

# Alumni Newsletter

Georgia Institute of Technology



My name is Michael Chen and I am the Chapter President for the 2017 calendar year. We had an excellent end to our Spring semester with the initiation of 7 new



brothers and a successful Pig Jig. Additionally, our chapter is in a great position, with our finances looking stable, huge advances in GPA, and a better social presence on campus. We look to continue the growth and progress we've made in the past semester into the Fall.

Additionally, I look forward to seeing you all in the near future. We have our annual semi-formal event on October 20<sup>th</sup> and all alumni are invited. Feel free to stop by the house anytime and we hope to see you at tailgates in the future.

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# New Alumni

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**Diego Carvalho, KD 1137**—Diego Carvalho graduated with a degree in Nuclear and Radiological Engineering and is working for Southern Nuclear in Birmingham, AL.



**Ryan Fitzgerald, KD 1141**—Ryan Fitzgerald graduated with a degree in Industrial and Systems Engineering and is working in the Nielsen Emerging Leaders rotational program starting in Chicago, IL.



**Eric Stoker-Spirt, KD 1153**—Eric Stoker-Spirt graduated with a degree in Aerospace Engineering and is attending graduate school at Stanford University before working full time for NASA Goddard Space Flight Center.



**Thomas Lee, KD 1154**—Thomas Lee graduated with a degree in Computer Science and is working as a software engineer at Pegasystems in Alpharetta, GA.



**Tanmay Solanki, KD 1155**—Tanmay Solanki graduated with a degree in Computer Science and is working at KPMG as a Data and Analytics Software Engineer.



**Christian Hofstetter Jr., KD 1161**—Christian Hofstetter graduated with a degree in Mechanical Engineering. After winning Best Overall Project at the Senior Capstone Expo, he is working at the Dennis Group in Duluth, GA.

# New Alumni

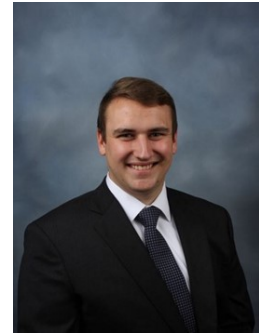
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**Christopher Jones, KD 1168—**Chris Jones graduated with a degree in Electrical Engineering and is working at General Motors in Detroit, MI.



**Rayan Heerjee, KD 1177—**Rayan Heerjee graduated with a degree in Industrial and Systems Engineering and worked at Ernst and Young in New York City, NY this past summer. He is now back at Georgia Tech for his Masters in Quantitative Computational Finance.



**Adam Jackson, KD 1181—**Adam Jackson graduated with a degree in Electrical Engineering and is working in ABB's Power and Automation Leaders rotational program starting in Raleigh, NC.

Congratulations to all of our new alumni for graduating Georgia Tech with highest honors (or better). Wish them luck in all their future plans!

## Greek Week

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A few months ago, Greek Week, a celebration of Greek Life at Georgia Tech with competitive events, finished up and our chapter performed well. We won 3rd place overall out of 32 competing men's fraternities. Additionally, Phi Sig won 1st place in Greek Sing, a mini-musical type event organized and performed by brother Jack Jehle. Thanks to all the brothers that helped make this week successful for us, especially Aaron Young, our Greek Week chair last semester. We are very proud of this accomplishment and hope to do even better this coming semester in Homecoming! Additionally, this 2018's Greek Week will be led by brother Joseph Stamm as overall Greek Week chair.

# New Brothers

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Our chapter is proud to announce the initiation of 7 new brothers from the Spring 2017 pledge class! From left to right in the top row: Dylan Fealtman, Matt Dalton, and Brian D'Agostino. Pictured from left to right in the bottom row: Zaeem Adamjee, George Jeliazkov, Dean Ghorbanian, and Robert Kuramshin. Please help us welcome these fine young men into our brotherhood!



# New Associates

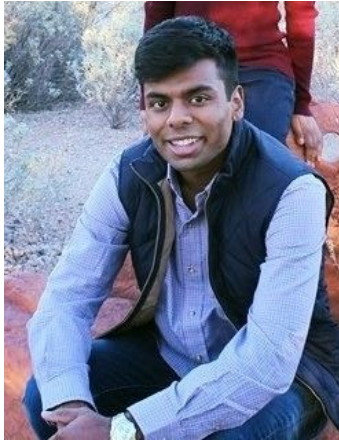
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Our chapter is proud to present our 21 new associates from Fall 2017 rush. From left to right, top to bottom: Jason Lieb, Gilberto Barcellos, Andrew Silverstein, Ryan Bogan, Andrej Sulek, Marco Carlomusto Orlando, Zachary Wiberg, Omar Abed, Nikhil Deo, Ethan Cain, Justin Wong, Arjun Khadse, Jae Hee Lee Lee, Alex Chapman, Thomas Kaplan, David Simiele, Evan Shellow, Marcello Costa, Zachary Zwick, Simon Fernandez, and Nicholas Trinh

# New Officers

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**Rohan Manathkar, KD 1194—**

Rohan Manathkar is a 3rd year Industrial Engineering major from Cary, NC. Rohan has served as our VP of Philanthropy and is currently serving as our VP of Scholarship. He is excited to work with the executive board to continue the success of Phi Sig.



**Richard Lee, KD 1187—**

Richard Lee is a 4th year MSE from Atlanta, GA. After coming back from his co-op at PinnacleART he hopes to work with the executive board to continue the chapter's improvement.

## Pig Jig

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On Sunday, April 23rd, we held Pig Jig, our annual charitable barbecue and alumni event. This year we partnered with the Alpha Xi Delta Sorority at Georgia Tech to co-host the event. Collectively we raised \$1600 for the Special Olympics and Autism Speaks!



# Summer Plans of Brothers

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This summer, many of our brothers engaged in activities outside of the fraternity. Take a look at all that they have done!

- Rohan Manathkar, Nate Webster, Christian Sewall, and Chris Dugan adventured in Europe this summer on study abroad! Rohan, Nate, and Christian were at Georgia Tech - Lorraine and Chris was on the German LBAT.
- Dan Charanis was in Ecuador and Peru this summer on the Spanish LBAT.
- Sean Fitzpatrick and Preben Are were interning in Germany this summer. Sean worked for BMW and Preben worked for Rational.
- Victor Heaulme interned this summer at Asteria Aerospace in Bengaluru, India.
- Joseph Stamm worked for Ecolab in the Chicago area.
- Patrick Wu and Kevin Kruelen worked at Eaton Corporation

## Pictures

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# Letter from the Editor

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Thank you for reading this edition of our newsletter. All of the brothers greatly appreciate your continued support and involvement with our chapter. If you would like to donate, please do so on the link below. All of the money donated will go towards the house maintenance fund, which ensures that our house is a great place to live and can continue to support our chapter for years to come. This semester we have made several large repairs, including to the HVAC system and to the lights around the house.

Donation link:

<https://www.legfi.com/app/fundraisers/407>

If you have any questions or concerns, please email me at [psk.kd.secretary@gmail.com](mailto:psk.kd.secretary@gmail.com) or our

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As always, we look forward to seeing you all at future events, and cannot wait for this upcoming year

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