ANNUAL AWARD WINNERS
FOR THE 2016 CALENDAR YEAR

Undergraduate Chapter Awards

Baker Cup
Awarded to the chapter which most effectively focuses attention upon religious, ethical, and social service activities in its daily conduct.

1st place: Kappa Deuteron at Georgia
2nd place: Gamma Tau at Georgia Tech
3rd place: Sigma Tau at Washington
Honorable Mentions: Chi Eta at Western Kentucky
Sigma Mu at Mississippi State

Brightman Trophy
Awarded to the chapter which best demonstrates that “Phi Gamma Delta is not for college days alone” by maintaining and improving relations between the chapter and graduate brothers.

1st place: Kappa Deuteron at Georgia
2nd place: Sigma Mu at Mississippi State
3rd place: Sigma Tau at Washington
Honorable Mention: Beta Sigma at Ball State

Cheney Cup
Awarded for the greatest all-around efficiency in scholarship, fraternity relationships and general collegiate activities.

1st place: Kappa Deuteron at Georgia
2nd place: Sigma Tau at Washington
3rd place: Gamma Tau at Georgia Tech
Honorable Mentions: Beta Sigma at Ball State
Chi Eta at Western Kentucky
Epsilon Rho at Embry-Riddle
Theta Tau at Tennessee Tech

Condon Cup
Awarded to the chapter which shows the greatest improvement in the areas of scholarship, extracurricular activities, and fraternity relationships.

1st place: Omega Chi at Chapman
2nd place: Mu Sigma at Minnesota
3rd place: Gamma at Vanderbilt
Honorable Mentions: Alpha Sigma at Arizona State
Pi Deuteron at Kansas
Theta Tau at Tennessee Tech
Coon Plaque

Awarded for the best chapter publication for the preceding academic year.

1st place: Gamma Tau at Georgia Tech
2nd place: Kappa Deuteron at Georgia
3rd place: Sigma Mu at Mississippi State
Honorable Mentions: Tau Nu at RPI
                Theta Tau at Tennessee Tech

Jordan Bowl

Awarded to the undergraduate chapter which is judged to have achieved the highest comparative scholarship among the undergraduate chapters for the preceding academic year.

1st place: Chi Eta at Western Kentucky
2nd place: Kappa Deuteron at Georgia
3rd place: Epsilon Iota at Evansville
4th place: Beta Sigma at Ball State
5th place: Epsilon Rho at Embry-Riddle
Honorable Mentions: Gamma Tau at Georgia Tech
                     Kappa Mu at Western Michigan
                     Mu Sigma at Minnesota
                     Sigma Tau at Washington
                     Theta Tau at Tennessee Tech

Owen Cup

Awarded to the undergraduate chapter which has shown the greatest improvement in scholarship over the preceding academic year.

Recognition: Alpha Iota at Iowa State
              Omega Chi at Chapman
              Tau Nu at RPI

Zerman Trophy

Awarded to the chapter which excels in promoting the involvement of brothers in student government, the campus newspaper, and extracurricular activities.

1st place: Sigma Tau at Washington
2nd place: Kappa Deuteron at Georgia
3rd place: Gamma Tau at Georgia Tech
Honorable Mentions: Chi Eta at Western Kentucky
                    Epsilon Rho at Embry-Riddle
                    Theta Tau at Tennessee Tech
Graduate Chapter Awards

Brightman Awards for Graduate Chapters
Presented to the most outstanding graduate chapters - divided between those with more than 75 members, and those with less than 75 members.

Over 75 Members
1st place: Seattle Washington Graduate Chapter
2nd place: National Capital Fijis Graduate Chapter (Washington, DC)
3rd place: Houston Texas Graduate Chapter

Under 75 Members
1st place: Southeast Florida Graduate Chapter (Miami, FL)
2nd place: Arlington Texas Graduate Chapter
3rd place: Alberta Graduate Chapter (Edmonton, Alberta)

Honorable Mentions: Birmingham Alabama Graduate Chapter
Bluegrass Graduate Chapter (Lexington, KY)
Cleveland Ohio Graduate Chapter

Not for College Days Alone Awards for Graduate Chapters

Community Outreach & Involvement
Recognizes the graduate chapter which best demonstrates community service and involvement through its members and activities.

Winners: National Capital Fijis Graduate Chapter (Washington, DC)
Southeast Florida Graduate Chapter (Miami, FL)

Events & Programming
Recognizes the graduate chapter which excels in communicating to and engaging local graduate brothers.

Winner: Seattle Washington Graduate Chapter

New Chapter of the Year
Recognizes the outstanding graduate chapter which was formed / reconstituted within the previous two calendar years.

Winner: Bluegrass Graduate Chapter (Lexington, KY)

Recruitment & Outreach
Recognizes the graduate chapter with the most active and diverse calendar of events which engages a wide variety of graduates with different interests.

Winner: Houston Texas Graduate Chapter

Undergraduate Support
Recognizes the graduate chapter which best assists area undergraduates, strengthening their Phi Gamma Delta experience and promoting the advantages of involvement after graduation.

Winner: Seattle Washington Graduate Chapter
Individual Awards

Coulter Cup
Awarded to the graduate brother who has contributed the most to an undergraduate chapter through service in a capacity other than as a Purple Legionnaire or General Officer.

Winner: Dana W. Hesse (Virginia Tech 1986) for Virginia Tech & Western Kentucky
Distinguished: Dale R. Adams, Jr. (Akron 2003) for Akron
Service: Erik S. Hildebrand (Bowling Green State 2005) for Bowling Green State
John P. Koremenos (Wisconsin 2014) for Wisconsin
William H. Leslie (Tennessee Tech 1993) for Tennessee Tech
Don L. Shelton (Idaho 1976) for Idaho
Kirk D. Walden (Texas Arlington 1972) for Texas Arlington

Crowder Cup
Awarded to the faculty advisor determined to be the most outstanding in the Fraternity.

Winner: Dr. Ray J. Blankenship (Kentucky 1984) for Western Kentucky
Distinguished: Stephen C. Crowe (Cincinnati 1972) for Cincinnati
Service: Tony D. Marable for Tennessee Tech

Durrance Award
Awarded to the most outstanding Purple Legionnaire in Phi Gamma Delta.

Winner: Kirk B. Maag (Oregon State 2005) for Oregon State
Distinguished: Brandon J. Bowman (Western Kentucky 2010) for Cincinnati
Service: Dennis A. DiTullio (Ohio State 2005) for Ohio State
Patrick R. Scott (Washington 1994) for Washington
Dr. Christopher J. Tankersley (Akron 2002) for Akron
David C. Willens (WPI 2009) for WPI
Michael J. Wygocki (Western Michigan 1986) for Wisconsin

Haynes Award
Awarded to the most effective Section Chief in Phi Gamma Delta.

Winner: Joseph A. Weist (Rose-Hulman 1987)
Distinguished: J. Brent Ellis (Tennessee Tech 1999)
Service: Timothy W. Kilduff (Kent State 1968)
William G. “Chip” McClamans (Western Michigan 1979)
Shawn M. Meier (Ball State 2009)
Orsen E. Paxton, III (Texas Arlington 1971)
Bradley R. Whiting (Washington 1980)

Wilkinson Award
Presented to Phi Gamma Delta’s most outstanding senior.

Co-Winners: Jacob C. Whitacre (Rose-Hulman 2017)
Harry C. “Jack” Owen (Georgia 2017)