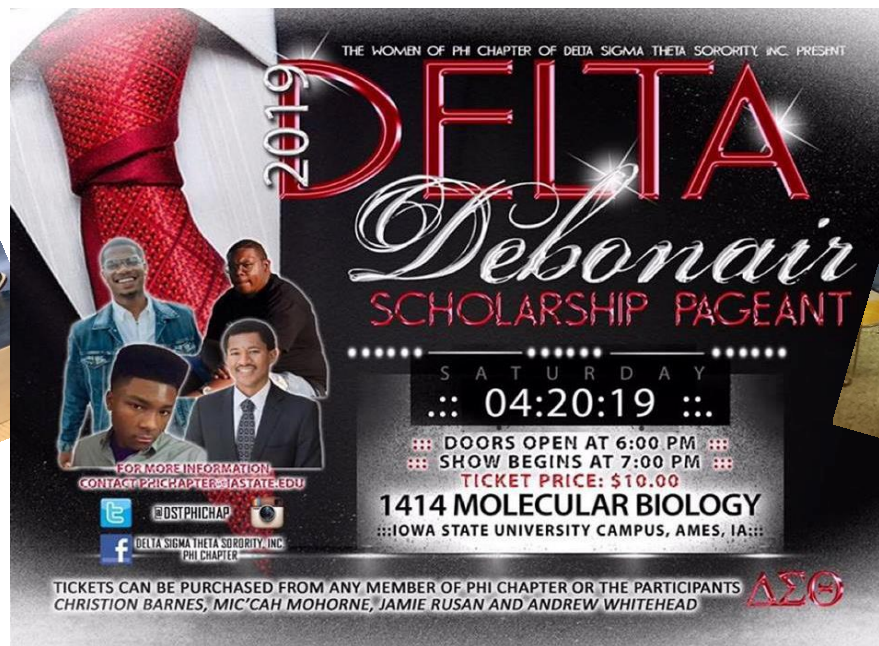


Arts & Letters Award

Phi Chapter



Over the past year Phi Chapter has held several events to promote cultural awareness, create safe spaces and uphold the values of the sorority as well as perpetuate the mission of Delta Sigma Theta. While arts and letters are designed to focus on an event that 'promoted the creative works and advanced a positive image of African Americans in the community through music, dance, drama, and poetry, there was one event that really pushed us as a chapter and also brought people together to support black excellence, and collegiate achievement. That event was our 2019 Delta Debonair Scholarship Pageant, which was a combination of all three.

The Delta Debonair Scholarship Pageant is where men on both Drake University and Iowa State University campuses come together and demonstrate who they are in a space that is welcoming and proud of the contributions they have made and will continue to make in their collegiate communities. It serves not only as a fundraiser but as a means for the chapter to give a monetary scholarship to the men for their hard work and dedication. The contestants compete in an essay competition and talent portion.