



Frequently Asked Questions about Lambda Epsilon Chi LEX

1. *Who is eligible to form a Chapter of LEX?*

An Institutional, Associate or Affiliate Member of AAFPE can submit an application to form a Chapter of LEX along with a check for \$100.00.

2. *Who is eligible to be inducted into LEX?*

A student is eligible for induction into LEX, if:

- The student has completed not less than two-thirds of the program requirements to complete such program as determined by the institution.
- The student has demonstrated superior academic performance by achieving an overall grade point average of **3.25** or higher and a grade point average of **3.50** within the paralegal courses of the program.
- The student satisfies any other additional specific criteria necessary to qualify for their Chapter as determined by the Institution, e.g., community service, an essay, achieving a grade point average of **3.50** or above in paralegal/legal assistant specialty courses.

3. *When are students inducted into LEX?*

An institution may induct students into LEX at any time or times during the year.

4. *May past graduates be inducted into LEX?*

An institution may apply for a one-time exemption for the sole purpose of inducting alumni who would have qualified for induction if the institution had established a Chapter of LEX at the time the alumni graduated.

5. *What is the cost for the student to be inducted into LEX?*

The institution must remit the sum of \$50.00 for each student the Institution wishes to induct into its Chapter of LEX, which can be paid by the school via check, money order or credit card with the fee

payable to "AAfPE." Please note: student credit cards and checks will not be accepted for payment. Only money orders or certified checks will be accepted as payment

6. Can a Chapter have an Honorary Inductee to LEX?

An institution may choose to induct one honorary inductee each year. An honorary inductee is someone who has been of service to the paralegal program at their institution, e.g., advisory board member, judge, faculty.

7. Who is responsible for the operation of LEX?

The AAfPE Board of Directors will designate (from time to time as it sees fit) a person or persons to be the National Coordinator of LEX. The National Coordinator chairs an elected Advisory Committee which is composed of one regional representative from each of the five regions. The Advisory Committee makes recommendations to the AAfPE Board of Directors regarding policy.

8. Are there any requirements to form a club or have club meetings and/or activities?

There is no requirement to form a club or have officers and/or conduct meetings and activities; this is left to the discretion of the individual institution and Chapter.

9. If a Program Director has any questions regarding LEX who may s/he contact?

All inquiries may be directed to the National Coordinator or any of the regional representatives of LEX. The contact information for the National Coordinator and the regional representatives can be found on the LEX overview page on the AAfPE website (www.aafpe.org).