



PHI BETA KAPPA

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION
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APPLICATION FOR PHI BETA KAPPA GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

Name: _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

If you were elected to Phi Beta Kappa under a different name, please so indicate: _____

Mailing Address: _____
(Street) (City) (State & ZIP)

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Student ID: _____

Undergraduate Degree

Degree: _____ Major: _____ Date: _____

College or University: _____

City and State: _____

Phi Beta Kappa Membership

Date: _____ Place of Initiation: _____ PBK ID _____

Graduate Program

College or University: _____ Major: _____

City and State: _____ Date of Admission: _____ Expected Date of Completion: _____

1. Describe **in layman's terms** (maximum 600 words) to someone with **no background in your area of expertise** what you do and why it is important. How does your work break new ground in your field? What are its wider implications?
2. Provide a short excerpt (maximum 600 words) as a writing sample. This can be from the proposed dissertation or a published article.
3. Explain what caused you to choose your research area. Describe your personal and professional objectives.
4. List honors and awards.
5. List published works, if any. (Abstracts of up to two published works, not to exceed one paragraph each, may be included.)
6. Include three sealed, confidential letters of recommendation, at least one of which must have been written in the past six months.
7. Include any other information you think pertinent.

Complete application packets must include this application form and all the materials detailed above. Incomplete application packets will not be considered.

Date: _____ Signature: _____