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Dear Recent Graduate:

You are important and we need you! Graduating from a baccalaureate program is a major accomplishment and it is also a huge transitional period in your life. Sigma Gamma Rho wants to be a part of that transition. Connecting with an alumnae chapter is a great way to begin building a foundation professionally and personally to propel you to the next stage in life.

We are here to support you and assist you with the process of taking your next step into Alumnae membership.

Check out our frequently asked questions to learn more about this discount!



“I graduated, now what?”

HEADTAX: \$75 (after half off discount)

INSURANCE: \$50

REGIONAL ASSESSMENTS: Varies based on Region

LOCAL ASSESSMENTS: Varies based on Local Chapter

* Transfer fee is waived for undergraduate members that transfer to an alumnae chapter within 6 months of graduating with a bachelor degree.

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NEW ALUMNAE MEMBER TRANSFER FORM

SECTION 1. CONTACT INFORMATION

Name: _____
First MI Last Maiden

Contact Address: _____
Address City State/Province Zip

Contact Phone: _____ Contact E-mail: _____

SECTION 2. GRADUATION INFORMATION

Undergraduate Institution Name: _____

Graduation Date: _____ Field of Study: _____

Special Skills: _____

SECTION 3. PREVIOUS CHAPTER INFORMATION

Previous Chapter Name: _____ Transferring to: _____

Basileus Name: _____ Basileus Signature: _____

Grammateus Name: _____ Grammateus Signature: _____

Advising Chapter Name: _____ City & State: _____

Advisor Name: _____ *Advisor Signature: _____

* If advisor or Basileus of the advising alumnae chapter

SECTION 4. Submission

Return this form with payment and copy of your degree/official transcript. If you are submitting an official transcript, it must indicate the date that your degree was conferred.

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Frequently Asked Questions

Q: Who is eligible for this discount?

A: Former undergraduate or regional undergraduate members who graduated in the 2015-16 sorority year who have or interested in transferring to an alumnae chapter the 2016-17 sorority year. You must be in good standing to qualify.

Q: Are there requirements to prove that I qualify for this status?

A: Yes, you will be required to provide a copy of your degree, showing a graduation confer date during the 2015-16 sorority year, with your completed New Alumnae remittance form and payment.

Q: What if I opt to not affiliate with a chapter and become a General Member or Member at Large?

A: You have that option. However, as a General Member, you will be assessed the General Member Surcharge. If you do choose to join a chapter, it is at the chapter's discretion on how local fees will be assessed to you. You must live 30+ miles from the nearest chapter to qualify for Member-at-Large status.

Q: What are the forms of payment?

A: We accept cashier's check, money order, American Express, Discover, Mastercard, and Visa. There will be a \$5.00 surcharge for processing credit card payments.

Q: If I graduated in December 2015 and am now a part of an alumnae chapter, do I qualify for the New Alumnae discount?

A: Yes, as a December graduate, you qualify for the discount if you have transferred to an alumnae chapter in the 2016-17 sorority year.

Q: After my graduation in the 2015-16 sorority year, I transferred to an alumnae chapter for the 2016-2017 sorority year and did not receive the discount available. How will this be handled?

A: If you have already paid the full fee as an alumnae member for the 2016-17 sorority year, you will be eligible for a credit to be used on national fees and/or assessments, including 2017 Boule registration or a refund of your discount amount.

Q: How long am I eligible to receive the discount as a new alumnae soror?

A: The discount only applies for the first two consecutive sorority years immediately following your graduation. You must remain in good financial status to take advantage of the discount.

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Q: I qualify for this discount and would still like to take advantage, although I have not paid dues for the 2016-17 sorority year. Can I still take advantage?

A: Yes, you can still take advantage of this opportunity to become financial at a discounted rate as a new graduate and transferring undergraduate for the 2016-17 sorority year. Late fees will apply.

Q: What other discounts are there for graduating undergraduates?

A: In addition to the discount on the national headtax, you may be eligible for the transfer fee waiver (must transfer within 6 months of graduating). Consult the alumnae chapter you are joining to see if they offer other discounts. There are also other tangible and intangible benefits for membership beyond undergraduate affiliation.

Q: I am new to the city that I am currently living located, how do I locate a chapter here?

A: Please contact your Regional Syntaktes, Regional Membership Chair or the International Corporate Headquarters to assist you with locating a chapter in your area.

Q: I am Military Soror, can I also redeem the discount for that membership type?

A: Discounts cannot be combined. Please choose the discount of your preference.

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