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EVENTS

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**08.01.23 – 08.05.23**

[74<sup>th</sup> Grand Council](#)

**Houston, Texas**

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**Executive Council  
Actions have  
been posted in  
GreekTrack**

Want to stay up to date on what your Executive Council has been discussing and voting on each month?

Check out the actions approved during each Executive Session posted on GreekTrack.

# THE e-COMMUNICATOR

OF THE PHI DELTA CHI FRATERNITY

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## GRAND COUNCIL 2023: REGISTRATION ENDS JULY 15<sup>TH</sup>!



The 74th Grand Council in 2023 will occur on August 1st through August 5th in Houston, Texas! Educational sessions for students, continuing education sessions for alumni, setting policy, electing our next generation of leaders, and strengthening fraternal bonds highlight the event.

The 74th Grand Council will be held at the modern Westin Galleria Houston in the heart of Texas.

**The special convention room rate is \$167/night + tax**  
(The cost of registration does not include your [hotel room](#).)

**Reservations must be received on or before Friday, July 14, 2023.**

The hotel has complimentary on-site parking.

**Registration runs until July 15<sup>th</sup>:**

|                          | <u>Collegiate</u> | <u>Alumni</u> |
|--------------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| <b>Full registration</b> | \$425             | \$500         |
| <b>Banquet only</b>      | \$100             | \$100         |
| <b>Alumni weekend</b>    | N/A               | \$300         |

Check out our [FAQ](#) for answers to your Grand Council Questions!



[Grand Council T-Shirt & Tank Top](#)

**Full registration includes:** Tuesday night ice cream social | Wednesday breakfast and lunch, Thursday breakfast and lunch | Friday breakfast and lunch, Saturday breakfast, lunch, and banquet





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## GRAND COUNCIL CONTINUING EDUCATION TOPICS:

**Thrombocytopenia: When You Really Can't Take a Punch**  
Presented by Pamiz Alibhai (Alpha Rho)

**Not So Fast, NMDA!**  
**New Drug Updates in Major Depressive Disorder**  
Presented by Kevin Bozymski (Alpha Phi)

**Change is Inevitable:**  
**Updates in the Management of HIV Therapy**  
Presented by Dena Dillon (Alpha)

**Who Am I? An interactive exploration of the many facets of identity**  
Presented by Kate Grafel (Phi)

**To Market, To Market - A Review of Small Molecule FDA Approvals in 2022**  
Presented by Kirk Hevener (Omega)

**Pediatric Medication Adherence**  
Presented by Joseph LaRochelle (Iota)

**Can You Fill a Prescription for My Pet? Veterinary Pharmacy Basics for the Practicing Pharmacist**  
Presented by Thomas Magnifico (Beta Gamma)

**Sweet Solutions: Summary of New Diabetes Technologies and Guideline Updates**  
Presented by Jacob Northrup (Gamma Pi) and Bryon Garrety (Beta Beta)

**Cultural Competency in Action: Implications for Database Design**  
Presented by Julia Olson (Alpha Nu)

**Advances in Diabetes Management: A Focus on Medicines Revolutionizing Diabetes**  
Presented by Chris Westrick (Alpha Upsilon)



### POLICY TOPICS

The following are the [policy development topics](#) to be discussed at Grand Council 2023 in Houston, Texas.

Organizational Affairs:  
National Alumni Dues  
Constitutional  
Amendment: 2023-01-01

Organizational Affairs:  
National Dues  
Adjustment, GPP  
Addition: 2023-01-02

Organizational Affairs:  
Collegiate Dues Increase:  
2023-01-03

Organizational Affairs:  
Alumni Dues Increase:  
2023-01-04

Collegiate Affairs:  
Expulsion Amendment:  
2023-02-01

Collegiate Affairs:  
Coeducational DEI  
Constitutional  
Amendment:  
2023-02-02



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**HOW TO BE INVOLVED AT GRAND COUNCIL: PART 1**

**Policy Development Committee Meetings** will be held pre-Grand Council this year.

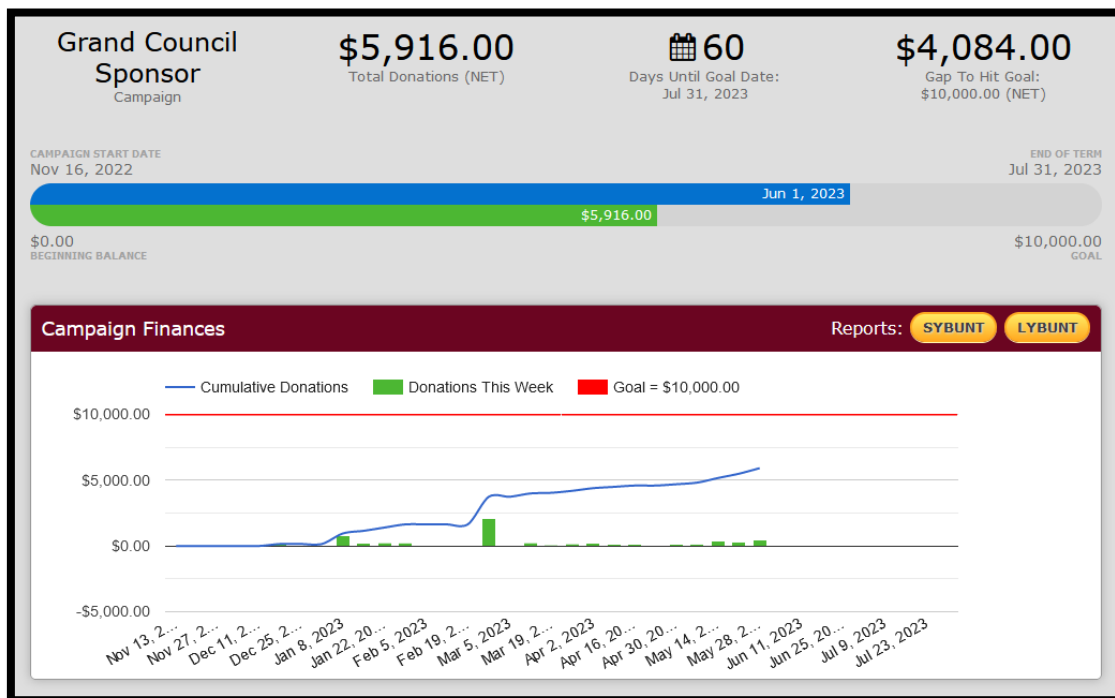
Register by June to have the opportunity to be selected to attend the meetings in July.

By moving these meetings outside of the week of Grand Council it allows for Committee recommendations to be given during the Opening Business Session on Wednesday.

During the Interim Business Session on Friday the voting of the policy topics will occur, rather than waiting until Saturday during the Final Business Session.

There will still be timeslots allotted for the committees to meet during Grand Council if needed.

## BECOME A GRAND COUNCIL SPONSOR TO SUPPORT THE ULTIMATE FRATERNAL EXPERIENCE!



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- Franke Level (up to \$50)**

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## HOW TO BE INVOLVED AT GRAND COUNCIL: PART 2

Grand Officer candidates should [apply](#) for their position by no later than June 15th.

All candidates should review the [Election Procedures document](#).

Each candidate will be interviewed by the Nominations Committee prior to Grand Council during July.

Each candidate will participate in Open Candidate Review which is a Q&A session on Wednesday of Grand Council.

Elections will occur during the Interim Business Session on Friday during Grand Council.

Grand Officer training will occur on Saturday afternoon.



Upon Brother Request  
**PAYMENT PLANS AVAILABLE FOR GRAND COUNCIL 2023**

**WANT TO USE THIS PAYMENT METHOD?  
GO TO PHIDELTACHI.ORG → GC 2023 → REGISTRATION**

COMPLETE REGISTRATION DETAILS...THEN AT CHECKOUT  
1. SELECT ISSUE INVOICE  
2. SEND AN EMAIL TO OFFICE@PHIDELTACHI.ORG REQUESTING A PAYMENT PLAN

**PLEASE NOTE YOUR INVOICE MUST BE PAID IN FULL BEFORE REGISTRATION CLOSES**

FOR OTHER HELPFUL INFORMATION CHECK OUT THE FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS LINK ON THE REGISTRATION HOME PAGE

## 21 CHAPTERS NOT REGISTERED FOR GC 2023



There is still time to register for Grand Council 2023!

Check out [this list](#) to see if your Chapter still needs to register a Brother for the ultimate fraternal experience!

If you would like to sponsor a Chapter to send a Brother to Grand Council please reach out to [office@phideltachi.org](mailto:office@phideltachi.org) for options!



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## HOW TO BE INVOLVED AT GRAND COUNCIL: PART 3

Interested in applying for a Regional Officer position, Project Director, or Grand Officer position?

Submit applications for office on our form [here](#).

Grand Officer role descriptions can be found [here](#).

Regional Officer role descriptions can be found [here](#).

Project Directors role descriptions can be found [here](#).

Grand Officer and Regional Officer candidates should request time off to attend the Officer Training Retreat in the fall (usually September or October) in anticipation of being elected/selected. As soon as the date and details are known they will be announced.

## NEED A ROOMMATE OR RIDE DURING GRAND COUNCIL?!

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## GRAND COUNCIL



**DATE**  
August 1-5



**LOCATION**  
Houston, TX

## Find a roommate or share a ride!

[Cost Sharing Connections Sheet](#)

We have created a [spread sheet](#) that can help Brothers organize who is needing roommate/looking for a room and ride sharing to and from the airport.

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## Check out the Grand Officer Candidates

<https://www.phideltachi.org/grand-officer-candidates>





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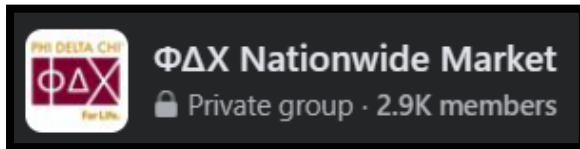
## NEW EPISODES RELEASED MONTHLY

Did you know that Phi Delta Chi has pharmacy residency resources for our Brothers looking to prepare for the application process?

The newest Pharmacy Residency Podcast hosted by Alumni Brother Tony Guerra is posted on the [Phi Delta Chi website](#).

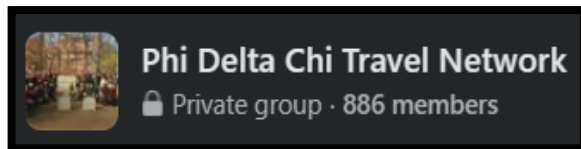
Check out on the YouTube channel – [Tony PharmD](#).

## SOCIAL MEDIA: PHARMACY & PHI DELTA CHI SPOTLIGHTS

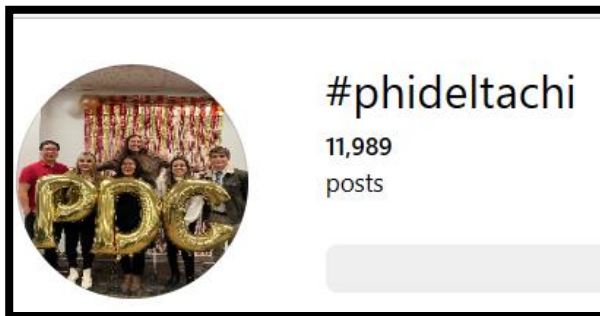


The Phi Delta Chi Nationwide Market is a private Facebook group for Brothers to post merchandise sales, fundraisers, and more!

The PDC Travel Network is a private Facebook group created by the Alpha Chapter to allow Brothers traveling for rotations, professional events, or personal reasons to better connect with Brothers from across the nation.

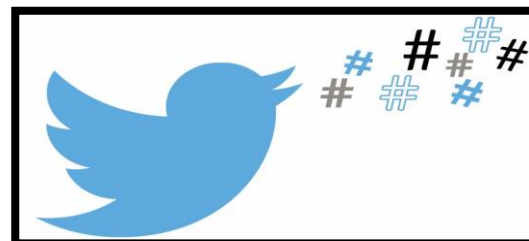


Instagram holds the highest social media presence of our Brothers!

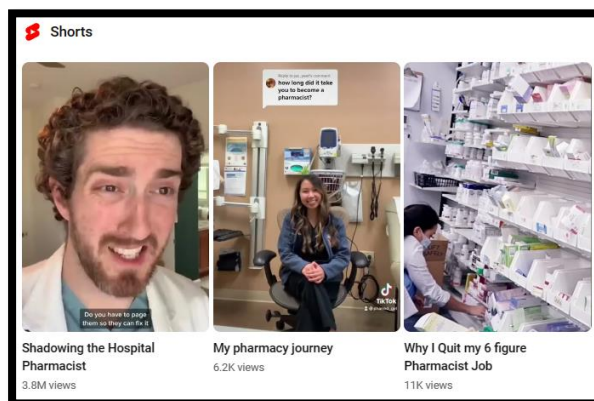


Check out the #phideltachi (which is close to 12k posts) to discover Chapter Instagram pages, Brotherly events, resources, and more! Tag us at @phideltachi to be featured!

On Twitter, hashtags such as #TwitterRx, #Pharmacist, #PharmD are the most popular to connect to pharmacy professionals, students, organizations, and educational resources around the world.



On TikTok and Youtube, you can find a range of pharmacy video content from comedic video shorts to “day in the life” of different specialties to educational pharmaceutical updates.



Type Phi Delta Chi in the search bar to see our Brothers video creations!





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*THE*  
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IS NOW DIGITAL

18TH LEADER-DEVELOPMENT SEMINAR — ARLINGTON, TEXAS

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OF PHI DELTA CHI PHARMACY FRATERNITY  
WINTER 2022



We have heard your desire to have the option to view *The Communicator* virtually and we made it a priority to find a platform that would expand our communications as well as enhance the viewing experience for our Brothers.

I hope you enjoy this issue that highlights the Leader-Development Seminar held in July 2022 and our Brothers' recruitment efforts! Please send any and all suggestions for content for Communicators and e-Communicators to me at [gvpc@phideltachi.org](mailto:gvpc@phideltachi.org).

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**The Alpha Gamma Chapter is selling Recruitment 2023 shirts nationwide for all chapters!**

**Shipping is included in the cost of the shirt. Click the [link](#) to order individually or as a chapter! PLEASE READ ALL OF THE INSTRUCTIONS.**

**Alpha Gamma is taking orders until July 17th.**

## RECRUITMENT T-SHIRT



*3 color options*

\$30 each  
Discounts for bulk orders  
Orders open until July 17th!



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