Hello World—Tau Beta Pi!

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Important Upcoming Dates:

- Second Comity—RIGHT NOW!!!!!
- Ele’s Place Cooking—This Friday, October 5 (6:30-9:30pm)
- Ele’s Place Delivery—Saturday October 6 (10:30am-12:30pm)
- Sequoia Place—Wednesday, October 10 (7-9pm)
  
  For the above, talk to Maria (schneima@umich.edu)

- TBP Alternative Spring Break Site Leader Application Deadline
  October 6 at 11:59pm

- District 7 Conference Committee Application Deadline (Actives only) October 7
  Great opportunity for D7! Make sure you apply!

- First New Initiatives Meeting (Run by Gina Calco!) Wednesday, October 10 (6-7pm)
  Yes, food is provided & decisions are made!

- Thank You Gamma #1
  That Means Free Buffalo Wild Wings
  Thursday, October 11 from 7-9pm
  Why wouldn’t you go???

- TBP Alternative Spring Break Participation Application Deadline
  November 7 at 11:59pm

- Initiation—Saturday, December 8
  4-6pm

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A note from your Publicity Chairs:

If you have a quick relevant announcement to send to all the TBPeople, send it to ryanchen@umich.edu

If you have something fun or interesting to write a paragraph about = or art, poetry (freestyles!), mazes, puzzles, YouTube videos, blog links, ANYTHING—send it to yours truly, nickruff@umich.edu. And I’ll put it in the next Cornerstone!!!!!! An awesome way to win electee group points!
Eye Candy
The Art of Yechao Lin

CHECK OUT MIGAMMA.ORG TO SEE OUR AWESOME WEBSITE & PREVIOUS NEWSLETTERS!
Our many Tau Bates are many-talented!

To showcase your talents in the Cornerstone, just come talk to me
(or email at nickruff@umich.edu)
myFab5.com

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FUN FUN FUN!

Contact Eeshan Khanpara (uniqname: keeshan)

Tau Beta Pi engineers may be known for solving math equations but we aren’t terrible at sports either! (As mutually exclusive as those sound).

This year we are signed up for the following sports and in desperate need of new players! At least one guy and girl needed for each team!

- Soccer—Division A—Mondays 7:30pm (Mitchell Field)
- Kickball—Division B—Thursdays 9:30pm (Elbel Field)
- Volleyball—Division B—Thursdays 6:30pm (Elbel Field)

PLEASE JOIN! :)

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Concert Recommendations by Ryan Chen

Faculty Recital: Joseph Gramley, percussion
Thursday, 10/4, 8:00pm, Stamps Auditorium

From Prof. Gramley's biography:

Gramley's dynamic and exciting performances as a soloist have garnered critical acclaim and enthusiasm from emerging composers, percussion aficionados and first-time concert-goers alike. His first solo recording, *American Deconstruction*, an expert rendition of five milestone works in multi-percussion’s huge new modern repertoire, appeared in 2000 and was reissued in 2006. His second CD, *Global Percussion*, was released in 2005.

An invitation from Yo-Yo Ma in 2000 led Gramley to join Mr. Ma’s Silk Road Ensemble. In addition to participating in the group’s extended residencies in American cities, Gramley has toured with Mr. Ma and the Ensemble throughout North America, Europe and Asia, performing in the world’s finest concert halls. Along the way, Gramley has studied percussion styles and instruments from around the globe, collaborating with internationally-renowned musicians from India, Iran, China, Japan, Korea and Central Asia. He has appeared on several top-selling albums with Yo-Yo Ma on the SonyBMG label, and with other members of the Ensemble on the recent *Off the Map* (In a Circle Records). In November 2008, Gramley and Yo-Yo Ma performed together and guest artists with the Nashville Symphony.

For more: www.josephgramley.com/biography

With the Michigan Graduate Percussion Quartet and the new Graduate Percussion Class. PROGRAM: Cage – Third Construction; Xenakis – Peaux from Pleiades; Miki – Marimba Spiritual; Harrison – Solo for Anthony Cirone; Abe – Conversation in the Forest. Free – no tickets required.

The Show Goes On – Ryan Chen’s Senior Euphonium Recital
Sunday, 10/7, 2:00pm, Britton Recital Hall – School of Music

Yo, this is it, y’all. I’m playing my senior recital this upcoming Sunday. The program will include everything from avant-garde contemporary music to jazz to baroque arrangements for New Orleans-style brass band. As you may have guessed, the recital will feature the BlueLine Brass Band, Ann Arbor’s favorite dance/jam/lolz band. There will also be a reception with food and refreshments afterward. Come out and enjoy some music presented by yours truly.
### PUZZLE PAGE

**Source:** [http://www.whenweordsearch.com](http://www.whenweordsearch.com)

#### STEP ONE

Find the 50 European countries below in this grid!

#### STEP TWO

Visit each country :P

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**Grid:**

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**Countries:**

- **ALBANIA**
- **GERMANY**
- **NORWAY**
- **ANDORRA**
- **GREECE**
- **POLAND**
- **ARMENIA**
- **HUNGARY**
- **PORTUGAL**
- **AUSTRIA**
- **ICELAND**
- **ROMANIA**
- **AZERBAIJAN**
- **IRELAND**
- **RUSSIA**
- **BELARUS**
- **ITALY**
- **SAN MARINO**
- **BELGIUM**
- **KAZAKHSTAN**
- **SERBIA**
- **BOSNIA HERZEGOVINA**
- **LATVIA**
- **SLOVAKIA**
- **BULGARIA**
- **LIECHTENSTEIN**
- **SLOVENIA**
- **CROATIA**
- **LITHUANIA**
- **SPAIN**
- **CYPRUS**
- **LUXEMBOURG**
- **SWEDEN**
- **CZECHIA**
- **MACEDONIA**
- **SWITZERLAND**
- **DENMARK**
- **MALTA**
- **TURKEY**
- **ESTONIA**
- **MOLDOVA**
- **UKRAINE**
- **FINLAND**
- **MONACO**
- **UNITED KINGDOM**
- **FRANCE**
- **MONTENEGRO**
- **VATICAN CITY**
- **GEORGIA**
- **NETHERLANDS**
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