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# Rush Flyer

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Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated® Rho Tau Chapter  
University of South Carolina Upstate  
Formal Rush

All materials must be submitted by September 24, 2021 at 5pm  
Business Attire

In order to receive an invitation to the Virtual Formal Rush, the following requirements for membership consideration must be met:

- Have a cumulative and current C+ average
- Be a full-time student during the present and prior term
- Must have creditably completed\* at least one grading period (or as defined by the college or university) as a full-time student at the institution affiliated with the chapter, immediately preceding submission of application.  
\*creditably completed is synonymous to earned full-time hours (12+ hours) for Spring or Fall session, whichever is applicable
- Access the following forms and complete from <https://aka1908.com/membership/aspiring-or-prospective-members>
  - Applicant's Pre-Rush Instructions Checklist
  - Undergraduate Membership Interest Application
  - Legacy Information and Legacy Application (if applicable)
  - Evidence of Community/Campus Involvement Forms
  - *General Information for the Collegian* brochure (for your file)
- Prepare the following documents and submit in the order listed below:
  - Official letter from the college/university registrar that confirms your full-time status as a student
  - Completed Undergraduate Legacy Application (if applicable)
  - Completed Undergraduate Membership Interest Application Form
  - At least one completed Evidence of Community/Campus Involvement (ECCI) Form
  - Two (2) Letters of Reference
  - Letter of Interest in joining Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated®
  - Copy of college/university ID

**NOTE: A signature generated with a font is not acceptable. Acceptable methods for signatures include:**

- DocuSign
- Scanned Original Signatures
- Adobe Electronic Signatures
- Email all of the forms listed above in one PDF file to the Graduate Advisor Marchele Garrett, [akarhotauadvisor@gmail.com](mailto:akarhotauadvisor@gmail.com). The file name must be (your Last Name – Student ID Number).
- **MUST Request Official transcript or e-transcript to be sent to the Graduate Advisor.**
- Adhere to the college/university Greek Life Policies

*Hazing does not represent the values of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority and will not be tolerated.*

If you have any questions or any concerns, contact the Graduate Advisor at (864)-494-7604.

*\*Note: If the campus policy is to mail transcripts, please use the following language: Request official transcript to be mailed to Marchele Garrett, Graduate Advisor at 226 High Street, Spartanburg SC 29306 or P.O. Box 162004, Boiling Springs, SC 29316; must be mailed in time to arrive prior to the Rush.*

***“The purpose of Alpha Kappa Alpha is to cultivate and encourage high scholastic and ethical standards, to promote unity and friendship among college women, to study and help alleviate problems concerning girls and women in order to improve their social stature, to maintain a progressive interest in college life, and to be of service to all mankind.” Hazing does not represent the values of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority and will not be tolerated.***

