

**A. KENNETH PYE
OUTSTANDING GREEK LEADER AWARD
2010 APPLICATION**

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The A. Kenneth Pye Award was first awarded in 1996 to recognize students with an outstanding balance of scholarship, community involvement, campus involvement and a personal commitment to the ideals in their fraternity and sorority rituals. The award is named in honor of one of SMU's finest past presidents, A. Kenneth Pye. President Pye was an advocate for students, and had a strong belief in the value of student leadership at SMU. It was during Dr. Pye's term of office that a student representative was added to the Board of Trustees. A maximum of six (6) students may receive the award each year.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION

- Campus involvement – chapter, council, & other student organizations
- Community involvement & service
- Scholastic achievement
- Commitment to the ideals in their fraternity/sorority rituals
- Personal interview
- Senior graduating in May or August

UP TO TWO APPLICATIONS CAN BE SUBMITTED PER CHAPTER

PERSONAL INFORMATION

YOUR FULL NAME: _____

(AS YOU WOULD LIKE IT TO APPEAR ON THE AWARD)

SMU ID NUMBER: _____

GREEK AFFILIATION: _____

CUMULATIVE GPA : _____

PHONE: _____

I attest that all the information included in this application is correct and by signing below allow the selection committee to review my academic information.

Signature _____

Date _____

APPLICATION MATERIALS

Please answer the following questions on no more than one typed, double-spaced page each (3 pages total).

- 1) Describe your chapter and/or campus involvement and what offices you have held or currently hold. Please describe any new programs or ideas that you initiated while in the chapter or in a campus organization.
- 2) Describe your community service either on or off-campus while a student at SMU. This can include service done on your own or with others.
- 3) Describe the importance of your fraternity/sorority ritual to your personal involvement with the campus and community and how you would make ritual a central component the SMU fraternity/sorority system.

ATTACH: 2 letters of recommendation
 1 copy of your resume including GPA

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Please complete all sections on this application and submit as a complete packet by **5 PM, Thursday, January 22, 2010** in Fraternity and Sorority Life*
- The Fraternity and Sorority Life staff are not eligible to write letters of recommendation. Letters from fraternity/sorority advisors and staff are acceptable.*
- Finalists will be contacted to schedule an interview.*
- Winners will be announced at Awards Extravaganza on April 19th, 2010 in Hughes-Trigg Theater.*
- For questions or assistance, please contact Josh Schutts (jschutts@smu.edu) or Kristal Statler (kstatler@smu.edu)*

Applications will not be accepted late or incomplete.