

GAMMA PHI BETA ANNOUNCES CLOSURE OF ETA MU CHAPTER (DUKE)

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Centennial, Colorado — With sorrow, International Council (IC) announces the closure of Eta Mu Chapter of Gamma Phi Beta at Duke University, effective May 1, 2022.

“Deciding to close a collegiate chapter is one of IC’s most serious responsibilities and one that is never easy,” International President Autumn Hansen says in response to Council’s decision to revoke Eta Mu Chapter’s charter. “Though installed only eight years ago, Eta Mu Chapter has made a distinct name for itself within our sisterhood.”

Autumn adds, “So many spirited volunteers and staff supported Eta Mu Chapter over the years, investing their time and energy to help the chapter and its members succeed. To each of you, I am beyond grateful for your unwavering support. Unfortunately, the current environment at Duke did not allow Gamma Phi Beta to shine; therefore, it is with a heavy heart that I say closing Eta Mu Chapter is in the best interest of the Sorority at this time.”

ABOUT

Gamma Phi Beta was founded on November 11, 1874, at Syracuse University by four bold and courageous women. The Sorority’s mission is to build confident women of character who celebrate sisterhood and make a difference in the world around us. Headquartered in Centennial, Colorado, the Sorority has chartered 189 collegiate chapters across the United States and Canada and has more than 242,000 collegiate and alumnae members worldwide.

