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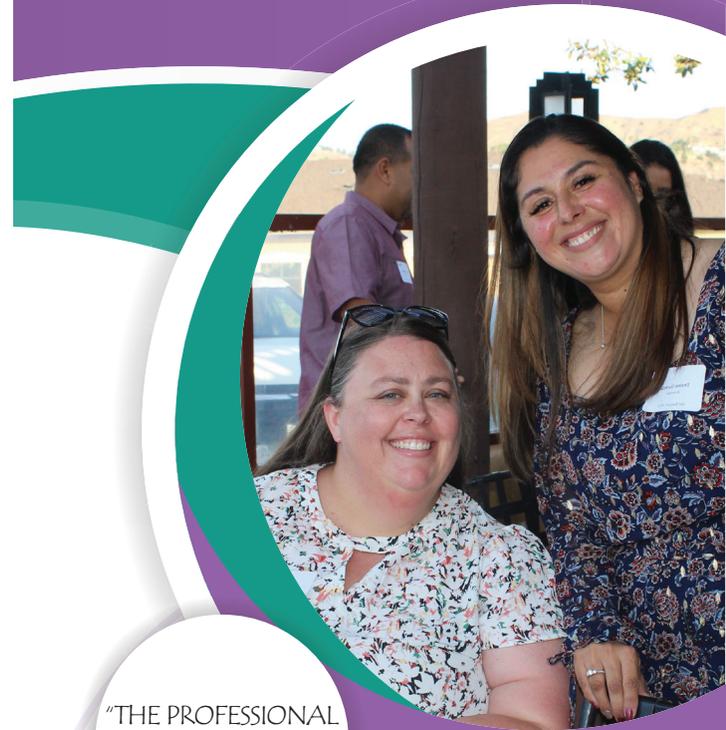
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Welcome



"THE PROFESSIONAL
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Women In Leisure Services



Women In Leisure Services Gamma Chapter



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WOMEN IN LEISURE SERVICES

Women in Leisure Services (WILS) is a national organization for professional women involved in the delivery of leisure and community services in public, private, and commercial settings. A network of chapters that serve administrators, supervisors, educators, therapists, and allied professionals in geographical areas across the nation.

A chapter provides an effective framework for women from a variety of professional, leisure and community service fields to share their ideas, broaden their interests, sharpen their skills, and to influence the profession in a unified manner.

The name Chi Kappa Rho was created from the Greek letters X, K, and P which stand for Character, Knowledge, and Recreation. The symbols for the Chi Kappa Rho seal are the scale for justice and service, the lamp for enlightenment and the wings for athletics.

Gamma Chapter Mission Statement

Women in Leisure Services – Gamma Chapter is an empowering, dynamic, and progressive organization which strives to provide resources for personal, academic, and professional growth through affordable and innovative trainings with enriching networking opportunities to our members and students pursuing community recreation and human service careers.



A Note

From the Gamma President

Dear Present and Future Gamma Members,

Whether you are a seasoned recreation professional looking to stay up to date with the latest trends, or a young professional looking to expand your network and learn from those who came before you, I hope you can find your experience with the Gamma Chapter worthwhile. I believe each of us brings something unique to this organization, and each of us can learn from the rich history of Gamma and Women in Leisure Services as a whole.

The Gamma Chapter is proud to continue to offer learning and networking opportunities to its Active and Life members, and I encourage you to take advantage of these opportunities. The 2021-2022 Gamma Board and I welcome your feedback and are just a phone call or email away. I look forward to serving you.

Sincerely,

Marianna Peña
2021-2022 Gamma President

About Gamma

BENEFITS

- Networking & mentoring
- Online resource center
- Professional workshops
- Educational & social meetings
- National affiliation
- National & Chapter newsletter
- National membership directory
- Award recognition program

MEMBERSHIP

Active Membership is \$45 for the first year and \$35 each year thereafter. Associate Membership is \$30 and Friend of Gamma Membership is \$25. For additional membership information, visit wils-gamma.com/join.

2021/2022 EVENTS

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| Annual Business Meeting
Thursday, October 21 | National Luncheon
Spring 2022 |
| Fall Food for Thought
Thursday, November 18 | Virtual Women's Mini Conference
April 25-29 |
| Winter Social
Thursday, January 13 | Awards & Installation Banquet
Thursday, August 11 |
| Networking Night
Thursday, February 24 | |

"Grow through what you go through."
- Unknown



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PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Scholarship & Grant Programs

Scholarships are offered annually to undergraduate and graduate students to assist in the development of women in the field of recreation and leisure services.

Additionally, the Professional Grant Development Program provides grants to fund membership dues, and to assist members in attending educational trainings and networking opportunities throughout the year.

For more information about WILS or how to become a member, visit the Gamma website at

wils-gamma.com or contact:

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