Schedule

THURSDAY

Time (CT)	Event	Speaker	Location	Audience
1:00 - 1:45 pm	**New Member Education Review** *This session will consist of a review of the Sorority's New Member Education process through a deep dive into the curriculum for Phi Sigma Rho's candidates and strategies for implementing the Modules and Standard Education Plan found on Portal.*	Lina Trigg	Salon 2	Collegians
1:45 - 2:30 pm	**Robert's Rules 101** *This session is dedicated to learning the procedures of operating meetings. Participants will be introduced to the basics of Robert's Rules, a skillset that will enhance your pre-professional skills in meeting management.*	Alison Lunny	Salon 2	Collegians
2:30 - 3:30 pm	**Your Next Career Opportunity is Closer Than You Think** *Job statistics indicate that at least 85% of career opportunities today are awarded via networking. In today's ever-changing and competitive business environment, you cannot wait until your senior year to start searching for your first career opportunities. The time to begin is now!* *In this interactive session, Michelle Enjoli will teach how to begin identifying and securing valuable career opportunities. This program will provide*	Michelle Enjoli	Salon 2	Collegians

	actionable insights into how to gain valuable career insights and build meaningful connections to position yourself in a competitive market for success.			
5:30 - 8:30 pm	**Welcome Reception** Located at Boulevard Brewing Company (2501 Southwest Blvd, Kansas City, MO 64108). Self-transport required. ***Dinner and beverages provided**	Hosted by Phi Sigma Rho Sorority	Boulevard Brewing Company	Open to all attendees and guests of all ages

FRIDAY

Time (CT)	Event	Speaker	Location	Audience
8:30 - 10:00 am	**Volunteer Power: Strategies to Empower, Engage, and Elevate** *Volunteers are the heartbeat of many organizations but managing them effectively requires more than just assigning tasks. In this session, we'll explore how to motivate and support volunteers in a way that fosters engagement and purpose. You'll learn practical strategies to create an environment where volunteers feel valued, connected, and energized. From setting clear expectations to recognizing contributions, this presentation will provide you with the tools you need to manage volunteers with confidence and compassion. Get ready for a fun, transformative experience where you'll walk away with tools and insights that will leave your volunteers—and you—feeling empowered and excited to make a difference. Let's harness the power of purpose and turn volunteer management into a game-changing experience!* ***Breakfast provided**	Lisa Nickel	Salon 2	Alums
9:00 - 10:15 am	**Collegian Roundtables** 1: Presidents Roundtable (Pavilion 1) 2: Member Retention/Engagement (Pavilion 2) 3: Recruitment (Pavilion 6)	N/A	Pavilion One, Pavilion Two Pavilion Six	Collegians

10:00 - 11:30 am	**19th National Board Meeting**	N/A	Boardroom	National Board
10:20 - 11:20 pm	**Chapter & Member Services from the Phi Sigma Rho Foundation** *Do you and your fellow Phi Rhos ever know about the exclusive scholarships available for Phi Rhos? Is your chapter looking for funding for a DEI, drug and alcohol awareness, or professional development event? Wondering how you can promote membership in different ways with potential candidates and their parents? Join the Phi Sigma Rho Foundation to learn about the grant and scholarship programs available to chapters and members to support their efforts around philanthropy, community service, educational development, and housing needs.*	Phi Sigma Rho Foundation	Pavilion 1	Collegians
11:30 am - 12:30 pm	**Lunch** ***Buffet lunch provided**	N/A	Salon 2	All
11:30am - 1:00 pm	**Visionary Council Meeting**	N/A	Boardroom	Visionary Council
1:00 - 3:00 pm	**Rooted in Ritual: Honoring Our Past, Living Our Purpose + Initiation Workshop** *As Phi Sigma Rho celebrates 40 years of sisterhood, this powerful session invites members to reconnect with the heart of what binds us—our ritual. Often viewed as ceremonial or symbolic, ritual is much more: it is the thread that weaves together our values, our vision, and our lived experience as sisters.* *In this engaging and reflective presentation, Dr. Mari Ann Callais will explore how ritual is not just a moment—it's a mindset. Participants will deepen their understanding of Phi Sigma Rho's founding principles, discuss how ritual informs leadership and personal growth, and learn how to bring the words of our ritual to life every day.* *Through storytelling, shared reflection, and interactive discussion, attendees will leave reminded of their why—and equipped to carry the meaning of ritual into the next 40 years and beyond.*	Dr. Mari Ann Callais	Pavilion 1	All
3:15 - 4:45	**Dream Day KC - Sisters Only Workshop**	Rashmi	Salon 3	All

pm	*Come be a participant in our mock Dream Day! See first hand what this inspiring event is and learn how you can bring it to your community. You'll have an opportunity to engage with inspiring alums and learn about their careers, while participating in hands-on activities. If your chapter is at all interested in running these outreach events, don't miss out!*	Drummond		
6:00 - 8:30 pm	**College Night Pool Party** *Come hang by the pool with us during this opportunity to get to know other attendees in a casual setting. Feel free to wander around and enjoy the hotel's amenities including the pool deck, live music, and bar. Don't forget to wear something representing your college!* ***Permanent Jewelry Bar by Spark.KC (6-8) and Custom Hat Bar by Hawley Trucker (6:30-8:30) available for entertainment/purchase.*** ***Appetizers and N/A beverages provided**	Hosted by Phi Sigma Rho	Pool Deck	All

SATURDAY

Time (CT)	Event	Speaker	Location	Audience
8:00 - 9:00 am	**Chapter Presidents Breakfast** *This session is intended as an open dialogue about service and philanthropy. This year's Service with Sigmand winner will give a short presentation about their chapter's service work, and participants will be encouraged to discuss the opportunities and challenges of chapter-wide service.* ***Breakfast provided**		Salon 2	Chapter Presidents
9:00 - 10:00 am	**Pathways to Happiness: Unlocking the Power of Connection and Purpose** *In this address, we'll explore two powerful pathways to happiness—connection and purpose—and how they not only enhance our careers but enrich our*	Lisa Nickel	Salon 1A/1B	All

	personal lives. As members of this community, you already know the strength of working together and the value of having a shared mission. Let's reflect on the power of connection: how building authentic relationships, supporting one another, and feeling part of something greater can lift us all. We'll also explore the role of purpose—how aligning what we do with a deeper sense of meaning can keep us motivated, fulfilled, and driven. By the end of this session, you'll leave feeling more connected to each other and inspired by the power of purpose to fuel your happiness and success.			
10:30 - 11:30 am	**40 Years Strong: The Power of Sisterhood, Science, and Shared Purpose** *For 40 years, Phi Sigma Rho has built more than a sorority—it has built a movement. A movement where women in STEM are not only supported, but seen. Where brilliance meets belonging. Where friendship becomes family. In this inspiring keynote, Dr. Mari Ann Callais will celebrate the story of Phi Sigma Rho—from the spark of an idea between founders to the thousands of members who now carry that legacy forward.* *Through heartfelt storytelling, shared celebration, and powerful reflection, we will honor the values that have shaped our sisterhood and the unique bond that unites engineers, scientists, innovators, and leaders across generations. This keynote will not only look back at the difference Phi Sigma Rho has made in the lives of its members, but look ahead with vision and purpose for the next 40 years.* *Get ready to laugh, reflect, and be reminded that Phi Sigma Rho isn't just what you joined—it's who you are becoming.*	Dr. Mari Ann Callais	Salon 1A/1B	All
12:00 - 1:30 pm	**Foundation Donor Recognition & Pinning Ceremony Luncheon** *Join us to celebrate those that make the Phi Sigma Rho Foundation's mission possible to support the growth of Phi Sigma Rho! During this luncheon, the Foundation will recognize those that have made an impact through their gifts of time and money with a special tribute.*	Phi Sigma Rho Foundation	Salon 2	All

	*Lunch provided			
2:00 - 5:00 pm	**Legislative Session and State of the Sorority**	N/A	Salon 1A/1B	All members
6:00 - 8:00 pm	**Awards Banquet** ***Dinner and dessert provided**	N/A	Rooftop Ballroom	All (guests welcome with ticket)
8:00 - 11:00 pm	**40th Anniversary Party** *"Eras" themed (Dress to the nines in your decade of choice)* *DJ and dancing, toasts, photobooth, memory wall and a good time!* **Cash bar available.**	Hosted by Phi Sigma Rho Sorority	Rooftop Plaza Room	All (guests welcome with ticket)

SUNDAY

Time	Event	Location	Audience
9:00 am - 1:00 pm	Board Introduction and Transition Meetings ***Breakfast provided**	TBA	Incoming and Outgoing Board Members of the National Board, Foundation Board, and Housing Board.