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## Media Advisory

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**Event:** Guest Speaker: Shane L. Windmeyer will present the program "Out & Greek"

**Date:** Tuesday, Sept. 11, 2001

**Time:** 8 p.m.

**Location:** Main Lounge of Memorial Student Center, 104 E. University St., Bloomington

**Admission:** Free, open to the public

**Background:** Windmeyer, who has been a guest speaker on many college campuses is the co-editor of two books--Out on Fraternity Row: Personal Accounts of Being Gay in a College Fraternity and Secret Sisters: Stories of Being Lesbian & Bisexual in a College Sorority.

In his attempt to open the closet door that traditionally keeps students silenced on issues about sexual orientation, Windmeyer combines humor and his own personal experience to try and eliminate stereotypes that perpetuate homophobia.

In the spring of 1992, Windmeyer joined Phi Delta Theta fraternity and recalls that coming out to his fraternity was one of his most rewarding undergraduate experiences. As a result, Windmeyer founded and currently serves as coordinator of the Lambda 10 Project--National Clearinghouse for Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual Greek Issues.

**Contact:** For more information about the program, contact Angela Flinn, assistant dean of students at 309/556-3555.

