

Alpha Gamma Rho

Zeta Chapter

Cornell University



Dear Future/Current Cornell Student:

We, the Men of Alpha Gamma Rho are very pleased to learn that you are or will be attending Cornell University to further your educational experience. Cornell is an outstanding institution with a world-renown faculty and programs designed to prepare you for your future professional pursuits. For incoming freshmen, we hope you will be pleased with your decision to attend the Ithaca campus this fall. If you are already a student, we encourage you to continue to make the most of your time here.

Alpha Gamma Rho is searching for outstanding students who will become future leaders in agriculture, food production, environmental studies and conservation. The future of these fields is not limited to any particular studies or careers; we at Alpha Gamma Rho recognize the changing environment of modern agriculture and all the new opportunities emerging within the broad field it has become. To this end we give the “Making Better Men” scholarship out annually in hopes of supporting eligible applicants in their professional pursuits. While our mission states clearly *“the purpose of Alpha Gamma Rho is to make better men, and through them a broader and better agriculture...”*, we wish to impress upon you that not being involved in agriculture does not exclude you from applying for or receiving this scholarship.

From the information provided in your application, we look for the qualities on which our fraternity is based. These include such qualities as individual endeavors, resourcefulness, and aggressive effort. We see these exemplified through academic and personal achievement. Finally, at Alpha Gamma Rho we believe in a well-rounded college student emphasizing not only academics, but also social development through leadership positions on campus, and exciting activities with other students. As an applicant you must display a fervent desire to become a better leader and member of the Cornell Community.

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Requirements to apply

- Must be an incoming freshman or sophomore planning attending Cornell University in the fall of 2024
- Will be registered as a full time student at Cornell University
- Must be a male non-affiliated with an IFC Greek organization
- Must have a college GPA of above 2.5 (if applicable)
- Documents to include are the supplied application, unofficial transcript, and resume (if you have one).

Timeline

- Applications must be emailed to makingbettermenscholarship@gmail.com no later than August 26, 2024
- You can expect to be contacted about your application or interviews in late summer or early in the school year