



2016 Convention Symposium

Loyal Beta Alumni. Caring Friends of Beta.

Developing Friendships through Lifelong Learning, Exploration and Engagement

Thursday, August 4, 2016			Topics	Presenters	Location
9:00 a.m.	12:00 a.m.	Convention Registration			LV2 Prefunction Center
3:00 p.m.	4:00 p.m.	Orientation	Convention overview	Matt Brawner	16 Meeting Room
4:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.	Education Session #1	Leadership in State Government Reform	Randy McDaniel, <i>Oklahoma '90</i> and Brad Kiesling, <i>Westminster '01</i>	16 Meeting Room
6:00 p.m.	8:30 p.m.	Welcoming Banquet	Individual awards	Lloyd Kirk and various presenters	A/B/C Ballroom
8:30 p.m.	9:30 p.m.	Symposium Reception	The Singing Fraternity	The Beta Four	16 Meeting Room

Friday, August 5, 2016			Topics	Presenters	Location
9:00 a.m.	12:00 p.m.	Symposium Excursion	Oklahoma City National Memorial and Museum	n/a	OKC National Memorial and Museum
12:30 p.m.	2:00 p.m.	Awards Luncheon	Chapter awards	Beta's chapter presidents	A/B/C Ballroom
2:30 p.m.	10:00 p.m.	Symposium Excursion(s)	Oklahoma Chapter House Tour, OKC Dodgers Baseball Game	n/a	Norman, OK
5:30 p.m.	8:30 p.m.	JRK Club Reception & Dinner (invite only)	Recognizing \$1,500+ donors	Foundation Board and staff	Petroleum Club
10:30 p.m.	11:00 p.m.	Loving Cup Ceremony	Celebration	All Betas	14 Meeting Room

Saturday, August 6, 2016			Topics	Presenters	Location
9:15 a.m.	12:00 p.m.	Spouses & Guests Excursion	Oklahoma City Botanical Gardens	n/a	OKC Botanical Gardens
10:00 a.m.	12:00 p.m.	Model Initiation & Education	The Beta Ritual	All Betas	A/B/C Ballroom
12:00 p.m.	1:30 p.m.	Lunch	n/a	n/a	
12:15 p.m.	1:30 p.m.	Advisory Council Luncheon	n/a	n/a	14 Meeting Room
1:30 p.m.	3:00 p.m.	Education Session #2	Bill Lowry: The Kenyon Affair	Bill Lowry and Wayne Kay	A/B/C Ballroom
7:00 p.m.	7:30 p.m.	Beta Marching Line	The Singing Fraternity	All Betas	
7:30 p.m.	10:00 p.m.	Celebration Banquet (Chapter Reunions*)	Celebration of Beta's successes and Knox & Sisson Awards	DeLoss Dodds and various presenters	A/B/C Ballroom
10:00 p.m.	11:30 p.m.	"Here's the Scoop" Dessert Reception	Fellowship and brotherhood	Foundation board and staff	D/E Ballroom

Sessions in **Bold Text** are specific to the Convention Symposium track.

Convention Symposium Lineup	Status
Sen. Richard Lugar, <i>Denison '54</i> - Spokesman for the Men of Principle initiative	Confirmed
Bill Lowry, <i>Kenyon '56</i> - First African American member of Beta Theta Pi	Confirmed
Randy McDaniel, <i>Oklahoma '90</i> - Oklahoma State Representative	Confirmed
DeLoss Dodds, <i>Kansas State '59</i> - Oxford Cup honoree	Confirmed
Lloyd Kirk, <i>Kansas '55</i> - Shepardson Award honoree	Confirmed
Wayne Kay, <i>Virginia Tech '73</i> - Beta Theta Pi Foundation Board Chairman	Confirmed
Brad Kiesling, <i>Westminster '01</i> - General Fraternity Vice President	Confirmed
The Beta Four	Confirmed
Matt Brawner, <i>Truman State '07</i> - Beta Theta Pi's Director of Advancement	Confirmed

NOTE: The spouses and guests' suite will be available Thursday-Saturday from 8:00 a.m. - 11:59 p.m.