



# Theta Tau Velocitas

Engineering Leaders for Service, Profession, and Brotherhood



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## PETITIONS RECEIVED!



[USD Petition](#)

[USD Ballot](#)



[USC Petition](#)

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We are proud to present the petitions received from the **University of San Diego** and the **University of Southern California colonies of Theta Tau**. Each chapter is to vote on the petition per the ballots linked above. Please do so right away.

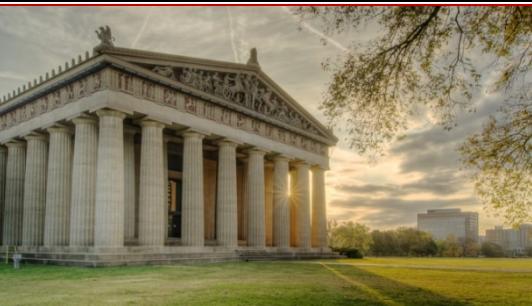


## CHAPTER INSTALLATION

**Saturday, April 8 - Iota Epsilon Chapter at the University of Georgia Ceremony:** (No Cost – Members Only) – **2:00 pm** – Memorial Ballroom, Tate Student Center, 45 Baxter Street, Athens, GA 30602

**Banquet** (\$25 –Members & Guests) – **6:00 pm** – Memorial Ballroom, Tate Student Center, 45 Baxter Street, Athens, GA 30602

**RSVP by 4/3:** <https://squareup.com/market/theta-tau/item/installation-of-new-chapter>  
**Map:** <https://www.architects.uga.edu/maps/current>



## ACADEMY REGISTRATION OPENS!

- [Online Community Registration](#)
- [Square Market Registration](#)
- [Hardcopy Registration](#)
- [ID Pin & Bars](#)

The Foundation's **2017 Leadership Academy** is at [Vanderbilt University](#) in Nashville. It will be held **July 28-30** (Fri-Sun).

Early registration is open now at \$275/person which includes: 2 nights lodging, numerous meals, registration/education materials, and much more. Early registration lasts until May 15.

Academy Curricula is based on the [Leadership Challenge](#) model for development which is unparalleled in student leadership training. [Nashville Music City](#) is a great place to visit and explore for those arriving early or staying a bit after – there is [plenty to see and do](#).





### FOUNDATION ALL ACADEMIC TEAM PROGRAM

The Foundation is proud to announce the honorees of the All Academic Team. Please view the pdf linked here to view the 2017 Honorees. Of the over 100 All Academic Team members, one from each Theta Tau Region receives a Foundation Scholarship for being named Team Captain.

- Atlantic - **Matthew Fishman**, ΨΓ 2017–Computer Science
- Central – **Kevin Tenny**, Z 2017–Chemical Engineering
- Great Lakes - **Quinn Mitchell** – PB 2019–Mechanical Engineering
- Gulf – **Emanuel Moyano** – ΩΓ 2018 – Electrical Engineering
- Midwest – **Sam Yellin** – Φ 2018 – Computer Engineering
- Northeast – **Jessika Decker** – ΣΓ 2018– Biomedical Engineering
- Southeast – **Sydney Reeder** – ΧΓ 2018 – Civil Engineering
- Western - **John Pham** – ΣΔ 2019 – Computer Science



### ALUMNI HALL OF FAME

[Nomination Packet](#)  
[Hall of Fame webpage](#)

Each chapter should make an effort to identify alumni worthy of nomination for this honor based on the excellence of contributions to their profession(s) and/or to the Fraternity. Each chapter and alumni association should identify now, and then nominate alumni for

consideration. A chapter may nominate 1 or 2, living or dead, regardless of chapter, place of residence, or chosen profession. Nomination forms are included in the link above. Please take advantage of this opportunity to nominate ones deserving this honor by **April 15**.

### GRADUATION STOLES

[Square Online Store](#)  
[Stole w/CofA or Letters](#)  
[Chords](#)

The Central Office now stocks **Graduation Stoles** for sale to your members approaching graduation. The cost is **\$20** each and come in the Fraternity's Official Colors with either the Greek Letters **or** the Coat of Arms **embroidered**. Use the Online Store to purchase or email/fax the completed hardcopy form linked above to the Central

Office. **Graduation Chords** (at \$12 each) are

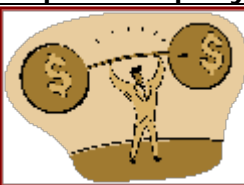
also available from the central Office, **but order early as inventory of these items depletes rapidly**.

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mail: Theta Tau Central Office  
1011 San Jacinto, Suite 205  
Austin, TX 78701



### SEMIANNUAL DUES

Dues Invoices and completed Dues Lists for each chapter and colony were emailed to Regents and Treasurers. Dues are payable at \$85 each with a \$10 discount for payments sent by **March 15**. Colony Dues are \$30/member. The most efficient and cost effective manner of payment is via the Intuit Payment System using an ACH (e-check). The new

Intuit system does not, however, allow underpayment of an invoice. If you wish or need to make partial payment, you may remit via check to the Theta Tau Central Office, or via the Theta Tau [Square Market here](#). (Please note that chapter dues go up \$5/member next fall.)

### GOVERNANCE UPDATE



As a result of the multistep amendment process at the 2016 National Convention, our revised [Constitution](#) is now available.

In addition, the [Policies & Procedures Manual](#) has been extensively updated to reflect amendments in our laws and changes in practice.



[Online Pledge Form](#)

[NCR Online Forms](#)

[RM Policies](#)

[Chapter Officer Calendar](#)

[New Member Education 2013 – Basic Model](#)

[New Member Education 2013 – Standard Model](#)

[New Member Education 2013 – Non Traditional Model](#)

The [Online Pledge Form](#) expedites the upload of prospective member information and is designed to fulfill compliance with Theta Tau laws. It must be **completed at the very start of pledging**. Please note that the information keyed by the user is uploaded to our CRM; therefore, do **not** use “pledge names” for nickname field.

[Membership Status Change](#) and [Co-op Report](#) were due **February 15** to ensure that each chapter's Fall Semiannual Dues Invoice is as accurate as possible. If you have not already done so, please submit the [Initiation Report](#) so that new members may receive badges/shingles in a timely manner.

***VELOCITAS OFFICERS NEWSLETTER***

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