

# Shana Warkentine Meyer

**Resides:** Saint Joseph, MO

**Hometown:** Americus, KS

## **Education:**

- ◆ BS 1995—English/Journalism, Communication Minor, Emporia State University
- ◆ MS 1997—Counselor Education, Student Personnel Emphasis, Emporia State University
- ◆ PhD ABD—Student Affairs in Higher Education, Kansas State University

## **Professional background:**

- ◆ Missouri Western University (Vice President for Student Affairs), 2013—present
- ◆ Fort Hays State University (Assistance Vice President for Student Affairs), 2006—2013
- ◆ Kansas State University-Salina (Assistant Director of College Advancement for Student Life), 1997—2006

## **Special honors/awards:**

- ◆ Gentlemen of Color's Outstanding Woman Leadership Award Recipient
- ◆ FHSU Fraternity and Sorority Community Outstanding Faculty / Staff Member
- ◆ Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society, Kansas State University
- ◆ Kappa Delta Pi Honor Society, Kansas State University
- ◆ FHSU Fraternity and Sorority Community Outstanding Faculty / Staff Member
- ◆ FHSU Outstanding Student Organization Advisor (Student Governing Association)
- ◆ The National Scholars Honor Society
- ◆ Manchester Who's Who among Executive and Professional Women
- ◆ Kansas State University-Salina Staff Member of the Year
- ◆ Mortar Board Outstanding Mentor, Kansas State University

## **Special interests / hobbies:**

Shana enjoys travel, reading, shopping, and spending time with her family & cats.

## **Favorite memory as a Hornet:**

There are too many to count! Some of my favorites are Greek Sing Off; attending ESU football games; and living in the chapter house. My freshman year, I traveled with 50 other Hornets to Fort Lauderdale on a UAC-sponsored Spring Break trip. After a 26-hour bus ride, we spent a week in Florida for a few hundred dollars. What an amazing experience!

## **Favorite college class or professor:**

My favorite professors were always those who truly challenged the class. Mrs. Masoni (English) and Mrs. Hill (communications) had high expectations and provided excellent feedback. On a lighter side, I don't remember who taught my general education psychology class, but on one of the first days, someone came into the class and attacked the teacher! The attacker shaved off part of our instructor's beard, yelled something, and ran out. The visibly shaken professor asked us all to write down what we witnessed. Little did we know it was a lesson on the psychology of eye-witness behavior and had all been planned out ahead of time!



## **Committee Assignments:**

Connecting Committee