

# Alumni/ae Hall of Fame Recognition Program

#### Purpose

In an effort to honor the accomplishments of alumni/ae members of the fraternity and sorority community at West Virginia University, the Hall of Fame Program will induct a class of honorees in the Spring semester of each academic year.

### Goals of the Program

- To recognize accomplishments of alumni/ae members of fraternity and sorority life at WVU
- To encourage alumni/ae engagement
- To foster a sense of pride
- To promote life-long membership through recognition of service

# Program Design

Applications are accepted year-round.

### Timing of Inductions

Honorees will be inducted yearly in the fall semester. During the annual Homecoming celebration, the inductees of the Fraternity & Sorority Hall of Fame will be honored at a formal reception. A brief induction speech will be made by a member of the honoree's organization, or his or her designee.

### Nominations

A committee of staff, including students and past Hall of Fame honorees, will comprise the Selection Committee. Nominations are open to any active undergraduate member of a chapter, alumni/ae, and faculty/staff of West Virginia University.

The following individuals are eligible for nomination:

- 1. Alumni/ae of past and present chapters on campus, given that the chapter held a charter at West Virginia University and held University recognition
- 2. Advisors to past and present chapters on campus
- 3. University dignitaries (Fraternity & Sorority Life Staff, Dean of Students, past Greek Advisors, etc.) that hold Greek membership in a social fraternity or sorority and/or who have worked directly with the fraternity and sorority community.

### Selection

No more than six (6) individuals will be inducted each year. Numerical rubrics will be utilized to create a selection pool from nominations. A final review of nominations will include discussion and majority vote of the committee before a nominee is inducted.

### Notification

Inductees will be notified ahead of time and asked to provide content for the induction speech. Chapters, alumni/ae, and headquarters staff will also be notified of the induction, should they wish to be present.

## Display

The inductees will be displayed on a virtual wall plaque in the Erickson Alumni Center that will list the name of each inductee per year.

### Nomination Procedure

To nominate an alumnus/a for consideration, please provide the following:

- A letter of nomination on appropriate letterhead (organizational, institutional, personal, etc.).
- Attach the nominee's curriculum vita/resume OR a summary of professional experience
- Provide no less than 2 letters of recommendation from undergraduate or alumni/ae members of the organization OR friends/family members of the nominee

Nominations are due by February 3, 2023 electronically to GreekLife@mail.wvu.edu