



Tau Beta Pi Florida Alpha  
University of Florida  
Annual Report 2015-2016



Fellow Tau Bates,

On behalf of the Florida Alpha chapter, we are pleased to present to you our 2015-2016 Annual Report. We hope that this report gives you a glimpse into the enormous growth and improvement our chapter has witnessed over this last year. Our chapter is thrilled to have initiated the Dean of the College of Engineering, Dr. Cammy Abernathy, this year!

**Member involvement dramatically increased** from recent years, likely as a result of dedicating a portion of the Tau Beta Pi Scholarship for Florida Alpha to a scholarship for active members. Chapter **members and electees contributed over 2,800 hours towards our projects**, an increase of 30 hours from 2014-2015! In addition, **a total of 84 new members were initiated!**

The success of our chapter is the direct result of the **28 members that served in officer positions**. These officers helped organize **100 chapter projects**, including many great community service projects such as volunteering at Relay For Life, helping remodel an elementary school, and regularly cleaning up a local road through the Adopt-a-Street Program.

The major focuses for this year were to increase continuity and quality of the officer team while also increasing member involvement and the number of candidates initiated. We were also able to increase the number of projects from last year while also maintaining the same quality in all of our endeavors.

Florida Alpha is honored that our successful year has been recognized by the Benton Engineering Council as the **Most Outstanding Medium Society**. With over 50 engineering student organizations on campus, we are excited to have been recognized!

Our chapter is immensely grateful for the dedication of our officers, advisors and members. All of these individuals were vital towards helping our chapter achieve its goals. It is clear that Florida Alpha has much to look forward to in the upcoming years!

Sincerely,



Thomas Scruggs  
President



Celeste Rousseau  
Vice President

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## Chapter Survey

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Date Submitted to Headquarters: 05/12/2016

Survey Date: 05/12/2016

1. How does your chapter secure class rankings?

- President requests from registrar  
 Advisor requests from registrar  
 Registrar may not release information due to privacy laws  
 School does not rank students

2. What is your chapter's total initiation fee (including national fee of \$39.00)?

Students 100.00

Alumni 45.00

Eminent Engineers 45.00

3. a) How do you notify candidates of their eligibility? (Choose **ALL** that apply)

- Letter     Email     Printed invitation     Personally  
 Facebook or other social networks     University Listserve     Other

Other description: N/A

b) Have you ever tried to personally contact candidates? Yes  No

If No, why not? Our list contains 800+ candidates each semester. It would be nearly impossible to contact them personally. We encourage officers to personally invite eligible students they know, but we do not mandate it.

c) Does your chapter obtain street address information for candidates?

- No     Yes     Street     Email

4. a) How do you notify electees (Choose **ALL** that apply)

- Letter     Email     Printed invitation     Personally

Other description: N/A

b) Have you ever tried to personally contact candidates? Yes  No

If No, why not? Election is halfway in the semester so students have completed some requirements. At this point, all electees are sure they want to join, personally contacting them wouldn't add a major benefit, and would add extra burden to officers.

5. Do you require project work...  
to become a member? Yes  No   
If Yes, how many hours? 6
- to remain as an active member? Yes  No   
If Yes, how any hours? 4
6. Did your chapter send a letter to candidates/electees/parents from your dean?  
Yes  No  If Yes, what was the reaction? If No, why not? A few candidates joined because their parents contacted them about the letter. For the most part, candidates join because of the emailed invitation.
7. Did your chapter use the invitations available from Headquarters? Yes  No   
If Yes, what was the reaction? If No, why not? We have an extremely large eligibility list of over 800+ candidates each semester.
8. Was your chapter able to initiate "one more" electee than the previous year?  
Yes  No  If Yes, what was the reaction? If No, why not? We are very happy to have initiated 10 more electees than last year!
9. Do you talk to freshman/sophomore engineering students? Yes  No   
If No, why not? N/A
10. How many meetings did your chapter have this year?  
Advisory Board: 2 Initiation: 2 Business: 23 Social: 28
11. How many chapter members attend meetings on the average?  
Advisory Board: 3 Initiation: 12 Business: 45 Social: 10
12. What action does your chapter take against a member for non-attendance?  
 Fined  Reprimand  Declare Inactive  Nothing
13. a) How many advisors does your chapter have? 5
- b) How many are active? 5
- c) How informed are your advisors concerning your chapter's condition and activities?   
Well  Moderately  Poorly

14. If someone on your campus was asked if they knew what Tau Beta Pi is, what would the answer most likely be? Yes  No
15. How well do members of your community know about Tau Beta Pi?  
 Very  Somewhat  Slightly  Not at all
16. Are projects and programs of your chapter given publicity? Yes  No
17. Are new initiates given public recognition? Yes  No   
 If No, why not? We've been dealing with FERPA regulations. Hopefully will be able to give new initiates public recognition in future semesters.
18. Does your chapter upload images from your activities? Yes  No   
 If yes, provide the URL (Facebook, Flickr, Website, etc.)  
<https://www.facebook.com/uftbp/?fref=ts>
19. Do retiring officers communicate duties and responsibilities to their successors? Yes   
 No
20. Is there an active Tau Beta Pi alumni chapter in your vicinity? Yes  No   
 If so, do the two chapters cooperate? N/A
21. Do you communicate with your chapter alumni? Yes  No   
 If so, do you invite local alumni, including faculty, to special chapter functions?  
 Yes  No
22. a) Would you participate in a monthly TBP mentor program? Yes  No   
 b) How would you prefer to meet with your mentor?  
 Phone  In person  LinkedIn  
 Email  An App  Other: skype
23. Does your chapter have a current and functioning website? Yes  No   
 If yes, what is the URL? www.uftbp.com
24. Do you read the quarterly publication of *The Bulletin* on the website? Yes  No
25. a) Did your chapter participate in any of the following programs? (Choose **ALL** that apply)  
 Engineering Futures  G.I.G.  Laureate  District  
 Outstanding Advisor  Distinguished Alumnus  K-12 MindSET  
 McDonald Mentor  Tutoring/other K-12 activities



b) To what extent in the Districts/Engineering Futures Programs? (Choose **ALL** that apply)

- Attended District conference     Invited Director to initiation  
 Hosted EF session     Attended EF session elsewhere  
 Communicated with District Dir.

26. How many projects did your chapter conduct this year? 100

27. Do you read the monthly eNotes? Yes  No   
In No, why not? N/A

28. Did your chapter celebrate Pi Day? Yes  No   
If Yes, What activity did you do? Second annual Pi Day 5k, which was well attended.

How can Pi Day be improved for next year? More advertising.

29. Did a district director visit your chapter this year? Yes  No   
If Yes, who? N/A

Comments about District Director and/or District Program? Very knowledgeable and helpful!

30. What Tau Beta Pi member benefits did your chapter members enjoy? Fellowship and scholarship program, insurance, The Bent, Engineering Futures workshops, community experience, professional development (specifically our Corporate Dinner), and TBP merchandise (such as t-shirts).

31. What new member benefits would you like to have as a member? While the networking opportunities within TBP are great, it would be great to see industry jobs and graduate opportunities advertised in a more accessible way (i.e. online job board that requires membership to access).

32. Name of person submitting survey? Thomas Scruggs

## Officers

	<b>Fall 2015</b>	<b>Spring 2016</b>
<b>President</b>	Thomas Scruggs	Thomas Scruggs
<b>Vice President</b>	Celeste Rousseau	Celeste Rousseau
<b>Recording Secretary</b>	Felipe Lenz	Felipe Lenz
<b>Corresponding Secretary</b>	Michael Shang	Michael Shang
<b>Treasurer</b>	Matthew Harwood	Matthew Harwood
<b>Historian</b>	Unfilled	Surya C Dhulipala
<b>Vice Presidents of Electees</b>	Jessica Matthews	Jessica Matthews
	Nikki Weiss	Nikki Weiss
<b>Graduate Coordinator</b>	Shannon Brown	Shannon Brown
<b>Service Coordinators</b>	Kaitlynn Olczak	Michael Everette
	Ryan St. Pierre	Jacob Morrison
	Kimmai Tran	Jiajun Lei
<b>Social Coordinators</b>	Colton Weimerskirch	Colton Weimerskirch
<b>Communications Chair</b>	Ben Schwaller	Ben Schwaller
<b>Webmaster</b>	Chad Spreadbury	Chad Spreadbury
<b>GatorTRAX Chairs</b>	Matthew Moraguez	Matthew Moraguez
	Kiersten Wang	Kiersten Wang
<b>SECME Coordinator</b>	Unfilled	Unfilled
<b>TEE Chair</b>	Unfilled	Kenneth McIntyre
<b>Member Coordinator</b>	Thomas Linehan	Adam LeMay
<b>Alumni Coordinator</b>	Unfilled	Emily Ferradaz
<b>Corporate Relations Chair</b>	Celeste Rousseau	Ryan St. Pierre
<b>BEC &amp; E-Week Representative</b>	Addie Kreamer	Julian Rey
<b>Clock Tower Coordinator</b>	Thomas Scruggs	Thomas Scruggs
<b>Initiation Coordinator</b>	Julian Rey	Daniel Fuenmayor
<b>Banquet/Awards Coordinator</b>	Colton Weimerskirch	Ryan Dargan
<b>FE Review Coordinator</b>	Unfilled	Unfilled
<b>Tau Beta Pi Day Coordinator</b>	Nikki Weiss	Nikki Weiss

## Inducted Members

### Fall 2015

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Cammy Abernathy	Daniel Fuenmayor	Ian Malone	Brianna Posadas
Islam Badreldin	Rachel Giles	Celina Mariano	Oswaldo Reina
John Barta	Kassandra Gilley	Kenneth McIntyre	Alexander Robau
Paige Bohana	Andrew Girard	Mark McNeely	Troy Sandler
Kristin Byers	Vanessa Guarnizo	Louis Mihalinec	Cesar Santoyo
Sarmad Chaudhry	Remy Hanewinckel	Christian Miller	Anderson Sheets
Cristian Cocconcelli	Adriana Henao	Lindsey Mitchell	Emily Steele
Courtney Crawford	David Hernando	Madeleine Monfort	Erick Stein
Ryan Dargan	Alex Hicks	Jacob Montgomery	Samuel Thomas
Adithya M Devraj	Jacob Holloway	Jacob Morrison	Sandor Valenciaga
Surya C Dhulipala	Nicholas Kelton	Carlos Murillo	Stephanie Voight
Brian Dinenberg	Savannah Kirwan	Michael Orlando	Yuzheng Wang
Michael Everette	Jiajun Lei	Gabrielle Paredes	Samantha Webster
Shaheen Farhadi	Adam LeMay	Hrishit Parikh	Alan Williams
Scott Fenton	Michael Lindsey	Charles (CJ) Peaden	Gregory Wolfe
Margaret Fettis	Dana Lobmeyer	Adrian Piedra	Jennifer Yoder
Maddy Fuchs	Paul (Jacob) Logas	Chris Pope	Zenong Zhang

### Spring 2016

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Marvin Andujar	Probal Guha	Catherine Miney	Sebastian Sayavedra
Anup Doraiswamy	Troy Heinzmann	Dustin Popp	Ryan Scheinkman
Fidel Esquivel Estay	Wesley Henson	Mary Regan	Max Stein
Nikita Goldfarb	Alex Marques	Travis Satiritz	Tanner Thornton

## Membership Timeline Summary

Name	Fall/Spring Hours	Name	Fall/Spring Hours
Alexander Adams	2.5/2	Vanessa Guarnizo	12/9
Marvin Andujar	0/10	Probal Guha	0/14
Marleny Arones	0/3	Carla Guidi Azarola	3/0
Islam Badreldin	15/5	Micheal Hallenstein	3/4
John Barta	15/10	Remy Hanewinckel	12/0
Nicholas Bianco	1/0	Matthew Harwood	30.5/12
Paige Bohana	15/0	Troy Heinzmann	0/12
Shannon Brown	35/30	Adriana Henao	13/0
Kristin Byers	15/8	Wesley Henson	0/11
Abel Cartwright	2/0	David Hernando	15/2
Meghan Cautero	2/0	Alex Hicks	12/0
Sarmad Chaudhry	18/4	Jacob Holloway	14/0
Kirk Cherney	0/9	Huang Hua	1/0
Cristian Cocconcelli	18/19	Nicholas Kelton	12/1
Stephen Crawford	1/3	Savannah Kirwan	13/1
Courtney Crawford	12/1	Timothy Knowles	6/0
Ryan Dargan	12/48	Addie Kraemer	14.5/0
Adithya M Devraj	11/2	Jiajun Lei	12/13
Surya C Dhulipala	12/22	Adam LeMay	14/39
Joshua Dinenberg	3/0	Felipe Lenz	31.5/39
Brian Dinenberg	12/0	Yan-Shin Liao	1/0
Anup Doraiswamy	0/14	Michael Lindsey	11/1
Eric Dunkelberger	9/1	Thomas Linehan	19.5/1
Allysa Egnew	9.5/0	Dana Lobmeyer	12/3
Fidel Esquivel Estay	0/14	Paul (Jacob) Logas	11/0
Michael Everette	11/42	Elliot Mackrell	1/0
Shaheen Farhadi	11/0	Christine Mahler	2/0
Scott Fenton	15/3	Ian Malone	11/1
Emily Ferradaz	5/12	Celina Mariano	12/0
Margaret Fettis	12/8	Alex Marques	0/11
Maddy Fuchs	11/3	Jessica Matthews	14.5/24
Daniel Fuenmayor	24/47	Cameron Mazzola	4/0
Rachel Giles	11/0	Kenneth McIntyre	31/33
Kassandra Gilley	12/2	Mark McNeely	15/10
Andrew Girard	12/0	Louis Mihalinec	11/1
Evan Glass	1/6	Meghan Miller	0/0
Nikita Goldfarb	0/11	Christian Miller	12/0
Aaron Goldman	0/1	Catherine Miney	0/13

Name	Fall/Spring Hours	Name	Fall/Spring Hours
Lindsey Mitchell	12/0	Zachary Smythurst	2/1
Anjali Modi	0/2	Chad Spreadbury	20.5/33
Madeleine Monfort	13/2	Ryan St. Pierre	16/13
Jacob Montgomery	14/8	Emily Steele	13/5
Matthew Moraguez	29.5/10	Erick Stein	11/1
Jacob Morrison	14/17	Max Stein	0/12
Carlos Murillo	11/0	Samuel Thomas	11/4
Kaitlynn Olczak	20/4	Tanner Thornton	0/17
Michael Orlando	12/6	Kimmai Tran	28.5/12
Jorge Osio-Norgaard	3/1	Jason Traub	2/3
Gabrielle Paredes	11/1	Sandor Valenciaga	12/4
Hrishit Parikh	17/0	Fernando Villafuerte	2/0
Charles (CJ) Peaden	12/0	Stephanie Voight	13/0
Adrian Piedra	13/4	Kiersten Wang	51.5/36
Chris Pope	22/21	Yuzheng Wang	12/0
Dustin Popp	0/13	Samantha Webster	15/2
Brianna Posadas	13/9	Changyu Wei	1/0
Mary Reagan	0/16	Colton Weimerskirch	23/40
Oswaldo Reina	13/0	Nikki Weiss	12.5/52
Julian Rey	19/19	Alan Williams	11/4
Alexander Robau	13.5/0	Gregory Wolfe	17/3
Jhonathan Rosales	2/1	Jonathon Wood	4/0
Celeste Rousseau	68.5/71	Jennifer Yoder	13/6
Troy Sandler	11/0	Zenong Zhang	12/0
Cesar Santoyo	12/2	Fanchao Zhu	1/1
Travis Satiriz	0/17		
Sebastian Sayavedra	0/21		
Ryan Scheinkman	0/14		
Lauren Schuhle	1/0		
Ben Schwaller	29.5/21		
Kristen Scicchitano	2/0		
Thomas Scruggs	119/75		
Michael Shang	20/41		
Anderson Sheets	23/13		
Eman Shreteh	1/1		
Christopher Silva	1/0		

**Total Hours:**

Fall: 1587.5

Spring: 1254

# Chapter Operations

Fall 2015

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 1.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Fall Advisory Board Meeting

**Date(s) of Project:** 08/27/2015

**Project area:**  Community/  
Liberal Culture  University/  
College  Profession/  
Engineering  Chapter/  
Social  Education/  
Professional  
Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 3

Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 2

Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

The Advisory Board Meeting is held during the first week of the semester to discuss chapter goals and upcoming events. The Board consists of the President, Vice President, Corresponding Secretary, and alumnus advisors.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of the Advisory Board Meeting is to keep the advisors informed of chapter activities, as well brainstorm ideas for improvement for the upcoming year.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The President organized the meeting by emailing all Advisory Board members. The President reserved the Weil 307 conference room through the College of Engineering. This room is available at no cost to the chapter. The meeting took place at 7:30 AM to accommodate everyone's schedules. The distance advisors participated in the meeting via a teleconference set up by an Advisor.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

All Advisory Board members were required to attend. There was no cost associated with the meeting.

## **V. Special Problems:**

Two advisors were unable to attend. However, they were updated via emails from the President.

## **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The meeting was a success. Advisors approved the changes to the budget and bylaws and were informed about important upcoming dates. There were also some exciting ideas proposed for the remainder of the year.

## **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Nick Bianco, Celeste Rousseau, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang

Advisors in Attendance: Elif Akcali, Meghan Ferrall, Mike Griffis, Emily Hester

### Agenda:

- I. Welcome Back and Introductions**
- II. 2014-2015 Review**
  - a. Members and electees contributed over 3100 hours on projects
  - b. 74 new members!
  - c. Our 37 officers organized 85 chapter projects!
  - d. Successfully established GatorTrax at Eastside High School
  - e. Finally hosted a Pi Day Run with over 100 attendees
- III. Budget Review**
- IV. Bylaws Review**
- V. National Convention**
  - a. October 29-31 in Providence, RI
  - b. Thomas will be representing FL-A
- VI. Upcoming Dates/Events**
  - a. Officer Meeting: Tuesday, Sept. 1, 7:30pm
  - b. Member Meeting: Tuesday, Sept. 8, 7:30pm
  - c. Information Sessions: Tuesday, Sept. 15, 12:50pm & 7:30pm
  - d. Meeting #1: Tuesday, Sept. 22, 7:30pm
  - e. GatorTRAX, TEE, E-Futures, Corporate Dinner
- VII. Open Discussion**
  - a. Dean Bolch and Dean Lindner
  - b. Advertising?
  - c. Clocktower



d. Laureate (Kiersten)

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number 2.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Fall Officer Meeting

**Date(s) of Project:** 09/01/2015

**Project area:**  Community/Liberal Culture  University/College  Profession/Engineering  Chapter/Social  Education/Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 16 Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 2 Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

Each semester, the officer meeting is held during one of the first weeks of school. All officers are informed of upcoming events and given the opportunity to ask questions. New officers learn about the proper way to fill out project reports and how to send out a list-serv email. The President reminded officers to fill out weekly officer updates via Google Forms and informed officers about attendance expectations.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

This meeting helps answer new officers' questions about their position, and makes sure that everyone knows about the expectations for the upcoming semester. Officer hours were selected and officers were reminded of electee requirements. "This Week in Tau Beta Pi" email will begin next week—events and other announcements for the upcoming week will be sent out on Sunday evenings to reduce the number of emails sent out to members and electees. Reminders the day-of events are still encouraged.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Officers were informed of the time and place of the meeting. The President reserved conference room 307 in the Weil through the College of Engineering. The meeting was held at 7:30 PM to accommodate the officers' schedules.

#### **IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:**

All officers were required to attend the meeting. There were no costs associated with the meeting, as reserved classrooms are free for student groups.

#### **V. Special Problems:**

No special problems encountered.

#### **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The meeting was a success. All of the officers were in attendance and everyone was aware of the expectations for the upcoming semester.

#### **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Matthew Harwood, Felipe Lenz, Thomas Linehan, Jessica Matthews, Matthew Moraguez, Julian Rey, Celeste Rousseau, Benjamin Schwaller, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Chad SPreadbury, Kimmair Tran, Kierstan Wang, Colton Weimerskirch, Nikki Weiss

#### Agenda:

#### **VIII. Welcome Back and Introductions**

- a. Short officer election
- b. Name, Major, Year, Officer Position(s), Fun thing you did this summer

#### **IX. Budget Review**

- a. The budget for my position, \_\_\_\_\_, is \$\_\_\_\_\_
- b. Email budget expenditures with receipts to Matt H. within ONE WEEK of your event.

#### **X. Office Hours**

- a. Office hours begin Monday, September 14<sup>th</sup>

#### **XI. Officer Guidelines**

- a. Attendance
  - i. **Your attendance is expected at EVERY meeting.** Please email me at least 24 prior with a valid reason if you cannot attend.
  - ii. You are expected to attend one social, service, and E-Futures event of your choice. PLEASE be as active as possible!
- b. Officer Updates
  - i. Every week you will fill out an officer update via Google Forms. If you have no update for the week, please put that. Link will be emailed.
- c. "This Week in Tau Beta Pi" – Submit your events for the week by the Sunday before at 2pm.
- d. List Serve Emails and short website tutorial (uftbp.com)
- e. Emails and Email Forwarding
  - i. Please respond to TBP related emails within 24 hours.

#### **XII. Officer Retreat**

- a. Lake Wauburg Ropes Course
- b. Requested Sept. 13, 10am-2pm
- XIII. Project Reports**
  - a. Project Reports and typed attendance sheets are due within ONE WEEK of your event. Please TAKE PICTURES at your event!
- XIV. Electee Requirements**
  - a. Candidate vs. Electee
  - b. Paperwork: Application, Interview Form, Interview, and Graduate Form
  - c. 6 hours of serve (One GatorTRAX session for 3 of those hours)
  - d. 1 social
  - e. 3 out of 4 meetings (Not required to attend Meeting 3)
  - f. Electee-Only Social
  - g. Catalog Card: National Copy
  - h. \$ 100 Dues
  - i. Best Electee: Additional Social, E-Futures, 3 extra service hours
- XV. Clocktower**
  - a. 2 sides on clocktower outside of Weil are unfinished
- XVI. Service Chairs**
  - a. Adopt-A-Street: Saturday, Sept. 19, 9am
- XVII. TEE Chairs**
- XVIII. Officer Polo Signup**
- XIX. Upcoming Dates/Events**
  - a. Member Meeting: Tuesday, Sept. 8, 7:30pm
  - b. Information Sessions: Tuesday, Sept. 15, 12:50pm & 7:30pm
  - c. E-Futures #1 (People Skills): Sunday, Sept. 20, 1pm
  - d. Meeting #1 Tuesday, Sept. 22, 7:30pm
  - e. Corporate Dinner: Tuesday, Sept. 29, 7:30pm
  - f. Banquet and Initiation: Friday, Nov. 20
  - g. **Master List of Dates:** Hosted Google Documents, displayed on website. Update with new events, times and locations!
- XX. Open Discussion**

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 3.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Fall Member Meeting

**Date(s) of Project:** 09/08/2015

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 38

Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 2

Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

Members met for the first meeting of the Fall 2015 semester to vote on bylaw changes and review the requirements for active membership. Officers also announced upcoming events and opportunities to the members (Volunteering, Corporate Dinner, FE Review, and E-Futures).

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The President and officers communicated clearly to our members the bylaws, active membership requirements, career development opportunities, and volunteering opportunities.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The meeting was organized and run by the President of the chapter, the Vice President reserved the room for the meeting, and the Recording Secretary created the agendas and attendance Google Form.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

The Recording Secretary paid for and was then reimbursed by TBP for printing the meeting agendas at Target Copy.

### V. Special Problems:

No working wi-fi was available in the room.

## **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The event was successful. We approved the bylaw changes, members were more informed of the requirements for active membership, and introduced to the new Active Membership Scholarship. Also, it was emphasized that members should help promote Tau Beta Pi to prospective members by attending one of the upcoming informational sessions, making announcements in their classes, or encouraging friends they know that are eligible to join.

## **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Abel Cartwright, Eric Dunkelberger, Aaron Goldman, Michael Hallenstein, Matthew Harwood, Hua Huang, Timothy Knowles, Addie Kraemer, Felipe Lenz, Erin Lewis, Jackson Liao, Thomas Linehan, Elliot Mackrell, Jessica Matthews, Cameron Mazzola, Matthew Moraguez, Kaitlynn Olczak, Jorge Osio, Julian Rey, Jhonathan Rosales, Celeste Rousseau, Lauren Schuhle, Benjamin Schwaller, Kristen Scicchitano, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Zachary Smythurst, Chad Spreadbury, Ryan St. Pierre, Tyler Theriault, Kimmai Tran, Fernando Villafuerte, Kiersten Wang, Changyu Wei, Colton Weimerskirch, Fanchao Zhu

### Agenda:

- I. Open Officer Positions**
  - a. Historian, Service Coordinator, SECME Coordinator, TEE Chair\*, Alumni Coordinator
- II. Bylaw Voting**
- III. Active Membership**
  - a. Requirements: Member Meeting, Candidate Elections (Meeting 3), Officer Elections, One "Non-Meeting" Event
  - b. Meeting excuses permitted if sent to Member Coordinator, Thomas Linehan (shiloh123@ufl.edu), 24 hours in advance
  - c. Active Member Scholarship: one member to be awarded \$100 based on semester participation and attendance to one E-Futures event
    - i. Application: <http://goo.gl/forms/mnC2rNtM6p> due at 11:59 PM on November 17th
- IV. Corporate Dinner**
  - a. September 29th, 7-9 PM in Emerson Alumni Hall
  - b. Cost: \$5 for active members, \$10 for inactive members and candidates, and \$15 for non-members.
  - c. Send a PDF of your resume to [tbpfalpha@gmail.com](mailto:tbpfalpha@gmail.com) prior to the dinner by September 20th, 2015 to be included on a DVD provided to recruiters.
  - d. RSVP here: <http://goo.gl/forms/Dz3zOiA9e2> (Only 40 seats left!)

**V. Service Events**

- a. Adopt-A-Street Clean Up: Saturday, September 19th
  - i. Meet at the Commuter Lot to carpool at 9:00 AM
  - ii. This event counts towards active membership!
  - iii. RSVP here: <http://goo.gl/forms/tudS3gfyR>

**VI. E-Futures**

- a. First Workshop: People Skills on September 20th at 1PM, location TBD
- b. Open to ALL Students!

**VII. Old T-Shirt Sale!**

- a. \$5 per shirt
- b. See Matt Harwood for shirts

**VIII. Other**

- a. Resumes for the national convention CD are due on October 3rd by midnight to Celeste Rousseau ([tbpfla.vp@gmail.com](mailto:tbpfla.vp@gmail.com))
  - i. The title of the file must be your name (i.e. John Smith.doc)
  - ii. Any member is eligible to submit a resume

**IX. Master Lists**

- a. Important forms, events, job opportunities listed here:  
[https://docs.google.com/document/d/1RlrqFWCUB6fAWM3E0On\\_v-JiE44SGS\\_qhFM5onavYGM/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1RlrqFWCUB6fAWM3E0On_v-JiE44SGS_qhFM5onavYGM/edit?usp=sharing)
- b. Calendar events all listed here:  
<http://www.uftbp.com/page.php?p=calendar>

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 4.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Fall Info Sessions

**Date(s) of Project:** 09/14/2015

**Project area:**  Community/Liberal Culture  University/College  Profession/Engineering  Chapter/Social  Education/Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 14 Candidates: 49

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 1 Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

Candidates attended one of the 2 info sessions (12:50 PM or 7:30 PM) for more information on how to join Tau Beta Pi, what Tau Beta Pi is all about, and some of the events that we participate in. They also had the opportunity to meet some of the officers and ask questions.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The info sessions are a crucial step in promoting Tau Beta Pi and encouraging candidates to join.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The info sessions were organized by the President and Vice President of the chapter. Candidate Handbooks were prepared and printed out by the Vice Presidents of Electees. The Recording Secretary was in charge of attendance.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Tau Beta Pi paid for the pizza and beverages provided at the info sessions.

### V. Special Problems:

N/A

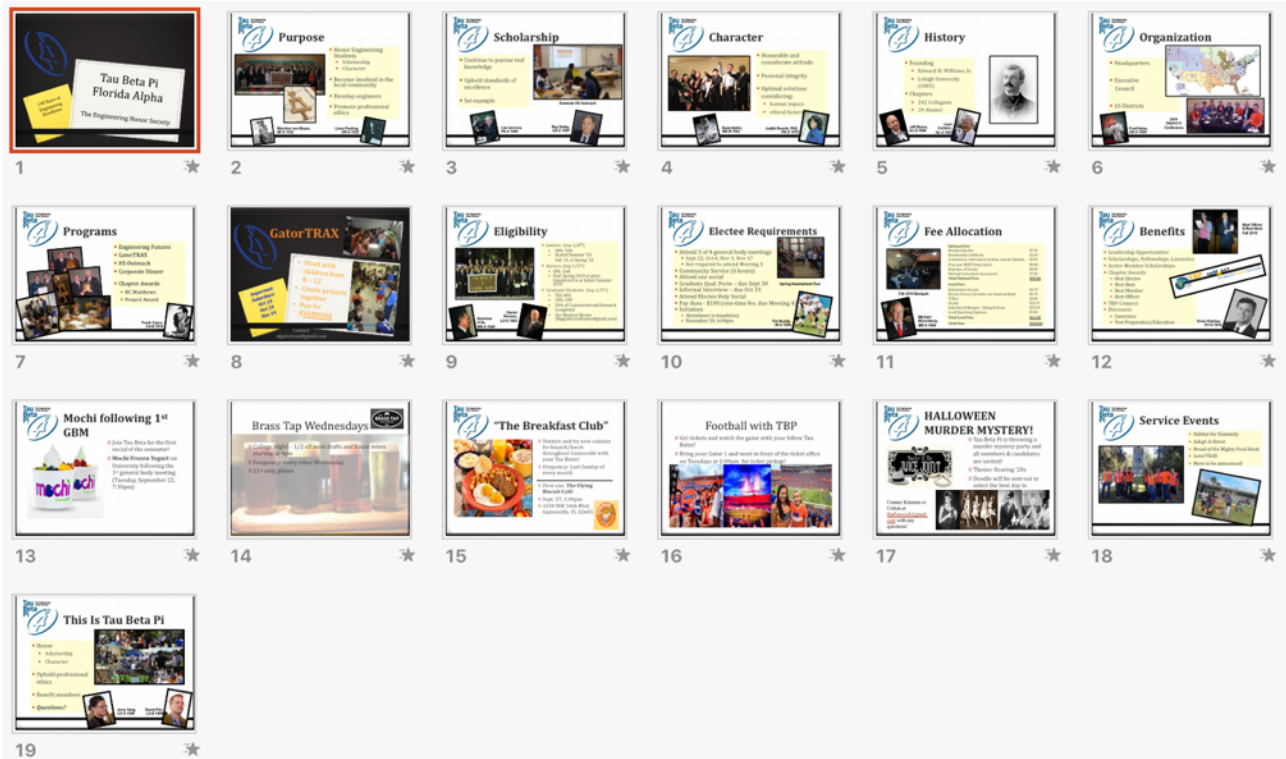
**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The event was successful! We had a lot of candidate interest and participation. Candidates asked questions during the info sessions and listened to any advice and encouragement from current officers and members about joining.

**VII. Index of Exhibits: LEAVE BLANK**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Matthew Harwood, Felipe Lenz, Thomas Linehan, Kaitlynn Olczak, Celeste Rousseau, Benjamin Schwaller, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Chad Spreadbury, Ryan St Pierre, Kierstan Wang, Colton Weimerskirch, Nikki Weiss

Electees in Attendance: John Barta, Paige Bohana, Kristin Byers, Sarmad Chaudhry, cristian cocconcelli, Courtney Crawford, Ryan Dargan, Brian Dinenberg, Scott Fenton, Margaret Fettis, Madeline Fuchs, Daniel Fuenmayor, Rachel Giles, Andrew Girard, Remy Hanewinkel, adriana Henao, David Hernando, Alex Hicks, Jacob Holloway, Savannah Kirwan, Adam LeMay, Ian Malone, Kenneth McIntyre, Mark McNeely, Louis Mihalinec, Madeleine Monfort, Jacob Montgomery, Jacob Morrison, Carlos Murillo, Michael Orlando, Gabrielle Paredes, Hrishit Parikh, Charles Peaden, Adrian Piedra, Chris Pope, Brianna Posadas, Oswaldo Reina, Alexander Robau, Troy Sandler, Cesar Santoyo, Anderson Sheets, Emily Steele, Erick Stein, Stephanie Voight, Yuzheng Wang, Samantha Webster, Gregory Wolfe, Jennifer Yoder, Zenong Zhang





Powerpoint presentation used at the info sessions to present Tau Beta Pi to the new candidates!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 5.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

Project name: Fall Meeting 1

Date(s) of Project: 09/22/2015

Project area:  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

Number of persons who participated in this project Members: 30 Candidates: 59

Average number of hours per person spent on this project Organizing: 1 Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

This was the first general body meeting of the Fall 2015 semester. Candidates were reminded of the Eligibility Code and Electee Requirements. Graduate students were reminded of the deadline to submit their paperwork. Officers announced upcoming events and opportunities to the members (GatorTRAX, Corporate Dinner, Tutoring, and Socials).

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The candidates were able to interact with current members and officers. They were also informed of upcoming opportunities that could count toward their Initiation Requirements.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The meeting was organized and run by the President of the chapter, the Vice President reserved the room for the meeting, and the Recording Secretary created the agendas and attendance Google Form. Social Coordinators were in charge of ordering the food.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Tau Beta Pi paid for the Publix food and beverages provided at the meeting. The Recording Secretary paid for submitted reimbursement request to the chapter's treasurer for printing the meeting agendas at Target Copy.

## V. Special Problems:

N/A

## VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

This first general body meeting went well, and we had a great turn out! Candidates asked officers questions about Initiation Requirements.

## VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Alex Adams, Shannon Brown, Joshua Dinenberg, Alyssa Egnew, Aaron Goldman, Matthew Harwood, Addie Kraemer, Felipe Lenz Carvalho, Erin Lewis, Thomas Linehan, Christine Mahler, Jessica Matthews, Matthew Moraguez, Nicholas Natale, Kaitlynn Olczak, Julian Rey, Celeste Rousseau, Benjamin Schwaller, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Eman Shreteh, Chad Spreadbury, Ryan St Pierre, Kimmai Tran, Amy Trongnetrponya, Fernando Villafuerte, Kiersten Wang, Colton Weimerskirch, Nikki Weiss, Jonathan Wood

Electees in Attendance: Islam Badreldin, John Barta, Paige Bohana, Sarmad Chaudhry, Cristian Cocconcelli, Courtney Crawford, Ryan Dargan, Adithya M Devraj, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Brian Dinenberg, Michael Everette, Scott Fenton, Margaret Fettis, Maddy Fuchs, Daniel Fuenmayor, Rachel Giles, Kasandra Gilley, Remy Hanewinckel, Adriana Henao, David Hernando, Alex Hicks, Nicholas Kelton, Jiajun Lei, Adam LeMay, Michael Lindsey, Dana Lobmeyer, Ian Malone, Celina Mariano, Kenneth McIntyre, Mark McNeely, Louis Mihalinec, Christian Miller, Lindsey Mitchell, Madeleine Monfort, Jacob Montgomery, Jacob Morrison, Carlos Murillo, Michael Orlando, Gabrielle Paredes, Hrishit Parikh, Charles Peaden, Adrian Piedra, Chris Pope, Brianna Posadas, Oswaldo Reina Marmol, Alexander Robau, Troy Sandler, Cesar Santoyo, Anderson Sheets, Emily Steele, Erick Stein, Samuel Thomas, Stephanie Voight, Yuzheng Wang, Samantha Webster, Alan Williams, Gregory Wolfe, Jennifer Yoder, Zenong Zhang

### Agenda:

- I. **Tau Bate Spotlight**
  - a. Wernher von Braun
- II. **Vice President**
  - a. Corporate Dinner on September 29th from 7-9 PM in Emerson Alumni Hall. Send a PDF of your resume to [tbpfla.corporaterelations@gmail.com](mailto:tbpfla.corporaterelations@gmail.com) by September 25th to be included on a DVD provided to recruiters.
  - b. RSVP and pay tonight to get your seat: <http://goo.gl/forms/Dz3zOiA9e2>.
- III. **VP of Electees**
  - a. Review of Eligibility Code and Electee Requirements
  - b. Informal interviews start next Monday (September 28)
- IV. **Graduate Coordinator**
  - a. Graduate student paperwork due on Wednesday September 30th

- V. Clock Tower Committee**
  - a. If interested in working on clocktower outside of Weil Hall sign-up here:  
<http://goo.gl/forms/nZU6cFYbcb>.
- VI. Old T-Shirt Sale!**
  - a. \$5 per shirt
  - b. There are limited quantities so be quick to order! The order form can be found here: <http://goo.gl/forms/YZPorVrKOh>.
- VII. GatorTRAX Coordinator**
  - a. Save the Dates! GatorTRAX Events will take place on
    - i. October 10<sup>th</sup>, October 24<sup>th</sup>, and November 14<sup>th</sup>
  - b. For all events: Location TBD, 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM (All volunteers please arrive by 8:45 AM)
  - c. Please RSVP!
- VIII. Social Coordinators**
  - a. First social event is TONIGHT! Right after this meeting we are heading to Mochi on University Ave to grab some froyo! If you are a candidate, this event will count towards your initiation social event requirement!
  - b. Brass Tap Wednesday beer college night, every other Wednesday at 9pm.
  - c. "The Breakfast Club" at Flying Biscuit, Sunday September 27<sup>th</sup> at 1pm
  - d. Football game social. Bring your Gator 1 and meet in front of the ticket office on Tuesdays at 1pm for ticket pickup!
  - e. Halloween Party Murder Mystery! – TBD
- IX. Initiation Coordinator**
  - a. The Fundamental Principles memory challenge
  - b. Recite the complete principles to the Principles Committee before Initiation for a prize at the Banquet!
- X. Trivia**
  - a. Turn in to Julian Rey at his office hours or scan and email to [tbpfla.initiation@gmail.com](mailto:tbpfla.initiation@gmail.com) by October 2<sup>nd</sup>
  - b. Member or Candidate with most correct answers this semester will win a prize at Banquet!
- XI. Check out our website at** <http://www.uftbp.com/>
- XII. Master List of Dates:** <http://www.uftbp.com/page.php?p=calendar>
- XIII. Master List of Links/Job Opportunities:** <http://tinyurl.com/tbp-links>

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 6.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Corporate Dinner

**Date(s) of Project:** 09/29/2015

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 12 Electees: 14

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 30 Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

We hosted a Corporate Dinner on September 29<sup>th</sup>, 7pm-9pm at Emerson Alumni Hall. The purpose of this event was to connect students with members of industry to further their success with obtaining internships and jobs. The event consisted of a catered dinner with four companies: Medtronic, Intel, AxoGen, and ExxonMobil. Students

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

This dinner reinforces professionalism and allows for students to become leaders in the engineering field. This dinner was also open to any engineer, allowing for Tau Beta Pi to unite with the College of Engineering as a whole.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

This project required a great deal of organization. Celeste (our Vice President and Corporate Relations coordinator) first started planning in June, where the room for Emerson Hall was booked, and companies were emailed (100 approximately) with the formal invitation. Follow-up emails were sent, a caterer was hired, and prices were negotiated. Then the event was advertised through email and flyers the weeks prior. Information was sent to the companies to confirm their participation and payment.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

The upfront cost for the dinner was around \$2000 for room and catering.

#### **V. Special Problems:**

One recruiter arrived extremely late and did not inform me. I also had no way of contacting him since the company did not provide the specific recruiter's contact information. It was extremely stressful. I ended up making due with the situation by adjusting the schedule and starting the event late, but it was a major complaint for the event.

#### **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

Companies and attendees alike were very positive about this event. There were 5 recruiters and 45 people in attendance in total. Students have reported that this event helped them with Career Fair and gaining a job.

#### **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Meghan Cautero, Emily Ferradaz, Felipe Lenz Carvalho, Erin Lewis, Jessica Matthews, Celeste Rousseau, Kristen Scicchitano, Thomas Scruggs, Nikki Weiss, Jonathan Wood, Minfei Xu

Electees in Attendance: Islam Badreldin, Paige Bohana, Kristen Byers, Brendan Dufresne, Michael Everette, Daniel Fuenmayor, Kasandra Gilley, Vanessa Guamizo, Leslie Morgan, Carlos Murillo, Gabrielle Paredes, Hrishit Parikh, Oswaldo Reina, Samantha Webster



The room is all set up for Corporate Dinner!



Students and employers interacting in a relaxed environment.

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 7.

New     Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Fall Meeting 2

**Date(s) of Project:** 10/06/2015

**Project area:**     Community/ Liberal Culture     University/ College     Profession/ Engineering     Chapter/ Social     Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project:**    Members: 27    Candidates: 58

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project:**    Organizing: 1    Participating: 1

**I. General Description:**

The second meeting reminded candidates of appropriate deadlines and updated all members and candidates of upcoming events (Member-Candidate Social, Engineering Future, GatorTRAX, Service events, and Socials). The President gave a brief recap and showed pictures from last week’s corporate dinner and football game.

**II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:**

To inform the candidates about upcoming opportunities to complete induction requirements.

**III. Organization & Administration:** (in conjunction with another group?  Yes  No)

The meeting was organized and run by the President and the Recording Secretary created the agendas and attendance Google Form. Social Coordinators were in charge of ordering the food.

**IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:**

Tau Beta Pi paid for pizza and beverages provided at the meeting. The College of Engineering–Student Affairs paid for printing the meeting agendas at Target Copy.

**V. Special Problems:**

N/A

## VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The meeting ran smoothly under the guidance of the President. Furthermore, the members and candidates really showed interest in what the President and the other officers had to say and enjoyed seeing the pictures and hearing all about the past and upcoming events.

## VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Eric Dunkelberger, Alyssa Egnaw, Emily Ferradaz, Aaron Goldman, Michael Hallenstein, Matthew Harwood, Addie Kraemer, Felipe Lenz Carvalho, Thomas Linehan, Jessica Matthews, Matthew Morgue, Kaitlynn Olczak, Jorge Osio, Julian Rey, Max Rogozinski, Celeste Rousseau, Benjamin Schwaller, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Christopher Silva, Chad Spreadbury, Ryan St Pierre, Kimmai Tran, Kiersten Wang, Colton Weimerskirch, Nikki Weiss

Electees in Attendance: Islam Badreldin, John Barta, Paige Bohana, Kristin Byers, Sarmad Chaudhry, Cristian Cocconcelli, Courtney Crawford, Ryan Dargan, Adithya Devraj, Brian Dinenberg, Michael Everette, Shaheen Farhadi, Scott Fenton, Margaret Fettis, Maddy Fuchs, Daniel Fuenmayor, Andrew Girard, Vanessa Guarnizo, Remy Hanewinckel, Adriana Henao, David Hernando, Alex Hicks, Nicholas Kelton, Savannah Kirwan, Jiajun Lei, Dana Lobmeyer, Paul Logas, Ian Malone, Celina Mariano, Kenneth McIntyre, Mark McNeely, Louis Mihalinec, Christian Miller, Madeleine Monfort, Jacob Montgomery, Jacob Morrison, Carlos Murillo, Michael Orlando, Gabrielle Paredes, Hrishit Parikh, Charles Peaden, Adrian Piedra, Chris Pope, Brianna Posadas, Oswaldo Reina, Alexander Robau, Troy Sandler, Cesar Santoyo, Emily Steele, Erick Stein, Sandor Valencia, Stephanie Voight, Yuzheng Wang, samantha webster, Alan Williams, Gregory Wolfe, Jennifer Yoder, Zenong Zhang,

### Agenda:

- I. **Tau Bate Spotlight**
  - a. Herbert Wertheim
- II. **Last Week in TBP**
  - a. Last week's corporate dinner was a success! If you attended, please fill out the feedback form: <http://goo.gl/forms/XdP8Dh9TP7>
  - b. Football with TBP
- III. **VP of Electees**
  - a. Sign up for the candidate interview before October 19th!
    - i. Visit the "How to Join" page on the website to sign up for an interview time:  
<http://www.uftbp.com/page.php?p=candidateInfo>.
- IV. **Engineering Futures Professional Workshop #2**



- a. The 2nd TBP professional workshop of this fall semester will take place on Oct 11th (Sunday) at 1pm in NPB 1011.
    - i. This is one of our most popular workshops and will cover Effective Presentation Skills. I hope to see you all there! RSVP here: <http://www.uftbp.com/page.php?p=eventRSVP>
- V. GatorTRAX Coordinator**
- a. GatorTRAX #1 – Oct. 10th (Saturday) from 9am to 12pm in Weil 270
  - b. Eastside GatorTRAX #1 – Oct. 8th (Thursday) at 8:30am at Eastside High School
  - c. Eastside GatorTRAX #2 – Oct. 8th (Thursday) at 10:30am at Eastside High School
- VI. Citrix Info Session**
- VII. BEC Updates**
- VIII. Service Coordinators**
- a. Jason’s Deli this Thursday (October 8th)
  - b. Habitat for Humanity
  - c. Street cleanup October 16th
  - d. Humane Society
- IX. Social Coordinators**
- a. Halloween Murder Mystery Dinner Party – Oct. 24th (Saturday) from 6pm to 9pm.
    - i. Theme: the roaring ‘20s, Gatsby era, and there’s a murder at the potluck dinner party! RSVP your spot and what food you’re bringing in this link: <https://goo.gl/Uxswxc>
    - ii. An email will be sent back with your character profile within a few days of your RSVP
  - b. Brass Tap Beer night – Oct. 7th (Wednesday) at 9pm.
  - c. Art in Engineering – Oct. 8th (Thursday) from 6pm to 9pm.
    - i. Experience the intersections of art and engineering at the Harn art museum. View works of art and attend musical performances by UF College of Engineering faculty and students. Enjoy tours and refreshments. Go to this Facebook event for more info: <https://goo.gl/R6sTPZ>
- X. Last Call for Clock Tower Committee Members!**
- XI. Old T-Shirt Sale**
- a. We are still selling old TBP t-shirts for \$5 each. All proceeds go to Gigi’s Playhouse! Last chance to order is Oct. 9th and leftover shirts will go to Goodwill. Order here: <http://goo.gl/forms/YZPorVrKOh>
- XII. Initiation Coordinator**
- a. Fundamental Principles
  - b. Challenge Series
- XIII. Check out our website at** <http://www.uftbp.com/>
- XIV. Master List of Dates:** <http://www.uftbp.com/page.php?p=calendar>
- XV. Master List of Links/Job Opportunities:** <http://tinyurl.com/tbp-links>

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 8.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Fall Meeting 3

**Date(s) of Project:** 10/20/2015

**Project area:**  Community/  
Liberal Culture  University/  
College  Profession/  
Engineering  Chapter/  
Social  Education/  
Professional  
Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project:** Members: 33 Candidates: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project:** Organizing: 1 Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

Candidate Elections were the main focus of Meeting 3. This meeting was also a requirement for active membership. Furthermore, officers reminded members of upcoming events (GatorTRAX, Service events, and Socials).

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

One of the main objectives for this meeting was letting the members evaluate the candidates and vote on whether the candidates fulfilled the requirements for election. In the end, 69 candidates were elected into TBP.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The meeting was organized and run by the President and the Recording Secretary created the agendas and attendance Google Form. Social Coordinators were in charge of ordering the food.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Tau Beta Pi paid for the pizza and beverages provided at the meeting.

### V. Special Problems:

N/A

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The election process ran smoothly. Certain officers were in charge of groups of 5-6 members. Within each group, about 15 candidates were evaluated. In the end, 69 new electees were elected into TBP

Florida Alpha!

## VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Eric Dunkelberger, Alyssa Egnaw, Aaron Goldman, Carla Guidi Azarola, Michael Hallenstein, Matthew Harwood, Timothy Knowles, Addie Kraemer, Felipe Lenz Carvalho, Erin Lewis, Thomas Linehan, Christine Mahler, Jessica Matthews, Matthew Moraguez, Kaitlynn Olczak, Jorge Osio, Julian Rey, Jhonathan Rosales, Celeste Rousseau, Benjamin Schwaller, Kristen Scicchitano, Michael Shang, Eman Shreteh, Zachary Smythurst, Chad Spreadbury, Ryan St Pierre, Kimmair Tran, Fernando Villafuerte, Kiersten Wang, Colton Weimerskirch, Nikki Weiss, Jonathan Wood

### Agenda:

- I. **President**
- II. **Social Coordinators**
  - a. Brass Tap (Archer Rd) Beer Night: Tomorrow (Wednesday), 10/21 at 9pm
  - b. Halloween Murder Mystery Party: Saturday, 10/24 from 6pm to 9pm in NPB 1002
- III. **BEC Representative**
- IV. **GatorTRAX**
  - a. Next GatorTRAX event: Saturday, 10/24 at 8:45 AM in Weil 270
- V. **Candidate Elections!**
- VI. **Check out our website at** <http://www.uftbp.com/>
- VII. **Master List of Dates:** <http://www.uftbp.com/page.php?p=calendar>
- VIII. **Master List of Links/Job Opportunities:** <http://tinyurl.com/tbp-links>

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 9.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Tau Beta Pi 110<sup>th</sup> National Convention

**Date(s) of Project:** 10/29/2015 – 10/31/2015

**Project area:**  Community/Liberal Culture  University/College  Profession/Engineering  Chapter/Social  Education/Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 1 Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 3 Participating: 50

### I. General Description:

The 110<sup>th</sup> annual National Convention of Tau Beta Pi was held at the Rhode Island Convention Center in downtown Providence, Rhode Island. The first day consisted of professional development workshops and a career fair. The remaining days focused on business and committee meetings. In the evenings and in breaks during the day, the President had the opportunity to socialize with other chapter delegates as well as Florida Alpha chapter alumni and other District 5 members. The Florida Alpha chapter was awarded the Chapter Project Award, the Secretary's Commendation, and the District 5 Recognition Award.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The Convention serves as the supreme governing body of TBP conducting the business of the Association, as a training session for student delegates, and as an opportunity for delegates from all parts of the country to meet and socialize with each other.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

National Headquarters and the Rhode Island Alpha chapter worked together to organize the event.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

All expenses were covered and reimbursed by TBP National Headquarters.

**V. Special Problems:**

No special problems encountered.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

Convention was an exciting experience and a great place for chapter delegates to exchange ideas and encourage one another. The President had the opportunity to serve on the Constitution and Bylaws committee where many new changes to the national constitution were proposed and ratified. Strong bonds between District 5 delegates and advisors were created to help foster healthy chapters in the southeast for the remainder of the year.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Thomas Scruggs

Advisors in Attendance: Meghan Ferrall



All of the District 5 representatives at Convention.



Past and Present members of Florida Alpha! From left to right: Meghan Ferrall (previous President, Advisor, and Atlanta Alumni Chapter President), Jason Abellada (Tampa Bay Alumni Chapter), Thomas Scruggs (President), and Alan Passman (Executive Counselor)

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 10.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Fall Meeting 4

**Date(s) of Project:** 11/04/2015

**Project area:**  Community/  
Liberal Culture  University/  
College  Profession/  
Engineering  Chapter/  
Social  Education/  
Professional  
Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project:** Members: 21 Electees: 61

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project:** Organizing: 1 Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

During this meeting, a lot of emphasis was put on initiation and reminding electees to fulfill the rest of their requirements. Dues were collected from electees at the end of the meeting. They also received their t-shirts, bents, and written materials. Our guest presenter during the meeting was the Navy. They spoke of some of their opportunities available to engineering students of all levels and majors. Furthermore, officers reminded electees and members of upcoming events (GatorTRAX, Service events, and Socials).

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The main objectives for this meeting were reminding electees to finish their requirements for initiation, making sure all dues were in, and reminding all electees that their catalog cards were due by midnight.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The meeting was organized and run by the President and the Recording Secretary created the agendas and attendance Google Form.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Tau Beta Pi paid for the pizza and refreshments provided during the meeting.

### V. Special Problems:

N/A

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The meeting ran smoothly, sign-in was less hectic since 3 computers were used, electees were reminded of their requirements, and a lot of information was announced to members and electees about all of our upcoming service, social, and developmental events.

## **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Abel Cartwright, Eric Dunkelberger, Tim Knowles, Addie Kraemer, Felipe Lenz Carvalho, Thomas Linehan, Jessica Matthews, Matthew Moraguez, Kaitlynn Olczak, Julian Rey, Celeste Rousseau, Benjamin Schwaller, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Chad Spreadbury, Ryan St Pierre, Kimmai Tran, Kiersten Wang, Colton Weimerskirch, Nikki Weiss

Electees in Attendance: Islam Badreldin, John Barta, Paige Bohana, Kristin Byers, Sarmad Chaudhry, Cristian Cocconcelli, Courtney Crawford, Ryan Dargan, Adithya Devraj, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Brian Dinenberg, Shaheen Farhadi, Scott Fenton, Margaret Fettis, Maddy Fuchs, Daniel Fuenmayor, Rachel Giles, Kasandra Gilley, Andrew Girard, Vanessa Guarnizo, Remy Hanewinkel, Adriana Henao, David Hernando, Alex Hicks, Nicholas Kelton, Savannah Kirwan, Jiajun Lei, Adam LeMay, Michael Lindsey, Dana Lobmeyer, Jacob Logas, Ian Malone, Celina Mariano, Kenneth McIntyre, Mark McNeely, Christian Miller, Madeleine Monfort, Jacob Montgomery, Jacob Morrison, Carlos Murillo, Michael Orlando, Gabrielle Paredes, Hrishit Parikh, Adrian Piedra, Christopher Pope, Brianna Posadas, Oswaldo Reina, Alexander Robau, Troy Sandler, Cesar Santoyo, Anderson Sheets, Emily Steele, Erick Stein, Samuel Thomas, Sandor Valenciaga, Yuzheng Wang, Samantha Webster, Alan Williams, Gregory Wolfe, Jennifer Yoder, Zenong Zhang

### Agenda:

- I. Member Spotlight**
  - a. Linus Pauling
- II. Last Week in TBP**
- III. Initiation Coordinator**
  - a. Initiation will be in MCCA G186 at 6pm
  - b. Arrive by 5:30pm in business professional attire!
- IV. Banquet Coordinator**
  - a. The Banquet is Friday, November 20th from 8-10 PM (following initiation) at the Warehouse Restaurant and Lounge
  - b. Free for electees and members, \$20 for each guest
  - c. Attendance is limited to 50 so sign up here quickly to secure your spot:  
<https://goo.gl/5JdGtV>
- V. President**
  - a. Active Member Scholarship
    - i. \$100 scholarship open to all active members
    - ii. Application: <http://goo.gl/forms/aAID4f9cm3>
  - b. Clocktower Committee Update
  - c. Email [tbpfalpha@gmail.com](mailto:tbpfalpha@gmail.com) to be put on the list-serv



- VI. GatorTRAX**
  - a. The third and final Elementary GatorTRAX event will be held this Saturday 11/14 in Weil 270. Please arrive by 8:45 AM
  - b. Final HS GatorTRAX events are 11/18 and 11/19
  - c. Attending one GatorTRAX event is REQUIRED to before Initiation
- VII. BEC Updates**
- VIII. Social Coordinators**
  - a. Brass Tap (Archer Rd.) Wednesday - Wed, Nov. 4, 9pm
- IX. VPs of Electees**
  - a. Initiation Requirements Reminder
    - i. Check your progress online!
  - b. Electee-Only Social
    - i. Thursday 11/12 in TUR L011 at 7:30pm
    - ii. Mandatory for all electees
    - iii. If you have a conflict let the VPs of Electees know BEFORE the social
- X. Service Coordinators**
  - a. Humane Society Service
    - i. Thursday 11/5 3pm – 6pm at the Alachua County Humane Society.
    - ii. Thursday 11/19 3pm – 6pm
    - iii. RSVP here: <http://uftbp.com/page.php?p=eventRSVP>
  - b. Final Street Cleanup
    - i. Sunday 11/15 at 9am
    - ii. Meet at commuter lot near covered bus stop and carpool over
    - iii. RSVP here: <http://goo.gl/forms/pGFmk6feLZ>
- XI. Fundamental Principles and Challenge Problem**
- XII. Turn in dues and pick up swag**
- XIII. Check out our website at** <http://www.uftbp.com/>
- XIV. Master List of Dates:** <http://www.uftbp.com/page.php?p=calendar>
- XV. Master List of Links/Job Opportunities:** <http://tinyurl.com/tbp-links>

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 11.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Fall Meeting 5

**Date(s) of Project:** 11/18/2014

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 19 Electees: 48

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 1 Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

This was the last meeting before initiation. Therefore, electees were reminded of the logistics for initiation, were encouraged to arrive early, and were advised to come dressed in business formal attire. Also, everyone was reminded about the banquet following initiation. The president discussed information about upcoming Officer Elections and encouraged all members to run for a position.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

During this meeting, electees were reminded of important initiation and banquet details. This was vital to ensure everything goes smoothly during the ceremony. Also, this meeting was an opportunity to encourage members and electees to run for officer positions. New leadership will always help the growth of Tau Beta Pi! Dr. Bolch gave a talk about graduate school.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The meeting was organized and run by the President and the Recording Secretary created the agendas and attendance Google Form. The Vice President was responsible for reserving the room for the meeting. The Social Coordinators were responsible for ordering the food for the meeting.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Tau Beta Pi paid for the pizza and soda provided at the meeting and for the meeting

agendas printed at Target Copy.

**V. Special Problems:**

N/A

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

Everything ran smoothly and electees had the chance to ask any last minute questions regarding initiation. Also, they became more inspired to polish their bents and to run for officer positions such as Pi Day Coordinator, Service Coordinator, and Social Coordinator.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Eric Dunkelberger, Carla Guidi Azarola, Matthew Harwood, Tim Knowles, Addie Kraemer, Felipe Lenz, Thomas Linehan, Jessica Matthews, Julian Rey, Celeste Rousseau, Benjamin Schwaller, Michael Shang, Chad Spreadbury, Ryan St pierre, Kimmair Tran, Kiersten Wang, Colton Weimerskirch, Nikki Weiss

Electees in Attendance: Islam Badreldin, Paige Bohana, Kristin Byers, Mariano Celina, Cristian Cocconcelli, Ryan Dargan, Hernando David, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Brian Dinenberg, Michael Everette, Shaheen Farhadi, Margaret Fettis, Daniel Fuenmayor, Rachel Giles, Kasandra Gilley, Andrew Girard, Remy Hanewinckel, Alex Hicks, Parikh Hrishit, Morrison Jacob, Nicholas Kelton, Savannah Kirwan, Jiajun Lei, Adam LeMay, Michael Lindsey, Dana Lobmeyer, Paul Logas, Kenneth McIntyre, Mark Mcneely, Louis Mihalinec, Christian Miller, Madeleine Monfort, Michael Orlando, Charles Peaden, Adrian Piedra, Christopher Pope, Alexander Robau, Cesar Santoyo, Anderson Sheets, Emily Steele, Samuel Thomas, Sandor Valenciaga, Guarnizo Vanessa, Stephanie Voight, Yuzheng Wang, Samantha Webster, Gregory Wolfe, Jennifer Yoder

Agenda:

- I. Tau Bate Spotlight**
  - a. John Bardeen
- II. Last Week in TBP**
- III. Initiation Coordinator**
  - a. Initiation is this Friday, November 20th in TUR L011
  - b. Recommended arrival: 5:30 PM (no later than 6 PM!)
  - c. Dress business formal and bring your bent
- IV. Banquet Coordinator**
  - a. Banquet follows initiation on Friday, November 20th from 8-10 PM at the Warehouse Restaurant and Lounge
  - b. Free for electees and members, \$20 for each guest
  - c. All spots are full
- V. VPs of Electees**

- a. Please check the progress sheet to make sure everything is correct!
  - b. In order to be considered for “Best Electee” you must have completed 3 extra service hours, attended an E-Futures event, and 1 extra social.
  - c. Polish your bent (optional) to compete for the “Best Bent” award at the banquet! See instructions online.
  - d. Bent Polishing Social on Thursday at 4pm outside of Weil Hall near the bent
- VI. Guest Speaker**
- a. Associate Dean Bolch
- VII. GatorTRAX**
- a. Eastside GatorTRAX #3: 8:30am Nov. 18th
  - b. Eastside GatorTRAX #4: 8:30am Nov. 19th
  - c. Eastside GatorTRAX #5: 10:30am Nov. 19th
- VIII. Social Coordinator**
- a. Brass Tap: Wednesday Nov. 18th 9pm
  - b. The Breakfast Club (AFTER INITIATION): Sunday Nov. 22nd 1pm
- IX. Service Coordinator**
- a. Humane Society Service
  - b. Thursday 11/19 3pm – 6pm at the Alachua County Humane Society.
  - c. RSVP here: <http://uftbp.com/page.php?p=eventRSVP>
- X. President**
- a. Officer Elections: Next meeting on December 1st in CSE E119! Everyone is encouraged to run for a position!
  - b. Go to <http://www.uftbp.com/page.php?p=officerDescriptions> or contact current officers to learn more about the available positions.
  - c. If you are planning to run, please tentatively mark your calendar for December 3rd for the Officer Transition Meeting
  - d. Nomination form: <http://goo.gl/forms/bc0NBfID0X>
- XI. Fundamental Principles and Challenge Problem**
- XII. Check out our website at** <http://www.uftbp.com/>
- XIII. Master List of Dates:** <http://www.uftbp.com/page.php?p=calendar>
- XIV. Master List of Links/Job Opportunities:** <http://tinyurl.com/tbp-links>

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 12.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Fall Active Member Scholarship      **Date(s) of Project:** 11/20/2015

**Project area:**       Community/ Liberal Culture       University/ College       Profession/ Engineering       Chapter/ Social       Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**      Members: 3      Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**      Organizing: 1      Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

Members who met the requirements for Active Membership this semester had the opportunity to fill out a short application for a \$100 scholarship from the chapter. The recipient was to be chosen based on involvement in the chapter, academic success, and professional ambitions. The recipient for the scholarship for the Fall semester was Felipe Lenz, the chapter Recording Secretary.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of the scholarship is to provide incentives for members who have put in considerable effort and shown dedication to TBP.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

This award was budgeted at the beginning of the semester, organized by the chapter President and Vice President, and presented at the end of semester banquet.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

This award was funded through the chapter account.

### V. Special Problems:

No special problems encountered.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The award was a success. A dedicated and hard working officer was awarded for his efforts and was very grateful to be recognized.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Felipe Lenz, Celeste Rousseau, Thomas Scruggs

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 13.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Fall Initiation Ceremony

**Date(s) of Project:** 11/20/2015

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 15 Electees: 68

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 3 Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

Candidates were inducted into Tau Beta Pi by means of a semi-annual secret ceremony. This semester 68 electees were initiated including Dr. Cammy Abernathy, the Dean of the College of Engineering!

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The event intends to instill in candidates a lifelong commitment to distinguished scholarship and exemplary character.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The event was organized by a committee of members and advertised at the chapter's bimonthly meetings.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

No outside personnel were required. Material costs including extra batteries, light bulbs, and aluminum foil did not exceed \$20.

### V. Special Problems:

The initiation coordinator faced some friction from the registrar in terms of room reservation. Inextinguishable lighting fixtures were concealed with aluminum foil. It was difficult to arrange candidates in the constricting hallway outside the initiation room. The

lights were flicked on at an inappropriate time during the ritual. Many electees did not bring their bents to the ceremony, but there were plenty of spares. In future semesters the Initiation Coordinator will make more announcements about the need for electees to bring their bents.

#### **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

Despite a misstep during the ritual, the event successfully initiated 68 new members. All of the new initiates were very excited to be a member of Tau Beta Pi.

#### **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Addie Kraemer, Felipe Lenz, Jessica Matthews, Julian Rey, Celeste Rousseau, Ben Schwaller, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Chad Spreadbury, Nikki Weiss

Electees in Attendance: Cammy Abernathy, Islam Badreldin, John Barta, Paige Bohana, Kristin Byers, Sarmad Chaudhry, Cristian Cocconcelli, Courtney Crawford, Ryan Dargan, Adithya Munegowda Devraj, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Brian Dinenberg, Michael Everette, Shaheen Farhadi, Scott Fenton, Margaret Fettis, Maddy Fuchs, Daniel Fuenmayor, Rachel Giles, Cassandra Gilley, Andrew Girard, Vanessa Guarnizo, Remy Hanewinckel, Adriana Henao, David Hernando, Alex Hicks, Jacob Holloway, Nicholas Kelton, Savannah Kirwan, Jiajun Lei, Adam LeMay, Michael Lindsey, Dana Lobmeyer, Paul (Jacob) Logas, Ian Malone, Celina Mariano, Kenneth McIntyre, Mark McNeely, Louis Mihalinec, Christian Miller, Lindsey Mitchell, Madeleine Monfort, Jacob Montgomery, Jacob Morrison, Carlos Murillo, Michael Orlando, Gabrielle Paredes, Hrishit Parikh, Charles Peaden, Adrian Piedra, Chris Pope, Brianna Posadas, Oswaldo Reina, Alexander Robau, Troy Sandler, Cesar Santoyo, Anderson Sheets, Emily Steele, Erick Stein, Samuel Thomas, Sandor Valenciaga, Stephanie Voight, Yuzheng Wang, Samantha Webster, Alan Williams, Gregory Wolfe, Jennifer Yoder, Zenong Zhang

Advisors in Attendance: Elif Akcali, Mike Griffis

Alumni in Attendance: Jason Abdella, Wesley Bolch, Greg Hudalla





Congrats to the Fall 2015 initiate class!



Thanks to the officers, advisors, and alumni who came out to help with the ceremony to initiate Dean Abernathy (bottom right)!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 14.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Fall Banquet

**Date(s) of Project:** 11/20/2015

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 55 Electees: N/A

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 4 Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

The Fall Banquet is one of two annual end-of-semester banquets. The banquet was capped at 80 attendees, however 84 were in attendance. Among these 84 were 9 officers, 3 alumni, and 26 guests, with the new members as the remaining 46. At the banquet multiple awards are given out including: Best Bent, Best Electee, Best Member, Best Officer, and the Active Member Scholarship.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of this event is to celebrate the initiation of the new members in the Fall 2015 semester.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The Banquet Coordinator organized the event by booking the venue and hiring the guest speaker.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

The upfront cost for the event was \$1,722.25. The Banquet Coordinator took attendance and the Treasurer took money for guests. Dr. Elif Akcali, a Florida Alpha faculty advisor, gave a speech about creativity in engineering.

## V. Special Problems:

A miscommunication by the Banquet Coordinator caused a new member to not RSVP correctly to the event with his family members. The venue had made extra meals, so the member and his family were accommodated.

## VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The banquet was a lot of fun and the high-quality food served was well received by all present.

## VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Islam Badreldin, John Barta, Paige Bohana, Kristin Byers, Sarmad Chaudhry, Ryan Dargan, Adithya M Devraj, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Brian Dinenberg, Michael Everette, Shaheen Farhadi, Daniel Fuenmayor, Eric Fuller, Cassandra Gilley, Andrew Girard, Remy Hanewinckel, Adriana Henao, Zachary Hutcheson, Nicholas Kelton, Savannah Kirwan, Felipe Lenz, Michael Lindsey, Dana Lobmeyer, Paul Logas, Celina Mariano, Jessica Matthews, Kenneth McIntyre, Mark McNeely, Lindsey Mitchell, Madeleine Monfort, Jacob Montgomery, Jacob Morrison, Michael Orlando, Gabrielle Paredes, Hrishit Parikh, Adrian Piedra, Chris Pope, Oswaldo Reina Marmol, Celeste Rousseau, Cesar Santoyo, Benjamjn Schwaller, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Anderson Sheets, Emily Steele, Kimmair Tran, Sandor Valenciaga, Stephanie Voight, Yuzheng Wang, Samantha Webster, Colton Weimerskirch, Nikki Weiss, Gregory Wolfe, Jennifer Yoder

Advisors in Attendance: Elif Akcali, Mike Griffis



The President and Vice President took turns giving out awards and speaking.



Newly initiated members celebrating their membership with family and chapter advisors!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 15.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Fall Officer Elections

**Date(s) of Project:** 12/01/2015

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 56 Electees: N/A

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 1 Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

Officer elections took place requiring those interested in a position(s) to make a 1 minute speech. People who obtained a majority vote from the members present became the new officer. This was repeated for each of the 19 officer positions available for Spring 2016.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

This meeting is crucial for gaining new leadership in TBP for the upcoming semester. Great leadership will ensure more involvement in our Florida Alpha TBP chapter.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The meeting was organized and run by the President and the attendance Google Form was created by the Recording Secretary. The Vice President was responsible for reserving the room for the meeting. The Social Coordinators were responsible for ordering the food for the meeting.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Tau Beta Pi paid for the pizza and soda provided at the meeting.

### V. Special Problems:

N/A

## **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The election process ran smoothly and all of the officer positions were filled (except the 3 President Appointed Positions which will require further review by the president and FE Review Coordinator). We look forward to next semester!

## **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Islam Badreldin, Shannon Brown, Kristiin Byers, Sarmad Chaudhry, Cristian Cocconcelli, Courtney Crawford, Adithya Devraj, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Ryan Dragon, Eric Dunkelberger, Alyssa Egnew, Michael Everette, Scott Fenton, Emily Ferradaz, Margaret Fettis, Daniel Fuenmayor, Rachel Giles, Aaron Goldman, Vanessa Guarnizo, Matthew Harwood, Tim Knowles, Addie Kraemer, Jiajun Lei, Adam LeMay, Felipe Lenz Carvalho, Michael Lindsey, Thomas Linehan, Dana Lobmeyer, Jessica Matthews, Kenneth McIntyre, Mark Mcneely, Louis Mihalinec, Matthew Moraguez, Jacob Morrison, Carlos Murillo, Kaitlynn Olczak, Michael Orlando, Gabrielle Paredes, Christopher Pope, Julian Rey, Max Rogozinski, Celeste Rousseau, Benjamin Schwaller, Michael Shang, Anderson Sheets, Christopher Silva, Zachary Smythurst, Chad Spreadbury, Ryan St Pierre, Samuel Thomas, Kimmai Tran, Fernando Villafuerte, Kiersten Wang, Colton Weimerskirch, Nikki Weiss, Alan Williams

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 16.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Fall Officer Transition Meeting      **Date(s) of Project:** 12/3/2015

**Project area:**       Community/ Liberal Culture       University/ College       Profession/ Engineering       Chapter/ Social       Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**      Members: 13      Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**      Organizing: 1      Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

The outgoing officers met with their corresponding incoming officers for each position to fill out Officer Transition Reports and provide any other necessary resources and advice to help the incoming officers take over the responsibilities of their position. The meeting is only required for incoming or outgoing officers.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

This meeting is held each semester to ensure a smooth transition between officer teams so that regular chapter operations and events continue to occur and that officers have the tools they need to succeed in their responsibilities.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The event was organized by the President and held in a classroom.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

The event incurred no cost to the chapter.

### V. Special Problems:

The projector in the classroom didn't work.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The event was a success. New officers were provided the information they needed to begin planning for the spring semesters and were able to ask questions to clear up remaining uncertainties about the responsibilities of their positions.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Ryan Dargan, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Emily Ferradaz, Matthew Harwood, Adam LeMay, Felipe Lenz, Thomas Linehan, Kenneth McIntyre, Celeste Rousseau Thomas Scruggs, Ryan St Pierre, Colton Weimerskirch



# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 17.

New     Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Fall Benton Engineering Council Meetings    **Date(s) of Project:** 9.7, 9.21, 10.5, 10.19, 11.2, 11.16, 11.30

**Project area:**     Community/ Liberal Culture     University/ College     Profession/ Engineering     Chapter/ Social     Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**                      Members: 1                      Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**                      Organizing: 0                      Participating: 7

**I. General Description:**

Tau Beta Pi is one of the many engineering societies that participates in the Benton Engineering Council (BEC) umbrella organization, which oversees all of the societies in the College of Engineering. BEC controls funding for engineering societies and requires at least 1 representative from each society to attend all of the general body meetings. These representatives then report back to their societies on updates and events going on in the whole College of Engineering.

**II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:**

It is important that Tau Beta Pi participates in such an umbrella organization to inform the College of Engineering about the many events our society hosts and stimulate interest in becoming a TBP member.

**III. Organization & Administration:** (in conjunction with another group?  Yes     No)  
 Participation is in conjunction with the UF Benton Engineering Council.

**IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:**

No costs or personnel required.

**V. Special Problems:**

No problems were encountered.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

Overall, the general body meetings ran smoothly, punctually, and always provided a printed agenda. Valuable information was shared between all of the different College of Engineering societies. By being a part of BEC, Tau Beta Pi maintains good standing within the College of Engineering and informs potential members of the opportunities of being a Florida Alpha Tau Bate.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Addie Kraemer

# Chapter Operations

Spring 2016



# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 18.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Advisory Board Meeting      **Date(s) of Project:** 01/07/2016

**Project area:**       Community/ Liberal Culture       University/ College       Profession/ Engineering       Chapter/ Social       Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**      Members: 3      Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**      Organizing: 2      Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

The Advisory Board Meeting is held during the first week of the semester to discuss chapter goals and upcoming events. The Board consists of the President, Vice President, Corresponding Secretary, and alumnus advisors.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of the Advisory Board Meeting is to keep the advisors informed of chapter activities, as well brainstorm ideas for improvement for the upcoming year.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The President organized the meeting by emailing all Advisory Board members. The President reserved the MAE-A 221 conference room through the College of Engineering. This room is available at no cost to the chapter. The meeting took place at 7:30 AM to accommodate everyone's schedules. The distance advisors participated in the meeting via a teleconference set up by an Advisor.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

All Advisory Board members were required to attend. There was no cost associated with the meeting.

## **V. Special Problems:**

Three advisors were unable to attend. However, they were updated via emails from the President.

## **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The meeting was a success. Advisors approved the changes to the budget and were informed about important upcoming dates. There were also some exciting ideas proposed for the remainder of the year.

## **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Thomas Scruggs, Celeste Rousseau, Michael Shang

Advisors in Attendance: Elif Akcali, Mike Griffis, Emily Hester

### Agenda:

- I. Fall Semester Review
  - a. 68 new members!
  - b. Our 19 officers organized 52 chapter projects!
  - c. Started working on clocktower
  - d. Corporate Dinner raised \$1200
  - e. Halloween Murder Mystery Dinner Party
  - f. National Convention: Chapter Project Award, Secretary's Commendation, District 5 Recognition Award
  - g. Still waiting on UF to pay invoice to Nationals for new members
- II. Budget Review
- III. Bylaws Review
- IV. Upcoming Dates/Events
  - a. Officer Meeting: Tuesday, Jan. 12, 7:30pm
  - b. Member Meeting: Tuesday, Jan. 19, 7:30pm
  - c. Information Sessions: Tuesday, Jan. 26, 12:50pm & 7:30pm
  - d. Meeting #1: Tuesday, Feb. 2, 7:30pm
  - e. GatorTRAX, TEE, E-Futures, Pi Day Run, District Conference
- V. Open Discussion
  - a. Teaching Award
  - b. Laureate (Kiersten)

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 19.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Officer Meeting

**Date(s) of Project:** 01/12/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 22

Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 2

Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

Each semester, the officer meeting is held during one of the first weeks of school. All officers are informed of upcoming events and given the opportunity to ask questions. New officers learn about the proper way to fill out project reports and how to send out a list-serve email. The President reminded officers to fill out weekly officer updates via Google Forms and informed officers about attendance expectations.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

This meeting helps answer new officers' questions about their position, and makes sure that everyone knows about the expectations for the upcoming semester. Officer hours were selected and officers were reminded of electee requirements. "This Week in Tau Beta Pi" e-mail will begin next week—events and other announcements for the upcoming week will be sent out on Sunday evenings to reduce the number of emails sent out to members and electees. Reminders the day-of events are still encouraged.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Officers were informed of the time and place of the meeting. The President reserved conference room 307 in the Weil through the College of Engineering. The meeting was held at 7:30 PM to accommodate the officers' schedules.

#### **IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:**

All officers were required to attend the meeting. There were no costs associated with the meeting, as reserved classrooms are free for student groups.

#### **V. Special Problems:**

No special problems encountered.

#### **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The meeting was a success. Most of the officers were in attendance and everyone was aware of the expectations for the upcoming semester. The two officers that weren't in attendance were also kept up to date through email and individual meetings. We also efficiently stuffed the eligibility letters for this semester.

#### **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Ryan Dargan, Michael Everette, Emily Ferradaz, Daniel Fuenmayor, Matthew Harwood, Jiajun Lei, Adam LeMay, Felipe Lenz, Jessica Matthews, Kenneth McIntyre, Matthew Moraguez, Jacob Morrison, Julian Rey, Celeste Rousseau, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Chad Spreadbury, Ryan St. Pierre, Kiersten Wang, Colton Weimerskirch

#### Agenda:

##### I. Welcome Back and Introductions

- a. Name, Major, Year, Officer Position(s), Fun thing you did over break

##### II. Budget

- a. The budget for my position \_\_\_\_\_, is \$\_\_\_\_\_
- b. Email budget expenditures with receipts to Matt H. within ONE WEEK of you event

##### III. Office Hours

- a. Office Hours begin Monday, January 25 th

##### IV. Officer Guidelines

###### a. Attendance

Your attendance is expected at EVERY meeting. Please email me at least 24 hours prior with a valid reason if you cannot attend.

You are expected to attend one social, service, and E-Futures event of your choice. PLEASE be as active as possible.

###### b. Officer meetings

Weekly meeting to update everyone what's going on with your position

Time and location TBA

- c. This Week in Tau Beta Pi – Submit your events for the week by the Sunday



before at 2pm to Felipe.

d. List Serv Emails and Short website tutorial (uftbp.com)

e. Emails and Email Forwarding

Please respond to TBP email within 24 hours

V. Officer Retreat

a. Ideas? Beach? Hiking?

VI. Project Reports

a. Project Reports and typed attendance sheets are due within ONE WEEK of your events. Please remember to TAKE PICTURES at your events!

VII. Electee Requirements

a. Candidate vs. Electee

b. Paperwork: Application, Interview Form, Interview, and Graduate Form

c. 6 hours of service (GatorTRAX session for 3 of those hours)

d. 1 social

e. 3 out of 4 meetings (meeting 3 is not required)

f. Electee-Only Social

g. Catalog Card: National Copy

h. \$100 Dues

VIII. Clocktower

a. Committee is getting ready to start up again. Let me know if you are interested in joining

IX. Officer Polo Signup

X. Upcoming Dates/Events

a. Member Meeting: Tuesday, Jan. 19, 7:30pm

b. Information Sessions: Tuesday, Jan. 26, 12:50pm & 7:30pm

c. Meeting #1 Tuesday, Feb. 2, 7:30pm

d. GatorTRAX #1: Sunday, Feb. 13, 9am

e. Banquet and Initiation: Friday, April 8 th

f. Master List of Dates & Calendar

XI. Open Discussion

a. Facebook group

b. Groupme?

XII. Pictures for website

XIII. Letter Stuffing

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 20.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Member Meeting

**Date(s) of Project:** 01/19/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 66 Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 2 Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

Members met for the first meeting of the Spring 2016 semester to vote on bylaw changes and review the requirements for active membership. Officers also announced upcoming events and opportunities to the members (Volunteering, Social events, and E-Futures).

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The President and officers communicated clearly to our members the bylaws, active membership requirements, career development opportunities, and volunteering opportunities.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The meeting was organized and run by the President of the chapter, the Vice President reserved the room for the meeting, and the Recording Secretary created the agendas and attendance Google Form.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

The Social Coordinator paid for pizza and refreshments.

### V. Special Problems:

N/A

## **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The event was successful. We approved the bylaw changes, members were more informed of the requirements for active membership, and reminded of the Active Membership Scholarship. Also, it was emphasized that members should help promote Tau Beta Pi to prospective members by attending one of the upcoming informational sessions, making announcements in their classes, or encouraging friends they know that are eligible to join.

## **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Islam Badreldin, John Barta, Shannon Brown, Kristin Byers, Sarmad Chaudhry, Kirk Cheney, Ryan Dargan, Adithya M Devraj, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Eric Dunkelberger, Michael Everette, Scott Fenton, Emily Ferradaz, Margaret Fettis, Maddy Fuchs, Daniel Fuenmayor, Kasandra Gilley, Evan Glass, Vanessa Guarnizo, Michael Hallenstein, Matthew Harwood, Nicholas Kelton, Savannah Kirwan, Jiajun Lei, Adam LeMay, Felipe Lenz, Michael Lindsey, Thomas Linehan, Dana Lobmeyer, Ian Malone, Jessica Matthews, Kenneth McIntyre, Mark McNeely, Louis Mihalinec, Anjali Modi, Madeleine Monfort, Jacob Montgomery, Matthew Moraguez, Jacob Morrison, Kaitlynn Olczak, Michael Orlando, Jorge Osio-Norgaard, Gabrielle Paredes, Adrian Piedra, Chris Pope, Julian Rey, Jonathan Rosales, Celeste Rousseau, Cesar Santoyo, Benjamin Schwaller, Michael Shang, Anthony Sheets, Chad Spreadbury, Ryan St Pierre, Erick Stein, Samuel Thomas, Kimmai Tran, Jason Traub, Sandor Valencia, Kiersten Wang, Samantha Webster, Colton Weimerskirch, Nikki Weiss, Alan Williams, Jennifer Yoder, Fanchao Zhu

### Agenda:

I. Welcome Back!

II. Open Officer Positions

a. SECME Coordinator and FE Review Coordinator.

III. Ratification Ballot Voting

IV. Active Membership

a. Requirements: Member Meeting, Candidate Elections (Meeting 3), Officer Elections, One "Non-Meeting" Event

b. Meeting excuses permitted if sent to Member Coordinator, Adam LeMay (adamdleMay@ufl.edu), 24 hours in advance

c. Active Member Scholarship: one member to be awarded \$250 based on semester participation and attendance to one E-Futures event

i. Application: <http://goo.gl/forms/mnC2rNtM6p> due at 11:59 PM on March 31st

V. TBP Scholarship: ~220 scholarships at \$2,000 each!

a. Due April 1st

b. Apply here: <http://tbp.org/scholarships.cfm>

VI. TBP Fellowships: \$10,000

- a. Due February 1st
- b. Apply here: <http://tbp.org/fellowships.cfm>
- c. Graduate Study Plan, Extracurricular Activities, Class Ranking,

#### VII. Tau Beta Pi Day

- a. Pi Run Committee
  - i. Publicity Chair: advertising through COE, flyering, managing on-line sign up.
  - ii. Volunteers Chair: receive volunteer requests, organize shifts for race day.
  - iii. Equipment Chair: order tables, running clocks, bibs.
- b. Contact Nikki Weiss ([ne.weiss@ufl.edu](mailto:ne.weiss@ufl.edu)) if you would like to volunteer!

#### VIII. Clocktower Committee

- a. Working on finalizing designs
- b. If interested in helping out email Thomas ([tbpflalpha@gmail.com](mailto:tbpflalpha@gmail.com))

#### IX. E-Futures

- a. First Workshop: Group Process on February 21st at 1PM, location TBD
- b. Open to ALL Students!

#### X. Other

- a. Pick up your TBP keys!

#### XI. Master Lists

- a. Important forms, events, job opportunities listed here: [https://docs.google.com/document/d/1RlrqFWCUB6fAWM3E0On\\_v-JiE44SGS\\_qhFM5onavYGM/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1RlrqFWCUB6fAWM3E0On_v-JiE44SGS_qhFM5onavYGM/edit?usp=sharing)
- b. Calendar events all listed here: <http://www.uftbp.com/page.php?p=calendar>

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 21.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Info Sessions

**Date(s) of Project:** 01/26/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 20 Candidates: 10

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 1 Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

Candidates attended one of the 2 info sessions (12:50 PM or 7:30 PM) for more information on how to join Tau Beta Pi, what Tau Beta Pi is all about, and some of the events that we participate in. They also had the opportunity to meet some of the officers and ask questions.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The info sessions are a crucial step in promoting Tau Beta Pi and encouraging candidates to join.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The President and Vice President of the chapter organized the info sessions. Candidate Handbooks were prepared and printed out by the Vice Presidents of Electees. The Recording Secretary was in charge of attendance.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Tau Beta Pi paid for the pizza and beverages provided at the info sessions.

### V. Special Problems:

N/A

## VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The event was successful! We had fewer candidates than in the Fall semester, which is expected. Candidates asked questions during the info sessions and listened to any advice and encouragement from current officers and members about joining.

## VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Ryan Dargan, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Michael Everette, Emily Ferradaz, Daniel Fuenmayor, Matthew Harwood, Jiajun Lei, Adam LeMay, Felipe Lenz, Jessica Matthews, Kenneth McIntyre, Julian Rey, Celeste Rousseau, Benjamin Schwaller, Michael Shang, Chad Spreadbury, Ryan St Pierre, Colton Weimerskirch, Nikki Weiss

Electees in Attendance: Marvin Andujar, Reagan Fuhr, Nikita Goldfarb, Wesley Henson, Catherine Miney, Mary Regan, Sebastian Sayavedra, Travis Satiritz, Max Stein, Tanner Thornton



Powerpoint presentation used at the info sessions to introduce candidates to Tau Beta Pi!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 22.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Meeting 1

**Date(s) of Project:** 02/02/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 40 Candidates: 11

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 1 Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

This was the first general body meeting of the Spring 2016 semester. Electees were reminded of the Electee Requirements and introduced to some National TBP scholarships available. Graduate students were reminded of the deadline to submit their paperwork. Officers announced upcoming events and opportunities to the members (TEE, GatorTRAX, E-Futures, Tutoring, Service events and TBPi Day).

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The candidates were able to interact with current members and officers. They were also informed of upcoming opportunities that could count toward their Electee Requirements.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The meeting was organized and run by the President of the chapter, the Vice President reserved the room for the meeting, and the Recording Secretary created the agendas and attendance Google Form. Social Coordinators were in charge of ordering the food.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Tau Beta Pi paid for the pizza + beverages provided at the meeting, and covered the cost for printing the meeting agendas at Target Copy.

### V. Special Problems:

N/A

## VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

This first general body meeting went well. Candidates asked officers questions about Electee Requirements.

## VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Alexander Adams, John Barta, Shannon Brown, Kirk Cherney, Courtney Crawford, Stephen Crawford, Ryan Dargan, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Michael Everette, Emily Ferradaz, Margaret Fettis, Daniel Fuenmayor, Aaron Goldman, Seth Kittles, Jiajun Lei, Adam Lemay, Dana Lobmeyer, Jessica Matthews, Kenneth McIntyre, Madeleine Monfort, Jacob Montgomery, Matthew Morguez, Jacob Morrison, Michael Orlando, Chris Pope, Brianna Posadas, Julian Rey, Celeste Rousseau, Benjamin Schwaller, Michael Shang, Anderson Sheets, Eman Shreteh, Zachary Smythurst, Chad Spreadbury, Ryan St Pierre, Kimmai Tran, Kiersten Wang, Colton Weimerskirch, Nikki Weiss, Jennifer Yoder

Electees in Attendance: Marvin Andujar, Fidel Esquivel Estay, Blake Fricker, Troy Heinzmann, Alex Marques, Dustin Popp, Mary Regan, Sebastian Sayavedra, Ryan Scheinkman, Max Stein, Tanner Thornton

### Agenda:

#### I. Tau Bate Spotlight

#### II. VPs of Electees

- a. Review of Eligibility Code and Electee Requirements
- b. Informal interviews start on: \_\_\_\_\_

#### III. Graduate Coordinator

- a. Graduate student paperwork due on Wednesday February 10<sup>th</sup> at 5pm.
- b. Instructions available here: <http://uftbp.com/page.php?p=paperworkInstructions>
- c. Contact [tbgradcoordinator@gmail.com](mailto:tbgradcoordinator@gmail.com) with questions.

#### IV. Clocktower Committee

#### V. GatorTRAX Coordinator

- a. Save the Dates! GatorTRAX Events will take place on
  - i. February 13<sup>th</sup>
  - ii. March 12<sup>th</sup>
  - iii. March 2<sup>nd</sup>
- b. For all events: Location TBD, 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM (All volunteers please arrive by 8:45 AM)
- c. Please RSVP!

#### VI. Social Coordinators

- a. First social event is TONIGHT! Right after this meeting we are heading to Mochi on University Ave to grab some froyo! If you are a candidate, this event will count towards your initiation social event requirement!



VII. Initiation Coordinator

- a. The Fundamental Principles memory challenge
- b. Recite the complete principles to the Principles Committee before Initiation for a prize at the Banquet!

VIII. Check out our website at <http://www.uftbp.com/>

IX. Master List of Dates: <http://www.uftbp.com/page.php?p=calendar>

X. Master List of Links/Job Opportunities: <http://tinyurl.com/tbp-links>

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 23.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Officer Meeting #2

**Date(s) of Project:** 02/09/2016

**Project area:**     Community/ Liberal Culture     University/ College     Profession/ Engineering     Chapter/ Social     Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**                      Members: 21                      Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**                      Organizing: 1                      Participating: 1

**I. General Description:**

This semester, we have implemented more officer meetings to increase communication between officers, and ensure all chapter operations are going smoothly. Officers are given a chance to speak about their upcoming events, and to bring up any concerns about the events. These meetings allow the entire officer team to brainstorm solutions to any of the problems encountered, and stay up-to-date on the activities within the chapter.

**II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:**

This meeting helps the chapter run efficiently, and ensure that all officers are aware of what is going on in the chapter. By keeping all of the officers informed and solving problems, the standard of excellence of the chapter is maintained.

**III. Organization & Administration:** (in conjunction with another group?  Yes  No)

Officers were informed of the time and place of the meeting. The President reserved conference room 307 in the Weil through the College of Engineering. The meeting was held at 7:30 PM to accommodate the officers' schedules.

**IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:**

All officers were required to attend the meeting. There were no costs associated with the meeting, as reserved classrooms are free for student groups.

**V. Special Problems:**

No special problems encountered.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The meeting was a success. Most of the officers were in attendance and everyone was aware of the expectations for the upcoming semester. The two officers that weren't in attendance were also kept up to date through email and individual meetings. We also efficiently stuffed the eligibility letters for this semester.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Ryan Dargan, Michael Everette, Emily Ferradaz, Daniel Fuenmayor, Matthew Harwood, Jiajun Lei, Adam LeMay, Felipe Lenz, Jessica Matthews, Kenneth McIntyre, Jacob Morrison, Julian Rey, Celeste Rousseau, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Chad Spreadbury, Ryan St. Pierre, Kiersten Wang, Colton Weimerskirch

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number 24.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Meeting 2

**Date(s) of Project:** 02/16/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 34 Candidates: 13

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 1 Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

This was the second general body meeting of the Spring 2016 semester. Members were reminded of upcoming social events, service events, initiation date, graduation stoles, etc.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Inform members of upcoming events and elect prospective TBP members.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The meeting was organized and run by the President of the chapter, the Vice President reserved the room for the meeting, and the Recording Secretary created the agendas and attendance Google Form. Social Coordinators were in charge of ordering the food.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Tau Beta Pi paid for the pizza + beverages provided at the meeting, and covered the cost for printing the meeting agendas at Target Copy.

### V. Special Problems:

N/A

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

This general body meeting went well and everyone enjoyed the free pizza.

## VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Alexander Adams, Shannon Brown, Kirk Cheney, Timothy Clingenpeel, Cristian Cocconcelli, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Ryan Dragon, Michael Everette, Emily Ferradaz, Daniel Fuenmayor, Vanessa Guarnizo, Matthew Harwood, Jiajun Lei, Adam LeMay, Felipe Lenz, Jessica Matthews, Kenneth McIntyre, Mark McNeely, Anjali Modi, Matthew Moraguez, Jacob Morrison, Michael Orlando, Julian Rey, Benjamin Schwaller, Michael Shang, Anderson Sheets, Chad Spreadbury, Ryan St Pierre, Emily Steele, Kimmai Tran, Kiersten Wang, Colton Weimerskirch, Nikki Weiss, Alan Williams

Electees in Attendance: Marvin Andujar, Anup Kumar Doraiswamy, Fidel Esquivel Estay, Nikita Goldfarb, Probal Guha, Troy Heinzmann, Wesley Henson, Alex Marques, Catherine Miney, Dustin Popp, Mary Regan, Sebastian Sayavedra, Ryan Scheinkman, Max Stein

### Agenda:

#### I. Tau Bate Spotlight

#### II. Last Week in TBP

#### III. VPs of Electees

- a. Sign up for the candidate interview before Tuesday, March 8<sup>th</sup>!
  - i. Visit the “How to Join” page on the website to sign up for an interview time: <http://www.uftbp.com/page.php?p=candidateInfo>.
  - ii. Also fill out Interview Form and Application before your interview
- b. Please fill out your online catalog card!
  - i. [www.tbp.org/CatalogCard/](http://www.tbp.org/CatalogCard/)
  - ii. Chapter: FL-A
  - iii. Pin: 1001
- c. Best Electee Award Eligibility
  - i. Attend 1 E-Futures session
  - ii. Complete 3 additional service hours
  - iii. Attend 1 additional social

#### IV. Clocktower Committee

- a. Sub-Group Meetings
  - i. Sundial: Monday (2/22) at 5pm in MAE-B 210
  - ii. Screen: Monday (2/22) at 6pm in MAE-B 210

#### V. Engineering Futures Professional Workshop #1

- a. The 1st TBP professional workshop of this spring semester will take place on February 21<sup>st</sup> (Sunday) at 1pm in MAT 0002.
  - i. This is one of our most popular workshops and will cover Groups Process. I hope to see you all there! RSVP here: <http://www.uftbp.com/page.php?p=eventRSVP>

#### VI. Member Candidate Social

- a. Tuesday, February 23<sup>rd</sup> ! It will be in CSE E220 from 6:15 to 8:00pm!  
Come for free ice cream + games + friends + fun.
  - b. Sign up here: <http://www.uftbp.com/page.php?p=eventRSVP>
- VII. Bring your books
- a. Bring your books to the TBP office during the semester. All books will be donated to Friends of the Library, which raises money for the Alachua County Library District!
- VIII. TEE Committee
- a. Meeting tomorrow (2/17) at 5:15pm in MAE-B 210
  - b. Help generate a resource for future engineers to use!
- IX. GatorTRAX
- a. GatorTRAX #2 – March 12<sup>th</sup> (Saturday) from 9am to 12pm in CSE E222
  - b. GatorTRAX #3 – March 26<sup>th</sup> (Saturday) from 9am to 12pm in CSE E119
- X. Service Coordinators
- a. Coffee for a Cause
    - i. Starting today we will begin serving coffee and snack out of the office with donations going to our Relay For Life team
    - ii. Help us reach our donation goal!
  - b. Project Makeover
    - i. We will be helping renovate Rawlings Elementary School this Saturday (2/20) 1pm – 3pm!
    - ii. RSVP here: <https://goo.gl/INwsyi>
    - iii. More details will be emailed out later this week
- XI. Beer Wednesdays
- a. Tall Paul's February 17<sup>th</sup> at 9:00pm
- XII. Pi Day 5k run – Sunday, March 13<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 AM at Boulware Springs
- a. Come join Tau Beta Pi for the Pi Day 5k run! It will be a great time with pie at the finish line!
    - i. Cost: \$5
    - ii. Open to EVERYONE! You do not need to be a Tau Beta Pi member to run
    - iii. Register by February 24th!
 If you would like to run please sign up here: <http://goo.gl/forms/Vr39l69hl4>  
 Please help! You are still able to run if you volunteer:  
<http://goo.gl/forms/UiulxKjuxf>
- XIII. Initiation Coordinator
- a. Fundamental Principles
  - b. Challenge Series
    - i. Due Friday February 26<sup>th</sup>
    - ii. Email to [dfuenmayor@ufl.edu](mailto:dfuenmayor@ufl.edu)
- XIV. Team Rock, Paper, Scissors
- XV. Check out our website at <http://www.uftbp.com/>
- XVI. Master List of Dates: <http://www.uftbp.com/page.php?p=calendar>

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 25.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Meeting 3

**Date(s) of Project:** 03/08/2016

**Project area:**  Community/  
Liberal Culture  University/  
College  Profession/  
Engineering  Chapter/  
Social  Education/  
Professional  
Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 45 Candidates: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 1 Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

This was the third general body meeting and candidate elections of the Spring 2016 semester. Members were reminded of upcoming social events, service events, initiation date, graduation stoles, etc. Candidate election followed and 19 candidates were elected for membership.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Inform members of upcoming events and elect prospective TBP members.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The meeting was organized and run by the President of the chapter, the Vice President reserved the room for the meeting, and the Recording Secretary created the agendas and attendance Google Form. Social Coordinators were in charge of ordering the food.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Tau Beta Pi paid for the pizza + beverages provided at the meeting, and covered the cost for printing the meeting agendas at Target Copy.

### V. Special Problems:

N/A

## **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

This general body meeting went well. 19 candidates were elected!

## **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Islam Badreldin, John Barta, Shannon Brown, Kristin Byers, Kirk Cherney, Cristian Cocconcelli, Stephen Crawford, Ryan Dargan, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Michael Everette, Scott Fenton, Emily Ferradaz, Margaret Fettis, Daniel Fuenmayor, Kasandra Gilley, Evan Glass, Michael Hallenstein, Matthew Harwood, Jiajun Lei, Adam LeMay, Felipe Lenz, Dana Lobmeyer, Jessica Matthews, Kenneth McIntyre, Jacob Montgomery, Jacob Morrison, Michael Orlando, Adrian Piedra, Chris Pope, Brianna Posadas, Cesar Santoyo, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Anderson Sheets, Chad Spreadbury, Ryan St Pierre, Emily Steele, Kimmai Tran, Jason Traub, Kiersten Wang, Samantha Webster, Colton Weimerskirch, Nikki Weiss, Alan Williams, Jennifer Yoder

## Agenda:

### I. Last Week in TBP

### II. Pi Day 5k run

- a. The run will take place on Sunday, March 13th at 9:30am at Boulware Springs.
- b. It costs 5\$ and is open to everyone! Tell all your friends!

### III. President

- a. Active Member Scholarship
  - i. \$250 scholarship open to all current active members!
  - ii. Apply here by March 31 st : <http://goo.gl/forms/Nm9lXxHz30>

### IV. Vice President

- a. E-Futures Session (Team Chartering)
  - i. This is the last E-Futures session of the spring semester and will be held on Sunday, March 20 th from 1-5pm in room MAT 002.
  - ii. RSVP here so we can get the right count of publix subs:  
<http://uftbp.com/page.php?p=eventRSVP>
- b. Bring your books
  - i. Bring your books to the TBP office during the semester. All books will be donated to Friends of the Library, which raises money for the Alachua County Library District!

### V. Social Coordinators

- a. Dodgeball tournament, register by tomorrow
  - i. The dodgeball tournament will take place from Mar 14th to Mar



31th at 6:30 pm.

ii. Register here by March 19th at noon: <https://goo.gl/b7oBze>

b. Beer Wednesdays

i. Tall Paul's Tomorrow, March 9<sup>th</sup> at 9:00pm

VI. GatorTRAX

a. We'll be hosting our second GatorTRAX event this Saturday Mar 12 at 8:45am in CSE E222. Please come out and volunteer!

b. Questions? Send them to Kiersten at [ufgatortrax@gmail.com](mailto:ufgatortrax@gmail.com)

VII. Service Coordinators

a. Adopt-A- Street Cleanup #2

i. Come help out and volunteer at our 2nd roadside pickup of the semester on Sunday March, 13. We will be meeting at the Commuter Lot at 12:00pm to carpool.

ii. If you are planning on attending, RSVP here: <http://goo.gl/forms/ma004QhP43>

b. "Coffee for a Cause" Fundraiser

i. We are continuing to sell coffee and snacks this week out of the Tau Beta Pi office to benefit Relay for Life. Come say hi during any of the officer's office hours and fuel up for mid-terms!

VIII. VPs of Electees

a. Please fill out your online catalog card!

i. [www.tbp.org/CatalogCard/](http://www.tbp.org/CatalogCard/)

ii. Chapter: FL-A

iii. Pin: 1001

b. Best Electee Award Eligibility

i. Attend 1 E-Futures session

ii. Complete 3 additional service hours

iii. Attend 1 additional social

IX. Initiation Coordinator

a. Fundamental Principles

b. Challenge Series

i. Due Friday February 26 th

ii. Email to [dfuenmayor@ufl.edu](mailto:dfuenmayor@ufl.edu)

X. Check out our website at <http://www.uftbp.com/>

XI. Master List of Dates: <http://www.uftbp.com/page.php?p=calendar>

XII. Master List of Links/Job Opportunities: <http://tinyurl.com/tbp-links>

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 26.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Tau Beta Pi Day 5K

**Date(s) of Project:** 03/13/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 16 Electees: 4

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 15 Others: 22 Participating: 3

### I. General Description:

The Pi Day 5K was a 3.14 mile run on the Hawthorne Trail in Gainesville, Florida in which after the participants run they are rewarded with pie at the finish line. This is event we put on each year around Pi Day (the location varies). This year, the cost to participate was \$5, which went towards our Relay for Life fundraiser.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose was to celebrate Pi Day with the members, electees, and the community.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

I reserved the trail for the run, designed and ordered t-shirts, purchased pies, bananas, and water for the run, made signs for the trail, advertised during meetings, on facebook, and around campus, created a Google RSVP link, bought prizes for the winners, set up before the run, collected waivers and money, and cleaned up afterwards.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Cost of 100 t-shirts was approximately \$500. The prizes and pies were donated from members.

### V. Special Problems:

We had approximately 20 people sign up and not show up. Therefore, we had ordered way too many shirts.

## VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The event was a lot of fun. People seemed to enjoy the run and celebrating pie day. Next year we should have people pay ahead of time so that people who say they are coming are more inclined to show up. Organizing the event alone was very hard and it may be nice to have committees set up to help organize.

## VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Andrew Bingler, Shannon Brown, Cristian Cocconcelli, Ryan Dargan, Maggie Fettis, Felipe Lenz, Toshi Nishida, Heather Petroccia, Celeste Rousseau, Thomas Scruggs, Ryan St. Pierre, Emily Steele, Sam Thomas, Kimmie Tran, Kiersten Wang, Nikki Weiss

Electees in Attendance: Fidel Esquivel, Catherine Miney, Dustin Popp, Max Stein

Others in Attendance: Joyce Calixtro, Andrea Caloiaro, Patti Dufe, Jeff Fedenko, Carla Figura, Nilus Hanawalt, Allie Hatcher, John-Logan Hines, Andrea Lin, Alejandra Luna, Cortney Meyer, Justin Muklewicz, Sanjay Nair, Talia Nishida, Alice Parish, Michael Perkins, Ruth Portalatin-Ramos, Laurie Rousseau, Lillian Vargas, Laura Villada, Lindsey Walker, Carly Wilson



Runners celebrating finishing the 5k!



Everyone eating some pie after finishing the 5k!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 27.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Officer Meeting #3

**Date(s) of Project:** 03/15/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 20 Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 1 Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

This semester, we have implemented more officer meetings to increase communication between officers, and ensure all chapter operations are going smoothly. Officers are given a chance to speak about their upcoming events, and to bring up any concerns about the events. These meetings allow the entire officer team to brainstorm solutions to any of the problems encountered, and stay up-to-date on the activities within the chapter.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

This meeting helps the chapter run efficiently, and ensure that all officers are aware of what is going on in the chapter. By keeping all of the officers informed and solving problems, the standard of excellence of the chapter is maintained.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Officers were informed of the time and place of the meeting. The President reserved conference room 307 in the Weil through the College of Engineering. The meeting was held at 7:30 PM to accommodate the officers' schedules.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

All officers were required to attend the meeting. There were no costs associated with the meeting, as reserved classrooms are free for student groups.

### V. Special Problems:

No special problems encountered.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The meeting was a success. Most of the officers were in attendance and everyone was aware of the expectations for the upcoming semester. The two officers that weren't in attendance were also kept up to date through email and individual meetings. We also efficiently stuffed the eligibility letters for this semester.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Ryan Dargan, Michael Everette, Emily Ferradaz, Daniel Fuenmayor, Matthew Harwood, Jiajun Lei, Adam LeMay, Felipe Lenz, Jessica Matthews, Kenneth McIntyre, Matthew Moraguez, Jacob Morrison, Julian Rey, Celeste Rousseau, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Chad Spreadbury, Colton Weimerskirch

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 28.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** District 5 Conference

**Date(s) of Project:** 03/19/2016-03/20/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 9 Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 3 Participating: 12

### I. General Description:

Officers attended the District 5 Conference at the University of South Florida (USF) in Tampa, FL. To develop future officers, nine officers registered to attend. Eight of these officers will still be students next year (2016-2017)!

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The District Conference is meant to introduce members of various chapters within District 5 to one another and to help with training of new officers transitioning to higher positions within their chapter.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The District 5 Directors along with the Florida Gamma chapter of USF planned the Spring Conference. The Florida Alpha President coordinated FL-A officer registration.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

National Headquarters covered expenses in accordance with the National Bylaws. Nationals covered the registration fee for 2 members and the Chief Advisor, and Florida Alpha covered the registration fee for the remaining 7 members. There was no cost to participants.

### V. Special Problems:

No special problems encountered.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

Taking extra members along was a great way to encourage potential leaders of the 2016-2017 Florida Alpha Executive Board! All sessions were helpful and engaging, and there was plenty of time for social interactions.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Ryan Dargan, Daniel Fuenmayor, Adam LeMay, Felipe Lenz, Celeste Rousseau, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Chad Spreadbury, Colton Weimerskirch

Advisors in Attendance: Meghan Ferrall, Mike Griffis



Florida Alpha past, present, and future officers bonding at the District 5 conference!



# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 29.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Meeting 4

**Date(s) of Project:** 03/22/2016

**Project area:**  Community/  
Liberal Culture  University/  
College  Profession/  
Engineering  Chapter/  
Social  Education/  
Professional  
Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 31 Candidates: 14

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 1 Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

This was the fourth general body meeting of the Spring 2016 semester. Members were reminded of upcoming social events, service events, initiation date, graduation stoles, etc.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Inform members of upcoming events and elect prospective TBP members .

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The President of the chapter and run by the Recording Secretary organized the meeting, the Vice President reserved the room for the meeting, and the Recording Secretary created the agendas and attendance Google Form. Social Coordinators were in charge of ordering the food.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Tau Beta Pi paid for the pizza + beverages provided at the meeting, and covered the cost for printing the meeting agendas at Target Copy.

### V. Special Problems:

N/A

## **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

This general body meeting went well and members enjoyed our guest speaker who talked about IPPD -- Integrated Product and Process Design (Dr. Stanfill).

## **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: John Barta, Kristin Byers, Cristian Cocconcelli, Ryan Dargan, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Michael Everette, Emily Ferradaz, Daniel Fuenmayor, Vanessa Guarnizo, Matthew Harwood, Adam LeMay, Felipe Lenz, Jessica Matthews, Kenneth McIntyre, Mark McNeely, Matthew Moraguez, Jacob Morrison, Michael Orlando, Chris Pope, Brianna Posadas, Julian Rey, Celeste Rousseau, Benjamin Schwaller, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Chad Spreadbury, Ryan St Pierre, Kimmai Tran, Kiersten Wang, Colton Weimerkirch, Nikki Weiss, Jennifer Yoder

Electees in Attendance: Marvin Andujar, Anup Kumar Doraiswamy, Fidel Esquivel Estay, Nikita Goldfarb, Probal Guha, Troy Heinzmann, Wesley Henson, Catherine Miney, Dustin Popp, Mary Regan, Sebastian Sayavedra, Ryan Scheinkman, Max Stein, Tanner Thornton

### Agenda:

#### I. Guest Speaker

- a. Dr. Keith Stanfill, Ph.D., P.E.

#### II. Last Week in TBP

#### III. Tau Bate Spotlight

#### IV. President

- a. District 5 Conference in Tampa, FL
- b. Officer Elections April 12 th at 7:30pm in CSE E222
  - i. 28 open positions!
  - ii. Nomination form can be found in Slideshow
- c. Active Member Scholarship
  - i. \$250 scholarship open to all current active members!
  - ii. Apply here by March 31 st : <http://goo.gl/forms/Nm9lXxHz30>

#### V. Vice President

- a. Bring your books
  - i. Bring your books to the TBP office during the semester. All books will be donated to Friends of the Library, which raises money for the Alachua County Library District!

#### VI. Social Coordinators

- a. Dodgeball
  - i. Mondays at 6pm at Southwest Rec
- b. Beer Wednesdays
  - i. House of Beer (19 W University Ave) tomorrow, Wednesday

March 23<sup>rd</sup> at 9pm.

VII. GatorTRAX

- a. We'll be hosting our last GatorTRAX event on Saturday April 2<sup>nd</sup> at 8:30am in CSE E119. Please come out and volunteer!
- b. Questions? Send them to Kiersten at [ufgatortrax@gmail.com](mailto:ufgatortrax@gmail.com)

VIII. Service Coordinators

- a. "Get (Tau Beta) Pied" Relay Fundraiser
  - i. Bid for a chance to pie your favorite officer at Relay for Life. Make sure to bid soon, because bidding will close next Thursday March 31<sup>st</sup> at midnight: <https://goo.gl/JeS95M>
- b. Tijuana Flats Spirit Night Relay Fundraiser
  - i. Come out to Tijuana Flats on University Ave and grab a delicious burrito this Wednesday March 23<sup>rd</sup> from 5-8pm to help support cancer care and research efforts, and bring your friends! T-Flats has agreed to donate 20% of proceeds to our Relay for Life team. Make sure to mention you are with Tau Beta Pi.
- c. "Coffee for a Cause" Fundraiser
  - i. We are continuing to sell coffee and snacks this week out of the Tau Beta Pi office to benefit Relay for Life. Come say hi during any of the officer's office hours and fuel up for mid-terms!

IX. VPs of Electees

- a. Best Electee Award Eligibility
  - i. Attend 1 E-Futures session
  - ii. Complete 3 additional service hours
  - iii. Attend 1 additional social
- b. Electee-only social coming soon
  - i. April 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm, room TBD
  - ii. Required for initiation
  - iii. Please let us know if you can't make it
- c. Progress Sheet
  - i. Make sure you meet all requirements for Initiation!
  - ii. If you have questions email us at [tbpvpofelectees@gmail.com](mailto:tbpvpofelectees@gmail.com)

X. Member Coordinator

- a. If you are graduating, sign up for a stole by 3/25!

XI. Banquet Coordinator

- a. Will follow Initiation at the Warehouse
- b. RSVP in slideshow by April 6<sup>th</sup> to reserve your spot
- c. Free for Initiates and Members, \$25 for guests

XII. Clocktower Coordinator

- a. Email [tbpflalpha@gmail.com](mailto:tbpflalpha@gmail.com) to get involved!

XIII. Initiation Coordinator

- a. Initiation will be Saturday, April 9<sup>th</sup> at 6pm in Room 3310 of the Reitz Union!

- i. Arrive no later than 5:30pm!
    - ii. Business Professional attire
    - iii. If you have a legitimate conflict, email [tbpflalpha@gmail.com](mailto:tbpflalpha@gmail.com) ASAP
  - b. Fundamental Principles
  - c. Challenge Series
    - i. Due Friday April 8 th
    - ii. Email to [dfuenmayor@ufl.edu](mailto:dfuenmayor@ufl.edu)
- XIV. Check out our website at <http://www.uftbp.com/>
- XV. Master List of Dates: <http://www.uftbp.com/page.php?p=calendar>
- XVI. Master List of Links/Job Opportunities: <http://tinyurl.com/tbp-links>

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 30.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Officer Meeting #4

**Date(s) of Project:** 03/29/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 20 Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 1 Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

This semester, we have implemented more officer meetings to increase communication between officers, and ensure all chapter operations are going smoothly. Officers are given a chance to speak about their upcoming events, and to bring up any concerns about the events. These meetings allow the entire officer team to brainstorm solutions to any of the problems encountered, and stay up-to-date on the activities within the chapter.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

This meeting helps the chapter run efficiently, and ensure that all officers are aware of what is going on in the chapter. By keeping all of the officers informed and solving problems, the standard of excellence of the chapter is maintained.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Officers were informed of the time and place of the meeting. The President reserved conference room 307 in the Weil through the College of Engineering. The meeting was held at 7:30 PM to accommodate the officers' schedules.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

All officers were required to attend the meeting. There were no costs associated with the meeting, as reserved classrooms are free for student groups.

### V. Special Problems:

No special problems encountered.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The meeting was a success. Most of the officers were in attendance and everyone was aware of the expectations for the upcoming semester. The two officers that weren't in attendance were also kept up to date through email and individual meetings. We also efficiently stuffed the eligibility letters for this semester.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Ryan Dargan, Michael Everette, Emily Ferradaz, Daniel Fuenmayor, Jiajun Lei, Adam LeMay, Felipe Lenz, Jessica Matthews, Kenneth McIntyre, Matthew Moraguez, Julian Rey, Celeste Rousseau, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Chad Spreadbury, Ryan St. Pierre, Kiersten Wang, Colton Weimerskirch

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 31

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** TBP Laureate Award Application

**Date(s) of Project:** 4/01/16

**Project area:**  Community/  
Liberal Culture  University/  
College  Profession/  
Engineering  Chapter/  
Social  Education/  
Professional  
Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 2

Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 2

Participating: 3

### I. General Description:

Officers from the Chapter helped assemble an application to nominate member and GatorTRAX coordinator, Kiersten Wang, for the Tau Beta Pi Laureate Award for her achievements in athletics as a member of the 3 times National Champion Gator Gymnastics team.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The Laureate Award aims to recognize members who have fostered a spirit of liberal culture among engineers. Candidates may be nominated for contributions in the arts, athletics, diverse achievements, or service.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The application materials were organized by members of the Chapter including the President, the Initiation Coordinator, and Kiersten Wang herself.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

No costs or personnel required.

### V. Special Problems:

No problems were encountered.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The application was completed successfully and presented a strong case for Kiersten to win!

### VII. Index of Exhibits: \*See the Appendix for the full application!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 32.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Meeting 5

**Date(s) of Project:** 04/05/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 33

Candidates: 12

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 1

Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

This was the fifth general body meeting of the Spring 2016 semester. Members were reminded of upcoming social events, service events, initiation date, graduation stoles, etc. Felipe, Ryan, and Jessica were pried for relay for life.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Inform members of upcoming events and elect prospective TBP members.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The President of the chapter and run by the Recording Secretary organized the meeting, the Vice President reserved the room for the meeting, and the Recording Secretary created the agendas and attendance Google Form. Social Coordinators were in charge of ordering the food.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Tau Beta Pi paid for the pizza + beverages provided at the meeting, and covered the cost for printing the meeting agendas at Target Copy.

### V. Special Problems:

N/A



## **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

This general body meeting went well and members had fun watching officers getting pied.

## **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Kirk Cherney, Ryan Dargan, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Michael Everette, Margaret Fettis, Vanessa Guarnizo, Michael Hallenstein, Matthew Harwood, Jiajun Lei, Adam LeMay, Felipe Lenz, Jessica Matthews, Kenneth McIntyre, Mark McNeely, Matthew Moraguez, Jacob Morrison, Chris Pope, Julian Rey, Celeste Rousseau, Benjamin Schwaller, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Anderson Sheets, Chad Spreadbury, Ryan St Pierre, Kimmai Tran, Jason Traub, Sandor Valenciga, Kiersten Wang, Colton Weimerkisch, Nikki Weiss, Jennifer Yoder,

Electees in Attendance: Anup Kumar Doraiswamy, Nikita Goldfarb, Probal Guha, Troy Heinzmann, Wesley Henson, Alex Marques, Catherine Miney, Travis Satiritz, Sebastian Sayavedra, Ryan Scheinkman, Max Stein, Tanner Thornton

### Agenda:

I. Last Week in TBP

II. Tau Bate Spotlight

III. President

- a. Officer Elections are coming up on Tuesday, April 12th, at 7:30 PM in room CSE E222! Nominate yourself with this form: <http://goo.gl/forms/PlgWRWdMft> and join our awesome FL-Alpha officer team!

IV. Social Coordinators

- a. Beer Wednesdays
  - i. Crafty Bastards (4860 NW 39th Ave) tomorrow, Wednesday April 6 at 9pm.

V. Snacks!

VI. Service Coordinators

- a. Puppy social!!!!!!
  - i. We will be helping out at Alachua County Humane Society this Tuesday 4/5/16 from 1:00pm until 4:00pm.
  - ii. Meet at the Commuter Lot to carpool at 12:30. Please try to be on time, because the shelter is far away from campus.
  - iii. Unfortunately, we can only bring a max of 10 people. Right now there are 5 spots left! Here is the form to sign up: <http://goo.gl/forms/n5JP2XOt4V>.

VII. VPs of Electees

- a. Banquet Awards
  - b. Electee-only social
    - i. April 7 th at 7:30pm, room LIT 0127
    - ii. Required for initiation
    - iii. Please let us know if you can't make it
- VIII. Initiation Coordinator
- a. Fundamental Principles
  - b. Challenge Series
    - i. Email answer to [dfuenmayor@ufl.edu](mailto:dfuenmayor@ufl.edu)
  - c. Initiation instructions
    - i. Saturday, April 9th at 5:30pm in room 3310 in the Reitz Union.
    - ii. Arrive no later than 5:30pm wearing business attire.
    - iii. Bring your bent (the one you got with your t-shirt after paying your dues). There will be a prize for the best polished/shiniest bent at the banquet.
    - iv. Family & friends ARE NOT ALLOWED in the initiation room, unless they are already a Tau Beta Pi member. If that's the case, please let our initiation coordinator ([dfuenmayor@ufl.edu](mailto:dfuenmayor@ufl.edu)) know in advance so he can double check their eligibility.
- IX. Banquet Coordinator
- a. Harry's Seafood (110 S.E. 1st Street, Unit A Gainesville, FL 32601) in downtown Gainesville, at 8pm.
  - b. The deadline to sign up for the banquet was last week.
  - c. Email banquet coordinator at ([rtdargan@ufl.edu](mailto:rtdargan@ufl.edu)) if you have any questions.
- X. Check out our website at <http://www.uftbp.com/>
- XI. Master List of Dates: <http://www.uftbp.com/page.php?p=calendar>
- XII. Master List of Links/Job Opportunities: <http://tinyurl.com/tbp-links>
- XIII. Felipe, Jessica, and Ryan get pied



Officers Felipe Lenz, Jessica Matthews, and Ryan Dargan get pied as part of the Relay for Life fundraising efforts.

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 33.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Active Member Scholarship

**Date(s) of Project:** 04/09/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 3

Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 1

Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

Members who met the requirements for Active Membership this semester had the opportunity to fill out a short application for a \$250 scholarship from the chapter. The recipient was to be chosen based on involvement in the chapter, academic success, and professional ambitions. The recipient for the scholarship for the Spring semester was Nikki Weiss, the chapter Tau Beta Pi Day Coordinator and a Vice President of the Electee Process.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of the scholarship is to provide incentives for members who have put in considerable effort and shown dedication to TBP.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

This award was budgeted at the beginning of the semester, organized by the chapter President and Vice President, and presented at the end of semester banquet.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

This award was funded through the chapter account.

### V. Special Problems:

No special problems encountered.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The award was a success. A dedicated and hard working officer was awarded for his efforts and was very grateful to be recognized.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Celeste Rousseau, Thomas Scruggs, Nikki Weiss

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 34

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Initiation Ceremony

**Date(s) of Project:** 04/09/16

**Project area:**  Community/  
Liberal Culture  University/  
College  Profession/  
Engineering  Chapter/  
Social  Education/  
Professional  
Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 13

Electees: 13

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 4

Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

The event was the bi-annual initiation ceremony to convert spring semester electees into members for the Florida Alpha Chapter. This semester, there were a total of 13 initiates.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of the event was to initiate electees into the Tau Beta Pi FL-A chapter.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The Initiation Coordinator organized the event by reserving a room, assigning roles, individually rehearsing the roles with those who required it, and hosted a practice run-through. The Initiation Coordinator, 8 other officers, and one chapter advisor filled roles. Another officer took photos before and after the ceremony.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

There were no costs for either the chapter or the electees. Initiation materials were all current and operable; the room was reserved at no cost through the school. Water bottles were voluntarily purchased.

### V. Special Problems:

The original date of the Initiation Ceremony was 04/08/16, a Friday. However, that weekend coincides with the university's spring football game. The effect of this was that all potential rooms normally made available for reservation through the university's registrar were immediately made unavailable, which significantly delayed the Coordinator's efforts to secure a room early in the semester. Alternative options were further limited by other on-campus events, and a lack of compatibility with

room requirements. To solve this, the date of the ceremony was pushed forward by one day to 04/09/16, a Saturday, and a suitable room was found.

On the date of the ceremony, the room setup was hampered by campus policies to lock the building which holds the chapter's office and all necessary materials after 3:00 PM on weekends. Only students with special access could open the doors. Despite these setbacks, the room was prepared in time thanks to the efforts of the volunteers that came to assist the Initiation Coordinator.

Lastly, one electee arrived at the very last moment before the ceremony began, which caused some concerns as nobody was able to contact the person prior to this. Once that electee arrived, the ceremony itself proceeded flawlessly.

#### **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The ceremony started at 6:00 PM. All roles were performed to a high standard thanks to both experienced officers and one advisor participating, all which were willing to rehearse prior to the formal ceremony. We were honored to have one chapter advisors participate in the ceremony. The room accommodated the event to a reasonable level, although there was still a small amount of light due to the large glass windows that made up one of the room's walls. The room carried large blinders that could cover most of this, and some additional tarp was brought to try to cover the gaps, although this coverage was imperfect. All electees and members in attendance participated when required.

#### **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Ryan Dargan, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Daniel Fuenmayor, Felipe Lenz, Jessica Matthews, Julian Rey, Celeste Rousseau, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Anderson Sheets, Chad Spreadbury, Nikki Weiss

Electees in Attendance: Anup Doraiswamy, Fidel Esquivel Estay, Nikita Goldfarb, Probal Guha, Wesley Henson, Alex Marques, Catherine Miney, Mary Regan, Travis Satiritz, Sebastian Sayavedra, Ryan Scheinkman, Max Stein, Tanner Thornton

Advisors in Attendance: Mike Griffis



Our Spring 2016 class of initiates and all of the volunteers that helped run Initiation!



# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 35

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Banquet

**Date(s) of Project:** 04/09/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 29 Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 4 Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

The Spring Banquet is one of two annual end-of-semester banquets. 46 attendees RSVP'd, however only 36 were in attendance. Among these 36 were 14 officers, 1 advisor, 1 alumni, 5 members, 4 guests, and the new members as the remaining 11. At the banquet multiple awards are given out including: Best Bent, Best Electee, Best Member, Best Officer, and the Active Member Scholarship.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of this event is to celebrate the initiation of the new members in the Spring 2016 semester and to recognize the work done by the chapter throughout the semester.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The Banquet Coordinator organized the event by booking the venue and arranging the guest speaker. Members and initiates were informed of the event and required to RSVP beforehand.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

The upfront cost of the banquet was \$1,160.56. Members were not required to pay, however guests were charged \$25.

#### **V. Special Problems:**

8 people RSVP'd but did not show up. The restaurant was booked and charged for these extra people, costing us an extra \$158. Other than that, the banquet ran smoothly and there were no significant issues.

#### **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The event was successful. All members and guests in attendance enjoyed themselves. Dr. Ira Hill, the guest speaker, gave an encouraging speech about his experience in engineering.

#### **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Kristin Byers, Cristian Cocconcelli, Ryan Dargan, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Anup Kumar Doraiswamy, Fidel Esquivel, Michael Everette, Daniel Fuenmayor, Probal Ghua, Matthew Harwood, Wesley Henson, Felipe Lenz Carvalho, Jessica Ross Matthews, Catherine Miney, Celeste Rousseau, Travis Satirist, Sebastian Sayavedra, Ryan Scheinkman, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Anderson Sheets, Chad Spreadbury, Emily Steele, Tanner Thorton, Kimmai Tran, Sandor Valenciaga, Colton Weimerskirch, Nikki Weiss

Electees in Attendance: Fidel Esquivel Estay, Nikita Goldfarb, Wesley Henson, Alex Marques, Catherine Miney, Mary Regan, Travis Satiritz, Sebastian Sayavedra, Ryan Scheinkman, Max Stein, Tanner Thornton

Advisors in Attendance: Mike Griffis



The 2 top bents when choosing the best bent.



Officer celebrating the closing of a successful semester!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 36.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Officer Elections

**Date(s) of Project:** 04/12/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 41

Electees: N/A

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 1

Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

Officer elections took place requiring those interested in a position(s) to make a 1-minute speech, (2 minutes for President and VP). People who obtained a majority vote from the members present became the new officer. This was repeated for each of the 19 officer positions available for Fall 2016.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

This meeting was crucial for gaining new leadership in TBP for the upcoming semester. Great leadership will ensure more involvement in our Florida Alpha TBP chapter.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The meeting was organized and run by the President and the attendance Google Form was created by the Recording Secretary. The Vice President was responsible for reserving the room for the meeting. The Social Coordinators were responsible for ordering the food for the meeting.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Tau Beta Pi paid for the pizza and soda provided at the meeting.

### V. Special Problems:

N/A

## **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The election process ran smoothly and all of the officer positions were filled (except the 3 President Appointed Positions which will require further review by the president). We look forward to next semester!

## **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Marleny Arones, Shannon Brown, Kristin Byers, Kirk Cherney, Cristian Cocconcelli, Stephen Crawford, Ryan Dargan, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Fidel Esquivel Estay, Michael Everette, Scott Fenton, Margaret Fettis, Daniel Fuenmayor, Evan Glass, Nikita Goldfarb, Michael Hallenstein, Troy Heinzmann, Wesley Henson, Adam LeMay, Felipe Lenz, Jessica Matthews, Kenneth McIntyre, Catherine Miney, Matthew Moraguez, Michael Orlando, Chris Pope, Brianna Posadas, Celeste Rousseau, Travis Satiritz, Sebastian Sayavedra, Ryan Scheinkman, Benjamin Schwaller, Michael Shang, Anderson Sheets, Chad Spreadbury, Ryan St Pierre, Kiersten Wang, Colton Weimerkirsch, Nikki Weiss, Alan Williams, Jennifer Yoder

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 37.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Officer Transition Meeting

**Date(s) of Project:** 04/14/2016

**Project area:**  Community/Liberal Culture  University/College  Profession/Engineering  Chapter/Social  Education/Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 23 Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 1 Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

The outgoing officers met with their corresponding incoming officers for each position to fill out Officer Transition Reports and provide any other necessary resources and advice to help the incoming officers take over the responsibilities of their position.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

This meeting is held each semester to ensure a smooth transition between officer teams so that regular chapter operations and events continue to occur and that officers have the tools they need to succeed in their responsibilities.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The event was organized by the President and held in a classroom.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

The event incurred no cost to the chapter.

### V. Special Problems:

None.

## **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The event was a success. New officers were provided the information they needed to begin planning for the fall semester and were able to ask questions to clear up remaining uncertainties about the responsibilities of their positions.

## **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Ryan Dargan, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Fidel Esquivel Estay, Emily Ferradaz, Maggie Fettis, Daniel Fuenmayor, Matthew Harwood, Troy Heinzmann, Adam Lemay, Felipe Lenz, Jessica Matthews, Kenneth McIntyre, Catherine Miney, Matthew Moraguez, Julian Rey, Celeste Rousseau, Benjamin Schwaller, Madeline Scullo, Michael Shang, Anderson Sheets, Chad Spreadbury, Colton Weimerskirch, Nikki Weiss

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 38.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** BEC End of the Year Ceremony      **Date(s) of Project:** 4/17

**Project area:**       Community/ Liberal Culture       University/ College       Profession/ Engineering       Chapter/ Social       Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**      Members: 3      Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**      Organizing: 0      Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

Tau Beta Pi is one of the many engineering societies that participates in the Benton Engineering Council (BEC) umbrella organization, which oversees all of the societies in the College of Engineering. Each academic year BEC hosts an End of the Year Ceremony to celebrate and recognize outstanding societies within BEC. This year the Chapter was awarded the "Most Outstanding Medium Society" Award!

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Being recognized as an outstanding society helps us gain recognition within the College of Engineering. This award embodies TBP's motto of "Excellence in Engineering."

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Participation is in conjunction with the UF Benton Engineering Council.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

No costs or personnel required.

### V. Special Problems:

No problems were encountered.



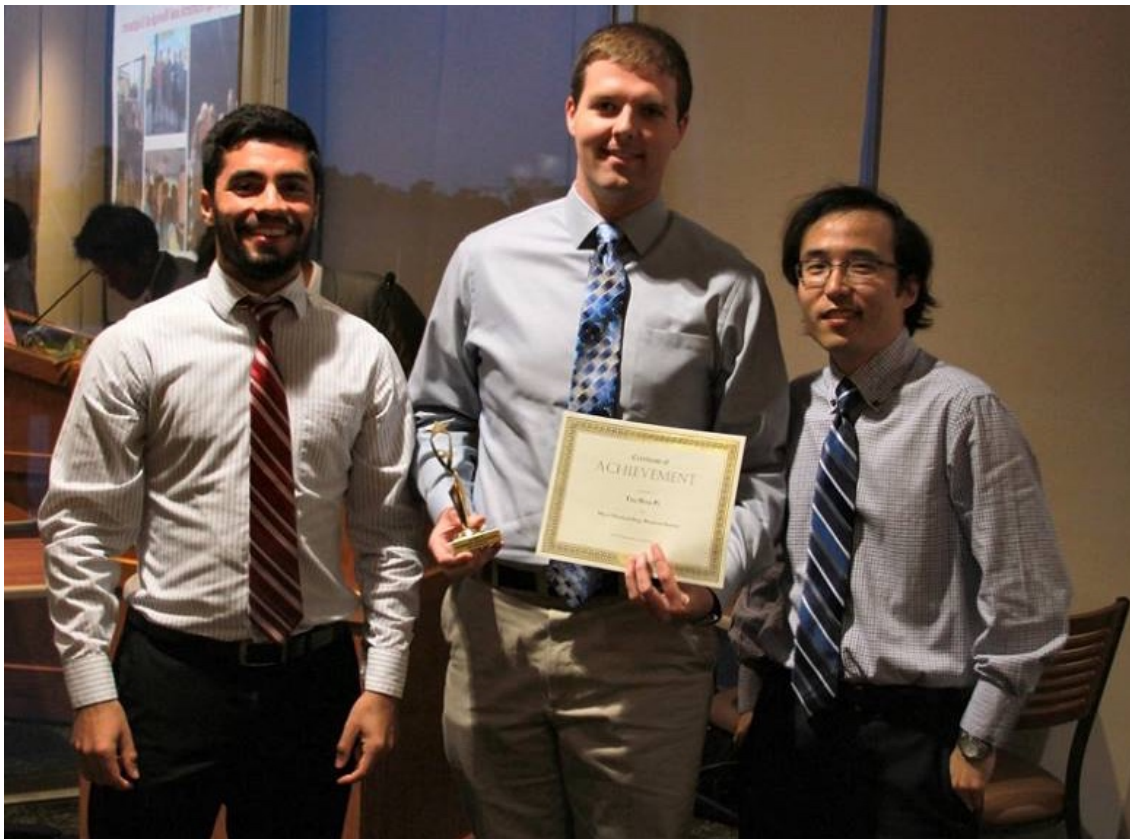
**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

Overall, the ceremony ran smoothly and we received recognition as the most outstanding medium society after listening to multiple speakers including the Associate Dean of the College of Engineering and Advisor, Dr. Curtis Taylor.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Felipe Lenz, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang

Advisors in Attendance: Curtis Taylor



Some of Florida Alpha's officers receiving the "Most Outstanding Medium Society" Award.

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 39.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Benton Engineering Council Meetings

**Date(s) of Project:** 1/11, 2/22, 3/7, 3/21, 4/4, 4/18

**Project area:**  Community/Liberal Culture  University/College  Profession/Engineering  Chapter/Social  Education/Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 1 Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 0 Participating: 6

### I. General Description:

Tau Beta Pi is one of the many engineering societies that participate in the Benton Engineering Council (BEC) umbrella organization, which oversees all of the societies in the College of Engineering. BEC controls funding for engineering societies and requires at least 1 representative from each society to attend all of the general body meetings. These representatives then report back to their societies on updates and events going on in the whole College of Engineering.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

It is important that Tau Beta Pi participates in such an umbrella organization to inform the College of Engineering about the many events our society hosts and stimulate interest in becoming a TBP member.

**III. Organization & Administration:** (in conjunction with another group?  Yes  No)  
Participation is in conjunction with the UF Benton Engineering Council.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

No costs or personnel required.

### V. Special Problems:

No problems were encountered.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

Overall, the general body meetings ran smoothly, punctually, and always provided a printed agenda. Valuable information was shared between all of the different College of Engineering societies. By being a part of BEC, Tau Beta Pi maintains good standing within the College of Engineering and informs potential members of the opportunities of being a Florida Alpha Tau Bate.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Julian Rey

# Engineering Growth

Fall 2015



# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 40.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** GatorTRAX: Circuit Scribe

**Date(s) of Project:** 10/08/2015

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 1 Electees: 2

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 7 Participating: 7

### I. General Description:

This event was a continuation of the high school GatorTRAX sessions conducted at Eastside High School last year. The event consisted of teaching two high school classes about electrical circuits using Circuit Scribe kits for hands-on learning. The IB Math Studies class learned about digital logic gates. The IB Math SL class was taught the basics of circuits, such as voltage, current, and resistance. The students were then allowed to experiment with drawing different interesting circuits.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of this event was to get local high school students excited about STEM education. We wanted to introduce students to electrical circuits. We also wanted to expose them to the engineering thought process of applying math to solve real-world problems.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The event was organized by the TBP FL Alpha GatorTRAX Coordinator in communication with the Math teacher at the high school. The event was advertised to the students by their teacher. To get volunteers to help teach, the event was advertised at our meetings and through email reminders.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

There was no cost to conduct these event because we were using the circuit scribe kits that

been purchased for use in previous events. This is the fourth time we have used the kits at the high school. Because the conductive ink pens are beginning to dry out, we will order replacement pens before the next event. There were no personnel costs, but three TBP volunteers and the class teacher were used to present the lesson and guide the students.

**V. Special Problems:**

No special problems were encountered.

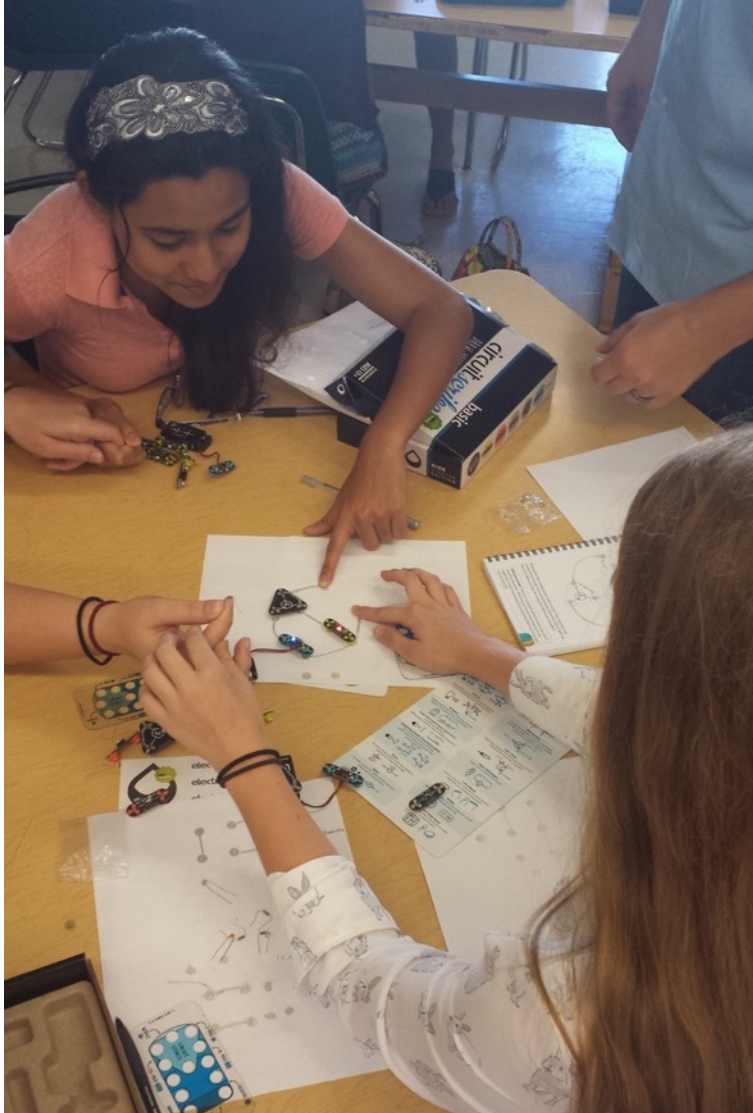
**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The event was a great success. The teacher told us that he greatly appreciated the lesson we taught and that he felt the students truly enjoyed it. It was evident that the students were becoming more and more interested as the lesson progressed and they gained more hands-on experience working with the circuits.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Matthew Moraguez

Electees in Attendance: Jacob Montgomery, Alexander Robau



Students closing a circuit to light up an LED!





Electees teaching a future engineer about circuits!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 41.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** GatorTRAX: Marble Rollercoaster

**Date(s) of Project:** 10/10/2015

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 3 Electees: 28

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 10 Participating: 3

### I. General Description:

We worked with kids on a fun marble track activity to demonstrate kinetic and potential energy.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

To introduce basic concepts of engineering to young kids through a fun hands on activity.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes)

Pi Tau Sigma hosted the activity, while TBP organized the entire event and provided supplies for the activity. Flyers were sent out to local schools as advertisement before the event.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Foam tubing cost \$18 to make the track for the activity. Needed volunteers from both TBP and Pi Tau Sigma to help run the activity.

### V. Special Problems:

Could have planned an extra activity to make sure the event went all the way to the end. More participants would be better as well.

## VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The event overall was a success. There were a lot of volunteers that came out to help and the kids seemed to enjoy and learn from the activity.

## VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Matthew Harwood, Jessica Matthews, Kiersten Wang

Electees in Attendance: John Bartu, Kristin Byers, Sarmad Chaudhry, Cristian Cocconcelli, Courtney Crawford, Ryan Dargan, Adithya Deraj, Andrew Girard, Vanessa Guarnizo, Remy Hanewinkel, David Hernando, Savannah Kirwan, Adam LeMay, Kenneth McIntyre, Jacob Morrison, Carlos Murillo, Michael Orlando, Gabrielle Paredes, Hrishit Parikh, Charles Peaden, Chris Pope, Brianna Posadas, Oswaldo Reina, Anderson Sheets, Emily Steele, Erick Stein, Samantha Webster, Zehong Zhang



Electees and students having fun learning about physics!



The longest marble rollercoaster.

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 42.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** GatorTRAX: Gumdrop Bridge

**Date(s) of Project:** 10/24/2015

**Project area:**  Community/  
Liberal Culture  University/  
College  Profession/  
Engineering  Chapter/  
Social  Education/  
Professional  
Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 2

Electees: 31

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 10

Participating: 3

### I. General Description:

We worked with kids on a gumdrop bride activity to demonstrate how truss bridges are built.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

To introduce basic concepts of engineering to young kids through a fun hands on activity.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes)

ASME hosted the activity, while TBP organized the entire event and provided supplies for the activity. Flyers were sent out to local schools as advertisement before the event.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

About \$25 were spent for gumdrops and toothpicks for the activity. Needed volunteers from both TBP and ASME to help run the activity.

### V. Special Problems:

Could have planned an extra activity to make sure the event went all the way to the end. More participants would be better as well.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The event overall was a success. There were a lot of volunteers that came out to help and the kids seemed to enjoy and learn from the activity.

## VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Cameron Mazzola, Kiersten Wang

Electees in Attendance: Islam Badreldin, Courtney Crawford, Seryalhonda Dhulina , Brian Dinenberg, Scott Fenton, Margaret Fettis, Madly Fuchs, Daniel Fuenmayor, Rachel Giles, Kasandra Gilley, Vanessa Guarnizo, Adriana Henao, Alex Hicks, Nicholas Kelton, Adam Lemay, Kenneth McIntyre, Lindsey Michael, Louis Mihalinec, Christian Miller, Madeleine Monfort, Jacob Morrison, Carlos Murillo, Gabrielle Paredes, Charles Peaden, Chris Pope, Troy Sandler, Samuel Thomas, Sandor Valenciaga, Stephanie Veight, Gregory Wolfe, Zehong Zhang



Students learning the physics behind bridges before beginning the activity.



Students and parents had fun building bridges!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 43.

New     Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Foam Boomerangs

**Date(s) of Project:** 11/02/15

**Project area:**     Community/ Liberal Culture     University/ College     Profession/ Engineering     Chapter/ Social     Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**                      Members: 2                      Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**                      Organizing: 1                      Participating: 2

**I. General Description:**

Members spent two hours working with children at a local boys and girls club designing and testing boomerangs. Participating children were able to design a boomerang out of foam-board, poster-board and cardboard, then test their design in a friendly competition.

**II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:**

Tau Beta Pi is committed to serving the community; The boys and girls club event allowed us to engage students in a fun activity while they learned about the forces that interact to allow a boomerang to fly. This type of community outreach promotes children’s interest in STEM related fields, as well as allows our chapter to become more involved in the local community.

**III. Organization & Administration:** (in conjunction with another group?  Yes  No)

This was the first time this event was held. A service coordinator reached out to the Alachua boys and girls club, and was given the contact information for one of the branches close to the campus. The number of children, age range, and facility were all discussed to determine a suitable activity.

**IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:**

Cost for this event included the purchase of 2 foam-boards and 2 poster-boards from Joan Fabrics, which totaled to \$8.49. Other materials including scissors, tape, glue, pens and



cardboard did not need to be purchased.

**V. Special Problems:**

None.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

This was a great event, which allowed members to work with local kids. In the future the planned project will be announced to members in advanced, and more event announcements, including a day of reminder, will be sent out in order to obtain more member involvement.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Kaitlynn Olczak, Thomas Scruggs



The volunteers with the students after building foam boomerangs.

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 44.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** GatorTRAX: Water Filter

**Date(s) of Project:** 11/14/2015

**Project area:**  Community/  
Liberal Culture  University/  
College  Profession/  
Engineering  Chapter/  
Social  Education/  
Professional  
Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 4 Electees: 30

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 10 Participating: 3

### I. General Description:

There was a water pollution demonstration to show how surface pollution can pollute ground water. Then the kids built their own water filtration systems with water bottles and supplies. The kids built their filters with the goal to build the cheapest, but best water filter.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

To introduce basic concepts of environmental engineering to young kids through a fun hands on activity and demonstration.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? No)

This event was strictly ran by TBP members and the activity was created and conducted by the coordinator.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

About \$40 was spent for water bottles, aluminum bake pans, food coloring, sand, and water filter supplies for the activity. Needed volunteers from TBP to help run the activity.

### V. Special Problems:

N/A

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The event overall was a success. There were a lot of volunteers that came out to help and the kids seemed to enjoy and learn from the activity. There were many parents that mentioned how well the activity was put together. One parent asked if we would do activity at a school.

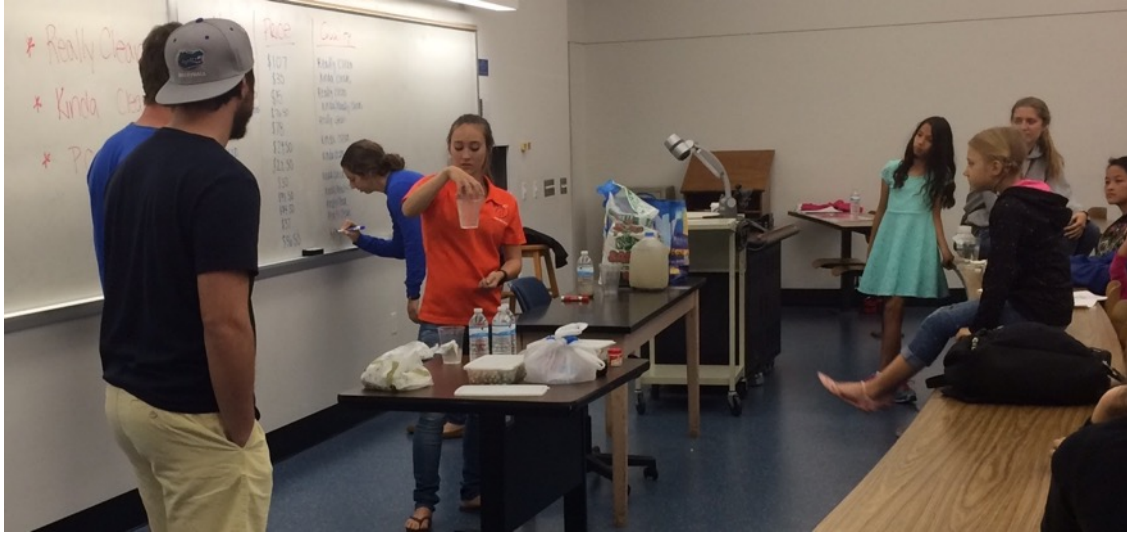
**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Carla Guidi Azarola, Thomas Scruggs, Kiersten Wang, Nikki Weiss

Electees in Attendance: Islam Badreldin, Paige Bohana, Kristin Byers, Seryalhonda Dhulina , Brian Dinenberg, Scott Fenton, Andrew Girard, Nicholas Kelton, Jiajun Lei, Adam Lemay, Dana Lobmeyer, Paul Logas, Celina Mariano, Kenneth McIntyre, Louis Mihalinec, Lindsey Mitchell, Madeleine Monfort, Jacob Montgomery, Jacob Morrison, Adrian Piedra , Gavin Rankow, Oswaldo Reina Marmol, Cesar Santoya, Farhadi Shaheen, Anderson Sheets, Emily Steele, Sandor Valenciaga, Alan Williams, Gregory Wolfe, Jennifer Yoder



A team of volunteers and students learning about water pollution.



The GatorTRAX Coordinator, Kiersten Wang, demonstrating the water filter activity.

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 45.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** GatorTRAX (High School)

**Date(s) of Project:** 11/18/2015

**Project area:**  Community/  
Liberal Culture  University/  
College  Profession/  
Engineering  Chapter/  
Social  Education/  
Professional  
Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 1

Electees: 4

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 0

Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

This event was a brainstorming session for the high school GatorTRAX sessions conducted at Eastside High School. The event consisted of coming up with ideas for hands-on lessons to teach to high school students that relate to their math teacher's curriculum. The overall goal was to provide an interesting, hands-on lesson plan where students can see the practical engineering application of something they learn in math class.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of this event was to brainstorm ideas to get local high school students excited about STEM education. We wanted to come up with lessons that would be relevant to what the students are learning about in class, but also interesting and fascinating to learn about. We want our lesson plans to expose students to the engineering thought process of applying math to solve real-world problems.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The TBP FL Alpha GatorTRAX Coordinator organized the event. To get volunteers to help with the brainstorming, the event was advertised at our meetings and through email reminders.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

There was no cost to conduct this event because we simply held a brainstorming session in a meeting room on-campus.

### V. Special Problems:

The event was originally planned to be a GatorTRAX session at Eastside HS, but at the last second the

teacher let us know that he didn't have a slot for us anymore.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The event was a great success. A few of our ideas for hands-on lessons topics included: gyroscopes, trigonometry, harmonic motion, optics, air resistance, parametric equations, and optimization. The teacher told us that he really liked the ideas that we had brainstormed. He looks forward to when we will be able to teach those lessons to his students. From past experience, he has seen that his students enjoy and learn from our hands-on lessons.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Matthew Moraguez

Electees in Attendance: Jacob Holloway, Mark McNeely, Charles Peaden, Yuzheng Wang

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 46.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** GatorTRAX (High School)

**Date(s) of Project:** 11/19/2015

**Project area:**  Community/  
Liberal Culture  University/  
College  Profession/  
Engineering  Chapter/  
Social  Education/  
Professional  
Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 2

Electees: 6

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 0

Participating: 4

### I. General Description:

This event was another brainstorming session for the high school GatorTRAX sessions conducted at Eastside High School. The event consisted of coming up with ideas for hands-on lessons to teach to high school students that relate to their math teacher's curriculum. The overall goal was to provide an interesting, hands-on lesson plan where students can see the practical engineering application of something they learn in math class.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of this event was to brainstorm ideas to get local high school students excited about STEM education. We wanted to come up with lessons that would be relevant to what the students are learning about in class, but also interesting and fascinating to learn about. We want our lesson plans to expose students to the engineering thought process of applying math to solve real-world problems.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The TBP FL Alpha GatorTRAX Coordinator organized the event. To get volunteers to help with the brainstorming, the event was advertised at our meetings and through email reminders.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

There was no cost to conduct this event because we simply held a brainstorming session in a meeting room on-campus.

### V. Special Problems:

No special problems were encountered.

## **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The event was a great success. A few of our ideas for hands-on lessons topics included: gyroscopes, trigonometry, harmonic motion, optics, air resistance, parametric equations, and optimization. The teacher told us that he really liked the ideas that we had brainstormed. He looks forward to when we will be able to teach those lessons to his students. From past experience, he has seen that his students enjoy and learn from our hands-on lessons.

## **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Matthew Moraguez, Michael Shang

Electees in Attendance: Michael Everette, Ian Malone, Mark McNeely, Alex Robau, Stephanie Voight, Yuzheng Wang



# Engineering Growth

Spring 2016



# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 47.

New     Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** GatorTRAX: Paper Planes and Straw Rockets      **Date(s) of Project:** 2/13/2016

**Project area:**     Community/ Liberal Culture     University/ College     Profession/ Engineering     Chapter/ Social     Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**      Members: 8      Electees: 5

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**      Organizing: 5      Participating: 3

**I. General Description:**

Working with kids on a fun paper plane and straw rocket activities to demonstrate the basics of aerodynamics and how planes and rockets work.

**II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:**

To introduce basic concepts of engineering to young kids through a fun hands on activity

**III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes)**

ASME hosted the activity, while TBP organized the entire event and provided supplies for the activity.

**IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:**

Paper, paper, clips, and rulers were purchased at a cost of \$25. Materials purchased were not already stored in the office. Needed volunteers from both TBP and ASME to help run the activity.

**V. Special Problems:**

The turnout was great and the kids seemed to learn and have a good time.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The event overall was a success. There were a lot of volunteers that came out to help and

the kids seemed to enjoy and learned from the activity.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Matthew Harwood, Adam LeMay, Kenneth McIntyre, Chris Pope, Celeste Rousseau, Thomas Scruggs, Benjamin Schwaller, Kiersten Wang

Electees in Attendance: Marvin Andujar, Wesley Henson, Brianna Malcolm, Sebastian Sayavedra, Tanner Thorton

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 48.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** GatorTRAX: Spaghetti Tower      **Date(s) of Project:** 3/12/2016

**Project area:**     Community/ Liberal Culture     University/ College     Profession/ Engineering     Chapter/ Social     Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**      Members: 5      Electees: 9

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**      Organizing: 5      Participating: 3

### I. General Description:

Working with kids on a fun spaghetti and marshmallow tower activity to apply the material presented on stable structures and towers.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

To introduce basic concepts of engineering to young kids through a fun hands on activity

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? No)

TBP organized the entire event and provided supplies for the activity.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Spaghetti and marshmallows were purchased at a cost of \$12. Materials purchased were not already stored in the office. Needed volunteers from TBP to run the activity.

### V. Special Problems:

The turnout was great and the kids seemed to learn and have a good time.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The event overall was a success. There were a lot of volunteers that came out to help and the kids seemed to enjoy and learned from the activity.

## VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Vanessa Guarnizo, Mark McNeely, Chris Pope, Kiersten Wang, Nikki Weiss

Electees in Attendance: Anup Kumar Doraiswamy, Fidel Esquivel Estay, Nikita Goldgarb, Probal Guha, Troy Heinzmann, Wesley Henson, Alex Marques, Catherine Miney, Travis Satiritz



A volunteer testing the rigidity of a spaghetti tower.

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 49

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** GatorTRAX: Biomedical Engineering

**Date(s) of Project:** 4/2/2016

**Project area:**  Community/Liberal Culture  University/College  Profession/Engineering  Chapter/Social  Education/Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 8 Electees: 5

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 5 Participating: 3

### I. General Description:

Working with kids on fun biomedical engineering activities to demonstrate what biomedical engineers do. These activities included building a prosthetic knee, coloring the in bones of the body, and developing a brace to hold a broken body part secure to heal.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

To introduce basic concepts of engineering to young kids through a fun hands on activity

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes)

TBP organized the entire event and provided supplies for the activity.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Rulers were purchased at a cost of \$7. Other materials needed were print outs of a skeleton, marbles, and rubber bands; however, these materials were previously purchased by TBP. Materials purchased were not already stored in the office. Needed volunteers from TBP to help run the activity.

### V. Special Problems:

None.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The event overall was a success. There were a lot of volunteers that came out to help and the kids seemed to enjoy and learned from the activity.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Islam Badreldin, Shannon Brown, Evan Glass, Kenneth McIntyre, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Kiersten Wang, Nikki Weiss

Electees in Attendance: Marvin Andujar, Anup Kumar Doraiswamy, Fidel Esquivel Estay, Probal Guha, Max Stein



# Engineering Education

Fall 2015



# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 50.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** E-Futures: People Skills

**Date(s) of Project:** September 20, 2015

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 1 Candidates 2

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 3 Participating: 3

### I. General Description:

Wendy Harper from HQ flew in to give TBP members, candidates, and other UF students an interactive seminar on People Skills. Students from varying colleges, degrees, and years were able to provide input to resolve scenarios of personal and professional conflict, as well as act and provide coaching to others to aid in effective people skills. Overall, non-punishing, direct, and specific communication was highlighted.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Tau Beta Pi aims to foster esteemed professionals in engineering, with excellent leadership and service. Being able to communicate with people in a respectful and efficient manner is applicable in one's personal and professional lives, allowing for the promotion of leadership and a healthy environment.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Celeste Rousseau coordinated the rooms, food purchasing, communicated with the E-Futures facilitator, and advertisement. Advertisement included posting information on the UF Honors, Warrington College of Business, and multiple engineering organization listservs.

#### **IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:**

Cost included purchasing of a medium sized sandwich ring, which was more than sufficient for the 8 attendees, as well as a purchase of a 24 pack of water and ice for the cooler. Chips and soda were leftover from the office. Celeste Rousseau provided the cooler.

#### **V. Special Problems:**

It was extremely difficult to communicate with the UF registrar for room reservation. It is suggested to book a room in advance and to personally call Justin in the registrar if you run into issues. If a backup room is needed, contact departments individually for weekend bookings.

#### **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

This session was extremely successful. I felt Wendy Harper was a superb facilitator, for she was extremely prepared and organized. There was a great deal of input from all of the attendees. I also really enjoyed being able to talk to candidates, and to advertise our organization the Non-TBP engineering members. Furthermore, having business students in attendance allowed for a diversity in perspectives. It is suggested to advertise to other organizations further in advance (perhaps a week) to allow for increased attendance. Furthermore, continue advertising on UF Honors and College of Business listservs, for most of our participants were from these entities.

#### **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Celeste Rousseau

Electees in Attendance: Daniel Fuenmayor, Kenneth McIntyre

Non Tau Beta Pi affiliates in attendance: Alex Melton, Ashnee Patel, Steven Rodgers, Khondaker Sadman, Sean Tromans



Attendees working on their people skills.

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 51.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** E-Futures: Effective Presentation Skills

**Date(s) of Project:** 10/11/2015

**Project area:**  Community/Liberal Culture  University/College  Profession/Engineering  Chapter/Social  Education/Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 2 Electees: 4

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 2 Participating: 3

### I. General Description:

The E-Futures Effective Presentation Skills module was presented to a group of UF students from varying academic backgrounds. During the module, scenarios were presented, group presentations were made, and lunch was provided.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of E-Futures is to strengthen the soft-skills of engineers. Presentation skills are particularly imperative regardless of background, and are important in combatting a common fear of presenting.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Organization involved deciding on an appropriate Sunday for the module and then contacting HQ to find a facilitator. Once a time was settled, advertising was done through email listserv. An info sheet was then made for the facilitator and provided with the approximate head count a few days prior to the module. Publix subs were order a day in advance and picked up right before the module.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

~\$50 for food and waters.

### V. Special Problems:

None.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

This is a particularly effective module because it forces people who are uncomfortable with presenting to face their fears, while also teaching those who ramble during presentations to be concise. It is definitely a favorite.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Celeste Rousseau, Felipe Lenz

Electees in Attendance: Cristian Cocconcelli, Kenneth McIntyre, Daniel Fuenmayor, Kristen Byers

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 52.

New     Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Fall Clock Tower Committee Meetings

**Date(s) of Project:** 11/12/15, 11/19/15, 12/4/15

**Project area:**     Community/ Liberal Culture     University/ College     Profession/ Engineering     Chapter/ Social     Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**                      Members: 3                      Electees: 6

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**                      Organizing: 3                      Participating: 3

**I. General Description:**

The Clock Tower Committee is a recently revived committee within the Florida Alpha Chapter. The goal of the committee is to design and build two faces of a clock tower near the newly installed bent on campus. The committee was originally formed in 2006 with the goal of designing and building all four sides of the clock tower. Unfortunately, the previous committee only completed two of the faces and was last active in 2011. The new clock tower chairperson has reformed this committee, and the new committee made two preliminary designs for the clock faces with hopes to finalize those designs by the end of 2016. This committee gives members hands-on experience with the formulation and completion of an engineering challenge.

**II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:**

The goal of the committee is to leave a permanent mark on campus that showcases the hard work of the members of the Tau Beta Pi clock tower committee. The clock tower meetings help us plan the next step in achieving this goal.

**III. Organization & Administration:** (in conjunction with another group?  Yes  No)

The clock tower chairperson reserved the room for the meetings, and made all of the documents to be used by the committee when deciding on the clock designs to use.



**IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:**

All interested Tau Beta Pi members and electees were encouraged to attend. There was no cost associated with the meeting.

**V. Special Problems:**

N/A

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The meetings were a success. Over the course of the semester the committee successfully narrowed down all of the proposed design choices to the two that will be researched in the next semester.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Thomas Scruggs, Chad Spreadbury

Electees in Attendance: Paige Bohana, Sarmad Chaudhry, Kenneth McIntyre, Chris Pope, Anderson Sheets, Gregory Wolfe

# Engineering Education

Spring 2016



# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 53

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** E-Futures: Group Process

**Date(s) of Project:** 02/21/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 11 Electees: 2

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 3 Participating: 4

### I. General Description:

E-Futures is a professional development seminar aimed to improve the soft skills of Engineers that are not stressed upon in academia. This session, Group Process, focused on how to organize effective meetings.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

E-Futures maintains the professional pillars of Tau Beta Pi. The seminars aim to cultivate future leaders who can effectively work with other members of the job force and produce quality products.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Requested E-Futures through Nationals, organized dates, booked a room, advertised to members, and purchased subs/water/chips from Publix the day of session.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Cost for supplies was \$46

### V. Special Problems:

The registrar booked a room that was far away from parking lots/garages. Although this wasn't anyone's fault, since we tried previously to change the room, it would have been better to have a more centrally located room.

## VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

I really enjoyed the event. I felt the facilitator did a nice job with interacting with each member, and letting every voice be heard. I had never previously heard of blocking a time span for each topic at a meeting, but will look into implementing that method in the future.

## VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: John Barta, Cristian Coconcelli, Ryan Dargan, Jiajun Lei, Adam LeMay, Felipe Lenz, Kenneth McIntyre, Jacob Morrison, Celeste Rousseau, Michael Shang

Electees in Attendance: Sebastian Sayavedra, Tanner Thornton



A group working through the group process!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 54.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** E-Futures #2: Team Chartering      **Date(s) of Project:** 03/20/2016

**Project area:**     Community/ Liberal Culture     University/ College     Profession/ Engineering     Chapter/ Social     Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**      Members: 5      Electees: 1

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**      Organizing: 1      Participating: 3

### I. General Description:

The purpose of this E-Futures session was to determine the most effective ways to work as a team, and to assess how to define roles within a team efficiently.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

E-futures relates to the professional development aspect of Engineering. It also

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Organization required determining dates that fit with the Spring 2016 schedule. Three sessions were then requested to the TBP HQ. Dates were finalized through communication with the finalized facilitators. The rooms were booked through the registrar in advance. An RSVP sheet was made and publicized to the members. An info sheet was provided to the facilitator a few days in advance containing parking info, etc.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

\$45 for sandwich ring, water pack, and chips.

### V. Special Problems:

We were unable to have our third E-Futures session in the spring due to the expense of tickets for HQ to send a facilitator in April. As a result, it may be best to have the VP plan more sessions in the summer or fall of 2016.

## VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The facilitator (Ellen) did a fantastic job. I really enjoyed building the tower. It allowed for our applied engineering skills to be modified with interpersonal skills such as group management. We also had a great turnout from non-TBP affiliates.

## VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Cristian Coconcelli, Daniel Fuenmayor, Adam Lemay, Jessica Matthews, Celeste Rousseau

Electees in Attendance: Tanner Thornton



The tallest tower built during team challenge!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 55.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Clock Tower Committee      **Date(s) of Project:** 1/28/16, 2/22/16  
Meetings

**Project area:**     Community/ Liberal Culture     University/ College     Profession/ Engineering     Chapter/ Social     Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**      Members: 8      Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**      Organizing: 3      Participating: 3

### I. General Description:

This semester the clock tower committee chairperson divided the group to focus on the two chosen designs from last semester. The goal for this semester was to put together a proposal for the Civil Department to receive funding for the project since the clock tower was originally built in conjunction with that department. Each group reached out to suppliers to get quotes for how expensive it would be for the individual parts of each design and finalize the designs. We are currently still reaching out to companies and will continue finalizing the designs throughout the semester.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The goal of the committee is to leave a permanent mark on campus that showcases the hard work of the members of the Tau Beta Pi clock tower committee. The clock tower meetings help us plan the next step in achieving this goal.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The clock tower chairperson reserved the room for the meetings, and made all of the documents to be used by the committee when deciding on the clock designs to use.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

All interested Tau Beta Pi members and electees were encouraged to attend. There was no



cost associated with the meeting.

**V. Special Problems:**

A few companies still haven't responded to us. Also the Spring semester proved to be much more busy for the committee members than in the Fall.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The meetings were overall a success. Over the course of the semester the committee was successfully divided into 2 groups and began putting together a proposal for the Civil Department. Work on the designs will continue in the Summer and building of the faces will hopefully begin in the Fall.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Sarmad Chaudhry, Kenneth McIntyre, Chris Pope, Thomas Scruggs, Anderson Sheets, Chad Spreadbury, Gregory Wolfe

# Community Outreach

Fall 2015



# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 56.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Fall Adopt-a-Street Cleanup #1      **Date(s) of Project:** 08.29.15

**Project area:**       Community/ Liberal Culture       University/ College       Profession/ Engineering       Chapter/ Social       Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**      Members: 7      Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**      Organizing: 1      Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

Members spent two hours picking up trash at the street we adopted. The street is on NE 28<sup>th</sup> and Main St. in Gainesville, FL. This street needs a great deal of care, and relies on volunteers like us to maintain its beauty.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The street cleanup aligns with Tau Beta Pi's commitment to service. Our adopt-a-street cleanups allow for members to become aware of the issues within our community – whether societal, infrastructural, or management based – and provides a platform of inspiration for our members to pursue a life of service. Furthermore, it is a fantastic bonding experience for members, allowing for conversation and memories to be born and shared.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The street was adopted a year ago, so to host an event the President and Vice President contacted the head of the program, picked up the equipment, and sent emails to the members. Car-pooling was also organized.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

No cost with the exception of gas for those who provide their car for transport.

### V. Special Problems:

None.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

This is a great service project, and consistently is the favorite of many. We were able to pick up 7 bags of trash, a TV, a broken lawn chair, 3 pipes, and a full can of oil. Future suggestions include providing coffee and snacks for members involved.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Alex Adams, Shannon Brown, Kirk Cherney, Jorge Osio, Celeste Rouseau, Chad Spreadbury, Thomas Scruggs

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 57.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Fall Adopt-a-Street #2

**Date(s) of Project:** 09/19/15

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 6

Canidates: 11

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 1

Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

Members spent two hours picking up trash on NE 28<sup>th</sup> St. between NE 15<sup>th</sup> St. and Main St., the chapters' adopted street. The Gainesville community relies on volunteers like us to remove litter from these streets in order to preserve the cleanliness and beauty of the town.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Tau Beta Pi is committed to serving the community; The adopt-a-street program allows members to become aware of an important issue within our community while actively working to mitigate it. This is a valuable opportunity for our chapter to make a difference in our community and provides a bonding experience for members.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The street was adopted a year ago, so to host an event the President and Vice President contacted the head of the program and picked up the equipment. The event was discussed at the first general body meeting, and members and candidates were notified through email.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Cost for coffee and doughnuts were provided for volunteers, personal requirements included cost of gas for individuals who used their car for car-pooling.

## V. Special Problems:

None.

## VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

This is a great service project, and had a very high attendance. We were able to pick up many garbage bags worth of trash, and new candidates were able to get to know the members. Future suggestions would be to pick up more grabbing poles so we are able to fully utilize the large number of volunteers.

## VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Thomas Linehan, Kaitlynn Olczak, Celeste Rousseau, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang

Electees in Attendance: John Barta, Sarmad Chaudhry, Cristian Coconcelli, Margaret Fettis, Maddy Fuchs, Remy Hanewinckel, David Hernando, Kenneth McIntyre, Madeline Monfort, Hirshit Parikh, Chris Pope



All of the volunteers after cleaning our street!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 58.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Jason's Deli Fundraiser

**Date(s) of Project:** 10/08/15

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 5

Canidates: 11

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 0

Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

Members came and ate dinner at Jason's Deli off of Newberry Road. As part of the event, the restaurant donated 15% of the proceeds to our service fund. This money will go directly to help put on a STEM activity for a local boys and girls club.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Tau Beta Pi is committed to serving the community. The fundraising opportunity allows us to put on more community outreach then was previously possible. By providing the local boys and girls club with after school STEM activities for the youth there, we are looking to broaden their horizons and spark an interest in the physical sciences. This event was also an excellent experience for members and electees to socialize and network.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The event was set up on Groupraise.com. A UF Tau Beta Pi group was created, and we requested Jason's Deli as our dinner location. Once this was confirmed we needed 20 people RSVP by the required date. Once completed, we just showed up on the reserved date and placed our receipts in the box. 15% of the proceeds from the receipts we collected come back to Tau Beta Pi. The community also stepped up and helped us bolster our numbers.



#### **IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:**

There was no cost on the part of Tau Beta Pi. Personal requirements included cost of gas for individuals who used their car for car-pooling and what they spent on dinner, which averaged \$9 per person.

#### **V. Special Problems:**

None.

#### **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

This event was the first of its kind at the Florida Alpha Chapter of Tau Beta Pi. We found it to be a success and raised money to be used for the Boys and Girls Club activity. The community also stepped up and took an active role in helping our cause.

#### **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Felipe Lenz, Thomas Linehan, Thomas Scruggs, Ryan St Pierre, Kimmai Tran

Electees in Attendance: Kristin Byers, Cristian Cocconelli, Andrew Girard, David Hernando, Chris Pope, Anderson Sheets, Samantha Webster

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 59.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Old T-Shirt Sale

**Date(s) of Project:** 09/06/2015-10/10/2015

**Project area:**  Community/  
Liberal Culture  University/  
College  Profession/  
Engineering  Chapter/  
Social  Education/  
Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 2 Candidates: 14

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 10 Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

We sold old TBP t-shirts to raise money for Gigi's Playhouse. Unsold t-shirts donated to Goodwill.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Tau Beta Pi aims to foster esteemed professionals in engineering, with excellent leadership and service. This projects contributes to our service goals.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Matthew Harwood coordinated the sales and donations of this project.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

The project had not cost. Matthew organized selling t-shirts and distributing the donations.

### V. Special Problems:

No problems encountered.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

This program was great. It raised money to help Gigi's playhouse (an organization for Down Syndrome achievement) and donated unsold shirts to Goodwill.

### VII. Index of Exhibits:

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 60.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Fall Adopt-a-Street #3

**Date(s) of Project:** 11/15/15

**Project area:**  Community/  
Liberal Culture  University/  
College  Profession/  
Engineering  Chapter/  
Social  Education/  
Professional  
Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 2

Candidates: 13

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 1

Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

Members and candidates spent two hours picking up garbage on the chapters' adopted street, NE 28<sup>th</sup> St. between NE 15<sup>th</sup> St. and Main St. Volunteers like us are responsible for the maintenance of streets throughout the Gainesville community.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Tau Beta Pi is committed to serving the community; The adopt-a-street program allows members to become aware of an important issue within our community while actively working to mitigate it. This is a valuable opportunity for our chapter to make a difference in our community and environment, as well as a bonding experience for members and candidates.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The street was adopted a year ago, so prepare for the event one of the service coordinators contacted the public works department of the city of Gainesville and picked up the equipment the Thursday prior to the event. The event was discussed at the second general body meeting, and members and candidates were reminded via email the week of the event.

**IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:**

There was no cost for this event, personal requirements consisted of the gas cost for individuals who used their car for car-pooling.

**V. Special Problems:**

None.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

This continues to be a great service event, which allows members and candidates to bond while helping the community. We were able to pick up a total of ten bags worth of garbage, as well as larger miscellaneous items, including tires and a bar stool. Multiple members of the community expressed their gratitude while driving by. Future suggestions would be getting coffee or snacks for the volunteers before, and having hand sanitizer or wipes.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Eric Dunkelberger, Kaitlynn Olczak

Electees in Attendance: Sarmad Chaudhry, Scott Fenton, Daniel Fuenmayor, Kenneth McIntyre, Chris Pope, Brianna Posada, Troy Sandler, Sanderson Sheets



All of the volunteers except for the Service Coordinator, Kaitlynn Olczak, with the trash they cleaned up.

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 61.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Alachua County Humane Society #1

**Date(s) of Project:** 11/05/15

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 3 Candidates: 6

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 1 Participating: 3

### I. General Description:

Members spent three hours assisting the local Humane Society, which shelters dogs and looks to find them a suitable home. Services rendered included cleaning, walking dogs, and assisting with any other services they provide the animals.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Tau Beta Pi is committed to serving the community. As the only local no-kill shelter, it is imperative that they receive enough help and support from volunteers in order for them to continue operation. All animals are given human interaction three times daily in order to keep them accustomed to people, and therefore more likely to be adopted. This can become very time intensive when they have a lot of animals, and has required them to enlist the help of volunteers. The event clearly benefited both the animals and our members, acting as a distraction during exam time.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

This was the first time Florida Alpha has volunteered at the Alachua Country Humane Society. We contacted their volunteer coordinator and set up dates where they anticipated they would need the most help. During the event we worked alongside their registered volunteers who walked our group through the steps and procedures to safely handle the animals.

**IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:**

The event was free other than gas required by the members to drive to the event.

**V. Special Problems:**

None.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

This was a great event that gave members an opportunity to help the community in a non-traditional way. Everyone who attended spoke highly of the event afterwards, and the Humane Society expressed their desire for us to continue coming to help when available.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Alyssa Egnew, Jessica Matthews, Ryan St Pierre

Electees in Attendance: Cassandra Gilley, Savannah Kirwan, Ian Malone, Samantha Webster, Jennifer Yoder

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 62.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Fall Adopt-a-Street #4

**Date(s) of Project:** 11/15/15

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 2 Candidates: 13

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 1 Participating: 3

### I. General Description:

Members and candidates spent three hours picking up garbage on the chapters' adopted street, NE 28<sup>th</sup> St. between NE 15<sup>th</sup> St. and Main St. Volunteers like us are responsible for the maintenance of streets throughout the Gainesville community.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Tau Beta Pi is committed to serving the community; The adopt-a-street program allows members to become aware of an important issue within our community while actively working to mitigate it. This is a valuable opportunity for our chapter to make a difference in our community and environment, as well as a bonding experience for members and candidates.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The street was adopted a year ago, so prepare for the event one of the service coordinators contacted the public works department of the city of Gainesville and picked up the equipment the Thursday prior to the event. The event was discussed at the second general body meeting, and members and candidates were reminded via email the week of the event.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

There was no cost for this event; personal requirements consisted of the gas cost for



individuals who used their car for car-pooling.

**V. Special Problems:**

None.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

This continues to be a great service event, which allows members and candidates to bond while helping the community. We were able to pick up a total of ten bags worth of garbage, as well as larger miscellaneous items, including tires and a bar stool. Multiple members of the community expressed their gratitude while driving by. Future suggestions would be getting coffee or snacks for the volunteers before, and having hand sanitizer or wipes.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Thomas Linehan, Kaitlynn Olczak

Electees in Attendance: Ismal Badreldin, Ryan Dargan, Michael Everette, Daniel Fuenmayor, Jiajun Lei, Michael Lindsey, Celina Mariano, Christina Miller, Lindsey Mitchell, Michael Orianro, Cesar Santoyo, Samuel Thomas, Alan Williams

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 63.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Alachua County Humane Society #2

**Date(s) of Project:** 11/19/15

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 1 Candidates: 10

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 1 Participating: 3

### I. General Description:

Members spent three hours assisting the local Humane Society, which takes in dogs from the shelter and looks to find them a suitable home. Services rendered included cleaning, walking dogs, and assisting with any other services they provide the animals.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Tau Beta Pi is committed to serving the community; As the only local no-kill shelter, it is imperative that they receive enough help and support from volunteers in order for them to continue operation. All animals are given one on one interaction with a volunteer, three times daily in order to keep them accustomed to people, and therefore more likely to be adopted. This can become very time intensive when they have a lot of animals. The event clearly benefited both the animals and our members, acting as a distraction during exam time.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

We contacted their volunteer coordinator and set up dates where they anticipated they would need the most help. During the event we worked alongside their registered volunteers who walked our group through the steps and procedures to safely handle the animals.

**IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:**

The event was free other than gas required by the members to drive to the event. Carpooling was used.

**V. Special Problems:**

None.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

This was a great event that gave members an opportunity to help the community in a non-traditional way. Everyone who attended spoke highly of the event afterwards, and the Humane Society expressed their desire for us to continue coming to help when available.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Ryan St Pierre

Electees in Attendance: John Barta, Paige Bohana, Shaheen Farhadi, Adriana Henao, Alex Hicks, Savannah Kirwan, Dana Lobmeyer, Paul Logas, Erick Stein, Stephanie Voight

# Community Outreach

Spring 2016



# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 64.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Adopt-A-Street #1

**Date(s) of Project:** 02/07/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 4 Electees: 1

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 0 Participating: 3

### I. General Description:

Members spent three hours picking up trash on NE 28<sup>th</sup> St. between NE 15<sup>th</sup> St. and Main St., the chapters' adopted street. The Gainesville community relies on volunteers like us to remove litter from these streets in order to preserve the cleanliness and beauty of the town.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Tau Beta Pi is committed to serving the community; The adopt-a-street program allows members to become aware of an important issue within our community while actively working to mitigate it. This is a valuable opportunity for our chapter to make a difference in our community and provides a bonding experience for members.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No

The street was adopted several years ago through the Adopt-A-Street program ran by the Gainesville's Public Works Department. During each week before cleanup, one officer goes in to the public works office to check out a cleanup kit, which includes trash bags, neon safety vests, latex gloves, and trash pickers. The kit is returned the following week and a report is filled out telling the program coordinator how many bags were picked up. The event was discussed at the preceding general body meeting, posted on the TBP website, and included in the weekly update email.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Personal requirements included cost of gas for individuals who used their car for car-

pooling.

**V. Special Problems:**

None.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The Adopt-A-Street program continues to be a very worthwhile project, allowing members and candidates to serve their community in a friendly social environment. The benefits of cleaning up trash from the street were tangible as the street became noticeably more attractive and inviting.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Michael Everette, Jacob Morrison, Celeste Rousseau, Chad Spreadbury

Electees in Attendance: Travis Satiritz

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 65.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** TEE Committee Meeting

**Date(s) of Project:** 2/17/16

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 2 Electees: 1

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 2 Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

A meeting to gage the interest of the members and electees in participating in the Tutoring for Engineering Excellence Program. The participants discussed a plan to generate study guides and video lectures. The group agreed to make study guides individually based on subject areas they are interested in tutoring in and the group agreed to work together to make videos on differential equations.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The program upholds the fundamental principles of the Code of Ethics of Engineers particularly in the use of knowledge and skill for the enhancement of human welfare and in improving the competence and prestige of the engineering profession by providing unrestricted access to engineering concepts to anyone interested in pursuing an education in engineering in the form of study guides and video lectures.

**III. Organization & Administration:** (in conjunction with another group?  Yes  No)  
N/A

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

None

### V. Special Problems:

Attendance/Interest was low.



## **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

Although the attendance was low, this was expected. The current TEE program is designed to support a small committee of dedicated individuals to generate online content rather than a large group of live tutors. This differentiates the chapter's tutoring program from other tutoring programs by providing more thorough explanations of engineering concepts that can be accessed at any time. However this makes the program difficult to sell as a means to obtain service hours since the process of making online content can't be easily monitored. The problem of attendance seems to be a reoccurring issue as the previous iteration of the program could not convince candidates/electees to participate because there were easier means to obtain the service hours necessary to join the chapter. I am also finding it difficult to dedicate time towards the program this semester, which I hope I can resolve by working on video production over the summer.

## **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Kenneth McIntyre, Mark McNeely,

Electees in Attendance: Max Stein

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 66.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Project Makeover

**Date(s) of Project:** 02/20/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 8 Electees: 3

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 0 Participating: 3

### I. General Description:

Project Makeover is a student-run, volunteer organization based at the University of Florida, founded in 2008. Each year they renovate a local, low-income school to cultivate a more dynamic learning environment, over the course of one weekend. Tau Beta Pi contributed volunteers to help with a variety of activities, such as landscaping, woodworking, and painting.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

This opportunity gives members a way to serve their community's youth by helping renovate a local school. By helping improve the learning environment of these children, members are investing in their community's future. Meanwhile, by working together on individual projects, members develop a sense of teamwork and camaraderie.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No

Project Makeover is completely run and organized by students from the University of Florida. Tau Beta Pi is not involved in the organization of the event.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

The only associated cost is the price of gas for transportation.

### V. Special Problems:

None.

## VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

This event was a definite success in that it provided an outlet for members to perform meaningful service. Meaningful, in this case, referring to the tangible outcomes of the project: over the course of one weekend, volunteers from TBP and other organizations completely overhauled a local school.

## VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Ryan Dargan, Michael Everette, Jiajun Lei, Kaitlynn Olczak, Celeste Rouseau, Ben Schwaller, Thomas Scruggs, Nikki Weiss

Electees in Attendance: Catherine Miney, Dustin Popp, Sebastian Sayavedra



Everyone after volunteering at Rawlings Elementary!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 67.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** E-Fair Day 1

**Date(s) of Project:** 2/22/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 6 Electees: 1

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 0 Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

Balloon popping and block stacking activities were executed in a fair setting to engage grade school students in STEM.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

To foster a spirit of academic excellence and curiosity in young students.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Benton Engineering Council

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

None.

### V. Special Problems:

Some balloons popped unexpectedly. Stronger tape, preferably packaging tape, should be used in the future.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The students and volunteers enjoyed challenging themselves in the block stacking activity and exploring the properties of rubber sheets in the balloon popping activity. Students engaged in friendly competition facilitated by a dynamic leaderboard.

## VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Surya Dhulipala, Jessica Matthews, Kenneth McIntyre, Julian Rey, Celeste Rousseau, Thomas Scruggs

Electees in Attendance: Ryan Scheinkman



Elementary students learning about the material properties of the “unpoppable” balloon!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 68.

New     Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** E-Fair Day 2

**Date(s) of Project:** 2/23/2016

**Project area:**     Community/ Liberal Culture     University/ College     Profession/ Engineering     Chapter/ Social     Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**                      Members: 7                      Electees: 4

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**                      Organizing: 0                      Participating: 2

**I. General Description:**

Balloon popping and block stacking activities were executed in a fair setting to engage grade school students in STEM.

**II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:**

To foster a spirit of academic excellence and curiosity in young students.

**III. Organization & Administration:** (in conjunction with another group?  Yes     No)

Benton Engineering Council

**IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:**

None.

**V. Special Problems:**

Some balloons popped unexpectedly. Stronger tape, preferably packaging tape, should be used in the future.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The students and volunteers enjoyed challenging themselves in the block stacking activity and exploring the properties of rubber sheets in the balloon popping activity. Students engaged in friendly competition facilitated by a dynamic leaderboard.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Ryan Dargan, Surya Dhulipala, Michael Everette, Julian Rey, Thomas Scruggs, Kimmai Tran, Kiersten Wang

Electees in Attendance: Anup Kumar Doraiswamy, Probal Guna, Troy Heinzmann



Local High School students competing in the block stacking challenge!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 69.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Adopt-A-Street #2

**Date(s) of Project:** 03/13/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 2 Electees: 1

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 0 Participating: 3

### I. General Description:

Members spent three hours picking up trash on NE 28<sup>th</sup> St. between NE 15<sup>th</sup> St. and Main St., the chapters' adopted street. The Gainesville community relies on volunteers like us to remove litter from these streets in order to preserve the cleanliness and beauty of the town.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Tau Beta Pi is committed to serving the community; The adopt-a-street program allows members to become aware of an important issue within our community while actively working to mitigate it. This is a valuable opportunity for our chapter to make a difference in our community and provides a bonding experience for members.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No

The street was adopted several years ago through the Adopt-A-Street program ran by the Gainesville's Public Works Department. During each week before cleanup, one officer goes in to the public works office to check out a cleanup kit, which includes trash bags, neon safety vests, latex gloves, and trash pickers. The kit is returned the following week and a report is filled out telling the program coordinator how many bags were picked up. The event was discussed at the preceding general body meeting, posted on the TBP website, and included in the weekly update email.



#### **IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:**

Personal requirements included cost of gas for individuals who used their car for car-pooling.

#### **V. Special Problems:**

This street cleanup had particularly poor member turnout, most likely because of its overlap with mid-term exam week.

#### **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The Adopt-A-Street program continues to be a very worthwhile project, allowing members and candidates to serve their community in a friendly social environment. The benefits of cleaning up trash from the street were tangible as the street became noticeably more attractive and inviting.

#### **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Michael Everette, Emily Ferradaz

Electees in Attendance: Nikita Goldfarb

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 70.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Relay For Life

**Date(s) of Project:** 04/01/2016 – 04/02/2016

**Project area:**  Community/  
Liberal Culture  University/  
College  Profession/  
Engineering  Chapter/  
Social  Education/  
Professional  
Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 11 Electees: 3

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 3 Participating: 5

### I. General Description:

Relay For Life at UF is a fundraising event organized by the American Cancer Society, in which teams fundraise money throughout the year to support cancer care and research, culminating in a 24-hour fundraising celebration which is itself referred to as "Relay For Life". Teams fundraise throughout the year, often by simply reaching out to friends and family through email and social media asking for contributions. Then at the relay, each team sets up a themed booth around a large track offering food, drinks, and/or services for charitable donations.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Relay For Life at UF generates hundreds of thousands of dollars for cancer care and research every year, and also raises awareness for cancer on campus in a positive uplifting way. This event gives an outlet for Florida Alpha to fulfill its commitment to give back to the community through philanthropy.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No

For much of the semester, the administrative aspect consisted mostly of raising awareness among members, and recruiting them to begin their own personal fundraising effort. A chapter-wide goal was set, and fundraising ideas were discussed at each meeting.

We also held a fundraiser one evening at a burrito restaurant: Tijuana Flats, at which they agreed to donate 20% of proceeds to our Relay For Life efforts, earning us \$92.54. To organize this event, we reached out to the manager in person, and exchanged email information. In email correspondence we set a date and had to provide a W9 tax form.

Furthermore, we raised close to \$150 by giving out coffee and snacks in exchange for charitable contributions out of the TBP office during office hours.

To prepare for Relay, officers gathered to work on signs for our fundraising booth and crafts for one of our fundraisers. The service coordinator gathered supplies such as tent, chairs, whipped cream, and pie tins before the event.

**IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:**

Supplies for the fundraisers at the event fit within a budget of \$30.00

**V. Special Problems:**

None.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

Relay For Life was an enormous success. Members enjoyed themselves at the event, and raised \$135 for charity in the process. The best metric for the success however, is the dollar amount for how much money was raised throughout the semester in total: \$1,470.37. Florida Alpha was recognized as a "Rising Star" Team for surpassing the thousand-dollar mark.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Ryan Dargan, Surya Dhulipala, Michael Everette, Daniel Fuenmayor, Adam Lemay, Jessica Matthews, Celeste Rousseau, Ben Schwaller, Thomas Scruggs, Nikki Weiss

Electees in Attendance: Probal Guha, Anup Kumar Doraiswamy, Travis Satiritz



After our Vice President pied the Graduate Coordinator!



Our Communications Chair was the highest bidder to pie one of our Service Coordinators!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 71.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Adopt-A-Street Cleanup      **Date(s) of Project:** 04/03/2016  
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**Project area:**       Community/  
Liberal Culture       University/  
College       Profession/  
Engineering       Chapter/  
Social       Education/  
Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**      Members: 4      Electees: 3

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**      Organizing: 1      Participating: 3

### I. General Description:

Members spent three hours picking up trash on NE 28<sup>th</sup> St. between NE 15<sup>th</sup> St. and Main St., the chapters' adopted street. The Gainesville community relies on volunteers like us to remove litter from these streets in order to preserve the cleanliness and beauty of the town.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Tau Beta Pi is committed to serving the community; The adopt-a-street program allows members to become aware of an important issue within our community while actively working to mitigate it. This is a valuable opportunity for our chapter to make a difference in our community and provides a bonding experience for members.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The street was adopted several years ago through the Adopt-A-Street program ran by the Gainesville's Public Works Department. During each week before cleanup, one officer goes in to the public works office to check out a cleanup kit, which includes trash bags, neon safety vests, latex gloves, and trash pickers. The kit is returned the following week and a report is filled out telling the program coordinator how many bags were picked up. The event was discussed at the preceding general body meeting, posted on the TBP website, and included in the weekly update email.

#### **IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:**

Personal requirements included cost of gas for individuals who used their car for car-pooling.

#### **V. Special Problems:**

Sometime before the beginning of the event, a car was left on the side of the street with broken windows and keys still inside the vehicle. The Gainesville Police Department was contacted and an officer was sent to investigate the car.

#### **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

A very worthwhile project, allowing members to serve their community, mix and mingle with candidates, and appreciate the community that they are a part of. The benefits of cleaning up trash from the street were tangible as the street became noticeably more attractive and inviting.

#### **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Kirk Cherney, Jacob Montgomery, Jacob Morrison, Michael Shang

Electees in Attendance: Fidel Esquivel Estay, Catherine Miney, Travis Satiritz

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 72.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Humane Society

**Date(s) of Project:** 04.01.16

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 2

Candidates: 5

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 1

Participating: 3

### I. General Description:

Members spent three hours assisting the local Humane Society, which takes in dogs and cats from the shelter and looks to find them a suitable home. Services rendered included mopping, folding laundry, feeding sick cats, walking and playing with dogs, and assisting with any other services they provide the animals.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Tau Beta Pi is committed to serving the community; As the only local no-kill shelter, it is imperative that they receive enough help and support from volunteers in order for them to continue operation. All animals are given human interaction three times daily in order to keep them accustomed to people, and therefore more likely to be adopted. This can become very time-intensive when they have a lot of animals, and has required them to enlist the help of volunteers. The event clearly benefited both the animals and our members, acting as a distraction during exam time.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Florida Alpha has volunteered at the Alachua Country Humane Society a few times in the past. To set up the event we re-contacted their volunteer coordinator to schedule a suitable date. During the event we worked alongside their registered volunteers who walked our group through the steps and procedures to safely handle the animals.



**IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:**

The event was free other than gas required by the members to drive to the event. Carpooling was suggested but members opted to drive themselves.

**V. Special Problems:**

None.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

This was a great event that gave members an opportunity to help the community in a non-traditional way. Everyone who attended spoke highly of the event afterwards, and the Humane Society expressed sincere gratitude for our help.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Michael Everette, Maddy Fuchs

Electees in Attendance: Dustin Popp, Travis Satiritz, Sebastian Sayavedra, Ryan Scheinkman, Tanner Thornton

# Social Development

Fall 2015



# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 73.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Fall Officer Retreat

**Date(s) of Project:** 09/13/2015

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 9 Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 2 Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

This is a new event for Florida Alpha, and the goal is increase camaraderie between the officers to better improve the chapter for the upcoming semester. Officers enjoyed an outdoor barbeque and played sand volleyball and threw a Frisbee.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

This event encourages friendship between officers and is also a great opportunity for officers to begin planning for the upcoming year.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Officers were informed of the time and place of the meeting. The President purchased the supplies for the event and grilled the burgers.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

All officers were encouraged to attend the event. The costs associated with the event were for the food and charcoal, and was paid for by the chapter.

### V. Special Problems:

No special problems encountered.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The meeting was a success. The officers in attendance enjoyed themselves.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Matthew Harwood, Felipe Lenz, Thomas Linehan, Kaitlynn Olczak, Julian Rey, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Ryan St. Pierre, Kimmai Tran



The officers enjoying themselves at UF's Lake Wauburg!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 74.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Mochi Social

**Date(s) of Project:** 9/22/15

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 9 Electees: 31

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 1 Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

The first social of the semester that is open to members and candidates at Mochi Frozen Yogurt social after 1<sup>st</sup> meeting.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Socialize and get to know members of Tau Beta Pi

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The Social Coordinators walked to Mochi with all interested in attending after the first general body meeting.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

No cost to the chapter.

### V. Special Problems:

N/A

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The event was a success. Everyone enjoyed their frozen yogurt and chatted amongst each other and the other members.

## VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Joshua Dinenberg, Felipe Lenz Carvalho, Jessica Matthews, Matthew Moraquez, Benjamin Schwaller, Michael Shang, Thomas Scruggs, Kimmair Tran, Kiersten Wang,

Electees in Attendance: John Barta, Sarmad Chaudhry, Cristian Cocconcelli, Courtney Crawford, Kaitlyn Forry, Maddy Fuchs, Daniel Fuenmayor, Kasandra Gilley, Adriana Henao, David Hernando, Michael Lindsey, Ian Malone, Celina Mariano, Kenneth McIntyre, Christian Miller, Lindsey Mitchell, Madeleine Monfort, Javob Montgomery, Gabrielle Paredes, Hrshit Parikh, Adrian Piedra, Chris Pope, Oswaldo Reina MaReina Marmol, Troy Sandler, Erick Stein, Samuel Thomas, Jennifer Yoder, Stephanie Voight, Samantha Webster, Gregory Wolfe, Zenong Zhang,



Everyone enjoying themselves at Mochi!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 75.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Brass Tap Social #1

**Date(s) of Project:** 09/23/2015

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 5 Electees: 6

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 1 Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

We met at the Brass Tap to socialize and take advantage of their college night specials.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of this event was to get to know the candidates better.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Colton Weimerskirch organized the social. The social was advertised in the This Week in TBP emails as well as on the meeting slides. A reminder email was also sent out several hours before the event occurred.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

This social event required no expenditures by TBP. Attendees paid for their own drinks and there were no personnel requirements.

### V. Special Problems:

There were no problems with this event.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

Everyone in attendance seemed to enjoy themselves and asked when and where the next bar social will be. The good turnout and feedback makes it possible to make this social reoccurring.



**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Thomas Linehan, Thomas Scruggs, Chad Spreadbury, Ryan St Pierre, Colton Weimerskirch

Electees in Attendance: Mark McNeely Hrishit Parikh, Brianna Posada, Oswaldo Reina Marmol, Anderson Sheets, Jonathan Wood

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 76.

New     Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Breakfast Club: Flying Biscuit Cafe

**Date(s) of Project:** 09/27/2015

**Project area:**     Community/ Liberal Culture     University/ College     Profession/ Engineering     Chapter/ Social     Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**                      Members: 4                      Electees: 7

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**                      Organizing: 1                      Participating: 2

**I. General Description:**

We met at the Flying Biscuit Cafe to socialize and eat breakfast food.

**II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:**

The purpose of this event was to get to know the candidates better.

**III. Organization & Administration:** (in conjunction with another group?  Yes  No)

Colton Weimerskirch organized the social. The social was advertised in the This Week in TBP emails as well as on the meeting slides.

**IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:**

This social event required no expenditures by TBP. Attendees paid for their own food and there were no personnel requirements.

**V. Special Problems:**

Kimmai sent out a reminder email but she forgot to send a copy of the email to the candidates. There were no problems during the event.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

Everyone in attendance seemed to enjoy themselves, although some did not like their food choices. Next breakfast club meeting should require RSVPing as we had to change the

number of people for our party several times.

## VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Alyssa Egnew, Felipe Lenz, Kimmai Tran, Colton Weimerskirch

Electees in Attendance: Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Courtney Crawford, Adithya Devraj, Daniel Fuenmayor, Hrishit Parikh, Adrian Piedra, Zenog Zhang



Enjoying tasty breakfast at the Flying Biscuit!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 77.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Brass Tap Social #2

**Date(s) of Project:** 10/07/2015

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 2

Electees: 5

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 0

Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

We met at the Brass Tap to socialize for college night.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of this event is to have fun while getting to know the candidates.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Colton Weimerskirch organized the social and it was advertised in the This Week in TBP emails as well as the meeting slides.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

This required no expenditures by TBP. There were no personnel requirements.

### V. Special Problems:

There were no problems at this event.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

Less people showed up to the second Brass Tap social than the first. There were a mix of returning candidates and new candidates at the social. Everyone seemed to enjoy themselves.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Chad Spreadbury, Colton Weimerskirch

Electees in Attendance: Cristian Cocconelli, David Hernando, Alex Hicks, Jacob Montgomery, Brianna Poasadas



Enjoying some deals on craft beers!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 78.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Harn Museum Social

**Date(s) of Project:** 10/08/15

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 3

Electees: 3

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 1

Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

We attended the Art in Engineering exhibit at the Harn Art Museum.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Purpose was to expose engineers to other disciplines that complement their own.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Kimmai organized the social, and it was advertised both in the TBP weekly updates and a reminder email the morning of the event.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

No expenditures.

### V. Special Problems:

Kimmai had arrived a little later due to a meeting, but had pre-seen this problem and sent out specific instructions to attendees who attended to provide proof of attendance

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

Everyone enjoyed their time at the museum.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Alyssa Egnew, Felipe Ienz, Kimmai Tran

Electees in Attendance: Cristian Cocconcelli, David Hernando, Lindsey Mitchell

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## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 79.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Member Candidate Social

**Date(s) of Project:** 10/13/2015

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 9

Electees: 18

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 3

Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

A social was planned for members and new candidates to bond. The social involved board games, video games, and ice cream in a classroom.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Tau Beta Pi aims to create a network of high character engineers. In order to foster that network, a social was planned to let new candidates feel comfortable and develop a love for the organization.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The organization of the event involved booking the room through the registrar, advertising the event through TBP listservs, requesting an RSVP through Google documents, coordinating people to bring their board games and video games, and purchasing enough ice cream for all participants.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

The only cost was the ice cream, bowls, and spoons.

### V. Special Problems:

This issue wasn't a problem, but toppings for the ice cream would be a great addition for next year!



## **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

This event was extremely fun. The candidates even made board game groups without the assistance of the officers. I feel the event helped foster a spirit of community within the organization.

## **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Eric Dunkelberger, Felipe Lenz, Thomas Linehan, Jessica Matthews, Celeste Rousseau, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Chad Spreadbury

Electees in Attendance: John Barta, Paige Bohana, Kristin Byers, Sarmad Chaudhry, Ryan Dargan, Brian Dinenberg, Scott Fenton, Daniel Fuenmayor, Kasandra Gilley, Vanessa Guarnizo, Nicholas Kelton, JIAJUN LEI, Madeleine Monfort, Charles Peaden, Oswaldo Reina Marmol, Alexander Robau, Samantha Webster, Alan Williams

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## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 80.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** BrassTap Social #3

**Date(s) of Project:** 10/21/2015

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 4 Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 0 Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

We met at the Brass Tap to hang out and take advantage of the drink specials.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of this event is to have a fun event for members and electees to get to know each other.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Colton Weimerskirch organized this social.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

There were no cost or personnel requirements.

### V. Special Problems:

None.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The turnout was not as good as it had previously been, the next social should require an RSVP.

### VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Carla Guidi Azarola, Jason Traub, Colton

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha  
Project number: 81.

New     Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Halloween Murder Mystery Dinner Party      **Date(s) of Project:** 10/24/15

<b>Project area:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Community/ Liberal Culture	<input type="checkbox"/> University/ College	<input type="checkbox"/> Profession/ Engineering	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Chapter/ Social	<input type="checkbox"/> Education/ Professional Development
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**Number of persons who participated in this project**      Members: 7      Electees: 9

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**      Organizing: 10      Participating: 3

### I. General Description:

Tau Beta Pi is throwing a murder mystery dinner party and all members & candidates are invited! The theme is the Roaring '20s. It is a COSTUME and DINNER party so dress accordingly and be prepared for a potluck. The twist during the event was that every person was assigned a character, a scientist in particular, stuck in the 1920s and had to discover who killed Thomas Edison at his premiere of the light bulb.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Provide fellowship and thoughtfulness in figuring out a mystery given certain clues.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Kimmai organized the event. It was advertised on TBP Weekly Updates and at meetings.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

A lot of time was put in by the social chair organizing the event. Kimmai put in 10 hours planning, writing the clues and the script, taking time to setup and clean up, and making decorations to save on money from buying all the décor. \$135 was spent on additional décor and party supplies including plates, cups, and napkins.

#### **V. Special Problems:**

Planning required a lot of man power and time and it was too much for one social chair to do alone.

#### **VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The event was successful and all attending appeared to have a good time. There was plenty of food and drink, and everyone had ample opportunity to participate and get involved in the storyline.

#### **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Alex Adams, Shannon Brown, Alyssa Egnew, Felipe Lenz, Celeste Rousseau, Kimmair Tran, Colton Weimerskirch

Electees in Attendance: Surya Chandan, Shaheen Farhadi, Daniel Fuenmayor, Hrishit Parikh, Steven Rodgers, Anderson Sheets, Sandor Valenciaga, Samantha Webster, Gregory Wolfe



The dinner has just begun and there is a mystery to solve!



Everyone had a great time solving the mystery!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 82.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Breakfast Club: Peach Valley Cafe

**Date(s) of Project:** 11/1/15

**Project area:**  Community/Liberal Culture  University/College  Profession/Engineering  Chapter/Social  Education/Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 3

Electees: 7

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 0

Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

Monthly brunch social is meant to encourage fellowship in addition to exploring the Gainesville cuisine

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

This event creates fellowship between electees and members.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Advertised at meetings and in the weekly email updates.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

None

### V. Special Problems:

No problems

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

Everyone seemed to enjoy their meal and the general conversation was constant and pleasant.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Alyssa Egnew, Felipe Lenz, Kimmair Tran,

Electees in Attendance: Islam Badreldin, Scott Fenton, Remy Hanewinkel, Paul Logas, Dana Lobmeyer, Jacob Morrison, Andersen Sheets,



Everyone had a great time at Peach Valley!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 83.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Brass Tap Social #4

**Date(s) of Project:** 11/04/2015

**Project area:**  Community/  
Liberal Culture  University/  
College  Profession/  
Engineering  Chapter/  
Social  Education/  
Professional  
Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 5

Electees: 8

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 0

Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

We met at the Brass Tap to socialize for college night.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of this event is to have fun while getting to know the electees.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Colton Weimerskirch organized the social and it was advertised in the This Week in TBP emails as well as the meeting slides.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

This required no expenditures by TBP. There were no personnel requirements.

### V. Special Problems:

There were no problems at this event.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

This occurrence of the Brass Tap Social produced the greatest turnout so far. Interest in this event makes it possible to continue these socials.



## **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Thomas Scruggs, Alexander Soderlund, Chad Spreadbury, Kimmai Tran, Colton Weimerskirch, Nikki Weiss

Electees in Attendance: Adriana Henao, Mark McNeely, Hrishit Parikh, Chris Pope, Anderson Sheets, , Emily Steele, Sandor Valenciaga

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 84.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** UF Homecoming Parade Social **Date(s) of Project:** 11/6/2015

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 1 Electees: 2

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 1 Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

UF's Homecoming Parade features various student organizations, businesses, schools, and local law enforcement troupes to display their parade float to celebrate UF pride.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Fellowship and school pride

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Kimmai organized and held the event.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

None

### V. Special Problems:

We were in a crowded area, but not a huge problem.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The two other people that came seemed to enjoy their time.

### VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Kimmai Tran

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 85.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Gators Dockside Trivia Night

**Date(s) of Project:** 11/11/15

**Project area:**  Community/  
Liberal Culture  University/  
College  Profession/  
Engineering  Chapter/  
Social  Education/  
Professional  
Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 3

Electees: 4

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 1

Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

We held a social event at Gators Dockside during their Trivia Night.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

Fellowship within the society

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Event was advertised on "This Week in Tau Beta Pi" as well as email reminders

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

No cost to hold.

### V. Special Problems:

Venue was large so it was difficult for people to find the group, but we eventually all met up.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

Everyone seemed to have a good time.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Jacob Traub, Thomas Scruggs, Kimmai Tran

Electees in Attendance: Carlos Murillo, Michael Orlando, Cesar Santoyo, Jennifer Yoder



We had fun answering tough trivia questions!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 86.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Electee-Only Social

**Date(s) of Project:** 11/12/2015

**Project area:**  Community/  
Liberal Culture  University/  
College  Profession/  
Engineering  Chapter/  
Social  Education/  
Professional  
Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 2

Electees: 59

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 2

Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

The electee-only social allowed electees to bond over a team building activity. They competed in groups to build the highest tower out of dry spaghetti and marshmallows.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of this event was to have the new electees socialize and interact with one another, creating friendships that will hopefully lead to their continued involvement in our chapter after initiation.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? (Yes No)

This was a Tau Beta Pi event only.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

\$57.09 for supplies.

### V. Special Problems:

There were no problems.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

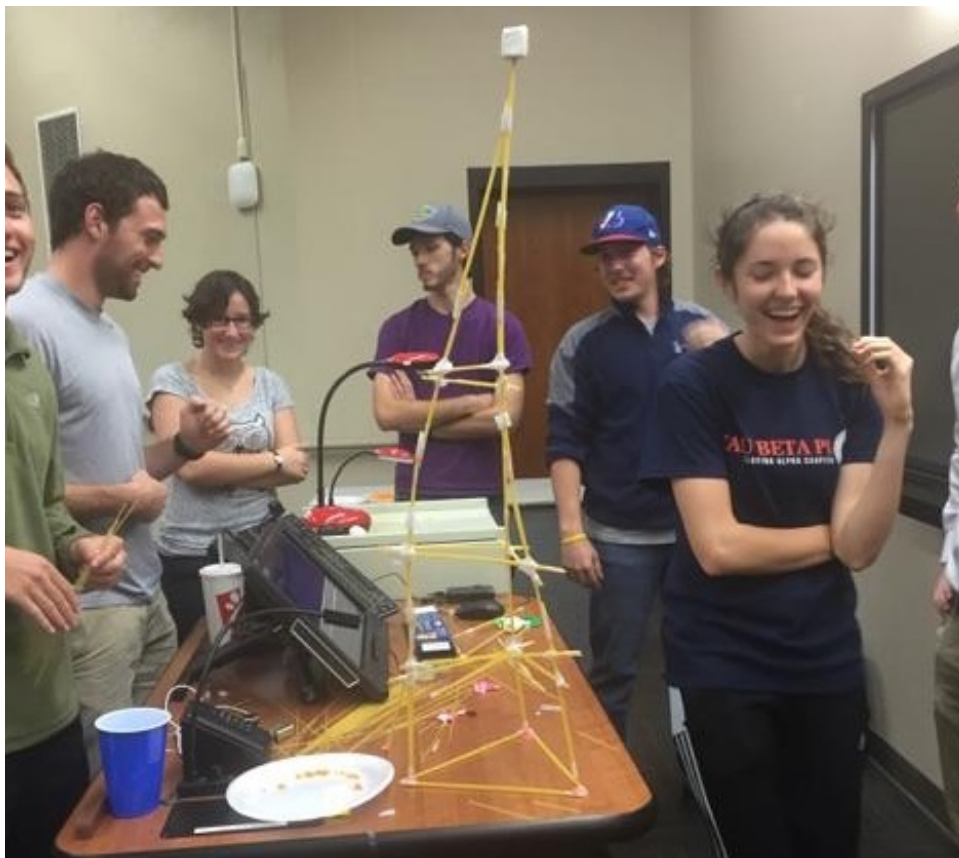
Overall, the electees were successful in working together to achieve a common goal. They communicated their ideas effectively and seemed to have a great time participating. All of the groups

were successful in building a tower, and a few were very close in height.

## VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Jessica Matthews, Nikki Weiss

Electees in Attendance: Islam Badreldin, John Barta, Paige Bohana, Kristin Byers, Cristian Cocconcelli, Courtney Crawford, Ryan Dargan, Adithya M Devraj, Surya Chandan Dhulipala, Brian Dinenberg, michael everette, Shaheen Farhadi, Scott Fenton, Margaret Fettis, Maddy Fuchs, Daniel Fuenmayor, Rachel Giles, Kasandra Gilley, Andrew Girard, Vanessa Guarnizo, Remy Hanewinkel, David Hernando, Alex Hicks, Jacob Holloway, Nicholas Kelton, Savannah Kirwan, JIAJUN LEI, Adam LeMay, Michael Lindsey, Dana Lobmeyer, Paul Logas, Ian Malone, Celina Mariano, Kenneth McIntyre, Mark McNeely, Louis Mihalinec, Christian Miller, Lindsey Mitchell, Madeleine Monfort, Jacob Montgomery, Carlos Murillo, Michael Orlando, Gabrielle Paredes, Hrishit Parikh, Adrian Piedra, Oswaldo Reina Marmol, Alexander Robau, Troy Sandler, Cesar Santoyo, Anderson Sheets, Erick Stein, Samuel Thomas, Sandor Valenciaga, Yuzheng Wang, Samantha Webster, Alan Williams, Gregory Wolfe, Jennifer Yoder, Zenong Zhang,



Electees with the tallest spaghetti tower!



Our awesome electees that came to the social!

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 87.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Brass Tap Social #5

**Date(s) of Project:** 11/18/2015

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 2 Electees: 3

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 0 Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

This social event takes place at a local bar called The Brass Tap.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of this event is to have fun socializing and getting to know the candidates/electees.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

One of the Social Coordinators organized this event.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

The event didn't cost Tau Beta Pi anything. There were no personnel requirements.

### V. Special Problems:

There were no problems.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The bar socials continue to provide a fun environment to socialize with members and electees.



**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Tim Knowles, Kimmai Tran

Electees in Attendance: Michael Everette, Rachel Giles, Andrew Girard

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 88.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Bent Polishing Social

**Date(s) of Project:** 11/19/2015

**Project area:**  Community/  
Liberal Culture  University/  
College  Profession/  
Engineering  Chapter/  
Social  Education/  
Professional  
Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 4

Electees: 8

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 1

Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

The bent polishing social allowed electees to get to know each other and other members before initiation while also polishing their bents.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of this event was to have the new electees socialize and interact with one another as well as current members, creating friendships that will hopefully lead to their continued involvement in our chapter after initiation.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

This was a Tau Beta Pi event only.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

The event was held using materials that had been purchased in the past. 3 officers were present to help show electees how to polish their bents.

### V. Special Problems:

There were no problems.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

Overall, all of the electees and members present ended up with polished bents, some of which were

close to achieving “best bent” the following day. It was a great way to increase the number of electees who polish their bents before initiation, and it also allowed electees and members to bond. My only suggestion would be to have more files for electees to use, as well as providing smaller files to reach tight spaces.

## **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Jessica Matthews, Thomas Scruggs, Nikki Weiss

Electees in Attendance: Sarmad Chaudhry, Margaret Fettis, Vanessa Guarnizo, Jacob Holloway, Adam LeMay, Kenneth McIntyre, Chris Pope, Gregory Wolfe

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 89.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Breakfast Club: Metro Diner

**Date(s) of Project:** 11/22/2015

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 4 Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 0 Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

Breakfast Club met at The Metro Diner to have brunch.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The breakfast social is meant to encourage fellowship and allow members to explore Gainesville cuisine.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

Kimmai organized the breakfast social and advertised it at the meetings, in the weekly update email, as well as in a reminder email the day before the event.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

No expenditures on TBP's behalf, only a call-ahead to RSVP people.

### V. Special Problems:

Firstly, we typically have issues with people RSVPing and not showing up, so calling ahead does nothing most of the time because I have to keep changing the party number. Secondly, most places we've went to this semester even when calling ahead do nothing really to speed up the place in line until the whole party arrives anyway. This particular date for the breakfast club was a little difficult because of Thanksgiving coming up the following Thursday, but it the remaining Sundays of the semester did not seem like otherwise viable options (Sunday after Thanksgiving, Sunday before finals).

## VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The Breakfast Club typically has good success on average, but there is always a long wait time. Future meetings for it should maybe be at 10am to avoid the church crowd and other lazy Sunday morning brunchers.

## VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Felipe Lenz, Michael Shang, Anderson Sheets, Kimmai Tran

Electees in Attendance:



Enjoying brunch at the Metro Diner!

# Social Development

Spring 2016



# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 90.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Mochi Social

**Date(s) of Project:** 02/02/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 15 Electees: 6

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 0 Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

This social event takes place at a local frozen yogurt shop called Mochi.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of this event is to have fun socializing and getting to know the candidates/electees.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

One of the Social Coordinators organized this event.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

The event didn't cost Tau Beta Pi anything. There were no personnel requirements.

### V. Special Problems:

There were no problems.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

Mochi socials have been planned for the past few semesters as the first social event of the semester. It continues to draw the largest attendance of any social event.



## **VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: John Barta, Shannon Brown, Courtney Crawford, Emily Ferradaz, Tim Knowles, Kenneth McIntyre, Madeline Monfort, Matthew Moraguez, Julian Rey, Celeste Rousseau, Thomas Scruggs, Michael Shang, Kimmair Tran, Colton Weimerskirch, Jennifer Yoder

Electees in Attendance: Fidel Esquivel Estay, Troy Heinzmann, Alex Marques, Mary Regan, Ryan Scheinkman, Max Stein

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 91.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Brass Tap Social

**Date(s) of Project:** 02/03/2016

**Project area:**  Community/  
Liberal Culture  University/  
College  Profession/  
Engineering  Chapter/  
Social  Education/  
Professional  
Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 7

Electees: 6

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 0

Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

This social event takes place at a local bar called The Brass Tap.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of this event is to have fun socializing and getting to know the candidates/electees.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

One of the Social Coordinators organized this event.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

The event didn't cost Tau Beta Pi anything. There were no personnel requirements.

### V. Special Problems:

There were no problems.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The bar socials continue to provide a fun environment to socialize with members and electees.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Daniel Fuenmayor, Chris Pope, Anderson Sheets, Chad Spreadbury, Erick Stein, Jason Traub, Colton Weimerskirch, Nikki Weiss

Electees in Attendance: Dustin Popp, Sebastian Sayavedra

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 92.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Link to Pink Gymnastics Social      **Date(s) of Project:** 02/12/2016

**Project area:**       Community/ Liberal Culture       University/ College       Profession/ Engineering       Chapter/ Social       Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**      Members: 6      Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**      Organizing: 0      Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

This social event took place at the Link to Pink Gators Gymnastics Meet.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of this event is to have fun socializing and getting to know the candidates/electees.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

One of the Social Coordinators organized this event.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

The event didn't cost Tau Beta Pi anything. There were no personnel requirements.

### V. Special Problems:

There were no problems.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

Everyone had fun socializing and watching the meet. Gators Gymnastics won!

### VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Daniel Fuenmayor, Felipe Lenz, Celeste Rousseau, Ben

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 93.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Breakfast Club: Flying Biscuit

**Date(s) of Project:** 02/14/2016

**Project area:**  Community/  
Liberal Culture  University/  
College  Profession/  
Engineering  Chapter/  
Social  Education/  
Professional  
Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 5

Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 0

Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

This social event took place at The Flying Biscuit Cafe.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of this event is to have fun socializing while eating breakfast food.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

One of the Social Coordinators organized this event.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

The event didn't cost Tau Beta Pi anything. There were no personnel requirements.

### V. Special Problems:

No electees showed up to the event.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

Everyone had fun and enjoyed their meals. The social was a success.

### VII. Index of Exhibits:

Members in Attendance: Timothy Clingenpeel, Scott Fenton, Adrian Piedra, Anderson

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 94.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Member Candidate Social

**Date(s) of Project:** 02/23/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 12 Candidates: 6

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 2 Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

The member candidate social is hosted every semester prior to elections. It consists of board games, ice cream, and bonding.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The social fosters unity among our members, and provides a network for candidates.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

I booked the room at the beginning of the semester, advertised during meets, made a Google RSVP link, and purchased 2.5 gallons of icecream, a bottle of whip cream, sprinkles, bowls, and spoons the day of the event.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Cost for supplies was between \$30-40

### V. Special Problems:

We needed an ice cream scooper. Also, the ice cream melted very quickly in the Styrofoam

cooler, so it would be good to have something sturdier.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The event was fun. One issue was the kind of board games that was bought. The most amount of success has arisen from Taboo, which someone downloaded on his phone to play. Another person brought a role-playing game, which worked for part of the group. More games like Taboo, Apples to Apples, or Cards Against Humanity should be brought next time.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: John Barta, Tim Clingenpeel, Ryan Dargan, Daniel Fuenmayor, Vanessa Guarnizo, Adam LeMay, Felipe Lenz, Kenneth McIntyre, Celeste Rousseau, Michael Shang, Ryan St. Pierre, Nikki Weiss

Electees in Attendance: Marvin Andujar, Fidel Esquivel, Wesley Henson, Troy Heinzmann, Sebastian Sayavedra

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 95.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Tall Paul's Social #2

**Date(s) of Project:** 03/09/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 6

Electees: 1

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 0

Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

This social event takes place at a local bar called Tall Paul's.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of this event is to have fun socializing and getting to know the candidates/electees.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

One of the Social Coordinators organized this event.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

The event didn't cost Tau Beta Pi anything. There were no personnel requirements.

### V. Special Problems:

There were no problems.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The bar socials continue to provide a fun environment to socialize with members and electees.

### VII. Index of Exhibits: LEAVE BLANK



Members in Attendance: Cristian Cocconcelli, Daniel Fuenmayor, David Hernando, Mark McNeely, Chris Pope, Colton Weimerskirch

Electees in Attendance: Sebastian Sayavedra

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 96.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** House of Beer Social

**Date(s) of Project:** 03/23/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 10 Electees: 2

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 0 Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

This social event takes place at a local bar called House of Beer.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of this event is to have fun socializing and getting to know the candidates/electees.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

One of the Social Coordinators organized this event.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

The event didn't cost Tau Beta Pi anything. There were no personnel requirements.

### V. Special Problems:

There were no problems.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The bar socials continue to provide a fun environment to socialize with members and electees.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Ryan Dargan, Surya Dhulipala, Daniel Fuenmayor, Felipe Lenz, Jessic Matthews, Chirs Pope, Brianna Posadas, Celeste Rousseau, Thomas Scruggs, Colton Weimerskirch

Electees in Attendance: Catherine Miney, Sebastian Sayavedra

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 97.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Officer Coloring Social

**Date(s) of Project:** 3/38/16

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project**

Members: 7

Electees: 0

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project**

Organizing: 1

Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

This event had a two-fold purpose: first, to allow the officers to bond while participating in healthy stress relief tactics (coloring), and secondly, to make the props needed for our Relay for Life booth.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of the social was to unify our officer board through socials, creating a more cohesive chapter. Additionally, the chapter fostered our dedication to service for it allowed us to prepare for our major service event.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

The organization required taking a poll of availability of the officers and mutually agreeing on a time, date, and location. The materials for Relay for Life were decided and purchased by the head service chair and another dedicated officer. Any officer interested in coloring brought coloring books.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

Materials for Relay for Life probably cost around \$25-30

### V. Special Problems:

No problems.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

This was an easy and fun function. We were able to talk in a relaxed setting We were also able to make the materials for Relay and have an amazing fundraiser.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Michael Everette, Felipe Lenz, Celeste Rousseau, Thomas Scruggs, Nikki Weiss, Colton Weimerskirch

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 98.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Whiskey House Social

**Date(s) of Project:** 03/30/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 7 Electees: 3

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 0 Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

For this event, we met at Whiskey House, a local bar, for some drinks.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of this event is to have fun socializing and getting to know the electees.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

One of the Social Coordinators organized this event.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

There were no costs or personnel requirements for Tau Beta Pi.

### V. Special Problems:

There were no problems.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The bar socials continue to have solid turnouts.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Cristian Cocconcelli, Ryan Dargan, David Hernando, Felipe Lenz, Jacob Montgomery, Thomas Scruggs, Colton Weimerskirch

Electees in Attendance: Probal Guha, Anup Kumar Doraiswamy, Tanner Thornton

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 99

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Crafty Bastards Social

**Date(s) of Project:** 04/06/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 8 Electees: 1

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 0 Participating: 2

### I. General Description:

This social event takes place at a local bar and grill called Crafty Bastards.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

The purpose of this event is to have fun socializing and getting to know the candidates/electees.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

One of the Social Coordinators organized this event.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

The event didn't cost Tau Beta Pi anything. There were no personnel requirements.

### V. Special Problems:

There were no problems.

### VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):

The bar socials continue to provide a fun environment to socialize with members and electees.



**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Shannon Brown, Kristin Byers, Ryan Dargan, Felipe Lenz, Jacob Montgomery, Celeste Rousseau, Thomas Scruggs, Jason Traub, Sandor Valenciaga, Colton Weimerskirch,

Electees in Attendance: Mark McNeely

# The Tau Beta Pi Association

## Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Florida Alpha

Project number: 100.

New  Recurring

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete each of the seven sections below. Any additional information which may be helpful to another chapter would also be appreciated, but do not send extraneous material that would not be useful to other chapters.

**Project name:** Spring Bent Polishing Social

**Date(s) of Project:** 4/8/2016

**Project area:**  Community/ Liberal Culture  University/ College  Profession/ Engineering  Chapter/ Social  Education/ Professional Development

**Number of persons who participated in this project** Members: 4 Electees: 1

**Average number of hours per person spent on this project** Organizing: 0.5 Participating: 1

### I. General Description:

Electees are invited to join members, officers, and other electees to polish their bents prior to initiation using the provided materials.

### II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:

To give electees an opportunity to polish their bents whether or not they have the necessary materials, and to allow them to interact with other electees and/or members before initiation.

### III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group? Yes No)

There was not much organization necessary. Bent polishing supplies are stored in a box in the office. Electees were notified of the event at the meetings and via email.

### IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:

All materials were purchased prior to the beginning of this semester. 2 officers brought the supplies to the event.

### V. Special Problems:

There was another event going on where the social was originally planned. However, being outdoors, it was easy to relocate. There was also a low turnout.

**VI. Over-all Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**

The event was definitely a great way for electees to polish their bents and connect in a casual environment, but only one electee attended. Perhaps having recurring events in the weeks leading up to initiation would encourage electees to polish their bents with other potential initiates.

**VII. Index of Exhibits:**

Members in Attendance: Daniel Fuenmayor, Jessica Matthews, Celeste Rousseau, Thomas Scruggs

Electees in Attendance: Nikita Goldfarb

# Appendix

# The Tau Beta Pi Laureate Award



Application Packet for  
Kiersten Wang (FI A 2014)

Prepared by the advisors, officers, and members of  
The Florida Alpha Chapter  
April 2016

**Tau Beta Pi, Florida Alpha Chapter**

Box 116550  
312 Weil Hall  
Gainesville, FL 32611



April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016

To the Tau Beta Pi Laureate Committee,

The Tau Beta Pi Florida Alpha Chapter would like to endorse Kiersten Wang with our highest possible recommendation for the Tau Beta Pi Laureate award for her achievements in athletics.

During her undergraduate career pursuing a bachelor's degree in Civil Engineering at the University of Florida, Kiersten also participated as a member of the 3-time National Champions gymnastics team. Kiersten achieved career high marks in all events and played a crucial role with her performances in the vault and floor exercise events during regional and national championship events. She also contributed to the team through service events including promoting cancer awareness, food drives, and serving as a gymnastics camp counselor.

Despite a full schedule between her academic, athletic, and service endeavors, Kiersten has become one of the most dedicated members of the Florida Alpha Chapter since her initiation on November 21<sup>st</sup>, 2014. Kiersten is passionate about outreach and has focused her participation in our GatorTRAX (MindSET) events as our Elementary GatorTRAX Coordinator. Throughout this semester she has set up 5 successful GatorTRAX sessions with another session planned for April 2<sup>nd</sup>. The events have ranged from teaching children about water filtration to the kinetic and potential energy in rollercoasters and have been attended by well over 100 students, candidates, and members.

Kiersten has been great addition to our chapter and is truly proud of her membership in Tau Beta Pi. Based on her impressive profile, we would appreciate your highest consideration as a potential recipient of the Tau Beta Pi Laureate award.

Sincerely,

Thomas Scruggs  
President

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Celeste Rousseau  
Vice President

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Michael Shang  
Corresponding Secretary

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Mike Griffis  
Chief Advisor

Curtis Taylor  
Faculty Advisor

Elif Akçali  
Faculty Advisor

## (2) Nomination Summary: Why should Kiersten Wang receive the Tau Beta Pi Laureate Award?

- **Reason 1:** During five years as a civil engineering student, Kiersten has maintained a high academic standard achieving a 3.82 GPA and membership into Tau Beta Pi. She is also a member of the National Society of Collegiate Scholars.
- **Reason 2:** While at UF, Kiersten competed for the Gator Gymnastics team, set career high scores in vault, floor, beam, and uneven bars to help earn three NCAA Team National Championships.
- **Reason 3:** Kiersten used her role as a member of the Gator Gymnastics team to engage with children with cancer and disabilities in outreach programs such as Stomp the Swamp and Climb for Cancer.
- **Reason 4:** As the GatorTRAX Coordinator, Kiersten has set up and run five successful GatorTRAX sessions with one more planned before the end of the academic year that have helped over 100 young students, candidates, and members get excited about engineering.
- **Reason 5:** Kiersten has been one of the most dedicated and dependable officers at Florida Alpha. She actively participates in the chapter discussions at the officer meetings and has remained involved in all aspects of the chapter!

### **(3) Biographical Sketch**

Kiersten Wang is a 5<sup>th</sup> year Civil Engineering student at the University of Florida. While at UF she competed for the Gator Gymnastics team, helping to earn three NCAA Team National Championships. Ms. Wang also leads the Tau Beta Pi "Gator Trax" program which organizes and runs unique engineering activities for aspiring young students in the Gainesville area.

Before attending the University of Florida, Ms. Wang was an outstanding student at Palmer Ridge High School in Monument, Colorado, attaining a 3.98 unweighted GPA. Ms. Wang balanced her time in high school between her class-leading academics and her unrelenting training regimen as a competitive gymnast. Ms. Wang was a 4-time Junior Olympic National Qualifier, and a 2-time Nastia Liukin Supergirl Cup Qualifier. She was voted the 2011 Outstanding Sportswoman of the Year by Colorado USA Gymnastics Organization. In 2010, Ms. Wang was the Colorado Individual State Champion, a feat she repeated in 2011. She led her team to the overall team title, demonstrating her commitment to personal excellence, as well as the excellence of her team.

Ms. Wang was introduced to the field of engineering by her father, Todd Wang, who served 20 years in the Army Corps of Engineers and is also a member of Tau Beta Pi. Kiersten Wang is a vital member of the University of Florida and the Florida Alpha Chapter of Tau Beta Pi.



#### **(4) Contributions to the Fostering of Liberal Culture**

During Kiersten Wang's time at the University of Florida she has participated in many different activities and contributed greatly to the fostering of a liberal culture. Ms. Wang was a member of the University of Florida 3-time National Champions gymnastics team and used this platform to help give back to the community.

Every year, the Florida Gymnastics team puts on the Link to Pink meet where they raise awareness for breast cancer and honor victims of breast cancer as well as breast cancer survivors. As a part of the meet, the women on the team participate in events throughout the week to promote the meet, help patients and raise awareness. The members of the team spend a day at Hope Lodge, serving dinner, eating dinner and getting to know recovering cancer patients. The team also goes to the graffiti wall (A 400m long wall where graffiti is allowed and encouraged) on 34<sup>th</sup> Street in Gainesville and paints the entire wall pink. The team also participates in the breast cancer walk that runs by the wall they painted. The team also has a food drive in November to collect canned food to give underprivileged people a Thanksgiving dinner.

As part of the Florida Gymnastics team, Ms. Wang also participated in Stomp the Swamp, an event for autistic children to flex their muscles and climb obstacle courses, Climb for Cancer, a similar event for children with cancer that gives them an opportunity to play various sports with the Gator athletes they admire, and was a Gymnastics camp counselor in 2014, providing many young gymnasts with an excellent role model on and off the mats.

In addition to working with her team on volunteer projects, Ms. Wang takes the initiative to participate in community service work on her own. Working through the University Athletic Association's volunteer and community service organization, Goodwill Gators, Ms. Wang regularly attended Caleb's Pitch, an organization that visits children in the hospital and does splatter paint projects with them to bring some happiness and joy to their days. Ms. Wang also worked through Goodwill Gators to participate in Miracle on Main Street, an event that gives underprivileged kids a Christmas and an opportunity to receive gifts from Santa.

As a member of Tau Beta Pi, Ms. Wang is the coordinator of the GatorTRAX children's outreach program. GatorTRAX is an engineering outreach program hosted by student volunteers from Tau Beta Pi and other engineering honor societies, who teach a topic of engineering to K-12 students. The students are then led through a hands-on activity pertaining to the engineering material presented in that particular GatorTRAX session. Ms. Wang has taken on the challenge of the continued expansion this Tau Beta Pi program by advertising it to schools with flyers and with successful events throughout the 2015-2016 school year. Not only has Ms. Wang planned the events throughout the school year by contacting other honor societies to host a particular GatorTRAX event, she has also planned out lessons, taught the material, and walked through the hands-on activities with the children and volunteers. Ms. Wang has led an event on groundwater pollution in which the children learned about the water treatment procedures and built their own water bottle filter. On another occasion, Ms. Wang also put together an activity on the construction of stable structures; accordingly, the children

built steady spaghetti and marshmallow towers. Ms. Wang was inspired to take on this officer position with the goal of encouraging young students to pursue engineering or other technical careers without being fearful that a technical career would be too arduous.

Ms. Wang isn't just an all-star in community service, she is also an all-star on the gymnastics floor and in the classroom. Ms. Wang achieved career highs of 9.9/10 on Vault, 9.75/10 on Bars, 9.775/10 on Beam and 9.925/10 on Floor Exercise, demonstrating her outstanding athletic ability. Aside from being 3-time National Champions, the Gator Gymnastics team won the Southeastern Conference Championship in 2012 and 2013. In the 2012 National Championship, Ms. Wang vaulted her way to a 9.85/10 helping the Gators to a 2<sup>nd</sup> place finish, just a tenth off of the National Title. In the 2013 SEC Championships, Ms. Wang scored a 9.9/10 on the Floor Exercise, scoring for the Gators and helping them win the conference title. During the 2015 Gymnastics season, Ms. Wang competed as part of every floor and vault line up throughout the season posting career highs on both Vault and Floor. At the 2015 National Championship, Ms. Wang again contributed to the overall team score to win the National Title with a 9.9/10 on the Floor Exercise and a 9.825/10 on Vault.

Ms. Wang was named to the Southeastern Conference Academic Honor Roll in 2012, 2013, 2014 and 2015. She was also named to the National Association of Collegiate Gymnastics Coaches Scholastic All-American team in 2012, 2013, 2014 and 2015, showing unrivaled success in the classroom amongst her fellow student-athletes. It almost goes without saying that Ms. Wang has made the Dean's List at the University of Florida numerous times, in Spring 2012, Fall 2013, Fall 2014, Spring 2015, and Fall 2015.

To use a gymnastics term, Kiersten Wang has consistently “shown off” her commitment to and excellence in athletics, academics and altruism. Ms. Wang has provided a shining contribution to the fostering of the liberal culture at the University of Florida and is a stand-out member of Tau Beta Pi.

## (5) Participation in Tau Beta Pi Activities

During the electee process, Kiersten attended all of the required events as well as additional service and social events despite her busy gymnastics schedule. The following is her event participation during the fall 2014 semester in chronological order. Note that in FL-A chapter, candidates are not required to attend General Body Meeting #3 since that is when candidate elections are held. In addition, candidates are permitted one drop meeting which Kiersten did not use. Kiersten was initiated into Tau Beta Pi on December 21, 2014.

As a member, Kiersten has stayed equally involved by continuing to pursue other opportunities in the chapter. In addition to attending meetings and social events, she volunteered for the officer position of GatorTRAX coordinator in Fall 2015. In her position as GatorTRAX coordinator, she has taken it upon herself to continue the success of the GatorTRAX program. Not only has she obtained hosts for these events, she has also taken it upon herself to lead two GatorTRAX events on her own. For one activity, she lead a presentation and activity about ground water and water treatment to a group of young students. In this activity, the students used what they learned about water treatment to create their own personal water filtration system. In another event, she lead an activity about tower structures, where the students built spaghetti marshmallow towers. The goal for these towers were to be as tall as possible while remaining stable and could withstand "high winds". By the end of this school year, she will have prepared for six total GatorTRAX events.

### **Electee**

- 9/23/14 – General Body Meeting #1
- 10/7/14 – General Body Meeting #2
- 10/14/14 – Member-Candidate Social
- 10/25/14 – GatorTRAX: Balloon Vehicles
- 10/30/14 – Electee-Only Social
- 11/4/14 – General Body Meeting #4
- 11/8/14 – GatorTRAX: Popsicle Stick Bridges
- 11/18/14 – General Body Meeting #5
- 11/21/14 – Initiation and Banquet

### **Member**

- 1/20/15 – Member Meeting
- 3/10/15 – General Body Meeting #3
- 3/24/15 – General Body Meeting #4
- 4/14/15 – Officer Elections

### **GatorTRAX Coordinator**

- 9/1/15 – Officer Meeting #1
- 9/8/15 – Member Meeting
- 9/22/15, 10/6/15, 10/20/15, 11/3/15  
11/3/15, 11/17/15 – General Body Meetings #1-5
- 10/10/15 – GatorTRAX: Marble Rollercoater
- 10/24/15 – Gumdrop Bridge
- 11/10/15 – Officer Meeting #2
- 11/14/15 – Water Pollution
- 1/12/16, 2/9/16, 3/15/16, 3/29/16 – Officer Meetings #1-4
- 1/19/16 – Member Meeting
- 2/2/16, 2/16/16, 3/8/16, 3/22/16 – General Body Meetings #1-4
- 2/13/16 – GatorTRAX: Paper Planes and Straw Rockets
- 3/12/16 – GatorTRAX: Spaghetti Towers
- 3/13/16 – Tau Beta Pi Day 5K

## (6 A) Personal résumé

### Education

University of Florida 2011-May 2016  
Civil engineering, May 2016 Graduation  
Current GPA: 3.82  
Fundamentals of Engineering (FE): Passed February 2016

### Affiliations

College Athletics 2011-Present  
Member of the University of Florida gymnastics team  
Tau Beta Pi Honor Society Officer 2014-Present  
GatorTRAX K-12 Outreach Program Coordinator  
Hydrodynamics Teaching Assistant 2015-Present  
Civil Engineering Practice Teaching Assistant 2015-Present  
National Society of Collegiate Scholars member 2012-Present  
Student Athletic Advisory Committee 2012-2013  
Gymnastics Team Representative- responsible for relaying information to and from the board and team

### Experience

CH2M Water Resources Intern May 2015-August 2015

- Assisted in various projects ranging from writing a condition assessment technical memorandum for a pump station to managing contractor submittals
- Created an erosion control plan for a creek bed improvement project

Academic Paper Editor October 2015-Present

- Edited and formatted research manuscripts on concrete for submission as academic journal entries

Internship with Bridges to Prosperity May-August 2014

- Rewrote bridge calculations within bridge manual for Bridges to Prosperity using Mathcad
- Worked under Thomas Bang, Staff Engineer for Bridges to Prosperity

Humanitarian Bridge Project- Nicaragua June 2013

- Worked with students from Notre Dame in the Students Empowering Through Engineering Development chapter and their senior mentor to construct a foot bridge
- Also included work to connect remote community to access health, education, and economic opportunity

Humanitarian Bridge Project- Nicaragua August 2011

- Worked with students from Rice University EWB chapter and their senior mentor survey of proposed bridge
- Included work to connect a remote community to access health, education and economic opportunity

### Awards/Honors

Dean's List 2015 Fall Semester; 2015 Southeastern Conference Academic Honor Roll; 2015 National Association of Collegiate Gymnastics Coaches

Scholastic All-America team; Dean's List 2015 Spring Semester; 2014 Southeastern Conference Academic Honor Roll; 2014 National Association of Collegiate Gymnastics Coaches Scholastic All-America team; Dean's List 2013 Fall Semester; 2013 Southeastern Conference Academic Honor Roll; NACGA Scholastic All-American team 2013; Dean's List 2012 Spring Semester; NACGC Scholastic All-American team 2012; 2011 voted Outstanding Sportswoman of the Year by Colorado USA Gymnastics Organization; 2012 Southeastern Conference First-Year Academic Honor Roll

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## STUDENT SELF SERVICE

## TRANSCRIPT (UNOFFICIAL)

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

## GRADE/HOUR TOTALS

Hours Earned	Hours Carried	Grade Points	GPA	Deficit Points
148.00	137.00	524.07	3.82	

## COLLEGE LEVEL ACADEMIC SKILLS TEST

MATH 995	READING 995	WRITING 995	ESSAY 95	DATE: 03/30/11
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## \*\*\*\*\* FALL 2011 \* CLASS = 1 COLLEGE = LS

COURSE	SECT	GRADE	CREDIT	CREDIT EARNED	CREDIT FOR GPA	COURSE TITLE
ENC 1101	1663	A	3.0	3.0	3.0	EXPOS & ARGU WRITING
FOS 2001	2589	A	3.0	3.0	3.0	MANS FOOD
MAC 1140	3343	A	3.0	3.0	3.0	PRECALCULUS ALGEBRA
MUH 2501	6592	A	3.0	3.0	3.0	INTRO TO WORLD MUSICS
SYG 2430	3167	A	3.0	3.0	3.0	MARRIAGE AND FAMILY

TERM GPA = 4.00 \* EARNED 15.00 HRS \* EARNED 60.00 GPTS \* CARRIED 15.00 HRS

## \*\*\* SPRING 2012 \* CLASS = 1 COLLEGE = LS

COURSE	SECT	GRADE	CREDIT	CREDIT EARNED	CREDIT FOR GPA	COURSE TITLE
CHM 1025	5269	A	2.0	2.0	2.0	INTRO TO CHEMISTRY
HSC 3102	2389	A-	3.0	3.0	3.0	PERSONAL FAMILY HLTH
HSC 3537	2396	A	3.0	3.0	3.0	HLTH & MED TERMINOLGY
MAC 1114	2691	A	2.0	2.0	2.0	TRIGONOMETRY
PSY 2012	3931	A	3.0	3.0	3.0	GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY

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URP 4000	3991	A	3.0	3.0	3.0	PREVIEW URBAN & REG
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TERM GPA = 3.93 \* EARNED 16.00 HRS \* EARNED 63.01 GPTS \* CARRIED 16.00 HRS

**\*\*\*\*\* FALL 2012 \* CLASS = 2 COLLEGE = EG**

COURSE	SECT	GRADE	CREDIT	CREDIT EARNED	CREDIT FOR GPA	COURSE TITLE
CHM 2045L	0741	A	1.0	1.0	1.0	GENERAL CHEMISTRY LAB
CHM 2095	04AE	A	3.0	3.0	3.0	CHM FOR ENGINEERS 1
EGN 1002	0706	A	1.0	1.0	1.0	INTRO TO ENGINEERING
ENC 3254	8557	A	3.0	3.0	3.0	PROF COMMUNICATION
MAC 2311	3150	A	4.0	4.0	4.0	ANALYT GEOM & CALC 1
URP 3001	1908	A	3.0	3.0	3.0	CITIES OF THE WORLD

TERM GPA = 4.00 \* EARNED 15.00 HRS \* EARNED 60.00 GPTS \* CARRIED 15.00 HRS

**\*\*\* SPRING 2013 \* CLASS = 2 COLLEGE = LS**

COURSE	SECT	GRADE	CREDIT	CREDIT EARNED	CREDIT FOR GPA	COURSE TITLE
ARC 1720	3407	A-	3.0	3.0	3.0	SURVEY ARCH HISTORY
LEI 3320	7277	A	2.0	2.0	2.0	LEADRSHP/SOCIAL RECRE
MAC 2312	2620	B	4.0	4.0	4.0	ANALYT GEOM & CALC 2
PHY 2048	028E	B+	3.0	3.0	3.0	PHYSICS WITH CALC 1
PHY 2048L	2786	A-	1.0	1.0	1.0	LAB FOR PHY 2048
SUR 3323	162C	A-	3.0	3.0	3.0	VISUALIZ SPATIAL INFO

TERM GPA = 3.48 \* EARNED 16.00 HRS \* EARNED 55.68 GPTS \* CARRIED 16.00 HRS

**\* SUMMER 2013 \*\*\***

**UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO-COLORADO SPRINGS**

COURSE	SECT	GRADE	CREDIT	CREDIT EARNED	CREDIT FOR GPA	COURSE TITLE
ENC 0000	0000	A	3.0	3.0	3.0	RHETORIC & WRIT 2
EVS 0000	0000	A-	4.0	4.0	4.0	LANDFORMS & SOILS
MAC 0000	0000	A	4.0	4.0	4.0	CALCULUS 3

TERM GPA = 3.88 \* EARNED 11.00 HRS \* EARNED 42.68 GPTS \* CARRIED 11.00 HRS

**\*\*\*\*\* FALL 2013 \* CLASS = 3 COLLEGE = EG**



COURSE	SECT	GRADE	CREDIT	CREDIT EARNED	CREDIT FOR GPA	COURSE TITLE
EGM 2511	01G5	A	3.0	3.0	3.0	ENGR MECH-STATICS
MAP 2302	7097	B+	3.0	3.0	3.0	ELEM DIFF EQUATIONS
PHY 2049	6454	B+	3.0	3.0	3.0	PHYSICS WITH CALC 2
PHY 2049L	6664	A	1.0	1.0	1.0	LAB FOR PHY 2049
STA 3032	7661	A-	3.0	3.0	3.0	ENGINEER STATISTICS
SUR 3393	13AB	A-	2.0	2.0	2.0	GEOGRAPHIC INFO SYS
SUR 3393L	13AC	A-	1.0	1.0	1.0	GEOGRAP INFO SYS LAB

TERM GPA = 3.62 \* EARNED 16.00 HRS \* EARNED 58.00 GPTS \* CARRIED 16.00 HRS

**\*\*\* SPRING 2014 \* CLASS = 3 COLLEGE = EG**

COURSE	SECT	GRADE	CREDIT	CREDIT EARNED	CREDIT FOR GPA	COURSE TITLE
CGN 4101	0867	A	3.0	3.0	3.0	CIV ENGR COST ANALYS
EGM 3401	1038	A-	3.0	3.0	3.0	ENGINEER MECH DYNAMIC
EGM 3520	039D	A-	3.0	3.0	3.0	MECHANICS OF MATERIAL
EML 3100	6502	A	3.0	3.0	3.0	THERMODYNAMICS 1

TERM GPA = 3.83 \* EARNED 12.00 HRS \* EARNED 46.02 GPTS \* CARRIED 12.00 HRS

**\* SUMMER 2014 \* CLASS = 4 COLLEGE = EG**

COURSE	SECT	GRADE	CREDIT	CREDIT EARNED	CREDIT FOR GPA	COURSE TITLE
CWR 3201	7458	A	4.0	4.0	4.0	HYDRODYNAMICS

TERM GPA = 4.00 \* EARNED 4.00 HRS \* EARNED 16.00 GPTS \* CARRIED 4.00 HRS

**\*\*\*\*\* FALL 2014 \* CLASS = 4 COLLEGE = EG**

COURSE	SECT	GRADE	CREDIT	CREDIT EARNED	CREDIT FOR GPA	COURSE TITLE
CEG 4011	0868	A	4.0	4.0	4.0	SOIL MECHANICS
CES 3102	4872	B	4.0	4.0	4.0	MECH OF ENG STRUCT
CGN 3421	2818	A	4.0	4.0	4.0	COMP METH CIVIL ENGR
CWR 4202	0916	A	3.0	3.0	3.0	HYDRAULICS

TERM GPA = 3.73 \* EARNED 15.00 HRS \* EARNED 56.00 GPTS \* CARRIED 15.00 HRS

**\*\*\* SPRING 2015 \* CLASS = 5 COLLEGE = EG**

COURSE	SECT	GRADE	CREDIT	CREDIT EARNED	CREDIT FOR GPA	COURSE TITLE
CEG 4012	0840	A	3.0	3.0	3.0	GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEER
CGN 4160	1C67	A-	4.0	4.0	4.0	CIVIL ENG PRACTICE
CWR 4542	137C	A	3.0	3.0	3.0	WATER RESOUR ENGINEER
EGS 4034	0129	A-	1.0	1.0	1.0	PROFESSIONALSM/ETHICS
ENV 4514C	1910	A	3.0	3.0	3.0	WATER/WASTE TREATMENT

TERM GPA = 3.88 \* EARNED 14.00 HRS \* EARNED 54.35 GPTS \* CARRIED 14.00 HRS

**\*\*\*\*\* FALL 2015 \* CLASS = 5 COLLEGE = EG**

COURSE	SECT	GRADE	CREDIT	CREDIT EARNED	CREDIT FOR GPA	COURSE TITLE
CGN 3501C	0890	A	4.0	4.0	4.0	CIVIL ENGR MATERIALS
CWR 4306	1449	A	3.0	3.0	3.0	URB STORMWATER SYS DE
SUR 4201	7927	A-	3.0	3.0	3.0	RT GEOMETRICS DESIGN
TTE 4004C	0949	A	4.0	4.0	4.0	TRANSPORTA ENGINEER

TERM GPA = 3.92 \* EARNED 14.00 HRS \* EARNED 55.01 GPTS \* CARRIED 14.00 HRS

## (7) Confidential Reference Letters

Three reference letters were mailed in separately from this application packet to Tau Beta Pi Headquarters. The letters were written by the following three individuals:

**Ashley Kerr**

The University of Florida Gymnastics Assistant to the Head Coach.

**Adam Kiel**

The former Graduate Assistant in Student-Athlete Development at the Office of Student Life at the University of Florida and current Director of Student Athlete Development at the University of Missouri.

**Dr. Christopher Ferraro**

The Civil Engineering Practice Professor and Research Assistant Professor in the Weil Hall Structures Laboratory.

## (8) Supplementary Material



*Kiersten at Fall 2014 Initiation!*



*Kiersten was featured by the University Athletic Association in this clip about the hardships she has overcome, her involvement with the team, and her remarkable academic discipline.*

*Please access the clip here:*



*Kiersten with the National Champions Gator Gymnastics team in 2013, 2014, and 2015!*



National Championship and SEC Championships Rings



2015 NCAA National Championships Prelim Floor Routine  
Link: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W\\_wQXZzfgBU](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W_wQXZzfgBU)



*Kiersten during a floor routine as a member of UF's gymnastics team.*



*Setting a career high of 9.925/10.0 on the Floor Exercise!*



*Kiersten has been involved in community outreach through youth gymnastics.*





*Kiersten participating in hospital outreach events.*



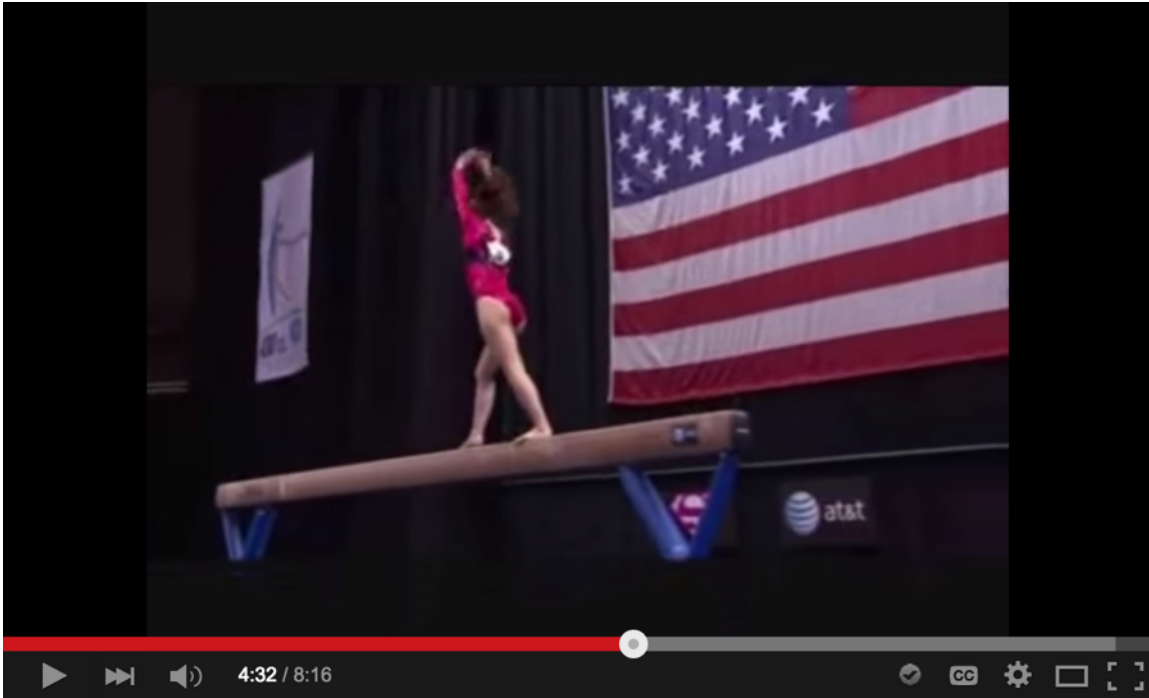
*Helping spread cancer awareness!*



Kiersten working with volunteers and students to demonstrate water filtration at GatorTRAX this fall



*Kiersten helping students build popsicle stick bridges at one of our fall 2014 GatorTRAX events.*



*Kiersten's Supergirl Cup performance on vault, bars, beam, and floor routines at the age of 18.*  
Available to view:  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zRLZaj-2104>

