



THE KANSAS STATE DELTA CHI EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

The Kansas State Delta Chi Educational Foundation was created in 1998 to provide a means for alumni, parents, friends, and undergraduates to support the educational and programming needs of the Kansas State Chapter and its members through tax deductible charitable gifts. The Foundation currently sponsors the following scholarships:

James Komatz Incoming Student Memorial Scholarship - This scholarship is awarded in memory of Brother Komatz who passed away on July 15, 1998 after a long struggle with cancer. The \$250 annual scholarship supports educational opportunities for outstanding incoming students at Kansas State.

James Komatz Brother of the Semester Memorial Scholarship - This scholarship is awarded each semester in the amount of \$250 to the member of the Kansas State Colony of the Delta Chi Fraternity who receives the Brother of the Semester Award, the Chapter's highest distinction.

Killingsworth Leadership Grant - This grant is provided in memory of C.C. Killingsworth, the father of Kansas State alumnus and Delta Chi brother Matt Killingsworth, who died in the line of duty while serving in the Wichita Fire Department. The grant supports leadership development activities through an annual grant in the amount of \$750.

Don Edwards Memorial Scholarship - This scholarship is awarded in memory of Don Edwards, an alumni board member who was instrumental in the acquisition of the chapter's second chapter house. The scholarship is awarded each semester in the amount of \$250 to members who achieve academic distinction with the most improved GPA semester over semester.

Steven Niemeyer Associate Member of the Semester Scholarship - This scholarship is awarded in memory of Brother Steven Niemeyer who passed away on Christmas Eve in 1971 during a surgical procedure, only one semester before graduation. The scholarship is awarded each semester in the amount of \$250 to an associate member who possesses exemplary attributes in scholarship, fellowship and character.

Aaron Otto Potential Leadership Scholarship - This scholarship is awarded in recognition of Brother Aaron Otto, an active leader at Kansas State and in the community during the 1990's and "BB" from 2010-16. Brother Otto then stepped up and won the office of "AA". The scholarship is awarded annually in the amount of \$250 to a member who exhibits outstanding campus and community involvement and leadership.

Dr. Alan Brightman Incoming Student Scholarship - This scholarship is awarded in recognition of Dr. Brightman, former "A" of the Kansas Chapter who later served as "BB" for a number of chapters, including of the Kansas State Colony and Chapter from 1992-2002. The scholarship is awarded annually in the amount of \$250 to support educational opportunities for outstanding incoming students at Kansas State.

Dar Cline Memorial Scholarship - This scholarship is awarded in memory of Dar Cline, the first member of the Delta Chi Fraternity at Kansas State to serve as President of the Interfraternity Council. This scholarship is awarded to a member each semester who receives a 4.0 semester GPA. If there are more than one 4.0 recipient then all of the 4.0 students will be entered into a game of chance to draw for this scholarship.

Tom Hunter Memorial Scholarship- Shortly after the turn of the century, Thomas Hunter '69 passed away from complications of cancer. Tom worked on several various projects at K-State's Delta Chi chapter, including creating the first communal living arrangements at Tattarax Apartments, locating and purchasing the house on Sunset Avenue, and working to grow the alumni association, housing corporation, and fostering the general growth of Delta Chi. This scholarship(s) will provide up to \$500 a year for need based assistance.

Chapter President's Academic Scholarship- If the President meets or exceeds the Chapter's semester GPA goal then they will be eligible to receive a scholarship subject to available foundation funds.

Overall, the Foundation's more than \$100,000 endowment supports \$3,000 in annual scholarship and grant funding, though the ever-rising cost of tuition makes supporting educational advancement an ongoing challenge. However, through your support, we can continue to build our endowment and provide the scholarship funding to critically needed to ensure the growth and prosperity of Delta Chi at Kansas State.

Please return the section below by marking which fund you would like your donation to be allocated to and send your tax-deductible contribution to: Carlton Getz 207 4th Ave Salt Lake City, UT 84103

- Niemeyer Associate Member of the Semester Scholarship
- Komatz Brother of the Semester Scholarship
- Killingsworth Leadership Grant
- Komatz Incoming Student Scholarship
- Brightman Incoming Student Scholarship
- Edwards Memorial Scholarship
- Cline Memorial Scholarship
- Otto Leadership Award
- Hunter Memorial Award
- Chapter President Academic Scholarship Award

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