



MEET THE 2022-2024 Fraternity Council

Fraternity President

Dr. Amy R. Ayres, Alpha Iota-Oklahoma (she/her/hers)

Dr. Amy Ayres serves as Vice President for Student Affairs and Deputy Title IX Coordinator at Oklahoma City University. With 25 years of experience in higher education, Amy has made it her life's work to support and develop college students through student success initiatives that create and foster a sense of belonging and connection. She received her Doctor of Education degree at the University of North Texas, after completing dissertation research titled "College Student Adaptability and Greek Membership." After almost 20 years in the Lone Star state, serving students at UNT and the University of Texas at Arlington, Amy returned home to the Sooner state.

Born and raised in small-town Oklahoma, Amy has a genuine appreciation for what sorority membership can do for young women of all backgrounds. Amy and her wife Nicole live in Oklahoma City with their tribe of dogs and cats and enjoy concert going and supporting locally-owned shops and restaurants.

Amy is currently completing her first term on the Fraternity Council as Council Trustee: Collegians. She was chapter president while at OU and then traveled for the Fraternity for two years as a Collegiate Development Consultant. Amy's Delta Gamma involvement also includes: Fraternity Director: Chapter Development, Region 6 Director, Regional Collegiate Recruitment Specialist, Fraternity Director: Panhellenic Resources, Regional Collegiate Specialist, Council Appointed Coordinator, and Lewis Institute facilitator. She's also received the Fraternity's Outstanding Panhellenic Advisor Award and supported NPC as a National Panhellenic Conference Area Advisor.





Council Trustee: Collegians
Joanna Rosenow Shook, Alpha Upsilon-Southern Methodist (she/her/hers)

Joanna has served on Council as Trustee: Fraternity Programming and Trustee: Collegians. Her Delta Gamma experience includes Region 3 Director, Region 3 Nominating Committee representative, Fraternity Director of Collegiate Chapter Operations, Region Collegiate Specialist, Alumnae Development Consultant, Foundation Trustee and numerous advisory team and alumnae group officer positions. She is a proud recipient of the Cable Award.

Joanna began her career as a marketing professional, specializing in event planning and grassroots community outreach. She has led marketing efforts for companies of varied scope and size, from the Super Bowl to a neighborhood bookstore, and has contributed public relations and fundraising expertise to two non-profit organizations.

A lifelong love of being active led Joanna to obtain certifications in group fitness, nutrition and health coaching. Joanna is an Orangetheory Fitness studio manager, where she has coached for nearly a decade. She created and hosts her own nutrition and wellness platform, CuppaJo. She and her husband, Jim, live in the Atlanta area and have two children, Mattingly (Alpha Delta Pi) and Dallas (Kappa Sigma).



Council Trustee: Alumnae
Vanessa Milara Alzate, Epsilon Psi-Rutgers (she/her/ella)

Vanessa is an initiate of Epsilon Psi-Rutgers. There, she received her Bachelor of Arts in Communication and Political Science. She later received her Master of Science in Corporate and Organizational Communication from Northeastern University.

Vanessa has served Delta Gamma as the president of the Central New Jersey alumnae chapter, Region 1 Alumnae Specialist and Director: Alumnae Development. As Director: Alumnae Development, she has had the privilege to support and oversee the Alumnae Advisory Board (AAB) and Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Advisory Commission (DEIAC). She has also served as the Vice President of the Central New Jersey Panhellenic alumnae association and as a National Panhellenic Conference Area Advisor. Vanessa is currently serving as a mentor for the Rutgers Panhellenic Council's Coalition for Women of Color, and as a consultant for the Rutgers Panhellenic Council's DEI Chairs.

Vanessa is the Founder and CEO of Anchored Training, a growing firm that specializes in instructional design and corporate training solutions for organizations ranging from pharma to fashion. In this role, she can leverage her dynamic skills in front of a classroom to create blended learning programs that integrate both traditional and non-traditional learning solutions.

Outside of her work professionally, and for Delta Gamma, Vanessa is typically found running her daughters, Giselle and Gianna, from the doctor's office to dance class and everywhere else in between. She has a true love for her home state of New Jersey but can typically be found trying to convince her husband, Jon, that Miami is their forever home.





Council Trustee: Fraternity Programming
Molly Peirano, Epsilon-Ohio State (she/her/hers)

Molly strives to live a life of purpose focused on access and equity. Professionally, Molly has worked in higher education for ten years. She serves as the Assistant Vice President for Civil Rights & Title IX at the University of South Carolina. Molly prides herself in serving her constituents and was honored in 2020 and 2021 with the Excellence in Collaboration Staff Award presented by the Student Government at The Ohio State University.

Molly is a Hope Award recipient and initiate of Epsilon-Ohio State, where she started her lifelong service to Delta Gamma as a collegiate officer, including vp: programming. Since then, she served as a Collegiate Development Consultant and an alumnae president in both Columbus, OH and Columbia, SC. Currently, Molly is the Fraternity

Director: Chapter Development. She is passionate about championing the voices of all members and supports the Collegiate Advisory Board and the Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Advisory Commission. Molly is dedicated to creating learning moments for members of all ages and has facilitated Lewis Institutes, Alcohol Skills Training Programs and other programs. Molly has contributed to various Fraternity and Foundation committees and is eager to continue to say “yes” to serving our sisterhood.

Molly volunteered as a hospital-based advocate for survivors of sexual violence for six years and was named the 2018 Community Partner of the Year by the Sexual Assault Response Network of Central Ohio. Molly serves on the YWCA Columbus Endowment Trust Board, supporting the mission of eliminating racism and empowering women.



Council Trustee: Membership
Stephanie Latza Brown, Delta Pi-Southern Mississippi
(she/her/hers)

Stephanie is an initiate of the Delta Pi chapter of Delta Gamma at the University of Southern Mississippi. Stephanie holds a B.A. from Southern Miss and an M.A. in educational leadership from Marymount University in Arlington, Virginia. She is currently pursuing her EdD with an emphasis in innovation and leadership through St. Thomas University. Stephanie currently lives in Jackson, Mississippi, with her husband and best friend, Andrew, and their two boys, Mac and Charlie Brown.

Professionally, Stephanie serves as a Regional Director for Cognia, the world's largest K-12 accrediting agency, and school improvement network. In this role, she supports schools and school districts in Mississippi and Arkansas in their accreditation and continuous improvement efforts.

As a volunteer for Delta Gamma, Stephanie has served as a membership adviser, co-advisory team chairman, Regional Collegiate Recruitment Specialist and currently serves as the Fraternity Director: Collegiate Recruitment Operations. Stephanie served as a Collegiate Development Consultant, where she was named the Baynard Consultant. This honor allowed her to provide ongoing support to the Fraternity's newest chapter, Eta Sigma-Charleston. In addition, it offered her the opportunity to be an active participant in the return of Beta Psi-Alabama.





Council Trustee: Communications **Corey Williams, Zeta Phi-Harvard (she/her/hers)**

Born in Alabama and a cum laude graduate of Zeta Phi-Harvard, Corey (she/her/hers) has always been driven by authentic connection between people and communicating across differences. Her three guiding principles - that authentic kindness requires truth, that empathy for ourselves and others is foundational to connection and that healing relationships are possible - have guided her work and her life.

While a collegian, Corey served on Zeta Phi's collegiate membership team and as vp: Panhellenic. In recent years Corey has presented and facilitated conversations around diversity and inclusion with her Delta Gamma sisters. In 2020 she served on the racial equity committee.

She's held a wide range of positions - from management consulting to technology marketing, event planning to magazine publishing. Today, she spends her time helping organizations and individuals value diverse identities and create cultures of belonging. Corey is a speaker and a contributor to a variety of podcasts and radio programs on subjects of parenting, equity, gender violence, sexual assault and healing.

Corey identifies as a Black, bisexual woman. She lives in Chapel Hill, North Carolina with her four children, her partner and two very small, very loud dogs.



Fraternity Treasurer **Susan Meyer Kornegay, Eta-Akron (she/her/hers)**

Susan Kornegay's life was impacted significantly when she was elected treasurer by her Eta-Akron sisters, resulting in her shift from teaching high school French and English to what became a 38-year career as a successful financial planner, branch and complex manager, home office executive, coaching and consulting business owner.

Many life, business and Delta Gamma experiences have fostered her growth in knowledge, skills, perspective, compassion and wisdom.

Life experiences: First-generation college student. The United States Air Force wife. Jason and Adam's mom. Has lived in eight states & Guam. M.A. Biblical Studies. Lost Jason seven years after his brain injury. Breast cancer survivor. Clarence Brown Theatre Society supporter. Proud "gram" of Abby and Benjamin. Novice RVer.

Business experiences: Financial advising and investment management (Dean Witter). Certified Financial Planner™ certification. Branch management (Prudential Securities). Started practice management consulting programs (Wachovia Securities & Loring Ward). Launched Pathfinder Coaching and Consulting with son Adam. Helped establish "The Sky's the Limit" women advisors' conferences and Kingdom Advisors Women's Community.

Delta Gamma experiences: Alumnae group member in six states. House corporation president & treasurer (Alpha Epsilon re-establishment). COA for Gamma Alpha when they moved into their new house. As Regional Finance Specialist helped launch greekbill 2.0 and revised the Collegiate Finance Handbook. Facilitated at February and Lewis Institutes. Longtime Foundation supporter including concept and funding for the Personal Finance DG dialogue and library. Cable Award recipient. Honored to lead the outstanding Region 2 team through the challenges of COVID-19, Abolish Greek Life Movement and Diversity, Equity and Inclusion. 50-year member. Loyal Anchored. Grateful.

