

GUIDE TO THE

Florida

GREEKS

2024-2025



SORORITY & FRATERNITY LIFE
STUDENT LIFE | UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA

GREETINGS, FUTURE FLORIDA *Greeks*

The Florida Greek community welcomes you to the University of Florida! With more than 7,000 members representing 60 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 explore all of the amazing possibilities and experiences our Greek community has to offer.

The core values of the Greek community highlight a central focus on student involvement 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 pillars within every Greek organization on campus, the Greek community at UF exemplifies excellence with members who develop skills to thrive in college and beyond.

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 roles 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 a lifetime.

We believe that being members of the Greek community monumentally 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 on our college experience.

Go Greek, and Go Gators!

- Greek Council Presidents

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Pictured Right - UF Greek Council Presidents:
Ryan Feocco, Interfraternity Council;
Raymond Chau, Multicultural Greek Council;
Samantha Simon, Panhellenic Council;
Kiara Shaw, National Pan-Hellenic Council.



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, 60 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 and create a valuable community.

The Florida Greek community aims to complement and expound on the educational experience. Please consider taking time to learn about our 60 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.

In 1884, the Florida Greek community was established. 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 60 chapters belonging to one of the four governing councils: Interfraternity Council (IFC); Multicultural Greek Council (MGC); National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC); and Panhellenic Council (PC). The Florida Greek community at UF provides an opportunity for students to discover and achieve throughout their collegiate years and beyond.



60 Chapters

IFC - 25 | MGC - 9 | NPHC - 8 | PC - 18



41 Chapters with Houses

IFC - 23 | PC - 18



7757 Total Members in Fall 2023

IFC - 2770 | MGC - 171 | NPHC - 65 | PC - 4751



Average Chapter Size

IFC - 111 | MGC - 22 | NPHC - 15 | PC - 279

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

HOW TO *Join*



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 10 - 15 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. Students should attend informational sessions and speak to current members for more information about the intake process.

[See pages 16 - 19 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 20 - 23 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 24 - 28 for more information](#)

THE Pillars

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.

23% of undergraduate students are Greek

92% of UF Greeks had a GPA of 3.0 or higher as of Fall 2023

6% of UF Greeks had a 4.0 GPA in Fall 2023

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.

More than 9,000 Hours

*on average of service performed by the Greek community
2023-2024 in the academic year.*

More than \$504,000

donated by UF Greeks to philanthropies in the 2023-2024 academic year.

SERVICE EVENTS WITHIN THE GREEK COMMUNITY INCLUDE:

All Greek Service Day, Greek Blood Drive, Ghouls, Ghoblins and Greeks, Move-out Donation Drive, Keep Alachua County Beautiful, the Hitchcock Field & Fork Pantry and more.

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 WITHIN THE GREEK COMMUNITY:

Greek Advance Retreat, Junior Panhellenic, New Member Orientation, Gator Greek Leadership Conference, New Member Experience, NPHC Neophyte Retreat, MGC Neophyte Retreat, Order of Omega, Panhellenic Recruitment Counselors, Florida Greek Ambassadors, NPHC Presidents Retreat, Council Delegates.

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.

2,506

new members joined the community in the 2023 - 2024 academic year for a total of more than 8,000 members.

EVENTS WITHIN THE GREEK COMMUNITY INCLUDE:

Greek Week, Greek Awards Banquet, Intramurals, NPHC Step Show, IFC Chicken Wing Charity Thing, MGC Showcase, Panhellenic New Member Lip Sync





INTERFRATERNITY *Council*

THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA

ABOUT

The Interfraternity Council or IFC, at the University of Florida is the governing body for 25 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	May 1, 2024
Opens Online	
Recruitment Orientation.....	August 24, 2024
and House Tours	
Continuation of.....	August 25, 2024
House Tours	
Open House Rounds.....	August 26-30, 2024

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



COUNCIL *President*



RYAN FEOCCO

Business Management

ADVICE TO INCOMING NEW MEMBERS

Your journey is only beginning and I hope you spend the years you have at UF chasing every opportunity presented to you. It can be hard to make such a large university feel so small, but that is why nearly 20% of our student body is involved in our Greek community. From lifelong friends to professional development to endless mentorship and connections, the Greek experience is truly one of a kind.

Here at the Interfraternity Council, we have 25 chapters that each provide a unique experience to enhance your college experience. The brotherhood, community, and opportunities inside a fraternity are unfathomable and will better prepare you for the rest of your life. Even after you find the chapter that fits you best, I encourage you to branch out and meet people across other chapters and councils. Some of my most fulfilling friendships have been found outside of my chapter. Truthfully, I would be nowhere today without the men who have supported and guided me to chase my dreams every day. Take the leap of faith and enrich yourself with all that Greek life offers. It will change your life!

COUNCIL *Executive Board*

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Executive Vice President

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Vice President of Operations

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Vice President of Membership

JT STORY

Vice President of Finance

INTERFRATERNITY *Council*

ΑΓΡ

Alpha Gamma Rho

Chapter Name: Alpha Gamma

National Website:

alphagammarho.org

Chapter Website: agruf.org

Founded Nationally: 1904

Founded at UF: 1925

ΑΕΠ

Alpha Epsilon Pi

Chapter Name: Phi Gamma

National Website: aepi.org

Chapter Website: N/A

Founded Nationally: 1913

Founded at UF: 1951

ΑΤΩ

Alpha Tau Omega

Chapter Name: Alpha Omega

National Website: ato.org

Chapter Website: atouf.org

Founded Nationally: 1865

Founded at UF: 1884

ΒΘΠ

Beta Theta Pi

Chapter Name: Gamma Xi

National Website: beta.org

Chapter Website: ufl.beta.org

Founded Nationally: 1839

Founded at UF: 1930

ΧΦ

Chi Phi

Chapter Name: Theta Delta

National Website: chiphi.org

Chapter Website: ufchiphil.org

Founded Nationally: 1824

Founded at UF: 1935

ΔΧ

Delta Chi

Chapter Name: Florida

National Website: deltachi.org

Founded Nationally: 1890

Founded at UF: 1926

ΔΤΔ

Delta Tau Delta

Chapter Name: Delta Zeta

National Website: delts.org

Chapter Website: N/A

Founded Nationally: 1858

Founded at UF: 1925

ΔΣΦ

Delta Sigma Phi

Chapter Name: Beta Zeta Colony

National Website: deltasig.org

Chapter Website: ufic.org

Founded Nationally: 1899

Founded at UF: 2018

ΔΥ

Delta Upsilon

Chapter Name: Florida

National Website: deltau.org

Chapter Website: ufdy.org

Founded Nationally: 1834

Founded at UF: 1957

CHAPTER Profiles

KA

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

KΣ

Kappa Sigma

Chapter Name: Delta Delta

National Website:

kappasigma.org

Chapter Website:

kappasigmauf.com

Founded Nationally: 1869

Founded at UF: 1922

ΛΧΑ

Lambda Chi Alpha

Chapter Name: Epsilon Mu

National Website:

lambdachi.org

Chapter Website:

uflambdachialpha.com

Founded Nationally: 1909

Founded at UF: 1933

ΦΔΘ

Phi Delta Theta

Chapter Name: Florida Alpha

National Website:

phideltatheta.org

Chapter Website:

facebook.com/phideltathetauf

Founded Nationally: 1848

Founded at UF: 1925

ΦΚΤ

Phi Kappa Tau

Chapter Name: Alpha Eta

National Website: phikappatau.org

Chapter Website:

ufl.phikapatau.org

Founded Nationally: 1906

Founded at UF: 1926

ΠΚΑ

Pi Kappa Alpha

Chapter Name: Alpha Eta

National Website: pikes.org

Chapter Website:

facebook.com/pikeuf

Founded Nationally: 1868

Founded at UF: 1904

ΠΚΦ

Pi Kappa Phi

Chapter Name: Alpha Epsilon

National Website: pikapp.org

Chapter Website: pikappgator.org

Founded Nationally: 1904

Founded at UF: 1924

ΣΑΜ

Sigma Alpha Mu

Chapter Name: Gamma Tau

National Website: sam.org

Chapter Website: gammatau.sam.org

Founded Nationally: 1909

Founded at UF: 2011

ΣΑΕ

Sigma Alpha Epsilon

Chapter Name: Florida Upsilon

National Website: sae.net

Chapter Website: N/A

Founded Nationally: 1856

Founded at UF: 1884

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ΣΧ

Sigma Chi

Chapter Name: Gamma Theta

National Website: sigmachι.org

Chapter Website: sigmachιuf.com

Founded Nationally: 1855

Founded at UF: 1924

ΣΝ

Sigma Nu

Chapter Name: Epsilon Zeta

National Website: sigmanu.org

Chapter Website: ufsigmanu.com

Founded Nationally: 1869

Founded at UF: 1920

ΣΦΕ

Sigma Phi Epsilon

Chapter Name: Florida Alpha

National Website: sigep.org

Chapter Website: floridasigep.org

Founded Nationally: 1901

Founded at UF: 1925

ΤΕΦ

Tau Epsilon Phi

Chapter Name: Tau Alpha

National Website: tep.org

Founded Nationally: 1910

Founded at UF: 1925

ΤΚΕ

Tau Kappa Epsilon

Chapter Name: Gamma Theta

National Website: tke.org

Chapter Website: gatortke.com

Founded Nationally: 1899

Founded at UF: 1950, 2003

ΘΧ

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

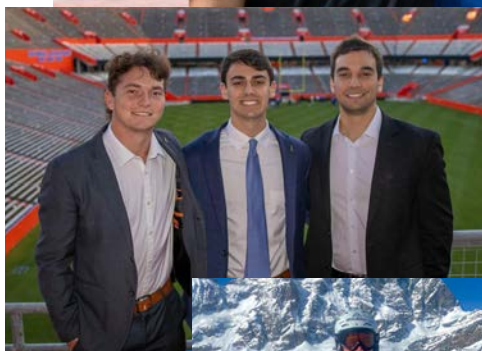
National Website: zbt.org

Chapter Website: zbtflorida.com

Founded Nationally: 1898

Founded at UF: 1921

CHAPTER Profiles





MULTICULTURAL GREEK *Council* THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA

ABOUT

The Multicultural Greek Council, better known as the MGC, is the governing body of 9 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 4, 2024

For more information, visit mgcuf.org

COUNCIL *President*



RAYMOND CHAU

Information Systems

ADVICE TO INCOMING NEW MEMBERS

Welcome to Gator Nation! We hope you are excited for your journey at the University of Florida. While coming to a large college like this may seem daunting, joining Greek Life makes campus seem smaller. Not only will you form close bonds with those in your Chapter and the Council, but joining Greek life also provides leadership opportunities and allows you to grow as an individual, while being a part of something bigger than yourself.

The Multicultural Greek Council (MGC) was founded on November 15th, 1999 with the pillars of Scholarship, Leadership, Service, and Community. We strive to embody these pillars each and every day in an effort to leave a lasting impression on the UF community. Getting involved in Greek Life can seem intimidating, but my advice to you is to find a place where you feel the most like yourself and explore all the different Chapters MGC has to offer. Be open to making new experiences and make your time here at the University of Florida memorable. Congratulations on your acceptance and we hope you can find your place as a Florida Greek Gator!

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Executive Vice President

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Administrative Vice President

ARMANDO CRUZ

Treasurer

KHUSHI NAYAK

Secretary



MULTICULTURAL GREEK *Council*

ΣΛΒ

Sigma Lambda Beta

Chapter Name: Zeta Beta

National Website:
sigmalambdabeta.com
Chapter Website: ufbetas.org
Founded Nationally: 1986
Founded at UF: 1999

ΓΗ

Gamma Eta

Chapter Name: Alpha

National Website:
gammaetasorority.org
Chapter Website: ufgammaeta.org
Founded Nationally: 1995
Founded at UF: 1995

ΔΦΩ

Delta Phi Omega

Chapter Name: Sigma

National Website:
deltaphiomega.org
Chapter Website: dpouflorida.wix.com/dpouf
Founded Nationally: 1998
Founded at UF: 2003

ΠΔΨ

Pi Delta Psi

Chapter Name: Sigma

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

ΘΝΞ

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

αΚΔΦ

Alpha Kappa Delta Phi

Chapter Name: Alpha Delta

National Website: akdphi.org
Chapter Website: ufakdphi.org
Founded Nationally: 1990
Founded at UF: 2008

ΒΧΘ

Beta Chi Theta

Chapter Name: Mu

National Website:
betachitheta.com
Chapter Website:
mu.betachitheta.com
Founded Nationally: 1999
Founded at UF: 2008

ΚΦΛ

Kappa Phi Lambda

Chapter Name: Rho

National Website:
kappaphilambda.org
Chapter Website: ufkpl.org
Founded Nationally: 1995
Founded at UF: 2004

ΣΣΡ

Sigma Sigma Rho

Chapter Name: Florida Colony

National Website:
sigmasigmarho.com
Chapter Website:
sigmasigmarhouf.wixsite.com/phi-chapter-uf
Founded Nationally: 1998
Founded at UF: 2015

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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 15, 2024

For more information, visit NPHC's Instagram @nphc1993.



COUNCIL *President*



**KIARA
SHAW**

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Physiology &
Kinesiology*

ADVICE TO INCOMING NEW MEMBERS

No one understands the difficulty of transitioning to college more than a college student. Greek life gives students the opportunity to join a community full of like-minded individuals from different backgrounds. Specifically, the National Pan-Hellenic Council prides itself in building communities based on scholastic achievement, leadership development, and service. Most of all, we strive to create bonds of brotherhood and sisterhood to give our members a home away from home. The nine organizations under our council work towards improving the lives of the students on our campus. If you're looking to join a legacy of service and achievement at the Swamp, then learn more about NPHC! I advise you to use your time as an undergraduate to explore your interests, then use that knowledge to find creative ways to build towards your future endeavors, but you must take care of yourself before anything else. Remember it's great to be a Florida Gator!

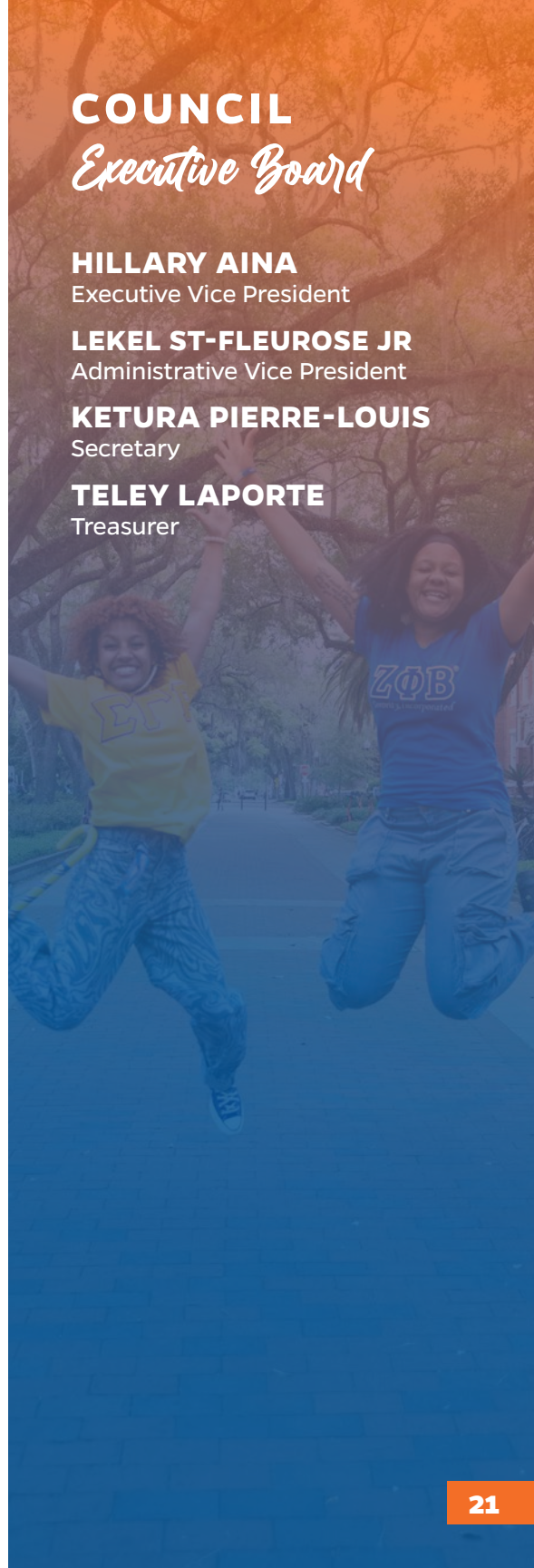
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Administrative Vice President

KETURA PIERRE-LOUIS
Secretary

TELEY LAPORTE
Treasurer



NATIONAL PAN-HELLENIC *Council*

ΑΦΑ

Alpha Phi Alpha

Chapter Name: Theta Sigma

National Website:

apa1906.net

Chapter Website:

ufalphas.com

Founded Nationally: 1906

Founded at UF: 1973

ΑΚΑ

Alpha Kappa Alpha

Chapter Name: Iota Lambda

National Website:

aka1908.com

Chapter Website:

illustriousaka.com

Founded Nationally: 1908

Founded at UF: 1975

ΚΑΨ

Kappa Alpha Psi

Chapter Name: Zeta Phi

National Website:

kappaalphapsi1911.com

Founded Nationally: 1911

Founded at UF: 1972

ΖΦΒ

Zeta Phi Beta

Chapter Name: Mu Epsilon

National Website:

zphib1920.org

Chapter Website:

gainesvillezetas.com

Founded Nationally: 1920

Founded at UF: 1974

ΣΓΡ

Sigma Gamma Rho

Chapter Name: Lambda Rho

National Website:

sgrho1922.org

Chapter Website: ufsgrhos.com

Founded Nationally: 1922

Founded at UF: 1990

ΙΦΘ

Iota Phi Theta

Chapter Name: Gamma Omicron

National Website:

iotaphitheta.org

Chapter Website:

gocentaurs.org

Founded Nationally: 1963

Founded at UF: 1998

ΩΨΦ

Omega Psi Phi

Chapter Name: Omicron Zeta

National Website: oppf.org

Chapter Website:

ozques.com

Founded Nationally: 1911

Founded at UF: 1973

ΔΣΘ

Delta Sigma Theta

Chapter Name: Lambda Psi

National Website:

deltasigmatheta.org

Chapter Website: lpdst.com

Founded Nationally: 1913

Founded at UF: 1975

ΦΒΣ

Phi Beta Sigma

Chapter Name: Zeta Kappa

National Website:

phibetasigma1914.org

Chapter Website:

facebook.com/ufsigmas

Founded Nationally: 1914

Founded at UF: 1974

CHAPTER Profiles





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.

RECRUITMENT SCHEDULE

Round 1	Values	August 16
Round 2	Philanthropy	August 17-18
Round 3	Sisterhood	August 19-20
Preferentials	Chapter Traditions	August 21
Bid Day		August 23

INTERESTED IN JOINING?

Registration Opens Online:
 April 26, 2024

Recruitment Orientation:
 August 15, 2024 @ O’Connell Center

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

COUNCIL *President*



SAMANTHA SIMON

Health Professions & Related Clinical Sciences

ADVICE TO INCOMING NEW MEMBERS

On behalf of the Panhellenic Council, welcome to the Gator Nation! Entering Greek Life can be one of the best decisions you will make at the University of Florida, and we are so excited to have your interest. These next four years can be a whirlwind of emotion and growth, but joining the Greek community will give you the home away from home that you may be yearning for. By keeping an open mind and leaning into these experiences, you will find the opportunity to discover love, passion, and resilience within each of our eighteen chapters. Going Greek is a decision that will impact your life for the better - not only within your collegiate years, but one which will last a lifetime.

COUNCIL

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Vice President of Activities

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Assistant Membership
Vice President

GABRIELLA PETILLO

Assistant Activities Vice President



CHAPTER Profiles

AXΩ

Alpha Chi Omega

Chapter Name: Gamma Iota

National Website:
alphachiomega.org

Chapter Website:
ufalphachiomega.org

Founded Nationally: 1885

Founded at UF: 1949

820 W Panhellenic Dr.
Gainesville, FL 32601

AΔΠ

Alpha Delta Pi

Chapter Name: Gamma Iota

National Website: alphadeltapi.org
Chapter Website:

ufalphadeltapi.com

Founded Nationally: 1851

Founded at UF: 1948

Send letters of recommendation
to:

831 W. Panhellenic Drive,
Gainesville, FL 32601

AΕΦ

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:

VP Recruitment
ufaephiccomputerchair@gmail.com

ΑΟΠ

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

AΦ

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

XΩ

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/](http://chiomega.com/recommend-a-woman-for-recruitment/)



Delta Delta Delta

Chapter Name: Alpha Psi

National Website: tridelta.org
Chapter Website: ufl.tridelta.org
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:
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: ufdeltazeta.com
Founded Nationally: 1902
Founded at UF: 2003

Send letters of recommendation to:
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:
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

ΚΑ

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 to:

1122 E Panhellenic Drive,

Gainesville, FL 32601

ΚΚΓ

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>

ΦΜ

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 to:

1152 E. Panhellenic Dr.,

Gainesville, FL 32601

ΠΒΦ

Pi Beta Phi

Chapter Name: Florida Delta

National Website: pibetaphi.org

Chapter Website: ufl.pibetaphi.org

Founded Nationally: 1867

Founded at UF: 1985

Send letters of recommendation

to:

2489 W Fraternity Dr.,

Gainesville, FL 32603

ΣΚ

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

to:

1108 E Panhellenic Dr.,

Gainesville, FL 32601

ΖΤΑ

Zeta Tau Alpha

Chapter Name: Gamma Iota

National Website:

zetataualpha.org

Chapter Website:

ufl.zetataualpha.org

Founded Nationally: 1898

Founded at UF: 1949

Send letters of recommendation to:

1142 E Panhellenic Dr.,

Gainesville, FL 32601

FINANCIAL *Information*

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	\$256	\$780	\$2370	\$1044
MGC	\$233	\$217	N/A	N/A
NPHC	\$1387	\$470	N/A	N/A
PC	\$348	\$1123	\$2819	\$1063
UF Housing	N/A	N/A	\$2817	\$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, 41 of the 60 chapters at UF have chapter houses. A full-time house director lives the houses to oversee operations, while houses are managed 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 less expensive than other living situations.

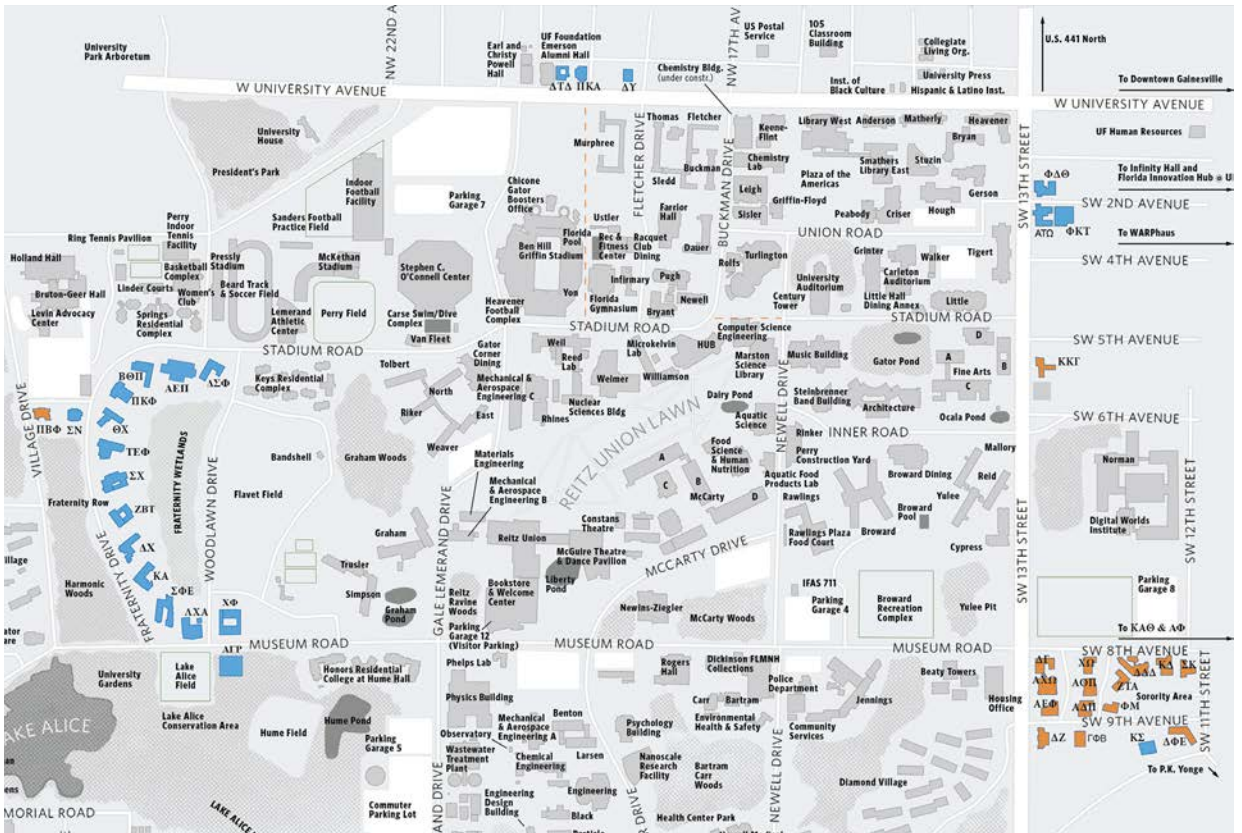
CAN I LIVE IN THE CHAPTER HOUSE AS A FIRST-YEAR STUDENT?

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, it is the responsibility of the student to alter their on-campus meal plan if they wish. More information can be found at <https://dineoncampus.com/UF/greek-meal-plans>. The student’s account will be billed for usage on the current residential meal plan for the number of days the meal plan was active multiplied by the daily rate of their chosen meal plan plus any Flex used.

MAP OF Chapter Houses



41 CHAPTERS WITH HOUSES
IFC - 23 | MGC - 0 | NPHC - 0 | PC - 18

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 25 UF social fraternities.

INTERNATIONAL/NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS:
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.

MULTICULTURAL GREEK COUNCIL (MGC): The governing body of the 9 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.

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, STEP, OR 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.

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.

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 <https://dineoncampus.com/UF/greek-meal-plans>

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 Regulations including the UF Student Conduct Code. 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 Conduct Code. 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 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.

2024-2025 *Ambassadors*

Alexa Riley Rodriguez
Alexander Benashvili
Alexandra Polo
Alexis Sealy
Anna Bernstein
Anna Schafhauser
Brooke Cooney
Caleigh Zaguirre
Cameron Bailey
Catherine Isakson
Colin McDermott
Connor Fetters
Danielle Work
Gabriel Chandley
Gabriela Vega
Gracyn Frederick
Hardy Polk
Hunter Allen

Isabella Kabacinski
Jack Gregg
Jacob Tracy
Jacqueline Sipio
Jeremy Kleberg
Julia Abbaticchio
Justin Dario
Katrina Langer
Kiara Arce
Kyle Caliendo
Lauren Prangley
Laynie McKinnon
Luke Esper
Madeline Dahlman
Makayla Raphael
Matthew Carmona
Mitchell McGruder
Nader Maklad

Nicholas Andrews
Paul Bardunias
Peyton Propper
Richard Dolson
Ronan Bray
Saket Singh
Samuel Gold
Sarah Watson
Sebastian Palomino
Summer Knight
Sydney Yee
Tara Patel
Trini Talbot
Tyler Burton
Valeria Kovtun
Victoria Michalski
Yasmine Lindsey
Victoria Poliak

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. GET INVOLVED

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

3. LEND A 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 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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