

Alpha Sigma Nu

Scholarship • Loyalty • Service

Fact Sheet

What is Alpha Sigma Nu?

Alpha Sigma Nu is the Honor Society of Jesuit institutions of higher education. Induction to the Society is one of the highest honors awarded at Jesuit institutions. Find out more at www.AlphaSigmaNu.org.

Who is eligible to join?

Juniors, seniors and graduate students who are in the top 15% of their class and have a demonstrated record of service and loyalty to the Jesuit ideals of education are eligible; 4% of the class is inducted.

Why should I join?

- Recognition by your Jesuit institution of higher education of your achievements
- Lifelong membership in the Society
- Alumni Clubs in 14 cities will welcome you upon graduation. Alpha Sigma Nu Alumni Clubs encourage lifelong commitment to the AΣN values of scholarship, loyalty, and service; the ideals of Jesuit education; and Ignatian spirituality.
- Federal government employment entrance at the GS-7 ranking for members.
- Washington, D.C. internships and scholarship opportunities through The Fund for American Studies, Washington Internship Institute and the Washington Center for Internships and Academic Centers.
- Alpha Sigma Nu gives each new inductee a one year web subscription to America magazine. Published by the Jesuits since 1909, America is the only national Catholic weekly magazine in the United States

What is the cost?

The dues are \$90 for a lifetime membership. This pays for your certificate, medallion and official pin plus all AΣN mailing for the rest of your life. There are no annual dues.

Are there networking possibilities? Will membership help with career moves?

AΣN has 62, 000 members throughout the world. Alumni can be located in the AΣN Member Directory online which has 45,000 current names with contact information. The directory facilitates networking and collegiality with a remarkable group of people from all 33 member Jesuit institutions in the United States, plus two in Canada and one in Korea.

Will this help with graduate or professional school admission?

Membership in Alpha Sigma Nu is a recognized and respected credential. Established in 1915, AΣN is a full member of the Association of College Honor Societies.