

College Panhellenic Conversations

From the Desk of the NPC Panhellenics Chairman

Regional Conference Academies

NPC, the North-American Interfraternity Conference (NIC) and three regional interfraternal leadership programs are partnering together to bring council officer training to students in 2018. College Panhellenic Academy curriculum will be facilitated at three conferences — <u>AFLV Central, NGLA</u> and <u>AFLV West</u>.

Campuses will sign-up to participate as part of the registration of the respective regional conference they will be attending.

Training Resource: Officer E-Learning Modules

NPC is pleased to announce the availability of five self-directed e-learning modules, each created with a specific College Panhellenic officer role in mind: communications/PR, judicial, president, recruitment, and treasurer. The modules are available on the NPC website. <u>Access the modules</u>.

NPC Foundation Scholarships

The NPC Foundation will award six scholarships, and details about each one can be found on the NPC website <u>here</u>. Applications will be available on the NPC website in mid-January.

NPC's "Call for Critical Change"

NPC is an organization that can bring together industry leaders to work toward creating the kind of campus culture we aspire to build everywhere. On Jan. 11, the NPC Executive Committee will convene a gathering of campus administrators and subject matter experts to work toward creating opportunities to address critical issues within our Panhellenic communities.

The meeting will be the first step in NPC's "Call for Critical Change," and it will be our focus in the coming months.

Dear friends ...

Happy new year! I hope the holiday season was a time of rest and reflection, allowing you to get ready for a great 2018.

As students return to campus and College Panhellenic officers prepare to take on their new roles, please ensure new officer information has been submitted to the National Panhellenic Conference. (Tool: <u>Website Cheat Sheet</u>.)

Please also ensure new officers are aware of the resources NPC provides, including the 2018 Manual of Information (available in early January on the NPC website), <u>sample budget</u>, <u>minutes template</u>, <u>model bylaws</u>, <u>recruitment rules template</u> and many other files under the <u>College Panhellenics</u> section of NPC's recently refreshed website.

NPC looks forward to seeing many campuses represented at the College Panhellenic Academy in Indianapolis later this month and at regional conferences throughout the term (see information at left).

Interfraternally,



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February Planning: Month of the Scholar

Celebrating the Month of the Scholar in February honors the core value of scholarship that exists for every NPC member organization.

Celebration ideas:

- •Organize a stress- and time-management workshop.
- •Invite women who achieved the dean's list to a scholarship dessert with faculty and staff.
- •Host a scholarship roundtable where participants discuss quarterly and yearly goals, past successes and challenges.
- •Make goodie bags containing candy, erasers, pens, pencils and study tips for distribution to every sorority woman on campus.
- •Pair chapters in teams to compete for an incentive as determined by your College Panhellenic Council.

Encourage the College Panhellenic officer responsible for scholarship to share all the information with your community. Also share your activities and efforts with us on social media using #npcscholar.