



Greetings AO alums!

Before we say goodbye for the summer, we'd like to say hello and inform you about what our chapter has been up to this semester. Coming out of a challenging period of uncertainty in the fall, we saw an amazing revitalization of dedication and passion to improving the AO5 chapter in all aspects. During this semester alone, our chapter organized many successful events such as a philanthropy week, Mother's weekend, community service opportunities, and social events. Beyond this, we took part in many educational presentations on topics like mental health and alcohol education, as well as ZBT's history and values. Much of our success was aided by our executive board and chairmen, so let us introduce you to the Spring 2022 executive officers.



Eboard Introductions:



Evan Falconer

President

Year: Sophomore

Major: Accounting & Finance

Hometown: Watertown, SD

Coming into chapter presidency at a difficult time, Evan Falconer has done a fantastic job directing and managing the house. Beyond presidency, Evan is also involved with clubs like Eller ELITE, SPARK entrepreneurship club, and Theme Park Entertainment Group. Evan's goals for ZBT include winning chapter of the year, establishing a platform to interface with alumni, and becoming better overall men who serve their community.



Asher Hawk

Operations Director

Year: Freshman

Major: Business

Hometown: Boston, MA

As Operations Director, Asher Hawk has continued to show his strong character and leadership skills. In his position, Asher oversees many of the house's internal operations and runs the Housing Committee where he helps search for a new ZBT chapter house in 2024. Beyond this, Asher has hopes to be the next chapter president and wants to help his brothers improve academically.



Nathan Granger

Programming Director

Year: Sophomore

Major: Finance

Hometown: Scottsdale, AZ

In his role as Programming Director, Nathan Granger seeks to improve the house through coordinating educational events and managing the house chair positions. Nathan helps schedule important academic presentations, as well as helps on the Standards Board and Rush Committee. Nathan enjoys learning Finance in the Eller School of Management, where he is a member of the Investment Club. Beyond this, he has goals to further strengthen the bond between ZBT members through brotherhood bonding events and scholastic success.



Garrett Myers

Communications Director

Year: Sophomore

Major: Film & TV

Hometown: Saratoga Springs, ND

In his role as Communications Director, Garrett Myers has enjoyed helping the AO5 chapter in many ways. Garrett oversees the house's public relations where he helps on the Art Committee, Family Weekend Committee, and Philanthropy Committee, as well as oversees the Alumni Committee and house's social media accounts. Beyond ZBT, Garrett plays volleyball for the UofA club team and does freelance videography. Garrett's goals for ZBT are to help develop virtuous young men in the community, and eventually win chapter of the year.



Ethan Hinnant

Brotherhood Development Director

Year: Sophomore
Major: Psychology
Hometown: Cave Creek, AZ

Ethan Hinnant loves educating and mentoring the next generation of ZBT brothers as their Brotherhood Development Director. He has had much success in this position, and beyond this he is one of our Family Weekend Chairmen. Ethan has dreams of being a counselor or physical therapist in a hospital, and his goals for ZBT include maintaining the chapter's strong brotherhood and fun-loving environment.



Neo Garcia

Risk Prevention and Wellness Director

Year: Sophomore
Major: Engineering
Hometown: Torreon, Mexico

Partnering with our other Risk Manager Zachary, Neo Garcia has shown time and time again that he can keep his brothers safe and comfortable. Beyond his work as Risk Prevention and Wellness Director, Neo helps out our Chefs in the kitchen and is the manager for the UofA swim team. Neo believes strongly in a tight brotherhood, so he aims to protect the AO5 chapter while improving and collaborating with his brothers.



Dalton Meekins

Recruitment Director

Year: Sophomore
Major: Business
Hometown: Scottsdale, AZ

After spending time learning from the past Recruitment Director, Dalton Meekins has shown his influence and versatility for the house in many ways. As Recruitment Director and Social Chairman, Dalton has organized countless successful social events and brotherhood bonding events throughout the semester. In his role as Recruitment Director, Dalton seeks to recruit a diverse class of respectful and promising young men to the ZBT brotherhood. Dalton has goals to be the next president of ZBT and he wants to continue strengthening the chapter's brotherhood.

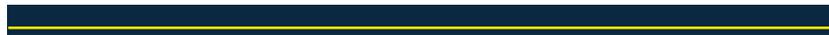


Matthew Mackleit

Financial Director

Year: Sophomore
Major: Accounting
Hometown: Sammamish, WA

Beyond his role as Financial Director, Matthew Mackleit is one of the most beloved brothers in the chapter. Matthew manages the house's finances, and beyond this he helps out the Community Service Chairman and Alumni Committee. Beyond ZBT, Matthew was a proud member of PWC Connect, which is an accounting club for freshmen. His goals for ZBT include winning the chapter of the year award.



Alumni Chairs Introductions:

On top of your 2022-23 executive board, we want to introduce you to your Alumni Chairmen, Francisco Virgen and Michael Frees.



Zachary Oren

Risk Prevention and Wellness Director

Year: Freshman
Major: Pre Business (Intended Accounting/Finance)
Hometown: Miami, FL

As Risk Prevention and Wellness Director, Zachary Oren has done a great job ensuring all ZBT members and guests are at ease and out of harm's way. Beyond this, Zach is one of our Sorority Relations Chairs and is a member of the Heritage Committee. Outside of ZBT, Zach is a member of Eller ELITE and Sports Management Association. His goals for the chapter include continuing to strengthen our brotherhood and increasing our impact on campus.



Francisco "Fran" Virgen

Year: Sophomore
Major: Applied Humanities in Fashion Studies & Finance
Hometown: Colima Mexico, currently reside in Encin, CA



Michael Frees

Year: Sophomore
Major: Management Information Systems
Hometown: Fresno, CA

As Alumni chairmen, Fran Virgen and Michael Frees have goals to engage alumni as much as possible to reinstate a strong connection with the active members in the house. We understand how amazing our current alumni are, and think it would be great to have small workshops where alumni can give active members advice and teach them lessons from adulthood. We also want to emphasize a strong sense of welcoming to ALL Alpha Omicron alumni. Beyond this, through building strong communication with Alumni we hope to host our Alumni back to the A05 house next semester and for years to come.

Thank you again for being a dedicated member of the AO chapter of Zeta Beta Tau. We are so thankful for your continued support and we cannot wait to connect more in the future.