

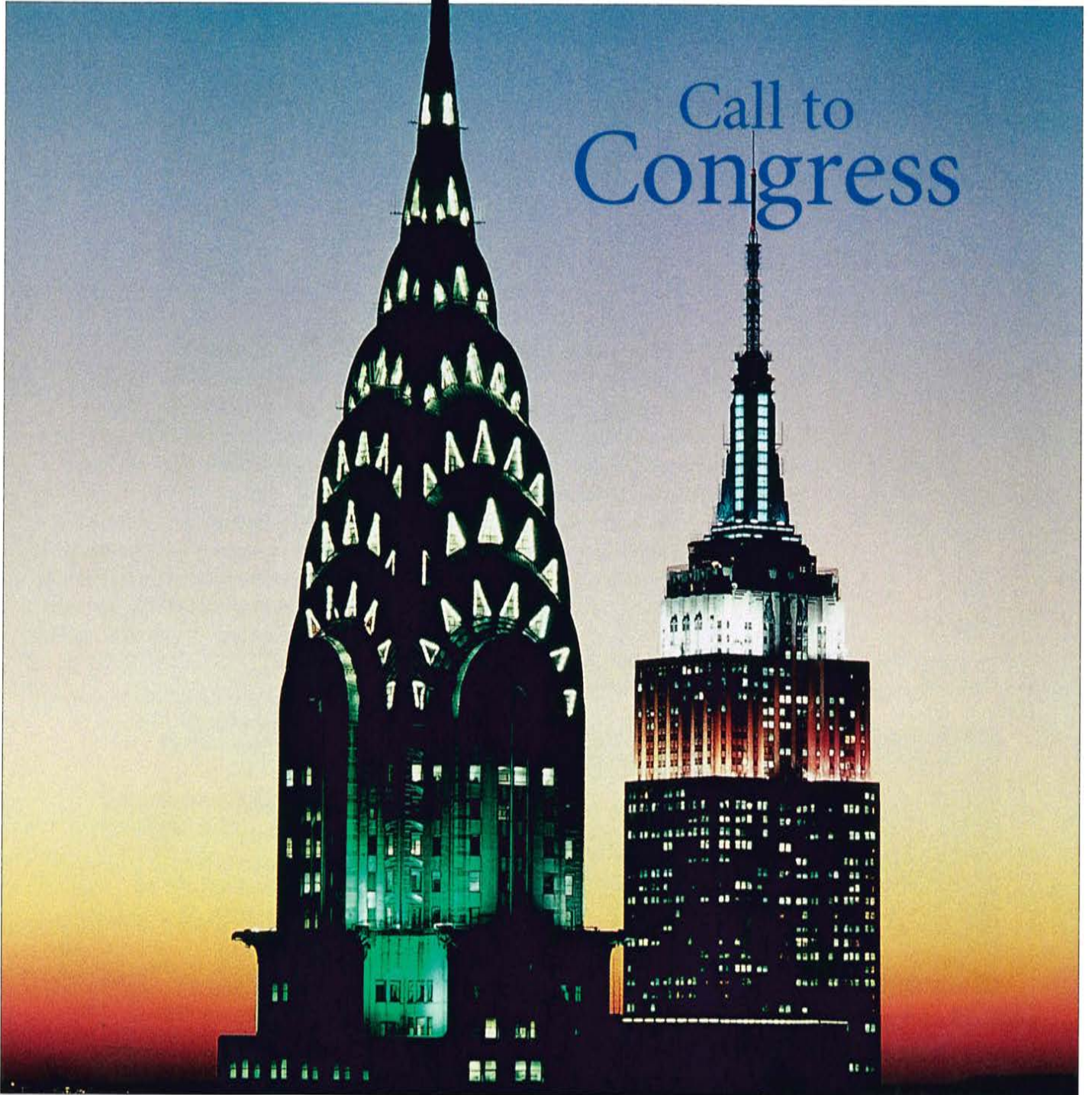
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Call to
Congress



Dear Brothers and Friends,

At the youthful age of 179, Chi Phi is bursting with energy and excitement. As you will see in the following pages, it is without question an organization on the move.

The greatest challenge in putting together this issue of True Blue was trying to fit all the good news into the space available. Whether it is the creation of three new Chi Phi Colonies, the chartering of the Delta Theta Chapter at Clemson University, the latest Chi Phi Club happenings, or introducing our current Regional Alumni Counselors, our Fraternity is gathering no moss. In fact, we are gaining momentum!



And, this issue illustrates how individuals like you are helping Chi Phi accelerate its pace through your contributions of time, talent, and treasure. Thank you for everything you do to further strengthen our Brotherhood.

With the Chi Phi Congress convening in New York City and the College of Excellence assembling in Nashville, the next few months promise to bring even more good news. Whether or not you can be part of the fun and festivities, we will be certain to keep you posted!

Kindest fraternal regards,

Scott W. Henderson
Executive Director
Chi Phi Educational Trust

Adam Langley
National Director
Chi Phi Fraternity

Cover: The year 2003 marks the 26th time the Chi Phi Congress has convened in New York City.

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138TH CONGRESS

Park Central Hotel • New York, New York • June 19-22, 2003

“The Fraternity’s Ultimate Authority”

Join us for four days of renewing old friendships and beginning new ones. Rekindle your Chi Phi spirit with us in our 179th year! With so much energy and excitement in one city there will be something for everyone.



Thursday, June 19

- The elegant National Leadership Dinner, honoring Chi Phi’s past leaders
- Ladies Lunch

Friday, June 20

- Congress in session
- The first-ever Chi Phi Business Symposium
- Evening BBQ for alumni and undergraduates at the Mu Chapter, Stevens Institute of Technology
- Ladies-night-out dinner and theatre

Saturday, June 21

- Congress in Session
- Ladies brunch and self-guided excursion
- Chi Phi Congressional Banquet at the Yale Club featuring the 2003 Walter Cronkite Jr. Award Presentation

Sunday, June 22

- Congress in session
- Farewell Lunch

For more information, contact the Chi Phi National Office at 404.231.1824 or visit the new and improved Chi Phi web site, www.chiphi.org. The Park Central Hotel has agreed to a special discounted rate of \$169 per night for Chi Phi attendees. Reservations may be made by calling 1-800-346-1359.



Register for just \$75

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CHI PHI BUSINESS SYMPOSIUM

“Preparing for Success
amidst Uncertainty”

Schedule of Events

Welcome and General Session I: The Economy10:00 am - 10:55 am
Panel discussion on the future of the economy featuring Solon Patterson, chairman of Montag & Caldwell Investments, and Richard Suttmeier, chief market strategist for Joseph Stevens and Company.

General Session II: Investing Today11:00 am - 11:50 am
Trying to decide where to place your money? Listen to what Keith Jewell, financial consultant; John Enright, wealth manager; and other investment professionals have to suggest. Then, offer your thoughts during an open microphone segment.

Chi Phi Power Lunch12:00 pm - 1:15 pm
Network with fellow alumni attendees over lunch and enjoy a presentation entitled “Investing in Yourself” by Jack Clarke - executive for a global distribution company, motivational speaker, creator of a line of inspirational messages, and author of Life after Grief.

Roundtable Discussions I & II1:30 pm - 3:30 pm
Participate in back-to-back roundtable discussions of your choice. Topics will be determined by you, the participant, when you submit your registration.

Concluding Session3:30 pm - 4:30 pm
Where the rubber meets the road...solidify your new business contacts and renew old friendships during a networking cocktail hour.

Register today! Space is limited!

For more information, visit www.chiphi.org and click on the Congress button, or telephone (404) 231-1824.

Here is your opportunity to tap into the Chi Phi network!

ON THE MOVE

>New Colonies in New York, Florida, and West Virginia
>>Colony at Clemson Receives Its Charter



CHI PHI COLONIZES AT THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK, COLLEGE AT ONEONTA

Chi Phi National Director Adam Langley and Assistant Director of Undergraduate Services Richard Kuerston traveled to upstate New York for three days in March to colonize an interest group of approximately twenty-seven men at the State University of New York, College at Oneonta. With the full support of the university administration, the student affairs office, and every member of the university's recognized Greek community, Chi Phi's entrance was an overwhelming success. Nearly fifty

guests, including university administrators, attended the colonization ceremony and the swearing-in of officers on March 7, 2003.

"This is an outstanding group of men of high character and values," states Adam Langley. "Everyone, from their members to their advisors, is committed to the long-term success of the group. We look forward to a long and prosperous partnership at this college and to watching this group grow."

With an excellent GPA, the members of what is now Chi Phi's second largest Colony are among the most active leaders on campus. From the student government to club sports, the members of the Oneonta Colony are influential leaders.

Brian Foster, a 20-year-old junior from Long Island, New York, typifies the Colony's high profile on campus. As the Colony's new president, he is also a member of Omicron Delta Kappa and a Resident Assistant for the school. Brian enthusiastically reports, "I can't believe how quickly it all happened! The whole colonization process was an amazing experience. We're all happy to be so far along and even happier to be a part of Chi Phi." Brian can be contacted by email at Zabajup15@hotmail.com.



CHI PHI RE-COLONIZES AT WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY

The new Pi Delta Colony at West Virginia University in Morgantown also came into existence in March. Originally colonized in 1969 by former National Director Carl Gladfelter, Alpha-Tau 1933, the original Pi Delta Chapter was strong for a number of years. Eventually losing momentum, the Chapter closed during the 1985-86 academic year. Various attempts by the national office to re-colonize were unfruitful until the right combination of people emerged in 2002. Brothers Matt Apesos, Mu 2005, Abhik Roy, Delta Xi 2000, and Chris Stewart, Delta Xi 2002, had all transferred to West Virginia University to complete either their undergraduate or doctorate degrees.

They soon gravitated together and formed the nucleus of an interest group. Sparking enthusiasm for the re-colonization of Pi Delta, the threesome worked to secure commitments from other potential members. Working in tandem, the national office staff sought the support of area alumni. When an adequate level of momentum had been achieved, the decision was made to move forward with colonization.

Chi Phi's undergraduate services team of Michael Azarian and Rich Kuerston officially established the new Pi Delta Colony with a trip to Morgantown on March 14, 2003.

"We're happy to once again be a presence at WVU," notes Mike Azarian. "Any day we add a link to the chain is a bright day for the Fraternity." The Colony's new president is Matt Apesos. He can be contacted at mapesos@mix.wvu.edu.



CHI PHI COLONIZES AT ST. LEO UNIVERSITY - ST. LEO, FLORIDA

Less than two weeks after his trip to Morgantown, West Virginia, Michael Azarian, director of undergraduate services, was in Florida to colonize an interest group of twelve men at St. Leo University, a private college of over 10,000 undergraduate students near Tampa.

Over three days, March 25, 26, and 27, Azarian met with the interest group, as well as representatives from the university and key alumni. "I'm excited for Chi Phi," remarks Azarian. "This is a great group of men, gathered at an excellent institution, in a state where Chi Phi is strong."

The presence of Chi Phi at St. Leo University marks the first time a national men's social fraternity has established itself on campus. The National Fraternity has a reputation for succeeding in such expansions, a strength that appealed to everyone at St. Leo.

In fact, it was Chi Phi's history at Chowan College that helped open doors at St. Leo. The university's vice president of student affairs, Dr. Ed Dadez, was already acquainted with Chi Phi from his tenure at Chowan College when Chi Phi colonized there in 1999. As a "friend of Chi Phi," Dr. Dadez has been a strong and enthusiastic advocate of Chi Phi's colonization at St. Leo and boosted the administration's support dramatically. His son, Mike Dadez, led the interest group and is now president of the new Colony.

The colonization ceremony was performed by Chi Phi's Delta Zeta Chapter (University of South Florida) and attended by area alumni Ric Mellin, Delta Zeta 1994, Bruce Cumming, Theta Delta 1984, Steve Van Gorden, Delta Zeta 1997, and Chi Phi's Grand Zeta, Rob Parker, Nu Delta 1995.

For more information on the Colony, please contact Michael Dadez at michael.dadez@saintleo.edu.

CLEMSON COLONY CHARTERED AS THE DELTA THETA CHAPTER

Continuing the momentum of 2003, Chi Phi's Clemson Colony at Clemson University in South Carolina, was officially chartered as the Delta Theta Chapter on April 26. With the full complement of the Chi Phi Grand Council, national staff, numerous local alumni, guests from area Chapters, and over forty undergraduate brothers and their guests in attendance, the chartering ceremony was held at the Palmetto Expo Center in Greenville, South Carolina.

Colonized in April 2001, the group excelled rapidly to become one of the strongest forces within the Fraternity. Over the course of its colonization, the group has prospered under the leadership of Brothers Kirk Thomas, Delta Theta 2004, and Tom Roebuck, Delta Theta 2004. Both graduates of Chi Phi's College of Excellence and founding members of "The Men of 1824," the two worked persistently to recruit, motivate, and organize the group from the outset.

ON THE MOVE



Providing some background to this outstanding effort, Kirk explains, "As freshmen in college, we had the unique opportunity to make an addition to Clemson's Greek community. We jumped at the chance and have been determined to succeed ever since. It has been an honor and privilege to lead such a quality group of guys." He continues, "My experiences with Chi Phi have been some of the best in my life. I have met so many influential people, young and old, who have helped me grow as a person."

With help from Chi Phi's national office, the steadfast guidance of Chapter Advisor John Doolittle, Xi Delta 1995, the support of Brother Tim Pitcher, Kappa Zeta 1989, and a unique partnership with the Gamma Chapter at Emory University, Clemson Colony became a model Colony on its way to becoming a Chapter. National Director Adam Langley notes, "The new Delta Theta Chapter is an example par excellence of what teamwork, national participation, and alumni involvement can produce. It is a demonstration of Brotherhood in its purest form."

Brother Louis Graff, Alpha of the Gamma Chapter and master of ceremonies at the chartering ceremony, adds, "Gamma's involvement with the Colony has not only been an opportunity for us to help them, but it has provided motivation for us to improve our own Chapter as well. Their drive to succeed and their dedication to the ideals of Chi Phi have been inspirational to everyone."

As Chi Phi's newest Chapter, Delta Theta brings the roll of active Chapters to fifty-three with six Colonies. For more information on Delta Theta, please contact Kirk Thomas at thomask@clemson.edu.

**Gamma Chapter hosts
Clemson Colony initiation,
February 8, 2002**

CHI PHI

As the True Blue goes to press, over 350,000 troops are assembled in the Middle East and around the world, and Chi Phis are among them. Some are alumni; others have not yet graduated. We ask that you keep these men in your thoughts and prayers.

UPSILON CHAPTER

Hobart College

Ceyon L. Woods, Upsilon 2000
Sean Black, Upsilon 1998
Kadyn Michaels, Upsilon 1998 – Navy, USS Nimitz,
Tomahawk Strike Officer

IOTA DELTA CHAPTER

Indiana University

Joshua Yarian, Iota Delta 1999 – Army, Afghanistan

LAMBDA DELTA CHAPTER

University of Arizona

Ian Cruikshank, Lambda Delta 2003

MU ZETA CHAPTER

University of Denver

Rob Rudich, Mu Zeta 2006 - Army

THETA ZETA CHAPTER

Texas A&M University

Orion Jones, Theta Zeta 2003
Arthur Soloman, Theta Zeta 2004

OMEGA ZETA CHAPTER

University of North Florida

Joe Schneider, Omega Zeta 2006
Michael Maulsby, Omega Zeta 2005

ALPHA THETA CHAPTER

Oklahoma State University

Kevin Ribera, Alpha Theta 2004 –
National Guard, Sinai Peninsula
Jeff Griffin, Alpha Theta 2005 –
National Guard, Europe
Joel Lamprich, Alpha Theta 2005 –
Navy, USS Theodore Roosevelt
Cortney Feguson, Alpha Theta 2003 –
Air Force, US Homeland Security

This list represents those Chi Phis we know about. If we missed someone, please let us know by contacting Sharon Donohue at donohue@chiphio.org or (404) 231-1824.



The logo features a red starburst with the Greek letters ΧΦ in white, followed by the word 'CLUB' in large, bold, blue capital letters. Below 'CLUB', the word 'Happenings' is written in a red, cursive script.

As the old adage goes, Chi Phi is not for four years, but forever. Alumni from across the country have taken the spirit of this saying to heart and have begun to reinvigorate the Chi Phi Clubs that once spanned the country. For Chi Phis living in the same metropolitan area, clubs are an excellent opportunity to renew old friendships and meet other alumni, regardless of chapter affiliation.



Above: (L-R) Scott Akers, Jr., Eta 1973; Dr. John Kirkland, Gamma 1966; and Steve Howard, Gamma 1978, share their experiences at the Atlanta Career Workshop

CHI PHI CLUB OF GREATER ATLANTA

The Atlanta Club is entering the third year of its re-establishment and is enjoying steady success. The highlights of the past year have been the club's regular luncheons, a career workshop for undergraduates, and the annual party.

With the guidance and hard work of Sahil Patel, Gamma 2000, the career workshop brought over thirty undergraduates together with twenty alumni from the fields of medicine, law, sales, consulting, financial advising, and engineering. Chi Phis from throughout Georgia, as well as Clemson, S.C., and Alabama, attended the workshop and have encouraged the club to provide this beneficial program on a regular basis.

Just two weeks after the workshop, the club held its annual party at the Capitol City Club in Atlanta. The club's officers welcomed forty alumni and sweethearts for a very enjoyable evening of fine dining and conversation. Anyone in the Atlanta area interested in joining can contact Preston Herren, Gamma 1964, at (404) 373-4358 or lherren@bellsouth.net.

NATIONAL CAPITAL CHI PHI CLUB (WASHINGTON, DC AREA)

Efforts to re-establish the National Capital Chi Phi Club (Washington, DC area) continue to progress. The Club has been holding monthly social gatherings since February, rotating through different parts of the city. Michael Molinari, Omega 1997, has taken the lead in organizing the club and is being helped by several other alumni.

Upcoming plans include continuing the monthly social gatherings, as well as possible outings to Camden Yards for an Orioles game or RFK Stadium to see a DC United soccer match. At the same time, the club is eager to assist with potential undergraduate chapter expansion opportunities at DC-area schools. For more information on the DC Club, please contact Brother Molinari at (703) 971-2582 or molinari@ieee.org.

CHI PHI CLUB OF CONNECTICUT

Since 1987, Chi Phi alumni in southern Connecticut have gathered for lunch on the second Friday of every odd-numbered month at various

yacht clubs and restaurants. Under the steady leadership of Donald Walters, Eta 1951, these men have met regularly to discuss the topic du jour and trade witticisms. In March, Trust Executive Director Scott Henderson joined these lively, loquacious men for an enlightening dining experience. If you are interested in attending the next club gathering or getting on their mailing list, please contact Brother Walters or his assistant, Elaine, at (203) 459-8241.

CHI PHI CLUB OF TAMPA BAY

Efforts are just getting started to establish a Chi Phi Club in the Tampa Bay area. Alumni interested in helping can contact Chip Woodward, Delta Zeta 1990, at chip_woodward@hotmail.com or (813) 969-1500.



Connecticut Club

Front row (l-r)

Rick Roth, Zeta Delta 1992

Dave Daubenspeck, Zeta 1955

Len Van Houten, Theta 1946

John Hutzler, Kappa Delta 1990

Back row (l-r)

Phil Gagnon, Zeta Delta 1992

Don Walters, Eta 1951

Tucker Scott, Psi 1967

Kent Straat, Psi 1959

Gerrit Lydecker, Mu 1951

**Want to start a club
in your area?**

Visit www.chiphi.org or contact Matt Merkel at merkel@chiphi.org or (404) 231-1824.





The Chi Phi Congress of

1936

Each issue of True Blue delves into the Chi Phi archives to celebrate the Fraternity's rich heritage and tell the stories of its truly remarkable members. As readers enjoy the anecdotes and histories of Brothers before them, they will find that some things never change: love of Chi Phi, the value of lifelong friendships, and the rewards of giving to the next generation.



While fifty-two years have passed since the Chi Phi Congress was held in New York City, it was once one of the Fraternity's most popular destinations, serving as the host city twenty-five times between 1885 and 1951. In preparing for Chi Phi's return to the "city that never sleeps," we could not help but wonder what it would have been like to attend Congress in New York City during the bustling early twentieth century.

Fortunately, we came across a beautiful archival gem from 1936 that satisfied our curiosity. With its striking photo of the Manhattan skyline and detailed description of the weekend's events, the 1936 Congressional program evokes the allure and sophistication synonymous with one of the world's most exciting cities.

As noted in The Chronicles of Chi Phi, the 1936 Congress was "crowned with success" because of an unusually strong effort to encourage alumni attendance. A luncheon honoring the largest gathering of former Grand Alphas to date set the tone for Congress. Getting down to business, delegates re-elected Judge Luther Z. Rosser to the position of Grand Alpha, approved a declaration of policy for the Chi Phi Educational Trust making it a fully operational entity, introduced Chi Phi's first recruitment pamphlet, and created the national alumni dues program. (Until this landmark decision, the fraternity operated solely from the support of undergraduate dues.)

As Brothers and their sweethearts make their final preparations for this year's Congress, they can look to the example their predecessors set in 1936. The Chi Phi Fraternity is proud to continue its tradition of Congress in New York City where delegates can celebrate the rich heritage of their Brotherhood and chart the course of its future.

REGIONAL ALUMNI COUNSELORS

A Frontline

RESOURCE FOR CHI PHI ACROSS AMERICA

Calling it a “frontline resource for Chi Phi,” Grand Alpha Ron Frank, Nu Delta 1983, has re-instituted an initiative slated for success: the Regional Alumni Counselor program, or RAC. During its heyday in the 1960s, the original program fueled Chi Phi’s expansion while building greater alumni involvement. The current model will operate in six regions of the country, each represented by a Chi Phi alumnus, “who will extend the services of the national office a little closer to home,” states National Director Adam Langley. “During their two-year commitment, these outstanding volunteers will add another tier of leadership and experience available to chapters, alumni, and alumni clubs in regional clusters.”

MEET THE CHI PHI REGIONAL COUNSELORS

(For more information, please visit www.chiphi.org.)

Jeremy J. Donati, Sigma Delta 2002, Mu Zeta 2002 West Region

Jeremy Donati, Regional Alumni Counselor for the 15-state West region, is currently enrolled full-time in the master of legal administration program at the University of Denver College of Law. He also works full-time as an assistant legal administrator. He serves as vice president of the housing corporation of the local Mu Zeta Chapter and as Chapter Advisor.

Louis A. Hawkins, Mu Delta 1988 Southeast Region

Louis A. “Lou” Hawkins wears many hats as an active Chi Phi alumnus. He is currently Chapter Advisor to the Mu Delta Chapter of Auburn University, treasurer of the Mu Delta Alumni Association, and involved at the national level as a member of the Board of Governors. A CPA by profession, Lou is proud that Mu Delta is known as one of the Fraternity’s most financially viable Chapters.

Steven W. Hopkins, Nu 1999

Texas and Oklahoma Region

As an undergraduate, Steve Hopkins had the distinction of being elected to the Chapter's highest office for three consecutive terms, 1996-1999, making his presidency the longest in the Nu Chapter's history. He currently serves as the Chapter's undergraduate advisor and president of the recently re-established Nu Alumni Association. Steve's company, Hopkins Art Designs, specializes in creative shirt design concepts and logos, with a focus on patriotic designs and the collegiate market.

Joshua L. Price, Epsilon Delta 1998

Mid-Atlantic Region

Formerly Alpha and Beta for his chapter at Oregon State University, Josh was a Chapter Leadership Consultant from 1998-1999. Now an attorney with the law firm of Olive and Olive in Raleigh, North Carolina, Josh has continued his alumni involvement as a member of the Board of Governors and dean of alumni programs for the 2003 College of Excellence.



Photos arranged in biographical order

Richard T. Lane, Kappa Zeta 1993

Midwest Region

A professional healthcare representative for Pfizer Pharmaceuticals, Rich Lane earned a B.A. from Purdue University and holds an MBA from St. Joseph's University. He was president of the Kappa Zeta Alumni Association from 1999 to 2001 and has served as Chapter Advisor for the past five years. Rich and his wife, Molly, are thrilled to be parents for the first time. Their daughter, Gretchen Elizabeth, was born this year on February 3.

Todd M. Wagar, Nu Delta 1995

Northeast Region

Following his graduation from Florida State University in 1995 with a degree in music, Todd traveled New England extensively as a Chapter Leadership Consultant in 1996-97. Returning to Tallahassee to complete FSU's graduate program in Information Studies, he worked as an academic coordinator in the school, while serving as Chapter Advisor, then alumni association president. Todd moved to Boston in the fall of 2001 as a resident assistant at the Beta Chapter at MIT. An employee of the Ritz-Carlton, he has recently been promoted to the hotel's Division of Finance.

CHARITABLE BEQUESTS

Leaving a Legacy

WITHOUT AFFECTING YOUR CURRENT ASSETS



By Terry Hartigan, Eta 1993

Alumni and friends have discovered a simple way to help secure the future of Chi Phi - through charitable bequests to the Chi Phi Educational Trust. Because they offer a high degree of flexibility to donors, charitable bequests are a popular method for individuals interested in making a profound impact on the intellectual, ethical, and leadership development of the individual members of Chi Phi.

Terry Hartigan, Eta 1993, is a manager in the tax department of Gifford, Hillegass & Ingwersen, P.C., an accounting and advisory firm in Atlanta, Georgia. He has developed an expertise in assisting individuals with the design and implementation of a customized process to manage their wealth efficiently to achieve their lifetime goals.

Brother Hartigan is a member of the Georgia Chapter of the Financial Planning Association and a member of the Southeastern Hedge Fund Association. He and his wife, Jill, have three daughters and reside in Alpharetta, Georgia. Individuals interested in contacting Terry may reach him via email at thartigan@ghi-cpa.com.

Creating a will is a critical element of any intelligent financial plan. A properly constructed will prepared by an attorney allows you - not your state's law - to determine the distribution of your assets upon your death. Anyone who owns property, old or young, should have a will.

To achieve charitable goals, charitable bequests made through a will or irrevocable trust is one of the most popular and flexible ways of giving to your favorite organizations. Why are bequests so popular?

First, a charitable bequest is a deferred gift, so you do not impact your current assets and you maintain control of your assets during your lifetime. Second, charitable bequests are easily accomplished with the assistance of a legal advisor. Third, you can make a profound impact on the organizations that mean the most to you. Lastly, a charitable bequest should be eligible for an estate tax deduction.

Types of Bequests

There are three types of bequests. A specific bequest is a gift of a specific dollar amount made through a will. A percentage bequest gives a certain percentage of an estate or a certain asset. A residual bequest leaves all or a portion of the remainder, or residue, of the estate after distribution of specific and other bequests.

How to Create a Charitable Bequest

Donors interested in making a bequest to Chi Phi can easily do so by drafting a new will or modifying their existing one.

When designating the Chi Phi Educational Trust as a beneficiary of an estate gift, donors may use the following sample language:

Specific Bequest

"I give and bequeath to the Chi Phi Educational Trust, a 501(c)(3) unincorporated trust located at 850 Indian Trail Rd NW, Lilburn, GA 30047, the sum of \$_____ as an unrestricted contribution."

Percentage Bequest

"I give and bequeath to the Chi Phi Educational Trust, a 501(c)(3) unincorporated trust located at 850 Indian Trail Rd NW, Lilburn, GA 30047, _____ percent (___%) of my estate as an unrestricted contribution."

Residuary Bequest

"I give and bequeath to the Chi Phi Educational Trust, a 501(c)(3) unincorporated trust located at 850 Indian Trail Rd NW, Lilburn, GA 30047, _____ percent (___%) of my residuary estate as an unrestricted contribution."

Your legal advisor may suggest alternate wording, so you should always consult your legal advisor before making a bequest. For additional information on how you can benefit Chi Phi through charitable giving, please contact Scott Henderson, executive director of the Chi Phi Educational Trust, at (404) 231-1824 or henderson@chiphil.org.

The premier national event of Chi Phi Fraternity, COE is a five-day program developed exclusively for Chi Phi's undergraduate and alumni members.

Chapter officers, aspiring leaders, and key alumni participate in five intense days of a values-based curriculum centered around fraternal leadership development, life and professional skills, and the impact Chi Phis can and do have on their greater communities.

- COE's carefully crafted curriculum is packed with a comprehensive schedule running throughout the day. Renowned speakers, interactive programs, and the Chi Phi Olympics provide essential components to the overall COE program.
- Expect to meet outstanding Chi Phi undergraduates, distinguished alumni, and some of the most influential names in the fraternal world.
- Live and learn with hundreds of elite Chi Phis. The only word that can describe the COE experience is

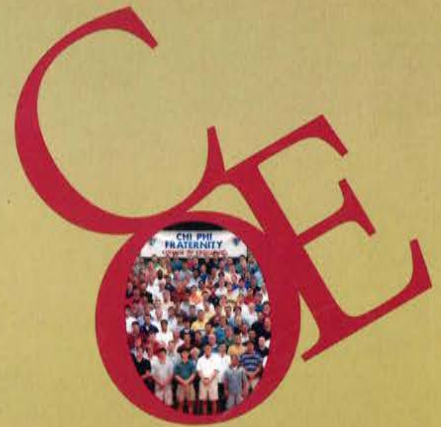
"intense." Expect to eat, sleep, learn, teach, talk, walk, play, and grow with your Chi Phi Brothers from around the country.

- Develop yourself as a person. Influence the future of the oldest fraternity ever. And have fun!

For more information and registration, contact the Chi Phi National Office at 404.231.1824 or email the COE Dean of Marketing, Chris Garcia, at garcia@chphi.org.

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- Tyler Braxmeir,
Delta Theta 2005



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