THE BOND
2023–2024
YOUR OFFICIAL GUIDE TO FRATERNITY & SORORITY LIFE
FRATERNITY & SORORITY PROGRAMS

WHY WE EXIST
Fraternity & Sorority Programs exists to develop innovative approaches that empower fraternity and sorority members to tackle their greatest challenges, create change for the common good, and realize their full potential.

OUR PRIORITIES
Safety and Harm Prevention. We want our fraternity and sorority members to have a fun, memorable, and safe experience. Through training, education, and coaching, we provide the necessary tools chapters need to create a safe, healthy, and responsible environment that allows all members to be successful in their daily endeavors.

Leadership and Educational Development. Our programs help students gain deeper self-awareness, build self-confidence, develop new skills, and ultimately build a better society for themselves and others.

Human Dignity. We support a sense of acceptance, inclusion, and identity for all members of the Arizona Greek community and facilitate programs that seek to better the experiences of historically underserved identities.

Commitment to Innovation. To help organizations and students reach their full potential, we challenge conventional thinking within the fraternity and sorority life profession.

OUR CORE VALUES
- Integrity
- Compassion
- Exploration
- Adaptation
- Inclusion
- Determination

GOVERNANCE
Fraternities and sororities are self-governing organizations that are responsible for following policies and procedures outlined by their own inter/national organization, their respective governing council, and the University of Arizona. Fraternity & Sorority Programs includes full-time staff, with Master degrees, that support the University’s purpose and mission.
WELCOME TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA!

Wildcat Family,

Greek Life came to the University of Arizona in 1915, and has continued to provide incredible experiences for students through charitable work, professional experiences, and close bonds. As leaders in the Greek Community, we are so excited to welcome you into the fraternity and sorority community here at the U of A. The three councils work together to provide a memorable experience that enhances a Wildcat's journey during their time in Tucson. The purpose of Greek Life is to develop life long relationships, set the standard for academic excellence, and make positive impacts on people across the globe through philanthropic and service events. Greek Life strives to make a difference in the entire University of Arizona community and the surrounding Tucson area.

The staff members at the Fraternity & Sorority Programs office are dedicated to supporting all students and providing resources that foster success and personal growth and development. This has allowed the Greek community on campus to flourish and thrive with a whopping 5,500 members spanning over 50 different chapters. This is roughly 15% of the student population, and we are continuing to increase in size. Joining a Greek-lettered organization is all about finding people who share common interests, values, and beliefs, while also celebrating the diverse backgrounds and experiences that we come from. As you prepare to embark on this journey, remember to be yourself. We genuinely believe that there is truly a place for everyone, and we are so excited for each of you to witness that first hand. This is what going Greek is all about—supporting and empowering one another to be our best selves.

We hope you consider the opportunity to be a part of one of the strongest traditions at the U of A. Bear Down and Go Greek!

— COUNCIL PRESIDENTS OF THE ARIZONA GREEK COMMUNITY

GREG ABRAHAM
President, Interfraternity Council

NINA MACKEY
President, Panhellenic Council

EDGARDO AGUILAR
President, United Sorority & Fraternity Council

STATEMENT ON HAZING

No individual Wildcat should be demeaned, ridiculed, belittled, or placed in a potentially harmful situation in order to be included in a group at the University of Arizona.

Being part of a campus group can be one of the most meaningful aspects of student life. However, hazing is a hidden and serious problem that undermines the value of these experiences for many individuals. Hazing is a violation of the University of Arizona policy and Arizona State law. The University of Arizona will investigate any hazing report and will always hold individuals or groups accountable if they are found to be hazing. When calling or emailing, it is important to include the name of the organization and as much detail as possible. Unfortunately, investigations cannot occur if the name of the organization and the type of incidents that are occurring are not provided.

Fraternity & Sorority Programs has joined together with Campus Health, Housing & Residence Life, Arizona Athletics, the Parent & Family Association, and the University of Arizona Police Department to create a hazing prevention coalition on campus. To prevent hazing on campus, staff, students, faculty, and families must all work together. Information on prevention and reporting can be found on the Fraternity & Sorority Programs, Dean of Students, and Hazing Prevention Coalition websites.

PLEASE REPORT HAZING TO:

The Hazing Prevention Hotline — (520) 626-HAZE (4293)
The Dean of Students — (520) 621-7057
or UAPD in case of emergency or criminal activity — (520) 621-UAPD (8273)

Fraternity & Sorority Programs • Student Union Memorial Center, Room 411
(520) 621-8046 • greek.arizona.edu • Arizona General Information: arizona.edu
ACADEMIC SUPPORT
Fraternities and sororities offer many resources and programs to enhance the academic experience for their members. Minimum grade point averages are required in each chapter for joining, initiation, and maintenance of good standing. Incentive programs recognize members for their academic achievement and scholastic effort. Academic efforts are self-evident, as approximately 34% of fraternity and sorority members receive a 3.5 GPA on average.

STANDARDS & EXPECTATIONS
The standards take a holistic approach to evaluating chapter activities. They outline the minimum expectations for Greek organizations to abide by and/or exceed in the following key areas: Academics, Leadership & Involvement, Global Citizenship & Human Dignity, Chapter Management, Membership Education & Development, Recruitment/Outreach, and Health & Wellness. Chapters are evaluated every year in order to remain in good standing and be eligible for university awards, services, and goods.

For more information:
Fraternity & Sorority Programs, DOS-Greek@arizona.edu

EXCEPTIONS OF FRATERNITY/SORORITY CHAPTERS

Each chapter is expected to have a minimum average GPA of 2.75.
Each chapter is expected to follow all federal, state, university, and international/national/local organization laws and policies.
Each chapter member is expected to complete a minimum of 8 hours of community service hours each semester.
Each member of a fraternity or sorority is expected to engage with educational sessions for personal and professional development.
Each new member is required to complete programming designed to educate students on issues related to alcohol, hazing, drug use, and sexual assault prevention.
Each chapter member is expected to exemplify the Greek Values of Leadership, Scholarship, Service, and Friendship.
Each chapter and chapter member is expected to uphold the Arizona Greek Standards of Excellence and the Greek Community Standards.
Each chapter member is expected to adhere to the Arizona Student Code of Conduct.
Each chapter member is expected to participate in campus and Tucson community leadership and service opportunities.

WHY GO GREEK?

DEVELOPMENT

Since the founding of the first fraternity in 1776, fraternities and sororities have helped college students develop strong networks of support on campus and beyond. Joining a fraternity or sorority is right for you. The symbols above can help you determine which fraternities and sororities are the best fit. Use these as tools to determine which fraternities and sororities are the best fit.

GRADUATION & RETENTION

Greek students are significantly more likely to remain at the University of Arizona for their sophomore year and are significantly more likely to graduate from the University of Arizona than non-Greek students.

ACADEMICS

Greeks members continue from their first year to sophomore year at an 18% higher rate than non-Greeks.

Greek Academy is a five-session academic program designed to provide Greek students with new learning and study techniques to improve their academic success. Session topics can include: goal setting, time management, coping with stress, exam preparation, test taking, and more. Topics change semesterly based on student need and feedback.

Results include increases in grades, student motivation, diligence, self-discipline, knowledge acquisition, preparation, and test taking and decreases in anxiety related to school performance.

We are excited for members to join Greek Academy and make a commitment to academic excellence! Greek Academy takes place in the fall and spring semesters.

FOR MORE INFORMATION:
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**SAFE CATS PROGRAM**

For more information, visit the Arizona SafeCats Program website: greek.arizona.edu/fsp/safetycats

Q: What costs are associated with joining a fraternity or sorority?
A: For Interfraternity Council (IFC) fraternities, new members incur one-time expenses such as a bid acceptance and initiation fee. Recurring expenses include chapter dues, national fees, social fees, and risk management insurance. For organizations with houses, room and board (if living in a chapter facility) may also apply.

Sororities in the Panhellenic Council (PC) have similar fees.

For chapters in the United Sorority & Fraternity Council (USFC), the totals vary greatly. Encourage your student to inquire about each organization’s specific fees.

For Divine 9 (D9) organizations, the expenses paid upon initiation may include the new member and/or initiation fee, pin fee, as well as national, regional, and local dues. The yearly expenses may include national, regional, and local dues in addition to risk management insurance. Dues and fees are not known until a student begins the intake process.

Q: When can my student join a fraternity or sorority?
A: There are both formal recruitment and informal processes, and some chapters may participate in one or both. To find the most up-to-date information, visit the Fraternity & Sorority Programs website: greek.arizona.edu/fsp/fraternity or greek.arizona.edu/fsp/sorority

Q: What leadership opportunities are available to Greek members?
A: As a Greek member, students have the opportunity to be a chapter and/or council officer, enroll in Greek leadership classes, participate in the Panhellenic Program, lead a weekend retreat, and become a peer health educator. All members are also encouraged to become involved in other student organizations, have an internship, or hold a job.

Q: Can my student live in the chapter facility as a new member?
A: New members will not receive housing on fraternity or sorority property. Once a student is an initiated member, they will be able to participate in each organization’s housing selection process. The process differs for each organization. Only about half of fraternities and sororities have chapter facilities, and primarily sophomores live in the houses.

Q: What kind of accommodations are available for students with disabilities in fraternities and sororities?
A: Please contact FSP to explore disability-related access and accommodations. Many chapter facilities are fully accessible, and chapter officers and governing councils try their best to utilize universal design when developing programs and activities. You may also contact the Disability Resource Center (drc.arizona.edu) for more information on accommodations. Look for the Access Features symbol on chapter profiles for accessible facilities.

Q: What is the University's stance on alcohol and drug abuse?
A: The University of Arizona recognizes that the use of alcoholic beverages by those of legal age is a matter of personal choice. The University requires that those who choose to drink on University property abide by state law and University regulations and expects that such individuals will conduct themselves responsibly, mindful of the rights of others.

Q: How can I find out what organizations are/have been on probationary periods?
A: If an organization is listed under “Organizations on Loss of Recognition Status” on the judicial page of the FSP website, then the University does not recognize it as an official organization. To view the disciplinary status of particular organizations, visit: greek.arizona.edu/judicial

Q: What is the University’s stance on hazing?
A: The University of Arizona seeks to promote a safe environment in which students may participate without compromising their health, safety, or welfare. Hazing is a violation of university policy and state law. No individual Wildcat should be demeaned, ridiculed, belittled, or placed in a potentially harmful situation in order to be included in a group at the University of Arizona. For more information, see page 4.
THE FRATERNITY EXPERIENCE

THERE ARE 30 NATIONAL FRATERNITIES ON THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA CAMPUS.

WHICH ONE IS RIGHT FOR YOU?

All chapters at Arizona belong to a governing council. Both the Interfraternity Council and the United Sorority & Fraternity Council are home to fraternities and offer different experiences.

WHAT IS THE INTERFRATERNITY COUNCIL?
The Interfraternity Council (IFC) is the coordinating and governing board of 20 social fraternities at the University of Arizona. IFC is made up of 10 executive officers in charge of various aspects of Greek Life, as well as the president and delegate from each fraternity.

As a whole, the purpose of the IFC is, in accordance with the objectives outlined by the North American Interfraternity Conference (NIC), to assist the fraternity system in the development of fraternity members through intellectual, social leadership, and humanitarian pursuits. There is a place for everyone in the IFC community, and the council is committed to protecting the values that chapters uphold for generations to come. The NIC provides direct support, resources, and services to IFC offices, representatives, advisors, and alumni to further the health and success of local fraternity communities.

WHAT IS THE UNITED SORORITY & FRATERNITY COUNCIL?
The United Sorority & Fraternity Council (USFC) was founded on the University of Arizona campus in the spring of 2007. USFC is composed of diverse Greek organizations, allowing them a voice and a connection on a more direct level with the University. This council governs identity-based groups, including Divine 9/Historically Black fraternities and sororities. USFC and all of its member chapters are headquartered at the top floor of the Student Union Memorial Center, Room 411. USFC fraternities add cultural and identity values and ideals to the Greek system.

HOW MUCH DO FRATERNITIES COST?
Fees differ from chapter to chapter. Features such as housing, a meal plan, parking, and various local/national dues will determine the amount each new member and active member pays. Scan the QR code below with the camera on your mobile device or other downloaded app, or visit greek.arizona.edu/cost for more information on specific chapters.

THE FRATERNITY EXPERIENCE

WHY JOIN AN IFC CHAPTER?

THE RELATIONSHIPS
Interfraternity Council chapters vary greatly in size, ranging from 25-150 members. Some are small, family-like organizations while others are quite large. The average size is 80 members. The closest bonds are often formed within their own new member class.

LEVELS OF ENGAGEMENT
IFC fraternities are engaged across campus, including leadership roles and intramural sports. IFC chapters raise thousands of dollars each year for Tucson’s Emerge! Center Against Domestic Abuse.

THE INVOLVEMENT
IFC fraternities place a high level of importance on academics, leadership, and chapter involvement. Chapters also have a variety of social and recreational activities such as formals, theme parties, and fun philanthropic events. Most IFC groups have a chapter facility (house); however, the vast majority of members do not live in Organizations without housing have an equally fulfilling experience utilizing campus and Tucson locations for dinners, meetings, socials, and other events.

WHY JOIN A USFC CHAPTER?

THE BONDS
United Sorority & Fraternity Council fraternities are smaller, tight-knit, family-like organizations with an average size of 6 members. Not only are fraternity members close with another, they are also close with other USFC sororities and fraternities at Arizona as well as across the country.

SERVICE TO THE LOCAL COMMUNITY
USFC chapters are committed to hands-on service to the community and often serve underrepresented populations right here in Tucson with events like Adopt-a-Street and volunteering with the Boys and Girls Club.

THE EXPERIENCE
USFC fraternities are cultural and identity-based, meaning they were founded to celebrate a culture such as Asian, Latino, LGBTQ+, African American, Native American, or multicultural. This does not mean you must be of a specific identity to join—to the contrary! Those with an appreciation for the culture or identity are certainly welcomed.

LOWER COST
USFC dues are affordable, and council recruitment events are totally free!
**Delta Chi**

Delta Chi believes in developing the whole person and helping our men become better people, not just better Delta Chis, who are committed to making an impact on the world around them. We cultivate inclusive environments for any person who self-identifies as a man, who reflects and lives our values of Promoting Friendship, Developing Character, Advancing Justice, and Assisting in the Acquisition of a Sound Education. It's through these values that our members become men of action and grow to become the best version of themselves while living, leading, and growing each day with integrity through the Brotherhood of a Lifetime!

**Delta Kappa Epsilon**

Delta Kappa Epsilon is devoted to finding men who are Gentlemen, Scholars, and Jolly-Good Fellows. Kappa Eps strives to develop a culture and an expectation of men who perform in the top tier of students at their institutions and a vibrant network of alumni who are motivated to stay involved with the fraternity after graduation. Our brothers pride themselves on being the most involved men across campus, creating relationships with all the stakeholders within our community. Kappa Epsilon has produced 5 U.S. Presidents, over 170 members of the U.S. Congress, hundreds of CEOs of Fortune 500 companies, and numerous star athletes and actors.

**Delta Lambda Phi Social Fraternity, Inc.**

Delta Lambda Phi Social Fraternity, Inc. was founded by gay men for all men irrespective of sexual orientation or gender expression. DLP is a thriving international organization with chapters all over North America. Above all, DLP is unique due to the quality of its brothers, the lifelong bonds with other like-minded men, and the support offered by this organization. For over 30 years, Delta Lambda Phi has offered progressive men the opportunity for growth and leadership through justice and diversity while honoring integrity and commitment.

**Kappa Alpha Order**

Kappa Alpha Order has a focus on heritage and tradition but takes greatest pride in being known as “The Modern Gentlemen.” While in college, KA helps its members develop their values-set and experiences to point them in a great direction for their future. This national brotherhood espouses the values of gentility, service, brotherhood, leadership, knowledge, and excellence. We prepare our members to not only achieve academically but also to strive to be the best possible people and leaders we can become.

**Kappa Sigma**

Kappa Sigma is focused upon the Four Pillars of Fellowship, Leadership, Scholarship, and Service. As a values-based men’s fraternity, Kappa Sigma aims to complement and enhance the educational mission of the host institution, promote the ideal of Brotherhood, actively contribute to the personal growth and development of its members, promote ethical behavior and decision-making, and encourage service to others.
LAMBDA THETA PHI LATIN FRATERNITY, INC.
Lambda Theta Phi is a Latino-founded multicultural fraternity focused on community service and the personal and professional development of its members. The ideals of the brotherhood are Academic Excellence, Brotherhood, Leadership, Latino Unity and Service. On a daily basis, the brothers live up to these ideals and contribute through events such as the chapter’s annual 24-hour toy drive for local Tucson children during the holiday season.

OMEGA DELTA PHI FRATERNITY, INC.
Omega Delta Phi is a Service/Social fraternity dedicated to the needs and concerns of the community. The purpose of Omega Delta Phi is and shall be to promote and maintain the traditional values of Unity, Honesty, Integrity, and Leadership. This Brotherhood was founded in order to provide, to any man, a diverse fraternal experience that coincides with a higher education.

OMEGA PSI PSI FRATERNITY, INC. | Alpha Epsilon Chapter
Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. was founded at Howard University in Washington, D.C., adopting the motto “Friendship is essential to the soul.” For more than 100 years, Omega Psi Phi has been a leading organization for achieving academic excellence, developing leaders, and promoting brotherhood. These educated men are dedicated to the Cardinal Principles of manhood, scholarship, perseverance, and uplift.

PHI BETA SIGMA FRATERNITY, INC. | Alpha Alpha Epsilon Chapter
Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. was founded at Howard University in Washington, D.C., January 9, 1944, by three young African-American male students. The Founders wanted to organize a Greek letter fraternity that would truly exemplify the ideals of brotherhood, scholarship, and service. Phi Beta Sigma is proud to have the first black-owned fraternity house recognized by the University.

PHI DELTA THETA
Phi Delta Theta is committed to helping men to become the greatest version of themselves, cherishing and building the strongest relationships of our lives, professionally and personally. The chapter teaches men to balance their lives according to the principles of Friendship, Sound Learning, and Rectitude. The chapter celebrates the uniqueness of individuals, and through encouragement, values, example, and brotherhood, empowers brothers to exceed personal expectations.

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PHI GAMMA DELTA
Phi Gamma Delta unites men in enduring friendships, stimulates the pursuit of knowledge, and builds courageous leaders who serve the world with the best that is in them. Fills live by the values of Friendship, Knowledge, Service, Morality, and Excellence. Phi Gamma Delta is "Not For College Days Alone!" Our brothers may graduate from their higher education institutions, but they never graduate from Phi Gamma Delta. They carry with them lifelong friendships, plus skills and experiences from their undergraduate years.

PI ALPHA PHI FRATERNITY, INC.
Pi Alpha Phi is dedicated to its five pillars: Brotherhood, Academic Excellence, Philanthropy, Leadership, and Asian American Awareness. PAPI was established in 1929 and is proud of its storied past and promising future, which centers on the development and brotherhood that goes far beyond the University setting. Pi Alpha Phi is a proud organization that holds its members to the highest standards.

PI KAPPA PHI
Pi Kappa Phi exists to create an uncommon and lifelong brotherhood that develops leaders and encourages service to others for the benefit of our communities. Brothers seek to live the values of Common Loyalty, Personal Responsibility, Achievement, Accountibility, Campus Involvement, Responsible Citizenship, and Lifelong Commitment.
SIGMA ALPHA MU
At its core, Sigma Alpha Mu (Sammy) is a brotherhood fostered through mutual moral aid and support and has driven a tradition of excellence. This tradition is exemplified through academic success, professional success, campus involvement, and a desire to serve. Sammy, in loyalty to its historically Jewish values, welcomes leaders, men of innovation, and men of integrity.

FOUNDED (LOCAL) December 7, 1962
NICKNAME Sammy
PHILANTHROPY Alzheimer’s Association

SIGMA CHI
Sigma Chi at Arizona cultivates and maintains the high ideals on which Sigma Chi was founded: Friendship, Justice, and Learning. Emphasizing high academic standards, leadership positions, philanthropy, and brotherhood, Sigma Chi also provides a helping hand through brotherhood for the achievement of purposeful living—both in the college community and in the years to follow.

FOUNDED (LOCAL) May 8, 1954
NICKNAME Sig Ep
PHILANTHROPY Big Brothers / Big Sisters

SIGMA LAMBDA BETA INTERNATIONAL FRATERNITY, INC.
Sigma Lambda Beta International Fraternity, Inc. embraces the principles of Brotherhood, Scholarship, Community Service, and Cultural Awareness. The mission of SLB is to nurture and further a dynamic, values-based environment which utilizes the historically Latino-based fraternity as a catalyst to better serve the needs and wants of all people. Sigma Lambda Beta believes in fairness, opportunity, and equality among all men no matter their race, culture, sexual orientation, or faith.

FOUNDED (LOCAL) April 23, 1951
NICKNAME SLB, Betas
PHILANTHROPY Huntsman Cancer Foundation

SIGMA NU
Sigma Nu enhances the experience of its members and builds a sense of community in a way that generates a desire to invest time, talent, and treasure in the development of both the organization and its future members, which is recognized by all as contributions to the greater good. Sig Nu’s vision: Excelling with Honor.

FOUNDED (LOCAL) May 8, 1954
NICKNAME Sig Ep
PHILANTHROPY Big Brothers / Big Sisters

SIGMA PHI EPSILON
Sig Ep strives to preserve the values that fraternities were founded upon and challenge the negative stereotypes that fraternity members face. We are committed to building balanced men through the Greek philosophy of sound mind and sound body. With a focus on high academic achievement and leadership development, we provide a unique member development program that challenges members to grow as individuals and become successful in all facets of life.

FOUNDED (LOCAL) May 8, 1954
NICKNAME Sig Ep
PHILANTHROPY Big Brothers / Big Sisters

SIGMA TAU GAMMA
Sigma Tau Gamma is a national college fraternity founded in 1920 by 17 World War One veterans who envisioned to build Noble Generations of Men. Founded as a society of men who endeavor forward, members aim to pursue the highest ideals of Manhood, Brotherhood, and Nobility. The fraternity’s members dedicate themselves to a Path of Principles: Learning, Leadership, Citizenship, Brotherhood, Integrity, and Excellence.

FOUNDED (LOCAL) March 29, 1918
NICKNAME Sig Tau
PHILANTHROPY Special Olympics

TAU KAPPA EPSILON
TKE builds Better Men for a Better World. Since 1847, TKE has believed that it is the duty of men to improve themselves and to contribute to the advancement of society through the personal growth of its members and service to others. TKE builds Better Men for a Better World.

FOUNDED (LOCAL) January 14, 1967
NICKNAME TKE
PHILANTHROPY St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital

THETA DELTA CHI
Since 1847, Theta Delta Chi has believed that it is the duty of every member to improve himself intellectually, morally, and socially through friendship. The brothers of TDX seek to live out the slogan “Our Hearts Are United” and enjoy engaging in service and philanthropic work for the Special Olympics and Autism Speaks.

FOUNDED (LOCAL) February 11, 2017
NICKNAME TDX
PHILANTHROPY Big Brothers / Big Sisters (Autism Support)

**NEW FRATERNITIES**

**THETA XI**

The Purpose of Theta Xi is to provide a college home environment for its active members in which fellowship and alumni guidance lead to wholesome mental, moral, physical, and spiritual growth. To that end, Theta Xi actively supports and augments college and community efforts to make individual members more mature and chapter groups more useful units of society.

**ZETA BETA TAU**

The mission of Zeta Beta Tau Fraternity is to foster and develop in its membership the tenets of its Credo: Intellectual Awareness, Social Responsibility, Integrity, and Brotherly Love in order to cultivate leadership and service within their communities. Zeta Beta Tau seeks to serve the undergraduate Jewish populations at colleges and universities throughout the United States and Canada. All men of good character will be eligible for membership in Zeta Beta Tau.

**ZETA PSI**

Zeta Psi strives to be the premier international men’s fraternal organization dedicated to forging academic excellence and life-long bonds of brotherhood. Through active chapter participation and continuing alumni outreach, Zeta Psi members are committed to the development of leadership, character, and intellect and to the service of their brothers and their communities.

**ALPHA GAMMA RHO**

Alpha Gamma Rho is the fraternity sharing a common bond within a dynamic, global agriculture committed to fostering the highest values and providing each and every brother with superior lifelong personal development and professional success. The purpose of AGR is to make better men, and through them, a broader and better agriculture. AGR does what you expect a social fraternity to do and also encompasses professional development to explore internships and career opportunities. AGR values leadership, scholarship, and, above all, brotherhood.

**LAMBDA SIGMA UPSILON LATINO FRATERNITY, INC.**

Lambda Sigma Upsilon Latino Fraternity, Inc. is a Latino-based but not exclusive Greek-lettered fraternity, founded at Rutgers University—New Brunswick, NJ. The official motto of the fraternity is “Latinos Siempre Unidos” (Latinos Always United), thus the acronym “LSU”. The founders developed four goals that would embody the purpose of LSU: academic excellence, promote cultural awareness and diversity, being role models to the community, and brotherhood.

**SIGMA ALPHA EPSILON**

Founded upon the values of friendship, scholarship, leadership, and service, SAE aims to better the world around us. The Arizona Alpha Chapter aims to better our community through service and philanthropy along with living by the values outlined by the True Gentleman. The brothers of SAE are held to high standards in order to increase the good in the world.

For questions about joining Alpha Gamma Rho and/or Sigma Alpha Epsilon, email azzfcrecruitment@gmail.com

For questions about joining Lambda Sigma Upsilon, email arizonausfc.vpmembership@gmail.com
WHY JOIN A PANHELLENIC CHAPTER?

THE RELATIONSHIPS
Panhellenic chapters are large organizations ranging from 50-375 members per group. Members often form close relationships with their Big (an upperclassman mentor) and within their own new member class.

PHILANTHROPY FOR THE GLOBAL COMMUNITY
Panhellenic sororities are committed to various national/global organizations, and each chapter raises thousands of dollars each semester for their philanthropy.

THE INVOLVEMENT
Panhellenic sororities place a large amount of importance on academics, leadership, and chapter involvement. Chapters also have a variety of social and recreational activities such as formals, theme parties, and fun philanthropic events. Most Panhellenic groups have a chapter facility (house); however, the vast majority of members do not live in. Organizations without housing have an equally fulfilling experience utilizing campus and Tucson locations for dinners, meetings, socials, and other events.

WHY JOIN A USFC CHAPTER?

THE BONDS
United Sorority & Fraternity Council (USFC) sororities are smaller, tight-knit, family-like organizations with an average size of 12 members. Not only are sorority members close with another, they are also close with other USFC sororities and fraternities at Arizona as well as across the country.

SERVICE TO THE LOCAL COMMUNITY
USFC chapters are committed to hands-on service to the community and often serve underrepresented populations right here in Tucson with events like Adopt-a-Street and volunteering with the Boys and Girls Club.

THE EXPERIENCE
USFC sororities are cultural and identity-based, meaning they were founded to celebrate a culture such as Asian, Latinx, LGBTQ+, African American, Native American, or multicultural. This does not mean you must be of a specific identity to join—to the contrary!—those with an appreciation for the culture or identity are certainly welcomed.

LOWER COST
USFC dues are affordable, and council recruitment events are totally free!

WHICH ONE IS RIGHT FOR YOU?
All chapters at Arizona belong to a governing council. Both the Panhellenic Council and the United Sorority & Fraternity Council are home to sororities and offer different experiences.

WHAT IS THE PANHELLENIC COUNCIL?
The Panhellenic Council (PC) consists of 10 executive officers from various chapters and representatives from each chapter. The Council meets biweekly to discuss current issues and upcoming events. The governing council is also responsible for local Panhellenic operations in accordance with the National Panhellenic Conference (NPC). The NPC is a conference of women’s private social fraternities and sororities founded in 1902, which includes delegates from the 26 member national and international women’s fraternities and sororities at the international level.

WHAT IS THE UNITED SORORITY & FRATERNITY COUNCIL?
The United Sorority & Fraternity Council (USFC) was founded on the University of Arizona campus in the spring of 2007. USFC is composed of diverse Greek organizations, allowing them a voice and a connection on a more direct level with the University. This council governs identity-based groups, including Divine 9/Historically Black fraternities and sororities. USFC and all of its member chapters are headquartered at the top floor of the Student Union Memorial Center, Room 411. USFC fraternities add cultural and identity values and ideals to the Greek system.

HOW MUCH DO SORORITIES COST?
Fees differ from chapter to chapter. Features such as housing, a meal plan, parking, and various local/national dues will determine the amount each new member and active member pays. Scan the QR code below with the camera on your mobile device or other downloaded app, or visit greek.arizona.edu/cost for more information on specific chapters.
ALPHA CHI OMEGA | Required GPA: high school 3.00, college 2.75
Alpha Chi Omega is devoted to enriching the lives of members through lifetime opportunities of friendship, leadership, learning, and service. This is an organization about you: unique, talented, genuine women looking for a fun and meaningful way to enhance your college experience. It’s also about real, strong women who stand by your side, cheer you on, and lead you to a lifetime of fun, fulfillment, leadership, and inspiration.

NICKNAME | AEPhi
FOUNDING DATE | November 15, 2013
PHILANTHROPY | Domestic Violence Awareness

ALPHA DELTA PI | Required GPA: high school 3.00, college 2.60
Alpha Delta Pi was founded as the first secret society in the world for collegiate women upon four principles: scholarship, leadership, service to others, and sisterhood. The principles established by our founders in 1851 are enduring standards exemplifying the highest ideals of womanhood. Alpha Delta Pi is more than a ritual and more than a symbol; it is a way of life. While first you become a part of Alpha Delta Pi, Alpha Delta Pi then becomes a part of you.

NICKNAME | APiO, Pis, Queen Bees
FOUNDING DATE | June 20, 2000
PHILANTHROPY | Ronald McDonald House Charities

ALPHA EPSILON PHI | Required GPA: high school 3.00, college 2.70
Alpha Epsilon Phi is a chapter filled with sisterhood, dedication, and diversity, made up of women from all around the country. AEPhi upholds its values of growth, fellowship, and sisterhood. In AEPhi, women have the chance to enhance their leadership skills through chairmanships, philanthropies, as well as executive board positions. Alpha Epsilon Phi was derived from the Greek words AEI ESTO PHILO meaning “May Friendship Be Everlasting.”

NICKNAME | AEPhi
FOUNDING DATE | December 14, 1909
PHILANTHROPY | Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation

ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA SORORITY, INC. | Iota Tau Chapter
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. was founded as the first historically black sorority. Its mission is to cultivate and encourage high scholastic and ethical standards; to promote unity and friendship among college women; to study and help alleviate problems concerning girls and women in order to improve their social stature; to maintain a progressive interest in college life; and to be “Service to All Mankind.” The Iota Tau chapter fulfills this mission through service projects and personal development focused on scholarship, leadership, sisterhood, and service.

NICKNAME | AKAs
FOUNDING DATE | May 7, 1975
PHILANTHROPY | Soles 4 Souls, Autism Awareness Walk, Adopt A Family

ALPHA KAPPA ALPHTA SORORITY, INC. | Required GPA: high school 3.00, college 2.50
When you join Alpha Phi, you become part of a sisterhood that stretches from coast to coast. As sisters, we hold one another to the high standards set forth by the guiding principles of our Founders: sisterhood, innovation, generosity, and character. Alpha Phi’s are committed to lifelong friendships, leadership, academic excellence, personal growth, and community involvement. We cannot wait to welcome you home!

NICKNAME | APhi
FOUNDING DATE | March 15, 1926
PHILANTHROPY | Alpha Phi Foundation - Women’s Heart Health

ALPHA PI OMEGA SORORITY, INC.
Alpha Pi Omega Sorority, Inc. is a sisterhood of Native American women who are committed to each other, their communities, tribes, families, academic excellence, and self-empowerment. The Zeta Chapter sisters support the fundamental principles of Alpha Pi Omega: respecting Native American traditions, supporting self-renewal through continuous education, honoring the Creator, and addressing critical issues facing our Native communities and society at large.

NICKNAME | APAO, Pi, Queen Bees
FOUNDING DATE | May 27, 2006
PHILANTHROPY | National Indian Education Association

ALPHA SIGMA ALPHA | Required GPA: high school 2.50, college 2.50
The purpose of Alpha Sigma Alpha is to cultivate friendship among members who are known for their character and concern for others. The sorority’s purpose captures the spirit of an Alpha Sigma Alpha—leading with integrity, demonstrating generosity, living with values, caring for herself, her sisters and her community. Joining ASA is an effort toward elevating the influence of women in their communities and the world.

NICKNAME | ASA
FOUNDING DATE | April 7, 2018
PHILANTHROPY | Special Olympics, Girls On The Run

ALPHA PHII GAMMA NATIONAL SORORITY, INC.
Alpha Phi Gamma’s Delta Chapter is the first Asian-American Interest Sorority at Arizona and in the State of Arizona. The purpose of APfiG is to bring together all women of different nationalities through bonds of friendship and sisterhood and to provide service and Asian Awareness to the University and surrounding communities for the betterment of society. It promotes scholarship and academic excellence, personal development, and leadership.

NICKNAME | APHiG
FOUNDING DATE | June 20, 2000
PHILANTHROPY | Fight Against Violence Towards Women

ALPHA SIGMA GAMMA STUDENTS’ SORORITY, INC.
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NICKNAME | ASG
FOUNDING DATE | September 1, 1994
PHILANTHROPY | National Indian Education Association

ALPHA SIGMA ALPHA SORORITY, INC.
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NICKNAME | ASA
FOUNDING DATE | April 7, 2018
PHILANTHROPY | Special Olympics, Girls On The Run
NICKNAME: DeeGee
FOUNDED (LOCAL): October 7, 1923
PHILANTHROPY: Make-A-Wish Foundation

DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC. | Mu Eta Chapter

Delta Sigma Theta has distinguished itself as an organization that confronts the challenges of African Americans, and all Americans, through programs addressing education, health, international development, and strengthening of the African-American family. It provides an array of public service initiatives through its Five-Point Program: Thrust of Economic Development, Educational Development, International Awareness and Involvement, Physical and Mental Health, and Political Awareness and Involvement.

NICKNAME: CNO
FOUNDED (LOCAL): December 11, 1922
PHILANTHROPY: Service for Sight

DELTA GAMMA | Required GPA: high school 3.00, college 2.75
Delta Gamma offers to women of all ages an experience of a lifetime. From endless leadership opportunities to supporting a foundation that is bigger than ourselves, there are plenty of ways allowing women to further their college experience. Its primary purpose is to promote empowerment, create a sense of cultural and educational interest, as well as foster the high ideals of friendship.

NICKNAME: DeeGee
FOUNDED (LOCAL): October 7, 1923
PHILANTHROPY: Delta Academy

GAMMA ALPHA OMEGA
For over 30 years of sisterhood, Gamma Alpha Omega has inspired women of all races to realize their full potential by living out the motto, “Nos Una Crescimus” (United We Will Grow). At the University of Arizona, the Beta Chapter sisters of Gamma Alpha Omega are highly involved both in and out of the classroom and recognized for its achievements and dedication to the virtues of Honesty, Integrity, Leadership, Scholarship, and Unity.

NICKNAME: GAO, Gamma
FOUNDED (LOCAL): August 8, 1993
PHILANTHROPY: Emeralds for Education, HIV/AIDS Awareness

GAMMA PHI BETA | Required GPA: high school 3.00, college 2.80
Members of Gamma Phi Beta Sorority are proud of our rich and accomplished history, dating back to our founding in 1874. During an era when women were discouraged from attending college, four bold and courageous friends came together to form a women’s society. The women at the University of Arizona proudly carry on this legacy through their dedication to building confident women of character who celebrate sisterhood and make a difference in the world around us.

NICKNAME: GPhi, Gamma Phi
FOUNDED (LOCAL): April 15, 1922
PHILANTHROPY: Girls On The Run

KAPPA DELTA CHI SORORITY, INC. | KDChi
Kappa Delta Chi is a sorority founded upon four distinct values: Unity, Honesty, Integrity, and Leadership. For over twenty years, Kappa Delta Chi has dedicated itself to serving the community and exceeding academically at the University of Arizona. KDChi became the first Latina-founded, service-based sorority to be recognized at Arizona, and today they are inclusive of all ethnicities and races.

NICKNAME: KDChi
FOUNDED (LOCAL): November 9, 1991
PHILANTHROPY: American Cancer Society

KAPPA ALPHA THETA | Required GPA: high school 3.00, college 2.75
Kappa Alpha Theta was founded in 1870 as the first Greek-letter fraternity for women. Kappa Alpha Theta values the history and long tradition of leading the way for women’s groups and women in higher education. Kappa Alpha Theta strives for: intellectual ambition, exemplifying the widest influence for good, personal excellence, and leadership.

NICKNAME: Theta
FOUNDED (LOCAL): September 15, 1917
PHILANTHROPY: Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA)

KAPPA RHO LAMBDA NATIONAL SORORITY
Gamma Rho Lambda is a national social sorority for Queer, Trans, Nonbinary, and allied students. Gamma Rho Lambda national strives to exemplify the qualities of tolerance, diversity, unity, and trust while providing a network of assistance in the areas of scholastic guidance, emotional support, and community service.

NICKNAME: GRL, Gamma Rhos
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PHILANTHROPY: American Cancer Society
Kappa Kappa Gamma | Required GPA: high school 3.30, college 2.75
Members of Kappa Kappa Gamma pride themselves on being loyal, scholarly, and true sisters. Kappa Kappa Gamma is an organization of women which seeks for every member throughout her life: bonds of friendship, mutual support, opportunities for self-growth, respect for intellectual development, and an understanding of and an allegiance to positive ethical principles. As a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma, one will create unforgettable memories and friendships that will truly last a lifetime.

Lambda Theta Alpha Latin Sorority, Inc.
Lambda Theta Alpha was the first academic-based, Latin sorority established in 1975. LTA promotes the principles of Unity, Love, and Respect. Lambda Theta Alpha is “Latin by tradition, not by definition.” LTA is the voice of the universal woman. Lambda Theta Alpha empowers women, creates leaders, and serves the community.

Phi Sigma Rho | Required GPA: high school 3.00, college 2.50
Phi Sigma Rho National Sorority was founded in 1984 at Purdue University as the largest sorority for women in engineering and technical sciences. It fulfills the vision of developing the highest standard of personal integrity and character, promoting academic excellence, supporting personal achievement, and maintaining the bond of sisterhood.

Pi Beta Phi | Required GPA: high school 3.00, college 2.75
The foundation of the Pi Beta Phi experience is built on six core values: Integrity, Lifelong Commitment, Honor and Respect, Personal and Intellectual Growth, Priestly Service to Others, and Sorority Friendship. Since the establishment of the Arizona Alpha chapter in 1917, members have created and promoted a strong sisterhood, uniting women throughout their lives. Pi Phi raises money for the Read > Lead > Achieve® Initiative, which inspires a lifelong love of reading that can unlock true potential, creating a more literate and productive society.

Sigma Kappa | Required GPA: high school 3.30, college 2.90
The purpose of Sigma Kappa Sorority is to provide women (fellow opportunities and support for social, intellectual, and spiritual development by bringing women together to positively impact their communities. Sigma Kappas are respected leaders, who are a positive influence and well-rounded in their academic, social, and philanthropic endeavors. Sigma Kappa is bound together by sincere lifelong friendship, personal growth, service and loyalty.

Sigma Lambda Gamma | Required GPA: high school 3.10, college 2.90
Sigma Lambda Gamma strives to be the premier organization committed to providing a mechanism of empowerment to all women. Sigma Lambda Gamma promotes academic excellence and higher education for all women via a dedication and incorporation of the sorority principles—Academics, Community Service, Cultural Awareness, Morals & Ethics, and Social Interaction—in our lives.

Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. | Nu Upsilon Chapter
It is the mission of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. to enhance the quality of life for women and their families in the U.S. and globally through community service, civil, and social action. Our goal is to achieve greater progress in the areas of education, health awareness, and leadership development. The Nu Upsilon chapter upholds the national principles of sisterhood, scholarship, & service throughout the University of Arizona community.

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. | Pi Xi Chapter
The Pi Xi chapter of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. is dedicated to the principles of service, sisterhood, scholarship, and Finer Womanhood. The women of Pi Xi Chapter stress the importance of education, personal development for women in all areas of their lives, as well as community service and unity. With a humble and positive attitude, the women of Pi Xi chapter are proud to serve the University, local, and global community.
**How to Join**

Arizona has a tradition of fraternities and sororities older than “Bear Down,” and we are excited at the possibility of sharing it with you!

The process of joining a fraternity or sorority is called “Membership Intake,” and the process varies from council to council. IFC has a process different from PC which is different from USFC. You might sometimes hear the formal/primary recruitment process referred to as “Recruitment”. Once you join a fraternity or sorority chapter, you may begin a new member education process. Joining a fraternity or sorority requires making an educated decision about the organization of which you will be a life-long member.

**Membership Intake**

Membership Intake is the process of joining one of the Divine 9 Fraternities or sororities, and the process differs for each group. Intake may include interviews, group activities, and study of values/traditions—accompanied by the involvement of both undergraduates and advisors. Groups enter the intake process at various times during the academic year. Average initiation dues are $200 and average intake fee is $850; however, each organization is different, and intake fees are not released prior to Informational Meetings.

**Participating in Intake**

Typically, a student must have achieved the following in order to take part:

- at least second semester of first year
- at minimum of 2.50 cumulative college GPA
- various other requirements including service hours, community involvement, and campus leadership

**Ways to Learn About Each Organization**

- Explore the national websites of each of the organizations
- Attend Meet the Greeks and other council or chapter events
- Learn more about the philanthropy/service focus of each group
- Meet current members and attend chapter-sponsored events

Visit greek.arizona.edu/usfc/how-join and complete the Interest Form to receive more information on Divine 9 events and members organizations.

**Potential New Member Orientation**

Potential New Member Orientation (PNMO) will provide information about the schedule and all policies regarding formal/primary recruitment. PNMO will take place in-person with recruitment groups. PNMO will take place Sunday August 20th, exact time and location to be released at a later date. Recruitment counselors can answer any questions you have leading up to PNMO. Attendance and completion of the PNMO is required to participate in recruitment. Failure to PNMO will result in removal from the formal/primary recruitment process.

PNMO will not interfere with any mandatory Destination Arizona events for first-year students.

**Parent & Family Information Meeting**

Families of PNMs are invited to attend a virtual informational meeting mid-August—details will be shared at a later date. Families will receive information about formal/primary recruitment events and a general overview of fraternity/sorority life. Families will also learn how members obtain scholastic support, gain community and volunteer experience, establish networking relationships with alumni, and develop close friendships with chapter members and those in other Greek organizations. Attend to ask questions of other parents, Council Executive Board Officers, and Arizona Staff.

**Interfraternity Council Formal Recruitment Schedule**

| Sunday, August 20th | PNMO Orientation—PNMs will learn more about the process. |
| Monday, August 21st | Round II/Day 1—PNMs will visit up to 4 fraternities. |
| Tuesday, August 22nd | Round II/Day 2—PNMs will visit all participating chapters. |
| Wednesday, August 23rd | Round III—PNMs will visit up to 7 fraternities. |
| Thursday, August 24th | Round IV—PNMs will visit up to 4 fraternities. |
| Friday, August 25th | Night Programming—Making Values-Based Decisions Workshop |
| Saturday, August 26th | Saturday Programming—Healthy Brotherhood Presentation |
| Monday, September 4th | Preference—PNMs visit up to 2 fraternities. |
| Tuesday, September 5th | Bid Day—PNMs receive bids and attend celebrations with their chapters at various locations. |

**What happens at IFC formal recruitment events, and what should I wear?**

The first days of formal recruitment, you will learn about each of the chapters through talking with the members and listening to short presentations. These days are long, so dress casual yet put together. This is your chance to make a good first impression. The following days of the process, each fraternity organizes events to best showcase their organization. You will receive information on what the activities are when you check in for the day’s events. This will vary based upon which chapters you will be visiting; however, some common events include cookouts, card games, and basketball. The final round of formal recruitment is called “Preference.” Business casual is suggested as fraternities will be sharing what their fraternity means to them in a more formal setting this day.

**Have questions about IFC formal recruitment? Email: azifcrecruitment@gmail.com**

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Any questions about USFC recruitment/membership intake can be sent to the Vice President of Membership Intake & Public Relations: arizonausfc.rpmembership@gmail.com
PANHELLENIC COUNCIL
PRIMARY RECRUITMENT SCHEDULE

Sunday, August 20th
PMN Orientation—PNMs will learn more about the process.

Monday, August 21st through Wednesday, August 23rd*
Set I, Open House—PNMs will visit informational videos of all sororities on campus.

Saturday, August 26th
Set II/Day 1, Philanthropy—PNMs will visit up to 8 Panhellenic organizations over 2 days.

Sunday, August 27th
Set II/Day 2, Philanthropy—PNMs will visit up to 8 Panhellenic organizations over 2 days.

Friday, September 1st
Set III/Day 1, Sisterhood—PNMs will visit up to 5 Panhellenic organizations over 2 days.

Saturday, September 2nd
Set III/Day 2, Sisterhood—PNMs will visit up to 5 Panhellenic organizations over 2 days.

Sunday, September 3rd
Set IV, Preference—PNMs will visit up to 2 Panhellenic organizations.

Monday, September 4th
Bid Day—PNMs will potentially receive a bid and attend a celebratory event with their new chapter.

*Virtual Events — Set I will take place through the Desire 2 Learn (D2L) platform.

Do I need to bring anything?

Donation Item—Each year, PNMs have the opportunity to participate in making the community better by donating.

Appropriate Attire—PNMs will be provided a shirt they are required to wear for Set II events. We recommend wearing whatever you are comfortable in that makes you feel confident! You can visit #arizonapanhellenic on Instagram or view the PC Pinterest at pinterest.com/uspahellenic for examples and ideas. Appropriate attire will vary from day to day depending on the activities.

Have questions about PC primary recruitment? Email: uspanhellenic.recruitment@gmail.com

WHAT ARE THE OPTIONS OUTSIDE OF THE FORMAL/PRIMARY RECRUITMENT PROCESS?

IFC SPRING RECRUITEMENT

During the Spring Recruitment process, chapters host their own events and provide the details of these events to IFC. Unlike formal recruitment in the Fall, those participating in the Spring process are able to make their own schedules to visit the chapters.

INFORMAL PC RECRUITEMENT

A casual way for students at Arizona to get to know the Panhellenic community through social events and values-based programming. Informal recruitment allows PNMs to join a chapter in a faster, more personal manner without going through the formal process in the Fall. Only certain chapters are eligible to have an informal process, and PNMs only visit the groups in which they are interested. A list of organizations that host an informal process will be updated after formal recruitment and again at the start of each Spring Semester as not all chapters are always able to participate.

Q&A FOR FORMAL/PRIMARY RECRUITEMENT

For answers that vary based on council, refer to these distinctions:

Interfraternity Council

Panhellenic Council

Q: Do I need to register for IFC formal or PC primary recruitment?

A: Yes! In order to participate in IFC formal or PC primary recruitment in the Fall and receive a bid from any organization, you must be registered. By registering for formal/primary recruitment, your name and information are made available to all of the IFC and PC organizations. However, just because you registered does not mean you will receive a bid for membership. Remember, formal/primary recruitment is about getting to know the chapters and letting the chapters get to know you.

Q: Is there a cost for formal/primary recruitment?

IFC Specifics: The registration fee for IFC formal recruitment is $150 until 11:59pm on July 9th and increases after that day to $150. All registrations need to be received by August 20th. These fees are non-refundable.

PC Specifics: The registration fee for PC primary recruitment is $150. All registrations must be completed by August 19th at 11:59 pm. These fees are non-refundable.

Q: What is the GPA requirement?

IFC Specifics: Requirements vary from chapter to chapter, but a general recommendation is a 2.75 core high school GPA for those coming straight from high school and a 2.5 minimum college GPA for those who have at least 12 units taken toward a college GPA. While there is no required GPA to participate in recruitment, IFC strongly recommends a GPA of 3.0 to meet or exceed the general recommended GPA. Core high school GPA will be verified from grades 9-11. If there is a significant increase in core GPA in grade 12, you may submit updates with an official transcript directly to arizonaitc@nailc.org.

PC Specifics: While there is no required GPA to register for primary recruitment, PC strongly recommends a minimum 3.0 core high school GPA. The recommended college GPA for those with 12+ college units is a 2.75 to participate in primary recruitment. Most chapters internally require at least a 3.0 core GPA from high school. Requirements vary, so please refer to the PC sorority chapter profiles (pages 21-26). Core high school GPA will be verified from grades 9-11. If there is a significant increase in core GPA in grade 12, you may submit updates with an official transcript directly to uspanhellenic.recruitment@gmail.com.

*Your core GPA is made up of the Sweet 16 Course Competencies as defined by the Arizona Board of Regents. This means that the GPA utilized for recruitment will only be made up of English, Math, Science, Social Science, Second Language, Fine Arts, and Career & Technical courses.

Q: Where do I live during formal/primary recruitment?

A: Since recruitment occurs after the start of classes, you should already be moved into your living arrangements for the year. If you are living in a dorm, you will move in on your assigned date given to you by Housing & Residential Life. You will not move into your dorm early as in previous years. If you would like more information about moving into the dorms, you can visit housing.arizona.edu.

Q: What are recommendations? Do I need them to participate in formal/primary recruitment?

A: Recommendations are letters of introduction from former members of a specific chapter (alumni) written about a PNM. This letter or form tells the organization more about your personality, academics, and activities. Alumni will obtain a form (often a letter is sufficient) supplied by the organization's national office. Although recommendations are a benefit to the PC, they are not required.

Q: If I go through recruitment, do I have to join?

A: No! Recruitment is a time to see what fraternity and sorority life can offer you. Going through formal/primary recruitment does not commit you to joining an organization. It is a great way to learn more about campus and meet new people along the way. It is not until the final day of formal/primary recruitment—called “Preference”—that you will make a commitment to participate in an organization's new member process. After participating in initiation, you will be committed to that organization for a lifetime. Initiation dates vary greatly but in general should be no later than 8 weeks from Bid Day.
MEET THE COUNCIL EXECUTIVE BOARDS

WHAT DO THE EXECUTIVE OFFICERS DO?

Each Executive Board works to ensure that there is order amongst the member chapters of each council and unity within the Arizona Greek community as a whole. The councils are completely student-run with a staff member from FSP advising each Executive Board.

STRATEGIC PLANNING

At the start of their terms, all council Executive Boards get together for a retreat to discuss the year ahead. Topics include critical issues in the Arizona Greek community, leadership development, understanding their power and responsibility as council officers, and goals for the year. This time allows the Executive Boards to strategize for how they’ll lead the community together.

ROUNDTABLES, EVENTS, AND PROGRAMS

Each officer is in charge of hosting roundtables to benefit their member organizations, events, and/or programs. These gatherings discuss what’s happening in the individual councils, are educational in nature, and allow leaders to develop skills and knowledge that they can take back with them to their chapters.

ADVOCATING FOR GREEK ORGANIZATIONS

The council Executive Boards and each of the officers play an important role as liaisons between the fraternities and sororities and the Administration at the University of Arizona. The councils facilitate the space for each of the chapters and the individual members for success and achievement in the Pillars of Greek Life: academics, leadership, service, and friendship.

INTERFRATERNITY COUNCIL

(pictured above)

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