Join SJSU NSSLHA today!

Simply fill-out the form below and return it with the $20 membership fee to the CDS office in Sweeney Hall 115. Email nsslha.sjsu@gmail.com to complete registration online.

Name: __________________________

Year in School: __________________

Phone: __________________________

Email: __________________________

___ I am interested in joining a committee.

___ I am interested in becoming a mentor.

___ I am interested in having a mentor.

Make checks payable to: 
SJSU NSSLHA

Please put cash in a sealed envelope with registration form.

Get Rewarded for Your Participation!

Members can earn points by participating in events or joining committees. The more points that members accumulate, the more funding they can receive to attend conventions (above the funds available to all students).

Tier I: 1 to 5 points = additional 1% of available funding toward participation in ASHA or CSHA conventions (or other approved professional development opportunities)

Tier II: 6 to 10 points = additional 2% of available funding toward participation in ASHA or CSHA conventions (or other approved professional development opportunities)

Tier III: 11 points or more = additional 5% of available funding toward participation in ASHA or CSHA conventions (or other approved professional development opportunities)

At the end of the school year, NSSLHA will also write a letter of recommendation that can be used for graduate school applications for those students who attained a level of Tier II or III.
What is SJSU NSSLHA?
The National Student Speech Language Hearing Association (NSSLHA) is a national organization for undergraduate and graduate students who are interested in the study of speech language pathology and/or audiology.

NSSLHA is the only organization of its kind recognized by the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA). Founded in 1972, NSSLHA now has over 18,000 members, and local chapters at more than 285 colleges and universities.

The Silicon Valley’s local chapter, SJSU NSSLHA, was founded at San José State University in 1977. It is affiliated with the Department of Communicative Disorders and Sciences, located in Sweeney Hall.

Local and National Memberships
We want to encourage students to be involved in NSSLHA on the local as well as national level. Our local SJSU NSSLHA chapter provides support, services, and networking on a local county level as detailed in this brochure. National NSSLHA members have the benefits of receiving several professional publications such as the ASHA Leader and NSSLHA Now!, access to website resources, discounts for conventions, ASHA products, & professional memberships, and NSSLHA-to-ASHA Conversion discounts. For more information on national NSSLHA visit http://www.nsslha.org/nsslha/.

What Does SJSU NSSLHA Do?
• Provides networking opportunities for students with local professionals and organizations
• Organizes and hosts activities and events for CDS (Communicative Disorders and Sciences) students and the department
• Provides opportunities for student-to-student support, advice, and tutoring
• Introduces students to advocacy and legislative issues that affect them as students and future professionals
• Raises money for and awareness of the annual NSSLHA Loves charitable beneficiary
• Disburses information on various educational opportunities, events, scholarships, and professional contacts to CDS students through in-class announcements, e-mail, signage, the SJSU NSSLHA website, and the SJSU NSSLHA Online Network
• Donates time and funds to local organizations/facilities
• Publishes informative newsletter for CDS students, faculty and staff, as well as local professionals

How Do I Get Involved?
• Attend monthly meetings, activities, and events
• Volunteer to help out with activities and events
• Provide input on how we can improve our SJSU NSSLHA chapter and its services to the CDS students and department
• Become a NSSLHA officer!

Top 7 Reasons to Get Involved:
1. Network with professionals in education, treatment, and research.
2. Flex your knowledge by volunteering in your community.
3. Become part of a 30 year tradition.
4. Be a leader in your profession and your community.
5. Learn about what affects YOU as a student and your future as a professional.
6. Access to a wealth of both time-tested and cutting edge knowledge and technology.
7. Participate to earn recognition by your peers and professors with a certificate of honor.

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