

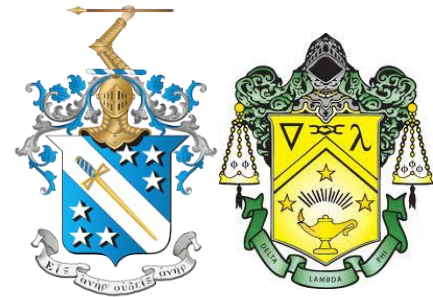
Tuesday, June 7, 2016

Dear Community,

We are pleased to announce that the Interfraternity Council at the George Washington University will welcome two new colonies, Phi Delta Theta and Delta Lambda Phi, to join our community during the fall 2016 and spring 2017 semesters, respectively.

Over the past semester, the Interfraternity Council has worked to diversify the Greek community at GW. We believe these new groups will help elevate our community and strengthen the IFC as well as challenge our existing groups to perform at a higher level in the areas of member development, service and philanthropy, academic integrity and education around sexual assault prevention.

With a drive for helping every individual meet his true potential, Phi Delta Theta will be a welcome addition to our community and boasts an already established alumni network in the DC area, which would no doubt serve as an added benefit to its men. Phi Delta Theta's values are friendship, sound learning and rectitude. Outside of these core values, Phi Delta Theta is known for its enforcement of its strict zero-tolerance policy toward hazing.



**PHI DELTA THETA +  
DELTA LAMBDA PHI TO JOIN  
IFC FALL '16/SPRING '17**

Founded in 1986, with the hopes of creating a fraternity for progressive men irrespective of sexual orientation or gender expression, Delta Lambda Phi will also strengthen our community. With its alpha chapter originally established here in Washington, DC, having Delta Lambda Phi as part of our IFC is a historic development, and one in which we take great pride. Delta Lambda Phi promotes the values of excellence, integrity, diversity, justice, service, friendship and commitment. Outside of these values, we believe the group will provide a welcome space for all men in the GW community, including those in our LGBT communities.

Over the summer, the Greek Life office and IFC will work with the staff of Phi Delta Theta and Delta Lambda Phi on their respective timelines. Phi Delta Theta will conduct its recruitment process following formal fall 2016 recruitment and Delta Lambda Phi will conduct spring 2017 recruitment. Both organizations' new member classes will have the opportunity to shape their respective fraternity into something unique while adding more diversity to our unified GW Greek community.

The addition of Phi Delta Theta and Delta Lambda Phi demonstrates the IFC's commitment to adding variety in choice and increasing the opportunities available for undergraduate men to find a fraternity home within our community. The IFC is excited to welcome these two exceptional organizations to GW.

Sincerely,

2016 Interfraternity Council & Greek Life Office