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To my Brothers of the Great State of Texas,

Please let this serve as the official convention call and it is my honor to invite you to join me for the 55th Annual Conference of the Texas Council of Alpha Chapters in Arlington, TX. Our annual conference is an exciting time for Brothers to learn the business of Alpha, develop and enhance your leadership skills, while recognizing our achievements amongst Brothers and Chapters of the State of Texas.



The theme for this year's conference is *Taking Action Today to Change Tomorrow*. By coming together as a community in Brotherhood, we will elicit the power to make change geared towards fighting injustice and bigotry that we often face today. Come prepared with an open mind to discuss creative ideas and action steps.

The host chapters of *Area II (Beta Tau Lambda, Nu Pi Lambda and Eta Psi)* have prepared an excellent convention and promises the Brothers of Alpha and their guests a great experience, full of excitement, fun, and entertainment. The conference will be held February 14-17, 2019 at the Sheraton Arlington Hotel, 1500 Convention Center Drive, Arlington, TX 76011. The hotel conference rate is \$129.00 (plus applicable taxes) and is available for booking by calling (817) 261-8200. Please make sure you identify that you are with the Texas Council of Alpha Chapters (TCAC) Conference. The cut-off date to guarantee guestroom rate and availability is January 31, 2019. Hotel check-in time is after 3:00 p.m. on the day of arrival. Checkout time is before 12:00 p.m. on the day of departure.

The early registration option will ONLY be available September 1, 2018 thru September 30, 2018. Regular registration has been extended from October 1, 2018 thru January 31, 2019, late registration will follow afterwards. Registration will be done online through the AlphaNet, which is strongly recommended. Online registration will close on February 8th. Due to the Hotel's F&B attendance requirement, I'm encouraging all brothers to register prior to February 8th, onsite registration may not be offered. Within TCAC tradition, Senior Brothers will have a flat rate throughout the various registration periods. Special mail out packets are available for any Senior Brothers upon request, send an email to tcacregistration@gmail.com. As a first, we are including a ticket for the Life Members' Breakfast to the first 25 Life Members to register.

Fraternally Submitted,

Lewis Brewer

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