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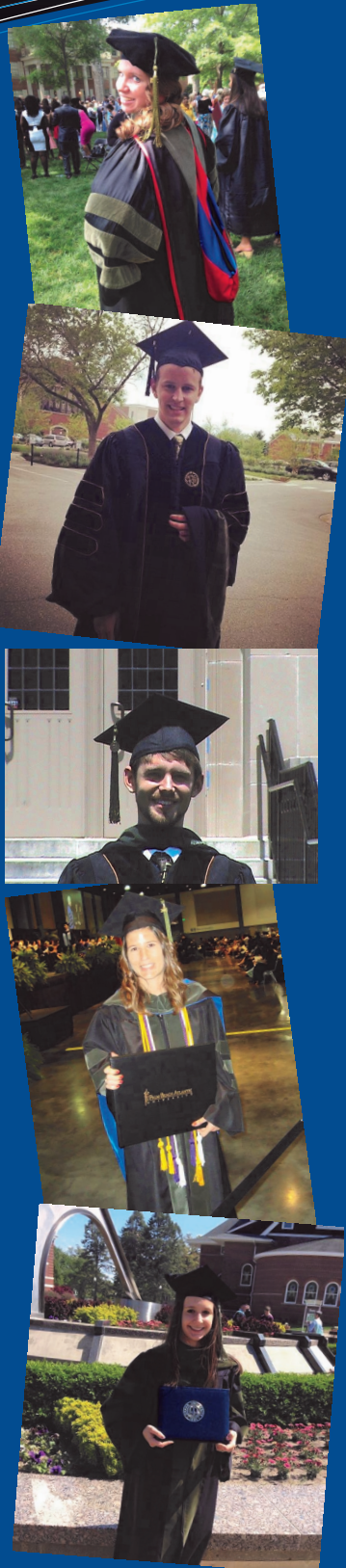
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Now What?



Finally, after what seemed like forever, the moment I have eagerly anticipated for several years has arrived. Many times I wondered if it would ever come. But sure enough I was there on the stage of Elliot Hall at Purdue University with thousands of people watching as I walked across the stage to be hooded and receive my degree. Many of our members can relate to the feelings of joy and excitement during this time as the class of 2014 steps into various pharmacist roles, but with all of the changes, this transition can easily be overwhelming. We hope that during this time, your membership with CPFI continues to be a priority, and we will give you some steps to help simplify the process.

First, why should I continue my membership? Most graduates have been removed from their chapter for a year while on rotations. But just like many aspects of life after graduation, your CPFI membership may change. Rather than chapter meetings, you may want to attend the Annual Meeting, which offers accredited continuing education. Rather than taking a leadership role at the chapter, you could join one of the many committees for the national organization. There are many benefits to continued membership,

and some are outlined in the flyer available [here](#). If you are not a graduate, we encourage you to share this with the graduates at your chapter. If you are a graduate, congratulations! We hope you will take advantage of professional membership.

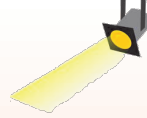
So you have decided to renew your membership. Now what? As many of us prepare to move around and drop our school email account, it can be easy to lose track of our members at this critical time. To help us stay in touch, please update your primary email address and phone number at www.cphi.org. Once you know your mailing address, you should also update that so you can receive the CPFI journals. Once again, congratulations to the class of 2014. Wherever you end up, may you always use the skills you have been blessed with to share Christ with the people you serve.

Daniel Wilson, PharmD
Graduate of Purdue University



Chapter Spotlight

University of Charleston



The University of Charleston won chapter of the year in 2013.

As a chapter, we run Brown Bag events at local churches where we counsel patients on their medications, offer blood pressure screenings, and provide blood glucose monitoring. We also partner with Charleston Homeless and Street Medicine to help homeless individuals. Our members go on rounds and we have several fundraisers to support their work. Each Fall, CPFI



m a k e s and distributes treat bags for local schools that include important vaccine information. Last year we reached over 1600 children. During finals week, CPFI publishes inspirational quotes and Bible verses that are sent out to the pharmacy students. During Easter, we place Bible verses in Easter eggs for students, faculty, and staff to find. We are also active with Operation Christmas Child and Adopt-an-Angel. Last year, our chapter hosted the CPFI Student National Retreat, which garnered members from six different schools of pharmacy. Some of our CPFI members were even able to serve over 900 people on a medical mission that went to Haiti over Spring Break.

Receiving the Chapter of the Year award is a tremendous honor and we share it with the

m e m b e r s who were instrumental in making this year so successful for CPFI.

They truly showed what it means to integrate faith into the pharmacy practice. God has truly blessed our organization and I am very proud of what we have accomplished.

Adam Brumfield
P4 at University of Charleston

The 2014 Chapter of the Year award will be revealed at the CPFI Annual Conference and National Student Retreat this June!

Important—Chapter Update Forms!!

As school ends and offices are transferred remember to submit your chapter update form! This information is important so that we can contact advisors and leadership at your school.

The chapter update form has been converted to an online submission through www.cphi.org. The form can be accessed under Student Center>Student Chapter Resources>Chapter Development>Chapter Update Form. In order to change your chapter information on the form you will need to enter the chapter username and password. If your chapter does not know its username and password, send an email to nsc.chairperson@gmail.com or the Student Advisory Committee to receive it.

Bible Drive Update



The Bible Drive is coming to an end! We ask that everyone who has been able to collect donations for the Bible Drive inform their Regional Director before the start of our annual meeting on June 11th. We will be announcing the winner of the \$200 award that can go towards a regional retreat! It's not too late to start now, and please if you have any questions, feel free to contact Austin Greanias at ajgr223@uky.edu. Thank you for your hard work and dedication to the cause.

We Need More Submissions!

If you have something you or your chapter would like to share with all of CPFI please submit your ideas to nsc.chairperson@gmail.com

Want to see your chapter spotlighted?

Email NSC.chairperson@gmail.com with information on your most recent chapter project!

Remember to book Guest Speakers!

Log on to your CPFI account and under the "Student Center" tab is a section labeled "Guest Speakers" where you can search for a speaker by regions. If a speaker you have hosted would like to speak at other universities, point them to the same page where they can submit information to be available to other students.

Check it out [here](#)

National Student Council Elections 2014

The National Student Council will be holding elections at the CPFI Annual Conference and National Student Retreat. The positions open for candidates are: NSC Chairperson-Elect, Membership Transitions Coordinator, Regional Directors Coordinator, and Student Retreat Coordinator. Regional Director positions will be accepting applications throughout the summer. Each position is described in the chart below.

Please be in prayer for these elections. Pray for God to place people with a heart for the Lord and CPFI into leadership. If you desire to run or have questions about available positions please email nsc.chairperson@gmail.com

