

FRATERNITY & SORORITY LIFE AWARDS 2015-2016

The Fraternity and Sorority Awards are designed to provide an objective assessment of a chapter's performance. The evaluation process for these awards is completed through active reporting and nominations that are submitted online. This process is implemented not as a competition, but as a way for every chapter to measure their growth as an organization on an annual basis. The opportunity for recognition is provided to chapters that excel in the areas of academics, service, and Greek unity.

Distinguished Chapters

Distinguished Chapter honors are given only to chapters who earn high marks in all five areas of focus on the Stockton accreditation program, the Growth & Recognition Plan: academic achievement, leadership development, chapter operations, programming, and risk reduction. This year's recipients of Chapter of Distinction are:

Delta Zeta

Sigma Sigma Sigma

Greek Academic Award

Delta Delta Delta

Delta Zeta

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.

Greek Service Award

Sigma Sigma Sigma

Sigma Alpha Epsilon

Greek Philanthropy Award

Delta Delta Delta

Kappa Sigma

Greek Community Award

Sigma Sigma Sigma

Matthew LaCava, Alpha Phi Delta

Outstanding Chapter Program

"Pray For Hensle", Kappa Sigma (Philanthropy)

"Mind Your P's & Q's", Iota Phi Theta Fraternity, Inc. (Education & Awareness)

Outstanding New Member

Daniel Donovan, Sigma Beta Rho Fraternity, Inc.

Outstanding Chapter Advisor

Paula Guzman-Bell, Zeta Tau Alpha

Outstanding Chapter President

Taylor Marchal, Sigma Sigma Sigma

Panhellenic Woman of the Year *(Chosen by the Stockton Panhellenic Council)*

Samantha Jerry, Delta Zeta

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Greek Man of the Year

Jayson Cabrera, Lambda Sigma Upsilon Latino Fraternity, Inc.

Greek Woman of the Year

Liana Buccino, Zeta Tau Alpha

Greek Leaders of Distinction

Carl Archut Jr., Kappa Sigma

Anthony Beadling, Kappa Sigma

Carlie Cattafi, Delta Delta Delta

Dominique DeFilippis, Sigma Sigma Sigma

Ike Ejikeme, Iota Phi Theta Fraternity, Inc.

Joseph Isola, Kappa Sigma

Samantha Jerry, Delta Zeta

Tyrell Jones, Iota Phi Theta Fraternity, Inc.

Kelli Murray, Delta Delta Delta

Octavius Obey, Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.

Chapter Accolades

- **Alpha Phi Delta**
 - Received national organization's **Outstanding Chapter Award**
 - **Ranked #2** in national Greek Lemonade War fundraiser for Alex's Lemonade Stand, receiving national organization's **Outstanding Community Service Award**
- **Delta Phi Epsilon**
 - **Ranked #3** (out of 105 chapters) in national accreditation (5 star status)
 - Received national organization's **Scholarship Excellence Award**, Most Active on Campus Award, and Outstanding Recruitment Programming Award
- **Delta Zeta**
 - **Ranked #3** (out of 165 chapters) in national organization for GPA
- **Kappa Sigma**
 - Received Founders Circle Award (**top 12** out of 410 chapters)
 - **Ranked #1** nationally in service hours during last biennium
 - **Ranked #1** in national ritual competition
 - **Top 5 percentile** chapter in all 5 executive board categories
- **Zeta Tau Alpha**
 - Received national organization's **Scholastic Achievement Award** & ZTA Foundation Founders Club Award

Individual Accolades

- Ashley Nevarez ('17) was recognized as the national "Heart of the Sea" **Undergraduate of the Year** by Lambda Tau Omega Sorority, Inc. In addition, she also received the Scholarly Lambda award.

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- Jayson Cabrera ('17) was recognized as the national "**Neophyte of the Year**", an award for a new member who has contributed greatly to Lambda Sigma Upsilon Latino Fraternity, Inc.
- Alyssa Enny ('16) received the **Outstanding Senior Award** from Sigma Sigma Sigma Sorority for region 1 (northeast U.S.).
- Tyrell Jones ('16) was selected as the new **New Jersey State Director** for Iota Phi Theta Fraternity, Inc.
- Ellis Bonds ('15) was selected as the new **National Director of Recruitment** for Lambda Sigma Upsilon Latino Fraternity, Inc.
- Carl Archut Jr. ('16) of Kappa Sigma received the **Stockton Spirit Award** & the **Dean of Students Award**.
- 2016 Stockton **L.E.A.D. Award** recipients included Carl Archut Jr. (Kappa Sigma '16), Liana Buccino (Zeta Tau Alpha '16), & Kelli Murray (Delta Delta Delta '16).
- 2016 Stockton **Student Senator of the Year** was awarded to Emily Zeck ('16) of Sigma Sigma Sigma.
- Samantha Jerry ('17) of Delta Zeta was awarded Stockton University **Student Leader of the Year**.