

FAQ

You may have a few questions. So we've put together this FAQ.

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More than a Membership

Is this organization legitimate?

Yes, we are a legit organization.

Established in February 1916 by the University President of the University of Central Missouri, we are a non-profit organization now based on over 120 campuses and geographical locations throughout the United States.

Additionally, we are proud to have over 50,000 inducted Members with the mission to improve humanity with honor through Scholarship, Leadership and Fellowship.



What are Membership requirements?

We are an active organization on your campus. For approval, you must have a 3.0 GPA, college credits and at least one term remaining.

The next step to membership includes completing the Member Education Program and join us for an Induction Ceremony (currently performed online due to COVID).

Participation in our nationally renowned leadership program, access to National Events, availability of a letter of recommendation, applying for volunteer opportunities, etc. will become available to you once you are inducted into the organization.

What is Phi Sigma Pi's stance on diversity, equity and inclusion?

Phi Sigma Pi is committed to being a diverse, inclusive and equitable organization as we improve humanity with honor. For more information visit: phisigmapi.org/dei and phisigmapi.org/ThreeStars

What do I get?

What each Member takes away from Membership is different. But, we can share there are basic benefits such as:

- Custom Membership Shingle
- Membership Pin
- Access to a **leadership certification** and specialization program
- Availability for a **letter of recommendation**
- Opportunity to wear a graduation stole or cords
- Notable **leadership experience** for those starting a new chapter, and much more.

What makes Phi Sigma Pi special?

We would have to say our unique and diverse members. We are committed to providing the opportunity of the service-learning model to improve the lives of our Members and our communities.

This is accomplished through developing a nation-wide community, offering personal and professional development for the purpose of advancing others. That's what makes us special.

Are there Membership Fees?

Yes, as a nonprofit organization that provides opportunities to advance humanity, there is a membership fee for our ever-growing resources. If you are eligible, and joining the Chapter at your campus, your first term of dues is \$183. This includes your membership certificate, membership pin and decal.

Once in the Chapter, National dues include \$78 for semester schools and \$52 for quarter schools.

Steps to Joining

1. Fill out the interest application to let us know you want to join.
2. Claim your membership profile sent to your email.
3. Learn about Phi Sigma Pi and complete the Member Education Program.
4. Get connected with the Chapter on your campus.

How long to hear back after submitting an interest application?

Please allow for 5-7 business days.

Want a sneak peek behind some of the scenes?

Check out: core.phisigmapi.org and learn.phisigmapi.org

Is this an honor society?

Phi Sigma Pi is an active professional organization both locally and nationally. We are the perfect blend of a service organization, honor society and a social group. We pride ourselves on bringing additional experiences to our Members beyond what traditional societies are designed to provide.



How long will the Member Education Program take?

The nice part is this is completely up to you. We understand that flexibility is needed especially during this time.

The self-paced program is designed into 5 learning components and 1 activities component. The learning components have 1-5 sections that range from 3-20 minutes so you can complete them at your pace.

When do I get connected to the Chapter on campus?

As soon as you complete the Member Education Program, you will be connected to the local Chapter on your campus.

Start taking on leadership roles right away as an Officer/Chair, part of a Committee or as a Leadership in Action Facilitator.

Take part in planning or participating in events right away on the Chapter and National level.



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