



PI GAMMA MU
International Honor Society in Social Science

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Tampa Florida

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To: Pi Gamma Mu Chapter Officers
From: Janet Monroe, Sponsor, Florida Eta Chapter
Subject: Pi Gamma Mu Southeastern Regional Conference

Pi Gamma Mu's Southeastern Regional Convention is scheduled for February 22-24, 2007 at the Clarion Inn, 2701 E. Fowler Ave, Tampa Florida. Faculty members and student members of Pi Gamma Mu are certain to enjoy this convention. I encourage all Pi Gamma Mu faculty members to attend, and ask that faculty members encourage their students to attend and present their research papers. Students members do not have to present to attend but we encourage participation by all attendees.

1. CONVENTION REGISTRATION FEES

The registration fee for the convention is \$60. This payment includes academic activities, dinner Thursday and Friday night, a hospitality suite with munchies and breakfast foods, lunch Friday, and a tour of USF Botanical Gardens. To accompany us on to Mosi, Museum of Science and Industry, for a tour and an Imax movie, on Saturday afternoon, there is an extra \$25 fee. Please send reservations so that they are received in by January 30, 2004

2. LODGING AT HOTEL

The room rate is \$79.99 plus 12% tax. This is for a room with two beds, with room for up to four individuals per room. Call the hotel directly at (813) 971-4710, Ext 3998, ask for "PGM conference rate". To qualify for this rate, reservations must be made by January 21, 2007.

3. TRANSPORTATION

The local airport is Tampa International Airport. Ground Transportation is available for \$24 per person on Bay Shuttle (866) 259-9929 or (813) 259-9998.

4. TEDDY BEAR PAGEANT

Florida Eta requests that you bring a teddy bear wearing your school colors. The bears will be donated to Metropolitan Ministries, for the local homeless shelter, at the end of the conference.

5. PRESENTATIONS OF PAPERS

Pi Gamma Mu student members may submit a paper to present at the convention. Proposals for this convention must be submitted in the form of a completed research paper. There are two ways to submit a paper for consideration. The first is to email it to jmmonroe@pigammamu.org in PDF or MS Word 2003 format. The second is to send three copies of the paper may be mailed to Janet Monroe, 38305 Ramblewood Blvd, Zephyrhills, FL 33541. The deadline is December 15, 2006.

6. PROGRAM

This program is very tentative. If you have any suggestions, please let me know.

Thursday, February 22, 2005

1:00-7:00 p.m.	Registration
1:00-2:00 p.m.	Leadership policy, Student input requested, Host, Dr. Mercer
3:00-4:00 p.m.	Leadership policy, Faculty input requested, Host Dr. Mercer
5:00-7:00 p.m.	Dinner
7:00-8:00 p.m.	Plenary Session Welcome (Dr. Barbara Burglund) Ice Breaker Toy Display
8:45-9:45 p.m.	Student Mixer
8:45-9:45 p.m.	Social Time for Trustees, Sponsors, and Other Faculty Attendees

Friday, February 23, 2006

8:00-10:00 a.m.	Registration
8:00-9:00 a.m.	Breakfast for Faculty and Student Attendees
9:00-10:00 a.m.	Tour of USF Botanical Gardens
10:30 a.m.-12 noon	Concurrent Workshops <ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Hints for getting published in academic journals■ Chapter Development and Recruitment of New Members
12 noon-1 p.m.	Lunch

2-3:30 p.m.	Student Panel Session (presentation of students' papers)
3:30-4:45 p.m.	Student Panel Session (presentation of students' papers)
4:45-5:45 p.m.	(Open)
6:00 - 7:00 p.m.	Dinner
6:45-9 p.m.	Celebrate Student Organizations Recognition of Faculty Advisors Special Awards Keynote Speaker

Saturday, February 24, 2007

9:30-11 a.m.	Workshops
11 a.m.-12 noon	Plenary Session
12:00	Official conference ends
12:00-1:00 pm	Lunch on your own
1:00 - 5:00 pm	Mosi trip and an Imax movie

7. TOUR

On Saturday at 1 p.m., we go to MOSI. The fee for the tour is \$25 (which includes admission). Reserve your place on the tour by using the enclosed conference registration form.

8. CONVENTION WEB SITE

We have a convention Web site at www.pigammamu.org/conference.html. Up-to-the-minute information will always be posted there. We also have a conference list where we will be deciding issues such as the menu for the dinners and suggestions for additional panels.

9. REGISTRATION FORM

A registration form is attached. We request that all forms be returned to us so that we receive them by January 20, 2007.

We look forward to seeing you in Tampa.

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Southeastern Regional Convention

February 22-24, 2007 - Tampa Florida

Chapter / University _____

Name of Delegates _____

Telephone Number (_____) _____

E-mail Address _____

Convention Registration*: _____ @ \$60 = \$ _____

Registration for Tour*: _____ @ \$25 = \$ _____

_____ for all delegates listed above

_____ for these delegates only (list by name):

* Deadline for registrations: Convention registrations must be received by January 20, 2007.

Please make checks payable to "Pi Gamma Mu" and send to:

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