To: UF College of Dentistry,

I wanted to share the news that UF Gamma Gamma Chapter of Psi Omega Dental Fraternity won three awards -- two regional and one national -- during the Psi Omega Dental Fraternity National Council Meeting held in New Orleans, La.

They won the 2012-13 National Chapter Excellence Award, the 2012-13 Southeast Region Award for Chapter Excellence and the 2012-13 Southeast Region Award for Community Service in recognition of their outstanding achievements during the 2012-13 academic year.

Jim Haddix, who serves as their faculty advisor, made sure to point out that these are only three of a long list of awards the chapter has earned over the years, many of which are hanging on the 10th floor of the dental tower outside the endo office.

The fraternity is also the oldest one here -- the only one in continual existence since the college opened in 1972.

So congratulations to our Psi O members who have worked very hard to earn these distinctions. You can learn more about the group on our website here, and there’s also an interesting submission about their activities this fall in the most-recent newsletter of the national Psi O organization. You can access that here (scroll down to page 14).

Have a great day,
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