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National President Brian J. Stumm, Iota Beta '92, presenting Brother Alec M. Ramsey, Sigma '15, and Brother Kody Cayson, Sigma '13, with the Sigma Chapter charter officially recognizing the reemergence of our beloved Sigma Chapter at Oregon State University.

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CHAPTER SPOTLIGHT

Alpha Gamma, University of Detroit-Mercy

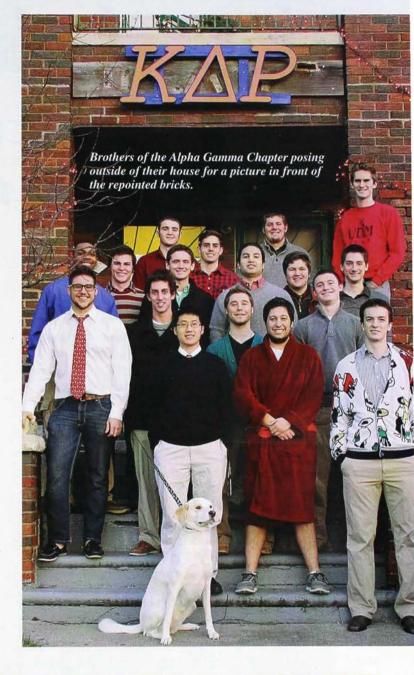
by Brysen Keith, Alpha Gamma '14

THE PAST YEAR has been successful for the Alpha Gamma Chapter. We were able to overcome some financial difficulties and devise a financial plan that will secure our financial health. Our tightened financial controls were stressful at first, but now we are starting to see the benefits from our new-found discipline. With our financial house in order, and on track, we are making much-needed house improvements that will benefit all of the Brothers.

Recently, we refinished all of our hardwood floors in the chapter house. Also, we will install new appliances by the end of the summer. Our house manager, Aaron Lammers '15, has executed a plan to improve the street appearance of our house. He is completely remortaring the front brick, laying new front steps, and adding new landscaping.

First and foremost, our Brothers worked hard in the classroom this past academic year by maintaining the best grades
within the Greek community. Recruitment over the entire year
has been the best ever in the history of the chapter. During the
spring semester, five honorable Gentlemen joined our chapter,
which was the most on our campus. For the entire year, we have
increased the chapter by 14 Brothers. These newly initiated
Brothers are part of our strategy to maintain our Greek dominance at the University of Detroit-Mercy. We remain the largest
fraternity on campus and we have secured another Greek Week
victory.

These accomplishments have energized our chapter and lifted the spirits and motivated Brothers. In addition, we are proud to be able to send five Brothers to the Leadership Academy this August. This is another of our many firsts for our chapter this year. We look forward with great anticipation to the new academic year as a time to continue our hard work, allowing the KDR banner to soar to new heights on campus.





"They shall add new lustre to my name"

by Joseph S. Rosenberg, Xi Alpha '96

ON SEPTEMBER 28, 1964, the Iota Chapter at Bucknell University initiated Robert D. Lynd, Iota '67. Little did Brother John E. Morris, Iota '65, who was consul of the Iota Chapter knew the impact he would have on Kappa Delta Rho Fraternity and the interfraternal community when he initiated Brother Lynd.

Bob has been active within Kappa Delta Rho for more than 50 years and for more than 30 years within the interfraternal community. He truly exemplifies everything that is great about KDR. I personally met Brother Lynd for the first time at our Fraternity's National Convention in 1996 when I was the undergraduate delegate from our Xi Alpha Chapter at Temple University. Little did I know that attendance at that convention would have a profound effect on my life. For almost half of my life, Brother Lynd has been a mentor and superb example of what it means to be a positive change agent within our organization, interfraternal community, and my local community.

On Sunday, April 14, 2013, at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel in St. Louis, Missouri, at the North American Inter-Fraternity (NIC) Gold Medal Banquet Brother Lynd was presented with the Gold Medal. The Gold Medal is presented to a person in recognition of lifetime service to the fraternity movement. The first Gold Medal awarded by the NIC was in 1940.

The nomination for Brother Lynd was supported not only by the National Fraternity but by more than 10 other national organizations or individuals within the interfraternal community. Brother Nathan Coughenour, consul of the Iota Chapter said Bob has a "proclivity to inspire, through his words, actions, and fraternal spirit. He has imparted this much on me and our entire chapter. His bold devotion to his personal and fraternal values is a model which we all strive to attain as maturing men, so that

we may better ourselves through the example he leads by simply living an honorable life. We would be able to call ourselves successful if we turn out to be half the man, leader, and brother that Robert D. Lynd is."

Dave Westol, principal and owner, Limberlost Consulting, Inc. and past executive director of Theta Chi Fraternity stated in his nomination that "Bob has advanced the interfraternal movement again and again. In reviewing his resumé of volunteer work one wonders if Bob knows how to say 'no.' And we are the better for that failure."

One would view this achievement by Brother Lynd as a culminating event within the Kappa Delta Rho and NIC but that could not be further from the truth. Bob is still actively engaged with the NIC, coordinating their Flat Hat Club luncheon each year at the annual meeting. He is nowhere near finished actively participating within the Fraternity. Bob has been the catalyst and primary alumni mentor in the revitalizing effort of the Iota Chapter at Bucknell University and remains active within the Board of Directors of the National Fraternity. Brother Lynd is truly the personification of our Credo and continually brings new lustre to the Kappa Delta Rho Fraternity.



North-American Interfraternity Chairman Allen Groves presenting the NIC Gold Medal Award to Brother Robert D. Lynd, Iota '67 at the NIC Gold Medal Banquet at the Ritz-Carlton in St. Louis, MO.

Brotherhood and accountability

Upholding a higher standard of excellence

by Jonathan D. Kapell, Eta Beta '95 Vice President of Standards and Risk Management

IN FEBRUARY 2010, I wrote the following article as a way to illustrate the seriousness of the National Fraternity to matters of risk management and accountability. Since the article was first published in the *Quill & Scroll*, national fraternal organizations have continued to face challenges in light of the lack of ethical decision making and the willingness to accept the repercussions of those decisions. I have updated some minor information in the article — the message, however, remains the same.

Is Brotherhood in Kappa Delta Rho a right or a privilege? Is every student attending a college where there is KDR chapter entitled to membership in our order? While these are truly rhetorical questions, some Brothers need to be reminded of the answers. Some feel that once they become a KDR Brother, any and all of their actions, after they have taken their oath of membership, are excusable. These members think they are not responsible for the future of our organization, and as individuals they cannot and should not be responsible for their own actions.

In my five-year tenure as vice president of standards and risk management, the national Judiciary Committee has had the difficult responsibility of expelling dozens of individuals from our order, both undergraduates and alumni. These members will never again be Brothers of Kappa Delta Rho. How could these men be stripped of their affiliation after they worked so hard to achieve this accomplishment? Why could we not just let their transgressions be forgiven and forgotten?

All of us have taken the same oath. We have all sworn to uphold the highest standards possible by being a Brother in this Fraternity... and this is why the Judiciary Committee is holding members accountable for their behavior. We knew what we were committing to when we said "yes" to Kappa Delta Rho. There were no secrets about the seriousness of this organization. We mean it when we say that we hold ourselves and our fellow Brothers to a higher standard. So, why should a Brother, who does something that places the continued existence of his chapter and/or the National Fraternity in jeopardy, just be forgiven because he said, "Well, I didn't mean to ..." or "I'm sorry I got caught."

The time of "boys will be boys" has long since passed, especially in light of the current public perception of fraternity members. Every year, more and more individual chapters, national organizations, and college campuses are involved in civil and criminal litigation. Currently, Greek-letter organizations are under a microscope and that extra scrutiny is likely to continue for the foreseeable future. Our very survival is under question and the decisions we make will either distinguish us or be our downfall — which do you choose?

Look hard at your chapter, your members, and at yourselves. Are you doing things that you know you should not be doing? If you are hazing in any part of your pledge program and you are

discovered, you do not have a home in KDR. If you use date-rape drugs or sexually assault anyone, whether they are under the influence of any substance, KDR is not the place for you. If you are breaking the law, serving alcohol to minors, or other activities not in alignment with *Honor Super Omnia*, you joined the wrong organization. As a part of our duties, the national Judiciary Committee will hold those who violate our policies, our values, and our standards accountable. We do not do this out of animosity — we do this because we want this done for us. We believe in accountability and it is important for our Fraternity and Brotherhood.

Is Brotherhood in Kappa Delta Rho a right or a privilege? It is a privilege no matter how hard you think you worked to wear our letters. Is every student attending a college where there is a KDR chapter entitled to membership in our order? No! Each of us must conduct ourselves in a way that fully embodies the values and virtues of our Fraternity. Membership in KDR is one of the greatest honors I have ever had and I am confident that it is the same feeling that you have. For this reason, we must strive vigorously to provide access to the KDR Experience for generations to come, but we cannot do so when we are in the organization for our own personal advancement.

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THE NATIONAL FRATERNITY OF KAPPA DELTA RHO, INC. & FIPG, INC. RISK MANAGEMENT POLICY

The Risk Management Policy of FIPG, Inc. includes provisions, which follow, and shall apply to all fraternity entities and all levels of fraternity membership.

IMPORTANT! Failure to comply with any of these provisions may result in a loss of any insurance coverage that may have existed.

ALCOHOL AND DRUGS

- The possession, sale, use or consumption of ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, while on chapter premises, during a fraternity event, in any
 situation sponsored or endorsed by the chapter, or in any event an observer would associate with the fraternity, must be in compliance with
 any and all applicable laws of the sate, province, county, city, and institution of higher education, and must comply with either the BYOB or
 Third Party Vendor Guidelines.
- No alcoholic beverages may be purchased through chapter funds nor may the purchase of same for members or guests be undertaken or
 coordinated by any member in the name of, or on behalf of, the chapter. The purchase or use of a bulk quantity or common sources of such
 alcoholic beverage, i.e. kegs or cases, is prohibited.
- OPEN PARTIES, meaning those with unrestricted access by non-members of the fraternity, without specific invitation, where alcohol is present, shall be prohibited.
- No members, collectively or individually, shall purchase for, serve to, or sell alcoholic beverages to any minor (i.e. those under the legal "drinking age").
- The possession, sale, or use of any ILLEGAL DRUGS or CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES while on chapter premises or during a fraternity event or at any event that an observer would associate with the fraternity, is strictly forbidden.
- 6. No chapter may co-sponsor an event with an alcohol distributor, charitable organization or tavern (tavern defined as an establishment generating more than half of annual gross sales from alcohol) where alcohol is given away, sold or otherwise provided to those present.
- 7. No chapter may co-sponsor or co-finance a function where alcohol is purchased by any of the host chapters, groups or organizations.
- 8. All rush activities associated with any chapter will be a DRY rush function.
- 9. No member shall permit, tolerate, encourage, or participate in "drinking games."
- 10. No alcohol shall be present at any pledge/associate member/ novice program, activity or ritual of the chapter.

HAZING

No chapter, colony, student or alumnus shall conduct nor condone hazing activities. Hazing activities are defined as:

"Any action taken or situation created, intentionally, whether on or off fraternity premises, to produce mental or physical discomfort, embarrassment, harassment, or ridicule. Such activities may include but are not limited to the following: use of alcohol; paddling in any form; creation of excessive fatigue; physical and psychological shocks; quests, treasure hunts, scavenger hunts, road trips or any other such activities carried on outside or inside the confines of the chapter house; wearing of public apparel which is conspicuous and not normally in good taste; engaging in public stunts and buffoonery; morally degrading or humiliating games and activities; and any other activities which are not consistent with academic achievement, fraternal law, ritual or policy or the regulations and policies of the educational institution, or applicable state law."

SEXUAL ABUSE AND HARASSMENT

The fraternity will not tolerate or condone any form of sexist or sexually abusive behavior on the part of its member, whether physical, mental or emotional. This is to include any actions which are demeaning to women or men including but not limited to date rape, gang rape, or verbal harassment.

FIRE, HEALTH, AND SAFETY

- 1. All chapter houses should meet all local fire and health codes and standards.
- All chapters should have posted by common phones emergency numbers for fire, police and ambulance and should have posted evacuation routes on the back of the door of each sleeping room.
- 3. All chapters should comply with engineering recommendations as reported by the insurance company.
- The possession and/or use of firearms or explosive devices of any kind within the confines and premises of the chapter house is expressly forbidden.

EDUCATION

Each fraternity shall annually instruct it students and alumni in the Risk Management Policy of FIPG, Inc. Additionally, all students and alumni members shall annually receive a copy of said Risk Management Policy.

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T.I.P.S. University Program is more than risk management

by Joseph S. Rosenberg, M.Ed.

WHEN BROTHERS INITIALLY hear about the T.I.P.S. (Training Intervention Procedures) University Program their thoughts immediately turn to another risk management program — reducing liability and how to serve alcohol in a responsible manner. They would not be wrong with those assumptions. However, they are limiting the impact of the program and the capabilities of the staff. T.I.P.S. not only allows our staff to accomplish what was mentioned previously, but it also creates the environment to allow them to have and facilitate a sincere dialogue among undergraduate Brothers regarding values-based leadership specifically, the values of our organization and how it relates to providing a responsible and safe social environment for Brothers and their guests.

The leader's (in this case a member of our staff) fundamental act is to induce Brothers to be aware or conscious of what they feel - to express their true needs so strongly, to define their values meaningfully, that they can be moved to purposeful action (Burns, 1978). When facilitated properly this is the intent of the educational content of the T.I.P.S. Program. Our goal is to promote dialogue among our undergraduate Brothers on the issue of serving alcohol responsibly. But it is much more than this because we focus on the core values of Kappa Delta Rho. Students benefit from peer interaction, which is a significant predictor of gains in students' leadership capacity (Astin, 1997; Dugan & Komives, 2010; Komives, Longerbeam, Owen, Mainella& Osteen, 2006).

During the portion of the program where legal liability is discussed, we take the conversation one step farther and talk

about the espoused values of KDR and how those values reflect in how Brothers manage their social events responsibly where alcodiscussions on values are important because it is these values that provide the core of the organization and guide the behaviors of the organization members (Komives, Lucas & McMahon 2007). We emphasize how our espoused core values illustrate specifically that Brothers have an obligation to be socially responsible. Social responsibility is a personal commitment to the well-being of people, our shared world, and the public good (Komives, Lucas & McMahon 2007, p. 36.). Imagine the impact we will have on the Brotherhood if these discussions occur locally within the chapters. A person's environment can influence the development of leadership skills and interests (Hughes, Ginnett & Curphy, 1993; Komives, Owen. Longerbeam, Mainella, & Osteen, 2005).

T.I.P.S. is not just another risk-reduction program initiated by the National Fraternity. It is an opportunity to challenge and engage in discussions among our Brothers on how to be socially responsible and be true leaders. Leaders are those Brothers who practice leadership. Any Brother can be a positional leader, but not every Brother can participate and practice leadership. According to Komives, Lucas & McMahon (2007), leadership is the relational and ethical process of people coming together attempting to accomplish positive change. This is the ultimate goal of the National Fraternity staff to develop young energetic leaders who cultivate our brotherly bond and high ethics to achieve positive change within society.

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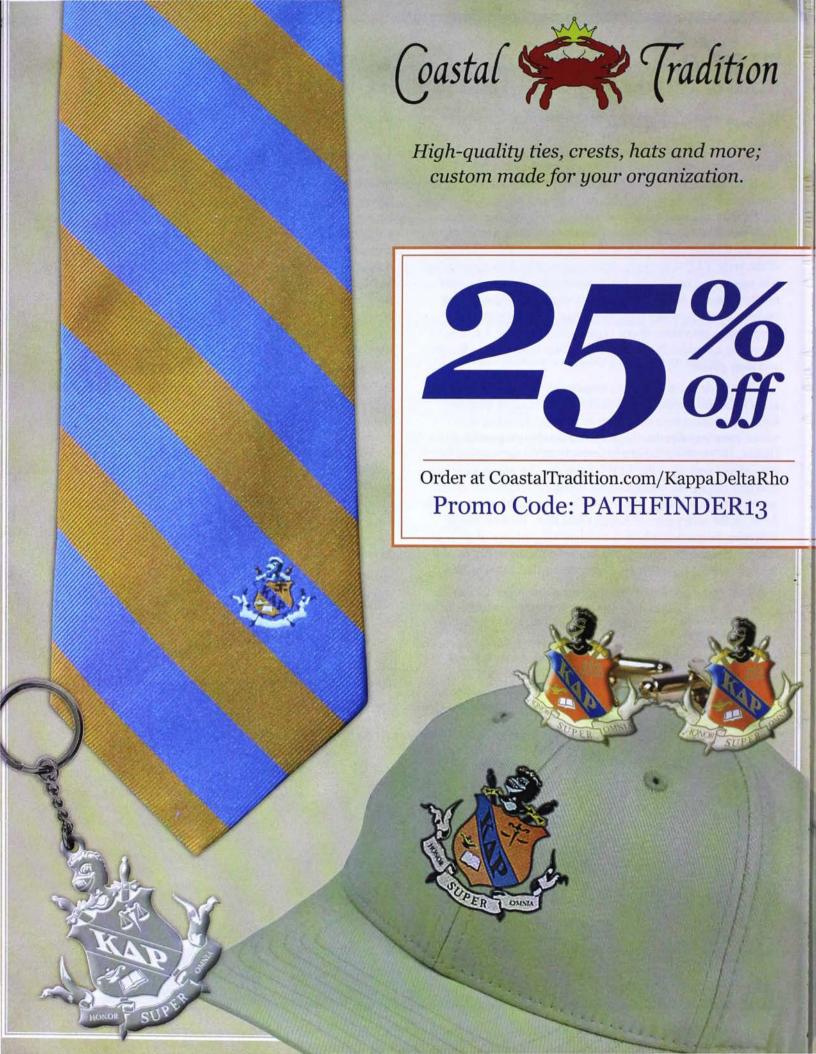
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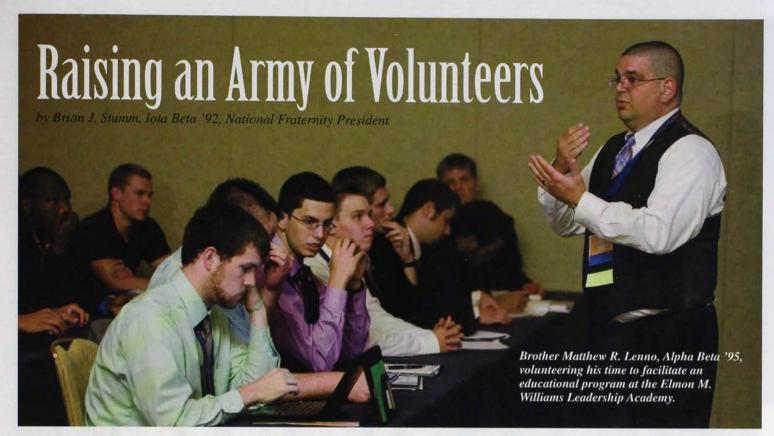
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KAPPA DELTA RHO is similar to many fraternal and nonprofit organizations nationwide. The majority of these organizations succeed because volunteers have an aspiration and dedication to improve a part of humanity. Yes, they may have a paid staff, but it is the individual volunteer who makes a difference and becomes part of an amazing success story.

Over the past year, KDR has had a series of remarkable success stories, which you have read about in previous issues of the *Quill & Scroll*, each based on a Brother's, or group of Brothers', commitment to achieve a specific target. Most recently, I have seen this kind of commitment in action at the chartering of the Sigma Chapter at Oregon State University. And, that kind of dedication by Brothers mirrors the chartering a year ago of the Omicron Alpha Chapter at Rutgers University and the Zeta Gamma Chapter at Bloomsburg University. Yes, our National Staff played a crucial role in the chartering process, but it was the energy and vitality of volunteers who enabled these fantastic events to take place.

To implement each objective of the Strategic Plan that was approved in August 2011, our Fraternity must cultivate first-class, volunteer alumni leadership. And, that is predicated on the belief that each Brother continues to be a leader, or you would not have been selected to be a Kappa Delta Rho Brother as an undergraduate.

As alumni Brothers, each of us must become stewards of our great Fraternity and realize that we cannot build anything solely by ourselves. All the Brothers in our chapters and throughout our alumni community worldwide are on loan to us. As a volunteer, your conduct and your quiet conscience can be more convincing to undergraduate Brothers than your language.

Furthermore, every volunteer needs to become a shepherd,

placing yourself directly in a spot to help our chapters win, based on a clear-cut, strategic direction. And, what is the satisfaction you will receive? When your Brothers win, your chapter and your alumni corporation wins, and the National Fraternity and Foundation wins. Volunteer leadership is about passion and action, and that gives new meaning to George Shaw's Credo and to the ideals of our Fraternity.

Almost three years of my presidency have passed, yet alumni still ask me why I devote so much time and energy to KDR. And I still reply that "Kappa Delta Rho is on loan to us, and like all loans, interest and principal must be repaid." Constantly, that statement bolsters my commitment to repay my Fraternity for the privilege of having had a remarkable KDR Experience. For me, that repayment correlates to my volunteer work for the National Fraternity, first as a director and second as national president.

I can tell you emphatically, KDR would not survive without our gifted volunteers who serve on the National Board of
Directors. These 15 directors, along with Executive Director
Rosenberg, are the driving force behind our long-term plan to
make KDR a haven where honor, education, and leadership excel
— principles that originated with our Founding Fathers in 1905.
Many of our directors have made personal and financial sacrifices to make KDR one of the most respected fraternities in the
National Interfraternity Conference (NIC).

But that is not the whole picture! Why? Because my goal is to raise an army of dedicated volunteers to help promote and expand the undergraduate KDR Experience. I am confident you have the spirit and determination to be a member of our National Board of Directors or a member of one of our committees. The question is, "Will you help?"



by Joseph S. Rosenberg, Xi Alpha '96 and Benjamin Kirk, Sigma '77

A LITTLE MORE THAN THREE YEARS AGO, the National Office received a phone call inquiring how to recolonize the Sigma Chapter at Oregon State University (OSU). This initial call kicked off a collaborative venture between Sigma Chapter alumni and the National Fraternity that led to the resurgence of the Sigma Building Corporation (SBC), and the reemergence of a KDR undergraduate chapter on the West Coast.

Reengaging alumni and the recolonization of the Sigma Chapter were both critical aspects of the tactical objectives of the five-year Strategic Plan the Fraternity launched at the 2012 National Convention. Reengaging Sigma Chapter alumni was a task organized by Benjamin Kirk, Sigma '77, and Scott Mattravers, Sigma '75, that led to a SBC meeting at the 2011 Homecoming football game. Executive Director Joseph Rosenberg attended the meeting to discuss the collaborative plan with alumni to resurrect the Sigma Chapter. At that meeting the corporation board decided to join the National Fraternity in a mutual effort to bring KDR back to the West Coast. An agreement, in principle, was reached that the National Office would share the cost of positioning an educational leadership instructor (ELI) in Corvallis, Oregon, for the sole purpose of recruiting and developing the new chapter. Seventy percent of the ELI's time was allocated for the recolonization efforts at OSU and 30 percent for tasks relating to the National Fraternity.

At the same time, Sigma alumni launched a bold challenge to raise nearly \$120,000 for the successful recolonization of the chapter. Alumni agreed that the original chapter house sale proceeds were not to be used for any expenditure other than a new house in the future. On the day of the chartering banquet (May 18, 2013), more than 100 Brothers had donated generously to SBC. As a result, the corporation has funded all activities from these donations.

ELI David Cooper, Phi Beta '10, played a vital role in recruiting, educating, and retaining new members, while SBC funded three sets of air tickets to send undergraduates to conventions and leadership training and recruitment training events. Also, donations have funded all the communication pieces, which are being completed at a substantial discount by Comcoa thanks to Scott Mattraver's generosity. SBC also loaned \$5,000 to the newly initiated Brothers to guarantee the refundable security deposit for a duplex, which undergraduates have leased for the fall 2013 semester. On top of this, alumni provided one \$500 recruiting incentive scholarship and two \$500 "Mae Shirtcliff" scholarships.

The chartering banquet at the Sheraton Portland Airport was a momentous evening event. Brothers Don Owings and Scott Mattravers went the extra mile to plan and orchestrate a banquet that brought together 135 Brothers. Owings' grand vision was to celebrate Sigma and stage an evening that would link the past with the present and provide a solid foundation to build a strong undergraduate chapter at OSU.



Brothers Ronald F. Jackson, Sigma '67; Clark F. Canham, Sigma '66; William P. Ott, Sigma '66; Dale A. Ronsin, Sigma '68; Christopher M. Guppy, Sigma '67; Gene R. Meyer, Sigma '63; Roger J. Kroening, Sigma '64; Allen S. Peterson, Sigma '66; Howard A. Mcclellan, Sigma '67; and fellow Brothers getting together at the Sigma chartering ceremony for a Class of the 60s photo.

L-R: Bryan Hunziker '85 (Tennessee), Uli Reich '78 (Hillsboro, OR), Fred Wist II '84 (Sigma Legacy from Seattle, WA), Jerry Neumann '85 (Auburn, WA), and Mike Crowley '82 (Tucson, AZ).

National President Brian Stumm, Iota Beta '92, flew from Helsinki, Finland, to attend the dinner and present the charter to Brother Alec Ramsey, Sigma '15. Brother Stumm enjoyed a lively conversation with Brother John McClure from the Class of 1946. In his keynote address, retired OSU Dean of Students

William Brennan shared stories of some of the "adventures" of KDRs during his tenure. The recurring theme throughout his address, however, was the gentlemanly manner in which KDRs always acted on campus, representing an organization that lived true to its motto, *Honor Super Omnia*. Another major highlight of the evening focused on alumni Brothers who presented current undergraduates with keepsakes from their time in the Sigma Chapter house to be kept at the new townhouse.

At the chartering, SBC President Kirk cautioned that "The next two years are critical for us as we need to avoid the 'sophomore slump,' which could result in a stumble. For those folks who remember the lack of support from the National Fraternity

from our undergraduate years . . . forget about it! Not only is Sigma back, but the National Fraternity is also back! We would not be where we are without their financial and physical support, as well as their wisdom."



Aidyn Smith '13, Kyle DeVos '13, and Mikael Stuart '13 with a carnival hammer donated by Doug Dryden '49 and Tom Zinn '55 that was "borrowed" from a local carnival "ring the bell" game sometime in the 50s.

CREATING A LEGACY OF PASSION AND COMMITMENT

by Gregg M. Klein, Omicron Alpha '96, Foundation President

FOR ME, IT IS A PRIVILEGE to write to you for the second time as Foundation president. Over the past few months I have gained an increased appreciation and respect for the passion and commitment that many Brothers have to perpetuate the Kappa Delta Rho Experience. It is a compelling testimony that we are members of a remarkable Brotherhood with a long, proud history of action and excellence.

As I write these few lines from my desk in Midtown Manhattan, I see the bright sun streaming through the window. It is that time of year when the grass is green, baseball is in full swing, and there is a sense of renewal with the winter months behind us. It is a time to think about the future and our personal plans to enjoy the pleasures of the summer months. But, I can assure you that the Kappa Delta Rho Foundation is working diligently to plan for the months and years ahead.

In August 2011, the Fraternity launched a bold Strategic Plan that focuses on increased alumni involvement and strengthening chapters. To dovetail that initiative, the Foundation is developing its own strategic plan to support those goals. Simply put, our Fraternity has gained intense momentum! Now, the challenge is for every Brother to keep that momentum going. We need to fund new educational programs, award more scholarship dollars, host more alumni events, and strive to achieve our ultimate goal of making every alumnus proud to be a KDR for life. We intend to reach our goals, but our success depends on your continuing support.

This August the Foundation will award approximately \$60,000 in scholarships to worthy Brothers. Also, in fiscal year 2014, the Foundation will provide the National Fraternity with valuable funding for education and leadership training. This funding is possible only because of you, our alumni, through your tax-deductible gifts to the Foundation Annual Fund campaign.

KDR has been very good to me! My experiences as an undergraduate at Rutgers University helped shape my personality. To this day, my best friends are the Brothers with whom I pledged and lived at the chapter house. I am committed to doing my part to leave KDR stronger than when I joined the Fraternity. It is my goal to make certain that current and future undergraduate members have access to the KDR Experience. The Foundation trustees and I have a strong, personal obligation to strengthen KDR by re-engaging each valued alumnus and by enhancing the Foundation and its long-term ability to support the Fraternity. I am certain you share that same kind of passion and commitment, too!



TOP: Brother Robert D. Corrie, Beta '53, thanking Brother Jon Kapell for his generous support of the Annual Fund and a scholarship for an undergraduate Brother to attend UIFI.

MIDDLE: Brother Zachary Bell, Sigma Beta '13, receiving a scholarship from Michael Mueller, Eta '95, Foundation Scholarship Chairman, at the 100th National Convention in Las Colinas, Texas.

BOTTOM: Brother Richard J. Petronis, Zeta Beta '94, delivering a few words of appreciation after being presented with a Zeta Beta Chapter Scholarship within the Kappa Delta Rho Foundation being named after him at the 100th National Convention in Las Colinas, Texas.

Embrace the principles and spirit of the Kappa Delta Rho Gentleman

by L. Robert Furman, Ed.D., Mu Alpha '95

PARENTING IS A HARD JOB and when that first child comes, none of us are prepared. Before that fateful day, you may have been putting in extra time at work, going on long vacations, sleeping in on the weekends after a fun evening, or maybe you have days when you feel like not doing much of anything. . . but when that first child comes, everything changes.

I am a Kappa Delta Rho Gentleman. Now, you may be asking yourself what does parenting and fraternity have in common. If anything, they are stereotypically opposite in terms of responsibilities. But that is a myth. Kappa Delta Rho and what it stands for has everything to do with the kind of parent you will become.

Those of us who are KDR alumni know that we are trained at a very early age to be bound to certain fraternal values of honor, truth, and justice. We also embrace six precepts and our motto, *Honor Super Omnia*. Through our years as Brothers on campus (I am a KDR from West Virginia University '95) we learn to live these values. We are expected to hold to these values in society and among our Brothers.

Let me ask you this, would you consider these points to be characteristics of a quality parent, ready to teach their children the proper ways of the world?

- Treat all those you encounter with dignity and respect
- · Work diligently in the pursuit of your education
- · Quest for knowledge is an endeavor that will last a lifetime
- · Meet all of your obligations in a timely manner
- Make sure that you are doing your share and that you are not a burden to others
- Engage in the service of mankind, not for the praise or recognition that such service may bring, but because it is the right thing to do
- Serve as your family's keeper, holding them accountable for their actions as they hold you accountable for yours
- Support your family so that you may help to develop your children properly
- · Be honorable
- · Be truthful
- · Believe in honest justice

As an elementary school principal, I could only pray that these concepts are being modeled for our children by the adults in their life.

That is what Kappa Delta Rho teaches us. Those ever critical points that we could only hope parents are modeling and teaching to their children are burned into our memory and per-



Brother Matthew R. Lenno, Alpha Beta '95, spending an evening with his son Troy at the local miniature golf course. Rumor has it that Troy beat Brother Lenno rather handedly.

sonality as Kappa Delta Rho Brothers. We are trained, through our years as Brothers to be the model parents. We learn that being responsible for another Brother is being responsible for a life, including our children. We learn that priorities shift when new life enters our house. We learn that the newest person needs our support and that we are no longer the priority — the new Brother is! We learn that working hard pays off. We learn that working as a family will always beat working as an individual. This sounds a lot like the teachings of a quality parent to me.

As Kappa Delta Rho Brothers, we are trained to be a quality parent. We take what we learn in our Fraternity and we apply it to our children. That is what makes our Brotherhood successful, not only in business, but in family. From the first day we pledge our Fraternity, we begin to learn how to be a parent.

"FRATRE, TE SALUTAMUS"

BROTHER, WE SALUTE YOU!

The face of KDR's highest honor

by Paul A. Downes, Gamma '68, Grand Pontifex

BROTHERS Hugh Mose, Iota '71, and Shawn Hoke, Phi Alpha '95, became the 252nd and 253rd recipients, respectively, of the Ordo Honoris in 2012. The winter issue of the Quill & Scroll featured portions of their acceptance speeches, their words bestowing authority to the principles, virtues, and direction of our Fraternity and each of its undergraduate and alumni members. But, the magnitude of the Ordo Honoris is much more complex, and the selection of recipients is a painstaking, deliberative task. For Brothers who are unfamiliar with the Ordo Honoris, the following roadmap will help you understand its history and its significance to Kappa Delta Rho, and your role in the selection of the 2014 recipients. It all starts with a nomination from YOU!

REVIVING AN ANCIENT TRADITION

Before 1982, Kappa Delta Rho did not have a formal way to recognize exceptional, lifelong alumni achievements. With the encouragement of former Executive Director Donald Stohl, Zeta '54, and supported by the National Board of Directors, the Fraternity corrected this lack of formal recognition by inaugurating the Ordo Honoris — a hall of fame for distinguished alumni. Also, Brother Stohl envisioned these outstanding alumni serving as inspirational leaders for current and future KDR members preparing for their personal and professional lives. Over the years, Ordo Honoris recipients have remarked that the KDR experience made an early and lasting impression on them, leading to character formation and well-thought-out personal and career choices.

"Hall of fame" expressed the general idea of what the Board of Directors wanted to accomplish. But, the term, dull and overused, was less desirable. Instead, the board investigated a much more meaningful name to recognize exceptional alumni.

The obvious path was to follow the tradition of the KDR Ritual and Ceremonies derived from the model of the ancient Roman Republic. From the suggestion of a Benedictine monk at the Archabbey of St. Vincent College in Latrobe, Pennsylvania, the board decided on the title of Ordo Honoris (Order of Honor) the honor given to Roman citizens for their contributions to the Republic and to their communities.

The first class of inductees received the official citation on August 14, 1982 — "Brother, we salute you! Being persuaded of your honor, fidelity, and concern for your fellow man, we have caused these letters to be issued . . ." The Alpha Class included 81 members and recognized notable achievements spanning the first 75 years of KDR's history. Each year since then, the Fraternity has recognized a new class of select inductees, designated

by consecutive letters of the Greek alphabet. Since its inception, 253 Brothers have been inducted into the Ordo Honoris. Today, 138 live and practice the ideals and principles of KDR daily, while remembering and honoring the achievements of 115 who have entered Chapter Eternal.

NOMINATING CANDIDATES BEGINS WITH YOU

As a chapter consul, an alumni corporation president, or an individual Brother, you have a unique opportunity to nominate a KDR alumnus who exemplifies the high personal and professional ideals and principals advocated by our Founding Fathers, and who fits the Nominations Criteria (see sidebar). All you have to do is visit www.KDR.com and click on http://www.kdr. com/_DocArchives/MiscDocuments/Ordo_Nominations_Request 2014.docx. As you fill out the Nomination Form, make sure you provide ALL the requested information.

INITIATING THE SELECTION PROCESS

An important letter arrives in a Brother's mailbox bearing the return address of the National Fraternity. When that Brother opens the envelope and reads the enclosed letter his life is about to change. The letter begins, "As chair of the Selection Committee of Kappa Delta Rho, it gives me great pleasure to inform you that you have been nominated to receive our Fraternity's highest honor" The few Brothers who have received this letter from Chair Robert Corrie, Beta '53, have been overwhelmed sometimes by shock or anxiety and by intense pride.

Brother Corrie's nomination letter continues, "Now that you have been nominated for the Ordo Honoris, the next step is for you to send me a letter or e-mail stating that you either accept or decline the nomination. If you choose to accept, would you please complete the accompanying Ordo Honoris Nominee Biography Form . . . Then, the Selection Committee (Chair Corrie; Paul Downes, Gamma '68; John Irving, Sigma '63; Gerald Murray, Theta '66; and Richard Petronis, Zeta Beta Honorary '94) will review and evaluate the nomination and biography and make its final selection of recipients in early spring."

Following the selection of the final recipients, National Fraternity President Brian Stumm, Iota Beta '91, notifies them that they will receive the Ordo Honoris medallion and certificate at a banquet marking the finale of the Elmon M. Williams Leadership Academy and National Convention. Not all alumni nominated each year are selected for induction into Ordo Honoris, but they may be renominated in subsequent years.

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Ordo Honoris recipients in attendance at the 2011 National Convention in Las Colinas, TX. Front Row: Thomas V. McComb, Nu '59; Robert D. Corrie, Beta '53; Christopher K. Gordon, Zeta Beta '95; Richard J. Petronis, Zeta Beta '94; James C. Hubbard, Psi '66; and Robert D. Lynd, Iota '67. Back Row: William J. Paris, Eta '87; Matthew R. Lenno, Alpha Beta '95; Eugene L. Spencer, Iota '76; Gerald L. Murray, Theta '66; John V. Dempsey, Upsilon Alpha '90; Robert D. Boyer, Pi '60; and Arthur H. Smith, Xi '57.



ORDO HONORIS CRITERIA

Personal or professional achievement, such as business, education, medicine, entertainment, sports, politics, and others.

Examples: A Brother who competes in professional athletics for a national league team, serves as a CEO or officer of a corporation, has been recognized as an accomplished recording artist, has served as an oversees missionary, has received recognition or awards for breakthroughs in medical or scientific research, or is recognized by his peers as a leader in his profession.

Outstanding community involvement, such as volunteer service with a nonprofit organization at the local, state, or national level,

Examples: A Brother who has served with distinction as a Rotarian or as a member of another service organization and has risen to a position of regional or national governance, as president or other officer of a United Way or Community Fund, or in a leadership position in an organization working with youth, the disadvantaged, persons with disabilities, and the environment.

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Outstanding National Fraternity and chapter involvement.

Examples: A Brother who has gone far above the call of duty for many years to support, advise, instruct, and assist a chapter served as a former officer or director of the National Fraternity, or as a former officer or trustee of the Kappa Delta Rho Foundation.

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ORDO HONORIS RECIPIENTS

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ALPHA		Charles E. Fetterolf	1954	Harry Hoogstraal	1938
George E. Kimball	1906	John S. Goodreds	1956	Jerome W. VanGorkom	1939
Thomas H. Bartley	1907	Ross L. Weeks	1958	Robert E. Ferris	1939
Gino A. Ratti	1907	Gordon R. Stanley	1959	Robert D. Timpany	1940
Chester M. Walch	1907	Stephen Sanborn	1963	Joseph B. McDevitt	1943
Benjamin E. Farr	1908	George A. King	1981	Arthur R. Gottschalk	1949
John Beecher	1908			Richard R. DeWitt	1949
Irving T. Coates	1908	EPSILON		Jack L. Heckel	1953
Gideon R. Norton	1909	Leo T. Wolford	1912	Anthony R. Pasquinelli	1956
George E. Shaw	1910	Elmon M. Williams	1928	Frederick S. Roland	1962
Pierce W. Darrow	1911	Orvis M. Nelson	1932	Dale W. Schaffenacker	1978
Charles J. Haugh	1921	Boyd Gill	1936	William J. Paris	1987
R. Christian Anderson	1940	Arch C. West	1936		
George F. Lewin	1940	Lawrence L. Wells	1952	THETA	
Nelson R. Easton	1941	Henry F. Steinkamp	1952	Paul E. Smiley	1927
Roger L. Easton	1943	James D. Kowalski	1957	William M. Steinfeldt	1938
Harry Rossi	1943	Donald A. Treibic	1965	George J. Peer	1945
Ferd B. Ensinger	1944	Reinhard W. Bockstette	1968	Herbert E. Hoffman	1948
James W. Kitchell	1951			Urban H. Anslinger	1948
Scott H. Buzby	1951	ZETA		Kenneth E. Botkin	1948
Peter N. Webber	1957	Edward T. Kitchen	1933	Arnold E. Denton	1949
Robert A. Jones	1959	George W. Eby	1934	Robert T. Ware	1950
Jonathan R. Hanlon	1993	Thomas R. Jensen	1950	John C. Carl	1951
		Donald F. Yenko	1951	Stuart H. McCormick	1951
BETA		John E. Booth	1951	Robert V. Adams	1954
Otto S. Kirschner	1913	Robert A. Matasick	1952	Bob B. Stern	1954
William I. Myers	1914	P. D. Walker	1953	John D. Winters	1955
Horace E. Shackelton	1919	Kenneth C. Kramer	1954	Richard G. Graves	1955
Colston E. Warne	1920	Allan J. Ofensend	1954	Wally T. Miller	1959
C E. Ackerly	1920	James H. Buterbaugh	1955	William C. Benton	1959
Waldemar J. Gallman	1921	Robert J. Dankanyin	1956	Edwin C. Leonard	1962
Roger B. Corbett	1924	Donald P. Phillips	1957	Lonn K. Bayha	1963
Matt L. Urban	1941	David Z. Richards	1957	Philip D. Stinson	1965
Cornelius C. Jones	1953	David R. Hamrick	1957	Gerald L. Murray	1966
Robert D. Corrie	1953	Patrick J. Rielly	1958		
Michael A. McCarthy	1957	James A. Morgart	1959	IOTA	
John R. Padget	1958	William L. Nichol	1959	Charles L. Carpentar	1923
Eugene H. Blabey	1961	R. Marshall Phillips	1960	John S. Fisher	Honorary
Robert W. Shaw	1963	F. William Gilmore	1961	Roy P. Jackman	1949
		William A. Siverling	1963	Robert F. Peyser	1954
GAMMA		Gary M. Stiles	1963	Lee H. Idleman	1954
Reinhard A. Hohaus	1917	Gary L. Nalbandian	1964	Robert D. Lynd	1967
Wilfred P. Allard	1935	Scott A. Bailey	1969	Hugh A. Mose	1971
Paul A. Downes	1968	Wesley L. Litzinger	1973	Charle s W. Berger	1975
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William J. Everts	1923	John L. Blakely	1922	KAPPA	
Orrin G. Judd	1926	Harold M. Osborn	1922	Gordon E. Eldredge	1931
John B. Hoben	1930	Paul W. Greeley	1923	Frank Koval	1950
Ralph L. Browning	1937	Floyd R. Baughman	1928	Frank E. Thomas	1952
George W. Fisk	1940	Knud A. Larsen	1930	Harold R. Roe	1953
Charles J. Hughes	1940	Cecil O. Bernard	1932	Kenneth Cronenberger	1957
Richard L. Naeye	1951	Alvah C. Borah	1932	Donald L. McDowell	1957
Michael J. Poulos	1953	Oscar D. Roberts	1936	Donaid L. McDowell	1937
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Henry D. Greene	1923	John M. Weikert	1921	Rick A. Lepley	1972
Edward P. Stanley	1923	Dean B. Armold	1929		
Norbert S. Babin	1923	George F. Harkins	1937	OMEGA	
Gardiner Johnson	1926	Robert H. Boyer	1960	Barry E. Moore	1955
R M. Rowland	1926	Albert C. Neumann	1964	J D. Corman	1957
Philip A. Wilson	1928			J E. Carlos	1959
Ernest J. Kump	1932	RHO		Robin D. Litton	1960
Lyman R. Fink	1932	Ralph K. Gottshall	1927	James E. Perry	1971
Merle W. Garing	1937	Frank B. Nixdorff	1927	Gregory W. Booth	1971
Ronald F. Martin	1958	W C. Wallace	1928		
Douglas L. MacLachlan	1962	Charles E. Snyder	1929	ALPHA ALPHA	
Peter D. Rocca	1979	Murray G. Clay	1930	James P. Murphy	1959
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MU		Claire G. Biehn	1934	Richard DeBernardo	1975
Roy W. Johnson	1927	Robert H. Wade	1937	Dan E. Way	1979
Henry Ford	1928	Charles F. Beck	1944	Michael L. Peters	1991
Joseph E. Howell	1930	John K. McDonald	1949	Roger E. Way	1991
Harry E. Chesebrough	1932	Ray C. Hunt	1953		
William A. MacLeod	1943	Robert J. Sinclair	1954	BETA ALPHA	
James A. Crowe	1943	Donald Muyskens	1958	Frank S. Ioppolo	1963
		John A. Falcone	1960		
NU		Richard D. Kline	1961	THETA ALPHA	
Walter E. Burnham	1927	William C. Lowe	1962	Glenn C. Toepert	1986
Fred M. Miller	1929	Charles R. Hughes	1967		
Claude T. Rich	1929	Robert V. Kiser	1974	NU ALPHA	
Ben W. Miller	1931			Andrew F. Barth	1983
E M. Maloney	1936	SIGMA			
Dean B. Foster	1942	Lester O. Matthews	1925	XI ALPHA	
Hadley L. Conn	1942	Monroe T. Smartt	1928	George K. Mayo	1990
Dan W. Bannister	1943	Loran L. Stewart	1932		
John R. Dragoo	1948	Melvin W. Breese	1936	PI ALPHA	
James R. Hetherington	1953	Faye H. Stewart	1938	Richard N. Longenecker	1986
David C. Herriman	1954	Everett W. Holstrom	1939	Douglas M. Rammel	1990
Allen W. Koehlinger	1955	Bernard L. Orell	1939	Gregg A. Peppel	1993
Thomas C. Lockwood	1956	Robert H. Andrew	1949		
C. Bruce Hinton	1958	John R. McClure	1950	UPSILON ALPHA	
C. David Hay	1958	Frank D. Christensen	1957	Mark S. West	1988
Thomas V. McComb	1959	Robert L. Swinney	1958	John V. Dempsey	1990
William M. Goodwin	1961	John W. Irving	1963		
Kenneth A. Beckley	1962	Randal S. Saunders	1979	PHI ALPHA	
Jack D. Shinneman	1962			Gerald E. Stebbins	1988
Thomas M. McGlasson	1965	TAU		Shawn M. Hoke	1995
James W. Sherby	1968	Stuart J. Myers	1932		
		William J. Moore	1935	ALPHA BETA	
XI		W. J. Peterson	1937	Matthew R. Lenno	1995
Harold F. Lemoine	1932				
Roland Gammon	1937	UPSILON		ZETA BETA	
Linwood E. Palmer	1942	Gervase A. Eckenrod	1950	Richard J. Petronis	1994
Kenneth R. Gesner	1953			Christopher K. Gor don	1995
Arthur H. Smith	1957	PHI		C. Vernon Sweeney	2003
A. Lawrence Barr	1963	Thomas G. Robinson	1951		
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Oran B. Stanley	1931	John R. Maiolo	1960		
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Expanded Alumni Services

by Joseph S. Rosenberg, Xi Alpha '96, and Gene Spencer, Iota '76

AT THE 101ST NATIONAL CONVENTION in August 2012, the Board of Directors reported to the Brotherhood an outline of plans for alumni services we intend to provide through the National Office. At its core this plan has two of our foundational strategies from our strategic plan; expand our communications capabilities and improve our alumni relations. Work toward these objectives actually began three years ago when the National Fraternity and the Kappa Delta Rho Foundation made the decision to invest in our future and improve our communications capabilities. As a result of that decision we purchased and actively maintain the Raiser's Edge Database and NetCommunity web solutions from Blackbaud, Inc.

Blackbaud is the world's leading provider of software and services for nonprofit organizations to manage complex information about stakeholders and members. Before obtaining this important tool for the Brotherhood the database for the organization was housed with a third-party vendor; all registrations for major events were done manually and through the mail, and communications to our Brothers was fragmented. Since deploying the Raiser's Edge, we are able to coordinate communication efforts for alumni associations; facilitate event registrations for the National Fraternity, alumni associations, or undergraduate chapters; have control of our own member information; facilitate donations to local alumni corporations and the Kappa Delta Rho Foundation; and provide a variety of new communication options for the Foundation, alumni associations, and undergraduate chapters.

Over the past two years we have been acquiring the knowledge, resources, and training to provide comprehensive support packages for our alumni associations and corporations. At the National Office we are now able to facilitate registrations for alumni events; develop and print newsletters; collect funds and handle the banking for alumni associations and corporations; design and host alumni and chapter websites; coordinate and maintain accurate mailing lists; and coordinate a comprehensive communication strategy. All of these capabilities were developed over the past two years working closely with the Theta Alumni Corporation of Kappa Delta Rho.

The goal of all of these efforts was not only to expand communications and improve our relations with our alumni, but to provide a service to our alumni associations and corporations at a fraction of the cost they might incur having these services provided by third-party vendors. We want to provide quality service that will enable our most active alumni corporations to obtain services at a reduced rate from what they are paying to their current vendors. At the same time we also want to be able to provide services for our newly formed and medium-sized alumni associations to assist them in developing and achieving their organization's goals.

Starting this coming academic year we will have four different levels of service: 1. Kappa, 2. Delta, 3. Rho, and 4. Red Rose. Each level has

been specifically designed

to provide a specific package of services to our alumni associations from a total operations package (the Kappa level) to a very basic level of service that provides recognition and insurance coverage (the Red Rose level). In addition to the prepackaged levels there will be a list of individual services so that any alumni organization can develop a package for their specific needs. Later this summer each alumni association or corporation president will receive a letter explaining the various packages, their costs, and the deadline for registration.

Ultimately, the National Fraternity wants to provide a costeffective set of services that can help each alumni organization develop active interest among their members and to provide a strong foundation upon which the undergraduate chapters can rely. As our strategic plan states "every interaction that an alumnus has with a chapter, a Brother, or the National adds value to KDR as a whole" and we hope that these new services can serve as a real and tangible means to improving alumni involvement at all levels.



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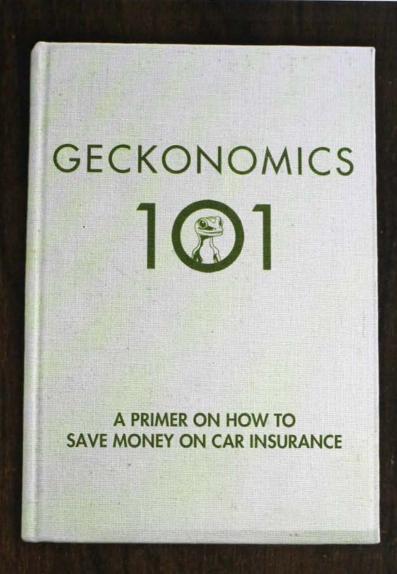
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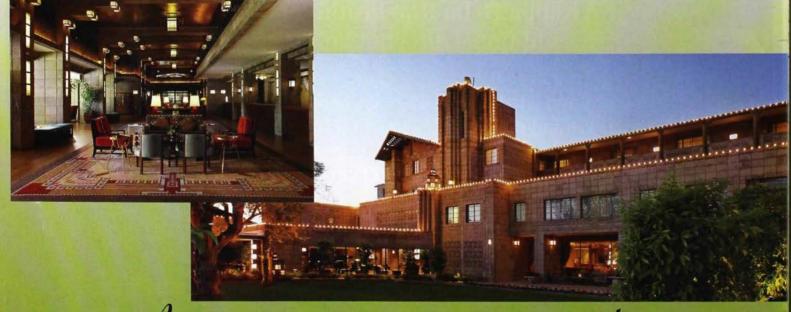
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