GCP 2019-2020 Officer Election Biography

- 1. Name:
 - a. Emily Hailstone
- 2. Chapter of Initiation:
 - a. Delta Gamma
- 3. Date of Initiation (MM/YY) and Date of Graduation/Anticipated Date of Graduation (MM/YY):
 - a. Initiation: 03/14
 - b. Graduation: 05/17
- 4. What position(s) are you running for?
 - a. Satrap and Vice Satrap
- 5. Please list relevant Kappa Psi experience: (for an office or committee chair, please briefly describe what you did. If you were a member of a committee, please briefly describe what your role was in the committee)
 - a. GCP Secretary Jan 2018-present
 - b. Tampa Grad Historian 2018-Present
 - c. National Graduate Development Committee 2017-Present
 - d. GCP Treasurer Jan 2017-Jan 2018
 - e. National Pledge Program Development Committee 2015-2017
 - f. GCP Historian Jan 2016- Jan 2017
 - g. GCP Publications Committee Chair Jan 2016-Jan 2017
 - h. GCP Fundraising Committee Jan 2015-Jan 2016
 - i. Delta Gamma Secretary 2015-2016
 - j. Delta Gamma Webmaster 2014-2015
- 6. In the last three years, what Kappa Psi events have you attended? (Please do not list individual chapter events. Examples include: GCC, Province Assemblies, Chapter Charterings, Special Anniversaries, etc.)
 - a. November 2018 Charlotte Grad Chartering- Charlotte, NC
 - b. SEP Fall Assembly 2018- Orlando, FL
 - c. GCP Summer Assembly 2018- Auburn, AL
 - d. April 7, 2018- Zeta Phi chapter chartering SEP- Miami, FL
 - e. SEP Spring Assembly 2018- Bradenton, FL
 - f. GCP Winter Assembly 2018- Birmingham, AL
 - g. SEP Fall Assembly 2017- Jacksonville, FL
 - h. August 2017- Zeta Upsilon chapter chartering GCP- TN
 - i. GCC 2017-Naples, FL
 - j. NEP Spring Assembly 2018-Wilkes-barre

- k. Atlantic Winter Assembly 2017-Atlanta, GA
- 1. GCP Winter Assembly 2017- New Orleans, LA
- m. NEP Fall Assembly 2016-Boston, MA
- n. GLP Fall Assembly 2016-Lexington, KY
- o. MEP Fall Assembly 2016-Pittsburg, PA
- p. Atlantic Province Leadership Seminar Summer 2018- Atlanta, GA
- q. GCP Summer Assembly 2016-Memphis, TN
- r. SWP Spring Assembly 2016- Houston, TX
- s. MEP Spring Assembly 2016-Washington, D.C.
- t. SEP Winter Assembly 2016-Orlando, FL
- u. GCP Winter Assembly 2016-Oxford, MS
- 7. In the last three years, what workshops or special presentations have you completed for brothers?
 - a. GCP 2018 Summer Assembly Alumni Relations Roundtable
 - b. GCC 2017 Career Roundtable Speaker
- 8. If elected, what would be your plans for that office? (If running for more than one office, please give us your plans for each office).
 - a. If elected for **Satrap**, my plans are to focus on both chapter and graduate development. I would do this by working with the new executive committee to develop webinars on various topics such as networking, the pledge process, and how to keep brothers involved; as well as leadership events and workshops to both personally and professionally develop our brothers of the GCP. Also, I plan on developing a strong advisory group of graduate brothers to be able to utilize their ideas on making our province better as well as have them as a resource for collegiate, graduate, and province development events and activities. Lastly, I would like to involve representatives from each of our chapters on our monthly executive committee conference calls to continue to expand our lines of communication that is currently limited to mainly e-mail and social media. I feel this expanded communication will allow brothers to have more opportunities to ask the Province executive committee for advice on various subjects, gain ideas for their chapters as well as, increase the overall interactions with other province chapters.
 - b. If elected for Vice Satrap, I would work closely with the province Assembly planning committee to prepare for our next Winter Assembly. Also, I would work closely with the new GCC delegates to prepare for the upcoming GCC meeting in Washington, D.C. In preparation for GCC, I plan to work with the other executive committee members and province committee members to help assist in planning philanthropic and fundraising events, as well as, help chapters find ways to bring brothers to GCC as it is a big financial expense.

- 9. If elected what would be your vision for the fraternity over the next two years?
 - a. Over the next two years my vision would be to see an increase in graduate chapter involvement on both the province and national level. I would also like to see the collegiate chapters of the GCP as either top ranking or top performing chapters
- 10. Why did you decided to become a candidate for your future office and why you are the best brother for the office(s)?
 - a. I decided to become a candidate for the future office of **Satrap** as I feel I can further develop our Province. I have served within Kappa Psi for many years on the national, Province, graduate, and chapter levels and those experiences have given me a solid foundation to utilize in making our Province even better. Along with my years of service, I have also attended outside Province Assemblies, GCC meetings, chapter chartering's and other events that have allowed me to not only grow as a Brother, but also have given me tools and ideas to continue to advance our Province. With these experiences I feel more than ever prepared and ready to take our Province to the next level.
- 11. What do you feel has been your greatest accomplishment as a Brother of Kappa Psi, a member of a committee, or leader?
 - a. My greatest accomplishment as a Brother of Kappa Psi has been being able to give back to the Fraternity for the past 4 years through the positions I've held in the Province from serving on a committee to being Historian, Treasurer, and currently Secretary. Being able to serve the Brothers of the Fraternity is something that I have and continue to enjoy daily. I have had many Brothers tell me that my perseverance and passion for this Fraternity is what inspired them to go after their own goals and dreams, including pursuing leadership positions within the fraternity. This impact I have made on other Brothers continues to motivate me to find ways to continue to make our Fraternity better.
- 12. What goals and objectives do you envision yourself accomplishing as <insert position> over the next year?
 - a. Goals and objectives I envision myself accomplishing as **Satrap** over the next year include developing at least two webinar sessions, designing and starting an annual leadership event/retreat for our Province, creating a graduate advisory group, incorporating a collegiate chapter lesion from each chapter on our monthly calls, and continuing to meet the current charges of Satrap.
 - b. Goals and objectives I envision myself accomplishing as **Vice Satrap** over the next year include helping develop philanthropic and fundraising events for GCC and the next Winter Assembly, helping the Province Assembly Planning committee with the next Assembly meeting, and continuing to meet the current charges of Vice Satrap.

- 13. What is something new you would like to accomplish as <insert position> over the next year?
 - a. Over the next year, something new I would like to accomplish, as **Satrap** over the next year, would be to design and start an annual leadership event/retreat for our Province. This event would be separate from GCC and Assembly meetings and would allow for personal and professional leadership development.
 - b. Over the next year, something new I would like to accomplish, as **Vice Satrap** over the next year, would be to design a webinar series on making attending GCCs, Province Assemblies, and outside Province Assemblies affordable.
- 14. If your position oversees a committee(s), how will you incorporate members of your committee throughout the year?
 - a. I would incorporate members of my committee by outlining our goals for the committee and then divide them up among the committee members based on their interests. This will allow involvement from all members as well as allow our committee to meet our goals for the year
- 15. What is one weakness at a collegiate, graduate, and/or province level of the Gulf Coast Province and how do you plan to improve this weakness via your position as <insert position>?

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- a. On the collegiate level, I feel that communication within the Province is not as great as it could be. I plan on improving this by having a collegiate representative from each chapter be on the monthly Province executive committee calls for them to not only participate in giving updates on their chapters but also, ask advice or hear other ideas/questions.
- b. On the graduate level, we have a very small group of highly involved grads. I plan on working with the graduate relations committee to continue to find ways to improve our numbers of involved graduates as well as, create an advisory group with our highly involved grads to get their thoughts and ideas on improving this area, as well as other matters of the Province
- c. On the Province level, we seem to be weak in our overall communication. Along with having a collegiate representative from each chapter on the monthly calls, developing webinars and a leadership event/workshop will allow for more communication within our Province to discuss ideas as well as grow our connections.

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d. Currently one of our weaknesses as a whole is attendance at GCC meetings, Province Assemblies, and outside Province Assemblies. I would like to design a webinar series on how to make attending GCCs, Province Assemblies, and outside Province Assemblies more affordable.

- 16. If not elected to position X by your fellow Brothers, how will you serve Kappa Psi at a collegiate, province, or graduate level over the next year?
 - a. If not elected to Satrap or Vice Satrap, I will continue to serve on province and national committees. I will still attend GCP Assembly meetings as well as other outside Province meetings to continue to further my growth and development. I enjoy being able to meet and reconnect with brothers throughout the fraternity as Kappa Psi has become my second family and a position will not keep me from not trying to always give back to the fraternity as it has given me so much.

