The Alpha Team, a community ambassador program through accelerateOSU, is for graduate and undergraduate students who are entrepreneurial leaders on campus. We are looking for experts in all areas of accelerateOSU’s programs including I-CORP, the student incubator, Business Plan Competition, and Pitch and Poster to name a few. Students are expected to actively engage peers on the program and its activities; as well as, being a mentor for new members. Members of the Alpha Team are expected to be the face of accelerateOSU at all events, on- and off-campus. Please read all content below describing the expectations, benefits, and requirements of being accepted as an Alpha Team member before applying.

**Alpha Team Expectations:**

* Must attend all mandatory accelerateOSU events, Alpha retreat, and basic training
* Must complete 2 office hours per week in the Riata Center Downtown or on-campus incubator space
* Must attend Alpha Team board meetings every other week (time to be determined based on-board schedule)
* Communicate and follow-up with new accelerateOSU applicants
* Network and generate interest about accelerateOSU with other students
* Plan and set-up for events

**Benefits:**

* $700 Scholarship
* Alpha t-shirt and name tag
* Coffee card
* Numerous social and networking event opportunities with entrepreneurs
* Creating the base of the entrepreneurial culture on OSU's campus

**Requirements:**

* Any major may apply
* Must be an Oklahoma State University graduate or undergraduate student enrolled in classes on campus
* Must be an active member in accelerateOSU
* Preference given to students pursuing entrepreneurship minor
* Preference given to students pursuing entrepreneurial venture
* Preference given to students with accelerateOSU program experience
* Must be in good standing as a student
* Must turn in:
	+ Completed application; including short answer questions
	+ Essay - 250 words or less
		- Topic - What do you think accelerateOSU needs to do in order to connect with student entrepreneurs? OR Give an event description that you would want to plan for accelerateOSU.

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| **Applicant Information** |
| Full Name: |  |  |  |
|  | Last | First | M.I. |
| Address: |  |  |  |
|  | Street Address |  | Apartment/Unit # |
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|  | City | State | ZIP Code |
| Cell Phone: | ( ) | Email: |  |
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| Major(s): |  | Minor(s): |  |
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| Classification: | Freshman | Sophomore | Junior | Senior |
|  | Graduate Student |
| Approximate GPA: |  |  |
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| **Additional Information** |
| Are you currently working on a business idea? |  Yes |  No |
| Business name: |  |  |
| In two sentences, describe your business/idea: |
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| If another student had never heard of AccelerateOSU, what would you say to them about the program? |
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Campus/Community Involvement:

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Leadership:

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Honors and awards:

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