

2022-2023

Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Advisory Commission (DEIAC)



CORI GILBERT WALLACE, CHAIR (she/her/hers)
Delta Omega-William Woods | Engagement Director

Cori is the Engagement Director for Della Lamb Community Services, a 125-year-old agency serving low-income and immigrant/refugee families in Kansas City. Cori is a former International Vice President: Alumnae (now Council Trustee: Alumnae) as well as a former Vice President: Communications (now Council Trustee: Communications). She is currently serving on the 2020-2022 Nominating Committee. She is a current member of the Greater Kansas City alumnae chapter. Cori has served three Delta Gamma collegiate chapters as an adviser in the areas of membership, Panhellenic, rituals, public relations and finance, is a five-time Chapter Recruitment Consultant (CRC). She is the current CRC for Theta Gamma-UNC-Wilmington, the interim advisory team chairman for Delta Zeta-Memphis, and Delta Omega-William Woods's membership adviser. She also serves two other fraternal organizations as the membership adviser for the Sigma Sigma Sigma National Sorority chapter at the University of Missouri and as the Chapter Counselor for Beta Theta Pi at Rockhurst University. Cori was a Collegiate Development Consultant immediately following graduation. She has her Psi Woman designation and has visited more than 55 collegiate chapters. Interfraternally, she previously served on Gamma Phi Beta's Belonging and Inclusion Task Force. She was recognized in 2011 with Beta Theta Pi Fraternity's Interfraternalism Award. Cori's community service includes a current board seat at Flourish Furnishings, prior service on the boards of the Delta Gamma Center for Children with Visual Impairments in St. Louis and the Junior League of St. Louis. She currently resides in Kansas City, MO.



ROBERT ALBERTS (he/him/they/them)
Beta Theta Pi | Shelter and Housing Services Supervisor

Robert is a member of Beta Theta Pi and serves his fraternity as the Chapter Counselor at the University of Iowa and serves Alpha Sigma Phi as their Grand Chapter Advisor. Robert also serves Gamma Phi Beta as their Belonging, Equity, Diversity and Inclusion Team Leader supporting Gamma Phi Beta's collegians and volunteers across the US and Canada. In Robert's current role, they currently work as the Shelter and Housing Services supervisor for Family Resources Inc. They run a shelter for survivors/victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, human trafficking and homicide and other violent crimes. They also supervise about 15 social workers who provide case management and supportive services for survivors throughout four counties in Iowa and three counties in Illinois.





LINDSAY CHARTERS (she/her/hers)

Eta Tau-Christopher Newport | Coordinator for Fraternity & Sorority Life

Lindsay holds a bachelor's degree in psychology from Christopher Newport University and a master's degree in higher education administration from North Carolina State University. She currently serves as the Coordinator for Fraternity & Sorority Life at Coastal Carolina University (CCU). In her role she is the primary advisor for the College Panhellenic Council and Order of Omega, while also working closely with a portfolio of presidents across all three councils – College Panhellenic Council, Interfraternity Council and the National Pan-Hellenic Council. In addition, she sits on the Access, Inclusion and Diversity Council at Coastal Carolina. Lindsay brings teaching

experience at the collegiate level from both North Carolina State and CCU as well as a background in K-12 pedagogy, experience with curriculum development, and a passion for educational equity and accessibility efforts. Previously, she also worked professionally at Christopher Newport University, on staff in their President's Leadership Program. In the volunteer realm, Lindsay currently serves as a chapter adviser in the areas of member education and Honor Board for multiple Delta Gamma chapters in Region 2. She is a proud member of Eta Tau-Christopher Newport.



RACHEL CHRISTINE (she/her/hers)

Gamma Phi Beta | Senior Consumer Operations Professional

Rachel currently serves as their Belonging and Inclusion Co-Chairwoman, Alumnae Chapter Specialist Team Leader and Recruitment Advisor. Her education emphasis has been on equity and inclusion in healthcare in the United States; viewed through the lens of acceptance of truth behind modern medicine and acknowledgment of the part Black humans played in its development. She currently works in federal healthcare compliance, where she coordinates with care teams across the country advocating for and improving access and quality of care for those who need it most.



LAUREN FIELDER (she/her/hers)

Beta-Washington | Membership, Diversity and Inclusion Coordinator

Lauren is a Washington native who graduated from the University of Washington, where she earned her bachelor's degree in medical anthropology. Currently, Lauren works at the Washington State Medical Association as their Membership, Diversity and Inclusion Coordinator. In her role, she strives to create more inclusive programs for physicians of color with aim of diversifying physician leadership across the state. Lauren has a background working with marginalized groups and has spent time abroad in Greece, working in research with the Roma population. She has a passion for making healthcare more accessible and equitable and plans on

returning to the University of Washington this fall, to pursue a master's degree in health informatics.





ELIZABETH ELIA MCKINNIS (she/her/hers)
Epsilon Nu-James Madison | Master of Divinity Candidate

Elizabeth is a Master of Divinity student at Campbell University, an aspiring chaplain and an autistic Christian. She graduated from James Madison University in 2020, where she studied social justice through education policy and was heavily involved in the Alternative Break Program. Her role as an Alternative Break Leader and the Alternative Spring Break Coordinator with the office of Community Service-Learning allowed her opportunities to learn about and facilitate discussions on social justice, equity, privilege and oppression, and inclusion. Before beginning at Campbell she worked as a Fellow with the Coalition for Christian Outreach in Memphis, Tennessee.

While there, she ministered to college students and created a workbook on Racial Reconciliation for White Christians. She is an initiate of the Epsilon Nu chapter of Delta Gamma and served as their vp: Foundation in 2018. Elizabeth currently lives in Sanford, NC with her husband and two dogs. She is an adviser for Eta Kappa-North Carolina State, a volunteer with the Interfaith Prison Ministry for Women and an advocate for inclusive faith with her blog The Christian Autistic.



PAIGE FURLAN (she/her/hers)
Alpha Phi-British Columbia | Director of Social Media and Public Relations

Paige is joining the Commission from the traditional, ancestral and unceded territory of the Musqueam, Squamish and Tsleil-Waututh peoples - Vancouver, BC. She earned her bachelor's degree in philosophy and creative writing from the University of British Columbia and is currently studying Full Stack Web Development at Lighthouse Labs. Throughout her time at University, Paige held leadership roles in Delta Gamma, Panhellenic Council, Order of Omega, Student Alumni Council and the Arts Undergraduate Society. Professionally, she is part of the Little Business Library, a women-owned and-run small business platform. In her spare time, she enjoys

embracing her inner foodie, listening to podcasts and volunteering for a local non-profit. Paige looks forward to aiding in the development of the Commissions' diversity, equity and inclusion strategies.



DIANA RUGH JOHNSON (she/her/hers)
Epsilon Kappa-Clemson | Court Improvement Program Director

Diana is an attorney with over 15 years of experience in child welfare, custody, adoption and disability law, who currently serves as the Director of the Court Improvement Program for the state of Georgia. She is a former Judge Pro Tempore for the Juvenile Court of DeKalb County, member of the Steering Committee of the American Bar Association's National Alliance for Parent Representation, and she was one of the first attorneys in Georgia to be certified by the National Association of Counsel for Children as a Child Welfare Law Specialist. Diana earned her bachelor's degree in sociology and master's degree in biochemistry from Clemson University and her Juris

Doctorate from the Georgia State University College of Law. She serves as Honor Board Adviser for her Delta Gamma chapter of initiation, Epsilon Kappa.





WYNDE JONES (she/her/hers)
Delta Pi-Southern Mississippi | Educator

Wynde firmly believes in the transformative power of education both inside and outside of the classroom. Her over 25 years in higher education are grounded by her passion for making a difference in the lives of students. Wynde is the Assistant Vice President for Student Connections at The University of Southern Mississippi where she has gained valuable experience supervising Fraternity and Sorority Life, Multicultural Programs, the Center for Community Engagement and Leadership and Student Involvement. Her prior position as the Senior Associate Dean of Students provided a background in student organization advising and served as the chief

conduct officer. Positions as the co-chair of the behavioral intervention team and member of the Title IX investigation team allowed her to serve students in important ways. Wynde has additional experience with crisis management, student leadership and social justice. In addition to her current experiences, previous professional posts have provided her the opportunity to gain a diversified background in facility management, event planning, student organization management and student retention.

Wynde had advised, taught and mentored thousands of college students over her career in higher education. She is a Jackson, MS, native who earned both bachelor's and master's degrees at Southern Mississippi, and recently completed her doctorate in human capital development. Wynde has held a variety of positions on boards of directors, councils, coalitions and committees where she has served others. Wynde has been an adviser, house corporation member and involved alumnae with her local Delta Gamma chapter for nearly thirty years.



DR. SHANNON MCLOUGHLIN MORRISON (she/her/they)
Beta Zeta-Denison | Assistant Director Academics and Assessment

Shannon is the Assistant Director of Academics and Assessment at The Ohio State University in the Center for Aviation Studies. She holds a doctorate in education policy and leadership and graduates degrees in women's studies, public policy and education. Shannon is an initiate of the Beta Zeta chapter at Denison University. Shannon developed the Global Conference on Diversity in Aviation, Aerospace and STEM for educators, students and industry professionals to gather and learn about how to create and sustain more inclusive and equitable climates in the aviation industry.

This conference is the longest-running of its kind in the aviation industry and has had speakers and support from organizations like Boeing, United, Lockheed Martin, among many others. Shannon is actively trying to create a more diverse, inclusive and equitable aviation industry through her conference, her board membership in the Aviation Accreditation Board, International and her research interests, including her book (in progress) "Women of Color in the Aviation Industry."





WHITNEY TERRILL (she/her/hers)
Lambda-Minnesota

Whitney is well-positioned to contribute with over 12 years of professional experience in finance, sustainability, government and higher education. In her professional capacities, Whitney is known for both her advocacy and training in diversity, equity and inclusion, especially anti-racism in public and private sectors. Whitney has benefited greatly from transformative academic experiences, including receiving her undergraduate degree from Hampton University and executive certificates in conversation and environmental sustainability from Columbia University and in social impact strategies from the University of Pennsylvania.



VERONICA VOLL (she/her/hers)
Zeta Rho-Ohio | Learning Experience Designer

Veronica is a dedicated learning and development practitioner who is passionate about creating cultures where people of all identities feel a strong sense of value, psychological safety and belonging. As an empathetic and compassionate disruptor, she is committed to centering the voices of those who hold identities that have been historically marginalized by creating opportunities for growth through conversations around inclusion, intersectionality, empathy and equity. Veronica's diverse professional background includes women's reproductive and sexual healthcare advocacy, non-governmental organization and non-profit work, higher education, technology and is currently in DEI strategy.

Veronica holds a master's degree in higher education administration from George Washington University, a graduate certificate in diversity, equity and inclusion in the workplace from the University of South Florida and a bachelor's degree in journalism with a certificate in women's and gender studies from Ohio University. She loves spending time with her family, traveling the world, and enjoying a craft beer or two in her spare time.

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This group is supported by staff and volunteer liaisons Fraternity Director: Chapter Development Molly Marie Peirano, Epsilon-Ohio State, Fraternity Director: Alumnae Development Vanessa Milara Alzate, Epsilon Psi-Rutgers, and Director of Education and Development Kendall Niccum, Tau-Iowa.

