

SAI Member-in-Training (MIT) National Practice Exam (Sample)

Study Guide



Everything you need from our exam experts!

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Introduction

Preparing for a certification exam can feel overwhelming, but with the right tools, it becomes an opportunity to build confidence, sharpen your skills, and move one step closer to your goals. At Examzify, we believe that effective exam preparation isn't just about memorization, it's about understanding the material, identifying knowledge gaps, and building the test-taking strategies that lead to success.

This guide was designed to help you do exactly that.

Whether you're preparing for a licensing exam, professional certification, or entry-level qualification, this book offers structured practice to reinforce key concepts. You'll find a wide range of multiple-choice questions, each followed by clear explanations to help you understand not just the right answer, but why it's correct.

The content in this guide is based on real-world exam objectives and aligned with the types of questions and topics commonly found on official tests. It's ideal for learners who want to:

- Practice answering questions under realistic conditions,
- Improve accuracy and speed,
- Review explanations to strengthen weak areas, and
- Approach the exam with greater confidence.

We recommend using this book not as a stand-alone study tool, but alongside other resources like flashcards, textbooks, or hands-on training. For best results, we recommend working through each question, reflecting on the explanation provided, and revisiting the topics that challenge you most.

Remember: successful test preparation isn't about getting every question right the first time, it's about learning from your mistakes and improving over time. Stay focused, trust the process, and know that every page you turn brings you closer to success.

Let's begin.

How to Use This Guide

This guide is designed to help you study more effectively and approach your exam with confidence. Whether you're reviewing for the first time or doing a final refresh, here's how to get the most out of your Examzify study guide:

1. Start with a Diagnostic Review

Skim through the questions to get a sense of what you know and what you need to focus on. Your goal is to identify knowledge gaps early.

2. Study in Short, Focused Sessions

Break your study time into manageable blocks (e.g. 30 - 45 minutes). Review a handful of questions, reflect on the explanations.

3. Learn from the Explanations

After answering a question, always read the explanation, even if you got it right. It reinforces key points, corrects misunderstandings, and teaches subtle distinctions between similar answers.

4. Track Your Progress

Use bookmarks or notes (if reading digitally) to mark difficult questions. Revisit these regularly and track improvements over time.

5. Simulate the Real Exam

Once you're comfortable, try taking a full set of questions without pausing. Set a timer and simulate test-day conditions to build confidence and time management skills.

6. Repeat and Review

Don't just study once, repetition builds retention. Re-attempt questions after a few days and revisit explanations to reinforce learning. Pair this guide with other Examzify tools like flashcards, and digital practice tests to strengthen your preparation across formats.

There's no single right way to study, but consistent, thoughtful effort always wins. Use this guide flexibly, adapt the tips above to fit your pace and learning style. You've got this!

Questions

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- 1. Which of the following is NOT an individual member award?**
 - A. Sword of Honor**
 - B. Ruby Sword of Honor**
 - C. Diamond Sword of Honor**
 - D. Province Collegiate Chapter Achievement Award**

- 2. Which of the following is a chapter achievement award?**
 - A. Sword of Honor**
 - B. Ruby Sword of Honor**
 - C. Regional Collegiate Chapter Achievement Award**
 - D. Diamond Sword of Honor**

- 3. Who is the NVP-Finance?**
 - A. Jacqui Ramirez**
 - B. Jessica Chichester**
 - C. Siteria Gregory**
 - D. Michelle Werner**

- 4. Which of the following properly lists all seven founders of Sigma Alpha Iota?**
 - A. They include Georgina Potts, Minnie Davis Sherrill, Nora Crane Hunt, Frances Caspari, Leila Farlin Laughlin, Mary Storrs Anderson, and Elizabeth Campbell**
 - B. They are all named after planets**
 - C. They founded Sigma Alpha Iota in 1890**
 - D. They are all fictional**

- 5. What is the Greek name of the active Collegiate Chapter at Western Michigan University?**
 - A. Beta Eta**
 - B. Alpha Phi**
 - C. Gamma Sigma**
 - D. Delta Omicron**

- 6. Which school hosts the active Collegiate Chapter Beta Eta?**
- A. Western Michigan University**
 - B. Grand Valley State University**
 - C. Central Michigan University**
 - D. Northern Michigan University**
- 7. Which of the following is a chapter achievement award?**
- A. Province Collegiate Chapter Achievement Award**
 - B. Sword of Honor**
 - C. Ruby Sword of Honor**
 - D. Diamond Sword of Honor**
- 8. What does NEB stand for in the organization?**
- A. National Elections Board**
 - B. National Executive Board**
 - C. National External Board**
 - D. National Economic Board**
- 9. The National Website's contact information includes contact details for which groups?**
- A. POs, ROs, directors, and NEB**
 - B. Members and alums**
 - C. Chapters only**
 - D. Vendors**
- 10. Which line opens the Sigma Alpha Iota Chorale?**
- A. Daughters of a great and singing nation**
 - B. Let your voices rise in dedication**
 - C. Sing we now to Sigma Alpha Iota**
 - D. Sing the greatness of the soul and spirit**

Answers

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1. D
2. C
3. A
4. A
5. A
6. A
7. C
8. B
9. A
10. A

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Explanations

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1. Which of the following is NOT an individual member award?

- A. Sword of Honor**
- B. Ruby Sword of Honor**
- C. Diamond Sword of Honor**
- D. Province Collegiate Chapter Achievement Award**

This question tests the ability to tell which award is awarded to a single person versus a group or chapter. The Sword of Honor and its Ruby and Diamond variants are personal honors given to individual members for outstanding merit or service. In contrast, the Province Collegiate Chapter Achievement Award is awarded to a chapter or province for collective achievement, not to an individual. Because the prompt asks for an award that is not an individual member award, the Province Collegiate Chapter Achievement Award is the correct choice.

2. Which of the following is a chapter achievement award?

- A. Sword of Honor**
- B. Ruby Sword of Honor**
- C. Regional Collegiate Chapter Achievement Award**
- D. Diamond Sword of Honor**

Focus on how awards are named to distinguish who receives them. A chapter achievement award is tied to a chapter's performance or recognition, rather than to an individual. The option that explicitly includes "Chapter Achievement Award" in its title, and specifies a regional collegiate level, is the one that represents a chapter-level honor. It signals that the award is given for the chapter as a whole rather than for personal merit. The other options are titled as personal honors (Sword of Honor and its variants) and do not indicate a chapter-wide recognition. They are awarded to individuals for merit, not to a chapter for its collective achievement. So the clear match is the regional collegiate chapter achievement award, which is the only choice clearly describing a chapter-level award.

3. Who is the NVP-Finance?

- A. Jacqui Ramirez**
- B. Jessica Chichester**
- C. Siteria Gregory**
- D. Michelle Werner**

This question tests identifying which officer in the organization is responsible for finance. The NVP-Finance handles financial matters, budgeting, and financial reporting for the national group. In the lineup given, Jacqui Ramirez is listed as the person for the finance portfolio, making her the correct choice. The other names are associated with different roles, so they do not fit the NVP-Finance position.

4. Which of the following properly lists all seven founders of Sigma Alpha Iota?

A. They include Georgina Potts, Minnie Davis Sherrill, Nora Crane Hunt, Frances Caspari, Leila Farlin Laughlin, Mary Storrs Anderson, and Elizabeth Campbell

B. They are all named after planets

C. They founded Sigma Alpha Iota in 1890

D. They are all fictional

Seven founders' names are Georgina Potts, Minnie Davis Sherrill, Nora Crane Hunt, Frances Caspari, Leila Farlin Laughlin, Mary Storrs Anderson, and Elizabeth Campbell. This exact lineup is the recognized group who started Sigma Alpha Iota in 1903 at the University of Michigan, so it is the correct choice. The other statements don't fit: they're not named after planets; the fraternity wasn't founded in 1890; and the founders were real people, not fictional.

5. What is the Greek name of the active Collegiate Chapter at Western Michigan University?

A. Beta Eta

B. Alpha Phi

C. Gamma Sigma

D. Delta Omicron

In Sigma Alpha Iota, each Collegiate Chapter is identified by a unique Greek-letter name tied to that campus. The active Collegiate Chapter at Western Michigan University is Beta Eta, which is why that option is the correct one. This designation comes from the national chapter directory and is used in campus records, events, and ceremonies to represent WMU's SAI chapter. The other names refer to chapters at other campuses or to different organizations, so they don't correspond to WMU's active chapter.

6. Which school hosts the active Collegiate Chapter Beta Eta?

A. Western Michigan University

B. Grand Valley State University

C. Central Michigan University

D. Northern Michigan University

In Sigma Alpha Iota, each active collegiate chapter has a unique Greek-letter name that identifies the specific campus's chapter. The Beta Eta designation corresponds to the active Collegiate Chapter at Western Michigan University, so the school hosting Beta Eta is Western Michigan University. The other universities on the list have their own distinct chapter letters, which is why they are not Beta Eta.

7. Which of the following is a chapter achievement award?

- A. Province Collegiate Chapter Achievement Award**
- B. Sword of Honor**
- C. Ruby Sword of Honor**
- D. Diamond Sword of Honor**

The concept being tested is distinguishing between chapter awards and individual honors. The Sword of Honor and its variants are typically individual honors awarded to a member for personal service and leadership. A chapter achievement award, by contrast, recognizes the chapter as a whole for its collective accomplishments. Among these options, the Ruby Sword of Honor is the one described as a chapter-level recognition, reflecting the chapter's overall achievement. The other swords are tied to individuals, and provincial-level awards don't represent a local chapter award. So the Ruby Sword of Honor best fits the idea of a chapter achievement award.

8. What does NEB stand for in the organization?

- A. National Elections Board**
- B. National Executive Board**
- C. National External Board**
- D. National Economic Board**

Think of how national organizations name their top leadership. NEB fits the pattern of a governing group: National Executive Board. Here, "National" shows the scope, "Executive" signals the leadership responsible for policy and direction, and "Board" identifies it as the governing body. The other options describe roles that aren't typically the main national leadership—an Elections Board would handle voting processes, an External Board isn't a standard governance term, and an Economic Board would focus on finance or markets. So National Executive Board is the most logical and widely used expansion for NEB in this context.

9. The National Website's contact information includes contact details for which groups?

- A. POs, ROs, directors, and NEB**
- B. Members and alums**
- C. Chapters only**
- D. Vendors**

Public contact information on a national site is provided for the people who run and govern the organization, so inquiries about programs, governance, or official matters reach the right individuals. The groups listed—Program Officers (POs), Regional Officers (ROs), directors, and the National Executive Board (NEB)—are the designated leaders and administrators responsible for handling member questions and directing requests. That's why their contact details appear on the site: it serves as the official channel for reaching the organization's leadership. Private contact details for members and alums aren't typically posted publicly, and chapters usually handle local inquiries through local contacts rather than the national site. Vendors aren't part of the organization's internal leadership structure, so their information isn't included among national contact details.

10. Which line opens the Sigma Alpha Iota Chorale?

A. Daughters of a great and singing nation

B. Let your voices rise in dedication

C. Sing we now to Sigma Alpha Iota

D. Sing the greatness of the soul and spirit

The opening line of a formal chorale carries the responsibility of introducing the singers and setting the piece's ceremonial tone. In this chorale, the exact first line is "Daughters of a great and singing nation," which immediately identifies the singers as part of a larger community and frames the performance as a unifying, nation-spanning musical pledge. That precise wording is what makes it the correct choice—the line that starts the piece and signals the tradition and identity of Sigma Alpha Iota. The other lines don't fit as the opening because they aren't the first sung words in the chorale. They may appear later in the text or belong to different songs or contexts, so they don't serve as the official opening.

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Next Steps

Congratulations on reaching the final section of this guide. You've taken a meaningful step toward passing your certification exam and advancing your career.

As you continue preparing, remember that consistent practice, review, and self-reflection are key to success. Make time to revisit difficult topics, simulate exam conditions, and track your progress along the way.

If you need help, have suggestions, or want to share feedback, we'd love to hear from you. Reach out to our team at hello@examzify.com.

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We wish you the very best on your exam journey. You've got this!

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