MINORS ON CAMPUS POLICY - Fall 2022
Tau Beta Pi MI-G

The University of Michigan, Ann Arbor Public Schools, and the Boy Scouts of America require anyone volunteering with children to complete background checks. This means that in order for anyone to volunteer and interact in any way with youth at TBP Events, they must complete a background check form. **Before you can complete the background check, you need to opt-in to the process by filling out the background check opt-in form (https://tbpmi.ga/opt-in). Please do so as soon as you can.** After you do so, the K-12 officers will submit your name to receive a background check, and in the days after, you will receive an email from a third-party system (GIS) to complete a background check form (check your spam). **You must submit a screenshot of the end of the survey to K-12 officers (tbp.k12outreach@umich.edu) by October 4, 2022 in order to volunteer with youth at MindSET, Cub Scout Day, Merit Badge Day or Major Fairs. You will not receive a confirmation email unless something is flagged.** If you are unable or unwilling to complete the form and submit to the background check, participation at K-12 events will be limited to roles that ensure non-interaction with youth.

The University of Michigan requires that all individuals volunteering with minors also complete training. To fulfill this training requirement, Tau Beta Pi is requiring members to complete Youth Protection Training (YPT), offered through the Boy Scouts of America. This training will be offered in-person at the end of the Second General meeting (register on the website), and can also be completed online. It takes around an hour to complete and can be found at **scouting.org/training/youth-protection.** You will need to create an account before proceeding to take the training online, and after completing online training, you must save your certificate as a PDF document and send it to the K-12 officers (tbp.k12outreach@umich.edu).

Submission of your YPT certificate, proving that you have completed the online training, should be completed by October 4, 2022. Upload the YPT certificate using the following link https://tbpmi.ga/YPT-confirm

If you have any questions about the background check or training, or if you do not wish to complete the background check, please contact the K-12 officers (tbp.k12outreach@umich.edu).

To summarize, please have the following done by **October 4, 2022*:**

1. University of Michigan background check. **Take a screenshot** of the final page of the survey and **send to tbp.k12outreach@umich.edu** (you will not receive a confirmation email).

2. Boys Scouts of America Youth Protection Training (YPT) at **scouting.org/training/youth-protection** and upload a certificate to **https://tbpmi.ga/YPT-confirm**.

*If you miss this deadline but wish to participate in events involving youth, you may contact the TBP Service Coordinator (tbp.service@umich.edu) to check if there is enough time to complete the background check prior to the event.

K-12 Event Dates are:
MindSET: TBD
Cub Scouts Day: TBD
Merit Badge Day: TBD
Major Fairs: TBD
STEM Videos: Ongoing!