

GUIDE TO FLORIDA GREEKS

2021-2022

GREETINGS FUTURE FLORIDA GREEKS

The Florida Greek community welcomes you to the University of Florida. With more than 7,000 members representing 66 Greek organizations, joining a sorority or fraternity can be a life-changing experience for any student. Though unique in its origin, history, members and rituals, each Greek organization on campus holds firmly to the common values of unity and excellence. We invite you to look into all of the amazing possibilities and experiences our Greek community has to offer.

The core values of the Greek community highlight a serious focus on scholarship, a high level of student involvement on campus and a commitment to our community. Scholarship, service, leadership and community are the four tenets by which each Greek member strives to live. By highly encouraging these four principles to every Greek organization on campus, the Greek community at UF represents an outstanding group of students who achieve and succeed on a daily basis.

The Greek community also fosters unparalleled opportunities for involvement and leadership. From on-campus leadership opportunities, positions within each individual Greek organization and positions serving the Greek community, students become rapidly exposed to a multitude of opportunities that can enhance their college experience and develop strong leadership qualities. Furthermore, the personal enrichment that accompanies the brotherhood or sisterhood of a Greek organization has proven to be one of the most treasured, creating friendships that last far beyond the college years.

We believe that being members of the Greek community invariably shapes who we are today, as well as the kind of people we will become. We will look back fondly on the time spent at UF and recognize the vital impact that the Florida Greek community had in our college experience.

Go Greek, and Go Gators!

- Greek Council Presidents



From left to right your UF Greek Council Presidents: Martha McCullough, Panhellenic Council; Kashfaa Tasmim, Multicultural Greek Council; Xavier Ansley-Black, National Pan-Hellenic Council; Pierce Statham, Interfraternity Council.

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PROFESSIONAL STAFF

The Florida Greek community is fortunate to have a professional staff that provides management skills, leadership development, program planning and advising for the four governing councils, 66 chapters, the Florida Greek Ambassadors and the Order of Omega national leadership honor society.



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WELCOME GATORS

Student life outside of the classroom, is an integral component of the college experience. Involvement not only makes a large campus feel smaller but also helps promote academic and personal success. Sororities and fraternities are just one way to get involved at the University of Florida. The Florida Greek community consists of values-based organizations committed to our four pillars of **scholarship**, **service**, **leadership** and **community**.

Joining a sorority or fraternity is not a decision to be taken lightly. Affiliation with a chapter will mean a commitment to live by the ideals of the chapter and the community every day. In doing so, it is one way to enhance your experience at UF and create friendships that will last a lifetime.

The Florida Greek community aims to complement and expound on the educational experience. Please consider taking time to learn about our 66 chapters and the entire Florida Greek community by reviewing our website at **greeks.ufl.edu** or by attending any recruitment or interest meeting of the individual organizations. Welcome to UF!

- Office of Sorority and Fraternity Life Staff



COMMUNITY AT A GLANCE

Since as early as 1776, fraternities and sororities have challenged students to broaden their collegiate experience, generally founded upon the values of scholarship, service, leadership, and the development of lifelong friendships. The Greek community has fostered excellence in college education for several generations.

Since the establishment of the Florida Greek community in 1884, sorority and fraternity members at the University of Florida have consistently formed the bonds of brotherhood and sisterhood, graduated with high GPA, and provided service to the university and its surrounding community.

Our community is strong and diverse, with 66 chapters belonging to one of the four governing councils: Interfraternity Council or IFC; Multicultural Greek Council or MGC; National Pan-Hellenic Council, or NPHC; and Panhellenic Council, or PC. The Florida Greek community at UF provides an opportunity for students to discover and achieve throughout their collegiate years and beyond.



66 Chapters

IFC - 26 | MGC - 13 | NPHC - 9 | PC - 18



39 Chapters with Houses IFC - 22 | PC - 17



6919 Total Members in Fall 2020 IFC - 2178 | MGC - 176 | NPHC - 80 | PC - 4482



Average Chapter Size

IFC - 91 | MGC - 14 | NPHC - 11 | PC - 249

IFC - INTERFRATERNITY COUNCIL | **MGC** - MULTICULTURAL GREEK COUNCIL **NPHC** - NATIONAL PAN HELLENIC COUNCIL | **PC** - PANHELLENIC COUNCIL

INTERFRATERNITY COUNCIL RECRUITMENT

The fraternities in the Interfraternity Council participate in fraternity recruitment, a week long experience which gives men a chance to get a feel for fraternity life. Men are given the opportunity to meet various members at different recruitment events determined by the chapters.

See pages 8 - 13 for more information

MULTICULTURAL GREEK COUNCIL INTAKE

The fraternities and sororities that make up the Multicultural Greek Council participate in Membership Intake, which is a process that is unique and individually organized by each chapter. To learn more, attend informational sessions and speak to current members.

See pages 14 - 17 for more information

NATIONAL PAN-HELLENIC COUNCIL INTAKE

The nine fraternities and sororities that make up the National Pan-Hellenic Council – known as the Divine Nine – participate in Membership Intake, which is unique to each chapter. The organizations typically have intake once a year in either the spring semester or fall semester.

See pages 18 - 21 for more information

PANHELLENIC COUNCIL RECRUITMENT

The 18 sororities in the Panhellenic Council participate in a formalized recruitment process in the fall semester. The potential new members experience several rounds of recruitment to better understand the sisterhood and values of each of the organizations.

See pages 22 - 26 for more information

SCHOLARSHIP

Maintaining a high level of academic success is a tradition within the Florida Greek community. The average UF Greek GPA is 3.50 compared to the average UF undergraduate GPA of 3.43. Our community offers many resources and programs to maintain high scholastic success, such as scholarship chairs, study hours, incentive programs and partnerships.

18% of UF students are Greek

of UF Greeks had a GPA of 3.0 or higher as of fall 2020

1,253 of UF Greeks had a 4.0 GPA in fall 2020

SERVICE

Service is one of the principles of fraternities and sororities at UF. Members are empowered to make a positive impact on the community and develop an understanding of civic responsibility through the process of serving others. Community service promotes unity among members and cultivates responsibility, appreciation for differences, empathy and other critical skills students will need for future success.

OVER 40,000 HOURS

on average of service performed by the Greek community 2020-2021 in the academic year

\$1,019,356

donated by UF Greeks to philanthropies in the 2020-2021 academic year

SERVICE EVENTS INCLUDE:

All Greek Service Day, Greek Blood Drive, Ghouls Ghoblins and Greeks, Dance Marathon

LEADERSHIP

The Florida Greek community is an excellent place to gain the experience and knowledge necessary to develop strong leadership skills. The community is largely self-governing, giving student leaders the opportunity to shape policies and standards for their own organizations, as well as the larger fraternity and sorority community. Serving as an officer or committee chair in a chapter or governing council will help develop a multitude of leadership skills including conflict management, delegation, decision making and effective communication.

Being a member of the Florida Greek community often serves as a gateway to involvement in other areas of campus such as Student Government, student organizations, ambassador programs, student employment and campus honoraries. Members of the Florida Greek community have historically held some of the highest leadership positions and honors on campus.

LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:

Greek Advance Retreat, Junior Panhellenic, New Member Orientation, New Member University, Emerging Leaders Conference, NPHC Neophyte Retreat, MGC Neophyte Retreat, Order of Omega, Panhellenic Recruitment Counselors, Florida Greek Ambassadors, NPHC Presidents Retreat, Council Delegates, Greeks United in Inclusion and Diversity Efforts.

COMMUNITY

Brotherhood and sisterhood are bonds of unity and enduring friendship. By becoming a member of the Florida Greek community, you can experience an easier transition to UF and gain a home away from home. You will meet other students with diverse backgrounds, similar interests and new perspectives during some activities such as chapter retreats, intramurals, socials and leadership opportunities.

2,147

new members joined the community in the 2020 - 2021 academic year for a total of over 7,700 members

COMMUNITY EVENTS INCLUDE:

Homecoming and Gator Growl, Greek Awards Banquet, Intramurals, NPHC Step Show, IFC Chicken Wing Charity Thing, MGC Showcase



INTERFRATERNITY COUNCIL

THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA

ABOUT

The Interfraternity Council or IFC, at the University of Florida is the governing body for 26 men's fraternities. The IFC is also charged with organizing specific events including fall and spring recruitment weeks, new member orientation and other social and educational programs. The IFC aims to lead by example by offering additional leadership opportunities and scholarships, hosting its own service events and philanthropies and by working toward bettering the Greek, UF and Gainesville communities.

INTERESTED IN JOINING?

Registration Opens Online	May 3, 2021
Recruitment Orientation and House Tou	ırsAugust 28, 2021
Continuation of House Tours	August 29, 2021
Open House Rounds	August 30 - September 3, 2021

To register for recruitment and more information, visit ufifc.org.





COUNCIL PRESIDENT



PIERCE STATHAM ADVICE TO INCOMING NEW MEMBERS

First off, congratulations on your admission into one of the most prestigious universities in the nation! I understand, joining a community of over 50,000 of the brightest individuals can be slightly intimidating. Embrace it and decide how you want to leave your mark on the University of Florida. Joining and investing in Greek life is one of the most effective ways to shrink the student body and make your university experience more intimate and productive. Truly take a look inside yourself and decide what you want out of your college experience. Our chapters offer unique values of brotherhood, community and passion in the Gator Nation. Going Greek has tapped me into a vast network that will continue to provide me guidance throughout the rest of my life. Furthermore, my Greek experience has introduced me to lifelong brothers and friends. I encourage you to take the leap and go Greek. As I look back on the past four years I've spent at UF, joining the Interfraternity Council remains the best decision I have made. College flies by, and I hope you too can say the same at the end of your time at UF. I can't wait to see you at recruitment!

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INTERFRATERNITY COUNCIL



Alpha Gamma Rho

Chapter Name: Alpha Gamma

National Website: alphagammarho.org Chapter Website: agruf.org Founded Nationally: 1904 Founded at UF: 1925



Alpha Tau Omega

Chapter Name: Alpha Omega

National Website: ato.org Chapter Website: atouf.org Founded Nationally: 1865 Founded at UF: 1884



Beta Theta Pi

Chapter Name: Gamma Xi

National Website: beta.org Chapter Website: ufl.beta.org Founded Nationally: 1839 Founded at UF: 1930



Chi Phi

Chapter Name: Theta Delta

National Website: chiphi.org Chapter Website: ufchiphi.org Founded Nationally: 1824 Founded at UF: 1935



Delta Chi

Chapter Name: Florida

National Website: deltachi.org Founded Nationally: 1890 Founded at UF: 1926



Delta Tau Delta

Chapter Name: Delta Zeta

National Website: delts.org Chapter Website: N/A Founded Nationally: 1858 Founded at UF: 1925



CHAPTER PROFILES



Delta Sigma Phi

Chapter Name: Beta Zeta Colony

National Website: deltasig.org Chapter Website: ufic.org Founded Nationally: 1899 Founded at UF: 2018



Delta Upsilon

Chapter Name: Florida

National Website: deltau.org Chapter Website: ufdu.org Founded Nationally: 1834 Founded at UF: 1957



Kappa Alpha Order

Chapter Name: Beta Zeta

National Website: kappaalphaorder.org Chapter Website: websites. omegafi.com/omegaws/ kappaalphaorderflorida/ Founded Nationally: 1865 Founded at UF: 1904



Kappa Sigma

Chapter Name: Delta Delta

National Website: kappasigma.org Chapter Website: kappasigmauf.com Founded Nationally: 1869 Founded at UF: 1922



Lambda Chi Alpha

Chapter Name: Epsilon Mu

National Website: lambdachi.org Chapter Website: uflambdachialpha.com Founded Nationally: 1909 Founded at UF: 1933



Phi Delta Theta

Chapter Name: Florida Alpha

National Website:
phideltatheta.org
Chapter Website:
facebook.com/phideltathetauf
Founded Nationally: 1848
Founded at UF: 1925



Phi Gamma Delta

Chapter Name: Upsilon Phi
National Website: phigam.org
Chapter Website: floridafiji.com
Founded Nationally: 1848
Founded at UF: 1941



INTERFRATERNITY COUNCIL



Phi Kappa Tau

Chapter Name: Alpha Eta

National Website: phikappatau.org

Chapter Website: ufl.phikapatau.org

Founded Nationally: 1906

Founded at UF: 1926



Pi Kappa Alpha

Chapter Name: Alpha Eta

National Website: pikes.org

Chapter Website: facebook.com/pikeuf Founded Nationally: 1868

Founded at UF: 1904

Pi Kappa Phi

Chapter Name: Alpha Epsilon

National Website: pikapp.org Chapter Website: pikappgator.org Founded Nationally: 1904

Founded at UF: 1924



Pi Lambda Phi

Chapter Name: Florida Delta

National Website: pilambdaphi.org

Chapter Website:

facebook.com/pilamuf

Founded Nationally: 1895

Founded at UF: 1925



Sigma Alpha Mu

Chapter Name: Gamma Tau

National Website: sam.org

Chapter Website: gammatau.sam.org

Founded Nationally: 1909

Founded at UF: 2011



Sigma Chi

Chapter Name: Gamma Theta

National Website: sigmachi.org Chapter Website: sigmachiuf.com

Founded Nationally: 1855 Founded at UF: 1924



CHAPTER PROFILES



Sigma Nu

Chapter Name: Epsilon ZetaNational Website: sigmanu.org

Chapter Website: ufsigmanu.com Founded Nationally: 1869 Founded at UF: 1920



Sigma Phi Epsilon

Chapter Name: Florida Alpha

National Website: sigep.org Chapter Website: floridasigep.org Founded Nationally: 1901 Founded at UF: 1925



Tau Epsilon Phi

Chapter Name: Tau Alpha

National Website: tep.org Founded Nationally: 1910 Founded at UF: 1925

TKE

Tau Kappa Epsilon

Chapter Name: Gamma Theta

National Website: tke.org Chapter Website: gatortke.com Founded Nationally: 1899 Founded at UF: 1950, 2003



Theta Chi

Chapter Name: Tau

National Website: thetachi.org Chapter Website: ufthetachi.org Founded Nationally: 1856 Founded at UF: 1916

ZBT

Zeta Beta Tau

Chapter Name: Alpha Zeta

National Website: zbt.org Chapter Website: zbtflorida.com Founded Nationally: 1898 Founded at UF: 1921





MULTICULTURAL GREEK COUNCIL

THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA

ABOUT

The Multicultural Greek Council, better known as the MGC, is the governing body of 13 culturally-based fraternity and sorority chapters at the University of Florida. The primary purpose of the MGC is to unite its member organizations in order to share ideas and provide a support network for students. Members of the MGC experience Greek life in a unique way; each chapter fosters strong, lifelong bonds between members and alumni.

INTERESTED IN JOINING?

MGC organizations usually have member intake once or twice a year, either in fall or spring. Intake may include interviews, group activities and study of group values and traditions. To learn more, attend informational sessions and speak to current members. Here are some opportunities to learn about the MGC community:

MGC Showcase September 10, 2021
MGC Informational Workshop September 18, 2021

For more information, visit mgcuf.org





COUNCIL PRESIDENT



KASHFAA TASMIM

Biology, Pre-Professional, 3rd Year Minor in Communication Studies, Certificate in Global Leadership and Change

ADVICE TO INCOMING NEW MEMBERS

Greek life at the University of Florida has an abundance of opportunities for growth, professional development, networking, creating lifelong friendships and more! I encourage you to explore the possibilities of finding your home away from home and meeting a group of people that inspire you to be the best version of yourself. The Multicultural Greek Council has organizations founded on principles of cultural awareness and, although ethnically based, we embrace people of all different backgrounds. Each chapter offers a unique experience and community at UF that goes beyond your undergraduate college years. MGC organizations take pride in their diverse membership and opens the doors for new opportunities. Joining Greek life and this council has been one of the best decisions I've made, and I am confident that finding an organization that aligns with your values will create an unforgettable experience with lifelong connections.

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MULTICULTURAL GREEK COUNCIL

SORORITY CHAPTER PROFILES



alpha Kappa Delta Phi

Chapter Name: Alpha Delta National Website: akdphi.org

Chapter Website: ufakdphi.org

Founded Nationally: 1990 Founded at UF: 2008



Delta Phi Omega

Chapter Name: Sigma

National Website: deltaphiomega.org

Chapter Website: dpouflorida.wix.

com/dpouf

Founded Nationally: 1998 Founded at UF: 2003



Gamma Eta

Chapter Name: Alpha

National Website:
gammaetasorority.org

Chapter Website: ufgammaeta.org

Founded Nationally: 1995

Founded at UF: 1995



Kappa Phi Lambda

Chapter Name: Rho

National Website:

kappaphilambda.org

Chapter Website: ufkpl.org
Founded Nationally: 1995

Founded Nationally, 1995

Founded at UF: 2004



Lambda Theta Alpha

Chapter Name: Chi

National Website: lambdalady.org Chapter Website: ltachichapter.org

Founded Nationally: 1975

Founded at UF: 1996



Sigma Sigma Rho

Chapter Name: Florida Colony

National Website:

sigmasigmarho.com

Chapter Website: sigmasigmarhouf.

wixsite.com/ufcolony

Founded Nationally: 1998

Founded at UF: 2015



Theta Nu Xi

Chapter Name: Alpha Alpha

National Website: thetanuxi.org

Chapter Website:

ufthetanuxi.wixsite.com/theta-nu-xi

Founded Nationally: 1997

Founded at UF: 2005



CHAPTER PROFILES

FRATERNITY CHAPTER PROFILES



Beta Chi Theta

Chapter Name: Mu

National Website: betachitheta.com Chapter Website:

mu.betachitheta.com Founded Nationally: 1999 Founded at UF: 2008



Pi Delta Psi

Chapter Name: Sigma

National Website: pideltapsi.com Chapter Website: ufpdsi.com Founded Nationally: 1994 Founded at UF: 2004



Delta Epsilon Psi

Chapter Name: Rho

National Website: deltaepsilonpsi.org

Chapter Website: depsirho.org Founded Nationally: 1998 Founded at UF: 2009



Lambda Theta Phi

Chapter Name: Phi

National Website: thelambdas.org Founded Nationally: 1975

Founded at UF: 1995



Sigma Lambda Beta

Founded at UF: 1999

Chapter Name: Zeta Beta

National Website: sigmalambdabeta.com Chapter Website: ufbetas.org Founded Nationally: 1986



Omega Delta Phi

Chapter Name: Alpha Upsilon

National Website: omegadeltaphi.com Chapter Website:

ufodphi.wixsite.com/ufodphi Founded Nationally: 1987 Founded at UF: 2009







NATIONAL PAN-HELLENIC COUNCIL

THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA

ABOUT

The National Pan-Hellenic Council, or NPHC at UF is composed of historically Black Greek-letter organizations that evolved at a time when Black students were denied the essential rights and services afforded to others. Each of the NPHC organizations was designed to foster brotherhood or sisterhood and serve as conduits by which action plans could be formulated to influence social action and change in the Black community.

INTERESTED IN JOINING?

NPHC organizations participate in membership intake as needed, either in the fall or spring semester. The exact time is determined by the specific organization, not by NPHC. Individual organizations will hold informational meetings throughout the school year. They will provide aspirants with the opportunity to learn more about an organization.

NPHC Convocation September 19, 2021

NPHC Week September 19 - 25, 2021

For more information, visit nphcuf.org.





COUNCIL PRESIDENT



XAVIER ANSLEY-BLACK

Information Systems, 4th Year

ADVICE TO INCOMING NEW MEMBERS

Attending a large institution can be an intimidating experience but at the University of Florida, Greek life offers an opportunity to make the campus much smaller. Joining one of these organizations will allow for individual growth in professional development, networking, leadership and more. The National Pan-Hellenic Council has nine organizations that are founded on significant values and principles. Our community will help form lasting relationships that extend beyond the undergraduate experience. My advice is to not be afraid to get out of your comfort zone and make the most of your experience. Here in The Swamp, you have the capability of meeting people that will inspire you to strive for greater or maybe help you discover what you did not know was possible. Lastly, I want to remind you that you are here for a reason, and welcome to The Gator Nation!

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NATIONAL PAN-HELLENIC COUNCIL

SORORITY CHAPTER PROFILES



Alpha Kappa Alpha

Chapter Name: lota Lambda

National Website: aka1908.com

Chapter Website:

illustriousaka.com Founded Nationally: 1908

Founded at UF: 1975



Delta Sigma Theta

Chapter Name: Lambda Psi

National Website: deltasigmatheta.org

Chapter Website: lpdst.com Founded Nationally: 1913

Founded at UF: 1975



Sigma Gamma Rho

Chapter Name: Lambda Rho

National Website: sgrho1922.org

Chapter Website: ufsgrhos.com Founded Nationally: 1922 Founded at UF: 1990



Zeta Phi Beta

Chapter Name: Mu Epsilon

National Website:

zphib1920.org

Chapter Website:

gainesvillezetas.com

Founded Nationally: 1920

Founded at UF: 1974



CHAPTER PROFILES

FRATERNITY CHAPTER PROFILES



Alpha Phi Alpha

Chapter Name: Theta Sigma

National Website:

apa1906.net

Chapter Website:

ufalphas.com

Founded Nationally: 1906

Founded at UF: 1973



lota Phi Theta

Chapter Name: Gamma Omicron

National Website:

iotaphitheta.org

Chapter Website:

gocentaurs.org

Founded Nationally: 1963

Founded at UF: 1998



Kappa Alpha Psi

Chapter Name: Zeta Phi

National Website:

kappaalphapsi1911.com Founded Nationally: 1911

Founded at UF: 1972



Omega Psi Phi

Chapter Name: Omicron Zeta

National Website: oppf.org

Chapter Website:

ozques.com

Founded Nationally: 1911

Founded at UF: 1973



Phi Beta Sigma

Chapter Name: Zeta Kappa

National Website:

phibetasigma1914.org

Chapter Website:

facebook.com/ufsigmas

Founded Nationally: 1914

Founded at UF: 1974





PANHELLENIC COUNCIL

THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA

ABOUT

The Panhellenic Council serves as the governing body for 18 National Panhellenic Conference chapters on campus, creating a sisterhood of nearly 4,500 women. Through educational, service and social activities, the Panhellenic Council strives to develop its members and the University of Florida student body. Panhellenic Council's vision is to promote women in leadership, diversity, scholastic achievement and service through relationships within and beyond the Panhellenic community.

INTERESTED IN JOINING?

Registration Opens Online

...... April 25, 2021

Recruitment Orientation

...... August 17, 2021 @ O'Connell Center

RECRUITMENT SCHEDULE

Round 1 (virtual)	Values	August 16-18		
Round 2 (virtual)	Philanthropy	August 19-20		
Round 3 (in person)	Sisterhood	August 21		
Preferentials (in person)	Chapter Traditions	August 22		
Bid Day August 24				

To register for recruitment and more information, visit ufpanhellenic.org.





COUNCIL PRESIDENT



MARTHA MCCULLOUGH

General Psychology and Criminology, 3rd Year

ADVICE TO INCOMING NEW MEMBERS

To make the most of your recruitment and new member experience, be open to finding connections and aligning your values with the intention of sisterhood and service. When you engage your passion and drive, you shape your experience within any of our chapters. You have the fantastic opportunity to meet and connect with women who may have the same values. Use these opportunities to grow as a student, leader, friend and human. Enjoy these moments because while your undergraduate experience may be four years, a Greek experience lasts a lifetime.

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Assistant Activities Vice President

PANHELLENIC GOUNGIL



Alpha Chi Omega

Chapter Name: Gamma lota

National Website: alphachiomega.org Chapter Website: ufalphachiomega.com Founded Nationally: 1885 Founded at UF: 1949

Send letters of recommendation

to:

Attention: Jessica Page 820 W Panhellenic Dr. Gainesville, FL 32601



Alpha Delta Pi

Chapter Name: Gamma lota

National Website: alphadeltapi.org Chapter Website: ufalphadeltapi.com Founded Nationally: 1851 Founded at UF: 1948

Send letters of recommendation

Attention: Anna Kate Horton 831 W. Panhellenic Drive, Gainesville, FL 32601



Alpha Epsilon Phi

Chapter Name: Alpha Tau

National Website: aephi.org Chapter Website: ufaephi.com Founded Nationally: 1909 Founded at UF: 1948

Send letters of recommendation

to

Attention: Lauren Cohen
VP Recruitment

ufaephicomputerchair@gmail.com



Alpha Omicron Pi

Chapter Name: Gamma Omicron

National Website: alphaomicronpi.org Chapter Website: ufl.alphaomicronpi.org Founded Nationally: 1897 Founded at UF: 1948

Send letters of recommendation online to:

https://alphaomicronpi. formtitan.com/origin/ ft20fc0cd91588286930622/ origin/?device=Desktop#/



Alpha Phi

Chapter Name: Kappa Eta

National Website: alphaphi.org Chapter Website: ufalphaphi.com Founded Nationally: 1872 Founded at UF: Fall 2018

Send letters of recommendation through member login on alphaphi. org



Chi Omega

Chapter Name: Eta Delta

National Website: chiomega.com Chapter Website: ufchiomega.com Founded Nationally: 1895

Founded at UF: 1948

Send letters of recommendation online through chiomega.com/ recommend-a-woman-for-recruitment/



CHAPTER PROFILES



Delta Delta Delta

Chapter Name: Alpha Psi

National Website: tridelta.org Chapter Website: uftridelta.com Founded Nationally: 1888 Founded at UF: 1948

Send letters of recommendation online to:

https://www.tridelta.org/write-a-reference/



Delta Gamma

Chapter Name: Gamma Theta

National Website: deltagamma.org Chapter Website:

deltagammauf.com
Founded Nationally: 1873
Founded at UF: 1949

Send letters of recommendation

to:

Attention: Jordan Ashley 808 W Panhellenic Dr, Gainesville, FL 32601 or emailed to ufdg. recruitmentrecords@gmail.com



Delta Phi Epsilon

Chapter Name: Delta Kappa

National Website: dphie.org Chapter Website: ufdphie.org Founded Nationally: 1917 Founded at UF: 1969

Send letters of recommendation

to:

ufdphievpr2021@gmail.com



Delta Zeta

Chapter Name: Pi Alpha

National Website: deltazeta.org

Chapter Website: ufdeltazetauf.com

Founded Nationally: 1902 Founded at UF: 2003

Send letters of recommendation

to:

Attention: Stephanie Medina

903 SW 13th St, Gainesville, FL 32601



Gamma Phi Beta

Chapter Name: Eta Xi

National Website: gammaphibeta.org Chapter Website: ufgammaphibeta.org Founded Nationally: 1874 Founded at UF: 2015

Send letters of recommendation

to:

Attention: Jamie Allen

1235 Sw 9th Avenue, Gainesville,

FL, 32601



Kappa Alpha Theta

Chapter Name: Delta Theta

National Website: kappaalphatheta.org Chapter Website:

florida.kappaalphatheta.org Founded Nationally: 1870 Founded at UF: 1962

Send letters of recommendation

to:

uftheta.president@gmail.com and

uftheta.cro@gmail.com





PANHELLENIC COUNCIL



Kappa Delta

Chapter Name: Beta Pi

National Website: kappadelta.org

Chapter Website: ufkappadelta.com

Founded Nationally: 1897

Founded at UF: 1948

Send letters of recommendation

Attention: Grace McCarey 1122 E Panhellenic Drive. Gainesville, FL 32601



Kappa Kappa Gamma

Chapter Name: Epsilon Phi

National Website:

kappakappagamma.org

Chapter Website: ufl.kappa.org

Founded Nationally: 1870 Founded at UF: 1978

Send letters of recommendation online through https://www. kappakappagamma.org/Kappa/ KKG/MembersOnly/references.aspx



Phi Mu

Chapter Name: Alpha Nu

National Website: phimu.org

Chapter Website: ufl.phimu.org

Founded Nationally: 1852 Founded at UF: 1949

Send letters of recommendation

Attention: Lauren Brunetti 1152 E. Panhellenic Dr.. Gainesville, FL 32601



Pi Beta Phi

Chapter Name: Florida Delta

National Website: pibetaphi.org Chapter Website: pibetaphi.org/

pibetaphi/ufl

Founded Nationally: 1867

Founded at UF: 1985

Send letters of recommendation

Attention: Chrissy Keller 2489 W Fraternity Dr.. Gainesville, FL 32603



Sigma Kappa

Chapter Name: Beta Tau

National Website: sigmakappa.org

Chapter Website: ufl.sigmakappa.org

Founded Nationally: 1874

Founded at UF: 1949

Send letters of recommendation

Attention: Juli Tragakis 1108 E Panhellenic Dr.. Gainesville, FL 32601

Zeta Tau Alpha

Chapter Name: Gamma lota

National Website: zetataualpha.org

Chapter Website: ufzta.com Founded Nationally: 1898 Founded at UF: 1949

Send letters of recommendation

Attention: Sydney Stenner 1142 E Panhellenic Dr.. Gainesville, FL 32601





WHAT ARE THE COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH JOINING A FRATERNITY OR SORORITY?

The cost of membership varies from chapter to chapter. In general, the first semester of membership is the most expensive because of one-time New Member and Membership Intake fees. Several chapters at UF offer payment plans and scholarships for members who need financial assistance. Each individual organization has different financial obligations associated with membership and potential new members are encouraged to ask questions about any other fees outside of dues that they will be expected to pay once initiated.

Where exactly is my money going? It varies from chapter to chapter, however the most common places your money goes are:

- New member and initiation dues
- · Chapter dues
- · National, regional and local dues
- Social programming fees
- · Risk management insurance
- Room and board fees

Additional costs throughout the semester will go to meal plans, pictures, gifts, social events, T-shirts and the like.

AVERAGE SEMESTER COST

Council	New Member Fees	Chapter Dues	Room & Board	Meal Plan
IFC	\$372	\$1363	\$2700	\$870
MGC	\$220	\$175	N/A	N/A
NPHC	\$1983	\$235	N/A	N/A
PC	\$375	\$858	\$2879	\$1455
UF Housing	N/A	N/A	\$2811	\$2065

New Member Fees - Paid the first semester that you join the chapter

Chapter Dues - Paid once you become a general member

Room & Board - The cost to live in the house with the chapter meal plan

Meal Plan - The cost to have a meal plan without living in the chapter house

HOUSING INFORMATION

For many members of the Florida Greek community, living in their chapter house has proven to be a convenient and economical way to enhance their Greek experience. Currently, 39 of the 66 chapters at UF have chapter houses. Each house is managed on a day-to-day basis. A full-time house director manages each house on a day-to-day basis, and houses are overseen by a local or national house corporation board and a group of alumni who supervise the house director and chapter finances in addition to advising on facility upkeep. Many chapter houses provide study areas, TV rooms, computer labs, 10-15 meals per week and limited on-site parking.

HOW MUCH DOES IT COST TO LIVE IN THE HOUSE?

For most chapters, the fees for living in the chapter house are comparable to, or in some cases less than, living in a residence hall or apartment and having an on-campus meal plan. Room and board, meals, dues and event costs may be included in one lump sum, therefore making it cheaper than other living situations.

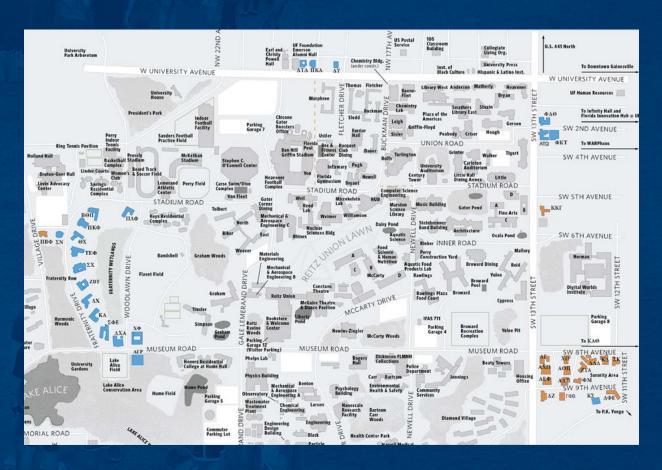
CAN I LIVE IN THE CHAPTER HOUSE AS A FIRST-YEAR STUDENT?

Chapter living facilities house only active members, typically sophomores and juniors. Almost all new members and first-year students live in their respective residence halls or off-campus apartments or homes. Most chapters fill their houses during the previous spring semester. Members who live "out of house" usually frequent the chapter house during the day and eat lunch and dinner there.

WHAT IF I PURCHASE AN ON-CAMPUS MEAL PLAN?

If you purchase an on-campus meal plan and then join a fraternity or sorority with a chapter house, the chapter can assist you in transferring your Gator Dining meal plan to the chapter house. If the meal plan is mandatory, the meal plan will be pro rated and transferred to the chapter house at the cost of the new meal plan. Any remaining balance will be left on your Gator 1 Card as part of the declining balance account.

MAP OF CHAPTER HOUSES



39 CHAPTERS WITH HOUSES **IFC** - 22 | **MGC** - 0 | **NPHC** - 0 | **PC** - 17

COMMON GREEK LIFE TERMS

ACTIVE: A member who has been initiated into lifelong fraternity or sorority membership and is active at the collegiate level.

ALUMNI/AE: Initiated fraternity or sorority members who have graduated from college.

BID: A formal invitation to join a particular sorority or fraternity.

BIG BROTHER/BIG SISTER: An active member who serves as a mentor to a new member during their new member program.

CALL: A vocal sound used by members of NPHC and MGC organizations to acknowledge one another.

CHAPTER: The local group of a larger national organization designated by a special name or Greek letters.

CONTINUOUS OPEN RECRUITMENT: An informal recruitment process that takes place after the conclusion of Formal Panhellenic Recruitment.

FORMAL PANHELLENIC RECRUITMENT: A series of events given by each sorority that are designed to introduce sorority life to potential new members. Formal Recruitment is scheduled by the Panhellenic Council.

HOUSE DIRECTOR: A person hired by the housing corporation board to live in the chapter house and supervise the facility.

IFC RECRUITMENT: A week long period in which fraternities and potential new members become acquainted.

INITIATION: The formal ceremony that marks the beginning of active membership. Each chapter has a different set of initiation requirements.

INTERFRATERNITY COUNCIL (IFC):

The governing body of 26 UF social fraternities.

INTERNATIONAL/NATIONAL HEADOUARTERS:

The central organization of a particular fraternity or sorority.

LEGACY: A prospective member whose grandparent, parent or sibling is an alumnus of, or active in, a particular fraternity or sorority. (Please note that most organizations are not obligated to pledge or extend bids to legacies.)

LINE: Term used to describe the members of a new member class in NPHC and MGC organizations.

MEMBERSHIP INTAKE: The process that NPHC and MGC chapters utilize to recruit, interview, select and initiate new members. The period of membership intake varies, but cannot exceed eight weeks.

MULTICULTURAL GREEK COUNCIL (MGC): The governing body of the 13 culturally based social fraternities and sororities at UF.

NEOPHYTE: A member of the last line to cross in the local chapter of a NPHC or MGC organization.

NATIONAL PAN-HELLENIC COUNCIL (NPHC):

The governing body for the 9 historically Black fraternities and sororities at UF. This is also the name of the national governing body and is sometimes referred to as the Divine Nine.

NEW MEMBER/PLEDGE: A member of a fraternity or sorority going through the new member education/pledging process.

NEW MEMBER EDUCATION PROGRAM: A period of education when new members learn

the history, ideals and values of fraternity and sorority life. The timeframe varies, but cannot exceed eight weeks.

NEW MEMBER EDUCATOR/MEMBERSHIP INTAKE COORDINATOR: The liaison between new members and the chapter. This person is responsible for implementing and monitoring the new member program and preparing new members for initiation.

ORDER OF OMEGA: Order of Omega is a leadership honor society for members of Greek organizations.

PANHELLENIC COUNCIL: The governing body for the 18 UF National Panhellenic Conference sororities/women's fraternities.

PHILANTHROPY: A charitable fundraiser sponsored by a sorority or fraternity.

POTENTIAL NEW MEMBER (PNM): A college student participating in recruitment.

PRESENTATION SHOW: The introduction of a line to campus. This is usually the first full step show/ exhibition performed by members of the new member class of a MGC or NPHC organization.

PROPHYTE: A neophyte becomes a prophyte after another line is initiated.

RECRUITMENT/RUSH CHAIR: An active member of a sorority or fraternity who is in charge of recruitment efforts for the chapter.

RECRUITMENT COUNSELOR (PI CHI): A trained Panhellenic Council sorority member who has disassociated herself from her chapter during Formal Panhellenic Recruitment in order to counsel and assist potential new members during recruitment.

SOCIAL: A get-together with another group for a party, dinner or fun occasion.

STROLL OR PARTY HOP: A line dance by members of NPHC or MGC organizations.

THE SET: An area on UF's Turlington Plaza where MGC and NPHC groups table and congregate.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

WHEN CAN I JOIN?

INTERFRATERNITY COUNCIL

Beginning of fall or spring semester

MULTICULTURAL GREEK COUNCIL

Varies by chapter

NATIONAL PAN-HELLENIC COUNCIL

Varies by chapter

PANHELLENIC COUNCIL

Formal Recruitment: Fall semester, the week before classes

Informal Recruitment: Beginning of spring semester (Note: not all chapters participate)

WHO CAN JOIN?

You must be a currently enrolled, degree seeking University of Florida student. Innovation Academy and PaCE (Pathways to Campus Enrollment) students will be able to seek membership in a social fraternity or sorority as long as they are enrolled and meet all membership requirements. This includes pre-enrollment fall semester. For the most up-to-date information, visit the Sorority and Fraternity Life website at greeks.ufl.edu.

DO I NEED TO PURCHASE A MEAL PLAN IF MY CHAPTER HAS A HOUSE?

Some chapters do require a meal plan. Housed chapters have their own meal plan programs and provide 10-15 meals a week. Because snacks and weekend meals are usually not included, many members of the Florida Greek community find it convenient to purchase a campus meal plan for missed meals and extra food. For most students, we recommend a declining balance account. For more information on UF meal plans, please visit gatordining.com.

HOW MUCH TIME IS EXPECTED OF GREEK LIFE MEMBERSHIP?

Being a member of a sorority or fraternity is a significant time commitment. For most people, the time requirement would be equivalent to taking another three-credit class.

HOW ARE SORORITIES AND FRATERNITIES HELD ACCOUNTABLE?

While self-governing, each individual chapter is held accountable by multiple entities. Chapters are responsible for meeting the standards that are set forth by their international/national organization, their governing council, and by UF policies and code of conduct. In addition, each chapter is required to maintain an internal judicial system that is designed to hold members accountable for their actions.

WHAT IS THE UNIVERSITY'S STANCE ON HAZING?

UF seeks to promote a safe environment in which students may participate without compromising their health, safety or welfare, and as such takes hazing seriously. Hazing is prohibited by law in the state of Florida and in the UF Student Code of Conduct. The prevention of hazing is the responsibility of every member of the university community. To file a complaint, please contact Sorority and Fraternity Life at (352) 846-3171. For more information on the UF Anti-Hazing Policy, visit dso.ufl.edu/sccr.

FLORIDA GREEK **AMBASSADORS**

Florida Greek Ambassadors are current members of the Greek community that serve to promote the core values of University of Florida social fraternities and sororities: scholarship, service, leadership and community.

The purpose of the ambassador program is to create positive awareness of the Florida Greek community by educating current members on relevant issues and community and university policies, as well as informing prospective students, non-affiliated students, parents, faculty, staff and the Gainesville community on

the benefits and contributions of sorority and fraternity life.

HAVE A QUESTION FOR THE FLORIDA GREEK AMBASSADORS?

Visit www.greeks.ufl.edu to connect with us!
Tell us a little bit about yourself and the specific questions you have, and our ambassadors will be happy to connect with you as you navigate your student experience within the Florida Greek community.

2021-2022 AMBASSADORS

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Hannah Elmattougui
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Cassidy Roberts
Samuel Rosenkranz
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Shea Simpson
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Emma Wallace
Shirley Wong

TOP 5 REASONS TO

GO GREEK AT UF

1. GET THE GRADES

Academic success is a core value of the Florida Greek community. Traditionally, the overall Greek GPA is higher than the overall student GPA.

2. BE A LEADER

Members of the Florida Greek Community have historically held some of the highest leadership positions and honors on campus.

3. LEND A HELPING HAND

Members of the Greek community complete thousands of hours of community service and raise thousands of dollars for charity.

4. CREATE CONNECTIONS

Greek members often have networking opportunities through Greek alumni for jobs, internships and advice.

5. MAKE LIFELONG MEMORIES

Florida Greeks know how to have responsible fun and maintain a balance between their academics and social events. Socials, formals and family weekends are just a few activities offered for great times at UF.

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