



THE NEW YORK CITY SIGMA KAPPA ALUMNAE CHAPTER HONORED WITH PRESTIGIOUS AWARDS AT 87TH NATIONAL CONVENTION

Biannual Achievement Banquet celebrated collegiate and alumnae chapters on July 9 at The Sheraton Grand Chicago

NEW YORK, N.Y. July 11, 2016 — The [New York City Sigma Kappa Alumnae Chapter](#) was honored at [Sigma Kappa Sorority's](#) 87th National Convention in Chicago, Illinois at the "Alumnae & Collegiate Achievement Banquet," a celebratory affair that acknowledges chapters' accomplishments and dedication to the sorority. Held once every two years, the evening celebrated new and recolonized chapters, the careers of inspiring alumnae, and collegiate and alumnae chapter achievements from 2014-2016.

The New York City Sigma Kappa Alumnae Chapter was recognized for its continued commitment to the alumnae experience and received the three following awards from Sigma Kappa National Council and Sigma Kappa Foundation:

- **Elizabeth Gorham Hoag Award**: Recognizes the most outstanding alumnae chapter not in a college community.
- **Outstanding Public Relations Programming Award**: Given to the alumnae chapter with the most outstanding public relations program that utilizes an on-going, active public relations program in the areas of collegiate chapter relations, alumnae Panhellenic relations, recognition of outstanding achievements of individual members, and local media coverage for special projects or events.
- **Gerontology Service Award (Honorable Mention)**: Recognizes alumnae chapters that develop an outstanding community philanthropy project that reflects Sigma Kappa's interest in Alzheimer's disease and gerontology.

The New York City Sigma Kappa Alumnae Chapter aims to continue to foster sisterhood and cultivate meaningful relationships and service opportunities.

About the New York City Sigma Kappa Alumnae Chapter:

The New York City Sigma Kappa Alumnae Chapter provides alumnae an environment to continue the pursuit of Sigma Kappa's values and opportunities for social, intellectual, and spiritual growth.

About Sigma Kappa Sorority:

Sigma Kappa was founded at Colby College in Waterville, Maine in 1874. Valuing personal growth, friendship, service, and loyalty, the sorority has initiated over 160,000 women nation-wide. The purpose of Sigma Kappa is "to provide women lifelong opportunities and support for social, intellectual, and spiritual development by bringing women together to positively impact our communities."

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