Gamma-Rho Improving the Chapter and Yourself



Our Vision

Gamma-Rho's vision is to provide our members with a great college experience; to ensure they are careerready; to start a lifetime of friendships; and help them have successful lives.

- We will be a valuesdriven organization.
- We will be innovative and not afraid to lead.
- We will adapt as it makes sense and will collaborate with our campus & community stakeholders.
- We will focus on creating a fun and healthy environment.
- We will provide a quality living-learning environment.
- We will recruit those focused on academics, campus & chapter involvement, career-readiness, diversity & inclusion, leadership development, service and respect for differences, as well as those with a competitive spirit.
- We will on-board our members successfully, ensure our members are career-ready, and help them develop a lifetime affinity to Gamma-Rho, Kappa Sigma and the University of Arizona.

First, Leave the Chapter as an Organization Better Off Than When You Joined It

Gamma-Rho wants to improve in all areas annually, but at a minimum with these:

- Campus partners relationship
- Chapter/Colony GPA
- Percentage of members with internships and fulltime jobs
- Ritual levels
- Scholarship funds available

- Service hours and dollars donated
- # of alumni and parents attending events
- # of alumni and parents volunteering
- # of members attending Kappa Sigma and UA programs

What have you done to improve Gamma-Rho this week, this month, this semester, or this year? Have you helped us recruit members that will keep improving Gamma-Rho?

Second, Leave the Chapter as a Better Person Than When You Joined It

Each of us had strengths and weaknesses when we joined the chapter/colony. With that in mind, each of us should have goals to improve ourselves each semester while in Kappa Sigma and as a student at UA. The campus and colony/chapter give you a safe place to practice the skills that will launch you into a successful life. Ask yourself these questions each year:

- What have you done to improve your grades?
- Have you developed your note taking, test taking and time management skills?
- Have you looked at the list of soft skills employer's desire and what are you doing to ensure you develop them?
- Have you joined campus organizations and sought out leadership?
- Have you stepped up as a colony/chapter officer or chair, and can you show measurables of how you improved the colony/chapter while in your position?
- Have you provided service and donated to charity each year?
- Have you learned how to effectively work with teams in your classes, campus organizations, and/or in the colony/chapter?
- Have you learned how to cook?
- Have you learned personal finance skills?
- Have you improved your health each semester?
- Have you developed your network?
- Have you learned the importance of accountability?
- Have you learned to respect people's differences?
- Have you learned to not feel sorry for yourself and not dwell on the past?
- Have you learned from mistakes and not continued to make the same mistakes?
- Have you learned to not give up...that persistence and passion are keys to success?
- Have you developed the passion to keep learning as it will benefit you throughout life?
- Have you improved your resume each semester?
- Do you know your 1-minute elevator speech?
- Have you secured an internship? A fulltime job?
- Have you developed lifetime friendships and are you committed to the chapter, Kappa Sigma and UA for life?



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