



Announcements:

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PI SIGMA ALPHA

Jeremy Erb

Ranking 3rd largest in the Association of College Honor Societies (ACHS), Pi Sigma Alpha has over 650 chapters spread across the United States. However, Pi Sigma Alpha came from humble beginnings, being first organized in 1920 at the University of Texas. Growth came slowly at first, and it wasn't until after World War II that it began to expand across the country. Two of its purposes are "to stimulate scholarship and intelligent interest in political science" and bring "together students and faculty interested in the study of government and politics."

Nationally, Pi Sigma Alpha is governed by an Executive Council, which meets annually to direct the society. Between annual meetings, a smaller Executive Committee meets as necessary to make society decisions. Every even-numbered year the chapter advisors attend a Business Meeting where they meet to elect new Executive Council members and to discuss issues concerning the society.

Here at BYU-Idaho, Pi Sigma Alpha is governed by an Executive Committee and has a three-tiered membership (Faculty, National, and Chapter members). The current officers are:

- President – Chance Hammock
- Vice-President (Events) – Jameson Hayes
- Vice-President (Publicity) – Bryon Welch
- Treasurer – Rachel Longcore
- Secretary – Adam Stout
- Chapter Advisor – Duane Adamson

HOW SOCIALIZATION HAS AFFECTED THE TEACHING STYLE OF TRENT ROSE

Adam Stout

The man among men, Trent Rose, was born and raised here in Idaho. His father was a teacher and his mother has recently started teaching. Brother Rose grew up in Idaho Falls, attending Skyline High School. There, he participated in baseball (shortstop), basketball (forward/guard), and football (quarterback). He attended the College of Southern Idaho (where he was on the basketball team), Utah State University. Following graduation, he served an LDS mission in Brazil. His graduate work was completed at Idaho State University.

Brother Rose and his wife, Leisle, have 3 children: Brooklyn, 4; Rylee, 1; and Bowen, 5 months. Brother Rose is endowed with wonderful mothering skills. It is estimated he has changed over 2,000 diapers. He also bakes.

He plans on teaching at BYU-Idaho for some time, despite rumors of a possible presidential run.



Welcome and Announcements.....Chance Hammock

Opening Prayer.....Adam Stout

Dinner.....

Introduction to Speaker.....Duane Adamson

Keynote Speaker.....Raymond V. Christensen

Induction of National Members.....Raymond V. Christensen

Final Thoughts.....Duane Adamson

Closing Prayer.....Jameson Hayes

