

Kappa Alpha Order awards Thad Doyle with Accolade for Interfraternal Service at the Sesquicentennial Celebration and 76th Convention

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Thad Doyle was awarded the Accolade for Interfraternal Service from Kappa Alpha Order national fraternity during its 76th Biennial Convention on Thursday, July 30th, 2015, in Roanoke, Virginia. This award recognizes individuals who have demonstrated outstanding service to the Greek or fraternity community.

Thad is a 1997 initiate and founding father of the Zeta Lambda Chapter at Bowling Green State University in Bowling Green, Ohio, and he has served as a member of the Alumnus Advisory Committee for a total of seven years.

Thad currently resides in Akron, Ohio, where he recently completed his tenth year, now serving as the Senior Associate Director for Student Life at the University of Akron. Throughout his 16 plus years working in Higher Education and Student Affairs, he has been active with Kappa Alpha Order, the Association of Fraternity and Sorority Advisors, and in a variety of other fraternal organizations.

For Kappa Alpha Order, he served as a facilitator at the Number I's Leadership Institute and was recently inducted into the Frampton Province Court of Honor. Within the Association of Fraternity and Sorority Advisors, he has filled a variety of volunteer roles, including six years on the Board of Directors; culminating as the 2014 AFA President. Thad has also been a volunteer for the Association of Fraternal Leadership and Values (AFLV). He has received the *Jack L. Anson Award for Interfraternity Excellence* from Phi Kappa Tau and the *Larry D. Philippi Award of Distinction* from Alpha Sigma Phi.

Thad has a bachelor's degree in secondary education-social studies from Bowling Green State University and a master's degree in adult learning and development from Cleveland State University.

Kappa Alpha Order and its first chapter were founded 150 years ago upon the chivalric principles of gentlemanly conduct, with excellence as its aim, at what is now Washington & Lee University in Lexington, Virginia. Those values remain the focus of the Order today. Kappa Alpha Order has grown to 129 chapters in 27 states. Currently, there are near 7,800 undergraduate members, over 130,000 living initiated members, and well over 160,000 initiates in its history. More information about Kappa Alpha Order, and the Sesquicentennial, is available online, at www.KappaAlphaOrder.org.