



The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International

NYSO DKG Committee

The NYSO DKG Nominations Committee



*Pi State Nominations
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2017-2021:

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Christine Bennett, Omega-EC

Claudia Cerasani, Beta Gamma-WC

Julia Schrader, Alpha Lambda-NW

Dr. Valerie Lagakis, Alpha Phi-SE

2019-2023:

Dr. Anna Marie Bonafide, Alpha Nu-C

Mary Kay Hickey, Chair, Beta-NC

Barbara Keis, Phi-E

Carol Lamb, Beta Mu-N

Erin Merrill, Beta Chi-SC

About the Nominations Committee

The *NYSO DKG Nominations Committee* screens and reviews all candidate nominations/applications, including credentials and letters of support, and recommends a slate of NYSO DKG Officers to the NYSO DKG Executive Board for action at the NYSO DKG Convention. The Committee is also responsible to recommend nominees for Area Council representatives to the NYSO DKG Nominations and Finance Committees to the NYSO DKG Executive Board for action, based on rotation schedule.

In the fall of 2020 recommendations/nominations/applications for NYSO DKG Officers (*President, First Vice President, Second Vice President and Secretary*) for the new biennium of

2021-23 will be open. An “*Official Form for Recommendation for Officer*” will be distributed to each Chapter President. A slate of NYSO DKG Officers will be prepared from review of all recommendations/ nominations/applications and letters of support, candidate permission attained and summary biographies prepared for publication.

Nominations from Area Councils for the NYSO DKG Finance and Nominations Committees are reviewed each biennium and recommended to the NYSO DKG Executive Board for action. Finance and Nominations Committee members are nominated and elected by their Area Councils and serve a term of four years with five members to be elected each biennium.

The Nominations Committee informs members of the responsibilities of each position and the tasks that are needed to be performed by the job. It is the Committee’s responsibility to send articles about vacancies and candidate selection to the NYSO DKG Editor for advertising in *Pi Lights* and to members of NYSO DKG through communication with Chapter Presidents and posting on the NYSO DKG website.

Nominations/applications for NYSO DKG Officers as well as Nomination Forms for NYSO DKG Nominations and Finance Committees are available on the NYSO DKG website. For further information, please contact *Chair of the Nominations Committee* Mary Kay Hickey, mhickey5@juno.com.

Goals of the Nominations Committee

1. Advertise the biennial election of NYSO DKG Officers and Area Council representatives for the Finance and Nomination Committees to all NYSO DKG members, using *Pi Lights* and the NYSO DKG website as well as communications with Chapter Presidents
2. Promote the responsibilities of each position for all to understand the tasks needed to be performed by the job
3. Review all candidates’ credentials and letters of support for each NYSO DKG Officer position
4. Recommend a slate of NYSO DKG Officers to the Executive Board for action
5. Recommend nominees from Area Councils for election to Nominations and Finance Committees to NYSO DKG Executive Board
6. Provide summary biographies, including candidate photographs, for elected Officer positions for publication in *Pi Lights* and on the website