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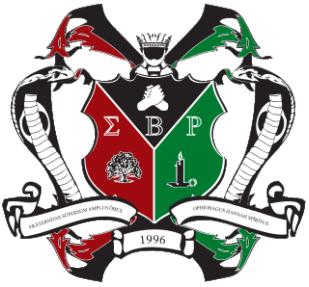
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# SIGMA BETA RHO

## FRATERNITY INC.

BROTHERHOOD BEYOND ALL BARRIERS

# ABOUT

**Founded**

August 16, 1996  
University of Pennsylvania

**Pillars**

Society, Brotherhood, Remembrance

**Vision**

"Brotherhood Beyond All Barriers"

**Colors**

Red Black Green

**Symbol**

King Cobra

**Publication**

The 7 Star Journal

**National  
Councils**

National APIA Pan-Hellenic Association  
North-American Interfraternity Conference



# ARE YOU READY?

Sigma Beta Rho Fraternity affords its members an opportunity to enhance the social and charitable experiences of their collegiate life through various leadership and volunteer projects, while encouraging them to maintain their academics at a high level.

Diversity plays an important role in our success; Sigma Beta Rho today is the fastest growing multicultural fraternity in the world, and we continue to set ourselves apart through the unique position we hold with regards to the different cultures and values represented amongst our membership.

After graduation, our members have a nationwide network of alumni professionals working in all industries at their disposal.

**Our mission is to cultivate a global leadership network founded in brotherhood, and impassioned by service to each other and our world!**





# HISTORY

Our pillars of Society, Brotherhood, and Remembrance were established upon the formation of the Alpha Chapter at the University of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia on August 16, 1996. Our founders realized the unique promise of a Greek-lettered organization that instills positive values amongst its members, provides an avenue for leadership, and promotes self-betterment.

As their fraternity developed, these founders understood that they must maintain a constant and growing nationwide network in order to truly manifest their organizational vision. As such, several new brothers were inducted on August 22, 1998 in New York. At that time, eight men from three different universities were given the status of National Founding Fathers as they were the visionaries who had established a fraternity that would last for years to come.



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# SIGMA BETA RHO TODAY

Modern day Sigma Beta Rho has grown considerably since its inception. It has expanded from its roots on the East Coast to more than forty recognized chapters and colonies that span the breadth of the nation. This growth stems from a reputation for excellent, values-based programming, diversity amongst our brotherhood, and alignment with the ideals of many students who strive for a competitive edge before entering a post-globalized working world.

As an organization that prides itself on having individuals from every continent, ethnicity, and religion, we seek to foster enriching, cross-cultural discourse both amongst our members and within our campus communities. Through the efforts of our brothers, we have become the largest, most expansive fraternity of our kind in eighteen years. With each passing day, we strive to take one more step towards realizing the nationwide network envisioned by our National Founding Fathers.



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# NATIONWIDE NETWORK

Sigma Beta Rho Fraternity, Inc. has grown to become a national fraternity with chapters stretching from coast to coast. While these chapters are spread out across multiple states, we relish the opportunity to visit other chapters, thus adding a second layer of meaning to our motto, brotherhood beyond all barriers, beyond its original intention to emphasize our cultural diversity.

Our alumni are also deeply involved in the growth and development of our brotherhood as an organization. We strive to maintain and augment our status as a highly rewarding and widely recognized networking channel for our young professionals. Our alumni, who are involved in various career paths, contribute generously to this goal.



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## CHAPTERS

A University of Pennsylvania  
B SUNY-Binghamton  
Γ St.John's University  
E Pace University  
Z SUNY- Stony Brook  
H Boston College  
Θ Rutgers University – New Brunswick  
I University of Washington  
K University of Rochester  
Λ Virginia Common Wealth University  
M University of South Florida  
N University of Georgia  
Ξ University of Maryland -College Park  
O University of Maryland – Baltimore County  
Π University of Florida  
P Temple University  
Σ Georgia Institute of Technology  
T University of Houston  
Y Drexel University  
Φ University of Sciences  
Ψ Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University  
AA Florida State University  
AB Northeastern University  
ΑΓ Oregon State University  
ΑΔ University of Tennessee at Knoxville

## ASSOCIATE CHAPTERS

Baruch College  
East Tennessee State University  
Indiana University  
Syracuse University  
University of Pittsburgh  
University of South Carolina

## COLONIES

Boston University  
Emory University  
Florida International University  
George Mason University  
Michigan State University  
New Jersey Institute of Technology  
Oklahoma State University  
Rutgers University - Newark  
Stevens Institute of Technology  
SUNY - Albany  
SUNY - Buffalo  
University of Illinois - Chicago  
University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign  
University of Massachusetts - Lowell  
University of Michigan  
University of Minnesota - Twin Cities  
University of North Florida  
University of Tennessee - Chattanooga  
University of Texas - Austin  
Wayne State University



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# SERVICE

As a fraternity that is heavily invested in service to our community, we have chosen S.O.S. Children's Villages to be our national philanthropy. This foundation has been working with underprivileged families around the world (in 133 different countries) since 1960 in order to prevent the crises that result from familial separation.



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Villages**



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# PROFESSIONAL NETWORK

## Finance

- Bank of America
- Chase Manhattan
- Citicorp
- Deutsche Bank
- Goldman Sachs
- Chase Bank
- Morgan Stanley
- Wells Fargo

## Healthcare

- Massachusetts General Hospital
- Mayo Clinic
- Memorial Sloan Kettering
- Montefiore Medical Center
- Mount Sinai Medical Center
- New York – Presbyterian Med Center
- Yale – New Haven Medical Center

## Management and Consulting

- Accenture Consulting
- Blue Mountain Capital LLC.
- Bloomberg
- Brown Brothers Harriman
- Deloitte & Touché
- Ernst & Young
- Smith Barney

## Government

- Police Departments in multiple cities
- Department of Homeland Security
- US Patent and Trademark Office
- HR Administration of NYC
- US Army
- US Marine Corps
- US Air Force

## Corporate and Non Profit

- Bottomline Technologies
- CCH Incorporate
- Factset Consulting Inc.
- Geico
- Grant Thornton
- Hilton Hotels
- Crimson Lab Corporation
- Institute for Healthcare Imp.
- Kroger's
- Lippincott Williams & Wilkins
- Lockheed Martin
- MONY Group
- Oppenheimer
- Distressed Children International
- Ovid Technologies
- Physicians for Human Rights
- UBS PaineWebber
- Walgreens Co.
- YouCast Corp.
- Wells Fargo & Co.



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# PROFESSIONAL NETWORK

## Professional and Graduate Education

- Boston Univ Graduate School of A&S
- Columbia Univ College of Dental Med
- Dana-Farber Cancer Institute in Boston
- Drexel Univ College of Medicine
- Eastern Virginia Medical School
- Fordham Law Univ
- Georgetown University Law Center
- George Washington Univ School of Med
- Harvard School of Public Health
- Harvard Kennedy School
- Marshall Univ – Joan C. Edwards Med
- Mercer Univ Law school

- Michigan State Univ College of Law
- New York College of Osteopathic Med
- Northwestern Univ – Feinberg Med
- Nova Southeastern Univ School of Dent
- Seton Hall Univ of Law
- Ross Univ School of Medicine
- St. George's Univ School of Medicine
- Touro College of Osteopathic Medicine
- SUNY – Downstate College of Medicine
- SUNY – Univat Buffalo School of Med
- SUNY - Upstate Medical Univ

## Prominent Alumni Affiliations

- Univ of Pennsylvania School of Medicine
- Univ of Pittsburgh School of Medicine
- Univ of Richmond School of Law
- Stony Brook Univ – School of Dentistry
- Vanderbilt Univ Graduate Biology
- Vanderbilt Univ Graduate Religion
- VC Univ – School of Public Health
- VC Univ – School of Dentistry
- Univ of Rochester School of Medicine
- Univ of South Florida College of Medicine
- Univ of Toronto Faculty of Dentistry
- Medical College of Virginia
- Univ of Pennsylvania Law School
- Univ of Michigan Law School



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## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### **What is new member education and how long will it take?**

More than anything else, new member education is a learning period during which a potential new member becomes well-versed in the values and ideals of Sigma Beta Rho, along with its history and traditions. Most importantly, though, this period represents a chance for all potential new members to get acquainted with the brothers of the fraternity, and vice versa. Each class of potential new members is assigned a New Member educator who will lead them through this process. This New Member Educator will interact very closely with his potential new members throughout the process. He acts as the ultimate judge of their successful completion of the new member education program. There is no predetermined time period for the successful completion of this program.

### **If I work or am taking a heavy class schedule, will I have time for new member education?**

One of the major virtues of any successful individual, and one we value highly, is the ability to manage his or her time efficiently. As such, time management is one of the key elements we stress during the new member education period. We understand that many men have obligations outside of our fraternity. We honor those obligations and will make every attempt to accommodate your schedule. However, it is for you to decide if you want to manage your time efficiently. You will find that we can be very flexible with respect to your class and work schedules.



# FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

## **Will my grades drop if I try to become a new member?**

Grades drop when your work is either incomplete or late and not completed with quality. While new member education may take a considerable amount of time away from your normal lifestyle, along the lines of the above answer, effective time management is a must. As is required by most colleges and universities, Sigma Beta Rho's new member education program mandates study hours for every potential new member, fostering good study habits. Furthermore, New Member Educators and Academic Chairs monitor grades through weekly progress reports.

## **Will I be hazed?**

No! Sigma Beta Rho is a strictly non-hazing organization. Our constitution strictly forbids brothers from hazing potential new members. Any brother who is discovered to have violated this policy will find himself expelled from Sigma Beta Rho.

## **How much will it cost to become a new member?**

Sigma Beta Rho does not charge a fee to participate in the new member education program. However, the process may require you to purchase certain materials. These materials are affordable by the average college student.

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