

March 2026 Quick Peek

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DID YOU KNOW?

Benefit: Did you know that DKG members receive a discount when booking any offer or deal with Collette Tours? For information visit dkg.org & navigate to Events → Collette Tours → Collette Tours (yes, two Collette Tour tabs).

Marketing: Did you know there is an updated member orientation PowerPoint available? *Unlock Your Potential* is a dynamic new orientation designed to better engage and inspire members while highlighting the full impact of our Society. Download and customize the *Unlock Your Potential* PowerPoint to reflect local information and initiatives. Visit dkg.org and navigate to Resources → New Member Dashboard → Orientation PowerPoints → Unlock Your Potential

A customizable *Unlock Your Potential* fillable brochure is also available. Download the brochure and enter personalized information by visiting dkg.org and navigating to Resources → Templates → *Unlock Your Potential* fill-able brochure.

March 2026 Details

Sunday, March 1, 2026

DKG Visionary Network Facilitator Proposals

Members are invited to apply to serve as *Visionary Network Facilitators*, a rewarding leadership role that helps shape engaging, member-driven experiences. Facilitators guide conversations, encourage participation, and help cultivate a supportive environment where members can learn from one another and build lasting connections. To apply, visit dkg.org & navigate to Events → Virtual Events Around DKG → Visionary Network Virtual Groups → Submit Group Proposal.

Sunday, March 1, 2026

DKGIEF Educational Project Award Applications Due

The Educational Project Award provides grants of up to \$8,000 to support and encourage innovative projects designed to improve education. Projects must clearly align with the DKGIEF Mission Statement and Purposes. Visit MyDKG → Apply/Submit on dkg.org.

Sunday, March 1, 2026

International Achievement Award Nominations Due

The International Achievement Award is presented annually to a leader whose distinguished record of service has significantly advanced the mission and work of the organization. Active members who have given, or are currently giving, exceptional service at the international level are eligible to receive this prestigious honor. Visit MyDKG → Apply/Submit on dkg.org.

Sunday, March 1, 2026

Bulletin: Journal Submissions Due

The Bulletin, DKG's official publication, supports members' professional and personal growth through a variety of written contributions. The *Journal* features research-based articles and program highlights. The deadline for the upcoming publication cycle is March 1, 2026, and may be submitted through dkg.org at MyDKG → Apply/Submit → Bulletin Submissions.

Sunday, March 1, 2026

Applications to Serve on International Committees Due

Members are encouraged to apply to serve on international standing committees, the Arts & Humanities Jury, Editorial Board, or as international parliamentarian. To apply, visit dkg.org & navigate to MyDKG → Apply/Submit → Committees.

Tuesday, March 3, 2026

Inside International @ 12:30 PM Central

Join members of the Revision Task Force for a question/answer session regarding the proposed bylaws. Join from dkg.org Events → Virtual Events Around DKG → Inside International Monthly Zoom Meeting.

Tuesday, March 3, 2026

U.S. Forum National Legislative Seminar Registration Deadline

Register by March 3, 2026, for the U.S. Forum National Legislative Seminar to be held in Old Town, Alexandria from March 8-11, 2026, Register from www.dkgusforum.org under Events → NLS → Register.

Friday, March 6, 2026 @ 11:59 PM Central

Vendor and Program Advertising Request

Do you have books, apparel, jewelry, arts & crafts, or services that you would like to advertise in the convention program? The request to be reviewed by the administrative board as a vendor or advertiser in the convention program is due March 6, 2026. Apply from dkg.org Events → International Convention → Aurora, Colorado → Forms, Sign-ups, & Sponsorships → Vendor and Program Ad Request.

Tuesday, March 10, 2026

Inside Connections with Membership & Expansion @ 5:30 PM Central

This session will cover mergers, consolidations, and dissolutions, providing clear, actionable guidance for navigating these transitions and offering strategies to proactively avoid them when possible. Practical advice, key considerations, and preventive measures to empower informed decision-making will be shared. Diana Haskell, Chair of International Finance, will also review the required forms and financial procedures related to these processes. Join from dkg.org Events → Virtual Events Around DKG → Inside Connections.

Thursday, March 19, 2026

Inside Leadership with Leadership Development @ 5:30 PM Central

Lead & Learn: State Strategy Exchange. Join fellow state organization leaders for a collaborative roundtable designed to connect you with peers who understand the unique opportunities and challenges of leading at a similar membership size. In this conversational, solution-focused session, you will share ideas, compare strategies, and learn what is working across states in a supportive, leadership-centered space. Come ready to think together, problem-solve, and leave with practical insights and renewed confidence to lead your organization forward. Join from dkg.org Events → Virtual Events Around DKG → Inside Leadership.

Thursday, March 19, 2026

Cultural Treasurers of Japan Tour Booking Deadline

Discover Japan on a captivating 14-day journey with 18 included meals and unforgettable cultural experiences. Explore vibrant Tokyo and Ginza, enjoy chanting, meditation, and a private tea ceremony with a monk, and cruise Lake Ashi in Hakone. Visit historic Matsumoto Castle, Takayama, Shirakawa-go, Kanazawa, and Kyoto, ride the iconic bullet train, reflect in Hiroshima, and delight in a traditional Maiko show. This October 18-31, 2026, tour beautifully blends tradition, culture, and modern Japan into one extraordinary experience. Visit dkg.org Events → Collette Tours → Book Your Trip.

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Thursday, March 26, 2026

Inside Impact with Educational Excellence Committee on Fine Arts @ 12:30 PM Central

Members from the Arts and Humanities Jury will explore ways to showcase arts in your state organization. Illinois State Organization will discuss how your state organization can host an arts retreat for your members. Discover practical ideas and collaborative strategies that bring creativity to the forefront of our mission.

Limited Offer

DKGIEF International Women's Day Pins

Celebrate International Women's Day with DKGIEF by wearing and gifting the 2026 commemorative pin. The pin offers a meaningful way to show your support for International Women's Day and DKGIEF. Purchase through Awards Concepts from dkg.org MyDKG → DKG Store → Awards Concepts.

Details for Ongoing Events

Submissions to *The Delta Kappa Gamma Bulletin*

The Bulletin, DKG's official publication, supports members' professional and personal growth through a variety of written contributions. The *Journal* features research-based articles and program highlights, while the *Collegial Exchange* showcases practice-focused pieces, creative works, and reflections. Submissions are accepted year-round through dkg.org at MyDKG → Apply/Submit → Bulletin Submissions. Upcoming deadlines include March 1, May 15, and October 1, 2026, for the *Bulletin Journal* and August 1 and December 15, 2026, for the *Collegial Exchange*.

Impact Spotlight

- Educational Initiatives
- Fine Arts
- Global Awareness
- Health, Wellness & Safety
- Legislative Engagement
- Community Partnerships
- Financial Literacy
- Service Projects
- Intergenerational Programs
- Personal & Professional Development

Discover a range of innovative ideas and initiatives to energize your chapter or state organization. Browse current programs by visiting Resources → DKG Officer Resources → Program/EEC Chair on dkg.org. To have your own project or program considered for the Impact Spotlight, submit it through MyDKG → Apply/Submit → Impact Spotlight.

Leadership Discovery Centre

Looking for inspiration? Explore the Leadership Discovery Centre tab on dkg.org for articles, videos, and a variety of leadership tools. Share your expertise. Discover new ideas. Grow together as leaders. Submissions to the Leadership Discovery Centre can be submitted through the dkg.org website under MyDKG → Apply/Submit → Leadership Discovery Centre.



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Membership Spotlight

The *Membership Spotlight* recognizes and celebrates DKG members who make a meaningful impact at the chapter, state organization, or international level. Nominate members to be featured in Membership Spotlight through the dkg.org website under MyDKG → Apply/Submit → Membership Spotlight. Review previous Membership Spotlights from the About → Recognition → Membership Spotlight tab.

Quotes That Inspire Us

DKG knows the strength of collective wisdom can inspire and uplift our community. Share a quote that motivates you by visiting MyDKG → Apply/Submit → Quotes That Inspire Us on dkg.org. Your words could encourage and energize members across our Society!

Centennial Campaigns

Artful Impact Auction: Get ready to make an *Artful Impact* at our upcoming International Convention! The Artful Impact Auction is a special event where members will have the opportunity to bid on beautiful, one-of-a-kind art pieces created and generously donated by fellow members. From paintings and pottery to textiles, jewelry, and other creative works, the Artful Impact Auction will highlight the incredible talent within our Society while raising funds in support of the Centennial Celebration Campaign. Every bid placed and every piece donated will help advance our shared vision and honor 100 years of impact. Be on the lookout for more details coming soon, including how you can submit your original artwork for donation and take part in this meaningful and inspiring event.

100 by 100: Earn Centennial State Organization status by adding 100 members by May 1, 2029.

EEC Chapter Impact: Complete impact survey <https://forms.gle/AYUwhXyL9bpah5LC9>

Campaign Fund - Contribute \$19.29 under Events → Centennial Celebration → Contribute.

International Convention – Registration Options

DKGIEF Fundraiser: Get ready for an unforgettable evening of music and memories at the 2026 DKGIEF Fundraiser! Elvis tribute artist Nevan Castaneda will take the stage for a high-energy performance filled with classic hits. Put on your blue suede shoes and join DKGIEF for a night to remember!

Convention Pin: Pre-order to secure your keepsake official convention pin & pay Awards Concept at the Marketplace.

Sponsor a NewBee: Give the gift of a memorable first experience by sponsoring a member attending their first international event for \$400.



Planning Ahead

- April 7, 2026 Inside International @ 5:30 PM Central
- April 14, 2026 Inside Connections @ 12:30 PM Central
- April 16, 2026 Inside Leadership @ 12:30 PM Central
- April 18, 2026 Treasurer's Talk @ 10 AM Central
- April 23, 2026 Inside Impact @ 5:30 PM Central *Programs & Projects*
- April 28, 2026 *Meet the Candidates: Your Voice, Your Choice* @ 12:30 PM Central
- April 30, 2026 Dissertation Recognition Forms Due
- May 1, 2026 Cornet Individual Professional Development Applications Due
- May 1, 2026 State Organization Presidents request International Speaker
- May 5, 2026 Inside International @ 12:30 PM Central
- May 12, 2026 Inside Connections @ 5:30 PM Central
- May 15, 2026 *Bulletin: Journal* submissions due
- May 15, 2026 Report of chapter officers due
- May 21, 2026 Inside Leadership @ 5:30 PM Central
- May 31, 2026 Convention registration fee increases as per governing documents
- June 2, 2026 Inside International @ 5:30 PM Central
- June 5, 2026 Last day to book Gaylord Rockies at discounted rate
- June 23, 2026 Last day to register for International Convention
- June 30-July 4, 2026 International Convention in Aurora, Colorado
- July 7, 2026 Inside International @ 12:30 PM Central
- October 18-31, 2026 Cultural Treasures of Japan with Collette Tours

Future Events

- June 11-13, 2027 European Forum Conference in Kristiansand, Norway
- July 4-8, 2028 International Convention in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- July 25-28, 2029 Centennial Celebration in Austin, Texas