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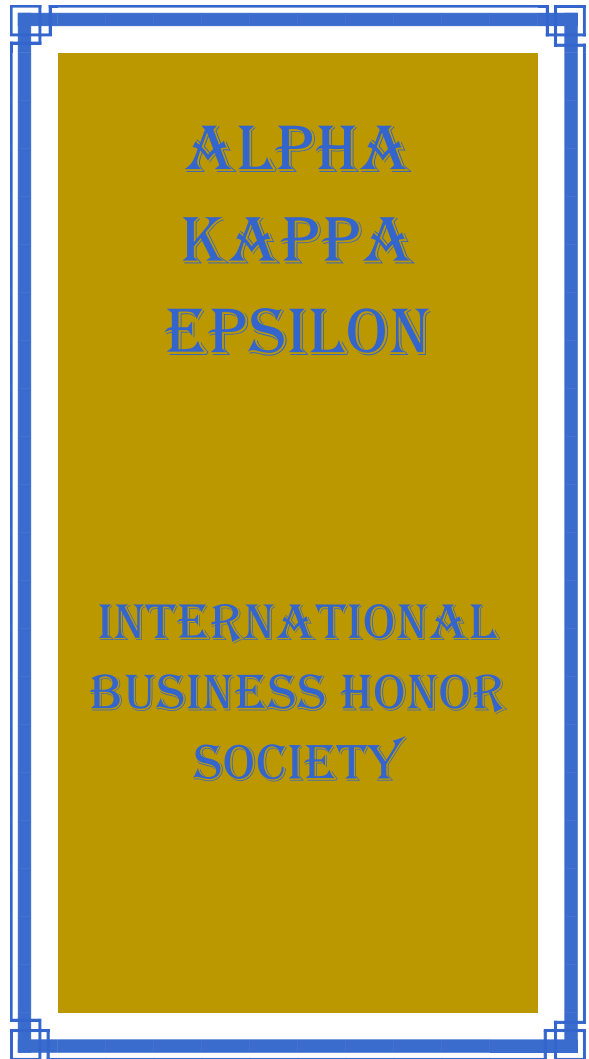
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## Brief Description

Alpha Kappa Epsilon is an International Business Honor Society organized exclusively for educational, scientific and charitable purposes.



## Values

- **Akereotis**—Integrity
- **Kozmopolitizmos**—Cosmopolitanism
- **Exerevnikotis**—Adventursomeness

## Mission

To recognize and promote academic achievement, applied scholarship, best practices, and principled professional activity in international business and trade for educational, scientific, and charitable purposes.

## Objectives

- Recognize outstanding undergraduate and graduate students, faculty, and international business and trade practitioners who exemplify academic or professional excellence in International Business and Trade
- Encourage quality scholarship, original investigation, and professional service in International Business and Trade
- Facilitate collaboration between International Business and Trade students, faculty, and practitioners
- Recognize and promote professional achievement in International Business or Trade

## Membership Requirements

### *Juniors (any major)*

- Complete at least 50% of your degree
- Compete at least one International Business course
- Be in the upper one-fourth of your class or have a 3.0 GPA or higher

### *Seniors (any major)*

- Complete at least 70% of your degree
- Complete at least two International Business courses
- Be in the upper one-fourth of your class or have a 3.0 GPA or higher

### *Graduate Students (any major)*

- Complete at least one International Business course
- Be in the upper one-fourth of your class or have a 3.2 GPA or higher

## Faculty / Staff

- Teach courses or conduct research in International Business or Trade
- Promote International Business and Trade endeavors on and off campus

### *Associate Members*

- Any other undergraduate students and/or practitioners who demonstrate noteworthy achievement in International Business or Trade

### *Honorary Members*

- Earn a national, international, or widely recognized professional reputation in International Business or Trade

## Membership Benefits

- Network with International Business and Trade faculty and professionals
- Attend seminars and conferences
- Participate in social events
- Stay abreast of International Business trends and practices

## National Membership Initiation Fees

### *Student and Associate Members*

- Initiation Fee - \$35

### *Faculty and Staff Members*

- Initiation Fee - \$50

