**WHAT IS LAMBDA PI ETA?**
Lambda PiEta (LPH) is the National Communication Association’s official honor society at four-year colleges and universities nationwide. The honor society recognizes outstanding student scholars in Communication. LPH has more than 500 active chapters in 47 states!

LPH has been the association’s official honor society since 1995, and is a member of the Association of College Honor Societies (ACHS).

**WHY LAMBDA, PI, AND ETA?**
Lambda PiEta represents what Aristotle described in *Rhetoric* as the three ingredients of persuasion: logos (logic), pathos (emotion), and ethos (character).

**THE SIX GOALS OF LAMBDA PI ETA**
1. Recognize, foster, and reward outstanding scholastic achievement in Communication Studies
2. Stimulate interest in the field of Communication
3. Promote and encourage professional development among Communication majors
4. Provide an opportunity to discuss and exchange ideas in the field of Communication
5. Establish and maintain closer relationships between faculty and students
6. Explore options for graduate education in Communication Studies

**WHY JOIN?**
Membership in Lambda PiEta signifies distinguished achievement in the discipline of Communication.

As NCA’s official honor society, LPH members are encouraged to attend the association’s Annual Convention each November, and to participate in the several LPH-sponsored sessions. The NCA Annual Convention offers tremendous opportunities for networking and presentation of original and exceptional student research.

Most importantly, Lambda PiEta chapters are communities of students and faculty that organize a wide variety of philanthropic, academic, and social programs.

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**ELIGIBILITY**
To be eligible for admission, students must meet the following criteria:

1. Complete 60 semester credit-hours or more
2. Have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 for all courses taken
3. Complete 12 semester credit-hours or more in communication (COMM/ORCO)
4. Have a minimum GPA of 3.25 for all communication courses (COMM/ORCO)

To join our MTSU chapter:

Every student member must submit the national initiation fee ($30) and completed form to the chapter faculty advisor prior to induction (deanne.priddis@mtsu.edu). This one-time fee covers your national Lambda PiEta lifetime membership (http://www.natcom.org/LambdaPiEta).

Please make the check payable to MTSU and put in Dr. Priddis’s mailbox in Jones Hall 233.

2. Once the faculty advisor submits the fee to Awards Concepts, the student will be sent a personalized induction certificate and a Lambda PiEta lapel pin. If you wish to also order gold Honor cords, add the additional $10.10 to your check ($30+$10.10 = $40.10) to MTSU and watch for an email to arrange to pick up from Dr. Priddis (Jones Hall 257).

Again, if you meet the criteria, CONGRATULATIONS on your academic achievement! Dr. Priddis, Faculty Advisor
Lambda Pi Eta (LPH) is the National Communication Association’s official honor society at four-year colleges and universities, and seeks to recognize the academic achievement of outstanding students in Communication. To be eligible for admission, undergraduate students must meet the following criteria:

- Completed 60 semester credit-hours
- Have a minimum overall cumulative GPA of 3.0
- Completed 12 semester credit-hours in Communication Studies
- Have a minimum GPA of 3.25 for all Communication Studies courses
- Currently be enrolled as a student in good standing, as determined by the institution's policies
- Rank within the highest 35 percent of one’s class in general scholarship

I, ______________________________, having been invited to join the Alpha Gamma Lambda chapter of Lambda Pi Eta at MTSU, do officially submit my acceptance form. I have also enclosed a check for $30 to pay my one-time membership dues for induction into Lambda Pi Eta. Add $10.10 fee for honor's cords (optional).

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Student Signature                                Date

Above please clearly print your name as you would like it to appear on your membership certificate

MTSU Email ___________________________ Other Email ___________________________

Cell Phone ___________________________ Anticipated Graduation ______________________

Please return this acceptance form and a check payable to MTSU to Dr. Priddis, or the Communication office at Jones Hall 233.