What is AKD?
Alpha Kappa Delta (AKD) is a non-secret, democratic international society of scholars. AKD seeks to acknowledge and promote excellence in scholarship in the study of sociology, the research of social problems, and such other social and intellectual activities as will lead to improvement of the human condition.

Who are members of AKD?
More than 50,000 lifetime members are affiliated with more than 500 chapters of the Society. These are persons with academic records showing excellence in sociology.

Why become a member of AKD?
AKD provides a variety of services to its members. Every initiate receives an AKD Handbook, a certificate of membership, and a membership activation form. Members who submit completed activation forms receive a one-year subscription to Sociological Inquiry, the official journal of the Society, the AKD Newsletter, and other services.

AKD Chapters are important in the academic, professional, and social lives of student and faculty members. They provide opportunities for initiating and sharing activities in keeping with the purposes of the Society.

Alpha Kappa Delta at UWRF
The Sociology Department at UWRF has a chapter in the International Sociology Honor Society-Alpha Kappa Delta (AKD). To be eligible for AKD membership you must meet the following criteria:

1. At least **junior status**.
2. Must have an **overall 3.3 GPA**.
3. Must have a **3.0 GPA in sociology courses**.
4. Must have taken **at least four courses in sociology**.

The lifetime membership dues for new initiates is **$40.00**. This includes a one-year subscription to the society journal *Sociological Inquiry* and a certificate. An honor cord, to wear at graduation, will be provided at no additional cost.

**Applications available** in KFA 307, KFA 333 and wall file outside of KFA 333

**Checks payable to** UWRF Sociology Foundation

**Deadline:** 4:00 pm, **Friday, Feb. 24, 2017** – leave with staff in **KFA 307 or KFA 333**
Membership Application

NAME___________________________________________________________

CURRENT ADDRESS_________________________________________________

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PERMANENT ADDRESS______________________________________________

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MAJOR ____________________________________________________________

STATUS: ___ Junior     ___ Senior

ADVISOR___________________________________________________________

Overall GPA_____    Sociology GPA_______

Attach:
1. Current transcript or DAR and
2. $40—check payable to “UWRF Foundation-Sociology"

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