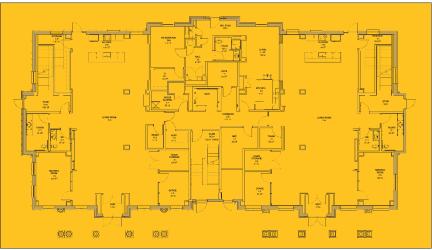


SIGMA NU: A COMMITMENT TO EXCELLENCE

An **Investment** in **Our Future**

The Lambda Epsilon Chapter at Texas Christian University







Dear Alumni Brothers and Parents,

Our nation, our families and our communities are in need of men of honor dedicated to excellence and willing to serve as ethical leaders. In today's world, where are such men made? Where are young men taught and shown how to become ethical leaders, dedicated to excellence? What institutions invest in the development of the mind, heart and character of young men? Where do young men learn to live a life of honor?

Sigma Nu is defending the cause of honor and creating the ethical leaders of tomorrow.

After just one year back on campus, the Lambda Epsilon Chapter of Sigma Nu Fraternity is setting a new standard at TCU for academic excellence, philanthropic impact, campus leadership and athletic achievement. We are incredibly proud of the accomplishments of these young men and their commitment to excellence.

At the same time, the legacy of Lambda Epsilon Chapter extends far beyond the reaches of campus life at TCU because of the relationships among and achievements of our alumni membership. Lambda Epsilon alumni have distinguished themselves as leaders in the areas of academia, business, law, medicine, government, and professional athletics. The personal and professional development opportunities offered to the members of the Lambda Epsilon Chapter have empowered its members to strive for and attain excellence. It is now time to ensure the continuation of this legacy of honorable excellence for generations to come.

We are pleased to announce the Lambda Epsilon Alumni House Corporation and Alumni Chapter have partnered with the Sigma Nu Educational Foundation (SNEF) in Lexington, Virginia, in a shared commitment to excellence to establish the Lambda Epsilon Chapter Educational Fund.

This fund will secure the funding needed to cover the cost of finishing upgrades to the chapter's brand new fraternity house provided by TCU and will provide ongoing scholarships for collegiate members to ensure their access to the very best educational opportunities.

THE OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE

In the fall of 2015, TCU announced plans for a new Greek Village. The \$140 million project will provide new housing for all 24 fraternities and sororities, 1,199 new parking spaces and over 1,300 beds. An amazing opportunity and unique experience for sure, the Lambda Epsilon Chapter of Sigma Nu will move from their current house into their new house at the start of the fall semester of 2018.

LIVING AND STUDY AREAS

The house will have suites in which 25 members will live and will include multiple study areas, living areas and kitchens.

CHAPTER ROOM

The largest room in the house will be the Chapter room, located on the first floor, where brothers can meet and relax in a large open area they can proudly call their own. The chapter room will have a large entertainment center, display cases to showcase academic and intramural awards and a full kitchen. The chapter room will be used to hold weekly meetings, new recruitment activities and rituals. Directly off of the chapter room will be an office and a smaller meeting room.

CUSTOMIZATION

TCU has given each fraternity and sorority the opportunity to customize certain aspects of their house to make each house unique to the chapter. Some of the upgrade options include choices of flooring, counter tops, tiles and color schemes to rustic hand sewn wood beams in the ceilings, a built-in entertainment center with the most up-to-date audio and visual technologies, an outdoor patio with BBQ grill and sitting area, and much more.

We seek your support in reaching our fundraising goal of \$350,000

Of our \$350,000 Fund goal, \$80,000 will go to fund the cost of finishing upgrades to the new chapter home. The remaining Fund balance will generate annual scholarships to be awarded to qualifying student members of the Lambda Epsilon Chapter. These investments in our future are crucial to the Lambda Epsilon Chapter's long-term competitiveness and success. They represent our commitment to excellence.

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To achieve both of these critical goals, we are asking parents and all brothers and their families to **consider a financial commitment by July 1, 2017**, to the Lambda Epsilon Chapter Educational Fund over a five-year period (2016-2021).

PHASE I

The first purpose of the campaign will be focused on funding the new fraternity house finishing upgrades.

We must raise \$80,000 by August of 2017 to fund these critical upgrades to the new chapter home. When making your gift, we ask that you consider the short timeline that TCU has placed on us to raise this money and prioritize the importance of meeting this goal. Once this initial goal is reached, the Sigma Nu Educational Foundation will make a single gift to the TCU Foundation to fully cover the cost of the finishing upgrades.

PHASE 2

The second purpose of the campaign is to raise the remainder of the Fund goal — \$270,000 — to fund annual scholarships for qualifying student members of the Lambda Epsilon Chapter. We intend to meet this goal via your generous support by 2021. All gifts will be made to the Sigma Nu Educational Foundation, designated for the Lambda Epsilon Chapter Educational Fund.

Your gift is tax deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law

NAMING OPPORTUNITIES

While all donations are greatly appreciated, special recognition will be given for donations above \$5,000, with select naming opportunities available:

- > Chapter Room
- Multiple Living and Study areas
- > Multiple Kitchens
- > Meeting Room

- Individual Officers Suites
- Single and Double Occupancy Suites
- > Audio/Visual Entertainment Center

You will receive annual confirmation of your gifts and a gift receipt for your records.

We ask all parents and every brother to accept the challenge before us and seize this opportunity to make a lasting, positive impact for the young men who are willing to walk with us in the Way of Honor.

Please contact Justin Keller (jtkeller01@gmail.com | 817-819-4173) or Spencer Montgomery (spencer.montgomery@sigmanu.org | 540-319-1141) to discuss gift options for the naming opportunities.

Join us as we give to the Fraternity that has given so much to so many and as we ensure a future of excellence for the Lambda Epsilon Chapter of Sigma Nu Fraternity at TCU.

Fraternally,

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To learn more about our campaign please visit www.sigmanu.org/tcu

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I accept the invitation to join other Lambda Epsilon brothers and parents in an effort to appropriately finish the new chapter home, promote academic excellence among the active membership and provide funding for additional educational opportunities by agreeing to the following terms and conditions. My contribution will be applied to the Lambda Epsilon Chapter Educational Fund managed by the Sigma Nu Educational Foundation.

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UPON COMPLETION, PLEASE SEND TO:

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