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**120**

Years of SAE at Penn

**3908**

Spruce Street

**\$25,000**

Annual Fund Goal

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Raised as of Mar. 2

**25**

Alumni Donors  
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## VICE PRESIDENT'S LETTER

### A Letter from the Penn Theta Board

Dear Penn Theta SAE  
Alumni Brothers:

#### *Phi Alpha!*

The Fall session has started and Actives have returned to the Chapter and our House. All are excited to be together again and plan a year of scholastic and athletic achievement, School and community service projects and Brother-bonding social events including with Penn SAE alums.

We enter the Fall session with 60 active members, of which 14 are in residence in house, all singles. About 30 Brothers are on House meal plan.

The overriding problem causing this low occupancy (capacity about 25) is due to Penn's policy of requiring Sophomores to live in campus housing (definition excludes Fraternity and Sorority houses even when Penn owned) and with School meal plans that is making it difficult to fill the House. Most actives not living in the House are in fact living together in other campus or off-campus housing so living together is not the issue; the issue is *where*. The architect of Penn's disastrous program has left the School's employment but not after attempting to destroy Penn's Greek community.

We are doing our best to push back on the above School policy and all Greek houses are suffering similar consequences. We brief you here so that you can add to our voices in your own interactions, communications and financial support of the School. Your comments sent directly to the Office of Fraternity & Sorority Life (OFSL) would be greatly appreciated and may be best directed to:

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Don't forget the importance of the Penn Theta SAE Scholarship Fund that serves to financially assist "highly aided" Penn students wishing to become part of our SAE Brotherhood and qualifying to do so except for the expense of membership and House residency. Penn Theta alumni generously got this Fund off to a great start in 2021-2022 with donations to-date of \$135,000. We have 6 Brothers qualifying for this support, 10% of our Active roster, all of whom are living in the House (required) and adding diversity, drive and talent to our Brotherhood. We expect that our total outlay to support these True Gentlemen will be about \$3,000 to \$5,000 payable to them post-semester. Please consider additional Giving to this Fund by accessing:

<https://support.sae.net/give/251943/#!/donation/checkout>

Please make sure you reference Penn Theta when making your pledges and donations. Thank you for your generous support in this important endeavor to which I am personally dedicating the majority of my Penn and SAE donations.

Please send us news of your life's accomplishments and current activities to share

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SAE has given me lifelong friends and the best stories ever



Paul F. Schuster '89 (pschuster@lockelord.com) remembers the day that he decided to join SAE. "It had such a friendly and fun brotherhood," he said.

"We had all different types of personalities and experiences. We did not fit into any stereotype."

One of the memories that stands out for him is of "The Paddy Murphy procession down Locust Walk with a coffin."

Schuster says that SAE has impacted him long after graduation. "I have stayed friends with the brothers. I lived with Chris Viadro '89 and Tim Ballard '89 in San Francisco for a year after law school. The 50th Birthday celebration in Chicago for Lee Shavel '89 was awesome."

He says that giving back to the chapter is important to him. "I want others to experience the same camaraderie and support that I received."

Without Sigma Alpha Epsilon, I wouldn't have most of my most entertaining and outrageous stories.

ALUMNI WEEKEND AND 30TH REUNION DINNER

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30th reunion dinner. Mike Feinberg '91, Gideon Alpert '91, Lance Jacobs '91, Tom Peck '92, Andrew Hudson '92, Brad Wieboldt '90, Paul Maurer '90, Erik "Froggy" Cohen '91, Rob Isaacs '91, Adam Fine '91

Over Alumni Weekend, some brothers got together for the 30th reunion, check out what the brothers said about the weekend below:

"Was great seeing all the full range of SAE alums. Thought there was more energy in the house than I've seen in years. I will be donating for sure."

"Class of '97 had a strong showing, taking down recent alums and current students at many of the new SAE games."

"So the weekend is finally over and as

always, you can always return home to SAE Penn Theta."

"Started with a fantastic event in NYC on Thursday night (I think about 19 brothers

crew. Some of us then went on an adventure where it took us almost 2 hours to find a cheese steak in North Philadelphia (not a typo) because it is always good to challenge yourself, versus just going to Ginos/Pats."

"I have to give major credit to our SAE brothers who are currently at Penn. In all of the years that I have attended these events, I have never seen so many current brothers so engaged with the alumni. These brothers were beyond fantastic (we now have about 9 members of the Penn swim team in the

house) and they went out of their way to make sure we had a good time, update us on the new events done by the brotherhood, etc."



SAE Philadelphia dinner for the alumni weekend. Lance Jacobs '91, Adam Fine '91, Erik "Froggy" Cohen '91, Eric Friedlander '91, Sasan Mehrara '94, Rob Isaacs '91, Gideon Alpert '91, Frank Fehrenbach '95, Tom Peck '92, Harry Fisher '89, Mike Eckels '87, Jeff Karp '88, Brad Wieboldt '90, Brett Barth '93, Gus Lipman '93, Mike Feinberg '91, Andrew Hudson '92, Evan Glanz '94



ended up coming, along with 3 of their sons) at The Globe. Saturday, the highlight was a great time at the SAE house for our afternoon event where we met up with some of the legends of the 25th reunion

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with other Penn Theta alumni as well as our Actives. Make sure you include comments about how your participation in Penn Theta SAE helped you in your further professional and personal pursuits. Pictures are always welcome! These stories help motivate our current Actives and are a positive contributor to our new Member pledging efforts.

One important way to help Penn Theta Active Brothers is to provide summer internships and as well as post-graduate full time positions career positions. We highlighted the fantastic academic and other achievements of the Class of 2021 Penn Theta graduates and

what a stellar group they are! For those looking for top talent in your organizations, and who isn't, please consider Penn Theta members in your recruitment goals. If you want to send me contact information and opportunities, we will make sure they are distributed to the Actives as well as alumni SAEs.

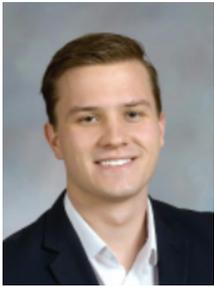
Look forward to hearing from you and hopefully seeing you at 3908 Spruce!

In the Bond,

Brother Steve Sloan, W77

## Welcome the newest grads to Alumni Brotherhood!

It is with great honor that we announce the newest fraternity alums! We reached out to our newest grads and asked them what they gained from SAE, why they joined, and where they are headed after graduation. Join us in welcoming them to the alumni brotherhood!



### Zachariah Althoff

Zach is graduating with a Bachelor of Arts from the College of Arts and Sciences in Philosophy, Politics, and Economics. At Penn Zach served as a Captain of the

Men's Swimming Team and as a Peer Advisor in the College. Zach will work as a Capital Markets Analyst for The Hanover Company in Houston, Texas.



### James Armstrong

James is graduating with a Bachelor of Science from The Wharton School of Business, concentrating in Finance. During his time at Penn,

James served as the Captain of the Men's Fencing Team and as an Alumni Chair for Penn Theta. James will be living in New York City, working for Goldman Sachs as a Private Equity Analyst in their Alternative Investments and Manager Selection (AIMS) Group.



### Krish Bhavnani

Krish is graduating with a Bachelor of Arts from the College of Arts and Sciences in Computer Science and Cognitive Science. Krish transferred to Penn after spending a

year at Williams College. At Penn, Krish played on the Squash Team and was a member of Model U.N. Krish will be living in Boston, as an Associate in the Software Strategy Group at EY-Parthenon, Ernst and Young's Management Consulting Group.



### Liam Cook

Liam is graduating with a Bachelor of Arts in Economics from the College of Arts and Sciences. Liam joined Penn Theta his freshman year and was a

member of Model U.N. Upon graduation, Liam will join Deloitte as an Associate in Management Consulting in D.C.



### Emon Daroian

Emon will graduate with a Bachelor of Arts in Health and Societies from the College of Arts and Sciences. At Penn Emon competed on the Varsity Fencing

Team. This past season Emon reached the semi-finals of the NCAA tournament, earning first team All-American honors for the second time in his fencing career. Emon will join Mercer as a consultant in Los Angeles.

### William Fallon



Billy will graduate with a Bachelor of Science from the Wharton School with a concentration in Finance and with a Bachelor of Science from the School of Engineering in

Computer Science. Billy swam for the Varsity Swimming Team during his time at Penn. After graduation, Billy will join Old Mission Capital in Chicago, Illinois as a Quantitative Trading Analyst.



### Harrison Fellheimer

Harrison will graduate with a Bachelor of Arts in Neurobiology and Neurosciences from the College of Arts and Sciences. During his time at Penn, Harrison played

as a goalie on the Men's Varsity Lacrosse Team and served as a Researcher in a variety

of labs and medical centers. Harrison was honored on the Deans List for the 2018-2019 school year. After graduation, Harrison will be a Research Assistant in the Department of Orthopedic Surgery at the University of Pittsburgh. He intends to pursue a career in medicine.



### James Flynn

James is graduating with a Bachelor of Science from the Wharton School with a Concentration in Finance and Business Analytics and a Minor in Political Science. James

earned All-American honors this past season as a member of the Men's Varsity Squash team. Off the court, James is a member of the Friars Senior Society and was awarded Beta Gamma Sigma, an award signifying academic performance in the top 10% of the Wharton Undergraduate class. Upon graduation, James will join Goldman Sachs as an Investment Banking Analyst in their Technology, Media, & Telecommunications Group in New York City.

### Grant Heilman



Grant will graduate with a Bachelors of Science in Economics from The Wharton School concentrating in Real Estate and Finance. During

his time at Penn, Grant served as the House Manager for Penn Theta. Upon graduation Grant will work as an Analyst for Dwight Mortgage Trust in New York City.



### William Kamps

Will will graduate with a Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy, Politics, and Economics from the College of Arts and

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Sciences with a Minor in Urban Real Estate and Development. At Penn he served as a Captain for the Men’s Varsity Swimming Team and as the Project Manager for Penn Theta. Upon graduation he will work as an Analyst for the Red Chalk Group in Chicago.



**Patrick Kordeliski**  
Patrick will graduate with a Bachelor of Science in Economics from The Wharton School, concentrating in Finance and Legal Studies. Patrick served as the Rush Chairman for

Penn Theta in his Sophomore year. Upon graduation Patrick will work as a Financial Analyst for Amazon in Denver, Colorado.



**Johnny Lopez-Ona**  
Johnny will graduate with a Bachelor of Arts in Economics and a Minor in Statistics from the College of Arts and Science. After transferring

from Princeton University, Johnny joined Penn Theta in his Sophomore year. Upon graduation Johnny will work as a Data Analytics Analyst at The Capital Group.



**Michael Mehl**  
Michael will graduate with a Bachelor of Arts in Economics from the College of Arts and Sciences. In Penn Theta, Michael served our Eminent Deputy Archon and Alumni Chair. After graduation, Michael will join Lineaire Group in Miami, a Commercial Real Estate Private Equity and Development Firm.



**Sandro Prospato**  
Sandro will graduate with a Bachelor of Science from The Wharton School in Finance and Entrepreneurship. Sandro served as the long time Social Chair for his class in Penn Theta. He intends to work in New York City as a real estate salesperson.

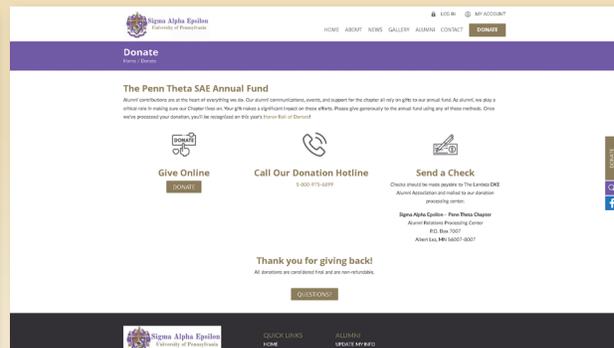
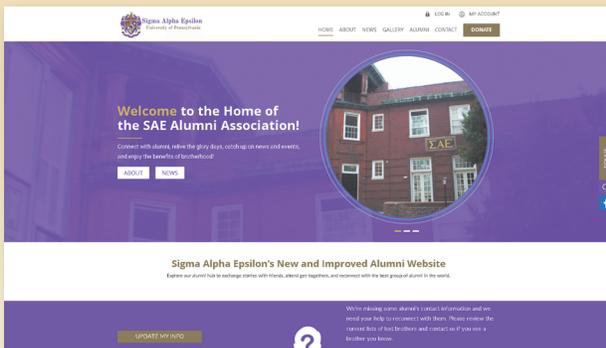


**Will Torgerson**  
Will is graduating with a Bachelor of Arts from the College of Arts and Sciences in Economics. Will played on the Hockey Team at Penn after transferring from the University of Southern California. Will plans to join Bain & Company in Boston as an Associate Consultant in their Mergers and Acquisitions Consulting Group.



**Blake Vastola**  
Blake is graduating with a Bachelor of Arts from the College of Arts and Sciences in Philosophy, Politics, and Economics. At Penn, Blake was on the Heavyweight Rowing Team and played for Men’s Hockey. In Penn Theta, Blake was our Senior Rush Chair this past year.

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