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Fellowship Award Changes

More Fellowships, More Money Awarded Change of Applicant Requirements

In the Fall Bridge newsletter, there was news of SBD increasing the total dollar amount of the Fellowships given away this coming July—that number has grown again. At the SBD Board of Directors meeting, held in San Diego this past January, it was decided to increase the quantity of Fellowships given awarded to 20 in conjunction with SBD celebrating our 20th anniversary. Increasing the quantity also increases the total dollar amount to \$23,000. The Fellowship awards are for either \$1000 or \$1500, and there could be Honorable Mention awards of \$250 as well.

The bigger news about the application process is the Board's decision to remove the requirement that the applicant use the money awarded for future education. In the past the student receiving the award would have to show proof of enrollment to receive the award and the award would be made out to the school to pay for classes. Now the student receiving the award does not have to use the money for future education. The award check will be made out in the student's name for the student to use at their discretion. The Board saw the requirement of future education as a deterrence for some students to apply and also wanted to make sure the award is given for a student's current standing and aspirations.

As induction ceremonies and graduation draws near please remind the students to apply for our Fellowship. You can find the application on our website, [click here](#). Remember, there can be only one applicant from each chapter. It is up to the chapter to decide how to determine the applicant to forward to the SBD Central Office.



20% Off Sale

SBD is bringing in new merchandise so we have to clear out the current stock. To help celebrate SBD's 20th anniversary, enjoy 20% off all Non-Regalia and Non-Chapter Specific merchandise until May 15th. Tell your friends and visit [SBD's store](#).



From the Sigma Beta Delta Board of Directors.....

“As a result of the work of student and faculty members, the Board of Directors of Sigma Beta Delta encourages its members to actively Support Organ and Tissue Donation. The Board takes this action in recognizing this as an opportunity in achieving our mission of serving humankind.”

To sign up as a donor [click here](#).

Sigma Beta Delta Chapter Anniversaries

20 Year Anniversary - Member Chapters Since 1994

<u>School</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Installed</u>
Saint Leo University	FL	April 11
McKendree University	IL	April 13
Saint Mary's College of California	CA	May 18
University of New Haven	CT	May 21

15 Year Anniversary - Member Chapters Since 1999

Nazareth College	NY	March 25
Hope College	MI	April 12
Long Island University	NY	April 27
Dickinson College	PA	April 28
California Lutheran University	CA	May 14

10 Year Anniversary - Member Chapters Since 2004

Briarcliffe College	NY	January 27
Kentucky Wesleyan College	KY	January 27
Robert Morris University-Peoria	IL	February 7
Robert Morris University-O'Hare	IL	February 10
Wentworth Institute of Technology	MA	March 24
Robert Morris University-DuPage	IL	April 7
Warner University	FL	April 14
University of Wisconsin-Green Bay		April 30
Aquinas College-Grand Rapids	MI	May 4

5 Year Anniversary - Member Chapters Since 2009

Worcester State College	MA	January 8
Averett University	VA	January 8
Carroll College	MT	February 16
Mid-America Christian University	OK	March 2
LeTourneau University	TX	March 23
Purdue University North Central	IN	April 1
East Stroudsburg University	PA	April 6
Whittier College	CA	April 6
Davenport University	MI	April 28
Thomas Edison State College	NJ	May 15
Hamline University	MN	June 24

CONGRATULATIONS!

Hello from your Executive Director

Hello everyone. Spring is thankfully right around the corner. I've had enough cold and snow and ice as I'm sure most of you have. Spring is the season to honor our best and brightest. Please contact me if you have any questions regarding the SBD Online Registration System, changes in the Fellowship application process, or anything else about SBD.

The last six months have brought us new chapters including our 400th at Rockford University. SBD recently held our Advisor Workshop. We will hold our next workshop in January 2016 so if you would like to be involved, please let me know.

Please help promote our [20% Off Spring Sale](#). When we clear out our current inventory we will begin with new and fresh merchandise. If you or your students have anything specific you'd like to see in our store, please let us know.

It will be an exciting few months ahead as I close out my first year as Director. I have met and worked with many great chapter officers who are very passionate about honoring students for their high academic achievement. I may have met one or two cantankerous officers but they are fun as well. I will continue working to broaden SBD's reach internationally. I will continue to make membership meaningful for all our members and I will be working on our biggest asset as a society — our member database.

I will be attending the IACBE yearly meeting in April in San Diego. SBD currently has chapters at 58 IACBE accredited schools. I look forward to meeting members of our chapters at the meeting.

I'm excited to be working with all of you. Thank you all for the extra work you do in the name of Sigma Beta Delta. Please do not hesitate to contact me if I can be of service to you - sigmabetadelta@umsl.edu
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Sincerely,



Peter Banholzer



Sigma Beta Delta in the Community

Are your members exhibiting leadership skills and upholding the principles under which they were inducted; **wisdom, honor and aspirations**? Let the Central Office know what your chapter is doing and we will be happy to spotlight your efforts on our website and maybe in an upcoming newsletter.



Remember—each chapter can induct two **Honorary Members** annually. This is a great way to honor Alumni, incorporate local business and civic leaders with your chapter and school, or to honor school Presidents and Administrators.

Please help us update our member database

If you run into an alumni SBD member, ask them to update their information by visiting our website—

[Update Contact](#)



Members and officers can search for and post jobs on our website via this link.

Sigma Beta Delta Career Center



Chapter Officer Resources

Find all the current forms & information on our website

[Click Here](#)



Sigma Beta Delta



Please Welcome Our New Chapters Installed Since September 2013

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| <p>Argosy University-Dallas
Dallas, TX
Installed: December 17, 2013
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Wayne Smith</p> | <p>Jones International University
Centennial, CO
Installed: January 27, 2014
Faculty Advisor: William Loendorf</p> |
| <p>Ave Maria University
Ave Maria, FL
Installed: December 17, 2013
Faculty Advisor: Dorothy Thompson</p> | <p>Rockford University
Rockford, IL
Installed: November 14, 2014
Faculty Advisor: Jeff Fahrenwald</p> |
| <p>Gwynedd-Mercy University
Gwynedd Valley, PA
Installed: December 12, 2013
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Ralph Hoffman</p> | <p>Springfield College
Springfield, MA
Installed: January 15, 2014
Faculty Advisor: Brenda Canning</p> |



Power Up with SBD's Online Registration Process

Less Work for Your Chapter

The long talked about **Online Registration System (ORS)** is here. Each chapter is welcome to start using the system this Spring, or continue the "old way", but come the **Fall of 2014 ALL chapters will be using this system.** This system was created to make life simpler for the chapters, the central office and the students. No longer will you need to chase the students down for information or payment. SBD will receive all the payments so the chapters will no longer have to worry about Accounts Payable and the central office won't have to remind the chapters about past due accounts. The Personal Data Cards and "sbdmemb spreadsheet" will be history. The yearly Chapter Certification Report may become history. Your students can pay online at any time of the day or night. ORS is highly adaptable to every chapter's needs. It's simple to set up and use. Please contact the Central Office for more information.

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Williams Baptist College

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Dominican University of California
Holy Names University
Mount St. Mary's College
National University
Pacific Union College
St. Mary's College of California
Vanguard University of Southern California
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COLORADO

Adams State University
Argosy University-Denver
Colorado Technical University Online
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University of St. Joseph

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Wesley College
Wilmington University

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Ave Maria University
Bethune-Cookman University
Daytona State College
Edison State College
Edward Waters College
Flagler College
Florida Southern College
Hodges University
Indian River State College
Keiser University-Ft. Lauderdale
Keiser University-Lakeland
Keiser University-Pembroke Pines
Keiser University-Tallahassee
Lynn University
Nova Southeastern University
Palm Beach Atlantic College
Palm Beach State College
Pensacola State College
Saint Leo University
St. Petersburg College
Southeastern University
Warner University

GEORGIA

Argosy University-Atlanta
Emmanuel College
Georgia Gwinnett College
Life University
Reinhardt University
Shorter University-Atlanta
Shorter University-Rome
Thomas University

ILLINOIS

Argosy University-Chicago
Argosy University-Schaumburg
Benedictine University
Kendall College
McKendree University
Olivet Nazarene University
Quincy University
Robert Morris University-Chicago
Robert Morris University-DuPage
Robert Morris University-O'Hare
Robert Morris University-Orland Park
Robert Morris University-Peoria
Robert Morris University-Springfield
Wheaton College

INDIANA

Grace College
Indiana Institute of Technology
Purdue University North Central

IOWA

Coe College
Loras College
William Penn University

KANSAS

Bethany College
Ottawa University

KENTUCKY

Kentucky Wesleyan College
McKendree University
Mid-Continent University
Sullivan University-Lexington
Sullivan University-Louisville
University of Pikeville
University of the Cumberlands

LOUISIANA

Centenary College of Louisiana
Our Lady of Holy Cross College
Southern University at New Orleans

MAINE

Husson University

MARYLAND

Capitol College
Coppin State University
Washington Adventist University
Washington College

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Bridgewater State University
Cambridge College
Curry College
Emmanuel College-Boston
Endicott College
Mount Ida College
Springfield College
Stevenson University
Wentworth Institute of Technology
Westfield State College
William Carey University
Worcester State College

MICHIGAN

Aquinas College-Grand Rapids
Cornerstone University
Davenport University
Hope College
Lake Superior State University
Siena Heights University

MINNESOTA

Argosy University-Twin Cities
Bemidji State University
Hamline University
University of Northwestern St. Paul

MISSISSIPPI

Belhaven University
William Carey University

MISSOURI

College of the Ozarks
Columbia College
Culver-Stockton College
Sigma Chapter

MONTANA

Carroll College
Montana Tech

NEBRASKA

Bellevue University
Wayne State University

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Colby-Sawyer College
Franklin Pierce University

NEW JERSEY

Berkeley College
College of Saint Elizabeth
Felician College
Kean University
Saint Peter's College
Thomas Edison State College

NEW YORK

Berkeley College
Briarcliffe College
Bryant & Stratton-Western NY
Buffalo State College
College of Staten Island-CUNY
College of Westchester
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Elmira College
Excelsior College
Farmingdale State College-SUNY
Hartwick College
Keuka College
Lehman College-CUNY
Long Island University
Marymount Manhattan College
Medaille College
Molloy College
Monroe College
Nazareth College
Nyack College
Potsdam-SUNY
St. Francis College
Touro College

NORTH CAROLINA

Barton College
Brevard College
Chowan College
Lees-McRae College
North Carolina Wesleyan College
Salem College
St. Andrews University

NORTH DAKOTA

Dickinson State University

OHIO

Cincinnati Christian University
College of Mount St. Joseph
Defiance College
Franklin University
Ohio Christian University
Ohio Wesleyan University
Urbana University
Walsh University

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Mid-America Christian University
Rogers State University

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Marylhurst University
Northwest Christian University

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Argosy University-Online
Cabrin College
Chestnut Hill College
Delaware Valley College
Dickinson College
East Stroudsburg University
Gwynedd-Mercy University
Lincoln University
Lycoming College
Misericordia University
Penn State-Altoona
Penn State-Greater Allegheny
Penn State-Lehigh Valley
Saint Francis University
South University Online
University of the Sciences
Waynesburg University

RHODE ISLAND

Salve Regina University

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Allen University
Charleston Southern University
Limestone College
Presbyterian College

SOUTH DAKOTA

Black Hills State University

TENNESSEE

Aquinas College-Nashville
Austin Peay State University
Bryan College
Martin Methodist College
Southern Adventist University

TEXAS

Argosy University-Dallas
Concordia University-Texas
East Texas Baptist University
Howard Payne University
LeTourneau University
Schreiner University
Southwestern Adventist University
Texas College
Wayland Baptist University

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St. Norbert College
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