

2017 National Convention Agenda

August 2-6, 2017

Type of Registrations

Full Registration - \$224.00

Partial Registration - \$149.00

Banquet Only - \$75.00

Hotel Options

Tuesday Night to Saturday Night (must be a Full Registration)

Quad - \$200.00

Triple - \$267.00

Double - \$400.00

Single - \$800.00

Wednesday Night to Saturday Night (must be a Full Registration)

Quad - \$160.00

Triple - \$214.00

Double - \$320.00

Single - \$640.00

Friday Night to Saturday Night (must be a Partial Registration)

Quad - \$80.00

Triple - \$107.00

Double - \$160.00

Single - \$320.00

Saturday Night - \$160.00

If you choose not to stay at the hotel, there is a Out of House Registration Fee:

Out of house fee: \$40.00

Hotel Information

Crystal Gateway Marriott

1700 Jefferson Davis Highway

Arlington, VA 22202

Note: Hotel reservations are made through the Fraternity.

Add-ons and Upgrades

V.I.P. Pass: National Convention V.I.P Experience! Get the VIP treatment, while supporting the Leadership in Action program, during National Convention. We're offering a limited number of

VIP passes with some very awesome benefits. With your pass you will be able to get early access to select events. PLUS, each day during Grand Chapter, you will receive a special gift. Passes are limited, add yours today!

Price: \$35.00



Sweatshirt - Brothers Are We: It's always cold in the Grand Chapter room! This year we're offering something to keep the cold away while still representing PSP. Check out our crewneck by clicking above.

Price: \$25.00



T-Shirt- Official 2017 Convention Shirt

Make sure you guarantee that you'll take home this exclusive piece of memorabilia from the 2017 National Convention. Click to see this year's design!

Price: \$15.00

Professional Headshots

Presented by the National Alumni Association: Our National Staff will take professional photos during Convention (time TBD) that you can use on your LinkedIn profile, online resume or any other professional need. You'll receive 2 photos approximately one month after the close of Convention.

Price: \$10.00

Convention Agenda

Schedule subject to change

V.I.P. Advance seating as part of the V.I.P. Experience

Wednesday, August 2 Events & Activities

What: Registration

Time: 8:30am - 1:30pm

Room: TBA

Description: Registration

What: LiA Facilitator Training

Time: 9:00am - 10:00am

Room: TBA

Description: We're offering two times for you to become a Leadership in Action Facilitator! Other options include Friday, August 4 at 7:00 PM. Pick the one that works the best for you!

What: LiA Advancing Your Facilitation Skills

Time: 9:00am - 10:00am

Room: TBA

Description: Are you already a Leadership in Action (LiA) Facilitator? Well guess what, we have a NEW session just for you! As a Facilitator it is important to continue to develop your presentation skills. In the “Advancing your Facilitation Skills” session, you will learn how to make your presentations more impactful and have the opportunity to give and receive feedback. This is first of two different opportunities to participate. The other Advancing session is Friday at 7:00 PM.

What: Welcome Meet and Greet

Time: 10:00am - 10:30am

Room: TBA

Description: Join us for light fare and welcome activities.

What: First Time Attendee Orientation

Time: 10:30am -11:30am

Room: TBA

Description: First time at National Convention? Attend our orientation just for you! You'll be ready to hit the ground running when we start with business.

What: Lunch

Time: 11:30am - 1:00pm

Description: On your own

What: Welcome, Opening and Grand Chapter General Session

Time: 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Room: TBA

Description: Opening/afternoon session

What: Dinner

Time: 5:00 - 6:30pm

Description: On your own

What: Grand Chapter General Session

Time: 6:30pm - close

Room: TBA

Description: Evening session

Thursday, August 3 Events & Activities

What: Grand Chapter General Session

Time: 8:30am - 12:00pm
Room: TBA
Description: Morning Session

What: Lunch
Time: 12:00pm - 1:30pm
Description: On your own

What: Grand Chapter General Session
Time: 1:30pm - 5:00pm
Room: TBA
Description: Afternoon Session

What: Dinner
Time: 5:00pm - 6:00pm
Description: On your own

What: Grand Chapter General Session
Time: 6:00pm - close
Room: TBA
Description: Evening Session

Friday, August 4 Events & Activities

What: Grand Chapter General Session
Time: 8:30am - 12:00pm
Room: TBA
Description: Morning Session

What: Lunch
Time: 12:00pm - 1:30pm
Description: On your own

What: Grand Chapter General Session
Time: 1:30pm - 5:00pm
Room: TBA
Description: Afternoon Session

What: Partial Registration Open
Time: 3:00pm - 5:00pm
Room: TBA
Description: Partial Registration Attendees will check in.

What: Dinner on your own

Time: 5:00pm - 6:00pm

Description: On your own

What: Leadership in Action (LiA) Facilitator Training

Time: 7:00pm - 8:00pm

Room: TBA

Description: We're offering 2 different times for you to become a LiA Facilitator! The other training is Wednesday, August 2 at 9 AM. Pick the one that works the best for you!

What: LiA Advancing Your Facilitation Skills

Time: 7:00pm - 8:00pm

Room: TBA

Description: Are you already a Leadership in Action (LiA) Facilitator? Well guess what, we have a NEW session just for you! As a Facilitator it is important to continue to develop your presentation skills. In the "Advancing your Facilitation Skills" session, you will learn how to make your presentations more impactful and have the opportunity to give and receive feedback. This is first of two different opportunities to participate. The other Advancing session is Wednesday at 9:00 AM.

What: NAA Reception

Time: 7:00pm - 8:00pm

Room: TBA

Description: The Phi Sigma Pi Foundation invites NAA Members, local Alumni and Graduating Seniors to gather for conversation and light fare.

What: Mix 'n Mingle

Time: 8:30pm - 9:30pm

Room: TBA

Description: We'll show you how to interact effectively with Potential New Members through ice breakers and other get-to-know-you activities.

Saturday, August 5 Events & Activities

What: State of the Fraternity Address

Time: 8:00am - 8:30am

Room: TBA

Description: Hear the National President give you an overview of where our Fraternity is and where we are going in the future.

What: HOBY Presentation

Time: 8:30am - 9:00am

Room: TBA

Description: HOBY's Chief National Programs Officer Vicki Ferrence Ray will speak with us about how our organization can partner with HOBY.

What: How to: Invitational Meeting Sponsored By LiA

Time: 9:15am - 10:15am

Room: TBA

Description: The Do's and Don'ts of an Invitational Meeting. We will be breaking it down step by step, table by table, to get Chapters ready for Fall Recruitment. Participating in this Module will earn you 10 Leadership in Action points. Alumni Members- come share your experiences!

What: Leadership in Action (LiA) Module: The Art Of Effective Communication- All Aboard

Time: 10:30am - 11:30am

Room: TBA

Description: Initiates are now Members. There are newer Members and older Members. Change is happening every term. During this Module, we will learn to accept change and discuss how to keep Phi Sigma Pi Members "all aboard." Alumni- This Module is for you too! We are talking onboarding. Why it's important, how to do it and how to embrace new changes. Participating in this Module will earn you 10 Leadership in Action points.

What: Brotherhood for Life

Time: 11:45am -12:45pm

Room: TBA

Description: Welcome to Alumnihood! Hear from our panel about what it's like to be a Brother for life and how Phi Sigma Pi can continue to help you grow post graduation.

What: Lunch

Time: 12:45pm - 2:00pm

Description: On your own

What: Foundation Annual Membership Meeting

Time: 12:45pm -1:45pm

Room: TBA

Description: Members of the Phi Sigma Pi Foundation will have their Annual Membership Meeting at this time. This meeting is for Foundation Members. Alumni and those interested in learning more about The Foundation may also attend.

What: Roundtables

Time: 2:00pm - 3:00pm

Room: Description: TBA

What: The 55th Annual Banquet and Awards Presentation and Closing Session (**V.I.P.**)

Time: 6:00pm - 9:30pm

Room: TBA

Description:

- Doors open at 6:00pm
- Dinner at 6:30pm

What: After Hours Party

Time: 10:00pm - 1:00am

Room: TBA

Description: It's time to dance!

Read more on our [registration page](#).

Registration Page

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Phi Sigma Pi's 2017 National Convention will be held in Washington, D.C. Our host hotel is the [Crystal Gateway Marriott](#).

How to Register

1. Sign in.
2. Click "Register Myself."
3. Click "Edit Registrant Information" and make sure everything in your record is accurate.
4. Select a registration option.
5. Fill out the questions.
6. Add a hotel stay and merchandise in the Program Section under June 15, 2017 (the last day to register). If you plan on staying somewhere other than the host hotel, there is a \$40 fee.
7. Create your itinerary by adding the options you want to attend that aren't already selected for you.

Registration Details

The National Office will make its best effort to accommodate rooming preferences. Registration closes on June 15, 2017 at 11:59 PM PDT. Registrations received after June 15, may be accommodated, where possible; however, may require selection of an alternate rooming type. Your assigned room will remain the same through the duration of National Convention. (Attendees may not switch rooms during National Convention). Please check that your information is accurate by clicking "edit registrant information" and reviewing your profile.

Hotel Room Selection

Once you select your hotel stay preference, you will have an opportunity to list the names of your preferred roommates. Preferred roommates must also list you as their preferred roommate and must also have the same registration type as you. You must also list them at the time of registration. The National Office will try and locate roommates for you (especially if you register early); however, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to secure roommates. Attendees that have fewer roommates than the rate specified will be charged for the appropriate number of roommates. For example, this means you may be moved from a quad occupancy room to a triple occupancy room and will be expected to pay the difference upon receipt of invoice. This also means that you may be moved from a triple occupancy room to a quad occupancy room and will receive a refund. You will be asked to acknowledge this possibility in the hotel selection section below under Program Options.

Confirmation

Confirmation of your registration will be sent via email. For registrations paid by check, please allow up to two weeks for processing. If you do not receive confirmation after 30 days of submission, please contact the National Office at 717-299-4710 or pspoffice@phisigmapi.org.

Cancellation Policy

Refunds will be made available, less a \$65 administrative fee when refund requests are made in writing and postmarked or fax stamped by June 15. No refunds will be made after June 15 or for no-shows. Cancellations may be submitted via email to pspoffice@phisigmapi.org or via fax to 717-390-3954.

Waiver

You will be asked to read and sign a [waiver](#) in the questions.