



# BETA THETA PI

## FRATERNITY

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Dear Carnegie Mellon University Student,

On behalf of Beta Theta Pi Fraternity, welcome to Carnegie Mellon University. The upcoming semester will no doubt lead to new challenges and opportunities that will help to shape your college experience and lead to future success in life.

Beta Theta Pi believes that college men should be recognized for their success and for their desire to achieve greatness. In fact, for more than 160 years, we have been in the business of building *Men of Principle*. Beta strives to provide strong relationships as well as leadership opportunities and personal development. For many of our members, these skills have transferred to professional life. You have probably heard of some of them . . . Wal-Mart Founder Sam Walton, Baseball Great Mike Schmidt, Retail Guru Bruce Nordstrom, to name a few. Former Secretary of Defense William Perry graduated from Carnegie Mellon in 1949 as a Beta,

In hopes of providing these same opportunities to your campus, Beta Theta Pi offers **one \$500 scholarship, designated by the Beta Theta Pi Foundation for non-Greek male students at Carnegie Mellon University**. We seek men who demonstrate devotion to academic achievement and a commitment to making both the university and community better places to live. Most importantly, we seek men who desire to develop skills that will help them become successful in college, but will also carry over to their professional and personal lives.

If you are interested in the scholarships, I encourage you to complete the enclosed application and return it to the Beta Theta Pi House, 5033 Forbes Avenue, 15289 Pittsburgh, PA by **Friday September 1, 2006**. By applying for the scholarships, you are *not* committing yourself to membership in Beta Theta Pi or any other organization, rather, you are merely affirming your desire to strive for excellence. For many men, the Beta experience has been a catalyst for success.

If you should have any questions, please contact me at [rphillip@andrew.cmu.edu](mailto:rphillip@andrew.cmu.edu). I look forward to receiving your application and meeting you this upcoming semester.

Sincerely,

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