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About Phi Alpha Theta

Founded in 1921, Phi Alpha Theta is the international history honor society. We are a professional society whose mission is to promote the study of history through the encouragement of research, good teaching, publication, and the exchange of learning and ideas among historians. We seek to bring students, teachers, and writers of history together for intellectual and social exchanges, which promote and assist historical research and publication by our members in a variety of ways.

UNLV’s Chapter, Psi Sigma, is dedicated to scholarship, service, and building an active and engaged academic community. This Spring, Psi Sigma officers and members gathered for the biannual Path to Publication Workshop, with the goal of educating undergraduates and graduates regarding publication of journal articles and construction of impressive academic curriculum vitae. Psi Sigma service involves diverse activity in the department, university and off-campus community. Psi Sigma’s biannual Book Sale financed the donation of several significant historical texts to UNLV’s Lied Library. Also, to serve Clark County’s future historians of middle and high school age, Psi Sigma members volunteered as judges for the annual National History Day (NHD) competition. Finally, Psi Sigma’s socials typically include picnics and game nights held at semester’s end.

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