

Purdue Chapter

Brother Lance Yoder '08 USMC is now deployed in Iraq for a seven month tour of duty. Lance's military unit was called to active duty in July. He is serving as a combat engineer, involved in construction, searching

for land mines, IEDs, and other roadside bombs, and convoy security. He plans to return to Purdue to complete his education in the fall of 2007.

Brother Lance is a great example of the quality of young men who choose to become DUs, and an inspiration to all.

South Carolina Chapter

The South Carolina Chapter wants to welcome their newest pledge class: Andrew Ussers, Julius Pauras, Owen Green, Nelson Ho, Jeremy Cockrell, Nick Dailey, Faisal Akar, Blake Edmunds, Brett Holladay, Patrick Morency, and Nicholas Nadorff.

Technology Chapter

Below is a portion of an article written by Kevin Durand, *Technology '07*, that appeared in the Spring 2006 *DU Beacon*.

"Rush is a period that is confusing to most men who are interested in pledging a fraternity. They are bombarded with a plethora of decisions that define the remainder of their college experience.

"As many of these confused individuals, I was uncertain that a fraternity - any fraternity in particular - was the correct choice for me. With this in mind, I received several bids from different fraternities, but did not accept any of them because I was not convinced that any of them fit my personality.

"While others in my graduation class enjoyed fraternity life, I developed close friendships with a large number of both affiliated and unaffiliated students. While others were living in a house with those

they had a deep-rooted bond with, I had an isolated single in west campus. While I endured this time in silent - and generally unknown - desperation, it was because I thought that the Institute had the same effect on everyone. I was just ignorant that a fraternal brotherhood can change one's perspective so drastically.

"I discovered my ignorance in the last months of my sophomore year. Through a friend, I made my first significant visit to Delta Upsilon. I was collaborating on a problem set with the group in first commons and immediately noticed the profound difference between the manner in which a typical student and a brother in Delta Upsilon handles the difficulties of the school and in the way he conducts himself in general. He was dedicated, diligent, and most of all willing to help me, nearly a total stranger, understand the nuances of aerodynamics. These personality traits were something that I noticed to be distinctively missing from my life so far at MIT. I have always held myself to the higher standard and so resolved to explore what this fraternity

represented.

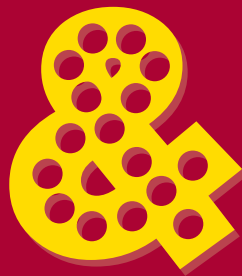
"I had, of course, heard the name Delta Upsilon, as it is one of the premier fraternities on campus, but had never made an attempt to get close to DU. I began to look at Delta Upsilon and over the course of time, I made friends at the chapter and began spending more time there. I pledged during fall rush and moved into the house. As a junior moving into the house, I had many apprehensions as to how I would be accepted by my graduation year's pledge class. There were the unavoidable jokes and commentary on my ineptitude to make the right decision for me, yet the majority of the process was not only painless but enjoyable. I found that, by moving in, I was closer to my brothers than anyone else on campus, and the feeling has not subsided.

"After almost a year since I really met my first brother of Delta Upsilon, I am myself a Brother. Now I realize that the promotion of friendship is not just an empty phrase, but an actual embodiment that we, and all Brothers in Delta Upsilon, must and do share."

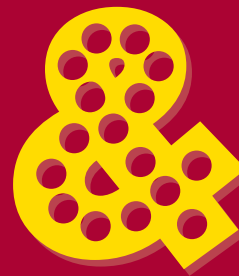
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