

## <u>AKPSI</u>

## Alpha Kappa Psi Rush Application Fall 2018

Instructions: Submit this document with the questions answered **AND** a copy of your resume. You must submit this application to akpsigammanu@gmail.com (or on our website at <a href="www.akpsibabson.org">www.akpsibabson.org</a>) by Sunday, September 16th by 11:59pm. Under no circumstances will late applications be accepted. You MUST submit an application in order to move on in the rush process!

1. What are your short term and long term professional goals? How do you think Alpha Kappa Psi can help you in your professional endeavors? (200 words max)

In the short term, I would like to apply for Winter and Summer internships so that I can strengthen my resume, broaden my network, and gain necessary skills and experience to become an expert consultant and financier.

Upon graduation, I want to work for a large corporation where I can gain industry experience and develop the leadership skills that I need to manage large and complex organizations. Eventually, after acquiring a diverse set of work experiences with large multinational companies, I will inevitably want to pursue my own venture. I will want to leverage my ideas, experience, and professional network to grow an entirely new business from the ground up.

Alpha Kappa Psi will be crucial to my career success because I believe that their mentoring program will help me grow tremendously and in the quickest way possible. Practicing mock interviews will make me confident in my ability to present my skills and background

clearly and concisely to future recruiters. Above all, admission to Alpha Kappa Psi will help me to tap into the most prominent business fraternity network in the world, one that I would be proud to be a member of.

2. If you were a brother of Alpha Kappa Psi, what would you contribute to the brotherhood? **150** words max)

If I were a brother of Alpha Kappa Psi, I would contribute my startup and community service experience, my "work hard, play hard" mindset, my strength at developing deep relationships with everyone, and my ability to bring people of diverse backgrounds and interests together in the pursuit of a common goal.

I always strive to remember to give more than I take. I stick by this motto because I want to be of value to everybody. My extroverted personality helps me connect with people better, and I enjoy having deep conversations rather than just engaging in small talk.

At Alpha Kappa Psi, I want to assume an active role in operations so that I can actually execute activities. My ability to communicate in English, Chinese, and Spanish will allow me to interact with a far more diverse group of people.

3. Out of all the applicants, what do you think makes you unique? Why do you believe you should be extended a bid? (200 words max)

Living outside of America my entire life and receiving an American style education wasn't always a smooth experience. But as I grew up, I learned to adapt by switching between speaking English and Mandarin. And as I developed a deeper understanding of Chinese culture in China and Taiwan, I found it a lot easier to fit in.

Yes, I don't really look like I come from anywhere, but that also plays to my advantage. I have experienced numerous cultures thanks to my Jewish father and Buddhist mother which has taught me how to empathize with more people. I am sensitive to the unique backgrounds and

concerns of people from other cultures, and as a result, I'm able to more readily form a bond with them. My leadership skills have grown as a result of my ability to organize a diverse group of people to work together as a team.

I believe that I should be extended a bid because I believe I can add substantial value to the global Alpha Kappa Psi community. My strong work ethic, my unique background, and my desire to constantly learn new things will allow me to make a distinctive contribution to Alpha Kappa Psi.