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Initiate Handbook

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## Tau Beta Pi – Spring 2002 Initiate Packet

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Hello and welcome to Tau Beta Pi,

Thank you for coming tonight to learn more about Tau Beta Pi. The meeting this evening will give you an overview of who we are and what we strive to do. At the same time you will learn what we expect from you in order to become a member of Tau Beta Pi.

This packet has been put together to help you successfully complete your initiation process into our honor society. It contains:

- a) an officer list
- b) a list of officer hours
- c) list of project activities
- d) a requirement checklist
- e) an initiate survey

To access our calendar of events please visit our website at [www.uiuc.edu/~tbp](http://www.uiuc.edu/~tbp) to help you to in fulfilling your requirements to become a member.

While you are waiting for the meeting to begin, please use this time to fill out the two catalog cards and the top of the Initiate Survey (the last page of this packet). These will be collected at the end of tonight's presentation.

Congratulations on your academic achievements and good luck with the initiation process!

Sincerely,

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Tau Beta Pi  
IL-A Chapter President



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### Tau Beta Pi Spring 2002 Officer List

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Phone</u>	<u>E-mail</u> <u>(uiuc.edu)</u>
Irene Fusman	President	505 E. Clark #27 Champaign	239-0997	<a href="mailto:fusman@ews">fusman@ews</a>
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Ramadev Hukkeri	Recording Secretary	111 S. Lincoln #206 Urbana	369-0876	<a href="mailto:hukkeri@">hukkeri@</a>
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Al Chu	Cataloguer	350 Sherman Hall Champaign	332-4813	<a href="mailto:achu@">achu@</a>
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Rachel Williams	Engineering Council Representative	URH 1226 Wardall Urbana	332-4574	<a href="mailto:rawilli1@">rawilli1@</a>
Anne Woo	Projects Vice President	510 E. White #13 Champaign	359-7567	<a href="mailto:annewoo@">annewoo@</a>
Elizabeth Silberg	Community Projects	711 W. Elm #4 Urbana	367-0370	<a href="mailto:silberg@">silberg@</a>
Darin Pike	Historian	URH Synder 393 Champaign	332-1806	<a href="mailto:dpike@">dpike@</a>
John Jones	Science Olympiad	309 E. Healy #2 Champaign	328-2295	<a href="mailto:jajones2@">jajones2@</a>
Zachary Bollard	King School Project	816 W. Main St. Urbana	337-7448	<a href="mailto:bollard@">bollard@</a>
Kaushik Roy	Peer Tutoring	207 S. Fifth #101 Champaign	398-8753	<a href="mailto:kroy1@">kroy1@</a>
Matt Major	Social Chair	610 E. Stoughton #302 Champaign	359-7730	<a href="mailto:mmajor@">mmajor@</a>
Hormozd Gahvari	Summer Employment Career Fair	1216 Wilshire Ct. Champaign	359-1176	<a href="mailto:gahvari@">gahvari@</a>
Shawn Kuo	Summer Employment Career Fair	1106 W. Stoughton #1a Urbana	337-7813	<a href="mailto:shawnkuo@">shawnkuo@</a>
Cindy Khoo	Liberal Culture	804 W. Springfield Urbana	384-0658	<a href="mailto:ckhoo@">ckhoo@</a>
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Michael Yea	Publicity	URH Daniels 313 Urbana	332-2220	<a href="mailto:myea@">myea@</a>
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Tau Beta Pi – Spring 2002 Office Hours

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00	Ramadev Hukkeri Recording Secretary			Zach Bolland King School Project	Amy Kaleita AlumNet Program
10:00	Al Chu Cataloger	Scott Hanan Member Services	Al Chu Cataloger	Scott Hanan Member Services	Darin Pike Historian
11:00	Steve Kohen Executive VP	Shawn Kuo Summer Employment Career Fair	Steve Kohen Executive VP		Rachel Williams EC Representative
12:00	John Jones Science Olympiad  Hormozd Gahvari Summer Employment Career Fair	Irene Fusman President	Elizabeth Silberg Community Projects	Irene Fusman President	Kristopher Wuollett Webmaster
1:00	Greg Sorenson Treasurer	Michael Yea Publicity  JT Koerber Corresponding Secretary	Nadia Karlinsky Webmaster	Ramadev Hukkeri Recording Secretary	Solveigh Raske Liberal Cultures
2:00	Anne Woo Projects VP	JT Koerber Corresponding Secretary	Anne Woo Projects VP	Matthew Major Social	Greg Sorenson Treasurer
3:00	Cindy Khoo Liberal Culture	Kaushik Roy Peer Tutoring	Rachel Williams EC Representative		



## Tau Beta Pi – Spring 2002 Initiate Checklist

- Important Forms to turn in during the informational session:
  - 2 Catalog Cards** – Be sure to fill in both sides. For Chapter indicate “IL-A”
  - Initiate Survey** – Remember to sign the release form
- Resume
  - Please submit a copy of your resume by February 25 (5 elective points).
  - Resumes can be dropped of in 111 Engineering Hall between the hours of 9am-4pm on Weekdays

- Initiation Fee:

- \$65.00 turned in by Friday, February 22**

The money will be distributed in the following manner:

National Fees (\$30.00)		Chapter Fees (\$35.00)	
\$6.95	Membership Key		
\$3.40	Membership Certificate		
\$8.40	4 year subscription to The Bent	\$15.00	Banquet
\$1.95	Initiation Literature	\$20.00	Projects and Office Costs
\$6.50	National Expenses		
\$3.00	Conventional Assessment		

*Refund Policy – Last chance for a full refund is February 25<sup>th</sup>. If you fail to complete your requirements by the end of the semester you may elect one of the two options below.*

- a) Finish requirements during Fall 2001 semester (must complete by Fall 2001, no later)*
- b) Receive a partial refund (some money will be lost to nationals and to the chapter)*

- Required Activities:

- Initiate Social: Sunday, February 24 Time: 5-7pm Location: TBA**
- 85 Project Points: 30 “Internal” category, 30 “External” category, 25 elective + 1 team activity**
  - Internal
    - 1) \_\_\_\_\_
    - 2) \_\_\_\_\_
    - 3) \_\_\_\_\_
  - External
    - 1) \_\_\_\_\_
    - 2) \_\_\_\_\_
    - 3) \_\_\_\_\_
  - Elective (either External or Internal category)
    - 1) \_\_\_\_\_
    - 2) \_\_\_\_\_
  - Team Activity
- Initiation Ceremony and Banquet: Sunday, April 28, location TBA**

# Tau Beta Pi Initiate Survey

Name (Last, First Middle): \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Local Address</b> Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: (     ) _____ Email: _____
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<b>Permanent Address</b> Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: (     ) _____
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Major: _____ Year: _____ Expected Graduation Date (month/year): _____ Interested in Leadership or Teamwork Opportunities: _____ Today's Date: _____
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Check the projects that you are interested in and an the officer will contact with you.

## "External" Category Projects

- COMMUNITY PROJECTS  
Chair: Elizabeth Silberg
- KING SCHOOL PROJECT  
Chair: Zachary Bollard
- PEER TUTORING  
Chair: Kaushik Roy
- PUBLICITY  
Chair: Michael Yea
- SCIENCE OLYMPIAD  
COMMUNICATION  
Chair: John Jones

## "Internal" Category Projects

- SOCIAL ACTIVITIES  
Chair: Matt Major
- LIBERAL CULTURE  
Chair: S. Raske & C. Khoo
- HISTORIAN  
Chair: Darin Pike
- SUMMER EMPLOYMENT FAIR  
Chair: H. Gahvari & S. Kuo
- ELECTRONIC  
Chair: N. Karlinsky & K. Wuolett

### Release Statement

I hereby give the Illinois Alpha Chapter of Tau Beta Pi at the University of Illinois permission to release my name, local address, home address, projected graduation date, phone number, curriculum, and membership status to the various engineering placement offices, to other parties interested in honors students, and to the national Tau Beta Pi office while at the University of Illinois. I also give permission to Tau Beta Pi for listing my name in publications. This permission will remain in effect until written notice of termination is given to Tau Beta Pi.

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Signature

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Date

# Tau Beta Pi Spring 2002 Projects

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Projects Vice President: Anne Woo (annewoo@uiuc.edu)

## "External" Category Projects

### **COMMUNITY PROJECTS: Elizabeth Silberg (silberg@uiuc.edu)**

If you are genuinely interested in having some fun and working with a really wide array of organizations in the C-U area, you should definitely join us on one of the off-campus Tau Beta Pi service projects. I am planning slightly less than two different events per month, including a blood drive and nursing home, among others. This semester's projects will definitely be diverse and they will present you with chances to go places, meet people, and do fun things which you otherwise might not have had a chance to try.

### **KING SCHOOL PROJECT: Zachary Bollard (bollard@uiuc.edu)**

Tau Beta Pi has begun a program at Martin Luther King Elementary School in which we teach accelerated fifth grade students how to design websites using the software Netscape Composer. The program began in the spring of 2000 and is still new and developing. Last semester, we created science websites related to subjects that the students had had exposure to previously, such as weather, oceanography, and electricity.

### **PEER TUTORING: Kaushik Roy (kroy1@uiuc.edu)**

Tau Beta Pi offers free tutoring for freshman and sophomore level engineering classes (such as math, physics, TAM, CS, etc.). Peer Tutoring is a rewarding way of getting involved with TBP by volunteering an hour of your time per week. Tutoring sessions are held M-Th 1-5 and F 1-4 in 101 Engineering Hall. This is an easy way of accumulating initiate service hours while helping fellow engineering students!

### **PUBLICITY: Michael Yea (myea@uiuc.edu)**

TBP needs people to advertise the various events and services that the organization offers. It is an easy way to earn hours and help fellow students become aware of important information.

### **SCIENCE OLYMPIAD: John Jones (jajones2@uiuc.edu)**

The Science Olympiad project provides members with the unique opportunity to help middle school kids with projects that vary from catapults to rocket ships to energy transformation machines. Members will work on improving the student's designs while teaching them fundamental concepts. We also help coordinate volunteers for the regional and state Science Olympiads.

## **“Internal” Category Projects**

### **SOCIAL ACTIVITIES: *Matt Major (mmajor@uiuc.edu)***

Social events are intended to give initiates and members a break from their classes, and these events are probably the best way for initiates to meet other people in this organization. Some of the events this semester will include coffee hours, an ice cream social, happy hours, sporting events, and movie nights.

### **LIBERAL CULTURE: (*raske@uiuc.edu, ckhoo@uiuc.edu*)**

Looking for a break from all those technical undertakings? Interested in some cultural activity? Do you want to live la vida loca? If so, then join us for various cultural events throughout the semester. Anything in particular you're interested in doing? Let us know and we'll do it. Either way, it's sure to spice up your life.

### **GENERAL MEETINGS: *Scott Hanan (hanan@uiuc.edu)***

Chapter General Meetings will be held several times each semester with topics varying from having industry speakers to holding chapter elections. We're always looking for suggestions, so if there's something you'd like to see at a meeting, please tell us.

### **SUMMER EMPLOYMENT CAREER FAIR: (*gahvari@uiuc.edu, shawnkuo@uiuc.edu*)**

The Summer Employment Career Fair will be on January 29th, 2001. The fair is geared towards hiring summer interns but we encourage all students and companies to attend. Hosting the fair not only provides a setting for students and company representatives to interact, but also offers members and initiates the opportunity to meet and work with the representatives on a first hand basis. Last year's fair drew over 1500 students in one day to meet with the 30 companies. A few of the companies present were Intel, Accenture, and Lockheed Martin.

### **ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION: (*wuollett@uiuc.edu, karlinsk@uiuc.edu*)**

Think our web page needs improvement? Then look no further than Electronic Communications, responsible for the official Tau Beta Pi Illinois Alpha home page. We plan on reorganizing the site to make it easier to use and maintain. Persons with experience in PERL and HTML are especially encouraged to join this committee.

## **“Elective” Project Points**

You can choose from **ANY** of the internal/external projects that TBP has available to fulfill these hours. So, it can be a project you really enjoyed and wanted to do more of or just something different from your other two projects.

## **“Team” Activities**

Stay tuned... more info to come...