
Alumni Notes

Presenting the Winter 2012 Officers

by Yvan Boucher, Tau Beta Pi Graduate Student Advisor

There was one change made to the officer positions for Winter 2012 semester. It was voted unanimously to add a second K-12 Outreach Chair. This second chair will also serve a year long term, however will be offset from the original position such that there is overlap and continuity in the position. The new officer corps for Winter 2012 can be seen below. Their terms will begin on Dec. 4th, 2011.

Officers

President - Dan Becker (debecker)
Vice President - Kristin Graf (grafk)
Secretary - Michele Mastria (mastria)
External VP - Vicki Choe (vchoe) and Kevin Joseph (kevijose)
Treasurer - Matthew Khoo (khoowx)
Corporate Relations - Mike Hand (mikehand)
Activities - Nathan McKay (ngmckay)
Website - Arthur Shih (ajyshih)
Service - Chris McMullen (cmcmull)
New Initiatives - Samuel Dettling (samueldd)
Campus Outreach - Ben Rothacker (benroth)
Diversity & Leadership Chair - Eeshan Kanpara (keeshan)
Grad Coordinator - Devki Desai (devkides)
K-12 Outreach - Carlos Pons Siepermann (carlpons) and Nathan Rowley (nrowley)
Intersociety - Jon Gold (jmgold)
Publicity - Ryan Chen (ryanchen) and Justine Kunz (justkunz)

Advisors

Andy Boucher (yanders)
Dan Kiefer (dkiefer)
Josh Larson (jilarson)
Elson Liu (eyliu)
Pritpaul Mahal (pritpaul)
Sarang Supekar (supekar)
Paul Kominsky (Chief Advisor)



Above: Incoming Mi-Gamma President Dan Becker.



Above: Winter 2012 Mi-Gamma Officer Corps

Convention Updates

by Pritpaul Mahal

Michigan Gamma sent a delegation of 14 people to convention, including our faculty advisor for the first time in recent history. While there was less "exciting" controversy than usual, it was a very fruitful convention for us. We were able to clarify our understanding of how Headquarters treats previous character rejections, and also had 2 bylaw/procedure change ideas that came out of discussions at convention.

We kept up our history of winning awards and were particularly successful this year, winning a Chapter Projects Award, Secretary's Commendation, and K-12 MindSET Project Grants.

This convention was also a particularly memorable occasion in that it saw the retirement of long-time Executive Director/Secretary-Treasurer/Editor of the Bent, Jim Froula. Curt Gomulinski (former MI-G advisor and District 7 Director) will replace him.

A summary of the business and other happenings at convention can be found on the Tau Beta Pi website at <http://tbp.org/pages/Convention/2011Convention/2011%20Conv%20Summary.pdf>



Above: The Mi-Gamma delegation at the 2011 TBP National Conference in Indianapolis with incoming executive director Curt Gomulinski .

Tau Beta Rock Painting

by Team Inferior (Electee Group #6)

Tau Beta Painting
Start by coating with blue paint
Spray on some yellow



It's an electee thing
Each has to make their own mark
But kept it well themed



There was a large bent
A "T", a "B", and a "P"
Graffiti, of course