

SIGMA DELTA PI APPLICATION

Alpha Alpha Iota Chapter **National Collegiate**

Honor Society University of Texas Rio Grande Valley

Submit completed application form, appropriate fees (**cash**), and unofficial transcripts to **Dr. Laura Garza or Professor Ana Peña (Edinburg ELABS 210, Brownsville Sabal Hall 2.202.**



First and last names (as you wish these to appear on your certificate):

e-mail address

Please initial:

- _____ I have included my unofficial transcripts with this application.
_____ I have reviewed by transcript and hereby confirm that I meet the requirements:
_____ I have included my fees with my application.

Graduate students

_____ I am admitted to Graduate School with unconditional status and have completed two graduate courses in Spanish with an average that supports my eligibility for a graduate degree.

Undergraduate students

- _____ I have **completed at least three** semesters of college course work.
_____ I have **completed at least 18** hours of college-level Spanish or the equivalent (by-passed college level Spanish courses count toward the 18 hours required; candidates may be currently enrolled in the 6th course that constitutes the complete 18 credit hours in Spanish, (but an e-mail to sigmadeltapi@utrgv.edu from the professor in question must verify that you have at least a B average in the course).
_____ Of these 18 hours, I have completed or am currently enrolled in, at least, one course at the 3000-level or higher in **Hispanic literature, or Hispanic culture**. (if currently enrolled, professor must e-mail verification that your grade is at least a B average). Course(s): _____ Semester(s): _____
_____ I have earned at least a **3.0** average in all **completed** college-level Spanish courses.
_____ I have a **cumulative grade point average of 3.2 or better** in all completed college courses.

You will receive more information on the initiation ceremony closer to the ceremony date. In order to be initiated into Sigma Delta Pi, you **MUST attend** the ceremony and you are more than welcome to invite family and friends.(maximum of 2 guests)

- _____ I will pay a ONE TIME **\$45** fee. If I am accepted for membership and do not attend the initiation ceremony, I forfeit the \$45 fee along with membership as the national by-laws prohibit initiations in absentia. I am also aware that failure to attend the ceremony results in my not becoming a member of Sigma Delta Pi. If I do not meet the requirements for membership, your \$45 will be reimbursed to you. Accepted forms of payment: cash only.
_____ **Not obligatory:** For an extra **\$15 / \$35 / \$45** (circle one), I would like to receive a graduation Honor's stole or cord (see next page for details).

Signature _____

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The **\$45** fee will offer you the following:

- Exclusive access to *Sigma Delta Pi's* growing scholarship program comprising of exclusive access to Sigma Delta Pi's growing scholarship program comprising annual [undergraduate awards](#) for summer study programs abroad.
- AMONG many other opportunities: Please see <http://www.sigmadeltpi.org/Member.Benefits.html>

OPTIONAL EXTRA FEES: Upon applying for graduation, you can request the following Sigma Delta Pi regalia:



A. \$15 - Honor Cord_ Students must participate in Sigma Delta Pi sponsored or faculty advisor approved events



B. \$35 Gold Stole_
Only for Sigma Delta Pi Student Chapter Officials



C. \$45 - Fancy Gold Stole_
Only for Sigma Delta Pi Chapter President

Name: _____