



# Phi Delta Chi Fraternity Application for Regional/National Office

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## Office applying for: GVPAA

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## Phi Delta Chi Positions Held:

Beta Xi WAL

Midwest Regional Correspondent

Grand Vice President for Alumni Affairs

## Other Organizations and Positions Held:

Policy Committee APhA-ASP, Policy Committee- ASHP,

## Memberships:

APhA, ASHP

## Honors and Awards:

APhA-ASP Mortar and Pestle Professionalism Award 2005

## Goals for Office:

- Expand alumni programming to brotherhood activities both during national meetings and outside of national meetings
- Pursue donations from alumni and alumni run companies to aide in National Office operations
- Work with Regional Correspondents and Regional Directors of Alumni Affairs to provide CE at Regional Meetings
- Work with Regional Correspondents and Regional Directors of Alumni Affairs to provide alumni brotherhood activities at Regional Meetings (golf outings, tours of local area interests, Sunday brunch)
- Expand Phi Delta Chi's jewelry line to include jewelry for women and more jewelry for men
- Work with PLEI to expand LDS original programming for repeat attendees
- Provide both educational and brotherhood programming at LDS for alumni facilitators

## Candidate Statement:

*"The Grand Vice President for Alumni Affairs shall promote participation of Alumni Brothers, support activities of Alumni Chapters, encourage and assist in the establishment of new Alumni Chapters, assist Alumni Brothers in assisting Collegiate Brothers, and to deliver to that person's successor all documents belonging to the office"* Phi Delta Chi Constitution and Bylaws As adopted by the 65th Grand Council, San Antonio, TX, August 2005

For the past 4 years, I have strived to meet and exceed Phi Delta Chi's expectation of the Grand Vice President for Alumni Affairs, and I'm excited about the progress we've made as a fraternity. Alumni make up the majority of Phi Delta Chi's membership, and we're having a huge revival of alumni involvement.

From 2005, when I was first elected as Grand Vice President for Alumni Affairs, there were 4 alumni dues payers during the last fiscal year. During the 2008-2009 fiscal year, there were over 500 alumni dues payers. There is a new value brothers are finding in Phi Delta Chi that promotes alumni to pay dues.

Alumni are seeking new ways of being involved, and I've responded to them. All the CE being provided at Grand Council are from Brothers. The accreditation is being provided by a brother's company. There was such a huge response to the call to volunteers to give CE, I have a list of alumni ready and wanting to give CE at the Regional Meetings in the spring of 2010.

What else have I done?

- Expand CE offerings at Grand Council
- Revised Alumni Foundations Program
- Revised the Alumni Officer Training Course
- Revised the Alumni Chapter Operations Manual
- Attended 3 of 5 Regional Meetings (maximum possible number due to Regional Meetings being scheduled during the same weekend)
- Attended all in person meetings of the Executive Council
- Planned and executed 2 APhA receptions and 2 ASHP Monday Night Football events

- Been the voice of alumni on the Executive Council
- Participated in interviewing and hiring the new Executive Director
- Respond to alumni's desire to have a pin for alumni who paid life member dues (to be presented at Grand Council)
- Sought competitive pricing for accreditation of CE offered
- Actively participated in planning 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Weekend

I'm excited about what we have accomplished and what is now possible because of our accomplishments. What's most exciting to me is now it's possible to focus on the fun part of being alumni. The business side of alumni affairs is now solid, thanks to the help of many brothers, and now, it's time to bring brotherhood and fellowship to be at the forefront of alumni affairs.

I'm asking for your vote, for which you will see a continued strengthening of our alumni programming and a new life for the brotherhood and fellowship we remember from our collegiate days.

Please vote for me, Sara Hubbard, to be your Grand Vice President for Alumni Affairs

Email the completed application to the Phi Delta Chi National Office at [execdir@phideltachi.org](mailto:execdir@phideltachi.org).