



MEET THE 2020-2022

# Fraternity Council



## **Fraternity President**

**Wilma Johnson Wilbanks, Alpha Psi-Mississippi**

Wilma is now in her second term as International President of Delta Gamma Fraternity. She represents the Fraternity on the National Panhellenic Conference Council of Delegates. Wilma previously served as Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Delta Gamma Foundation for four years and Treasurer for two years, as well as Fraternity Parliamentarian, a position in which she

served for 15 years. A Psi Woman, she also has served on the Fraternity Cabinet as Regional Finance Specialist, Regional Alumnae Specialist, and Province Alumnae Chairman.

Wilma has served on both the Fraternity and Foundation Finance Committees, as well as on the Joint Fraternity-Foundation Finance Committee. She is a member of the board for both the Fraternity Housing Corporation and the Fraternity Management Corporation. Wilma served as president of the Mississippi Delta alumnae association twice. Professionally, she is a pharmacist at Walgreens, and was named by Pharmacy Times as the top pharmacist in the country for civic service in 2017. Wilma serves on the board of Grammy Museum Mississippi, and is a past president of the National Association of Junior Auxiliaries, the Delta Arts Alliance, Crosstie Arts Council, and a number of other organizations. Wilma and her husband Bob share three sons and five grandchildren.



### **Council Trustee: Collegians**

**Dr. Amy Ayres, Alpha Iota-Oklahoma**

Dr. Amy Ayres serves as vice president for student affairs and deputy Title IX coordinator at Oklahoma City University. With more than 20 years' experience in higher education, Amy has made it her life's work to support and develop college women and men through student success initiatives. Prior to being elected to Council, Amy served on the Fraternity's programming team as

Fraternity Director: Chapter Development. She was chapter president during her collegiate career and traveled as a Collegiate Development Consultant for two years following graduation. Amy's Delta Gamma involvement includes: Regional Director, Regional Collegiate Recruitment Specialist, Fraternity Director: Panhellenic Resources, Regional Collegiate Specialist, Council Appointed Coordinator and Lewis Institute facilitator. She's also been the recipient of the Fraternity's National Fraternity/Sorority Advisor of the Year and supported our Panhellenic community as a National Panhellenic Conference (NPC) Area Advisor.

Born and raised in small-town Oklahoma, Amy has a genuine appreciation for what sorority membership can do for young women of all backgrounds. Amy and her wife Nicole live in Oklahoma City with their three dogs and three cats and enjoy making the rounds to support locally-owned restaurants and shops.



### **Council Trustee: Alumnae**

**Sheri Ann Senne, Alpha Theta-North Dakota**

Sheri is now in her second term as Council Trustee: Alumnae. She has previously served Delta Gamma as Director: Programming, Regional Collegiate Specialist, Regional Alumnae Specialist, advisory team chairman, alumnae association president and other various advisory and alumnae officer positions. In addition to her leadership roles, she has been a Lewis Institute facilitator,

assessment team volunteer and a member of the Fraternity's establishment team. Outside of Delta Gamma, Sheri is a currently a member of Junior League of Dallas and has also served as a volunteer for the Make-A-Wish Foundation and Junior Achievement. She enjoys reading, travel, new adventures and spending quality time with family and friends. Professionally, Sheri is an account manager for Microsoft where she builds and maintains relationships with partners and customers to ensure their successful move into the cloud. Born and raised in North Dakota, Sheri currently resides in Dallas, Texas.



### **Council Trustee: Fraternity Programming**

Joanna Rosenow Shook,  
Alpha Upsilon-Southern Methodist

Directly prior to this role, Joanna served the Fraternity as Council Trustee: Collegians. Her previous Delta Gamma roles span years of varied volunteer service, including Region 3 Director, Director of Collegiate Chapter Development (now Chapter Operations), Regional Collegiate Specialist, Alumnae Development Consultant, Region 3 Nominating Committee representative and numerous advisory team and alumnae group officer positions. She is a proud recipient of the Cable Award.

Joanna began her career as a marketing professional, specializing in event planning and grassroots community outreach. She has led marketing efforts for companies of all shapes and sizes, from the Super Bowl to a neighborhood bookstore, and has contributed marketing and fundraising expertise to two non-profit organizations, Atlanta's Cancer Support Community and the Georgia Chapter of the Crohn's & Colitis Foundation.

A lifelong love of being active led Joanna to obtain certifications in group fitness, nutrition and health coaching. She has coached for over 20 years and this year, launched her own nutrition and wellness platform, CuppaJo.

She and her husband Jim live in the Atlanta area and have two children, recent UNC Tarheel graduate, Mattingly (Alpha Delta Pi) and current Texas Longhorn, Dallas (Kappa Sigma).



### **Council Trustee: Membership**

Carolyn Schnure Hill, Alpha Lambda-Drake

Carolyn is now in her second term as Council Trustee: Membership. In her first term, she organized the Recruitment Task Force to evaluate our training and voting processes and those recommendations are currently being implemented. Her previous Delta Gamma positions include Region 5 Director, Regional Collegiate Specialist, Regional Collegiate Recruitment Specialist and Regional Foundation Coordinator. Locally, she was advisory team chairman, Honor Board adviser, membership adviser and house corporation president and currently is involved with planning for the Alpha Lambda 100th anniversary in 2021. Carolyn served three years on the Foundation Governance Committee

with two years as chair, was a member of the 2002-04 Fraternity Nominating Committee and facilitated at the Lewis Institute.

Professionally, she recently retired from her career as assistant athletic director-relays operations at Drake University and presently works as a sports event management consultant. Previously she was director of fraternity/sorority life at Drake and program director at the Greater Des Moines YMCA. A fitness enthusiast, Carolyn teaches fitness classes and volunteers at the YMCA, a commitment she has had for over 34 years. As a USA Track and Field national level official, she volunteers at local track meets and national championship meets. Carolyn ran her sixth marathon last fall and also enjoys hiking, biking and crafting. She and her husband, Robb, live in West Des Moines, Iowa and have two grown children, Lauren (Kappa Kappa Gamma) and Bryan.



### **Council Trustee: Communications**

**Kathleen Brady Stanton, Alpha Iota-Oklahoma**

A two-time graduate of the University of Oklahoma (OU), Kate is the assistant vice president of student affairs and associate Title IX coordinator at the OU Health Sciences Center. In addition, Kate is responsible for student services at the OU-Tulsa Campus. Each fall, Kate teaches a leadership seminar allowing her time with freshmen students. Prior to being elected into this position, Kate

completed her second term as Council Trustee: Fraternity Programming and Foundation Trustee.

As a Trustee, Kate oversaw Fraternity programming initiatives such as Collegiate Advisory Board, DG Dialogues, DG Talks, Chapter Culture Surveys and Hope Child. She previously served Delta Gamma as Director: Collegiate Programming, Council Appointed Coordinator, a member of the Anchored in Courage Programming Committee and Foundation Awards Committee, an advisory team member in multiple roles, house corporation board and alumnae officer.

Kate has established and facilitated curriculum for Lewis Institute, Institute programming and member education tracks and numerous regional trainings. A 2011 Leadership Norman Class graduate, Kate's community service includes board president for Center for Children & Families, a board member for United Way of Central Oklahoma and Sooner Stiletto mentoring female student athletes. As the 2018 Oklahoma City Panhellenic Delta Gamma Woman of the Year, Kate resides in Norman, Oklahoma, treasures adventures, cherishes others and "chooses joy" each day.



## **Fraternity Treasurer**

**Susan Eddy Kinney, Beta Psi-Alabama**

Susan is now in her second term as Fraternity Treasurer and Foundation Board of Trustees member. She has worked diligently to reduce expenses, provide transparency, and improve services during her term, including annual savings of \$100,000+ for FMC chapters, reduced FHC-FMC Board expenses, provided a dedicated Accountant for collegiate chapter budgets and sought transparency of Accumulated Surplus balances. Other significant Delta Gamma leadership experience includes Board Chair, Fraternity Management Corporation, Fraternity Housing Corporation Board member, Director: Housing Resources, Regional Housing Director and Province Collegiate Chairman. Susan serves as a MJ Insurance Collaborator regarding the Sorority National Program, client services and resources.

Additionally, Susan has served as a facilitator at the Lewis Institute and LeaderShape, and locally as alumnae chapter president, ATC, and various house corporation board roles. Following a lifetime engagement with Delta Gamma, Susan was instrumental in the return of Beta Psi chapter to the University of Alabama campus. She spearheaded fundraising of \$1 million in support of construction of the \$8 million house. As associate vice president for human resources and risk management at Birmingham Southern College, Susan has oversight of national employment searches, diversity and inclusivity efforts, the \$24 million personnel budget, and risk management and insurance programs. Susan has also served on Fraternity and Sorority Extension committees. She was named Top HR Executive by the Birmingham Business Journal. Susan and her husband, Dan, are the parents of two grown children, daughter Claire (Kappa Alpha Theta) and son-in-law Jacob, son Joseph and daughter-in-law Julie (Alpha Xi Delta) and two grandchildren, Patrick and Caroline.