

## Chapter Of Merit Program Application

State / Chapter submitting application - Kansas / Alpha Rho

### **Organization and Leadership**

1. The Chapter has a Constitution and Bylaws in Place - 1
2. Chapter has a President, President-Elect and Treasurer - 1
3. Chapter has the following Committees:
  - a. Scholarships, Grant and Recognition - 1
  - b. Public Issues - 0
  - c. Membership Recruitment and Retention - 1
  - d. Global Issues - 1
  - e. Resource Development and Management - 1
  - f. Professional Development - 1
4. Officers are elected on a regular schedule - 1
5. Executive Board meets at least twice annually -1
6. Leadership participates in the JCEP Leadership Conference - 2
7. Leadership participates in the ESP National Council Meeting - 1
8. Chapter Dues are paid by the February 1 deadline -1
9. Chapter participates in e-mentoring of other ESP Chapters - 0

### **Scholarships, Grants and Recognition**

1. Chapter provides recognition for membership in the following areas:
  - a. Distinguished Service - 1
  - b. Mid-Career Service - 1
  - c. Early Career Service - 1
  - d. Continued Service - 0
  - e. International Service - 1
  - f. Administrative Leadership - 1
  - g. Visionary Leadership - 1
  - h. Distinguished Team - 1
  - i. Diversity Multicultural - Individual - 1
  - j. Diversity Multicultural - Team - 1
  - k. Retiree Service Recognition - 1
2. Chapter recognizes Friends of Extension - 1
3. Chapter presents Meritorious Support Recognition - 0
4. Chapter submits nominees for the National Recognition Program - 1
5. Chapter votes in National Recognition Program for nominees - 1
6. Chapter has submitted a request/received a mini-grant - 0

## **Member Recruitment and Retention**

1. Chapter initiates new members every year - 1
2. Chapter recruits Life Members from retirees - 1
3. Chapter collects annual dues from membership in a timely manner - 1
4. Chapter has a website for membership information -1

## **Professional Development**

1. Members participate in the ESP National Meeting - 10
2. Members submit proposals to present at national meeting - 1
3. Members participate in JCEP Regional Leadership Conferences - 1
4. Chapter publishes a newsletter - 1

## **Public Issues**

1. Members participate in the Public Issues Leadership Development - 1

## **Resource Development and Management**

1. Chapter provides scholarships for member - 1
2. Chapter supports the Development Fund through auctions/donations - 1
3. Chapter uses good financial practices - 1

## **Global Relations**

1. Chapter recognizes members for work in Global Issues - 1

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