

## Membership Training Academy Fee Breakdown & Membership Benefits

Alumni and Undergraduate membership badge selection and membership dues are based upon the fiscal year (October 1 through September 30)

**Freshman Candidate** – Current year plus three years of national, province, and local chapter dues. Combined financial obligation is capped at \$2,700.00\*.

**Sophomore Candidate** – Current year plus two years of national, province, and local chapter dues. Combined financial obligation is capped at \$2,700.00\*.

**Junior/Senior Candidate** – Current year plus one year of national, province, and local chapter dues. Combined financial obligation is capped at \$2,700.00\*.

**Alumni Candidate** – Current year plus one year of national, province, and local chapter dues. Combined financial obligation is capped at \$3,700.00\*.

\* Some exceptions may apply based upon a chapter's status with IHQ and their province

### \* Membership Benefits:

- A Membership Certificate
- A Membership Badge
- A Membership Card
- A Financial Card (with an expiration date)
- Official Kappa Alpha Psi Garment Bag
- Official Kappa Alpha Psi Two Button Blazer
- Official Kappa Alpha Psi Tie
- Coat of Arms Lapel Pin
- Membership Training Academy Computer Bag
- A copy of the Story of Kappa Alpha Psi
- A copy of the Protocol & Etiquette Manual
- A copy of the Encyclopedia of Guide Right
- A copy of the Constitution & Statutes
- The Journal of Kappa Alpha Psi (Spring/Summer/Fall/Winter)
- Confidential Bulletin (Twice Year)
- Contribution to the Kappa Alpha Psi Foundation (Senior Kappa Endowment Fund)
- NAACP 1 year complimentary membership contribution

## Frequently Asked Questions

### 1. What are Kappa Alpha Psi's academic requirements?

Each undergraduate applicant must have a 2.50 cumulative grade point average (minimum) at the time when an electronic membership application is submitted.

Each alumni applicant must be in possession of a Bachelor's degree at the time when an electronic membership application is submitted.

Kappa Alpha Psi® only accepts undergraduate applicants enrolled full time and alumni applicants with Bachelor's degrees from regionally accredited institutions by the following associations and commissions:

- Middle States Commission on Higher Education
- New England Commission of Higher Education
- Higher Learning Commission
- Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities
- Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges
- Western Association of Schools and Colleges Senior Colleges and Universities Commission

### 2. What are the college/university academic requirements?

Each college/university has different academic and basic requirements, which can be found and obtained in their Office of Greek Life.

### 3. What are some basic Kappa Alpha Psi requirements?

- Attend the approved **Formal Informational Meeting** to register and receive a membership application
- Five Letters of Recommendation
- Two (2x2) Passport Photos
- Voter's Registration Card
- Two Official Undergraduate College/University Transcripts

## Contact us

Kappa Alpha Psi® Fraternity, Inc.  
International Headquarters  
2322-24 North Broad Street  
Philadelphia, Pa 19132-4590

Office: 215 - 228 - 7184

Fax: 215 - 228 - 7181

Website: [www.kappaalphapsi1911.com](http://www.kappaalphapsi1911.com)

Kappa Alpha Psi®  
Fraternity, Inc.



Fall 2023 - Spring 2024





## Membership

### Kappa Alpha Psi® Fraternity, Inc. Brief History

Kappa Alpha Psi® Fraternity, Inc. was founded January 5, 1911 on the campus of Indiana University at Bloomington, Indiana by 10 men.

The Fraternity is divided into 12 Provinces (regions), each with a Province Polemarch (Regional Director) who is responsible for all undergraduate and alumni chapters in the province, along with the respective chapter advisors.

With over 643 functioning undergraduate and alumni chapters on major campuses and in cities throughout the country, and over 175,000 men initiated into our bond of fraternity, Kappa Alpha Psi® has consistently impacted the lives of African-American males.

The fraternity has a thrust on brotherhood and civic engagement. We take pride in sponsoring programs, projects, activities and services that strengthens community empowerment. Within this brochure, you will find out more about the benefits of membership.



## Training Leadership Development

One major hallmark of Kappa Alpha Psi® Fraternity, Inc is leadership empowerment. The premise is to train its members to be successful in all fields of human endeavor. There are several leadership programs that members may take advantage of to grow and enhance their leadership skills.

### Undergraduate Leadership Institute (ULI)

The ULI is a week-long, highly-structured and intense leadership experience designed to increase undergraduates' capacity to lead in multiple contexts in the fraternity, on campus, and/or in their communities. Held on the even year in the summer, the 100 participants who are selected after a rigorous application process, learn about their leadership style, identify challenges and barriers to successful leadership, and learn how to effectively communicate with others in order to achieve organizational goals.

### Lead Kappa (undergraduate)

Lead Kappa occurs in conjunction with the fraternity's biennial national meeting and has a focus on workforce and professional developments skills.

### C. Rodger Wilson Leadership Conference (undergraduate / Alumni)

C. Rodger Wilson Leadership Conference is for chapter officers and members to learn the duties of chapter positions and how to work collectively and effectively as a team.



## Academy

### Administrative Meeting

Required attendance to receive detailed instructions, expectations, and program schedule.

### Kappa Kore Curriculum #1, #2, #3, #4, #5, and #6

Required attendance to learn specific Kappa Alpha Psi historical material.

### Greek life-university Police Meeting #1,#2

Two required meetings to receive information from the professional college/university staff member(s) about state and college/university policies and procedures on hazing.

### Alumni Police Meeting

Required meeting to receive professional information from a community law enforcement officer about state policies and procedures on hazing.

### Academic Meeting #1, #2, and #3

Required and designed to provide each candidate with additional opportunities to focus on their college/university academic curriculum.

### St. Jude Sunday of Hope

Required national philanthropic initiative to support St. Jude Children's Research Hospital by facilitating a chapter fundraiser.

### Chapter dinner

Opportunity to meet and socialize with members of the local chapter and supervising alumni chapter.

### Chapter Community Service Project

Required community outreach initiative where assistance and support is rendered to a project that impacts citizens.