



# AN IOTA'S WORTH

*A Powerhouse of Excellence*

IOTA Chapter  
Established 1920

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## IOTA ADVISORS' UPDATE

We are looking forward to fall quarter at DU and Iota Chapter. Jack Moser, our chapter's president, and his leadership are putting together plans for robust and diverse programming. It all starts with a successful recruitment period. This year's recruitment will be taking place in early October. This will allow the chapters and as well as prospective brothers to get to know each other better and find the right fit for all concerned. Hoping to add around 30 new brothers making us a nearly 90 man chapter.

For the tenth time IOTA has won The Omega Cup for best publications. Our thanks to Don Reisfeld for his continuing efforts in this regard. IOTA was runner up for best alumni programming. The chapter ranked in the top ten in the Standards of Excellence program.

The chapter house is looking great. New carpeting, all walls have been repainted, we will have new furniture in both the living room and basement along with other improvements and lots of deep cleaning.

We are looking forward to fall quarter's alumni events: A DU hockey game, Monthly Luncheons hosted by Jay Reano, Alumni v. Undergraduates touch football game, Poker Night and much more. We will be looking for alumni to serve as alumni big brothers for our senior brothers to help prepare them for life beyond college.

Our thanks go out to our advisors and house corporation directors for their continue involvement and mentorship.

Hoping that IOTA will once again be **A Powerhouse of Excellence** at DU and with all of the Zeta Beta Tau Fraternity.

C, F & S,

Steve Ehrlich, Gary Berz, Kyle Leigh, Alec Hurst, Ryan Martin, Scott Adams, Ben Brentin and Adam Segall; Faculty Advisor: Greg Grauberger

House Corporation Directors: Steve Ehrlich, Gary Berz, Matt Meyer, Kyle Leigh and Chris Fettig

# IOTA Chapter Recognized at ZBT International Convention August 10-12 in New York City.



**2023 Omega Cup for Outstanding Publications and Communication**



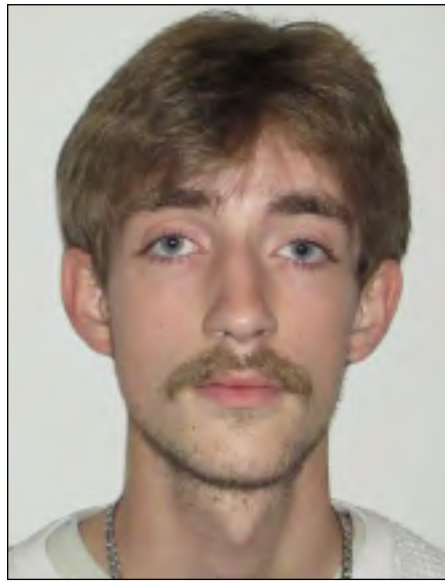
Jack Moser, IOTA Chapter President with awards.

**IOTA 2023 Runner Up Awards  
Best Alumni Programming  
Standards of Excellence Program | TOP TEN**

## ZBT Foundation Scholarship Recipients Congratulations Tyler Hums & Kasey Damon



Tyler Hums received \$5000



Kasey Damon received \$2500

**Rushing ZBT is as easy as 1, 2, 3!**

WANT TO RUSH ZBT?

- 1 Follow us on social media @zbt\_du
- 2 Use the link in our bio to register for rush
- 3 Send a text to our recruitment chairs  
Tyler: 617-301-2827  
Mack: 540-326-6621

### Rush season is just around the corner.

If you or a someone you know is interested in rushing the powerhouse of excellence known as Zeta Beta Tau's IOTA chapter, just follow these 3 easy steps!

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ZETA BETA TAU FRATERNITY

**Here's to Our Fraternity**  
*Help it live forever, Brother!*

**REFER A FUTURE ZBT**

As we head into the new academic year, we ask for brothers and friends of ZBT to share names of students they recommend to join the Fraternity. New brothers often are connected with their chapters by alumni, undergraduate brothers from other campuses, parents and friends. These potential ZBTs can be anyone you know: friend, neighbor, family, any young man of good character.

## **Albert S. Belsky, IOTA University of Denver 1972 and Victoria M. Belsky Scholarship Fund**

Albert S. Belsky, (nicknamed Boomer by fellow ZBT brothers at an inter fraternity football game), was born March 22, 1950 in New York City. He is the son of Sylvia and Irving Belsky, who were owner/operators of The Fashion Luncheonette in NYC's Garment District.



Al's adventures of growing up with his Valley Stream South High School buddies were typical of the movies one has watched. He loved sports and even scored the winning basket against Julius Irving in a JV high school basketball game. Al grew up working at the Fashion Luncheonette in every possible role.

While attending the University of Denver between 1968-72, Al majored in Hotel, Restaurant and Tourism Management. He worked various jobs refereeing and waiting tables for pocket money so he could take his future bride-to-be, Victoria (Tory) out for date night.

He loved Phi Sigma Delta (later ZBT) and all its life-long lasting friendships and, too numerous to mention, sports and brotherhood adventures relived time after time with the brothers.

Upon graduation, Al and Tory went back to NYC to work at his family's luncheonette. He and Tory both missed Denver and the couple returned two years later to start making their mark in the Denver nightclub and restaurant scene. They worked odd jobs saving their money to buy their first business: The Pub, a "3.2" nightclub in Aurora that they owned and operated from 1975 until 1982. Next was Bogarts Nightclub (1977-1993), nationally acclaimed for being the "Top Meat Market" in the country, Billboard Magazine's Disco DJ of the Year and CBS's Real People's "Fastest Bartender in the West".

In 1989, Al and Tory opened the New York Deli News, which Al considers his legacy. All the ingredients and foods were either trucked in directly from NYC or made from his family's recipes. Open every day of the year, both loved the work and the customers. They sold The Deli in 2017, but have remained friends with many of the customers.

Victoria Metcalf Belsky was born and raised in San Marino, California. Tory was educated at Westridge School for Girls from 5th grade until 12th grade where she was President of the Ski Club and a member of the Varsity Tennis Team. Skiing brought Tory to the University of Denver in 1970 - and later to Al. A member of Gamma Phi Beta, Tory met "Boomer" on a blind date. They went to the Tiffin Inn, which was the coffee shop/restaurant of choice by the ZBT brothers.

They were married in Pasadena, California in July of 1972 and just recently celebrated 50 years of marriage. Tory worked odd jobs, as well, in NYC to help save money to buy their first business. Tory worked tirelessly with the Junior League of Denver on various projects. Her favorite project was building a playground for terminally ill children on top of University Hospital. She formed and was President of the Business Association on Hampden Avenue during their ownership of The New York Deli News.

Boomer and Tory now enjoy playing golf and traveling the world together. They reside in Scottsdale in the Winter and Vail and Denver in the Summer.

### **Unique ways to support the Zeta Beta Tau Foundation**

- Gifts of appreciated securities, stocks, and mutual funds
- Beneficiary designation for life insurance policies and retirement plans
- Donor advised funds, charitable remainder gift annuities, or remainder unitrusts
- IRA qualified charitable distribution (QCD) and required minimum distribution (RMD)

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**Thank you for your interest in supporting Brotherhood for a Lifetime.**

## Martin J. Waldbaum, IOTA University of Denver 1974 Steinberg City of Light Trust Fund

Martin J. Waldbaum Class of 1974 Steinberg City of Light Trust accepted on Martin's behalf by Gregg Witt, '77 at IOTA's Centennial Celebration Reunion.



Martin J. Waldbaum



## ZBT Luncheon



Left to right: Steve Blank '75, Marty 'Wally' Waldbaum '74, Michael 'Kappy' Kaplan '74, Ken Friednash '78, Jay Reano '76, Steve Ehrlich '70 and David 'Hupt' Hauptman '73

## Bruce Saiber Memorial Iota Chapter Education Fund



Donation's to support Iota Chapter and our undergraduate brothers at the University of Denver can be made to Zeta Beta Tau Foundation's Bruce Saiber Memorial Iota Chapter Education Fund visit:

<http://www.zbtfoundation.org/donate>

Gifts may also be made by check made and payable to the Zeta Beta Tau Foundation (Note: Saiber Memorial/Iota Chapter Fund) and mailed to Zeta Beta Tau Foundation, Gift Processing Office, PO Box 2187, Columbus, GA 31902.

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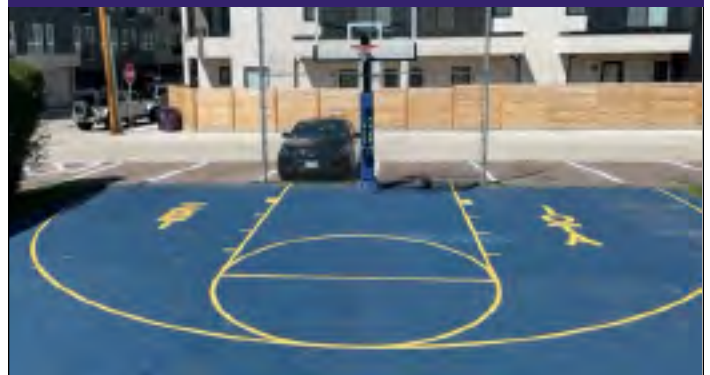
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Faron A. Lewitt,  
Executive Director  
Tel: 317-506-7066



# New Living Room Furniture for the Chapter House



**Parking Spots and Stripping**



## A Message from IOTA's President



As the on-going President of ZBT IOTA Chapter, I have much to look forward to with regards to this upcoming school year. I have been serving my term since February of 2023 and will continue until February of 2024. With that being said, the fall or the beginning of the school year is the most crucial time

when it comes to recruitment intake, and making a strong, having lots of diverse programming for our brothers, having positive impact on the rest of the University of Denver community and living up to ZBT's Credo and policies as well as DU's.

Now going into my third year, I realize how important it is for us to do a better job in the areas of risk management, community service, philanthropic, and overall brotherhood programming. In doing so we can prove to us, Greek Life, and the overall school community that we can do good, then I know I have played my part well. We look forward to once again being a contender for the Brummer Cup in the year to come.

C, F & S,  
Jack Moser, IOTA Chapter President

## Dean's List Spring 2023

- |                 |                  |
|-----------------|------------------|
| Brock Barrett   | Branden Krumholz |
| Aiden Belt      | Daniel Lane      |
| Owen Claymon    | Alex Murphy      |
| Liam Fitzgerald | MacKenzie Pattee |
| Tyler Girouard  | Joshua Poresky   |
| Ethan Greene    | Jake Ruben       |
| Ethan Henschel  | Peyton Weeter    |
| Jonah Henschel  | Charles Weltchek |
| Jake Kalina     | Sam Younger      |
| Michael Kintzer |                  |

## 2023-2024 Executive Board

- President: . . . . . Jack Moser
- Operations Director: . . . . . Sam Girgis
- Financial Director: . . . . . Cole Hill
- Programming Director: . . . . . Tyler Hums
- Communications Director: . . . . . Owen Claymon
- Recruitment Directors: . . . . . Mack Pattee and Tyler Girourd
- Brotherhood Director: . . . . . Milo Waltenbaugh
- Risk Prevention: . . . . . Braden Meese and Wellness Directors
- Standard Director: . . . . . Ethan Henschel

## ZBT Chairmen

- Academics: . . . . . Gavin Gould
- Alumni & Parent Relations: . . . . . Henry Doerge & Jackson Karlitz
- Apparel: . . . . . Watt St. John
- Athletics: . . . . . Christian Coffey
- Brotherhood Overwatch: . . . . . Milo Waltenbaugh
- Campus Cordinator: . . . . . Tyler Hums
- Community Service: . . . . . Thomas Mooney
- Diversity Inclusion: . . . . . Nihal Padhy
- Formal: . . . . . Danny Lane
- Heritage: . . . . . Ethan Greene
- House Manager: . . . . . Darragh Lawless
- House, Health & Wellness: . . . . . Milo Waltenbaugh
- Philanthropy/B Positive: . . . . . Michael Kinzer
- Provost: . . . . . Patrick Eustace & Ethan Henschel
- Public Relations/Photographer: . . . . . Max Wilkins
- Rituals: . . . . . Aidan Vaughey
- Sexual Assault Prevention: . . . . . Britt Wasson
- Social: . . . . . Mac Dorcey & Xander Verity
- Steward: . . . . . Braden Meese
- Traditions: . . . . . E-BOARD
- ZBT Presents: . . . . . Aidan Vaughey
- ZBT Tahiti: . . . . . Aidan Vaughey
- MQB: . . . . . Ruffin Henry
- Seniors: . . . . . Danny Lane
- Juniors: . . . . . Liam Fitzgerald
- Sophmores: . . . . . Kiran Powers & Nihal Padhy
- Freshmen: . . . . . Brock Barrett

## UPCOMING ALUMNI EVENTS

- Alumni Poker Night | Oct 26**
- DU Hockey Game vs CC | Nov 3**
- Alumni Football Game | Nov 5**

## Chapter Advisors Wanted

We are looking for a few more alumni to serve as chapter advisors. If interested, please contact Steve via email: [ehrllich14@aol.com](mailto:ehrllich14@aol.com).

## ZBT IOTA Website | Follow Us on Facebook

The ZBT IOTA website is the product of a lot of hard work from very dedicated individuals. Through the help of a website developer, we were able to create something that we truly felt captured our chapter and who we are. Our new website features a variety of comprehensive tabs, each revealing something different regarding our brotherhood, along with a blog to keep followers in the loop with all things Iota. I encourage you to check it out for updates, current news and photos.

### You'll Love Us on

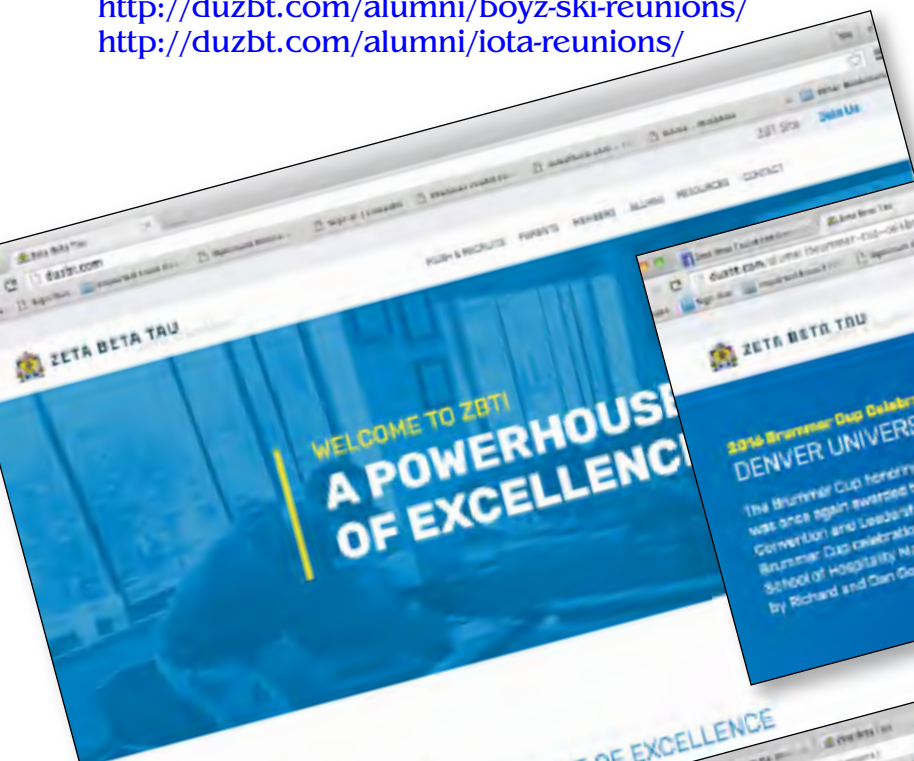
<http://www.duzbt.com/>

**View composite photos dating back to the '40s, Yesteryear pictures from the '60s and '70s, 2016 & 2018 Brummer Cup Celebrations at DU, and Iota Reunions including our Centennial Celebration!**

- <http://duzbt.com/alumni/composites/>
- <http://duzbt.com/alumni/yesteryear60s/>
- <http://duzbt.com/alumni/yesteryear70s/>
- <http://duzbt.com/alumni/brummer-cup-celebration/>
- <http://duzbt.com/alumni/boyz-ski-reunions/>
- <http://duzbt.com/alumni/iota-reunions/>

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Visit Iota Chapter at  
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**HELP US FIND OUR LOST ALUMNI | WE NEED THEIR EMAILS**

We are working closely with the University of Denver to update our alumni list.

**We are in need of e-mail addresses for the following alumni, see below.**

If you have any of these please send them to Steve Ehrlich at: [ehrllich14@aol.com](mailto:ehrllich14@aol.com)

To update your records with DU click on the DU logo or web link below:

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to do likewise for ZBT please click on the web link below:

<http://www.zbt.org/alumni/update-your-contact-information.html>

**If you are not receiving communications from ZBT and Iota Chapter it is because we do not have your correct e-mail address, please update your records so we can stay in touch.**



UNIVERSITY of  
DENVER

<u>Lost Brother</u>	<u>Year Graduated</u>	<u>Lost Brother</u>	<u>Year Graduated</u>
Harry Allen	5/31/1946	Barry Schulman	5/31/1958
Maurice Fladerman	5/31/1947	Jerome Rothstein	5/31/1958
Sanford Gelman	5/31/1948	Paul Shapiro	5/31/1959
Ivan Goldstein	5/31/1948	Richard Rosenberg	5/31/1960
Herschel Katchen	5/31/1948	Frank Gold	5/31/1960
Allan Alterman	5/31/1948	Richard Weiner	5/31/1962
Arthur Schwartz	5/31/1948	Stanley Miller	5/31/1962
Leon Kerry	5/31/1948	David Koshar	5/31/1962
Harold Rosen	5/31/1949	Alan Witheiler	5/31/1962
Gerald Feldhamer	5/31/1951	Robert Hochstadt	5/31/1962
Donald Goodfried	5/31/1951	Frederick Ginsberg	5/31/1962
Norton Robitaille	5/31/1951	Stanley Kippur	5/31/1963
Marvin Richman	5/31/1951	Norman Porges	5/31/1964
Fred Sorkin	5/31/1952	Aaron Liebowitz	5/31/1964
Irwin Ginsborg	5/31/1952	Leonard Berry	5/31/1964
Alan Eber	5/31/1952	Marshall Tobin	5/31/1964
Milton Cohen	5/31/1952	Charles Brunengraber	5/31/1964
Max Goldstein	5/31/1953	David Pesner	5/31/1964
Victor Romer	5/31/1954	Barry Emeson	5/31/1964
Claude Coppel	5/31/1954	Richard Glass	5/31/1964
Melvin Eskanos	5/31/1954	Dennis Steinberg	5/31/1964
Solomon Hailpern	5/31/1954	Stuart Heller	5/31/1965
Herbert Maslin	5/31/1954	Mark Cohn	5/31/1965
Edward Zall	5/31/1956	Steven Stern	5/31/1965
David Hailpern	5/31/1956	Morton Hoffman	5/31/1966
Neil Karkus	5/31/1956	Michael Brooks	5/31/1966
Morton Gart	5/31/1956	Robert Shipman	5/31/1966
Lawrence Tepper	5/31/1956	Ronald Fried	5/31/1966
William Shefrin	5/31/1956	Peter Davis	5/31/1966
Reuben Caplan	5/31/1956	Kenneth Asch	5/31/1966
Dave Cohen	5/31/1956	Norman Fried	5/31/1967
Allan Axler	5/31/1957	David Gotfred	5/31/1967
Chuck Cooper	5/31/1957	Arnie Newman	5/31/1967
Martin Hornstein	5/31/1958	Dave Straus	5/31/1968
Harvey Steinberg	5/31/1958	Michael Resnick	5/31/1968
Jerry Luper	5/31/1958	Stuart Hertzberg	5/31/1968

**Lost Brother****Year Graduated**

Lawrence	Gore	5/31/1968
Mark	Muskat	5/31/1968
Stephen	Smith	5/31/1968
Frank	Londy	5/31/1968
Neil	Finkelstein	5/31/1968
Barry	Zamelsky	5/31/1969
Robert	Soffer	5/31/1969
Elliot	Blumenthal	5/31/1969
William	Furth	5/31/1969
Kenneth	Olsen	5/31/1969
Andrew	Hoffman	5/31/1969
Fred	Jacobson	5/31/1969
Thomas	Gerber	5/31/1969
Marc	Sherman	5/31/1969
Michael	Soloway	5/31/1969
Peter	Stone	5/31/1969
Brian	Adams	5/31/1969
Jeff	Sherer	5/31/1970
Mark	Anderson	5/31/1971
Randy	Gerber	5/31/1972
Loryn	Abrams	5/31/1973
Thomas	Nathan	5/31/1974
Jeffrey	Peterson	5/31/1975
Richard	Page	5/31/1977
Simon	Rosen	5/31/1979
Mark	Freedman	5/31/1979
Joseph	Odachonski	5/31/1980
Bradley	Otto	5/31/1980
Gerald	Thomas	5/31/1980
Todd	Jurgens	5/31/1981
Hudson	Kekaula	5/31/1981
John	Griggs	5/31/1981
Scott	Acker	5/31/1981
Terry	McCormick	5/31/1981
Donald	Gerstein	5/31/1981
John	Heiss	5/31/1981
Robert	Woo	5/31/1981
Steven	Spielman	5/31/1981
Mark	Peller	5/31/1982
James	Zitsman	5/31/1982
Jeff	Derade	5/31/1982
Jeffrey	Perrye	5/31/1983
John	Archer	5/31/1984
Michael	Stein	5/31/1984
Thomas	Geher	5/31/1984
Michel	Hoffstein	5/31/1984
Terrance	Kirkpatrick	5/31/1984
David	Kreiman	5/31/1984
Gregg	Nathan	5/31/1985
Steven	Wells	5/31/1985
Michael	Shannon	5/31/1985
Granton	Bartz	5/31/1990
Roy	Tampubolon	5/31/1991
Lawrence	Traub	5/31/1991
Lance	Reich	5/31/1992

**Lost Brother****Year Graduated**

Shane	Delevan	5/31/1992
Richard	Cowden	5/31/1992
John	Pasqual	5/31/1992
Kelly	Hasty	5/31/1993
Terrell	Love	5/31/2008
Scott	Schwartz	5/31/2009
Simeon	Garon-Wolf	5/31/2010
John	Dayton	5/31/2011
Jarret	Jacobus	5/31/2011
Sam	Hodges	5/31/2012
Jase	Young	6/5/2012
Jared	Johnson	5/31/2013
Kyle	Stratiner	5/31/2013
Timothy	Tynan	5/31/2013
Jake	Hujar	5/31/2014
Zachary	Baca	5/31/2014
Elio	Merino	5/31/2014
William	Karges	5/31/2015
Zach	Wallace	5/31/2015
Alexander	Medlock	5/31/2015
Dylan	Kuntz	5/31/2015
Rex	Hendrickson	5/31/2015
Henry	Matter	5/31/2016
Ratchet	Haas	5/31/2016
Peter	Robbins	5/31/2016
Nicholas	Ward	5/31/2017
Alec	Finley	5/31/2017
Ben	McAllister	5/31/2018
Warren	Taylor	5/31/2018
Kirk	Scully	5/31/2019
Max	Smith	5/31/2019
Kyle	Zakari	5/31/2019
Ty	Payson	5/31/2019
Brian	Richardson	5/31/2020
Peter	McArthur	5/31/2021
James	Lykins	5/31/2021
Andrew	Boeger	5/31/2021
Phil	Hodges	5/31/2021

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## **IOTA's ALUMNI BIG BROTHER PROGRAM**

Thanks to those alumni serving as alumni big brothers this year. This program matches a graduating senior with an alumnus who serves as their mentor during their transition to the real world.

***Why not consider being a mentor?***

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