# *The Cornerstone*

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#### Letter from the Editor

Welcome to your first Tau Beta Pi meeting! Let me start by introducing myself. I am Andrew, the Historian for this semester. Each Tuesday I will publish a new issue of the Cornerstone (this document) for you to read. Here you will find supplemental meeting information that I hope you find helpful. I elected to TBP in the Fall semester of 2018, which means I am in my fifth semester with TBP. Since electing, I have found numerous ways to stay actively involved in TBP, serving one semester as a chair, and three semesters as an officer.

Whether or not you decide to pursue a TBP membership, you should be proud of yourself for being invited! The opportunity to join TBP is truly an honor and is only extended to the best and brightest engineers around the country. Admittedly, when I got my invitation, I was skeptical. The Greek letters scared me, and I had not previously considered the benefits of joining a professional society. A well-placed letter, addressed to my permanent residence and read by my parents, eventually convinced me to attend my first meeting.

I would never admit this to them, but I am so glad I let my parents convince me to attend that first meeting. TBP has completely transformed my college career, affecting my social circle and job prospects. I would not be who I am today without TBP, and I hope you allow TBP to have the same impact in your life.

If you have any suggestions, questions, or compliments, you can email me at **tbp.historian@umich.edu**.

Welcome! Andrew



## **Meeting Agenda**

What is Tau Beta Pi?

Message from Associate Dean Joana Millunchick

**Initiation Requirements** 

How-To for Action Items

**Upcoming Events** 

## **Upcoming Events**

Hanley, Fight & Zimmerman Info Session Wed, Sept 23, 5:30pm

Netflix Movie Night Thu, Sept 24, 7:00pm

**Electee Interviews** Thu, Sept 17, 6:00pm

**New Initiatives I** Mon, Sept 28 – Fri, Oct 2

## **Meeting Takeaways**

- (I) Check out our website: tbp.engin.umich.edu
  - Create a profile, upload your resume, and complete the electee questionnaire.
- Isign-up for your electee candidate interview!
- Cub Scouts Day Prep
  - Youth Protection Training: scouting.org/training/youth-protection/
  - Background Check: tinyurl.com/tbp-bg-f20
- Sign up to be a tutor: http://tinyurl.com/TBPTutoringF20
- Email Sydney at tbp.service@umich.edu for external service approval.
- If you cannot make initiation on December 5<sup>th</sup>, let us know!
  - Riki: tbp.vicepresident@umich.edu
  - Paige: tbp.gradvicepresident@umich.edu

**Student Group Advertisements** 

Contact me to share opportunities outside of TBP with our members!

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