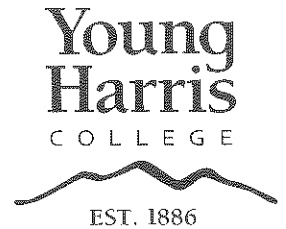


April 1, 2013



To Whom It May Concern:

Miles Washburn is an engaging guest speaker that we have brought to campus multiple times this academic year. Over the past eight months, I have had the privilege to get to know Miles and his passion for working with Greek Life. Miles genuinely cares about his clients and worked hard to cater his presentations to our institutional needs. Our Greek community is very unique. It is made up of majority local organizations and most recently two national organizations. He took the time to discuss the college and Greek Life traditions and culture here, which made his presentations and visits helpful. His passion for Greek Life in general and also helping Greek organizations definitely stood out to everyone.

Miles presented and had conversations with our Greek students right after rush in Fall 2012 and Spring 2013. All current Greeks and students who accepted bids attended his presentations. He discussed hot topics within Greek Life with ease. In my opinion, the most impressive thing about Miles is his true passion for Greek Life and helping students. Before and after presentations, he welcomed students' questions and had great conversations with them. The biggest benefit on our end was that Miles basically began an open discussion within the Greek community on issues such as hazing, member education, recruitment, and community involvement. I spent many hours discussing these topics with students and helping them figure out what is the best direction for their organization. These conversations would not be possible without his presentations. Miles definitely opened the students' eyes and motivated them to improve their organizations.

Not only did Miles present great presentations, he also stayed in touch with me and our institution. He continues to provide helpful resources and articles that relate to Greek life. I am very appreciative of that. If you are searching for a professional speaker who genuinely cares, I highly recommend Miles Washburn. It has been an all-around pleasure to work with Miles this year. He is professional, knowledgeable, and passionate about his presentations and helping students. Please feel free to contact me if you have any further questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Brittany Hopson". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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