As a psychology student or instructor, you probably already understand the importance of establishing global connections with likeminded professionals. Did you know Psi Chi Honor Society serves this same purpose by providing student and faculty members with networking opportunities aimed at building relationships that advance psychology?

Since Psi Chi’s establishment in 1929 at the Ninth International Congress of Psychology at Yale University, our Professional Organization has welcomed diversity and inclusivity. Except for voting or serving as officers, nonmembers are encouraged to participate in all chapter events!

Having a Psi Chi chapter at your university creates a unique place where students and professors can get to know each other outside of the classroom and support each other in community service and educational events. In addition to countless mentorship, leadership, and learning opportunities, members gain a commonality with Psi Chi’s diverse members at 1,150+ chapters around the world.

Six Reasons to Start a Chapter

New members only pay a single one-time fee for lifetime membership. Membership benefits include:

1. Psi Chi provides more than US$400,000 a year in awards and grants.
2. International chapters can opt to be paired with an active sister chapter to jumpstart strong, diverse chapter networks.
3. Publication opportunities are available for students and faculty in Psi Chi’s APA-indexed, peer-reviewed journal.
4. Psi Chi’s Network for International Collaborative Exchange (NICE) provides students, faculty, and nonmembers with collaborative cross-cultural research opportunities.
5. Online resources share information on career advice, graduate school, attending and presenting at conventions, diversity, and conducting research.
6. A quarterly magazine features latest discipline trends and organizational activities.

How to Get Started

Whether you are starting your career or have decades of experience, your perspective is unique and valuable to individuals at your university and in Psi Chi chapters around the world.

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