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Mentor Spotlights
SHAKIRAH MUHAMMAD
AASC MENTOR

Check out The Daily Evergreen article on Shakirah Muhammad! Be sure to say hi in the African American student center!

WSU student leads in, out of classroom
Shakirah Muhammad wrote in her second... dailyevergreen.com
This Month’s Events

EVENTS, EVENTS, EVENTS!

Team Mentoring Program

- TMP Alumni Speaker Series
  Tuesday Sept. 29, 2020
  5-6PM
  ZOOM ID: 980 6575 4711
  Passcode: 1212

Conversations With Boeing
Tuesday Sept. 29, 2020
12-2PM
ZOOM ID: 977 2400 6042
Passcode: 200479

Join us September 29
CONVERSATIONS WITH BOEING
PREPARING & APPLYING FOR INTERNSHIPS
With Boeing Representative
Rocky Gutierrez III
737 Production Systems Integration Manager

12:00 – 1:00 pm
Resume Writing & Interviewing Workshop

1:00 – 2:00 pm
One-on-One Resume Critique

Team Mentoring Program
Multicultural Student Services; College of Agricultural, Human and Natural Resources Sciences; Voiland College of Engineering and Architecture; College of Arts and Sciences; College of Veterinary Medicine.
Sponsored by BOEING and Washington Research Foundation

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African American Student Center

- "How can I better manage my time with classes and
Facilitator: Academic Success and Career Center
Host: African American Student Center
Tuesday, September 29, 2020
4:00pm
(https://wsu.zoom.us/j/94915869242
Meeting ID: 949 1586 9242)

- "A Better Way to Write a Resume"
Facilitator: Academic Success and Career Center
Host: African American Student Center
Wednesday, September 30, 2020
4:00pm
https://wsu.zoom.us/j/94314064676
Meeting ID: 943 1406 4676

Native American Student Center

- NAWA: Hosting bi-weekly meetings,
next meeting Friday Oct. 9 @ 5 P.M.
- Ku-Ah-Mah:-Bi-weekly meetings,
next meeting Friday the 2nd of
October @ 5 P.M.
- APiO:-Pie a PI” Bingo fundraiser
9/29 Tuesday at 6 P.M

FIRST FRIDAY FEED

BBQ Chicken Provided
By Loco Grinz

First come first serve contactless pick-up outside
Cleveland Hall under the walking bridge connecting
Cleveland Hall to NE College Ave.

You must email Joelle your WSU attestation form
when picking up food.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2ND
11:00AM - 1:00PM
CLEVELAND HALL

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Each of the nine (9) NPHC organizations evolved during a period when African Americans were being denied essential rights and privileges afforded others. Racial isolation on predominantly white campuses and social barriers of class on all campuses created a need for African Americans to align themselves with other individuals sharing common goals and ideals. With the realization of such a need, the African American (Black) Greek-lettered organization movement took on the personae of a haven and outlet, which could foster brotherhood and sisterhood in the pursuit to bring about social change through the development of social programs that would create positive change for Black people and the country. Today the need remains the same. The primary purpose and focus of NPHC member organizations remains community awareness and action through educational, economic, and cultural service activities.

**What is the National Pan-Hellenic Council?**

The purpose of the NPHC shall be to foster cooperative actions of its members in dealing with matters of mutual concern. To this end, the NPHC promotes the well-being of its affiliate fraternities and sororities, facilitates the establishment and development of local councils of the NPHC and provides leadership training for its constituents.

- Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.
- Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.
- Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.
- Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.
- Iota Phi Theta Fraternity, Inc.
- Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc.
- Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc.
- Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.
- Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.
NPHC at WSU
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. – Xi Psi Chapter

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated is a private, not-for-profit organization whose purpose is to provide assistance and support through established programs in local communities throughout the world. Since its founding more than 200,000 women have joined the organization. The organization is a sisterhood of predominantly Black, college educated women. The sorority currently has 1,000 collegiate and alumnae chapters located in the United States, England, Japan (Tokyo and Okinawa), Germany, the Virgin Islands, Bermuda, the Bahamas, Jamaica and the Republic of Korea.

What does DST stand for you all especially being the only active org on campus?
MT: "Xi Psi is the chapter at WSU and we believe that cross-cultural collaboration and education of black greeks on campus is very important as well as educational awareness at a predominantly white institution."
While there may be no other official chapter here at WSU for the national pan-hellenic council we would like to formally recognize other fraternities and sororities by their alumni here at WSU!

Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.

"My fraternity, Phi Beta Sigma, embodies who I am as a person. I work every day to ensure that everyone feels as if they are a part of the Coug community and PBS was founded to give members a place to feel included regardless to their affluence or background. PBS seeks to create brotherhood amongst those who may be different and come from different backgrounds. Being a member for more than 16 years have encouraged me to continue to seek brotherhood wherever I may land. It has instill a love of scholarship and community service. It gave me a place to be myself! The letters didn’t make me...they helped me to discover the true me.

The history of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity began at Howard University in Washington, D.C., January 9, 1914. It was founded by three young African-American male students, the Honorable A. Langston Taylor, the Honorable Leonard F. Morse, and the Honorable Charles I. Brown. They wanted to organize a Greek letter fraternity that would truly exemplify the ideals of brotherhood, scholarship, and service. This organization viewed itself as “a part of” the general community rather than “apart from” the general community. They believed that each potential member should be judged by his own merits, rather than his family background or affluence...without regard to race, nationality, skin tone or texture of hair. They desired for their fraternity to exist as part of an even greater brotherhood which would be devoted to the “inclusive we” rather than the “exclusive we”.

Allen Sutton, Ed.D
Executive Director
Office of Outreach and Education
Division of Student Affairs
Washington State University
The purpose of Kappa Delta Chi is to promote the traditional values of Unity, Honesty, Integrity, and Leadership among women colleges and universities. We are dedicated to providing services to both the university and the local community, with a special emphasis on the Hispanic/Latino population. We are an ambitious organization and pride ourselves on many devoted hours of community service.

Through numerous service events, sisterhood retreats and academic and cultural workshops, KDChi’s learn more about themselves and each other. They sprout into impacting leaders and help guide the next generation to success. KDChi is a non-traditional sorority full of diverse members and eager young ladies ready to make a difference in their communities. With your sisters, anything is possible.
The purpose of La Hermandad De O eMe Te is a Nahuatl (Aztec) lettered brotherhood is to serve as a support group for its undergraduate membership, encouraging the membership to grow, learn, mature, and eventually graduate with an undergraduate degree.

Culture, Wisdom, Empowerment, Carnalismo

https://oemete.com/
Lambda Phi Epsilon was founded on February 25, 1981, by principal founder Mr. Craig Ishigo and a group of eighteen other dedicated men on the campus of the University of California of Los Angeles. By forming Lambda Phi Epsilon as a new Asian American fraternity, the founders hoped to set new and higher standards of excellence for all Asian-interest organizations to follow. The goal of the founders was to transcend the limitations to which traditional Asian American organizations were subject to facing. Their vision was that the members would eventually become the leaders of their respective communities and bridge the gaps fragmenting the Asian American community through the affiliation with a common organization. Unknowingly, their efforts had set the stage for the emergence of the largest organization of its kind.
The purpose of Lambda Theta Alpha shall be to provide a sisterhood based on unity, love and respect in an effort to foster the development of strong leaders who will then provide and practice political, social and cultural activities. It shall also be the purpose of Lambda Theta Alpha to promote unity through charitable and educational programs, maintain a higher standard of learning and serve as a voice for all students.

"Latin By Tradition Not by Definition"
"Universal Women. Redefining Sisterhood"
"Women there are Many, Ladies there are Few"

@lta_zetasigma  http://lambdalady.org/
Omega Delta Phi Fraternity, Inc.

Omega Delta Phi came to WSU in September of 1997, when twelve men of vision came together to form an organization that would serve the surrounding community. In November of 1997, Upsilon Chapter was recognized nationally by Omega Delta Phi Fraternity, Inc. Due to the hard work and dedication of these twelve men, it is now possible for individuals to develop into gentlemen with the values of unity, honesty, integrity, and leadership.

"Crescit Eundo"

"It grows as it goes"
Sigma Lambda Beta Fraternity is a social fraternity that was founded in 1986 at the University of Iowa. It is based on cultural understanding and wisdom. Most noteworthy is that 18 men of whom 16 were of Latin American or Hispanic origin/descent founded Sigma Lambda Beta. We believe in the principles of fairness, opportunity and in the equality of all men regardless of their race, culture or ethnicity. Our biggest goal is to see that society can realize the importance of these three principles. In order to achieve this goal, we all strive to model these behaviors and present ourselves in a gentlemanly and educated fashion.
Sigma Lambda Gamma was established on April 9, 1990 at the University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa. The creation of our sisterhood began with a vision to create and provide a network of academic and social support for Latina women. Since that time, the organization has evolved to become the largest, historically Latina based national sorority with a multicultural membership. On the beautiful day of March 25, 2010, Washington State University was recognized as a colony of Sigma Lambda Gamma and on May 9th, 2012 was granted chapter status. The WSU chapter has established itself on campus by promoting the sorority’s 5 principles and philanthropies.

“Culture is Pride, Pride is Success”

@wazzugammas  https://sigmalambdagamma.com/