

Welcome to the first edition of Alpha Sigma Nu's e-newsletter. Get Alumni Club and Student Chapter updates and find out what's new with your Jesuit honor society.



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## ALUMNI CLUBS Experience New Energy

Alpha Sigma Nu Alumni Clubs encourage our members' lifelong commitment to the ASN values of scholarship, loyalty and service. They provide opportunities for expression of that commitment through participation in **service projects**, offering **speaker events**, developing programs that **connect faith with life**, and providing a venue for **career and social networking**. We are pleased to announce the launch of new Clubs in both the United States and Korea.

Detroit officially chartered a new Club and plans to host their first event in collaboration with the Detroit Jesuit Alumni and Friends this spring. Development of a Connecticut area Club is underway, and we have our first Club outside of the United States in Seoul, Korea. The Chicago area Club has been reenergized this year. New Club leaders there sent out a member survey and are hosting an informal gathering this spring to plan future programming.

The New York City Club had their largest attended annual Career Night event at Fordham on February 11th. Several other Clubs have events scheduled throughout the year which will bring many ASN alumni together.



We are delighted about this new energy in our Alumni Clubs and the opportunity to connect ASN alumni in their commitment to social justice and the ideals of their Jesuit education. Click [here](#) to find a Club in your area.

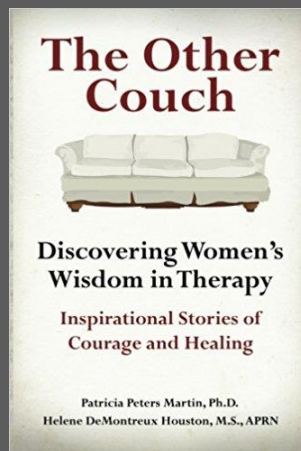
For more information about how to start an Alumni Club, visit our website or contact Amy O'Neil at [amy.oneil@marquette.edu](mailto:amy.oneil@marquette.edu).

## MORE ALUMNI NEWS

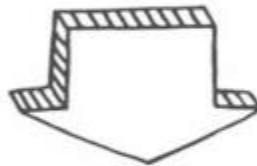


### Highlighting Member Published Books

You might remember the ASN Writes column from our printed newsletter. That section has now been moved [online](#). If you are a member and have recently published a book, please send us the details at [kristina.tadeo@marquette.edu](mailto:kristina.tadeo@marquette.edu).



**\$10/MONTH**  
**\$25/QUARTER**  
**\$100/YEAR**



### Become a member of the Recurring Gift Program!

Giving to Alpha Sigma Nu has never been easier with our new recurring gift program.

ASN now offers you the ability to control your giving

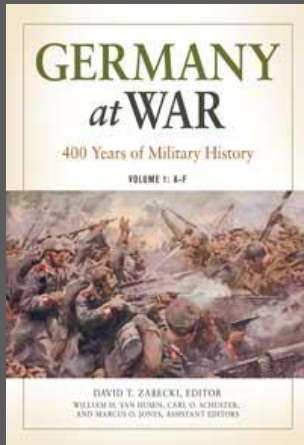


### ASN Fundraising Madness 2016

Round 1 kicks off next week! [Find full details on our website.](#)

**Rules:** A tournament style competition between alumni of ASN member schools. Students and alumni compete by donating to ASN to advance their school/alma mater. Donations accepted **online only**. Donations must be received by 11:59 p.m. on the last date of each round. The school with the **most donors** (not dollars) in each round advances. The school who wins the championship will receive **\$200** toward programming for their Student Chapter.

Patricia Peters Martin, PhD  
(Georgetown `76)



Maj. Gen. (ret) David T.  
Zabecki, PhD (Xavier `72)

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by selecting to give annually, quarterly, or even monthly through the recurring gift option. A quarterly gift of \$25 or a monthly gift of just \$10 may be easier on your budget, however, its impact is still GREAT! It helps fund scholarships for deserving members and supports the popular Career Night events connecting alumni and student members across the country.

Take advantage of this new program and know that your sustaining gift will continue to honor the best of Jesuit higher education and promote the values of Alpha Sigma Nu for years to come.

**Follow the Fun:** *The winners of each round will be announced on the ASN website, Facebook, and Twitter pages.*

## ROUNDS

**March 17-20: Round 1**

**March 21-24: Sweet 16**

**March 25-28: Elite 8**

**March 29-April 1: Final 4**

**April 1-4: Championship**

**We will announce the winning Chapter on April 5<sup>th</sup>.**

**Join the fun and compete against other schools to WIN!!!**

Download the tournament bracket [here](#)

| March 2016 |     |     |     |     |     |     |
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## UPCOMING ALUMNI CLUB EVENTS

Click on each event for more information and to register

### CHICAGO AREA CLUB

[Informal Interest Meeting](#) | Friday, March 18, 2016

Share your input for reviving our local Club through this survey: <http://goo.gl/forms/4lJgqwd1lY>

### GREATER DENVER AREA CLUB

[Service Project: Easter Baskets for Needy Children](#) | Saturday, March 19, 2016

### DETROIT CLUB

The Detroit area club will launch its first meeting in coordination with the Detroit area Jesuit Alumni and Friends Spring Luncheon. Details TBA.

### MILWAUKEE AREA DANIHY CLUB

[Annual Mass and Awards Brunch](#) | Sunday, March 13, 2016

### NYC CLUB

[Lenten Service Event at The Dwelling Place](#) | Wednesday, March 16, 2016

### SCRANTON AREA CLUB

[ICE CREAM SOCIAL with the Jesuits](#) | Tuesday, March 15, 2016

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS** | Every Thursday during Lent at 4:40 PM | Chapel of the Sacred Heart

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**STUDENT CHAPTER NEWS**

## **STUDENT CHAPTERS Get Creative With Programming**

Alpha Sigma Nu's student members continue to carry the tenets in creative ways across our member institutions. The Centennial Triennial Conference that took place in October 2015 gathered student Chapter leaders together for some brainstorming sessions. Now, five months after the conference, the Chapters are busy bringing those ideas to life. Photo credit to Erika Schultz



### **CAMPION COLLEGE [ Regina, SK, Canada ]**

Campion's Chapter holds a monthly service project, most recently volunteering at the Marian Centre soup kitchen. They also hold a monthly PASS (Procrastinators Anonymous Study Session) session. Each of these events has been gaining in popularity recently.

### **FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY [ Fairfield, CT ]**

The Fairfield Chapter is planning a retreat in conjunction with the Ignatian Colleagues Program, a group of faculty and administrators undertaking a program to be immersed in Ignatian spirituality and teaching. The Chapter members have been specially invited to join the ICP group for an Ignatian retreat.

### **Georgetown University [ Washington, DC ]**

Georgetown's Chapter members have been enjoying special access to the Jesuits on campus and get a behind-the-scenes tour of campus with a Jesuit twist. They have held three dinners with Jesuits, each of which has been filled to capacity with a waiting list, and are planning a "Special Jesuit Tour" with Faculty Adviser Fr. Carnes later in March.

### **GONZAGA UNIVERSITY [ Spokane, WA ]**

For the second year, the Gonzaga Chapter is putting on ZAG Talk, a TedTalk-style event to showcase the interesting and thought-provoking work of faculty and students at GU.

### **REGIS UNIVERSITY [ Denver, CO ]**

In November 2015, Regis University's Chapter partnered with other organizations on campus to put on Concert for a Cause. The event featured music and dancing while raising more than \$1,000 for local organizations working to improve the lives of children living with cancer.

### **SPRING HILL COLLEGE [ Mobile, AL ]**

Spring Hill will hold its ASN Week events next week, including an Evening with the Jesuits, a Last Lecture event, and a "shower of roses" at the local Catholic hospital, where members will bring a single rose to patients, sit with them, talk with them, and pray for them.

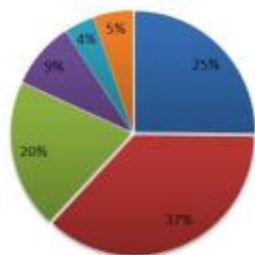
These are just a few of the many great events taking place across Jesuit campuses thanks to the dedication of Alpha Sigma Nu student Chapters!

## FUN FACTS ABOUT OUR STUDENT MEMBERS

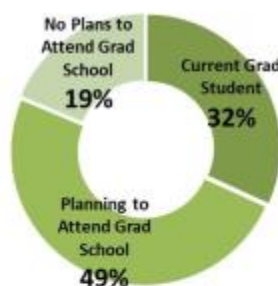
We surveyed the current student members of Alpha Sigma Nu to find out more about them. See what we learned.

### Hours of Community Service Per Semester

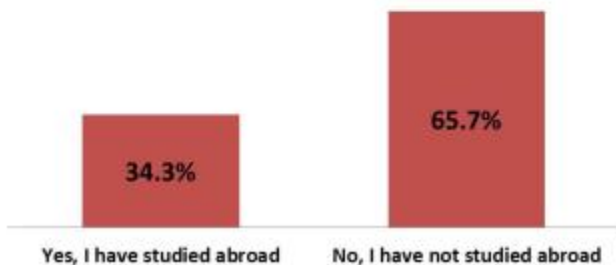
■ up to 10 hours ■ 10-30 hours ■ 30-50 hours  
■ 50-70 hours ■ 70-90 hours ■ 90+ hours



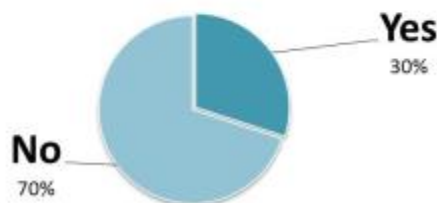
### Graduate School Plans

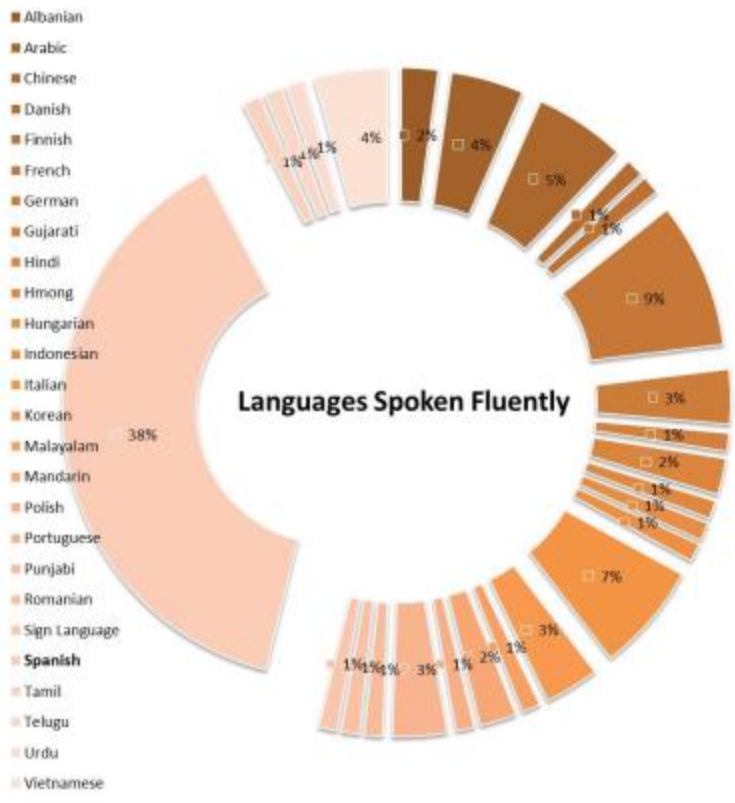


### Percent Who Have Studied Abroad



### Participated in an Intercultural Immersion Trip





- Areas of Study**
- Engineering Public
  - Leadership Art
  - Health**
  - History Law
  - Biology**
  - Medicine **Nursing**
  - Physical Therapy
  - Science** English
  - Education Economics
  - Accounting**
  - Psychology Chemistry
  - Finance** Athletic Training
  - Management**
  - Business

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