



2015 Fraternity Life Information Packet

Within this packet, you will find information on Interfraternity Council affiliated fraternities available to you at University of Cincinnati. Every fraternity is unique and we encourage you to explore all of your options when deciding to join Greek Life.

Community Pillars of Fraternity and Sorority Life

*Leadership Development · Intellectual Development
Philanthropy and Service · Social Responsibility & Citizenship
Values Integration and Personal Growth*

More Information About Fraternity and Sorority Life

*https://www.uc.edu/greeklife/go_greek.html
https://www.uc.edu/greeklife/go_greek/ifc_recruitment.html*

Express Your Interest

Fill out this form to get in contact with Fraternity and Sorority Life at UC.
<http://goo.gl/forms/zz1GmCYDzx>



Alpha Chi Rho - AXP

Academic Requirements:

2.5 GPA requirement, scholarships available through the National fraternity for members with outstanding GPA and involvement.

Financial Requirements:

Initiation Fee is \$430, Semester dues are \$570, both have payment plans to make them even more affordable.

Philanthropy Information:

Sara Spins is a philanthropy event we have done in the past with the proceeds going to the Sara Spins/Dayton Foundation. The event has a number of wheelchair games that teams participate in and the money raised for the foundation is used to help students with disabilities get the technology and tools that will help them pursue a higher education.

Additional Information:

The University of Cincinnati chapter of Alpha Chi Rho was chartered on November 5, 2011. We are a young fraternity here at UC and we have acquired our own house near campus that is used for many events hosted by our fraternity. We pride ourselves on our strong brotherhood and high standards of brotherhood. We've grown a lot since we chartered on campus 4 years ago and are only getting larger in our membership and our involvement on campus.



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Cincinnati Alpha Epsilon Pi - ΑΕΠΙ

Academic Requirements:

In addition to being in good standing with their respective academic programs and the Office of University Judicial Affairs, members are expected to maintain a 2.8 GPA.

Financial Requirements:

New member dues come out to \$600. Members contribute \$610 per semester. These amounts have stayed level for the last four years. Many of our members are on payment plans, which vary from weekly to monthly.

Philanthropy Information:

Our philanthropy is Heroes to Heroes, which supports American veterans receiving PTSD treatment. We will be hosting Heroes to Heroes Week during the fall semester, which will raise awareness on campus, and raise money in the greater Cincinnati community for the cause.

Summer Scholarship Program:

While we do not offer a traditional summer scholarship program, financial assistance is available for those who demonstrate need and are competitive academically to offset the cost of membership.

Additional Information:

We have been at the University of Cincinnati since 1920! While our time on campus has been storied, the last six years have seen incredible growth. Since 2009, we've had two student body presidents, and top three finishes in Homecoming, Greek Week, and the IFC academic standings. This past year we brought in our largest new member class in chapter history. We also pride ourselves on perennially being a top chapter amongst our international ranks, and have recently won top honors for philanthropy, risk management, and advising. In 2012, one of our members was elected by the presidents of every chapter to serve on Alpha Epsilon Pi's Board of Trustees. In 2013, another member was recognized for his heroism following a tragedy at Camp GUCI. Finally, we believe it is worth noting that Alpha Epsilon Pi nationally has the highest GPA of any fraternity in the North American Interfraternity Conference.



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Alpha Tau Omega - ATΩ

Academic Requirements:

Alpha Tau Omega prides itself on academic excellence, with that being said we have a 2.5 minimum GPA requirement for our chapter. We provide the necessary resources for all our members to be successful, whether that is study hours or our academic fantasy league. We also reward a member per month as the “Tau of the Month” based off of academic success. A member’s first priority will always be academics and we make sure to establish that principle and push our members to be scholars, exemplified by our 3.20 GPA in the 2015 Spring Semester.

Financial Requirements:

Our new member fees are \$250 and a \$50 insurance fee for the first semester. Once an active member the dues are \$600 per semester. This money is seen throughout the semester through brotherhood events, philanthropy, and socials such as our out-of-town Formal. We also provide payment plans and are understanding of financial struggles. We make it so financials are not a hindrance to member’s college experience.

Philanthropy Information:

Community Service is one of the key pillars to Alpha Tau Omega as we incorporate service into the ATO experience for every ATO. In conjunction with our official philanthropy partner Boys and Girls Club, we provide members an avenue to serve on a weekly basis. In addition, every fall we hold ATO Activity Day, a field day on University of Cincinnati’s campus for over 120 kids from Boys and Girls Club. ATO raised \$20,124 for charity and participated in 5,214 hours of community service during the 2014-2015 academic year.

Summer Scholarship Program:

Alpha Tau Omega provides first year students with the opportunity to apply to the “Santa J. Ono Elevation of Man Scholarship.” These are two \$1,000 scholarships given to two incoming freshman that have established success in academics, service, and leadership. To apply you must have achieved at least a 3.5 Cumulative GPA in high school. Applications will be accepted on a rolling basis with a final deadline of August 1st. The application can be found at ucato.org/scholarship.

Additional Information:

Alpha Tau Omega is The National Leadership Fraternity and we encourage our members to be involved on campus. We currently have men in 31 different on-campus organizations, in addition to many leadership positions within those organizations. At Alpha Tau Omega, we encourage members to find their passion and excel.



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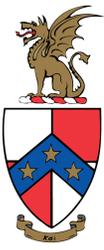
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Beta Theta Pi - ΒΘΠ

Academic Requirements:

Beta Theta Pi has continuously held one of the highest GPAs among all fraternities, placing within the top 5 in the past 5 years. We strive each semester to make sure our members excel in the classroom and exemplify one of our core values: Intellectual Growth. Each member has a minimum obligation to maintain a 2.5 cumulative GPA, and chapter officers must maintain a 2.7 GPA.

Financial Requirements:

Semester Financial Requirements
(Payment plans are available upon request)

Pledge Dues - \$500 (only necessary during the pledge program)

Active Dues (Living out-of-house) - \$675

Living-in-house (Single with dues, utilities, and meal plan included) - \$3,400

Living-in-house (Double/Triple with dues, utilities, and meal plan included) - \$3,200

Philanthropy Information:

Over the past two years, Beta has sent men on both domestic and international service trips. While on these trips, we have built schools and even tutored children in mathematics. We also participate in numerous events around campus that allow us to fulfill our minimum obligation of 20 service hours a year. This fall, we are announcing and revamping our annual philanthropy! All of the proceeds will go to the Wounded Warrior Project.

Summer Scholarship Program:

Beta Theta Pi believes that college men should strive for excellence in scholarship and leadership. For over 175 years, Beta Theta Pi has built Men of Principle in the hopes of fostering lifelong friendships, personal development, academic growth, and leadership. Beta Theta Pi is offering multiple **\$500** scholarships and one **\$1,000** scholarship. We seek men who demonstrate devotion to academic achievement and are committed to making the University of Cincinnati a better place. Most importantly, we seek men who desire to develop skills that will carry over to their personal and professional lives. We highly encourage you to take five minutes and fill out our application online at <http://uc.beta.org/> by Wednesday July 1st, 2015 (Don't worry, there's no essay!) To apply:

1. Go to <http://uc.beta.org/> **2.** Click "More" **3.** Scroll down to "Men of Principle Scholarship" **4.** Follow the link **5.** Answer each question **6.** Click "Submit"

Additional Information:

Beta Theta Pi at the University of Cincinnati just celebrated its 175th anniversary! This past year, Beta Theta Pi was recognized as the Overall Premier Chapter. We also received recognition for Excellence in Chapter Operations and Recruitment. Brothers of Beta take it upon themselves to get involved not only within our organization, but also in the community. Some of our members serve in organizations such as Student Government, the Student Alumni Council, ROAR Guides, Linder Student Association, College of Engineering Tribunal, American Marketing Association, Cincinnati Dance Marathon, the UC Cheer Squad, College of Nursing Tribunal, and the Student Safety Board.



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Delta Tau Delta - ΔΤΔ

Academic Requirements:

We currently require incoming students to hold a minimum 3.0 GPA.

Financial Requirements:

Semester dues are \$625. Financial planning is available, and our Treasurer is extremely accessible for questions, concerns, and assistance during the process. We currently have a great Fall and Spring Scholarship program that assists many active brothers with financing dues, room and board, as well as student loans.

Philanthropy Information:

The National Philanthropy of Delta Tau Delta is The Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation. JDRF is the largest charitable supporter of type 1 diabetes (T1D), having donated more than \$1.7 billion to diabetes research since its inception in 1970. The goal of JDRF research is to improve the quality of life for all those affected by T1D while accelerating the pace and progress of finding a cure. This past year, the Brothers of Delta Tau Delta at the University of Cincinnati were able to win a \$5000 following a greek-wide competition put on by the Hoxworth Blood Center. We were then able to donate the proceeds to our National Philanthropy, JDRF.

Summer Scholarship Program:

The mission of the Pumphrey Scholarship is to reward young men who exemplify excellence in character, scholarship, leadership, and service. Our goal is to encourage the continued growth of these men as they take their next step in development here at the University of Cincinnati. We hope to spur campus engagement, continued scholastic success, and the development of leadership skills which will carry them through their time here at the University and beyond. Delta Tau Delta is offering multiple levels of scholarships totalling to over \$3,000.

Apply for the Pumphrey Scholarship online by July 17th at: <http://goo.gl/forms/Q1KV9gLtSe>

Additional Information:

The Delta Tau Delta experience cultivates leadership. Over 70 members of Gamma Xi have been inducted into Sigma Sigma, and over 50 have been tapped by Omicron Delta Kappa. Gamma Xi brothers have served as Student Body Presidents, Interfraternity Council Presidents, and Class Presidents. Our brotherhood has held leadership positions in athletics, scholarship and a wide range of service initiatives. Many of our brotherhood have risen to outstanding leadership positions in their careers. They are captains of industry and presidents of companies. They are successful in virtually every walk of life. They are Delts...from Gamma Xi.



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Kappa Sigma - ΚΣ

Academic Requirements:

For the Nu-Psi Colony our GPA requirements demands that every potential member has above a 2.3 on a 4.0 scale. Each current member is expected to have about a 2.5 GPA. If a current member has below a 2.25 GPA he is placed on social probation and remains on probation until his GPA is raised above a 2.25. Every member that earns below a 3.0 GPA they are required to obtain a certain amount of monitored study hours, set based on their earned GPA.

Financial Requirements:

Active Brothers and Inactive Brothers both carry a financial obligations to the fraternity. The amount to these obligations both vary depending on each situation. While inactive one only has to pay \$75 which is needed for nationals, and Active Brothers will have to pay \$300 per semester. Payment plans are flexible based on yours needs and can be set-up by having a meeting with anyone on the executive board. All of these funds are used to enhance the experience for our members.

Philanthropy Information:

The official philanthropy of Kappa Sigma is the Military Heroes Campaign. This campaign is a public charity that honors and aids thousands of military veterans and their families. This will be the very first year we host an event to raise money for our cause, we will be in the process of planning this fall semester and hosting it for this coming spring semester. Other activities that we participate in include Relay for Life, Habitat for Humanity, and other philanthropy events being held on campus. By attending these events we do not only help the community out, but also build brotherhood, and have fun at the same time!

Additional Information:

Kappa Sigma is a whole new experience that no other fraternity at UC can offer. We can give you the experience of becoming a founding father of a fraternity that is brand new to campus and are currently making traditions and writing our history as we go. Kappa Sigma follows a strict no hazing policy, which can help form one of our mottos as "The most WANTED man in the country". Members of Kappa Sigma are able to create a brotherhood like no other, and by doing so making memories and friendship that can endure the test of time.



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Lambda Chi Alpha - ΛΧΑ

Academic Requirements:

Each Collegiate Brother (initiated member) and Associate Member (un-initiated member) enrolled in an undergraduate degree program is required to have achieved both during the previous grading period and cumulatively, a minimum scholastic average of a 2.6; for officers within our chapter, a 2.7. Collegiate Brothers and Associate Members who fail to meet these standards are subject to various penalties designed to encourage future scholastic success in a healthy way. Our chapter is dedicated to supporting a fulfilling university experience and beyond.

Financial Requirements:

Active Brothers, Inactive Brothers, and Associate Members – financial obligations are not only determined by individuals' 'status' within the chapter, but also when the majority of the chapter evaluates and approves each semester's budget. This previous Spring semester, each Associate Member was required to pay \$550 in 'dues'. Our chapter offers flexible and individualized payment plans for convenience. The collage experience is expensive; however, our chapter strives for economic prudence. All money directly contributes to our members' experiences.

Philanthropy Information:

Our national philanthropy is Feeding America. We have two big events throughout the year. In the Fall, we have Watermelon Bash. During Watermelon Bash we raise money by doing activities with watermelons with the UC community. Our Spring event is Teeter Totter Thon. Our members ride a teeter totter for 72 hours straight and have theme nights such as a bake sale and luau to raise money. Both of these events have helped tremendously in our efforts to raise money for charity. We also volunteer biweekly at a Freestore Foodbank throughout the semester. In Lambda Chi Alpha we strive to give back to the community.

Summer Scholarship Program:

Undergoing the process for or receiving one of our offered scholarships in no way binds one to the Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity. Our chapter currently offers several, merit-based scholarship awards during the summer semester for qualified, incoming University of Cincinnati Freshmen: one (1) \$1000 and four (4) \$500 awards. Each individual applicant has the possibility of receiving only one (1) of these awards and must complete a brief application and an interview in order to be considered. For more information and to apply by August 1, please visit Gamma Gamma Zeta's chapter website: <http://lambdachiuc.com>

Additional Information:

While many other fraternities use a restrictive "pledge" system for un-initiated members, Lambda Chi Alpha offers Associate Membership. Associate Membership comes with all the rights and privileges held by initiated Collegiate Brothers, necessarily exempting those concerned with matters of Initiation until the actual fulfillment of the Initiation Ritual. This means Associate Members are nearly always given the right and even encouraged to participate in important discussions, vote on issues, hold chapter offices, be in committees, wear letters, etcetera. Lambda Chi Alpha's Fraternity Education is arguably unique. It is a lifelong process defined by the never-ending pursuit of a pure, high, and ever growing ideal: the ideal of perfect brotherly love.



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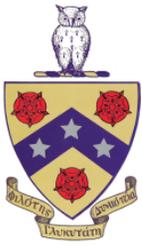
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Phi Gamma Delta - ΦΓΔ

Academic Requirements:

A cumulative high school GPA of a 3.00 is required to receive a bid. During the pledging semester, an average GPA of a 2.5 must be obtained in order to be initiated and remain in good standing with the chapter.

Financial Requirements:

pledging semester dues are two payments of \$70. Active brothers pay \$600 dollars for dues and a \$100 dollar parlor fee if they do not live in the house. However, many scholarships are given in order to reduce the cost of dues such as the AAA scholarship of \$250 given to every pledge brother that receives a GPA of a 3.2 or higher. There is also an in-house scholarship for brothers that live in the house and obtain a 3.2 or higher. \$100 are reduced from the first semester dues to the pledge that receives the highest GPA; dues are reduced by 5% for every brother that receives a term GPA of a 3.5 or higher.

Philanthropy Information:

Our biggest Philanthropy event is the Fiji color run for cystic fibrosis, over the past three years we have been able to raise money and awareness for cystic fibrosis research by putting on a color run for the UC community. We have worked with Sharing America's Marrow, an organization that tries to find matches for individuals in need of a bone marrow transplant. We worked with them and registered over 200 people to be put in the bone marrow donor registry, and know of two matches that have been made due to our efforts.

Additional Information

Our values are friendship, knowledge, service, morality, and excellence. We always strive for our best and look for young men that emulate these characteristics. Friendships that are made within the fraternity are not for college days alone, and many of your lifelong friends can be made. Our graduate brothers provide a great networking source and have many resources to provide in order to help you succeed at UC. We also have many brotherhood and socials such as camping trips and plans of a formal. We participate in intramural sports such as ultimate Frisbee, flag football, dodgeball, and soccer. Over the past few years this Fiji chapter has seen tremendous improvements. We have doubled the size of our chapter and increased our overall chapter GPA by 0.5 points. There are many immediate leadership opportunities that even freshman can take advantage of!



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Phi Delta Theta - $\Phi\Delta\Theta$

Academic Requirements:

The brothers of Phi Delta Theta pride ourselves in developing and maintaining academic excellence. Although the current required GPA for a new member is only 2.7, the chapter strives to develop strong study skills in its members and our current chapter GPA is a 3.1. We achieve this by offering members or new members who are struggling academically weekly study table hours to enhance their academics. If an active brother fails to meet the grades requirement, he will be expected to attend study tables.

Financial Requirements:

Phi Delta Theta is one of the most affordable fraternities on campus. New and active members must pay \$500 per semester to the chapter. This cost covers not only operating expenses, but also all events hosted by the chapter, including social and philanthropy events such as mixers with sororities, our formal event (which was in Gatlinburg last year), and even trips to Kings Island and SkyZone. Rent at the chapter house is also competitive; \$310 a month for a double, \$400 for a single, or \$425 for a suite. This price includes all utilities as well as a fully furnished bedroom, kitchen, study area, and lounge.

Philanthropy Information:

The official philanthropy of Phi Delta Theta is the ALS Association, a national nonprofit to benefit patients of ALS, otherwise known as Lou Gehrig's Disease. Brother Gehrig was a member of Phi Delta Theta at Columbia University, and with the help of the ALS Association, we strive to make better lives of those with ALS in the same manner that Brother Gehrig would. Our chapter at the University of Cincinnati holds an annual volleyball tournament and pig roast to benefit the foundation. In addition, our chapter actively attends all philanthropy events on campus.

Summer Scholarship Program:

Phi Delta Theta offers a summer scholarship competition to incoming freshmen based on academic merit (prizes range from \$250-500, depending on number of applicants). The application consists of (1) a completed submission form (link below) and (2) an on-campus interview. Please submit your online application as soon as possible so we can review it and schedule an on-campus interview when you are in Clifton for your freshman orientation this summer. Applications are due no later than August 24th. We look forward to meeting you this semester! Link: <http://goo.gl/forms/rjbtE00084>

Additional Information:

Phi Delta Theta is different from EVERY other fraternity at UC; We adhere to a strict no hazing policy and an alcohol-free housing policy. This makes Phi Delt not only a safer fraternity experience, but also allows us to 'walk the talk' in developing brothers into "the greatest versions of themselves" as upstanding leaders in the classroom and across campus. As a member of Phi Delta Theta, you will become the best man you can be, making lifelong friendships and fond memories along the way.



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Phi Delta Theta - University of Cincinnati



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Phi Kappa Tau - ΦΚΤ

Academic Requirements:

Our GPA requirement for initiation is a 2.7 at minimum. We strive to maintain a chapter average GPA of at least a 3.0. We provide study tables and tutors for any member in need of academic assistance.

Financial Requirements:

\$150 for association for the first semester. This cost covers insurance through our national head quarters, and chapter operations such as funding events, T-shirts, food provided by the chapter and intramural sports. Once initiated semester dues are \$600 per semester.

Philanthropy Information:

Our main focus for philanthropy work is Serious Fun Children's Network. These are free summer camps for children with terminal and serious illnesses. The camp was founded by brother Paul Newman famous race car driver and actor. The camp is a chance for children to get away from worrying about their illness and just have fun being a kid. More information about the camps can be found at their website <https://www.seriousfunnetwork.org/>

Summer Scholarship Program:

Christopher Trehan scholarship Learning Leading Serving Scholarship link can be found in our twitter bio. 5 minutes for \$500 dollars! <http://goo.gl/forms/y0ZusPWN07>

Additional Information:

Our chapter was recently nominated for the maxwell trophy which is the highest honor given nationally to just 3 out of 98 chapters once per year. We strive to make good men great and provide many leadership opportunities within our chapter. We would love to get the chance to meet you! Be sure to contact our rush chairman Brad Miller, we look forward to meeting you!



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Phi Kappa Theta - ΦΚΘ

Academic Requirements:

We require above a 2.75 and that our students are in good standing throughout their college experience because grades come first.

Financial Requirements:

\$150 a month for brothers dues
\$115 a month for brothers that live in the house
\$100 a month for associate members

We have payment plans and also different internal scholarships available based on grades and financial restrictions starting Fall 2015.

Philanthropy Information:

We promote Children's Miracle Network through CDM and any other events that donate towards these events. Currently we are working towards a new campus event in the spring to raise money for this great cause. Last year our fundraisers raised around 400 dollars.

Additional Information

Gentlemen of Phi Kappa Theta pride themselves with high standards of our personal, professional, and educational lives. We take pride in making leaders out of our members serving in course of the motto 'Give, expecting nothing thereof.'



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Phi Kappa Theta: Ohio Omicron Chapter

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Pi Kappa Alpha - ΠΚΑ

Academic Requirements:

Pi Kappa Alpha is the largest fraternity at the University of Cincinnati with 145 members, focused on the pillars of Scholars, Leaders, Athletes and Gentlemen (SLAG). To be an active member of Pike brothers and new members need to earn at least a 2.7 GPA. Our chapters average GPA is 3.335, including New Members who are going through the process of becoming actives. If a member gets below a 2.7 he is placed on probation, after the period the member can appeal his probation to the Judicial board and reverse the decision to become fully active again.

Financial Requirements:

To be in PIKE, brothers are expected to pay \$750 a semester post-initiation, after \$800 for their new member semester. There are also discounts available for brothers, such as the early pay discount (\$25) for brothers who pay their dues in the first week they are billed, the in-house discount (\$140), and various position discounts, depending on each brother's situation. For brothers who are away on co-op or who are varsity athletes in-season, their dues are drastically reduced (~\$80-\$90). There is also the opportunity to set up a payment plan through the treasurer for any brother who wishes to.

Philanthropy Information:

Whether we are fundraising for the American Cancer Society, or holding a Cheese Coney eating contest to send a UC family living with cancer on vacation, Pi Kappa Alpha prides itself in its philanthropic efforts. We hold over 20 philanthropy events over the course of the year, generating over 1,000 service hours through these events alone. You can check out our efforts in a recent Enquirer publication spotlighting an inner-city basketball camp that PIKE helps run every Saturday morning, January through May. Also, we travel out of the city every year for our annual mission trip to El Salvador. On this trip, brothers build houses and create relationships with the local people.

Summer Scholarship Program:

Our fraternity offers eight summer scholarships, one Glen Hubbuch Design Award, two Bill Ogle Athletic Awards, one George H. Zimmerman Music and Performing Arts Award, one Dennis R. Cleeter Service Award one William Giesler Engineering and Technical Award, and two William R. Nester Leadership Awards. Winning a scholarship in no way forces you to join Pi Kappa Alpha, the awards are merit based and are based off of an online scholarship application. After applying for a Pike scholarship the Scholarship Chairman will reach out to the applicant and schedule an interview.

Additional Information:

Pi Kappa Alpha values excellence. Our guiding light that sums up what we stand for is the phrase "Having fun as Brothers and becoming better men". While we are active socially, we are always focused on bettering ourselves as gentlemen. This can be seen through the countless awards and accolades that our fraternity has received. These awards serve as proof of the hard work of our chapter. We have won a Smythe (given to the top 5% of PIKE chapters nationally) for 7 of the past 8 years. The Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity also has a vast network of alumni in the Cincinnati area and across the country that work hand in hand with us to benefit all parties.



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Pi Kappa Phi - ΠΚΦ

Academic Requirements:

To join Pi Kappa Phi, you are required to hold a minimum 2.75 High School GPA. If you choose to join Pi Kappa Phi, you are required to maintain a minimum GPA of 2.75 each semester. As members of Pi Kappa Phi we hold each other accountable to attain the highest possible standards of scholarship. We also have designated positions to help you meet your academic goal.

Financial Requirements:

First Semester Dues: \$500; Semester dues: \$550-\$600. Payment plans are available. If you choose to join Pi Kappa Phi, you will also have the opportunity to live in the chapter house. Living in the house is not required, however it is encouraged by all of the brothers who have previously lived in the chapter house. Rent ranges from \$500-\$550 depending on whether you live in a single or a double.

Philanthropy Information:

Pi Kappa Phi takes tremendous pride in being the only Greek organization that owns and operates their philanthropy. The Ability Experience seeks to create a community, one relationship at a time, where the abilities of all people are recognized and valued. Pi Kappa Phi practices a range of local service opportunities. Every year, Pi Kappa Phi orchestrates a week of on-campus events dedicated to raising funds and awareness for people with disabilities. Pi Kappa Phi also enjoys working with local organizations (UCs Transition and Access Program, Visionaries & Voices, and more). For more information please visit, www.theabilityexperience.org.

Summer Scholarship Program:

The men of Pi Kappa Phi at the University of Cincinnati are offering a collegiate scholarship that could award winning applicants with up to \$1,000. We are a diverse group of men who are leaders by choice, seeking to redefine fraternity as a lifelong brotherhood of leaders. At all times our members strive to be Men of C.L.A.S.S.: Character, Leadership, Achievement, Scholarship and Service. To apply for the Men of CLASS Scholarship, please visit: <http://goo.gl/forms/71JkPy2e11>. Applications will be reviewed, select applicants will receive an in-person interview and a selected group will be invited to the scholarship dinner where the winner will be announced.

Additional Information:

Our Mission is to create an uncommon and lifelong brotherhood that develops leaders and encourages service to others for the betterment of our communities. The Theta Chapter of Pi Kappa Phi will have 50 active members in the Fall 2015 Semester. Since our chapter's re-founding in 2011, we have accumulated numerous awards, both from the University (i.e. Runner-Up Premier Chapter, Most Improved Chapter, Philanthropy & Service Excellence Award, and more) as well as the National Fraternity (i.e. Champion Master Chapter, Outstanding Volunteer Relationship, Outstanding Member Experience, and more).



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Sigma Alpha Epsilon - ΣΑΕ

Academic Requirements:

Sigma Alpha Epsilon requires that its members keep a 2.5 semester and a 2.5 cumulative GPA. The Ohio Epsilon Chapter of Sigma Alpha Epsilon has been ranked in the top 2 fraternities on campus for GPA for consecutive years. The average GPA for our chapter was a 3.34 for the 2014-2015 academic year.

Financial Requirements:

There is a financial requirement to be a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon. Dues for out of house brothers are \$780 a semester. These dues cover all costs to be a member of the fraternity and ensure that the house can afford to operate. There are payment plans available for those that need help.

Philanthropy Information:

Nationally, Sigma Alpha Epsilon is strongly engaged with the Children's Miracle Network which raises money and awareness to bring better health care to children's hospitals around the country. Additionally our chapter pairs with Special Olympics for philanthropy. Every year we invite special needs children down to campus to participate in a variety of games and other activities. This past year we brought 300 kids down to the UC Campus Recreation Center for a day full of fun. Along with hosting the event we also make a monetary donation so Special Olympics can continue its amazing work. Creating a rich community for others is one of the most important aspects of our fraternity.

Summer Scholarship Program:

The men of Sigma Alpha Epsilon give out the "True Gentleman" scholarship. Every year, this freshman scholarship program has in excess of \$6,000 to be distributed among its worthy candidates. Through 150 years of excellence, we have exemplified ourselves through philanthropic endeavors, positive leadership roles within the university and community, and scholarship dedicated to the highest standards of achievement. Our values are embodied within our creed, the "True Gentleman," which is the basis of this scholarship program. The following is a list of scholarship eligibility requirements: must be a freshman attending the University of Cincinnati in the Fall of 2015, generally have a minimum 3.2 high school GPA, and have a strong emphasis on community service, leadership experience, clubs, sports, etc. Reach out to our Scholarship Chairman, Jack Bender (513)545-8622, for details to apply.

Additional Information:

SAE has a strong connection to Cincinnati and the University of Cincinnati, in fact, the Bearcats get their name from SAE Brother Leonard Baehr. The stadium our football team plays in is named after SAE brother James Gamble Nippert. Our chapter was founded 125 years ago by Joseph B. Strauss, Designer and Chief Engineer for the construction of the Golden Gate Bridge. SAE has played a large role in UC history and we continue the tradition of working to improve ourselves and this university. Mr. Bearcat, Darwin T. Turner Scholar of the year, and Greek Man of the year were all awarded to brothers of Sigma Alpha Epsilon for the 2014-2015 academic year.



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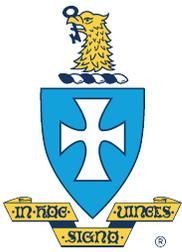
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Sigma Chi - ΣΧ

Academic Requirements:

• Minimum GPA: 3.0 (High School GPA); 2.5 (College Cumulative)

In Spring Semester 2015, Sigma Chi finished with the top GPA of all fraternities on campus with a 3.353 amongst our 108 active brothers.

Financial Requirements:

- Pledge Fees: \$500
- Out-of-House Dues: \$635
- In-House Dues: \$2,850 (Includes fraternity dues, housing, utilities, and food)
- Payment Plans: These are flat rates and do not include annual discounts for superior academic performance and involvement. We offer a variety of different payment plans and are flexible to the individual's financial situation.

Philanthropy Information:

Huntsman Cancer Institute: Last year our chapter raised a record \$20,000! Derby Days is Sigma Chi's national philanthropy benefitting the Huntsman cancer research facilities in the world. Derby Days is hosted by hundreds of Sigma Chi chapters across the country and unlike most fundraisers; Derby Days is a weeklong. Haiti Mission Trip: The men of Sigma Chi send close to 20 members on a mission and development trip to Haiti. They assist in the building of homes and clinics for Haitian families that are still recovering from the earthquakes six years ago. In addition, they visit numerous orphanages to help give care and play with the kids that rarely get the attention they deserve.

Summer Scholarship Program:

Sigma Chi Scholarship Program: We are pleased to have \$5,000 worth of scholarship money available to applicants. The process includes multiple informational scholarship dinners with the opportunity to meet alumni and distinguished student leaders, face-to-face interviews, and a Scholarship Dinner on September 13th with the winners being announced there. Applying for the scholarship in no way obligates you to join our organization but rather exposes you to different aspects of our campus before the Fall.

Apply online at <http://ucsig.com/scholarship>

Additional Information:

Sigma Chi Alumni: The Sigma Chi fraternity is one of the largest in the world and therefore has a very strong alumni base. Our chapter at the University of Cincinnati has one of the top alumni chapters in the country. Our strong alumni base helps us with support for career opportunities, funding, a stable house situation, etc.

Awards: Sigma Chi is nationally ranked as a top 3 fraternity nationwide. Our chapter at the University of Cincinnati has ranked as one of the top 10 chapters in Sigma Chi for 7 years in a row now.

Leadership Experience: Sigma Chi is committed to building values-based leaders and have the exposure to over five leadership conferences every year on top of chapter operations.



Recruitment Chairman

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Sigma Phi Epsilon - ΣΦΕ

Academic Requirements:

3.0

Financial Requirements:

\$680 first semester

Payment plans available - able to pay monthly

Philanthropy Information:

SigEp Stromboli - Cook and sell stromboli to raise money in order to cover the costs of our yearly service trip.

Ginger Greek House - Gingerbread house competition that raises money to go to the Smile Train Foundation.

Summer Scholarship Program:

Please see the attached link to view our summer scholarship application.

<http://ucsigep.org/scholarship/>

After the applications are submitted we will review the applications and reach out individually to schedule interview times.

We also have sand volleyball and adult softball leagues throughout the summer for applicants to attend.

Additional Information

Mulch Move - Help local boy scouts deliver approximately \$65,000 worth of mulch every year.

Annual Service Trip - Week long service trip through Fuller Center to help provide housing to under privileged families. Went to multiple cities throughout the United States over the last 3 years.

Parents Day - Provide a day full of activities for undergraduate students parents.

Queen of Hearts - Undergraduate and Alumni event, recognizing one outstanding undergraduate woman.

Intramural Sports - Sports leagues sponsored by the chapter including: football, volleyball, basketball, softball, dodgeball, and ultimate frisbee.



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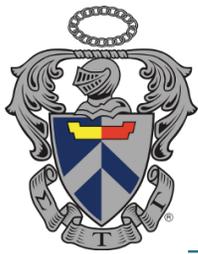
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Sigma Tau Gamma - ΣΤΓ

Academic Requirements:

Sigma Tau Gamma believes that academics are extremely important and prides itself with having an average member GPA that is one of the best out of all the fraternities. We use individual tailored academic success plans and have resources such as a test bank and study subscriptions to help you achieve your academic goals. To be a member we have a minimum GPA requirement of 2.7 to ensure we contain the highest quality of men.

Financial Requirements:

In order to operate and be able to provide an enjoyable experience to all of our members we charge our members three \$150 payments equally spaced out prior to both fall and spring semesters. Our dues go to pay for our brotherhood events, formals, and philanthropy. As college is a difficult time to spend a large amount of money we will always work with our members to ensure money does not become a reason that they can't feel welcomed.

Philanthropy Information:

At Sig Tau we are committed to helping our community. Our national philanthropy is Special Olympics which benefits children and adults with intellectual disabilities around the world. Annually we participate in raising money during their main event, the polar plunge. Additionally, our local philanthropy is Lighthouse Youth Services which helps teens, young adults and parents that are struggling. We have created gardens for their farmers market and raised money to donate toys to children staying with foster families. Also throughout the year we cook dinners at the local Ronald McDonald House which is always a favorite of our brothers as we help our campus's neighbors of those who need to stay at Cincinnati Children's Hospital.

Summer Scholarship Program:

Sigma Tau Gamma is an organization that prides itself in promoting the highest ideals of manhood, brotherhood and citizenship. In this belief we strive to be the best at what we do in the academic world. Therefore we have created a scholarship to celebrate and help those that align themselves with these common beliefs. To apply for this scholarship complete the form located at the following link https://docs.google.com/forms/d/12euEA7d-_n7wduTNM25R33qL-FU13m-T4-6lkzQJS2B8/viewform

Additional Information:

In our chapter and across the nation Sigma Tau Gamma believes in developing future leaders. We strive to stay faithful to this belief by holding ourselves and our brothers to a higher standard. We also believe in developing maintaining close and meaningful bonds that will last for life. Being a Sig Tau means that there will always be a group of brothers that will be there, both for support and for accountability.



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Theta Chi - ΘΧ

Academic Requirements:

As a testament to our commitment to strong academics, Theta Chi requires a minimum 2.5 high school GPA in order to initiate. We consistently strive to help each of our members grow as students. There are a variety of tools and programs available to help every member succeed academically, and our Scholarship Chairman leads our efforts in assisting members to reach their full potential.

Financial Requirements:

New member dues are \$500 for the Fall semester. In order to ease the financial burden, there is a payment plan option available, which consists of four equal payments made monthly. Our dues for initiated members are consistently among the most affordable on campus.

Philanthropy Information:

Theta Chi's national philanthropy is the USO, which benefits our troops. Our chapter hosts a variety of philanthropy events throughout the year. We hold an annual Powderpuff football tournament with sororities from UC and Northern Kentucky University, and the proceeds are donated to the USO. This year, our chapter will be hosting a program called "G.I. Theta Chi", a week-long, campus-wide event that has been recognized across the country. We are also active participants in campus-wide events such as Relay For Life, Cincinnati Dance Marathon (CDM), and several events put on by other members of the Greek community. Theta Chi's motto is "An Assisting Hand", and we seek to demonstrate our commitment to this by volunteering across the community.

Summer Scholarship Program:

Our chapter offers multiple scholarships each semester, totaling \$1,000. We select applicants on the basis of their academics, community involvement, and potential. Also, every year, our national organization gives out thousands of dollars in scholarships to members. If you are interested in learning more about the scholarship opportunities available, contact our Recruitment Chairman or indicate your interest in Greek Life.

Additional Information:

Theta Chi is a relatively new chapter to the University of Cincinnati's campus; we were officially re-installed in May of 2013. Since then, we have grown to over 70 members and distinguished ourselves for our commitment to community involvement, academic excellence, and a strong fraternal bond. With all that we do, we still find plenty of time to have fun. Each week, we hold social events for members to enjoy. We also have formals in places such as Gatlinburg, TN, and we hold mixers with the sororities on campus. Lastly, we excel in intramural sports, and have consistently ranked as one of the best football, volleyball, and basketball teams each year. All of this is to say that members of Theta Chi are well-rounded. We strive to recruit and develop young men with a variety of talents, backgrounds, and abilities. Together, we hope to continue building something great at UC.



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Triangle

Academic Requirements:

We require each member to maintain a 2.75 cumulative GPA. Academic programs and incentives are in place to help each member reach that GPA.

Financial Requirements:

New Member fees are \$90, Initiation fees are \$250. In-house dues are \$580 and out of house dues are \$695. Dues are not paid until after Initiation.

Philanthropy Information:

We sell Deep Fried Mac n Cheese in front of our house 1-2 times per semester and are planning Walk a Mile in Her Shoes for the Fall.

Summer Scholarship Program:

Through an application and interview process, one \$250 scholarship will be given to a deserving applicant on the basis of high school achievement, personal values, and ambition. No preference will be given to men who join Triangle.

Additional Information:

Triangle is the nation's premier fraternity for men studying engineering, architecture, and science. The current Dean of CEAS, Dr Teik Lim is a Brother of Triangle.



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