

## News Release

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### NPC Recognizes Outstanding Alumnae Panhellenic Associations for 2019-20

50 Alumnae Panhellenic Associations Recognized with Citation of Merit and Programming Excellence Awards

INDIANAPOLIS — The National Panhellenic Conference (NPC), one of the largest advocacy and support organizations for women, is pleased to announce the Alumnae Panhellenic Association recipients of the Citation of Merit and Programming Excellence awards for 2019-20.

NPC annually recognizes Alumnae Panhellenic Associations for their outstanding achievements. NPC area coordinators who work directly with Alumnae Panhellenics evaluate the Alumnae Panhellenics and nominate them for awards based on their programming accomplishments, work to build positive relationships with their communities, efforts to promote the sorority experience, submission of the Alumnae Panhellenic annual report and continued administration of their Alumnae Panhellenic.

"Alumnae Panhellenics play a pivotal role in advancing the sorority experience," said Linda Purkapile, 2018-20 NPC Alumnae Panhellenics Committee chairman. "And, despite the challenges presented to Panhellenic operations from the global pandemic, their activities in 2019-20, whether delivered in person or virtually, helped to promote the lifelong benefits of sorority membership and enhance the Panhellenic image. We are proud to recognize these Alumnae Panhellenics and their members who have demonstrated hard work and dedication to being ambassadors for the sorority experience."

The 2019-20 award recipients are:

### Citation of Merit Award (27 Alumnae Panhellenic Associations)

- Atlanta Southern Crescent, GA
- Atlanta, GA
- Central New Jersey, NJ
- Clear Lake Area, TX
- Clearwater, FL
- Coppell, TX
- Dallas, TX
- Dayton, OH
- Denver Area, CO

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- Fort Bend County, TX
- Frisco-Allen, TX
- Greater Kansas City, KS
- Greater Oklahoma City, OK
- Houston, TX
- Lee County, FL
- Mid Cities, TX
- Northern Nevada, NV
- Northern Virginia, VA
- Northwest Dallas, TX
- Phoenix, AZ
- Pittsburgh, PA
- San Mateo County, CA
- Sonoma County, CA
- St. Petersburg, FL
- Tallahassee, FL
- Tidewater, VA
- Waco, TX

#### Programming Excellence Award (42 Alumnae Panhellenic Associations)

- Atlanta Southern Crescent, GA
- Atlanta, GA
- Birmingham Area, MI
- Birmingham, AL
- Charlotte, NC
- Chicago Northshore, IL
- Clear Lake Area, TX
- Clearwater, FL
- Cleveland, OH
- Columbus, OH
- Coppell, TX
- Dallas, TX
- Dayton, OH
- Denver Area, CO
- Detroit, MI
- Fort Lauderdale, FL
- Frisco-Allen, TX
- Greater Kansas City, KS
- Greater Louisville, KY
- Greater Naples, FL

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- Houston, TX
- Jacksonville, FL
- Lee County, FL
- Memphis, TN
- Miami, FL
- Northern Nevada, NV
- Northern Virginia, VA
- Omaha, NE
- Overlake Bellevue, WA
- Palm Beach County, FL
- Annapolis, MD
- Philadelphia Area, PA
- Phoenix, AZ
- San Mateo County, CA
- South Bay, CA
- St. Petersburg, FL
- Tallahassee, FL
- Tidewater, VA
- Tulare County, CA
- Twin Cities, MN
- Youngstown, OH

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### About the National Panhellenic Conference (NPC)

NPC, one of the largest organizations advocating for women, is the umbrella group for 26 national and international sororities. NPC sororities are located on more than 670 campuses with more than 380,000 undergraduate members in more than 3,200 chapters. Alumnae are represented in more than 3,880 associations throughout the world. For more information, including a complete list of NPC sororities, visit npcwomen.org or find NPC on Twitter, Instagram and Facebook.