

KAPPA ALPHA PSI FRATERNITY, INCORPORATED

SOUTHERN PROVINCE

2023 Alumni Chapter of the Year Petition

Petition Instructions

The Southern Province Alumni Chapter of the Year Award is the highest award available to alumni chapters for outstanding achievement. The alumni chapters nominated must have at least **ten (10) members** who are in **“Good Standing”** with the alumni chapter, Province, and Grand Chapter.

A.) A chapter with at least **10 but not more than 30 members** in good standing with the Fraternity at the Grand Chapter, Province and chapter levels is in the **small chapter** category;

B.) A chapter with at least **31 but not more than 60 members** in good standing with the Fraternity at the Grand Chapter, Province and chapter levels is in the **medium chapter** category;

C.) A chapter with **more than 61 members** in good standing with the Fraternity at the Grand Chapter, Province and chapter levels is in the **large chapter** category.

The total number of members in “Good Standing” reported by the chapter will be verified by the Southern Province Achievement Committee by contacting IHQ to verify accuracy.

Petitions for the alumni chapter of the year award must be typed and submitted on a standard petition application from the Southern Province website. The completed petition application must be postmarked by the deadline of **March 24, 2023, and mailed as follows:**

- A) Send one (1) copy to the Achievement Committee Chairman
- B) Send one (1) copy to each member of the Achievement Committee

A mailing list of Southern Province Achievement Committee members is included with the Chairman’s Letter, and can be located on the Southern Province web site.

The completed petition application must be supported with documentation. The documentation may include official letters, printed programs, brochures, newspaper articles, pictures, **none of which will be returned.**

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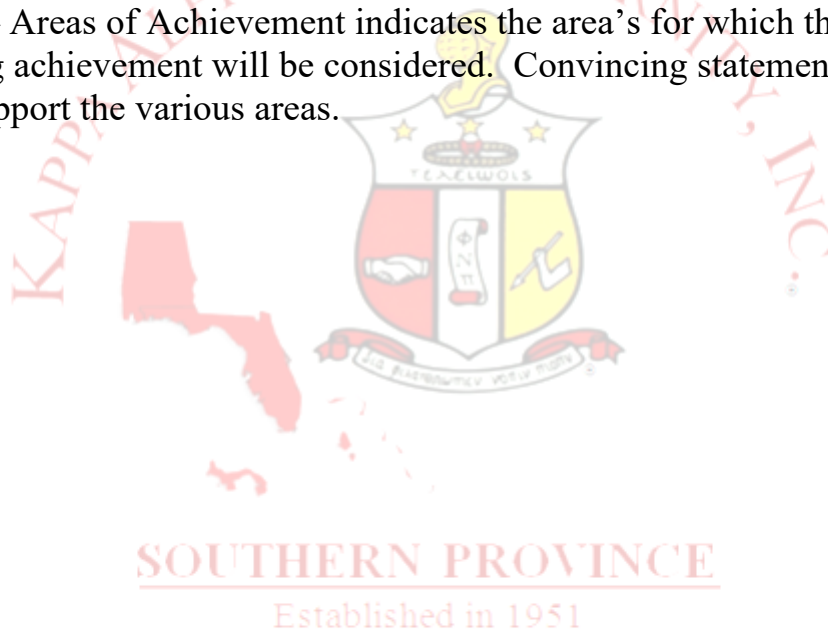
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The petition is divided into three (3) parts:

PART I – Background is general information that provides basic background information about the chapter.

PART II – Province Certification certifies that the Chapter is in “**Good Standing**” with the Province. **This section must be completed and sign by the Southern Province Polemarch, Southern Province Keeper of Exchequer, and Southern Province Keeper of Records which will be available to be downloaded from the Southern Province website!**

PART III – Areas of Achievement indicates the area’s for which the Chapter’s outstanding achievement will be considered. Convincing statements should be made to support the various areas.



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Petition Application

Name of Chapter

City/State

Submitted By Brother

Total number of members in “Good Standing” recognized by IHQ

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PART I: Background

Chapter Name: _____

Charter Date: _____ / _____ / _____

Address: _____

Chapter Financial Membership: _____ Life Member: _____ Subscribing Life Members: _____

Polemarch **Signature** **Date**

Email Address: _____

Address: _____

Current Contact Number: (____) _____ - _____, Evening (____) _____ - _____

Keeper of Records **Signature** **Date**

Email Address _____

Address: _____

Current Contact Number: (____) _____ - _____, Evening (____) _____ - _____

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PART II: Province Certification

This form must be signed and dated by each Southern Province Officer Below!

We, the undersigned do hereby certify that the above Chapter is in good standing with the Southern Province, and has paid all required dues and assessments imposed by our Province. We further attest that the Southern Province has not been notified that the Chapter is the subject of any pending disciplinary action by any level within Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity nor are there any allegations pending against the Chapter what would subject it to any disciplinary action. To the best of our knowledge, this petition presents a true and accurate statement of the eligibility and qualification of the Chapter for the Southern Province Alumni Chapter of the Year Award of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc.

Jason M. Jones, Esq.	01/02/2023
Province Polemarch	Signature Date

Cleveland Ferguson III, Esq.	12/01/2022
Province Keeper of Records	Signature Date

Ralph A. Altice	12/01/2022
Province Keeper of Records	Signature Date

****Copy of this page must be included with each copy of the submitted petition****

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PART III: Areas of Achievement

Chapters are given the autonomy to answer each petition question in their own unique manner. All responses to the petition questions must be typed. Use as many pages as deem necessary to express the achievements of the chapter. Attach any additional documents, newspaper articles, programs, or pictures to support the responses of the petition questions below:

1. State the goals and objectives of the Chapter for the previous year and the results **(10 points)**.
2. Describe briefly the Chapter's budget; its development, sources of funds; distribution of resources and relationship to goals stated in item #1 **(5 points)**.
3. Describe the Chapter's Guide Right Program **(15 points)**.
4. Does the Chapter sponsor an undergraduate chapter? If so, name the undergraduate chapter and give a description of the chapter's interaction with the chapter. Also include a statement on any financial support provided to the chapter. Attach a letter of support from the undergraduate chapter **(15 points)**.
5. Describe the Chapter's involvement with programs of goals announced by the Grand Chapter and Province Council (include names of programs/goals) **(20 points)**.
6. Describe the Chapter's involvement within the community. Identify activities under the following headings: a) political action; b) social action; c) scholarship support; d) community service; and e) contributions to charitable and non-profit organizations **(15 points)**.
7. Describe the Chapter's reclamation and retention efforts **(15 points)**.
8. Give the names of the Chapter Brothers who hold an elective or appointive office or committee membership at the Province or Grand Chapter level **(5 points)**.