

# SCHOLAR RECOGNITION

Approximately 130,000 students inducted each year in nearly 1,300 chapters worldwide

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# PROVEN PROGRAMS & INITIATIVES



Annual Convention



Completion Initiative



Soft Skills Training

Programming



Development



Online

Transfer

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# STUDENT SUCCESS

91% of Phi Theta Kappa members complete their associate degrees and/or transfer to a four-year college

Compared to the national success rate of 39% among all community college students



More than \$37 million in scholarships to four-year schools for transfer students.

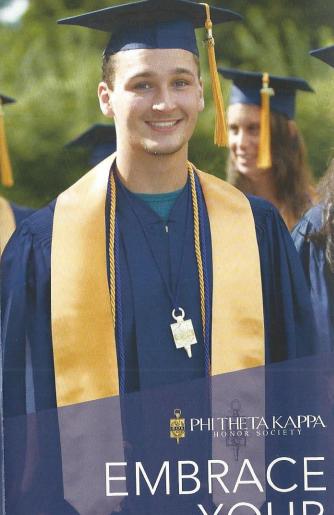
Phi Theta Kappa has provided personal, professional and leadership development; scholarship access; and engagement opportunities for more than 3 million members worldwide since 1918.

Students who were told they could never achieve success have had their lives changed.



We invite you to learn more about this prestigious organization. Visit ptk.org for a detailed look at the full benefits and opportunities afforded to you through membership in Phi Theta Kappa.

- There truly is something for everyone.



SUCCESS



Find stories of impact at ptk.org/news to see how others have benefited from membership.



And visit our sister site, cccompletioncorps.org, to see how we're supporting two-year colleges as a whole. Sign the pledge to college completion, and join the corps.

Regardless of your end goal, you can't afford to pass up this invitation, both for your present and for your future Congratulations on your achievement.









The oldest, largest and most prestigious honor society in higher education serving nearly 1,300 colleges in nine nations.

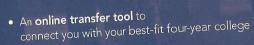
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Your investment in Phi Theta Kappa is an investment in your future.

- Formal recognition of your hard work that tells peers, admissions counselors and future employers that you are an accomplished scholar and leader
- The opportunity to apply for nearly \$90 million in scholarships to continue your education at the two-year, four-year and graduate levels
- Access to more than \$37 million in exclusive Phi Theta Kappa transfer scholarships to more than 700 four-year colleges and universities (the average transfer scholarship is \$2,500 per year per student)
- Renowned honors and leadership development programs that bring out and strengthen your true potential



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- Online opportunities to strengthen soft skills sought by today's employers
- A support system of like-minded two-year college students, faculty, staff and administrators

It's all at your fingertips, and it's all included in your membership fee.

These benefits are unmatched and unrivaled!

# PHI THETA KAPPA MEMBERSHIP **DELIVERS ACCESS TO** LIFE-CHANGING BENEFITS

# **Scholarships & Transfer Resources**

- By partnering with senior colleges, universities and foundations to offer more than \$87 million in scholarships to our members, we're opening the doors to some of the most selective schools in higher education
- · Access to CollegeFish.org, Phi Theta Kappa's awardwinning comprehensive college completion and transfer planning tool
- Letters of recommendation sent to college admissions counselors
- Transfer support and lifetime networking opportunities through alumni associations

### Receive Recognition for Your Academic Achievement

- Golden Key Membership Pin
- Embossed Membership Certificate
- Opportunity to wear the Phi Theta Kappa Honors Regalia (contingent on college policy)
- Membership notation on transcript (contingent on college policy)
- Press Release announcing membership

# Personal Development & Career Resources

- Access to Five Star Competitive Edge, our professional development plan that equips you with valued skills such as teamwork, professional etiquette and critical thinking combined with resources like resume development, interview skills and an online portfolio allowing you to rise above the competition for career opportunities
- · Letters of recommendation sent to potential employers
- Opportunity for GS upgrade for federal employees (upon completion of baccalaureate degree)

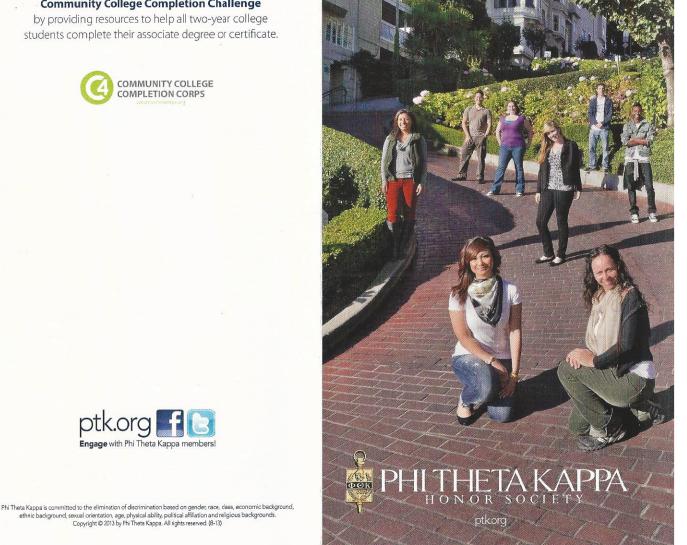


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### Community College Completion Challenge



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Accept your membership invitation and be rewarded for your academic achievement

with exclusive scholarships, benefits and

professional development opportunities.

"I accepted the membership invitation because I liked the idea of being recognized for my hard work. I got involved because of the great people and the opportunities to improve myself and help others. It was a decision that changed my life."

Stacy Stucjus Alpha Omicron Chi Chapter Paradise Valley Community College Phoenix, Arizona

"My invitation to become a Phi Theta Kappa member was a key milestone in my life and empowered me to feel part of something bigger than my own challenges. In spite of daunting obstacles, I have come far and I am positive that Phi Theta Kappa was instrumental in not only raising my self-esteem, but also in helping me achieve grants and scholarships, which made my educational pursuits less financially daunting. I am now a proud Phi Theta Kappan, a summa cum laude graduate and the first in my family to graduate college."

Ross Erickson Alpha Omega Beta Chapter St. Petersburg College Pinellas Park, Florida

"Phi Theta Kappa made me realize that all you have to do is stay focused and you can achieve anything you put your mind to. The sky's the limit. I wear my Phi Theta Kappa pin with pride because I know the struggles I had to go through to get here. Phi Theta Kappa changed me."

Briana Reed Xi Chi Chapter Manor College Jenkintown, Pennsylvania

