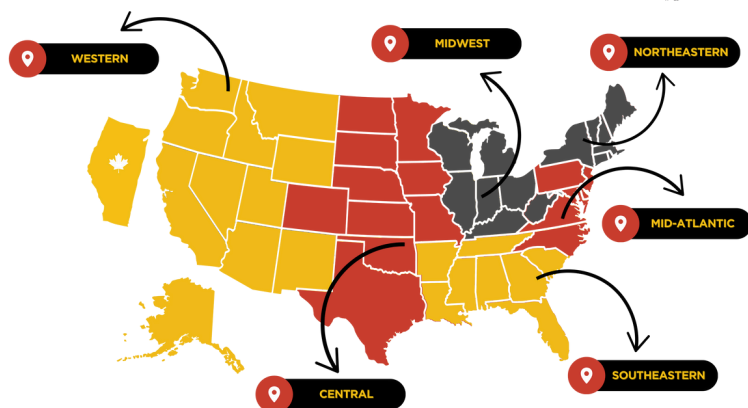




THE DELTA CHI FRATERNITY REGIONAL LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

ALUMNI + VOLUNTEER KNOW BEFORE YOU GO



HISTORY OF THE RLA PROGRAM:

For years, Delta Chi hosted a president training event known as “A’s” Academy, and the nine governing Regions hosted annual leadership conferences for our active and alumni members, known as Regional Leadership Conferences (RLCs). During the 2023 RLCs, each of Delta Chi’s nine regional bodies voted in favor of the Board of Regents redirecting the 2024 RLC program to a Regional Leadership Academy format. In 2024, Delta Chi’s nine regions voted to continue the Regional Leadership Academy (RLA) program for 2025. At the 2024 International Convention, a vote was also taken to reduce the regions from nine to six, with elections to take place during RLA 2025.

This Regional Leadership Academy format will allow Delta Chi members to engage in a weekend of officer development, leadership training, and action planning. Sessions will be held over two weekends, and chapters/provisional chapter members and alumni will attend their designated RLA (see above) and participate in a brotherhood experience like no other!

WHAT WILL HAPPEN AT THE 2025 REGIONAL LEADERSHIP ACADEMY?

For our alumni and volunteers, Delta Chi’s four Regional Leadership Academies (RLAs) will include a specific track session to better equip alumni and volunteers to work effectively with undergraduate chapters/provisional chapters. In addition, the full weekend includes recruitment training, risk management training, professional development, brotherhood, and Regional Fraternity business (including Regent elections).

WHO ATTENDS RLA?

For the 2025 Regional Leadership Academy experience, participants will include:

- “A” - President - **Required**
- “B” - Vice President
- “C” - Secretary
- “D” - Treasurer
- “E” - Alumni Relations
- “F” - Risk Management
- Recruitment Chair
- Associate Member Counselor
- Dale Carnegie Scholar - **Required**
- Alumni / Volunteers
- Members of the Executive Committee & Board of Regents
- Delta Chi International Headquarters Staff
- Representatives from Dale Carnegie and PhiredUp for keynote sessions
- Small group (known as “POD”) Facilitators

Undergraduate chapters/provisional chapters are expected to send a minimum of four representatives to their respective RLA, which must include their “A” and Dale Carnegie Scholar. Alumni do not count toward this minimum.

WHEN AND WHERE IS RLA?

RLA will be held over two different weekends in January 2025. Each weekend, events will begin on Friday with dinner and end mid-morning on Sunday before lunch. See final page for details.

Weekend One: Jan 17 - Jan 19

Central & Midwest Regions

Location: St. Louis, MO

Hotel: [Renaissance St. Louis Airport](#)

Room Cost: \$99 per night

Travel Info: Complimentary airport shuttle and self-parking on site

Southeast Region

Location: Atlanta, GA

Hotel: [Hilton Atlanta Northeast](#)

Room Cost: \$139 per night

Travel Info: Complimentary self-parking, no airport shuttle available

Weekend Two: Jan 24 - Jan 26

Northeast & Mid-Atlantic Regions

Location: Philadelphia, PA

Hotel: [DoubleTree by Hilton Cherry Hill](#)

Room Cost: \$112 per night

Travel Info: Complimentary self-parking, no airport shuttle available.

Western Region

Location: Reno, NV

Hotel: [Peppermill Resort](#)

Room Cost: \$150 per night

Travel Info: Complimentary airport shuttle and self-parking on site

WHAT IS THE DRESS CODE?

RLA attire expectations are as follows:

- **Friday:** Delta Chi casual (lettered shirts/sweatshirt or appropriate fraternity event shirts/sweatshirts, jeans/khakis, clean sneakers/shoes)
- **Saturday day:** Professional casual (polos/sweaters/button-up shirts, khakis or suit pants with boat shoes/loafers)
- **Saturday evening:** Business professional (Suit jacket and pants, Button-up shirt, Tie, Dress Shoes, Delta Chi badge)
- **Sunday:** Delta Chi casual (RLA Shirt received at check-in, jeans/khakis, clean sneakers/shoes)

WHAT DOES RLA COST? WHAT DOES THAT INCLUDE?

The cost for alumni to attend RLA differs depending on the package they select. An overview of the registration (which includes all meals for the selected dates), is outlined below:

- Full Weekend (Friday - Sunday): \$415.00
- Saturday-Sunday Only: \$315.00
- Friday Only: \$105.00
- Saturday Only: \$255.00

All alumni representatives must register themselves to attend RLA, and during registration will need to select their registration package. The priority registration deadline is December 15, 2025, and late registration fees will apply for those registered after January 2, 2025 or on site.

Hotel accommodations may be selected at the time of registration utilizing the built-in hotel module, as well as indicating the number of nights needed and any preferred roommate. Charges will depend on the RLA you are attending and the number of nights needed.

Refunds will only be remitted if requested by January 2, 2025. To receive a refund, alumni will need to review their confirmation emails for instructions to cancel. Once your registration has been cancelled, you will be refunded automatically to the method of payment used at registration. For questions specific to registration and hotel accommodations, please contact deltachi@hpnglobal.com.

QUESTIONS?

For questions specific to registration and hotel accommodations, please contact deltachi@hpnglobal.com.

For questions regarding exceptions to minimum attendance requirements for undergraduate chapters/provisional chapters (ex. "A" cannot attend), please have undergraduate members contact their current Regent ([see here for contact information](#)).

For all other questions, contact Director of Education, Kristen Kardas at kkardas@deltachi.org.

WHAT IS THE SCHEDULE FOR RLA?

General Outline of Events for Alumni Attendees, Subject to Change

	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
8:00 AM		Registration & Breakfast Open General Session 4: Regional Business & Regent Elections	Breakfast Open
9:00 AM		General Session 5: The Adam Oakes Story and the Power of Bystander Intervention	Alumni Session 5: Dale Carnegie Scholar Final Talks Presentations
10:00 AM		Alumni Session 3: Risk Management for Alumni and Volunteers	General Session 13: Chapter Action Planning
11:00 AM		General Session 6: Fraternity Business and Delta Chi Reforms	General Session 14: RLA Recognition & Closing Session
12:00 PM	Registration Open	General Session 7: Lunch and Optional Regent Reform Discussions	Participant Departure
1:00 PM		General Session 8: Dale Carnegie Keynote	
2:00 PM		Alumni Session 4: Volunteer Landscape Today	
3:00 PM		General Session 9: Social Support and Table Talks	
4:00 PM	Recommended final arrival time		
5:00 PM	General Session 1: Dinner, Welcome to RLA, State of the Fraternity	Break & Suit Up	
6:00 PM	General Session 2: Phired Up Keynote	General Session 10: Formal Dinner, Partner Highlights, Region Awards	
7:00 PM	Alumni Session 1: Growth System Overview	RLA Photo & Transition	
8:00 PM	Alumni Session 2: Understanding the Membership Experience Survey	General Session 11: Ritual Exemplification	
9:00 PM	General Session 3: Regional Business & Regent Nominations	General Session 12: Optional Brotherhood Event / "A"s Reception	