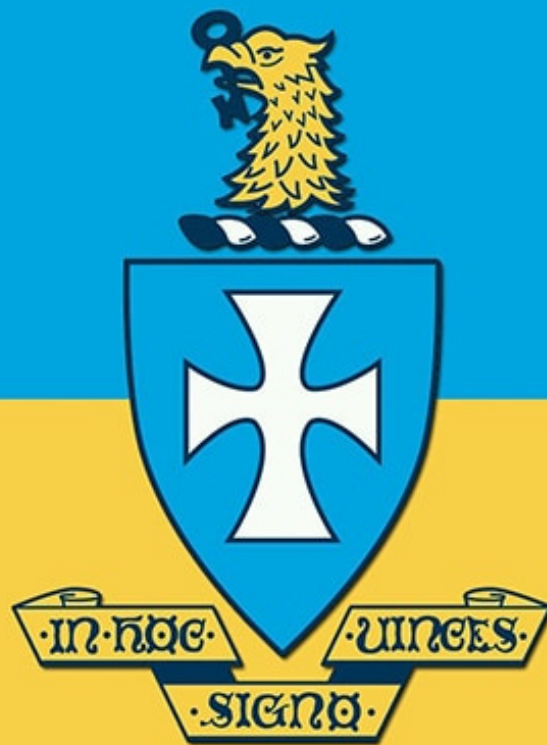


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Sigma Chi Chapter at Loyola University Chicago:
What's Coming Fall 2022?



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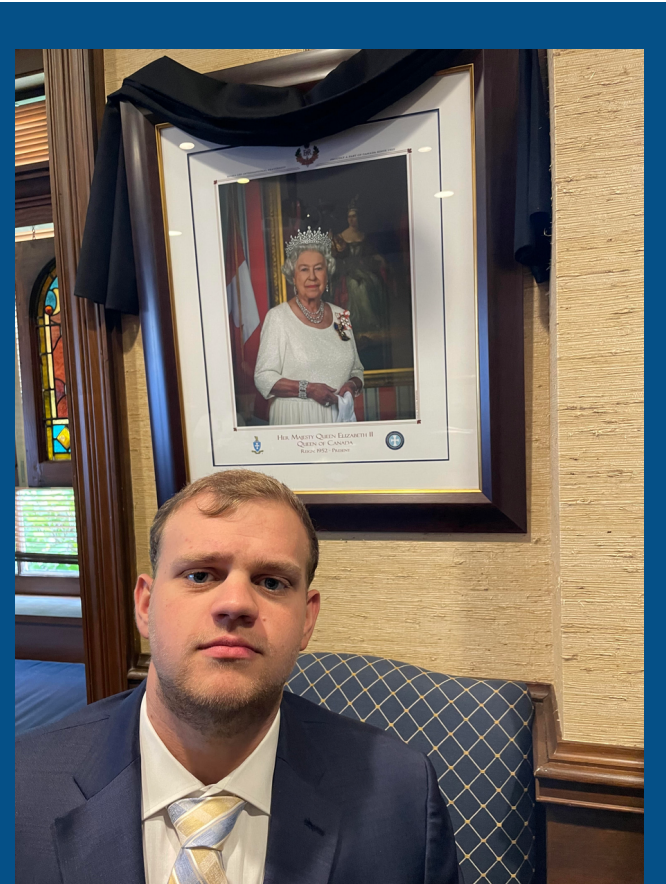
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Consul Update

Our worthy consul, Joe Tomecki, has been the face of Sigma Chi last spring, and is looking forward to this fall.



"The peak of one mountain is the valley of another"

What have you done for the chapter in the first part of your term?

The structure of the chapter has been greatly improved, and we are archiving things better so transitions into cabinet and officer positions become easier for the following classes.

The chapter is a lot more self-sufficient than when I originally took over, by every position being very self-sufficient, makes transitions a lot easier because each position can delegate what their role is to the future elect more thoroughly. This was an area of growth I emphasized when taking over as Consul, and I am very proud of how far we have come.

Lastly, I am very excited to announce that we will be having our Derby Days week and dance performance for the first time in a few years!

Pro Consul Update

Our Proconsul, Ryan Torgersen, stepped up into this role last spring, and is excited to see what else he can accomplish this fall.



"Keep your face always toward the sunshine, your shadows will fall behind you"- Walt Whitman

What have you done for our chapter during your term?:

I created a master doc for recruiting plans and other officer positions, for effective ways to run the position based on action plans that the national fraternity provides

Ryan works a job at headquarters:

I work as an accounting and operations assistant. I credit chapters, charge chapters, and assist them with any purchase like regalia, I also served on a task force to help rewrite the OTA (officer training academy) curriculum.

The revisions will be implemented next year, I was a part of the team to review them and make new modules.

How did you spend most of your time as Pro Consul?:

Internal management and conflict resolution (coming up with ways to please everyone in the chapter) decisions to be made with brotherhood and social stuff, the timing for events, attendance, and anything that is internal. Lastly, running our judicial board, which is based on internal conflict and resolution

Philanthropy Update

Our Philanthropy and Derby Days chair, Mike Neal, is working extremely hard to put on the best Derby dance this chapter has seen in years.



"Philanthropy, charity, giving voluntarily and freely... call it what you like, but it is truly a jewel of an American tradition"-
John F Kennedy

What are your goals for the semester?

Our chapter's goal for this semester is to raise \$25,000 for the huntsman cancer foundation this semester our main way is through our derby events. We are happy to announce derby dance will be back this year, if you would like to make a donation to our goal, follow the link below to do so. check the alumni's Facebook for any updates regarding our philanthropic efforts!

<https://hope.huntsmancancer.org/gentoend/loyola-university-chicago>

What are you doing to ensure Derby Dance will go well?

I have been in contact with the national derby days chair from huntsman to collect ideas that worked well at other chapters and work to refine our events to make them the most successful possible.

I've worked with the Panhellenic council and SAGA to make the derby dance happen again after not having it last year. I have gone to chapters to present Derby Days, this year as the derby chair I will not be dancing, instead I am acting as a liaison to all the sororities dancing to ensure everyone involved has a direct line of communication for concerns.

I have been talking to businesses about sponsorships, if you would like to contribute, please reach out to me and we can discuss donation levels and us advertising your organization for your generous donation. advertising includes banners and Instagram posts.

Brotherhood Update

Our brotherhood chair, Trent Kardell, has done a great job as brotherhood chair in the first part of his term, and has big things in store to strengthen our brotherhood.



"If your not first,
you're last"-Reese
Bobby

Brotherhood trip Lake of the Ozarks:

it was good to bring back our annual brotherhood trip after many years of it being absent from the chapter because of covid. It was a learning experience and I am looking forward to planning the one next year with the next brotherhood chair. The thing I am most excited about is next year we will have a larger budget and more resources for our brotherhood retreat, I am also looking forward to helping out the next brotherhood chair in planning these new things, and most importantly graduating seniors which it will be their final sendoff from being active members

Brotherhood Events

we are trying to do team events inside the chapter that will promote bonding, and it will also be good events for our newest pledge class to get to know each other more

in the future: try to come up with new event ideas that will be exciting and will look forward to, to strengthen our brotherhood to the next degree

Recruitment Update

Our recruitment chair, Luke Austin, represented our chapter in this fall's IFC open house.



"The battle of getting better is never ending"- Antonio Brown

How do you feel about this recruitment season?

I am excited about recruitment, we are running recruitment in a way that involves a larger number of brothers, and this will give us the best possible opportunity to get the best possible new members.

How were the open house and the recruitment events?

In the fall, sophomores and older are eligible to rush. This fall class is one of the biggest fall classes we have ever had, and I am elated to show these new guys how strong our brotherhood really is. We have extended 13 bids to potential new members this semester, and they all have accepted their bids. Our new Psi class of fall 2022 is one of the biggest fall pledge classes that this chapter has had in years.

All Lambda Nu Alumni are invited to this semester's initiation of our new Psi class! Initiation will be held at Glenview Masonic Temple on November 5th at 9:30AM.

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Brotherhood Spotlight



"Live a Little, Love a Lot"- Kenny Chesney

Our worthy Annotator, Max Conway has worked as a team attendant for the Chicago Bulls the last few seasons, and has been able to experience the NBA on a very intimate level.

How did you get this opportunity?

My older brother worked for the Bulls for a while, and through his connections, I got this opportunity.

What does your job entail?

I get to the stadium 3 hours before the game and set up the court with all the towels, mops, sticky pads Gatorade carts, etc. After we set up the court, players come out two at a time with the coach to do their shootaround warmups, and I rebound for them or help the team unload their bus equipment. During the games, I am either getting the players water/Gatorade or handing out towels.

What is your favorite memory of working this job?

I got to work the All-Star game in 2020 when it was in Chicago, so I was there for the slam dunk competition and the 3-point contest a few weeks before covid shut everything down.

Leading up to the all-star game they had team practices and the all-stars would come in and practice their 3s or dunks. I got to sit at half-court during the slam dunk contest. It was really cool to see all the best NBA players all at once. Sitting so close to the action, I sat near Patrick Mahomes and Chance the Rapper. Considering it was an all-star game, the players were much less demanding so for this I was not asked to do much, and just enjoyed my great front row seats while getting paid for it.

Brotherhood Spotlight



Paul Schnell, our worthy Magister, this past summer interned at a TV station in Nashville:

What were your main roles?

I had the opportunity to work as a production assistant at the country music festival and had a media pass for all the stages, and film releases.

I worked as a content and production intern for a tv channel based in Nashville called Circle.

Circle is an all-in-one streaming platform for all things country like music and live shows, monster truck rallies, and westerns.

What are you most proud of from this internship?

I made eight commercials that got aired by the end of the summer, I got to meet some really cool artists like Tyler the Creator, Chillers, Carrie Underwood, and Lauren Elena. I got to work on set and see how these shows worked together and sit in on the live shows at one of the oldest country stages in the US. This internship made me realize I have a huge passion for production and it is a high-intensity workplace that makes me want to earn what I want to do later in life.

"Success isn't always about greatness. It's about consistency. Consistent hard work leads to success. Greatness will come."
-Dwane (the rock) Johnson

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