

University of California, San Diego
Alpha Kappa Delta (AKΔ)
International Sociological Honors Society
Application for Membership

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Full Name (as you would like to appear on certificate):

Would you like an optional \$8 Honors Cord for Commencement?

Yes

No

Student PID #: _____

Local Telephone Number: () - _____

E-mail Address: _____

Local Mailing Address:

Permanent Address:

Class Standing: Junior Senior

Expected Quarter & Year of Graduation: _____

Overall GPA: _____

Sociology GPA: _____

I am a Sociology... Major Minor

Indicate at least four sociology courses that you have completed:

Signature _____

Date _____

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Benefits of membership:

1. Official recognition of academic achievement in the field of sociology
2. Opportunities to participate in local chapter activities that provide information about a range of topics related to sociology
3. One year subscription to *Sociological Inquiry*, the official journal of AKD
4. Eligibility for paper competitions and other academic awards for sociological work

Requirements for admission:

1. Sociology major or demonstrated serious interest in sociology
2. Junior standing (third year) or above
3. Overall GPA of 3.0 or above
4. Sociology GPA of 3.0 or above
5. Completion of at least four regular courses in sociology prior to initiation
6. AKD members are encouraged to participate in the Undergraduate Sociological Association (USA) quarterly activities.

Initiation fee: There is an initiation fee of \$40 that includes a lifetime membership in AKD and a one-year subscription to the official journal of the society, *Sociological Inquiry*. Graduating seniors may also purchase an AKD honors cord for \$8 to wear at Commencement.

Instructions for Application: Please fill in the above information and attach a copy of your transcript (official or unofficial, with both overall and sociology GPAs) and a check for \$40 (made out to UC Regents). You may deliver your completed application to the Department of Sociology's main office.

If you have any questions or would like to know more about AKD, please contact the Undergraduate Sociology Association (usaakd@ucsd.edu) or check out their website <http://usaakd.ucsd.edu>.