Omega*) called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

C. Roll Call of Delegates

Roll call of the delegates was taken.

Chapters Present:

Phi

Alpha Nu

Alpha Rho

Gamma Xi

Gamma Omicron

Gamma Phi

Gamma Psi

Gamma Omega

Delta Omicron

Delta Pi

Delta Sigma

Epsilon Theta

Epsilon Upsilon

Epsilon Phi

Zeta Tau

Zeta Omega

Eta Chi

Theta Chi

Iota Pi

Iota Upsilon

Iota Phi

Kappa Mu

Lambda Mu

Lambda Pi

Lambda Sigma

Lambda Phi

Lambda Chi

Mu Rho

Mu Chi

Nu Rho

Nu Phi

Xi Omicron

Xi Pi

Omicron Sigma
Pi Sigma
Pi Chi
Rho Upsilon

Alumni Chapters Present:

Denver
Fresno-CenCal
Orange County
Sacramento Valley
San Diego
Santa Clara Silicon Valley

Western PVP
Bay Area RVP
Desert Mountain RVP
Northwestern RVP
Pacific Coast RVP
Rocky Mountain RVP
Sierra Nevada
South Pacific

Chapters Absent:

Rho
Gamma Iota
Lambda Psi
Rho Sigma

Alumni Chapters Absent:

Colorado Springs
East Bay
El Paso
Hawaii
Inland Empire
Los Angeles
Phoenix-Thunderbird
Reno Sierra Nevada
San Diego
Seattle – Pacific Northwest

D. Adopt Agenda

Moved by Delta Sigma / Seconded by Lambda Sigma
Passed with no objections.

E. Approve the Minutes of the Previous Council Meeting

Moved by Iota Upsilon / Seconded by Denver Alumni Chapter
Passed with no objections.

F. Review Votes Taken Since the Last Meeting

NONE

G. Receive or Distribute the Report of the Provincial Vice President

Lisa Brown / Western PVP

Distributed prior to Council Meeting. See Addendum A.

H. Receive or Distribute the Reports of the Regional Vice Presidents

Bay Area Region / Scott Wong

Distributed prior to Council Meeting. See Addendum A.

Desert Mountain Region / Dave Glanzrock

Distributed prior to Council Meeting. See Addendum A.

Pacific Coast Region / Patrick Bonfrisco

Distributed prior to Council Meeting. See Addendum A.

Rocky Mountain Region / Sheri Gabor

Distributed prior to Council Meeting. See Addendum A.

South Pacific Region / Matt Temple

Distributed prior to Council Meeting. See Addendum A.

Sierra Nevada Region / Mar Hoyos

Distributed prior to Council Meeting. See Addendum A.

I. Receive of Distribute the Reports of the Provincial Committees

Alumni Development / Suzette Holtman

Verbal Report

- *Increase LEAD Alumni participation, sessions specifically for Alumni*
- *Liaison for brothers and alumni chapters*
- *Goal: large attendance at GCC in Seattle for Western Province: West is best*

Community Service / Paul Dawson

Verbal Report

- *5 community events,*
 - Coin drop for St. Judes*
 - Dress down today*
 - Letters to the troops*
 - Dress down at previous event*
 - Coin drop today for Nancie Glanzrock Foundation*

Marketing & Communication / Jason Sumi (Suzette Holtman)

Verbal Report

- Facebook established for Western Province – 375 members
- #dspweb

- Newsletters sent out every other month

Scholastic Development and Awards / Rick Boner (Lisa Brown)

Verbal Report

- *COYS have all been selected*
- *June 1st chapter awards are due: start early.*
- *Cannot win if you don't apply*

Professional Development / Crystal Justice

Verbal Report

- *Coordinate presenters for LEAD (here and Reno)*
- *Let Crystal know if you want to participate*
- *Helped plan area conferences in local areas*
- *Volunteer conferences for leadership*
- *Let her know if you want to organize a regional event*

Provincial Discipline Committee / Lisa Brown

Verbal Report

No appeals at this time

J. Old Business

NONE

K. New Business

1) Approve 2012-2013 Provincial Budget

Current version distributed onsite prior to Council Meeting.

Motion to approve provincial budget.

Moved by Dave Glanzrock RVP, Dessert Mountain / Seconded by Omicron Sigma

Passed with no objections.

See Addendum B.

2) Legislative Proposals/Recommendations

a. South Pacific / Pacific Coast boundaries proposal

Moved by Omicron Sigma / Seconded by Scott Wong, Bay Area RVP

("yeeeeeah")

Passed with no objections

b. Straw poll on initiation and dues ceiling proposal

i. The first straw poll is to discuss raising the ceiling (not the actual dues for dues and initiation fees). 34 Yes / 15 No

1. Shane → Currently initiation dues are capped at \$10 difference

a. Want to increase to \$150 for total initiation/pledging dues

b. Currently constrained to the \$10 difference, want to give more opportunities/abilities

- c. Current due structure has been \$80 since 2008, no plans to increase
 - d. Current collegiate initiation fee is \$70 since 2008, no plans to increase
 - e. Needs to go to GCC, earliest implementation date would be January 2013
 - f. Question (Dave Glanzrock, Desert Mountain RVP): Amend to only be able to increase a certain percentage, rather than specific amount
 - g. Question (Matt Temple, South Pacific RVP): Establish a percentage threshold
 - h. Question (Epsilon Upsilon): What is the point of the cap?
Been around for at least 12 years.
- ii. The second straw poll is to discuss removing the ceiling altogether.
1 Yes / 48 No
- c. Straw poll on VPOD proposal
- i. Straw poll regarding the removal of the VPOD position.
 - 1. Joe Ward → survey to get everyone's input on this proposal
 - a. Based on everyone's inputs, we will vote on this proposal next spring at the provincial LEAD.
 - b. VPOD Description: this position is overlapped by many other positions; many people don't exactly know what this position entails.
 - i. The right change to this position would be to eliminate it
 - ii. We should have short term strategic plans that are changed every 2 years. Our long term strategic plan is our purpose
 - c. Question: By removing the position, does it change the voting process structure? Eliminating this position, we will only 9 voters, so there won't ever be even split. In the past, if it were even, the Grand President would vote to break the even votes.
 - d. Question: What are the expectations of Board Members? This will save about \$4,000 by eliminating this position. Committee chairs are volunteers with no political issues.
 - e. OD committee chair should still exist, just remove the VP position
 - f. Question (Epsilon Upsilon): Why create a new position to eliminate an old position?
 - g. Question (Matt Temple, South Pac RVP): Speak more to the number of votes on the board. Maybe add an Information Systems position to modernize our databases.
 - h. Question (Dave, Desert Mountain RVP): Shouldn't be the Grand President's role to appoint someone because the person should truly be what everyone votes for and has a say in.

3) Select 2012-2013 Provincial Community Service Option

Proposal – Selection of the provincial community service event to be St. Jude.

Moved by Lisa Brown, PVP / Seconded by Gamma Omega
Passed

4) Determine the Date and Location for 2014 Annual Meeting

Proposed 2014 Annual Meeting Locations

Phoenix / Long Beach

Long Beach 25 Chosen as Preferred Location by Straw Poll

Phoenix 21 Chosen as Alternative Location by Straw Poll

Proposed 2014 Annual Meeting Dates

Feb. 16 / Feb. 23 / March 2

March 2nd Chosen as Preferred Date by Straw Poll

Feb 23 Chosen as Alternative Date by Straw Poll

Feb 16 Chosen as Second Alternative Date by Straw Poll

L. Announcements

- March 3 – Eastern Desert Mountain Region Brotherhood Day
- March 20 – Lambda Phi Green Party
- March 25-26 – Pi Sigma: LV hotel management tour
- March 28 6-8pm – Rho Upsilon (Malibu) presents Adam Carroll
- April 14 – Desert Mountain Regional Initiation
- April 14 – WRI, San Jose, CA
- April 21 – DSP Olympics Nu Pi
- April 21 – Installation of Concordia University
- April 25 – National Alumni Day
- May 26-27 – Shark Fest, Santa Barbara, CA
- June 1 – Chapter Awards Due Date
- OC Alumni Chapter results (3rd – Iota pi, 2nd – Zeta Tau, 1st – Lambda Phi)

M. Closing Ritual

Motion to close meeting.

Moved by San Diego Alumni / Seconded by Gamma Psi

Passed with no objections.

Lisa Brown (*Western PVP*) closed the meeting by ritual.

N. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 10:30 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Kelly Kolstad, Secretary (*Gamma Omicron*)
Lisa Brown, *Western Provincial Vice President*

REPORT OF THE WESTERN PROVINCIAL VICE PRESIDENT

Lisa Brown
January 2012

Travel / Conference Calls during Period:

8/7	Board Meeting
8/10 – 8/14	Grand Chapter Congress
9/6	PVP Conference Call
9/8	Meet with Bay Area RVP
9/9	PFA luncheon with Bill Schilling
9/14	Conference calls with Nu Phi and Phi and live meeting with Rho
9/23 – 9/25	Board Meeting and Volunteer Leadership Retreat
10/5	Monthly conference call with Provincial Committee Chairs
10/13	Conference call with Nu Phi
10/22	Reno LEAD School
11/2	Monthly conference call with Provincial Committee Chairs
11/5	Bay Area Brotherhood Games
11/12	Tulsa LEAD School
11/18	Pacific Coast Regional Initiation
11/19	Pepperdine Installation
11/21	Conference call with Mu Chi
11/30	Conference call with Nu Phi
12/7	Monthly conference call with Provincial Committee Chairs
12/12	PVP Conference Call
1/4	Monthly conference call with Provincial Committee Chairs
1/7	Western Province Leadership Meeting – Pleasanton, CA

Future Travel:

1/14	Volunteer Training for Bay Area and Sierra Nevada
1/20 – 1/22	Board Meeting
2/3 – 2/5	Northeastern LEAD Provincial Conference – Philadelphia
2/24 – 2/26	Western LEAD Provincial Conference – La Jolla
3/3	Visit Omicron Psi for Fight Night
4/14	Bay Area and Sierra Nevada Regional Initiation and Banquet
4/21	Installation of Concordia - tentative
4/28	Visit Rocky Mountain Region
May	South Pacific Sharkfest – TBD
June	Western Province Leadership Meeting - TBD

Provincial/Regional Update:

We have had a great start to the biennium. I only have one new RVP and has really hit the ground running. The provincial committees have been doing a wonderful job on their goals. We meet once a month to track progress and brainstorm new ideas. Our newest provincial committee, Marketing and Communication, has created a bi-monthly newsletter that is informational and creative. We have two prospects for colonies in the Northwestern region and our goal would be to have a new chapter there by Seattle GCC.

Leadership Development:

There are two local volunteer leadership trainings scheduled for next semester, one in Northern California and the other in South California. We will be planning to have training in the fall during the Denver LEAD school. To encourage district directors to complete the 10 training courses for CDL, we will be giving Team West T-Shirts to all that have accomplished this at La Jolla. We also will have a station where alumni can do the training if they are interested.

Provincial Committees:

- Professional - Crystal Justice
- Marketing - Jason Sumi
- Community Service - Paul Dawson
- Alumni - Suzette Halterman
- Awards - Rick Boner
- Provincial Discipline– Lisa Brown

Provincial Goals:

Goal 2011 - 2012	Status
80% of Chapters are accredited, 65% are Chapters of Recognition, 45% are Chapters of Excellence	In Progress - currently 83% of chapters can be accredited. Still possible to met goal.
100% of chapters have a District Director	Met - all District Director spots are filled.
All DDs CDL trained	In Progress – 55% of the current District Directors are trained in CDL
At least 12 chapters apply for each award.	Not Started
100% of chapters become legacy chapters.	Not Met – however at 59.6% we had the highest percent of all provinces
90% of chapters submitted COY application	Not Met - only 88%
For Provincial Lead School increase registration to La Jolla by 10%. Target number is 353	Met - exceeded target of 353 with La Jolla attendance at 530 so far.

LEAD School:

Reno LEAD School was a success with about 240 attendees making up 70% of the province's chapters. We had Adam Carroll as the key note speaker and quite a few different presenters then the normal crew. We conducted two community service events, Dress Down and Make a Difference Make a Drop with a net profit from both of approximately \$400. The province also endowed a new scholarship fund, The Western PVP scholarship where proceeds will go to offset the registration cost of Provincial Conference. 13 chapters made their donation to become Legacy Chapters in Reno which met the challenge of 12 chapters and made me get up and sing 8 songs in closing session. Over \$4,000 was raised for the Leadership Foundation.

La Jolla sold out after the early deadline with nearly 500 registrations. With some logistical changes, the hotel is able to accommodate 550. Currently, 82% of the colligate chapters are registered and we are hopeful that almost all will be registered by the next deadline. We plan on having a dance both nights with a pirate theme on Saturday and other special surprises. There will be three community services, Letter to Troops, Make a Difference ,Make a Drop with proceeds going to a cancer foundation in honor of Nancie Glanzrock, and a poker tournament put on by the Inland Empire Alumni Chapter. The alumni committee has chosen two sessions specifically for alumni to attend in the afternoon.

Expansion:

Pepperdine was installed in November and Concordia is targeting an installation date of 4/21. The University of Hawaii at Manoa is rebooting with the current president being a Brother. Dale Clark will be paying them a visit in the upcoming semester. Chapman is getting started and will focus on recruiting when school is back in session.

Other schools that we are targeting and/or have interested are: University of Idaho, University of Washington, Southern Oregon University, CSU Dominguez Hills, CSU San Bernardino and CSU San Marcos.

Regional Vice President Report

of the Bay Area Region

by Scott Wong

Status

Most chapters in the region are on track to be 100% accredited. Those who are not are really behind in their events. Morale in most of the chapters is high. There seems to be no delinquent issues in the chapter. The planning for WRI has run into a rut. SJSU has seemed to bump Theta Chi's reservation off the list and finding a large lecture hall is impossible at the moment. We are considering alternatives, but are trying to spend as little as possible.

Accomplishments

Pi Chi, the newest chapter in the region, is growing very fast and looks like the chapter to beat. They have stride and motivation to be one of the best in the region.

Goals

Minimally, I set the goal for each chapter to have 100% accredited. But it seems unattainable now.

Expansion

Disciplinary Issues

The only disciplinary issue is Rho. Though they are not necessarily causing problems or not following Policy & Procedure, they just don't seem to care. I am keeping my eye on them and trying to attend their events more often. I am in contact with one of their officers and she is very helpful and cooperative.

Upcoming Events

Brotherhood Games, April 7th

Western Regional Initiation, April 14th

District Directors

Chapter Name	Alumnus Name
Rho	Ramey Dallimonti
Zeta Tau	Sasha Ng
Theta Chi	Neta Berger
Gamma Xi	Alex De Cesare
Pi Chi	Erica Bumgarner
Delta Omicron	Jenn Chan
Gamma Omicron	Alan Naguit

Committee Members

Awards:

Garrett Lew

Chuck Brown

Laura Wills

Austin Radus

Van Nguyen

Dzintars Grinfelds

Regional Vice President Report of the Pacific Coast Region

by Patrick A. Bonfrisco

Status

All eight chapters are on track to achieve Chapter of Excellence, barring no unforeseen circumstances. One chapter on probation from school as a result of allegations of hazing. Colony at Concordia is targeting April 21 as an installation date. Second colony established at Chapman University. COY nominated at all eight chapters and all eight COYs submitted an application on time. All collegiate chapter DDs have completed CDL training.

Accomplishments

Eta Chi – California State Polytechnic University, Pomona

- Hosted a Poker Tournament, which was the most successful fundraising event the chapter has ever had
- Professional event with Blizzard Entertainment - half of the students in attendance were non-Deltasig
- 40 Eta Chi brothers registered for La Jolla LEAD (as of 02/01/12)

Iota Pi – San Diego State University

- Quality events with increased participation from the entire chapter
- Effective transitions between incoming and outgoing executive committees and strong communication between all brothers
- 31 Iota Pi brothers registered for La Jolla LEAD (as of 02/01/12)

Lambda Pi – University of San Diego

- Hosted a homecoming tailgate that was well attended by alum
- Highest planned LEAD attendance number in the past 5 years
- 32 Lambda Pi brothers registered for La Jolla LEAD (as of 02/01/12)

Lambda Sigma – California State University, Fullerton

- 25th anniversary banquet attended by Lambda Sigma Alumni, current collegians, as well as brothers and alumni from neighboring chapters.
- Improved attendance at recruitment events as a result of new marketing strategies
- 26 Lambda Sigma brothers registered for La Jolla LEAD (as of 02/01/12)

Lambda Chi – University of California, Riverside

- Chapter has been cooperative with school during the hazing investigation
- Good registration at Reno LEAD despite the long distance
- 18 Lambda Chi brothers registered for La Jolla LEAD (as of 02/01/12)

Xi Pi – University of Redlands

- The chapter is now more visible, as an organization, within the business department and school
- Co-sponsored three professional events with the Rotaract Club on campus
- 13 Xi Pi brothers registered for La Jolla LEAD (as of 02/01/12)

Omicron Sigma – University of California, San Diego

- The chapter is now endorsed by both the Economics department at UC San Diego as well as the Rady School of Management
- Secured a sponsorship from Nika Water
- 25 Omicron Sigma brothers registered for La Jolla LEAD (as of 02/01/12)

Pi Sigma – University of California, Irvine

- Published a new website to improve their image and added functionality
- Raised over \$2,000 in revenue during fall quarter alone
- 16 Pi Sigma brothers registered for La Jolla LEAD (as of 02/01/12)

Alpha Gamma Omega – Concordia University, Irvine

- Completed all required events
- Started work on petition with target installation of April 21, 2012
- Seven colony members registered for La Jolla LEAD (as of 02/01/12)

Epsilon Kappa Omicron – Chapman University

- Colony established in December 2011
- Recruited three additional members in January 2012
- Two colony members registered for La Jolla LEAD (as of 02/01/12)

Inland Empire Alumni

- Over 170 brothers and pledges volunteered at Santa Claus Inc on Make A Difference Day
- Poker Tournament Raffle planned for La Jolla LEAD
- Three IEAC brothers registered for La Jolla LEAD (as of 02/01/12)

Orange County Alumni

- Total membership now in excess of 175
- Held first annual "Founder's Day at Disneyland" event
- 14 OCAC brothers registered for La Jolla LEAD (as of 02/01/12)

San Diego Alumni

- Continued to build its relationship with the three chapters in San Diego: Iota Pi, Lambda Pi, and Omicron Sigma
- SDAC's President and Vice President also serve on committees for the Western Province
- Four SDAC brothers registered for La Jolla LEAD (as of 02/01/12)

Goals

Category	Status	Detail
Awards		All collegiate chapters submit at least two award applications.

Awards		Regional winner in all 14 categories. (No category with zero applications).
CDL	IP	All new District Directors complete Tier One certification prior to San Diego LEAD.
CDL	✓	All returning District Directors complete Tier Two certification prior to San Diego LEAD.
CDL	✓	All returning District Directors complete renewal process prior to San Diego LEAD.
CMP		All eight chapters achieve the Accredited Tier.
CMP		All eight chapters achieve the Recognition Tier.
CMP		All eight chapters achieve the Excellence Tier.
COY	✓	All eight collegiate chapters submit a COY nomination.
COY	✓	All eight nominated COYs submit their application.
Expansion		Concordia installed.
Expansion	✓	Chapman colonized.
LEAD	✓	All collegiate chapters (and the Concordia colony) in attendance at Reno LEAD.
LEAD	✓	Total Pac Coast attendance of at least 200 at San Diego LEAD.
LeaderShape		Eight applications for LeaderShape submitted.
Regional Events	✓	All eight collegiate chapters participate in Regional Initiation.
Scholarships		At least eight applications for Delta Sigma Pi Scholarships submitted.

Expansion

The following colonies have been established in the region:

- **Alpha Gamma Omega** – *Concordia University, Irvine*
- **Epsilon Kappa Omicron** – *Chapman University*

The Alpha Gamma Omega colony at Concordia has completed all of the required events and is about to submit their petition. They will be requesting April 21, 2012 as their installation date. Chapman's target installation date is fall 2012 or early 2013.

Disciplinary Issues

Lambda Chi – *University of California, Riverside*

UC Riverside placed the chapter on two year probation after allegations of hazing. Fraternity probation likely to follow.

Upcoming Events

02/26/12	Brotherhood Games	San Diego, CA
03/03/12	Eta Chi Initiation	Pomona, CA
03/10/12	Lambda Chi Initiation	Riverside, CA
03/10/12	Omicron Sigma Initiation	San Diego, CA
03/10/12	Pi Sigma Initiation	Irvine, CA
03/24/12	Las Vegas Trip	Las Vegas, NV
04/14/12	Lambda Sigma Initiation	Fullerton, CA
04/14/12	Xi Pi Initiation	Redlands, CA
04/21/12	Target Installation for ΑΓΩ	Irvine, CA
04/22/12	Lambda Pi Initiation	San Diego, CA
04/28/12	Iota Pi Initiation	San Diego, CA

District Directors

Chapter Name	Alumnus Name	CDL Status
Eta Chi	Fairuz Abdallah (HX)	Tier 1 Certified
Iota Pi	Kaitlin Young (IP)	Tier 1 Certified
Lambda Pi	Joy Cable (ΔΣ)	Tier 1 & 2 Certified & Renewed
Lambda Sigma	Adam Su (ΠΣ)	Tier 1 & 2 Certified & Renewed
Lambda Chi	Ann Marie Pierce (ΓΟ)	Tier 1 & 2 Certified
Xi Pi	Kevin Salazar (ΑΣ)	Tier 1 Certified
Omicron Sigma	Adam Su (ΠΣ)	Tier 1 & 2 Certified & Renewed
Pi Sigma	Jen Lee (ΑΣ)	Tier 1 Certified
Alpha Gamma Omega	Jen Lee (ΑΣ)	Tier 1 Certified
Alpha Gamma Omega	Orin Whitener (ΑΧ)	Tier 1 & 2 Certified
Epsilon Kappa Omega	Orin Whitener (ΑΧ)	Tier 1 & 2 Certified
Epsilon Kappa Omega	Valerie Martinez (ΑΣ)	Tier 1 & 2 Certified
Inland Empire Alumni	Ryan Murphy (ΑΦ)	Tier 1 & 2 Certified & Renewed
Orange County Alumni	Kane Mejia (ΑΧ)	Tier 1 Certified
San Diego Alumni	Jasmin King (ΟΣ)	In Progress

Committee Members

Professional Development Committee

Committee Chair: **Mark Yeung**, HX Alumnus

Scholastic Development Committee

Committee Chair: **Belyn V. Lai**, ΠΣ Alumnus

Community Service Committee

Committee Chair: **Bradley Shammas**, ΑΣ Alumnus

Alumni Relations Committee

Committee Chair: **Sothinet Sry**, ΑΦ Alumnus

Regional Vice President Report

of the South Pacific Region

by Matt Temple

Status

On Saturday, November 19, 2011 the South Pacific Region installed its newest chapter, Rho Upsilon at Pepperdine University, Malibu. The installation rooms were packed with supportive brothers from the South Pacific and Pacific Coast Regions. And, special guests Mark Chiacchiarri (Grand President), Joe Ward (VP Organizational Development), Lisa Brown (Western Provincial VP), and Dale Clark (Central Office Staff).

I want to especially recognize some bros in particular for their service and support in making Rho Upsilon a success. Special thanks goes out to the founding members of Rho Upsilon. I give many thanks to Ivan Munguia and Ruben Cordova as supportive District Directors and Pledge Assistants. And, the greatest of thanks to Rick Boner (Lambda Sigma) for his tireless efforts and dedication provided as Rho Upsilon's Senior DD.

The region is hopeful its next chapter installation will occur at University of Hawaii – Manoa sometime by EOY 2012 or first quarter 2013. Any up for a luau?

Sharkfest is planned for the Memorial Day weekend (May 25 – May 28) with events occurring on May 26 and May 27. The location will once again be Santa Barbara. We expect more than 150 bros with a welcoming invitation given to our brothers in the Pacific Coast Region to attempt at taking the Sharkfest trophy away. Speaking of which, the region will introduce a new Sharkfest trophy this year that is similar in style to the Stanley Cup. This will ensure continued growth and record of many Sharkfest champions to come.

Accomplishments

Rho Upsilon (Pepperdine University) installed on Saturday, November 19, 2011.

Expansion

Progress at the Upsilon Eta Mu (University of Hawaii – Manoa) colony has been reignited.

Disciplinary Issues

Lambda Phi was placed on guidance.

Phi's probation is being extending with terms not yet finalized.

Upcoming Events

Sharkfest - Memorial Day weekend (May 25 – May 28) Santa Barbara

District Directors

Chapter Name	Alumnus Name
Phi	Tanya Jooste
Delta Sigma	Najah Young
Iota Upsilon	Joe O'Brien
Kappa Mu	Traci Taplin
Lambda Phi	Rick De La Torre
Lambda Psi	Joe O'Brien
Xi Omicron	Ruben Cordova
Rho Sigma	Robert Boggs
Upsilon Eta Mu	Joe O'Brien
Rho Upsilon	Ivan Mungia
LA Alumni	Rick Boner
Hawaii Alumni	Vacant

Committee Members

Awards Committee

Adrian Avalos (chair)

Jim Siegrist

Aaron Nakayama

Katie Ouaknine

Katherine Uy-Comer

Regional Conference Committee

James Lin (chair)

Regional Operations Committee

Trey Hernandez

Regional Vice President Report

of the Rocky Mountain Region

by Sheri Gabor

Status

On Target

Accomplishments

- 4 of 5 chapters registered for LEAD Provincial by first deadline (first time in 5+ years)
- Nu Phi starting to operate independently with little guidance from alumni leaders
- Collegiate chapters starting to plan joint events independently of RVP's encouragement encouraging
- Mu Chi no longer on probation due to completion of University requirements

Goals

- CMP: Accreditation for 3 chapters, Recognition for 2 chapters
- Increase Attendance at Provincial and National Events by getting chapters to proactively fund for attendance of at least two people at LEADs and GCC
- Succession Planning:
 - Minimum - find replacements for 3 DD's
 - Fill regional committee chairs
 - Grow alumni chapters: start young alumni chapter events to feed into older, established chapters
- Joint Events: continue encouragement for chapters to conduct joint events and increase communication lines to foster collaborative planning
- Ritual: Continue incentives for chapters to meet national standards of initiation ceremonies
- Continue regional events
 - Fall: Regional Conference
 - Spring: DSP Olympics

Expansion

- TBD

Disciplinary Issues

- None at this time

Upcoming Events

- DSP Olympics - Saturday, April 21st
- College Night at the Rockies (baseball game) – Friday, April 27th
- Joint Professional Event – New Belgium Brewery Tour - Friday, March 3rd

District Directors

<u>Chapter Name</u>	<u>Alumnus Name</u>	<u>DD In Training</u>
Alpha Nu	Mat Whited	Kevin Gritters
Alpha Rho	Crystal Richards	Matthew Koller
Mu Chi	Sandy Shoemake	TBD
Mu Rho	Brian Adams	TBD
Nu Phi	Nicole Eisle	Amanda Brooks

Committee Members

<u>Committee Chair</u>	<u>Alumnus Name</u>
Awards Chair	Amie King
CMP Chair	Brian Adams
Communications Chair	Kevin Hayes
Website Chair	Delaney
Regional Events	Sheri Gabor

Regional Vice President Report to the Provincial Council

Name: Marcial Hoyos
Region: Sierra Nevada

Status of Region:

- District Directors were assigned to all the chapters in the region.
- All six chapters are on track to be an Accredited chapter.

Accomplishments:

- All DD's including myself are CDL Trained.
- We held our 4th Regional Conference with our very first Key Note Speaker.
- The region had a large attendance at the LEAD School in Reno, NV.
- Five out of six chapters submitted an application for Collegian of the Year.
- The region also had their 3rd Fall Sierra Nevada Regional Initiation which was held in Chico.

Future Goals:

- Help chapters win awards on the provincial and national level.
- Encourage and assist chapters to strive for more than just Accredited Chapter in CMP.
- Plan an put on new regional events

Expansion: None planned at this time.

Disciplinary Issues:

None

Upcoming Events:

April 14 WRI

District Directors:

Delta Pi	Christopher Tompkins
Epsilon Theta	Crystal Justice
Epsilon Phi	Crystal Justice
Iota Phi	Chuck Brown
Lambda Mu	Melody Frinzell
Nu Rho	Angelica Leyva

Awards Committee Members:

Muhammad Rizvi/Leah De Guzman

Visits:

09/10/11	Sierra Nevada Regional Conference/Presidents Meeting
10/22/11	LEAD School in Reno, NV
11/12/11	Iota Phi – Meet the Pledges
11/14/11	Epsilon Theta – GBM/Meet the Pledges
11/15/11	Lambda Mu – GBM/Meet the Pledges
11/17/11	Epsilon Phi – Meet the Pledges
11/19/11	Sierra Nevada Regional Initiation
01/07/12	Provincial Leadership Retreat
01/14/12	Sierra Nevada/Bay Area Regional Volunteer Leadership Training
01/21/12	Nu Rho - Initiation
01/28/12	Sierra Nevada Regional Conference/Presidents Meeting

**Regional Vice President Report
of the Desert Mountain Region
by Dave Glanzrock**

Status

The Chapters of the Desert Mountain Region continue to grow and thrive. The Desert Mountain will be well represented at the upcoming LEAD School in La Jolla. There has been a surge in national event attendance from the Gamma Psi Chapter, they even won a travel award at the LEAD in Reno. The Region continues to struggle with its size, therefore separate leadership/brotherhood day events are scheduled each semester to insure all chapters can send representatives.

Accomplishments

The Region continues to grow, thrive, and become more aware of the National Fraternity. Award applications stayed consistent this year with the number of applications, however several chapters who do not traditionally participate in the program submitted awards applications. All chapters in the Spring of 2012 are having record applicant numbers from recruiting.

Goals

Our goals for the upcoming year will be to increase our attendance at LEAD Schools, have an applicant for every award, and have each chapter fundraise and budget resources for future regional and national event attendance.

Expansion

None

Disciplinary Issues

None

Upcoming Events

February 18 – Western Leadership/Brotherhood Day in Tempe, AZ
March 3 – Eastern Leadership/Brotherhood Day in Albuquerque, NM
April 14 – Regional Initiation in El Paso, TX

District Directors

Chapter Name	Alumnus Name
Zeta Omega	Elizabeth Tyler
Gamma Omega	Christopher Yee
Gamma Psi	Mike Mallonee
Epsilon Upsilon	Jackie Romero
Gamma Phi	Norman Bebon
Gamma Iota	Crystal Simmons

Committee Members

Awards Committee

Alysse Aldrich
Norman Bebon
Joshua Everett
Serena Unrein
Hillary Burkett
Justin Cranmer

International Fraternity of Delta Sigma Pi
Western Provincial Budget
Statement of Budget and Expenses

Description	<u>Budget</u> 2012-13
Western Provincial Vice President	\$2,500.00
Regional Vice President Individual Travel Budgets *	
Rocky Mountain Region (5 chapters)	\$550.00
Desert Mountain Region (6 chapters)	\$1,200.00
Northwestern Region (1 chapter)	\$200.00
South Pacific Region (9 chapters)	\$1,200.00
Pacific Coast Region (8 chapters)	\$850.00
Bay Area Region (7 chapters)	\$675.00
Sierra Nevada Region (6 chapters)	\$725.00
Province Leadership Meeting	\$3,200.00
Leadership Training	\$500.00
Speculative Colonies	\$150.00
Other (committees)	<u>\$250.00</u>
TOTAL PROVINCIAL EXPENSES	\$12,000.00