

Chapter Operations: Service Activities COVID Edition

EPSILON GAMMA CHAPTER,

UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA 2021



*Special
Edition*

Agenda

- Our Chapter
- How our chapter provided service activities/projects to our candidates and members
- Forecast Graphs



EPSILON GAMMA CHAPTER

- Established in 1977 at University of Central Florida
- Candidates This Semester: 49
- Active Members This Semester: 24
- Our Events:
 - Meeting & Workshops with Firms and Governmental Agencies
 - Candidate Picnic
 - Mock Interviews
 - Meet The Firms Recruiting Event
 - Candidate Mentorship Program
 - Alumni Mentorship Program





How did we provide service activities/projects virtually or socially distanced for our candidates and members?

- ❖ Our chapter was able to offer both face-to-face and virtual service activities during Fall 2020, closely following our university's policies and regulations
- ❖ 3 In-person activities:
 - Adopt-A-Road
 - Florida Breast Cancer Foundation Virtual Tribute Walk
 - Beach Clean-Up
- ❖ 3 Virtual activities:
 - Operation Gratitude
 - Cards for Hospitalized Kids
 - Smithsonian Transcriptions
- ❖ 1 Other option:
 - Individual Service Activities



In-Person Activities

Adopt-A-Road:

- Our chapter oversees taking care of a section of road on campus
- During this event, our participants will help pick up trash and do their best to maintain the road for our campus
- 2 requirements before attending the event:
 - 1) All Candidates and Members must RSVP for EVERY Adopt-A-Road event they plan to attend through Knight Connect
 - 2) Fill out the University of Central Florida's volunteering form and send the confirmation to VP of Chapter Activities
- Safety procedures:
 - Masks must always be worn
 - Social Distance Standards of 6 feet must be followed
 - All gear used for the program will be sanitized before and after use
- *We had an average of 10-15 participants per event*



In-Person Activities Cont.

Florida Breast Cancer Foundation Virtual Tribute Walk:

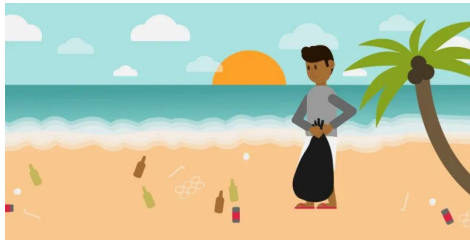
- The event is organized by the Orlando Sports Foundation, a non-profit organization, dedicated to bringing teams together to find a cure for cancer.
- Where & When: Anytime and anytime
- Requirements:
 - Register for the event by a certain date
 - Walk for 1 mile
- To receive points, send picture of yourself on the walk and a screenshot of the distance walked on a heal
- *We had 47 participants*
- Link:
 - <https://runsignup.com/Race/Register?raceId=76674&corpTeamId=19888&corpToken=b77mNMFWLAYKLTq4qP40GkmcBukkw>



In-Person Activities Cont.

Beach Clean-Up:

- Location: Canova Beach Park
- Date & Time: November 14, 2020 at 9:00AM
- Requirements:
 - Arrive at meeting time
 - Prepared and followed all safety procedures
 - Actively participate in “cleaning the beach”
- Safety procedures:
 - Masks must always be worn
 - Social Distance Standards of 6 feet must be followed
 - All gear used for the program will be sanitized before and after use
- *We had 7 participants*



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Virtual Activities



Operation Gratitude:

- A program that focuses on sending letters to first responders and people in the military
- In order to receive these points, the participants must show effort and care in the cards they produce
- Once completed, participants must send pictures of the card to VP of Chapter Activities
- *We had a total of 300 cards sent*
- Link:
 - <https://www.operationgratitude.com/express-your-thanks-virtual/write-letters-virtual/>



Virtual Activities Cont.

Cards for Hospitalized Kids:

- In this program, participants will be creating cards to send to children in hospitals
- In order to receive these points, the participants must show effort and care in the cards they produce
- Once completed, participants must send pictures of the card to VP of Chapter Activities
- *We had a total of 468 cards sent*
- Link:
 - <https://cardzforkidz.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/Helpful-Information-Website-2.pdf>
<http://www.cardsforhospitalizedkids.com/make-general-cards.html>

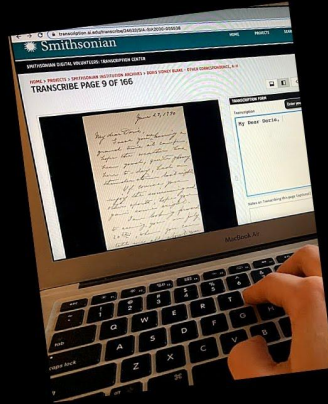


Virtual Activities Cont.




Smithsonian Transcriptions:

- The Smithsonian has a program that uses volunteers to transcribe works of literature
- Upon registering, participants will select works of literature that they want to transcribe and will receive points for every accurately transcribed page
- In order to receive points, take a screenshot of the “My History” page, which illustrates the participants completed transcriptions, and send this to VP of Chapter Activities
- *We had a total of 275 transcripts sent*
- Link:
 - <https://transcription.si.edu/tips>



Introduction to
the Smithsonian
Transcription
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Other Option

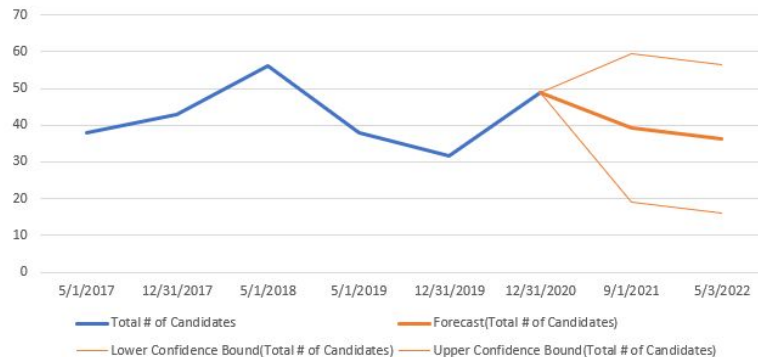
Individual Service Activities:

- Candidates/Members can earn up to additional 5 hours of individual service hours (not hosted by our chapter)
- Participants can individually volunteer with any organizations such as the following but not limited to: Second Harvest, Clean the World, etc.
- In order to receive points, participants must email VP of Chapter Activities for approval of Individual Service Activities before starting
- Proof of completion is required
- *We had 52 total additional hours*



Our Chapter Forecast Graphs

→ Epsilon Gamma Chapter Candidate Forecast



→ Epsilon Gamma Chapter Candidate Induction Percentage Forecast

