Guide to the University of Chicago Phi Eta Records 1915-1917

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Descriptive Summary

Identifier  ICU.SPCL.PHIETA

Title  University of Chicago. Phi Eta. Records

Date  1915-1917

Size  .25 linear ft. (1 box)

Repository  Special Collections Research Center
          University of Chicago Library
          1100 East 57th Street
          Chicago, Illinois 60637 U.S.A.

Abstract  The Phi Eta Records consist of the fraternity's record book, which includes
the constitution, bylaws, and rituals of the group. The collection also includes
correspondence, membership lists, and membership

Information on Use

Access  No restrictions.

Citation  When quoting material from this collection, the preferred citation is: University of Chicago.
Phi Eta. Records, [Box #, Folder #], Special Collections Research Center, University of Chicago
Library

Historical Note

The delta chapter of the national fraternity Phi Eta was established May 28, 1915 at the
University of Chicago, as the successor to the Psi Xi fraternity. Graduate students with high
academic standing were eligible for membership in the fraternity. Phi Eta suspended activities in
November of 1917, in response to the United States entry into World War I.

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bylaws, and rituals of the group. The collection also includes correspondence, membership lists,
and membership cards.

Related Resources

The following related resources are located in the Department of Special Collections:
Subject Headings

- Phi Eta. Delta Chapter (University of Chicago)
- University of Chicago -- Students
- University of Chicago -- Societies, etc.
- Greek letter societies

INVENTORY

Box 1
Folder 1
  Record book, 1916-1917
Box 1
Folder 2
  Correspondence, membership list and membership cards, 1916-1917