

1909

# Sigma Alpha Mu



## OFFICERS

### First Semester

Robert Kohn  
Robert Barrett  
Gerhard Hollander  
Robert Abrahamson

### Prior

Exchequer  
Alumni Recorder  
Recorder

### Second Semester

Robert Barrett  
Seymour Saperstein  
Gerhard Hollander  
Harry Role



The founding of Sigma Alpha Mu occurred at the College of the City of New York on Thanksgiving Eve, November 26, 1909. The inception of the organization was largely due to the desire of the founders to organize Jewish students of good character to spread the doctrines of fraternalism and self-development. Nationalization of the fraternity was not at first considered, and the second chapter was not founded until 1913. Once extension started, it continued rapidly and the fraternity is now national in scope.

On February 5, 1922, the Ohr Club of Armour Institute, which had been active on the campus for some years, became Sigma Epsilon Chapter of Sigma Alpha Mu. The acceptance of the club's petition brought the largest Jewish fraternity in the United States to the Armour campus. Sigma Epsilon Chapter has always co-operated closely with the chapters of other midwestern schools.