Chapter Project Report

2013-2014
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Membership Timeline Summary

Fall 2013
Active Members: 87
Electees: 13

Initiation held on November 15, 2013
Initiates: 13

Winter 2014
Active Members: 56
Electees: 13

Initiation held on April 4, 2014
Initiates: 12

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The Tau Beta Pi Association  
Chapter: Michigan Epsilon

Chapter Project Report

Project name: **Tequira Mi Pueblo**  
Date(s) of Project: 9/06/2013

Project Area: Chapter/Social

Number of persons who participated in this project  
Members: 25/86  
Electees: N/A

Hours spent on this project.  
Organizing: 6  
Participating: 2

**DESCRIPTION:**

I. General Description:
   a. The goal was to go to a restaurant after the first general body meeting. Members would eat free at the restaurant.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. The purpose of the event was to kick off the year and allow members to see each other and become more unified over a nice dinner

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. There was no cost to members or personnel requirements

V. Special Problems:
   a. No problems arose for the social event

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. Overall the event went really well! Reservations for the event need to occur sooner or at least check to make sure that the restaurant takes reservations on a Friday since that problem did come up. Everyone was happy with the restaurant choice and the dinner ended up being cheaper than expected. All dishes were in the $10-$15 range. Location of the restaurant was a bit sketchy.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      ii. Electees: N/A
Project name: **Student Org Day**  
Date(s) of Project: 9/11/2013

Project Area: University

Number of persons who participated in this project  
Members: 4/86  
Electees: N/A

Hours spent on this project.  
Organizing: 2  
Participating: 3

**DESCRIPTION:**

I. General Description:  
   a. A day for university students to go around and look at all of the organizations on  
campus to see if they are interested in joining. For Tau Beta Pi's purpose it was to get  
our name out there and have students be aware of our presence on campus.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:  
   a. To get students aware of Tau Beta Pi on campus and our tutoring. There was a sign up  
sheet for tutoring if any student needed it.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:  
   a. No Cost

V. Special Problems:  
   a. No problems occurred

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):  
   a. The event went well! The ice-pops were a huge hit with everyone on that hot day.

VII. Index of Exhibits:  
   a. Attendees:  
      i. Members: Hamzeh Omar, Brien Dux, Alex Gaglardi, Curt Laugh

      ii. Electees: N/A
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Chapter Project Report

Project name: **Welcome Back Picnic** Date(s) of Project: 9/19/2013

Project Area: Profession/Engineering

Number of persons who participated in this project Members: 7/86  Electees: 3/13

Hours spent on this project. Organizing: 1  Participating: 5

DESCRIPTION:

I. General Description:
   a. The Welcome Back Picnic was a Wayne State University College of Engineering wide event to network with students, faculty, and organizations and have any questions and concerns regarding the COE answered.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. Tau Beta Pi Michigan Epsilon had a table at the event to promote its involvement in the College of Engineering, local community, and meet and invite initiates to the Initiate Orientation Meetings.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) Yes
   a. This event was ran in conjunction with the College of Engineering, and other student organizations (American Society of Mechanical Engineers, Eco-Car, Engineering Society of Detroit)

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. $60 for pies

V. Special Problems:
   a. No special problems

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. The event was great for publicizing Tau Beta Pi and its activities.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      ii. Electees: Justin Khami, Mustapha Zebib
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Project name: LinkedIn Information Session  Date(s) of Project: 9/27/2013

Project Area: Profession/Engineering

Number of persons who participated in this project
Members: 8/86  Electees: 5/13

Hours spent on this project.
Organizing: 3  Participating: 1.5

DESCRIPTION:

I. General Description:
   a. Carmen Gamlen, the Career Services Consultant, gave a presentation about the
      importance of having a LinkedIn account and how to set it up to present yourself
      professionally. She went through a step-by-step process about what to include and how
      to lay it out.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. It is a professional event that will help students move a step further in the process of
      their career search.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. $50 for food.
   b. Carmen brought her own laptop for the presentation she prepared.

V. Special Problems:
   a. No problems

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. It was very successful event and was very helpful. We had 26 people in total.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      i. Members: Zahraa Bazzi, Amani Alkayyali, Ali Abdallah, Hamzeh Omar, Hajra
         Khan, Pawel Popiel, Curt Laugh, Arpith Abraham

         ii. Electees: Maryssa Mercer, Justin Khami, Amelia Zelenak, Alexander Lamb,
             Mustapha Zebib

   b. Pictures:
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Project name: **Skyzone**  
Date(s) of Project: 10/4/2013 

Project Area: Chapter/Social 

Number of persons who participated in this project  
Members: 13/86  
Electees: 8/13 

Hours spent on this project.  
Organizing: 4  
Participating: 1 

DESCRIPTION: 

I. General Description: 
   a. Skyzone is a indoor trampoline park. When we were there we had our own court where 
   we played dodgeball. This social event is a good way of allowing the initiates and 
   members to have fun and get to know each other. We did games such as members & 
   initiates vs officers. Additionally we did a game of all engineering majors vs BME. 

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP: 
   a. Tau Beta Pi's goal is to find engineering majors in good academic standing who have 
   exemplary character. By playing the team sport of dodgeball at Skyzone members could 
   find out which initiates have good character and the potential to be exemplary outside of 
   academics. Additionally, this event was a good way for initiates to get 10 points and my 
   (social coordinator) signature. 

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No 

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements: 
   a. To reserve the small court was $280, but when we got there we ended up getting the 
   large court. 
   b. We charged guests $15 to join us 

V. Special Problems: 
   a. No special problems 

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific): 
   a. I believe the event was a great team building exercise! Initiates got to have fun with 
   current members and see a piece of the activities that our chapter does. Additionally, 
   during the members vs officers match, members could get the satisfaction of beating 
   the officers. 

VII. Index of Exhibits: 
   a. Attendees: 
      i. Members: Ali Abdallah, Yazeed Sasi, Brien Dux, Christina Wong, Curt Laugh, 
         Zahraa Bazzi, Hamzeh Omar, Nigil Valikodath, Steven S, Alex Gaglardi, Doug 
         Harriman, Garret Yee, Amani Alkayyali
ii. Electees: Mustapha Zebib, Amelia Zelenak, Maryssa Mercer, Mikhail Bordyukov, Alexander Lamb, Justin Khami, Anant Patel, Adam Basha

b. Pictures:
Project name: **Homecoming Tailgate**

Date(s) of Project: 10/5/2013

Project Area: Chapter/Social

Number of persons who participated in this project

Members: 8/86
Electees: 3/13

Hours spent on this project.

Organizing: 5
Participating: 3

**DESCRIPTION:**

I. General Description:
   a. Wayne State University Homecoming was on Oct 5th so our chapter decided to participate in the tailgating before the game. Most of the food, drinks, and supplies were donated from various members and non-members. We grilled hotdogs, donuts, and ate other food. We had a football to throw around and radio music playing.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. The purpose of this event was to support the Wayne State Football team and have a good time. This event allowed members to converse with the initiates while enjoying food. Additionally, this allowed initiates another way of obtaining points and the social coordinators signature. Our chapter collaborated with the Biomedical Engineering Society to host this tailgate, which demonstrates our chapter reaching out to work with other organizations and have an impact on their members as well.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) Yes
   a. This event was in conjunction with the Biomedical Engineering Society (BMES)

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. This event cost $20. Most of the supplies were donated.

V. Special Problems:
   a. No problems arose during the event besides hornets flying around and iffy weather reports.

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. Overall this event was a great way to support Wayne State, collaborate with BMES and get to know the initiates. Additionally, this event allowed initiates to get to know the officers in a more relaxed setting.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      i. Members: Amani Alkayyali, Brien Dux, Curt Laugh, Zahraa Bazzi, Abby Davidson, Pawel Popiel, Alex Gaglardi, Christopher Vera-Burgos
      ii. Electees: Brian Centala, Amelia Zelenak, Nathan Cobb
b. Pictures:
The Tau Beta Pi Association
Chapter: Michigan Epsilon

Chapter Project Report
Project number: 7

Project name: Engineering Futures
Date(s) of Project: 10/12/2013

Project Area: Profession/Engineering

Number of persons who participated in this project
Members: 8/86 Electees: 12/13

Hours spent on this project.
Organizing: 6 Participating: 5

DESCRIPTION:

I. General Description:
   a. For this session of Engineering Futures, we learned about people skills. Our facilitator, Stephan King-Monroe, did a great job of keeping the group interactive and having fun while learning. He gave a presentation with videos, examples, explanations, and group activities.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. It was a great way to learn how to interact with people in a professional settings. It was a very helpful professional event and a useful tool for everyday life.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No
   a. It was open to all engineering students, but only one Non-TBP student attended.

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. $100.58, a parking pass for the facilitator, room access, and keep everything organized and prepared for the event.

V. Special Problems:
   a. No problems

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. It was a great turnout, the goal was to have 20 students attend and we had 21 including myself. Students were not bored, it was very entertaining, fun, and a good learning experience. We had breakfast and lunch and everyone seemed happy. Certificates were passed out at the end and this is something that can be put on a resume.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      i. Members: Zahraa Bazzi, Steven Stapleton, Ali Abdallah, Aliya Jawad, Alex Gagliardi, Curt Laugh, Nigil Valikodath, Brien Dux
      ii. Electees: Brian Centala, Adam Basha, Mikhail Bordyukov, Melissa Wrobel, Nathan Cobb, Justin Khami, Subramaniam Sunderaswaran , Amelia Zelenak, Maryssa Mercer, Mustapha Zebib, Maria Guido, Anant Patel
      iii. Non-TBP: Farooq Chishti
b. Pictures:

[Images of students in a classroom setting and a presentation slide.]
The Tau Beta Pi Association
Chapter: Michigan Epsilon
Project number: 8

Project name: Ice Cream Social/Fundraiser
Date(s) of Project: 10/16/2013

Project Area: Professsion/Engineering & Social

Number of persons who participated in this project
Members: 11/86   Electees: 8/13

Hours spent on this project.
Organizing: 3   Participating: 1.5

DESCRIPTION:

I. General Description:
   a. TBP sold a bowl of ice cream with two toppings for $1 to help raise funds for the ice cream that was bought, the organization, and to provide another social event so initiates could get additional points. The whole college of engineering was invited to the social.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. The purpose was so that initiates were provided a chance to gain additional points and socialize with other Tau Beta Pi members. This event also helped develop awareness of TBP presence in the college of engineering.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. Cost $55
   b. Personnel Requirement: Crushing Oreos by hand

V. Special Problems:
   a. No problems

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. The event went smoothly. Only wish was that we had more of a turn out so that we could have broken even.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      i. Members: Zahraa Bazzi, Amani Alkayyali, Aliya Jawad, Hamzeh Omar, Alex Gaglardi, Radhika Rastogi, Tonya Whitehead, Marc Patton, Ali Abdallah, Christopher Vera-Burgos, Curt Laugh

      ii. Electees: Anant Patel, Subramaniam Sunderaswaran, Justin Khami, Maryssa Mercer, Nathan Cobb, Maria Guido, Melissa Wrobel, Mikhail Bordyukov

   b. Pictures:
DESCRIPTION:

I. General Description:
   a. Meet the College Luncheon is a way to encourage people around the college to meet others outside of their major. The participant will pick up a slip, meet someone new, fill out the form on the back, and get two slices of pizza and a drink.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. It creates a more social community, makes people aware of TBP, allows people to get to know each other, and learn more about the different majors.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No
   a. None, but everyone (including non-TBP members) was welcome and encouraged to participate.

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. $117 + forms, tables, and volunteers

V. Special Problems:
   a. No special problems

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. It was very successful, we had many participants - 83 in total. It was beneficial and enjoyable. We got to know a lot of people and made students aware of our student organization and our purpose.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      
      ii. Electees: Adam Basha, Subramaniam Sunderaswaran, Melissa Wrobel, Anant Patel, Maryssa Mercer, Maria Guido

      iii. Non-TBP: Alex, Jihal Patel, Alex Andrew, Catherina, Yasmeen Bazzi, Austin Binatz, Lin, Sydney, Angela Childrey, Rasheed, Mohammed, Joseph Cholag, Honardo Butcher, Sukaina Hassan, Faraz Ahmed, Ginary, Sammy El-Saleh, Ali

b. Pictures:
The Tau Beta Pi Association  
Chapter: Michigan Epsilon

Chapter Project Report  
Project number: 10

Project name: **Habitat for Humanity**  
**Date(s) of Project:** 10/19/2013

**Project Area:** Community

**Number of persons who participated in this project**  
Members: 0/86  
Electees: 5/13

**Hours spent on this project.**  
Organizing: 1  
Participating: 6

**DESCRIPTION:**

I. General Description:
   a. We spent the day erecting the four outside walls of what was to become someone's home in eastern Detroit. We were specifically responsible for clearing rocks and debris from the build site, unloading the door frames, windows, etc. (basically a bunch of wood) that were going to make up the walls from a truck, we helped assemble the walls by nailing different parts together, we helped raise the walls and held them in place while other volunteers nailed them to the foundation. Everything we did was under the direction of a couple of HFH builders/construction people who were in charge.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. Habitat for Humanity is a non-profit Christian service organization that provides "simple, decent, and affordable housing to every man, woman, and child in need" they're mission statement describes "coming together to build homes, communities, and hope." This event relates to TBP’s mission to promote excellence and ethics to its members and future members.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?)  
   Yes
   a. WSU Habitat for Humanity

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. No cost, all equipment was provided by Habitat for Humanity

V. Special Problems:
   a. No special problems arose

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. Overall, I thought it was a good event. I definitely did some things I never would have otherwise done (hammering, sawing, etc.) and we met some engineering students from other nearby universities (Lawrence Tech and UofD Mercy), which was cool. The only downside is that it was really cold and rainy that day, which made being outside sort of miserable. I think our chapter of TBP would benefit from attending another HFH build day. I think we need to gather more volunteers (members and initiates) and hopefully go on a day with nicer weather. It helped build comradery between the initiates who went.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
Electees: Melissa Wrobel, Anant Patel, Maryssa Mercer, Justin Khami, Mikhail Bordyukov, Brian Centala

Pictures:
The Tau Beta Pi Association  
Chapter: Michigan Epsilon  
Chapter Project Report  
Project number: 11

Project name: **Big Bent Polishing**  
Date(s) of Project: 10/20/2013 & 10/21/2013

Project Area: Chapter

Number of persons who participated in this project  
Members: 3/86  
Electees: 13/13

Hours spent on this project.  
Organizing: 0.5  
Participating: 2

**DESCRIPTION:**

I. General Description:  
   a. Members and electees worked together to beautify the Big Bent outside the College of Engineering.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:  
   a. To take pride in the logo and insignia of the organization. Also, a great way for the electees and members to bond and spend time together.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:  
   a. No cost

V. Special Problems:  
   a. No special problems

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):  
   a. I really liked the idea of the members helping out the electees so it was a bonding experience rather than a hazing activity.

VII. Index of Exhibits:  
   a. Attendees:  
      i. Members: Nigil Valikodath, Amani Alkayyali, Hamzeh Omar
      
      ii. Electees: Maryssa Mercer, Maria Guido, Mikhail Bordyukov, Brian Centala, Mustapha Zebib, Adam Basha, Justin Khami, Amelia Zelenak, Nathan Cobb, Anant Patel, Melissa Wrobel, Subramaniam Sunderaswaran, Alexander Lamb

   b. Pictures:
The Tau Beta Pi Association
Chapter: Michigan Epsilon

Chapter Project Report
Project number: 12

Project name: **Game Night**
Date(s) of Project: 10/25/2013

Project Area: Chapter/Social

Number of persons who participated in this project
Members: 11/86
Electees: 0/13

Hours spent on this project.
Organizing: 2
Participating: 2

DESCRIPTION:

I. General Description:
   a. Members gathered to play card games or board games together after GBM 3.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. Tau Beta Pi is about bringing members together and what better way than over friendly competition by playing cards or a board game.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. All cards and boardgames were brought by members

V. Special Problems:
   a. No special problems

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. It went well. Not a ton of member participation but people had places to be on that Friday night.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      i. Members: Doug Harriman, Brien Dux, Zahraa Bazzi, Ali Abdallah, Alex Gaglardi, Nigil Valikodath, Aliya Jawad, Hamzeh Omar, Garret Yee, Curt Laugh, Tonya Whitehead
The Tau Beta Pi Association
Chapter: Michigan Epsilon
Chapter Project Report

Project name: **Initiation Dinner**
Date(s) of Project: 11/15/2013

Project Area: Chapter/Social

Number of persons who participated in this project
Members: 24/86  Electees: N/A

Hours spent on this project.
Organizing: 4  Participating: 2

DESCRIPTION:

I. General Description:
   a. Organized a formal dinner at L.A. Bistro for the new members where their meals would be paid for and current members could congratulate them on their acceptance into the Michigan Epsilon Chapter. Current member meals were not paid for by TBP.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. The purpose was to show hospitality to the new members and make them feel welcome to the Michigan Epsilon Chapter.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. $190 for all new members who attended. There were no personnel requirements.

V. Special Problems:
   a. No major problems arose. However, one new member, who drove them self, was not able to find the restaurant until the event was over.

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. The dinner was great way to bond with other members over food. The food was very well organized and was on par with the significance and formality of the event. Overall it was a very well organized event that satisfied all members who attended.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
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Chapter Project Report

Project name: Room Updating
Date(s) of Project: 1/17/2014

Project Area: Chapter/Social

Number of persons who participated in this project: Members: 4/56, Electees: N/A

Hours spent on this project: Organizing: 1, Participating: 5

DESCRIPTION:

I. General Description:
   a. New shelving was installed in cabinets, on walls, and a new whiteboard was installed.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. Shelving increases organization and aesthetic appeal of the Tau Beta Pi room, benefiting our appeal and image to the campus community, and a new whiteboard makes study easier, and helps improve our commitment to academic excellence.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. Whiteboard - $50
   b. Shelves - $67
   c. Misc hardware - $45

V. Special Problems:
   a. No special problems

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. The room looks great and has increased in utility and beauty.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      i. Members: Steven Stapleton, Doug Harriman, Brien Dux, Adam Basha

   b. Pictures:
Project name: Pizza Papalis

Date(s) of Project: 1/17/2014

Project Area: Chapter/Social

Number of persons who participated in this project

Members: 19/56  Electees: N/A

Hours spent on this project.

Organizing: 2  Participating: 1.5

DESCRIPTION:

I. General Description:
   a. We went to Pizza Papalis to eat some pizza and share in some chapter bonding.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. The purpose, aside from the natural drive to eat food, was to spend a nice night with our fellow Tau Bates and to aid in chapter continuity/togetherness.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) Yes
   a. WSU Newman Catholic Center

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. Roughly $200 for the chapter's meal

V. Special Problems:
   a. No special problems

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. It was overall an immensely nice night. It was one of our member's birthday (Pawel Popiel), so we took the time to celebrate it. We probably could have ordered a few more pizzas though.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:

   b. Pictures:
The Tau Beta Pi Association  
Chapter: Michigan Epsilon  

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Project name: **Charity Poker Fundraiser**  
Date(s) of Project: 1/31/2014 – 2/1/2014  

Project Area: Chapter  

Number of persons who participated in this project  
Members: 6/56  
Electees: N/A  

Hours spent on this project.  
Organizing: 8  
Participating: 21  

DESCRIPTION:  

I. General Description:  
a. Volunteered to work the counter at a charity poker room fundraiser. Michigan Epsilon Chapter of Tau Beta Pi was the charity. The duties included collecting the money for both Texas Hold’em tournaments and cash games, handing out cash prizes, and redeeming cash chips for money.  

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:  
a. The purpose of this event is to raise funds for our chapter.  

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) Yes  
a. All organization was done by the treasurer in conjunction with the location lessor, and poker equipment supplier.  

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:  
a. There is a licensing fee of $100. %50 per day.  

V. Special Problems:  
a. No special problems.  

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):  
a. The poker fundraiser was a success. We were able to raise more than expected.  

VII. Index of Exhibits:  
a. Attendees:  
i. Members: Brien Dux, Douglas Harriman, Curt Laugh, Kurt Kreuger, Steve Stapleton, Pawel Popiel
Project name: **Skyzone**

Date(s) of Project: 2/7/2014

Project Area: Chapter/Social

Number of persons who participated in this project

Members: 14/56
Electees: 7/13

Hours spent on this project.

Organizing: 1
Participating: 1

**DESCRIPTION:**

I. General Description:
   a. After GBM2, MI-E chapter traveled to Skyzone in Canton, MI to play dodgeball for an hour.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. To bring together the initiates and members, to introduce initiates to members, and to get a glimpse of which initiates may cause problems in the future. Skyzone is a team-oriented experience that requires an individual to admit he/she is out when tagged with a dodgeball. Members can gauge which initiates exhibit a lack of character, integrity, etc.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. $280 for a court plus gas / driving.

V. Special Problems:
   a. No special problems.

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. Everything went according to plan. No one got lost on the way, no one had a bad time, and everyone got to meet the initiates. The only concern to be mentioned is we need to leave earlier next time to ensure we get full court time.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:


   b. Pictures:
Project name: **Motown Winter Blast Volunteering**  
Date(s) of Project: 2/9/2014

Project Area: Community

Number of persons who participated in this project  
Members: 2/56  
Electees: 3/13

Hours spent on this project.  
Organizing: 2  
Participating: 3.5

**DESCRIPTION:**

I. General Description:
   a. Volunteers arrived at Campus Martius in Detroit and were taken as a group to work the snow slide attraction. The snow slide attraction needed volunteers acting as crowd control, ticket collectors, and collecting and moving the snow slide tubes.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. Wayne State Tau Beta Pi members gave back to the Detroit community; the same community that has provided them with their educational facilities. TBP members were able to help Detroit during a well-advertised winter event, when volunteers were in high demand.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No  
   b. Tamara Williams is the Volunteer Coordinator for the Winter Blast.  
   c. Sponsored by Meridian Health Plan.

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:  
   a. No cost

V. Special Problems:  
   a. No special problems

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):  
   a. Volunteering Coordinator, Tamara Williams, loved our volunteers and was happy to have us. She enjoyed our hard work so much that she invited us to volunteer again with her in September for the Arts, Beats, N' Eats.

VII. Index of Exhibits:  
   a. Attendees:  
      i. Members: Amelia Zelenak, Alex Gaglardi  
      ii. Electees: Matthew Melucci, Dalia Alzabdeh, Manan Trivedi

   b. Pictures:
The Tau Beta Pi Association
Chapter: Michigan Epsilon
Chapter Project Report

Project name: **Euchre/Game Night**
Date(s) of Project: 2/13/2014

Project Area: Chapter/Social

Number of persons who participated in this project
Members: 11/56  Electees: 6/13

Hours spent on this project.
Organizing: 1  Participating: 2

DESCRIPTION:

I. General Description:
   a. MI-E Chapter gathered together in the PACE lab in the engineering building to play cards, video games, and board games.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. This was a fun activity organized to bring members and initiates together to have some downtime. Initiates were also able to get some points for attending.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) Yes
   a. In collaboration with the WSU Biomedical Engineering Society

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. Pizza and Pop ~ $49.00

V. Special Problems:
   a. No special problems.

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. The night was an excellent experiment for a game night. The euchre, however, could have been organized a bit better. If everyone who wished to play had registered early, it could have started quicker. Other than that, the night was a success.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      i. Members: Tonya Whitehead, Kurt Krueger, Melissa Wrobel, Ben Paczkowski, Alexander Gagliardi, Justin Khami, Shankari, Subramaniam Sunderaswaran, Bryant, Ali Abdallah, Nivedita Srinivasan, Curt Laugh, Brien Dux

      ii. Electees: Colin Weir, Manan Trivedi, Stephen Barcus, Genna Peltier, Caroline Mueller, Matthew Melucci, Elizabeth Bielski, Nick Bely

   b. Pictures:
DESCRIPTION:

I. General Description:
   a. Winter 2014 Electees and the Membership Vice President assembled to wash and polish the large bent in front of the Engineering Building.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. Polishing the Big Bent is an activity that is required for membership in the Michigan Epsilon Chapter. Therefore, each of the 13 Winter 2014 Electees were required to wash and polish the large bent monument located in front of the College of Engineering. This project is not only rewarding to our college and current members, but it also instills pride in our future members.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No
   a. This was a chapter project that required the participation of only Michigan Epsilon members and Winter 2014 Electees.

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. There was no cost associated with this project, as our chapter had excess materials (Towels, Sponges, Soap, Buckets, Brass Polish, etc) from previous semesters. Winter 2014 Electees were required to participate as part of their initiation (mandatory event) requirements. Attendance of all other Michigan Epsilon members was not required, but encouraged to support our initiate class.

V. Special Problems:
   a. No special problems.

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. The Winter 2014 Electees collaborated effectively to thoroughly wash and polish the large bent, despite bitter cold temperatures and nearly a foot of snow at the base of the monument. As a result of this project, the electees have taken more pride in the Bent as the official badge of our organization. In addition, Michigan Epsilon members are very appreciative of the initiates’ efforts.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      i. Members: Maryssa Mercer, Brien Dux, Aliya Jawad

b. Pictures:

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Chapter: Michigan Epsilon
Project number: 21
**DESCRIPTION:**

I. General Description:
   a. Volunteered to work the counter at a charity poker room fundraiser. Michigan Epsilon Chapter of Tau Beta Pi was the charity. The duties included collecting the money for both Texas Hold'em tournaments and cash games, handing out cash prizes, and redeeming cash chips for money.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. The purpose of this event is to raise funds for our chapter.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) Yes
   a. All organization was done by the treasurer in conjunction with the location lessor, and poker equipment supplier.

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. There is a licensing fee of $200. 50% per day

V. Special Problems:
   a. No special problems.

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. We raised much more money than expected. There were no issues regarding discrepancies in funds raised.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      i. Members: Maxwell Laws, Amelia Zelenak, Curt Laugh, Maria Guido, Marc Patton, Alex Gagliardi, Adam Basha, Melissa Wrobel, Douglas Harriman, Tonya Whitehead, Brien Dux, Kurt Krueger
The Tau Beta Pi Association
Chapter: Michigan Epsilon
Chapter Project Report

Project name: **Meet the College Luncheon**  Date(s) of Project: 2/18/2014

Project Area: Profession/Engineering

Number of persons who participated in this project
Members: 4/56  Electees: 2/13

Hours spent on this project.  Organizing: 2  Participating: 1.5

DESCRIPTION:

I. General Description:
   a. Max the vice president of TBP organized this. He brought pizza and asked people to meet one person and write on a small piece of paper the name of that person and two interesting things about him/her; after that you are allowed to eat from his pizza!

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. Meet other students and faculty members from the college of engineering and get to know each other more.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. No cost to attendees.

V. Special Problems:
   a. Not enough pizza was brought at first (specially the vegetarian one) so Max ran to bring more. After the pizza arrived, everyone enjoyed it!

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. The event was a great way for members and initiates to mingle and get to know one another. Additionally, this event provided the opportunity for TBP initiates and members to meet non-TBP members in the College of Engineering.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      i. Members: Maxwell Laws, Amani Alkayyali, Alexander Gagliardi, Curt Laugh, Radhika Rastogi, Christina Wong, Tonya Whitehead

      ii. Electees: Matthew Brown, Manan Trivedi, Caroline Mueller, Matthew Melucci, Colin Weir

   b. Pictures:
The Tau Beta Pi Association  
Chapter: Michigan Epsilon  
Chapter Project Report 

Project name: **Movie Night**  
Date(s) of Project: 2/19/2014  

Project Area: Chapter/Social  

Number of persons who participated in this project 
Members: 10/56  
Electees: 5/13 

Hours spent on this project. 
Organizing: 1  
Participating: 2  

DESCRIPTION:  

I. General Description:  
a. MI-E gathered to watch Ferris Bueller's Day Off while doing homework, studying, etc. 

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:  
a. Another opportunity for initiates to get points and to bring initiates and members together. 

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?)  
No 

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:  
a. $10 for popcorn 

V. Special Problems:  
a. No special problems 

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):  
a. Movie was a success, everyone enjoyed it, and there were no problems. Perhaps a supply of more snacks would have been better, but with budget constraints, the event was appropriate. 

VII. Index of Exhibits:  
a. Attendees:  
i. Members: Tonya Whitehead, Anant Patel, Ken Thomas, Maria Guido, Maxwell Laws, Mikhail Bordyukov, Curt Laugh, Adam Basha, Maryssa Mercer, Steven Stapleton 

ii. Electees: Bachir Hamadeh, Genna Peltier, Caroline Mueller, Matthew Melucci, Dalia Al Zebdeh, Colin Weir 

b. Pictures: 


DESCRIPTION:

I. General Description:
   a. Volunteers assisted in the setup of the Future SWE event, which is aimed to create interest in STEM professions to prospective students. The students listened to speakers and then split up into 6 groups, with 10 students each, and were lead by the different volunteers through several STEM-related activities and challenges.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. TBP is a community-oriented organization. As being such, the TBP members and initiates not only need to reach out to the broader community, but also to the community within the college of engineering. Participating in the Future SWE (Society of Women Engineers) event greatly helped another organization at Wayne State succeed with their objectives.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) Yes
   a. Society of Women Engineers, led by Karthika Andrew

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. No cost

V. Special Problems:
   a. No special problems

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. The members enjoyed themselves at the event and the SWE members appreciated Tau Beta Pi's assistance.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      i. Members: Curt Laugh, Maryssa Mercer, Tonya Whitehead
      ii. Electees: Colin Weir, Matthew Brown, Eric Kim, Genna Peltier
   b. Pictures:
Project name: **Canned Food Drive**  
Date(s) of Project: 2/28/2014 – 2/29/2014

Project Area: Community

Number of persons who participated in this project  
Members: 1/56  
Electees: 3/13

Hours spent on this project.  
Organizing: 1.5  
Participating: 1

**DESCRIPTION:**

I. General Description:  
a. Initiates were asked to collect 20 canned foods/non-perishable items each from neighbors, friends, coworkers, etc. The cans were then donated to the Manna Community Meal Shelter and Soup Kitchen for use.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:  
a. The Manna Community Meal Shelter and Soup Kitchen is always in need of food donations, and because they are helping the community with their services, it is so beneficial and important for TBP to help them through our donations. In this way, TBP is helping the Manna Community Meal and helping those that the Manna Community Meal serves.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:  
a. No cost. Cans were specifically donated to each initiate.

V. Special Problems:  
a. No special problems

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):  
a. When Amelia Zelenak asked Manna Community Meal how many cans they would like to receive as a donation, she was told a dozen or anything that could be given would be helpful. The can donation from the TBP initiates brought in 60 canned goods and the Manna Community Meal workers were thrilled!

VII. Index of Exhibits:  
a. Attendees:  
   i. Members: Ameila Zelenak  
   ii. Electees: Bijal Patel, Nick Bely, Bachir Hamadeh
The Tau Beta Pi Association  
Chapter: Michigan Epsilon  
Chapter Project Report  

Project name: **Jam Session**  
Date(s) of Project: 3/1/2014  

Project Area: Community  

Number of persons who participated in this project  
Members: 2/56  
Electees: 1/13  

Hours spent on this project.  
Organizing: 1  
Participating: 3  

DESCRIPTION:  

I. General Description:  
a. The Tau Beta Pi members volunteered at EarthWorks, located next to Gleaners in Detroit, to assist them in making blackberry currant and gooseberry jam. TBP volunteers juiced the berries, stirred and added sugar to the jam, and checked the sugar levels of the jam. Once the jam had the correct ratio (of more fruit, less sugar) the jam was poured, lidded, sealed, and labeled into jars. We made four large batches of jam in 3 hours.  

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:  
a. EarthWorks is part of the food justice program in Detroit, which puts an emphasis on naturally grown fruits and vegetables to make sure that they remain GMO free. Providing all natural foods to Detroit citizens is beneficial for the community’s health.  

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) Yes  
a. EarthWorks  

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:  
a. No cost  

V. Special Problems:  
a. No special problems  

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):  
a. The EarthWorks organizers were thrilled to have us there. They continued to express how beneficial our attendance was because we were able to make four large batches of jam in only three hours. They continued to tell us that if we were not there, they would have only been on their second batch. They invited us back to volunteer.  

VII. Index of Exhibits:  
a. Attendees:  
   i. Members: Ameila Zelenak, Amani Alkayyali  
   ii. Electees: Ali Bader Badreddine  
b. Pictures:
The Tau Beta Pi Association  
Chapter: Michigan Epsilon  
Chapter Project Report  

Project name: Ice Cream Social  
Date(s) of Project: 3/3/2014  

Project Area: Chapter/Social  

Number of persons who participated in this project  
Members: 15/56  
Electees: 10/13  

Hours spent on this project.  
Organizing: 1  
Participating: 3  

DESCRIPTION:  
I. General Description:  
a. Members, initiates, and non-members gathered to enjoy some ice cream and company in the Tau Beta Pi room of the engineering building.  

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:  
a. The purpose of this social event was essentially a last-chance opportunity for initiates to get the social coordinator's signature in case they were unavailable during the other social events. The event also brings everyone together before initiate folders are due in order to facilitate the process of gathering signatures from officers, last minute points, etc.  

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No  

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:  
a. $48.40 - Ice Cream and syrups  

V. Special Problems:  
a. No special problems  

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):  
a. This was an excellent event and it served its purposes to the letter. Should be done every time before the date folders are due.  

VII. Index of Exhibits:  
a. Attendees:  
i. Members: Stan Marek, Abby Davidson, Zahraa Bazzi, Radhika Rastogi, Maria Guido, Kurt Krueger, Aliya Jawad, Tonya Whitehead, Marc Patton, Hajra Khan, Alex Gagliardi, Maryssa Mercer, Brien Dux, Curt Laugh, Maxwell Laws  

b. Pictures:
The Tau Beta Pi Association
Chapter: Michigan Epsilon
Chapter Project Report

Project name: **Room Cleaning** Date(s) of Project: 3/4/2014

Project Area: Chapter

Number of persons who participated in this project

Members: 1/56  Electees: 1/13

Hours spent on this project.  Organizing: 0.25  Participating: 0.5

**DESCRIPTION:**

I. General Description:
   a. The room was cleaned: kitchenette cleaned, tables wiped down, floor swept and vacuumed, microwave cleaned out.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. A clean room outwardly reflects our professional goals and image.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. No cost

V. Special Problems:
   a. No special problems

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. The room is moderately clean and presentable now. It was a smashing success.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      i. Members: Steven Stapleton
      
      ii. Electees: Manan Trivedi

   b. Pictures:
Project name: **Charity Poker Fundraiser**

Date(s) of Project: 3/7/2014 – 3/9/2014

Number of persons who participated in this project

Members: 10/56  Electees: 0/13

Hours spent on this project.

Organizing: 8  Participating: 30

**DESCRIPTION:**

I. General Description:
   a. Volunteered to work the counter at a charity poker room fundraiser. Michigan Epsilon Chapter of Tau Beta Pi was the charity. The duties included collecting the money for both Texas Hold'em tournaments and cash games, handing out cash prizes, and redeeming cash chips for money.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. The purpose of this event is to raise funds for our chapter.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?)
   a. All organization was done by the treasurer in conjunction with the location lessor, and poker equipment supplier.

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. There is a licensing fee of $150. 50 per day.

V. Special Problems:
   a. No special problems

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. The poker fundraiser was a success. We were able to raise more than expected.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      i. Members: Brien Dux, Douglas Harriman, Curt Laugh, Kurt Kreuger, Steve Stapleton, Pawel Propiel, Melissa Wrobel, Tonya Whitehead, Amelia Zelenak, Alex Gagliardi
I. General Description:
   a. Engineering Futures is a professional development session for Tau Beta Pi members, initiates, alumni, and the Wayne State College of Engineering at large to improve workplace skills. This particular session was focused on "Effective Presentation" skills.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. To service the College of Engineering, improve the workplace skills and ethics of Tau Beta Pi members.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No
   a. Quite a few members of Theta Tau, the professional engineering fraternity, attended.

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. $130, for Subway and Bigby Coffee

V. Special Problems:
   a. No special problems

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. The session was successful despite low attendance. The low attendance was due to the fact that the session was forced to be scheduled at the first Saturday of Spring Break.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      ii. Electees: Bijal Patel
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Chapter Project Report

Chapter: Michigan Epsilon
Project number: 31

Project name: Emerson School Volunteering  Date(s) of Project: 3/26/2014 – 5/26/2014
Project Area: Community & MindSET

Number of persons who participated in this project
Members: 3/69  Electees: N/A

Hours spent on this project.
Organizing: 24  Participating: 60

DESCRIPTION:

I. General Description:
   a. TBP volunteers worked to assist Mrs. Vyas, a science teacher at Emerson School, with various scientific projects in the classroom.
   b. The volunteering day consisted of working on science projects with one morning class of 3rd grade students, one 12pm class of 5th graders, and one 12:55pm class of 5th grade students. Volunteers were trained to fully understand the projects that they will be working on with the kids.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. Volunteering at Emerson provided the students with a background in science and placed an importance on their interactions with STEM fields. Assisting the children with scientific projects supported, prepared, and encouraged the young students to look into a STEM related career path for future goals.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) Yes
   a. Deborah Alrutz, GM Representative

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. No cost or personnel requirements

V. Special Problems:
   a. No special problems

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. Emerson School was pleased to have the help!

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      i. Members: Dalia Alzebedeh, Amelia Zelenak, Brien Dux
Description:

I. General Description:
   a. Volunteered to work the counter at a charity poker room fundraiser. Michigan Epsilon Chapter of Tau Beta Pi was the charity. The duties included collecting the money for both Texas Hold’em tournaments and cash games, handing out cash prizes, and redeeming cash chips for money.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. The purpose of this even is to raise funds for our chapter.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No
   a. All organization was done by the treasurer in conjunction with the location lessor, and poker equipment supplier.

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. There is a licensing fee of $150. $50 per day.

V. Special Problems:
   a. No special problems

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. The poker fundraiser was a success. We were able to raise more than expected.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      i. Members: Brien Dux, Douglas Harriman, Curt Laugh, Kurt Kreuger, Steve Stapleton, Pawel Propiel, Melissa Wrobel, Tonya Whitehead, Amelia Zelenak, Alex Gagliardi
      ii. Electees: Manan Trevedi
The Tau Beta Pi Association
Chapter: Michigan Epsilon
Chapter Project Report

Project name: **Initiation Dinner**
Date(s) of Project: 4/4/2014

**Project Area:** Chapter/Social

**Number of persons who participated in this project**
Members: 21
Electees: N/A

**Hours spent on this project.**
Organizing: 4
Participating: 2.5

**DESCRIPTION:**

I. **General Description:**
   a. After the MI-E Formal Initiation Ceremony on Friday, April 4th, 2014, we went to BD’s Mongolian Grill in Dearborn, MI, to celebrate with our newest members.

II. **Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:**
   a. As an organization, we feel it is important to continue to foster a spirit of liberal culture by engaging all of our members in social events. It is especially important to interact with our newest members to strengthen our rapport and sense of community in the chapter as a whole.

III. **Organization & Administration:** (in conjunction with another group?)
   a. This event was not in conjunction with another group. MI-E members, however, were welcome to bring guests to the dinner to celebrate the initiation of our newest members into our chapter.

IV. **Cost & Personnel Requirements:**
   a. TBP MI-E paid for the new members' dinner, since it was immediately following the Initiation Ceremony. The cost was $168 plus tax/gratuity.

V. **Special Problems:**
   a. No special problems.

VI. **Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):**
   a. The event was very successful and enjoyable for all members and guests. We had a wonderful time socializing and congratulating the 12 newly initiated members.

VII. **Index of Exhibits:**
   a. **Attendees:**
      ii. Advisors: Colleen Hill-Stramsak
Project name: Tau Beta Pi(e)-a-Senior-Day  Date(s) of Project: 4/17/2014

Project Area: Chapter/Social & University

Number of persons who participated in this project

Members: 22/69  Electees: N/A

Hours spent on this project.

Organizing: 4  Participating: 3

DESCRIPTION:

I. General Description:
   a. The event was organized by the graduating seniors to raise funds to support their graduation dinner. In order to raise funds, the seniors participated in an auctioning for people to bid on pieing a senior in the face. The winning bidder had the opportunity to make their own pie, which could consist of whip cream, cherries, chocolate syrup, and caramel syrup. If someone would like to pie a certain senior they could match the winning bid to make their own pie to pie the senior with.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. The purpose of the event is to foster camaraderie among the members of the chapter as well as allow individuals of the college of engineering to participate and meet some of our chapter's members.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No
   a. The president of our chapter organized the event.

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. Cost for the pie material was purchased by the chapter

V. Special Problems:
   a. No special problems arose.

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. Overall the event was very successful. Everyone had fun pieing seniors or watching people pie seniors. The seniors were able to raise $450.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      ii. Advisors: Michele Grimm
b. Pictures:
Project name: **Graduation Dinner**  
Date(s) of Project: 4/28/2014

Project Area: Chapter/Social

Number of persons who participated in this project  
Members: 18/69  
Electees: N/A

Hours spent on this project.  
Organizing: 1  
Participating: 3

**DESCRIPTION:**

I. General Description:
   a. Senior Dinner is an opportunity for seniors to socialize and have a fun night out with their graduating class. This year's dinner was held at Andiamo Riverfront in Detroit. 15 Graduating seniors and 3 non-graduating members attended. The event was sponsored by the chapter, but the seniors raised the funds earlier in the semester to pay for 70% of the expense. Traditionally this dinner is completely paid for from chapter funds, but because of the large number of graduates it was decided fundraising was necessary.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. The purpose of the event is to foster camaraderie among the members of the chapter, and to congratulate the seniors on completing their degree.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?) No

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. Seniors raised $450
   b. Chapter assisted $300
   c. Each senior was allowed up to $35 plus the cost of a non-alcoholic beverage. Any expenses above that was paid for by the attendee. Non-graduating attendees paid their own way.
   d. Reservations were made three days in advance.
   e. 3-4 people gave input on where to eat.

V. Special Problems:
   a. Some seniors were unable to attend because of Finals Week obligations.
   b. Iridescence at the Motor City Casino Hotel was the first choice but was closed on this day.
   c. Religious dietary needs were not completely met but everyone was able to find something they enjoyed.

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
a. Overall the event was a success. Attendees were excited to go and were happy and full after the dinner. It would be easier on scheduling if the dinner took place earlier in the semester.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:

b. Pictures:
The Tau Beta Pi Association
Chapter: Michigan Epsilon
Chapter Project Report

Project name: **Greening of Detroit**  
Date(s) of Project: 4/26/2014

Project Area: Community

Number of persons who participated in this project  
Members: 3/69  
Electees: N/A

Hours spent on this project.  
Organizing: 2  
Participating: 3

DESCRIPTION:

I. General Description:
   a. The Greening of Detroit group and its volunteers met at Rouge Park in Detroit to plant trees to give the park a new beautified identity. The volunteers were given shovels and were instructed on how to plant the trees, and were able to plant about 3-4 trees, depending on how fast they were able to dig.

II. Purpose & Relationship to Objectives of TBP:
   a. The Greening of Detroit is on a mission to increase Detroit's tree canopy from 22.5% to 40%. The Greening of Detroit's overall goal is to plant more than 2,400 trees throughout the city this spring. Because the Michigan Epsilon chapter of Tau Beta Pi is located in Detroit, the TBP members have an obligation to assist their city and give back to their local community.

III. Organization & Administration: (in conjunction with another group?)  Yes
   a. Greening of Detroit

IV. Cost & Personnel Requirements:
   a. No cost or personnel requirements.

V. Special Problems:
   a. No special problems.

VI. Overall Evaluation/Results (Be Specific):
   a. All of the volunteers (about 60-70) planted all of the trees (around 100-150) that were mapped out for that day to be planted in record time.

VII. Index of Exhibits:
   a. Attendees:
      i. Members: Amelia Zelenak, Alex Gagliardi, Bryant Ng
   b. Pictures: