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GREETINGS FROM THE TEMPLE

by Michael Baruch ('15) | Chapter President



Graduates,

It is my pleasure to be addressing you one last time in my capacity as President of the Omicron chapter. This semester was a tough one for UVa as a whole and, by extension, the men of Phi Gamma Delta due in part to the unspeakable tragedies and controversies that we've had to contend with. But it is times like these that make me realize why I am so fortunate to have joined a group of such upstanding men, and why you

as graduate brothers should be proud to have us reflect our painstakingly cultivated image onto you. I speak for myself, and other members of the Brotherhood when I say that the support and brotherly love we share with each other was paramount in contending with the tidal wave of volatility that swept through Charlottesville this fall. Take pride in the

fact that the Brotherhood is as united as ever.

One of the consequences of these recent events, as some of you may have seen in written correspondence from myself, is that we were unable to have our Run Across Virginia for the Jimmy V foundation this year. This decision was made due to mandates from the University administration which came as a result of Theresa Sullivan's decision to temporarily suspend all fraternity life. Given the severity of the situation, as well as a desire to protect our charter from what we viewed

as an administration under pressure, we had to accept the unfortunate decision to cancel the run. In order to still honor the Jimmy V foundation, we are brainstorming a replacement event next semester, potentially involving our #2 Hoos in a game with Virginia Tech (Lets go Hoos). I, the Brotherhood and the Tech chapter were viscerally saddened by this decision. I know the Run is a great source of pride for you graduate brothers, as it is to us.

In other, lighter news: for those of you that attended the annual Pig Dinner, which was back at the house this year, thank you for coming and I hope that you had as great of a time as I did. For those brothers that were unable to make it, we lament your absence and hope to see next fall. On the topic of the house, after a semester with our alcohol exemption back I'm delighted to say that the house has been having fun, but most importantly, has been incredibly safe. I and the rest of my executive board is proud to report that we didn't have a single issue this semester. I have faith that the current Recording Secretary and future Historian Troy Kirwin will be able to help guide the next exec into a safe, and successfully recruitment and 2015 calendar year.

I would like to thank you all again, one last time, for allowing me to serve as the undergraduate voice of the chapter. It has been an incredible experience in leadership and brotherhood. Further, it has been a great honor to captain the ship that so many of you served on throughout the years. If my hard work can help facilitate even the smallest amount of deetfulness, then it was effort well spent. I have no doubt that my successor, Raj Das, is more than up to the task and wish him the best of luck. To all of you, I wish a happy New Year and continued success in all of your endeavors.

Perge,

Michael Baruch
President

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LOOKING FORWARD TO 2015

To begin with, I'd like to thank every brother who has passed through or is currently in this house. I view the current brotherhood as the culmination of the efforts of the men before them, and I could not be prouder of the men around me now. I honestly consider myself blessed. I not only have the good fortune of being surrounded by great friends, but the opportunity to be brothers with so many role models and leaders of UVA.

I can't say that this semester will be easy with all that is going on with Greek life. The fraternity system is under a microscope, with every action scrutinized and made public. However, I view this as an opportunity for the house. I know that each and every one of these brothers is an exemplary student and member of the University community. To focus on each one of their actions inevitably leads to the realization that our members are some of the most involved and impassioned people with the desire to improve themselves and society. I aspire to be like the guys around me because I believe they are a testament to what a Greek man should be.

With that being said, improvement is an endless process, and there are always changes that would serve to strengthen our brotherhood. Over the course of the next year, I want to bolster Fiji ties with not only UVA but also the Charlottesville community as a whole. This will be possible through a renewed emphasis on service. Many brothers are actively engaged as individuals with volunteer activities, but when we come together we can accomplish exponentially more, as evidenced by some of our successes over the past year. I want to continue this trend of working together to help local causes.

Fiji has one of the highest cumulative GPAs on grounds, and we'd obviously like to see us stay there. We've made great strides in regards to scholarship outside of just academic achievement (special thanks to our scholarship chair for this), and I believe we are in a position to continue this transformation. My goal for the next year is to focus on the development of career help services for the brotherhood, and to institute a more efficient system of pairing younger brothers with older brothers in the same major. In addition to this, I'd like to increase the accessibility of graduate brothers for current guys in the

house who may be interested in their career field, keeping the Fiji motto "not for college days alone" alive.

This brings me to my final, and most important, goal for the year. The purpose of every president should be to strengthen the brotherhood. Regardless of how close-knit the fraternity already may be; it can always be stronger. We have an exceptionally tight brotherhood in the house right now, and I believe the new pledge class will strengthen it even further. However, we can do more to strengthen the bond between undergrad and graduate brothers. If we are to embrace the Fiji ideal of "not for college days alone", we must open our chapter to ALL brothers. Every Omicron graduate that I have met has impressed me, and I know the house shares this sentiment. Over the course of the next year, I want to bring the current men of the house and the graduate brothers much closer together, allowing us to be an even more powerful and meaningful brotherhood.

Omicron has the opportunity to cement its role as a leader in UVA Greek life through its commitment to the betterment of the community and its individual brothers. Through improving service, scholarship, and brotherhood, I believe we can most effectively achieve these goals of serving our brothers and our community. I know that over the course of the next year we will grow and improve because the Omicron brothers, both undergraduate and graduate, are some of the best people I have ever met, and I know they share my desire to see the fraternity grow and strengthen. I joined Fiji because I wanted to improve myself, and when I looked around the house I saw men better than me who I could emulate. I still see this every time I walk under the letters. And that is why I am excited for this next year. I cannot wait to see what Omicron will accomplish, and I am humbled by what we have achieved to date. More than anything I am excited to be given the opportunity to lead, thankful for the brothers who serve as my role models, and proud that I can say I am an Omicron Fiji.

PERGE!

Raj Das
President, Elect

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I hope you enjoy receiving the chapter's semester newsletters, and I hope you have shared your email address with us so we can remind you of upcoming events like Pig Dinner. But one of the most effective ways we can connect to our graduates is through Facebook. It allows us to quickly inform you of chapter accomplishments, tailgates and dinners, and other graduate news. It's also a lot less expensive than mailings, which means more of your donations and undergraduate dues go directly to the chapter.

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GRADUATE NEWS

A hearty congratulations to 'Cron grads **John Suttles ('84)** and **Frank Petz ('84)** who both had children this past year. Suttles had twin girls, and Petz had a daughter following his son's birth the year before. Two Fiji's that waited late in life to start families as these are their first kids.

Gunnar Gose ('84) recently lost his father John Gose who was an incredible man and known well at the Fiji house in the early '80's. Mr. Gose was 85 and had been a colonel in the marines in the Korean War and a very successful real estate attorney in Seattle Washington.

Steve Vittorio ('84) just celebrated 30 years with Prudential Real Estate Investors and is looking forward to his 30th wedding anniversary coming up soon. Steve also started his first band – The JV Band.

Andrew Straitman ('09) and Sydney Maisel were married on September 6, 2014 in Hershey, Pennsylvania. **Andy Cooper ('09)**, **Jay Farris ('09)**, **Tommy Hayne ('09)**, **Chris Megaw ('09)**, **Scott Ankers ('09)**, **Dan Reaves ('09)**, **Noah Scherz ('11)**, **Joe Stoots ('11)**, and **Mike Perry ('11)** were in attendance to celebrate the happy couple!



Jared Ward ('11) and his wife Daniela Solano-Ward (Sigma Kappa '11)

Ross Jacobson ('11) moved to London in August to work as an Associate for Advent International, a private equity firm. Ross lives in South Kensington and has fully embraced London's pub scene. Previously, he worked at J.P. Morgan in New York where he lived with **Noah Scherz ('11)** and **Joe Stoots ('11)**.

Allie and **Nick Feakins ('05)** welcomed a son, Samuel Paul Feakins, into the world on July 6th, 2014. His favorite thing in the world is a stuffed snowy white owl.

In August, DC descended onto the bay area as brother **Alec Rothman ('06)** celebrated his marriage. Brothers **Ryan Hickox ('06)** and **Daniel Partin ('06)** made the trip to San Francisco with the sole intention of making sure Rothman was pried for his efforts. The tradition continues.

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Omicron Phi Gams at Andrew Straitman's ('09) wedding

Former Lawn resident and Darden Award winner **Matthew Aronson ('11)** tied the knot with undergrad sweetheart Michelle Rehme (Pi Phi '11) on October 4, 2014 after proposing in Michelle's old Lawn room the previous Christmas. Preceded by a summertime bachelor party in Cancún (highlighted by a deep sea fishing trip, several decidedly not-Cuban cigars, and 12.8 well-executed body shots), the wedding weekend in Charlottesville was punctuated by a strong graduate brother presence. Best man **Jason Rowe ('11)**, groomsmen **Michael Incerto ('11)** and **Cam Coleman ('11)**, and ushers **Greg Mullin ('10)**, **Jacques Farhi ('11)**, and **Josh Jolissaint ('11)** fought back tears on the big day. Matthew and Michelle returned to Santa Barbara, California where Matthew is pursuing his Ph.D. in chemical engineering at UCSB. An early anniversary celebration is in the works for September 2015 when UVA football ventures west to face UCLA.

Summoning the eloquence he cultivated during his days as Pledge Educator, **Jared Ward ('11)** proudly said "I do" to long-time girlfriend Daniela Solano (Sigma Kappa '11) on October 19, 2014. The wedding, which was held at the UVA chapel, capped a perfect Charlottesville weekend of wine tasting and bar hopping on the Corner. Pledge brothers **Greg Ellwood ('11)**, **Brian Kinslow ('11)**, **Josh Jolissaint ('11)**, and **Cam Coleman ('11)** served as groomsmen, a testament to the Phi Gam motto: "not for college days alone." Jared returned with his bride to Davie, Florida where he is completing his second year of medical school at Nova Southeastern University. Health and long life to you, Jared and Daniela!



Ryan Hickox, Alec Rothman, and Daniel Partin (All '06) at Rothman's wedding.



Tiago Bezerra, Doug Hill, Spencer Sloan, Kevin Russell, Harrison Powell, and Joe Vergara (All '10) convened in Charlottesville over the Holidays to catch the Virginia Men's Basketball team whoop Harvard at JPJ.

Five recent Omicron grads have created a graduate satellite house in Arlington, VA. **Billy Kirk ('13), Matt Boegner ('14), Anthony Bucci ('14), Josh Kite ('14), and Sam Rubin ('14)** recently moved into the famed 'Metal House' near the Clarendon neighborhood, and they encourage any brothers who might be in the area to come share some crushables on their roof-deck.

Over the New Year's holiday, brothers **Tommy Hayne ('09), Kevin Dowlen ('10), Brad Howlett ('11), Ross Heller ('12), Wyatt Hill ('12), Alex Loeb ('12), Taylor Scholz ('12), Jack Valentine ('12), and Graham Williams ('12)** gathered in DC to ring in the New Year. The group spent New Year's Day shooting sporting clays in Centreville and rounded out the weekend by paying their respects to Mr. Jefferson at his Memorial.



Wyatt Hill, Taylor Scholz, Alex Loeb, Ross Heller, Brad Howlett, Tommy Hayne, Jack Valentine, Graham Williams, and Kevin Dowlen in Centreville, Virginia.

PURPLE LEGIONNAIRE

Brothers,

It is with great pleasure that I commence my term as Purple Legionnaire and take over responsibilities from Tommy Hayne starting this spring. Tommy did an excellent job over the past four years. He helped guide the chapter through some difficult events and we are all indebted to his leadership.

As you know, these are challenging times for Greek life at our University. However, having just returned from Academy with the new executive officers, I can assure you that the chapter has never been in more capable hands. I have no doubt that the house is on course to thrive under their stewardship.

With this in mind, and with a renewed sense of vigor that you cannot help but walk away with after spending any time with these young men, I ask for your help on their behalf. In the words of Isaac Newton, "if I have seen further than any other man, it is because I have stood upon the shoulders of giants." We are fortunate as a chapter to have many such giant shoulders.

Whether you can contribute your time and energy as a member of our Board of Chapter Advisers or Housing Corporation, your hard-earned money as a donor, or simply your enthusiasm as an attendee at one of the many graduate events the chapter hosts, I urge you to think of a way--your own way--to be an active participant. Every one of you was selected by Phi Gamma Delta because of the special gifts and qualities you possess that made the lives of your brothers better. You no doubt selected Phi Gamma Delta for the same reasons, and

it is my sincere hope that this mutually beneficial relationship will not be for college days alone.

The flip side of every challenge is opportunity. Like me, I hope that the new year and recent events will give you the opportunity to reflect on just how much the fraternity has meant to all of us, and to consider how we can each continue to contribute to and gain from our involvement going forward. However you choose to participate, the fraternity as a whole is better with you engaged.

Fraternally,
Steve Driskill '06
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TANK OF THE YEAR

As anyone can attest, traditions have a strange way of coming and going. Some traditions harken back to our founding fathers, others seem to have appeared only months ago, and sometimes vanish just as fast. We have attempted in the past to discover the origin of “Pie’ing the Groom” at Fiji weddings. We collected hundreds of names of brothers who have been pied, but no one could seem to remember how it started. There has been extensive documentation of past Fiji “lingo”, which sadly has become a dying tradition in the house. And there are probably a number of traditions we are unaware of because they started after we graduated. Some traditions strengthen us as a brotherhood, some are better left in the past, and others are just a source of passing amusement.

Tank of the Year is the latter. For those of you who don’t know, “Tank” refers to something stupid you’ve done. The Tank of the Year award is thought to have originated at Omicron in the mid-1970s. Originally, it was given to the undergrad brother who did the biggest “Tank” all year - as decided by last year’s winner of course. The original trophy had an actual tank on top of it. It is unclear where the original Tank of the Year trophy currently resides. Perhaps its loss is a tank in its own right. Scott Medvetz ’83 brought back the Tank of the Year Award at the 2014 Pig Dinner, and declared it an award that could go to any Omicron – graduate or undergraduate. He used pieces of BK’s totaled Chevrolet Volt that were left in his woods when BK tanked and did not put his car fully in park at the top of the hill facing the woods on Smed’s property (at the Tribute to LJ Memorial on 6/28/14). This new version of the trophy will have to suffice until someone takes the initiative to have a new Tank of the Year trophy made.

No comprehensive record exists of prior Tank of the Year award winners, but recollection seems to recall Dano Mason ’84, Scott Simmons ’83, Billy Buzz, Greg French ’80, Billy Olinger ’96, and Jeff Bunch ’79 as deserving winners. Each of these Omicrons owes us for not printing the events that garnered them this dubious award. If you are interested, you should make plans to come to next year’s Pig Dinner (Homecoming Weekend).

Going forward, we would like to see this Omicron tradition continue. BK will present the award to next year’s winner at Pig Dinner, whether or not the winner is present. Current tank of the year front-runner is Dixon Wallace, Pig Dinner Chairman, for not having Miss Utility come out and mark underground utilities before the tent installers started hammering stakes in the yard and busting our water line. First year Pig Dinner was ever held in a swamp. And we’d like to encourage all alumni and undergrads who know of a Fiji tank to email BK with the details at: bk128@verizon.net Hopefully, he will compile a robust list and not just tank once again.

As a disclaimer, we will say that we take extreme pride in our commitment to Excellence and our concept of the Fiji Gentleman. The Chapter and individual brothers are frequently the recipient of University, IFC and IHQ awards that attest to this. But we all recognize that at times undergraduates act like undergraduates, or better yet, graduates act like undergraduates... and this deserves to be looked at – not only for the ridicule it rightly deserves but also for the opportunity to learn from these kinds of mistakes and hopefully never repeat.

-PERGE

BK’80, Scott Medvetz ’83, and Nick Feakins ’05



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NOTE ON THE ROLLING STONE ARTICLE

Dear Omicron Graduate Brothers,

It is with a hopeful heart that I write to you about the events of last semester, a semester that tested our school and our student body in ways none of us have seen before. I am writing to you in my capacity as President of One in Four, the all-male sexual assault peer education group on grounds, Chairman for Diversity and Outreach on the Inter-Fraternity Council (IFC) Governing Board, and most of all as a fellow Phi Gam brother. I hope to briefly relay what happened last semester from my perspective and how it impacts out house and our community.



Last semester began in heartbreak for our community when one of our fellow students, Hannah Graham, went missing and was later found dead on the property of a home on the outskirts of Charlottesville. This tragedy hit all of us incredibly hard and thousands of students came together for a candlelit vigil and teamed up with Charlottesville residents and the Albemarle Search and Rescue squad to look for Hannah when she was still missing. Several Phi Gam brothers, including myself, participated in the search party efforts and the vigil was almost universally attended in order to support Hannah's family and one of our undergraduate brothers who knew her personally.

With the wound still fresh from the tragedy of Hannah's death, Rolling Stone released a highly publicized article in mid-November that scathingly attacked Phi Kappa Psi, UVa Greek Life, and the handling of sexual assault cases at UVa. Though I was interviewed for the article four months earlier in my capacity as One in Four's president, I was both shocked and horrified by its content and allegations. With the help of the five other undergraduate Omicron brothers who are also members of One in Four, our group organized several presentations and events in order to foster a constructive and thoughtful dialogue about the article and sexual assault at UVa. We presented to several other fraternities about how to help our friends should they survive any form of sexual assault. We organized the event "What We Can Do" in order to empower disgruntled and confused students about what steps can be taken to prevent rape in their own communities and establish a culture of support for all of the men and women who are directly and indirectly touched by this issue. We opened up lines of communication with the administration, the Board of Visitors (BOV), and the media in order to project a positive and constructive message surrounding this issue, something that the Rolling Stone article made no attempt at. Finally, when several of the allegations in the article were revealed to be false, we remained steadfast in our message of support for survivors and those victimized by the article, while also highlighting the need for systematic and cultural change with how our community deals with instances of sexual assault. These initiatives would not have been possible without the support of our brotherhood, one that treats women with respect, does not take rash action, and isn't afraid to stand up for what is right. The men of Fiji have and remain leaders on the front lines of this complicated issue, one that we hope to see dramatic improvement around during our lifetimes.

Throughout this time our chapter and the Greek system as a whole were greatly impacted. Teresa Sullivan made the executive decision to suspend all fraternity activities just before Thanksgiving break, citing escalating hostility on grounds and pressure from the faculty and media as her reasons. Phi Gamma Delta appealed for an exception to this suspension in order to hold our annual Run Across Virginia event, set to take place one week after the suspension, but we were denied. As a chapter we pushed back as much as possible, but were all severely disappointed when the event ultimately did not happen. This philanthropy had raised about \$50,000 per year for the Jimmy V Foundation since its inception in the 2000s. Conditional on the administration lifting the suspension was that the IFC addend its Fraternal Organization Agreement (FOA), a contract that each fraternity signs with the school, in order to improve the safety of guests at fraternity social functions. The IFC Governing Board received several suggestions from the BOV about these changes but ultimately drafted up an addendum with the ideas that came from individual fraternity members, presidents, and the Governing Board. Despite the scandal surrounding the validity of the Rolling Stone article, the IFC presidents and the Governing Board decided to continue with the changes in order to improve our community, but knowing that the suggestions would be truly of the students and that the national animosity surrounding UVa Greek life had diminished. Fortunately for the Omicron chapter, we already follow most of the changes made to the FOA so our semester-to-semester operations will be minimally affected.

As a chapter, our members continue to stay involved in different aspects of the University, such as One in Four and the IFC. We do this not only to foster a diversity of perspective, but also to stay well informed and serve as leaders in our community when crises arise. We act as leaders through our involvements but also through our day-to-day actions, condemning misogyny towards women and treating our own members, potential members, and guests with the respect they deserve. We continue to lead rather than follow on issues surrounding the IFC such as hazing and sexual assault prevention. As a fourth year I have been proud of the way our members conducted and continue to conduct themselves in the wake of last semester. I encourage you to reach out with any support you have for the Omicron chapter and I want you all to share in my pride for UVa Fiji. The foundation you have laid for our chapter has allowed us to rise to the occasion and show the University and the national audience the caliber of man our fraternity produces.

Respectfully,

Brian Head, Class of 2015

2015 EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

I'm Raj Das, a second-year from Williamsburg, Virginia. I plan (emphasis on plan) on majoring in Commerce and Economics with a minor in Global Sustainability. We have a great group of guys in the house, and I'm very excited to serve as President for the upcoming year.

My name is Hayden Goldberg and I am the incoming Treasurer. I am second year student from Marietta, Georgia and I plan on studying commerce and economics if all things work out as planned. This should be a great year for Fiji with many new projects in the works and I'm very excited to be a part of it.

My name is Hunter Hewlett and I am the incoming Recording Secretary. I am a second year student in The College from Virginia Beach, VA, looking to study Biology and Spanish in pursuit of medical school in the future. I am very excited about the opportunity to serve the House and look forward to working with my brothers and graduate brothers this coming year.

Hi, my name is Connor Briggs, the incoming Corresponding Secretary, and I'm from Rumson, NJ. I'm very excited for this upcoming year and to get started on the many projects Troy started last semester; and to make sure we have a lot of fun.

I'm Troy Kirwin, a third year student in the commerce school from Scarsdale, NY. I served this past year as Recording Secretary and will be serving in the coming year as Historian. I'll continue promoting strong brotherhood and am excited to work with our House Corporation on several house improvement projects in the coming year.

HOUSE IMPROVEMENTS

We are incredibly excited about some of the house improvement projects underway at 128 Madison. This past fall several undergraduate brothers, members of House Corp. and Piedmont Facilities Management conducted a walk-through of the chapter house to assess areas that could be repaired or improved. We prioritized a list of projects and quickly transitioned towards the planning and implementation phase. A quarter of the projects have already been undertaken!

Perhaps most visibly, a new 70 inch flat-screen television was installed in our chapter room for brothers to enjoy the big games together. The tv has also been used for chapter

meetings and rush voting. The tv was made possible because of a generous donation by a parent and donations from the graduating brothers of the Class of 2014.

After deliberations amongst the brotherhood, we hope to renovate the kitchen in preparation to bring a chef into the house. We have been in close contact with chef companies to assess what improvements would need to be made to the kitchen. Meals would be provided at the house for dinner Sunday through Thursday and lunch Monday through Friday with a light breakfast Monday through Thursday. The chef would work with us to determine a

menu for each week. We believe that a chef will encourage brothers to spend even more time at the house, further strengthening our brotherhood. Additionally, the fraternity meal plan would be cheaper than comparable meal plans provided by UVA Dining. The chapter response was overwhelmingly positive when a vote was conducted. Please look out for additional information about this exciting project in the next couple months.

Troy Kirwin '16

Recording Secretary and Historian Elect

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GRADUATE ANNUAL GIVING

Brothers,

It has been a difficult semester for UVA and the Greek community. And while Omicron continues to lead as a positive example amongst 31+ fraternities on grounds, we need your support as well.

Our Brotherhood is strong. The Chapter consistently excels in athletics, academics, philanthropy, and leadership positions. Unfortunately, our achievements and contributions to the community did not affect the administration's decisions following the Rolling Stone article. Our Run Across VA philanthropy, which has become a major source of pride for the Chapter and a significant fundraising effort for the Jimmy V Foundation, was cancelled days before the event. It is unclear exactly what the administration will do next. It is important that we show we have the support of our graduates.

A major measure of that support is the percentage of graduates who donate to the Chapter.

As you look at the list of graduates below who gave us their support this year, I hope you will consider joining them with your own pledge. With 800+ Omicron graduates, imagine the message we would send if everyone gave \$128, \$250, or more! The University strives to reach 18% participation... I know Omicron can exceed 25% in 2015, that is 200 donors.

We have put asterisks next to the names of brothers below that have given 3+ years in a row - thank you for demonstrating that Phi Gamma Delta is not for college days alone.

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Nick Feakins '05

President | Omicron Chapter House Society

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