Phi Kappa Phi Graduate Fellowship Award Solicitation

The College of Charleston Chapter of Phi Kappa Phi, the nation’s oldest and most selective all-discipline honor society, is now accepting applications from its members in good standing for the nationally competitive Phi Kappa Phi graduate fellowship awards. These awards are to support exceptional students in the first year of graduate study. Each chapter of Phi Kappa Phi can submit one application for consideration in the national competition.

To be considered by the Charleston Chapter you must submit your application to the College of Charleston Chapter of Phi Kappa Phi (phikappaphi@cofc.edu) before noon on Friday April 1st, 2015. Please use “PKP Fellowship Application” as the subject line of the submission to phikappaphi@cofc.edu. The chapter will work with the selected nominee to put together a refined final application in time to meet the April 15th national deadline.

For more information about the PKP graduate Fellowship awards, please see the attached flier. For further information, interested applicants can contact any of the following College of Charleston Chapter Phi Kappa Phi officers:

Rick Heldrich, President, heldrichr@cofc.edu
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Ana Oprisan, Public Relations, OprisanA@cofc.edu
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About Fellowships
Every year, The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi awards 51 Fellowships of $5,000 each and six at $15,000 each to members entering their first year of graduate or professional study. Each Phi Kappa Phi chapter may select one candidate from among its local applicants to compete for the Society-wide awards.

How to Apply
Go to PhiKappaPhi.org/Fellowship to access an application and review submission instructions.

Selection Criteria
Selection is based on the applicant’s promise of success in graduate or professional study, including academic achievement, service and leadership experience, letters of recommendation, work sample, personal statement and career goals, and acceptance at an approved graduate or professional program.

Eligibility
Open to all active Phi Kappa Phi members or those who have accepted membership by June 30, 2016, and:

- Have applied to enroll as a full-time student in a post-baccalaureate program of study during the coming academic year.
  
  Please note: Students registering in all professional and graduate fields are eligible.

- Applicants who have successfully earned 10+ credit hours of graduate study or its equivalent on or before April 15 are NOT eligible.
  
  See application for complete details.

Deadline
Contact your chapter for application deadline information. Chapter may submit one application to Society headquarters by April 15, 2016. Recipients will be notified by June 15, 2016.

Founded in 1897 at the University of Maine and headquartered in Baton Rouge, La., Phi Kappa Phi is the nation’s oldest and most selective all-discipline honor society. Phi Kappa Phi inducts annually more than 30,000 students, faculty, professional staff, and alumni. The Society has chapters on more than 300 select college and university campuses in North America and the Philippines. Since Phi Kappa Phi’s founding, more than 1 million members have been initiated into its ranks.

FELLOWSHIPS

6 Available at $15,000 Each

51 Available at $5,000 Each

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