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Alpha Gamma Delta Announces New Executive Director

[INDIANAPOLIS, December 3, 2018]—Following an extensive search, Alpha Gamma Delta International Fraternity is pleased to announce the hiring of Katie Jolley Abernathy, Delta Theta–University of Idaho, as the organization's new Executive Director.

Katie brings a wealth of strategic operations and management experience to the Fraternity—including her most recent position of Vice President Strategy & Operations for CSpring in Indianapolis—as well as 11 years in business consulting and marketing.

Additionally, Katie began her professional career as a traveling Leadership Consultant for the Fraternity and was the organization's Director of Communications for four years. Katie also served as President of the Alpha Gamma Delta Fraternity Housing Corporation from 2011–2018 and is a wearer of the Crescent of Epsilon Pi.

Katie holds two Bachelor of Science degrees from the University of Idaho and a Master of Business Administration from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

"Katie is a dynamic leader with impressive business acumen, as well as passion and positivity," said Lee Woodham Langub, International President. "Her significant experience working with nonprofit organizations in the areas of strategy, growth and change management coupled with her depth of Fraternity, higher education and volunteer experience make her the right person for the role in this moment in our Fraternity's history."

Katie will begin her role January 2, 2019.

Lee also recognized Lindsay Jarman, Gamma Zeta–University of Memphis, for her service as Interim Executive Director.

"Lindsay's leadership and vision continue to make a lasting impact on our members and organization, and it has been an absolute joy to work with her in this role," she said. "We are fortunate to have her continue her role as Managing Director for the Fraternity."

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About Alpha Gamma Delta

Alpha Gamma Delta is an international women's fraternity that promotes academic excellence, philanthropic giving, ongoing leadership, personal development and—above all—a spirit of loving sisterhood. Guided by our Purpose, members of Alpha Gamma Delta strive to improve their lives, the lives of those around them and the communities in which they live. Together, we continually work to: *Inspire the Woman. Impact the World.* Learn more at <u>alphagammadelta.org</u>.