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PRESS RELEASE

ALPHA CHI OMEGA NAMES FOUNDATION TRUSTEES AND NATIONAL HOUSING CORPORATION BOARD MEMBERS

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INDIANAPOLIS, July 7, 2017 – Alpha Chi Omega has announced newly elected members of its Foundation Board of Trustees and its National Housing Corporation Board of Directors. These appointments begin August 1, 2017.

Alpha Chi Omega's Foundation Board of Trustees welcomes Kim Phillips (Alpha Beta, Purdue University) and Kori Whitener Fellows (Alpha Phi, University of Texas - Austin) to the board, as well as the reappointment of Judy Schmuck (Delta Chi, Williams Woods University). These women will serve the Foundation from 2017-2020.

The Foundation also is pleased to welcome three new student trustees for a one-year term. Joining returning student trustee Abby Rittenhouse (Zeta Sigma, Missouri State University) in this important cohort of collegiate members are Bridget Brown (Alpha Psi, University of California - Los Angeles), Morgan Garmo (Beta, Albion College) and Emily VanWiel (Sigma, University of Iowa).

New to Alpha Chi Omega's National Housing Corporation Board of Directors is Donna Klinge (Epsilon Kappa, California State University - Fullerton), and reappointed for a second term are Molly Ironmonger (Alpha Beta, Purdue University) and Alice Snedeker (Epsilon Phi, Georgia Institute of Technology). These women will serve a two-year term from 2017-2019.

As we welcome new members to our boards, Alpha Chi Omega also recognizes the service and dedication of our retiring leaders.

Since the Foundation's founding in 1978, Diane Blackwelder (Omicron, Baker University) has been a passionate advocate for its mission. Diane will retire from Foundation service on July 31, and Alpha Chi Omega is enormously grateful for her extraordinary contributions as a donor, a fundraiser, past chair of the Board of Trustees, past National Council Foundation Trustee and 2012-2016 National President.

Alpha Chi Omega also is grateful for the exceptional service of retiring Foundation trustees Jill Javors (Beta Epsilon, Michigan State University) and Margaret Maxwell (Beta Lambda, University of Arizona); retiring student trustees Ashley Detherage (Zeta Omicron, Vanderbilt University), Paige Haefer (Alpha Chi, Butler University) and Mary "MC" Lombardo (Theta Upsilon, University of South Carolina); and retiring NHC Director Christina Mullins (Zeta Upsilon, Case Western

Reserve University). These sisters also will complete their terms of service on July 31, 2017.

To learn more about becoming a volunteer for Alpha Chi Omega, visit www.alphachiomega.org/stay-connected/volunteers.

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About Alpha Chi Omega

Alpha Chi Omega is a values-driven women's fraternity founded in 1885. As a nonprofit organization, it supports more than 220,000 living members in 144 college chapters and 187 alumnae chapters across the United States. The Fraternity is far more than a social organization, more than a place to live, or a way to meet people. Its mission is to enrich the lives of members through lifetime opportunities for friendship, leadership, learning and service. Learn more about Alpha Chi Omega at alphachiomega.org and [facebook.com/alphachiomegahq](https://www.facebook.com/alphachiomegahq).