# RISKY BUSINESS

Risk Management



**Actuarial Science** 

# A Message From President Grant Brooks: Welcome Back Spring 2023!



Dear Members,

I hope you all had a wonderful Winter break and are excited to return to classes this Spring. It is my honor to continue serving as your Sigma Chapter president. The 39 officers of our chapter have worked hard to bring you a semester full of interesting industry speakers, engaging career opportunities, fun social events, and strong community engagement.

The H. Wayne Snider Distinguished Guest Lecturer Series continues to improve, with a Spring speaker series consisting of many popular companies you may be familiar with: the NBA, Parx Casino, Wawa, Honeygrow, Next Insurance, Five Below, the City of Philadelphia, Estée Lauder, and more. I hope you take the opportunity to learn from these professionals and meet them at our networking luncheons following the events.

Our Risk Management and Actuarial Science Career Development Committees have arranged excellent workshops and committee speakers designed to expose you to distinct areas of the industry. The RMI Intern Career Reception in February will provide you with opportunities to apply this knowledge in a real business environment.

Our Student Affairs and Community Affairs teams have fun and impactful events planned for you this semester, including cultural potlucks, Bob Ross paint night, campus cleanups, and our 43rd semi-annual Gamma Games. We look forward to continuing to raise money for our Charity of Choice, ACCT Philly, the region's largest animal care and control service provider.

The Fall brought one of our strongest semesters with unique speakers, two strong career receptions, remarkable DE&I successes, and excellent community engagement. However, I am confident that the Spring semester will build on these to strengthen the Sigma Chapter to our highest potential.

We will host our First Organizational meeting on Wednesday, January 25th, where you will hear more about the Sigma Chapter's plans for the semester — I look forward to seeing you there!

Fraternally yours,

Grant Brooks

President,

Gamma Iota Sigma — Sigma Chapter

## FIRST ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Wednesday January 25, 2023

12:00 p.m. - 12:50 p.m. Alter Hall A031

Join us at our first organizational meeting of the Spring 2023 semester! We will be discussing the Sigma Chapter's upcoming events and plans for the Spring Semester.

Send feedback regarding Risky Business to communicationsteam.gis@gmail.com

## Professional Development Workshops

In order to attend the **Risk Management & Insurance Intern Career Reception** on **Thursday, February 23, 2023,** students **must attend one interview skills workshop and one etiquette workshop.** Below are upcoming dates for each of these events, please see emails from the Professional Development Team (pdteam.gis@gmail.com) for instructions on how to sign up.

#### Interview Skills Workshops

Thursday, January 26, 2023

4:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Alter Hall, Samsung Room

Wednesday, February 1, 2023

4:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Alter Hall, Samsung Room

#### **Etiquette Workshops**

Friday, February 10, 2023

4:45 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Speakman 214

#### Join the Risk Actuarial Development Program!

All Risk Management and Actuarial Science majors are eligible to earn points through **RAD on Suitable** which count towards the Fox Leadership Development Program (FLDP). Look out for emails from our **Membership Team** (membershipteam. gis@gmail.com) for information to register!

#### Save the Dates!

#### 32nd Annual Gamma Gala Friday, April 21, 2023

Our annual Gamma Gala celebrates the Sigma Chapter's achievements over the past academic year and recognizes students for special achievements! Students, faculty, alumni, and guests will be in attendance.

#### 43rd Semi-Annual Gamma Games Wednesday, February 15, 2023

Go head to head with your Actuarial Science and Risk Management & Insurance major friends in games such as dodgeball, tug of war, scooter races, and more!

## Risk Management & Insurance Intern Career Reception

Thursday, February 23, 2023

1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Student Activities Center

The Intern Career Reception is an opportunity for Risk Management & Insurance majors seeking internship positions for the Summer of 2023!

### Supporting our Charity of Choice

The Sigma Chapter of Gamma Iota Sigma's
Charity of Choice for the 2022-2023 academic year is
the Animal Care & Control Team of
Philadelphia, ACCT Philly. The facility is the region's
largest animal care and control service provider,
serving the City of Philadelphia by contract. During
the Fall 2022 semester, the Sigma Chapter raised
\$1,664! If you are interested in donating to ACCT
Philly, please Venmo @sigmachapter. The payment
description should consist of your email and
'Charity of Choice'.

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		FIRST ORGANIZATIONAL	INTERVIEW	
		MEETING	SKILLS	
		12:00 - 12:50 P.M.	WORKSHOP	
			4:30 - 7:30 P.M.	