



KAPPA DELTA PI

INTERNATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY IN EDUCATION

Kappa Delta Pi – NGO of the United Nations Student Representative

The Department of Public Information (DPI) of the United Nations (UN) has created a new student representative position for Non-Governmental Organizations (NGO). As an official NGO of the United Nations, Kappa Delta Pi is seeking candidates who would like to serve as the KDP student representative. This new position provides a unique opportunity for a student with a keen interest in international affairs to participate in the events and activities offered by the DPI/United Nations, which include:

- 33 weekly NGO Briefings held at the UN Building in New York City;
- 3 day-long DPI/NGO Communications Workshops;
- 2-day Orientation Program for new NGO representatives; and
- NGO Resource Centre, which offers a variety of information for Non-Governmental Organizations.

Responsibilities

The student representative will collaborate and communicate with KDP's two representatives—Dr. Kathryn DeLawter and Dr. Margaret Gardineer. As KDP representatives, they also attend briefings, conferences, and other events at the United Nations. All official KDP representatives will receive an NGO name badge that enables entry to all UN events and programs. The student representative must be able to:

- attend a minimum of 3 briefings per semester (or approximately one per month);
- submit a summary and reflections of activities and briefings by June 30 for posting on the KDP Web site and inclusion in *KDP News*, the Society newsletter; and
- post quarterly information on the KDP Facebook page.

This is a one-year position that is renewable for a total of 2 years.

Eligibility

To be eligible to serve in this role, a student must be:

- an active member of KDP;
- 18–24 years old; and
- enrolled in an undergraduate, graduate, or doctoral program.

Application Process

Students interested in serving as the student representative need to submit the following items:

- Two letters of recommendations
- Résumé
- An essay of up to 300 words on the topic "why I want to serve as the KDP Student Representative and my interest in international issues."

Send these materials to:

Kappa Delta Pi, 3707 Woodview Trace, Indianapolis, IN 46268 or by e-mail to faye@kdp.org.