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Guide to FLORIDA GREEKS

2015 2016

FLORIDA GREEKS
The Florida Greek community welcomes you to the University of Florida. With more than 7,000 members who represent 65 Greek organizations, joining a sorority or fraternity can be a life-changing experience for every student. Although 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 the University of Florida 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 specific 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 them into strong leaders. Furthermore, the personal enrichment that accompanies the brotherhood or sisterhood of a Greek organization proves to be one of the most treasured friendships that last far beyond the four years of college.

We believe that being members of the Greek community invariably shaped the type of leaders we are and the type of leaders we will become. We will all be able to fondly look back on our time spent at the University of Florida and recognize the vital impact that the Greek community played in that experience.

Go Gators!

Maria Carter
Panhellenic Council President

Shardé Pettis
National Pan-Hellenic Council President

Michael Fronda
Multicultural Greek Council President

Kason Green
Interfraternity Council President
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The Florida Greek community is fortunate to have a professional staff that provides management skills, leadership development, program planning and advice for the four governing councils, 65 chapters, the Florida Greek Ambassadors, and the Order of Omega national leadership honor society.

Student life outside of the classroom is an integral component of the college experience. Involvement not only makes a large campus feel smaller, it 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 that are 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 the University of Florida and create friendships that will last a lifetime.

At the University of Florida, our Greek community aims to complement and expound on the educational experience. Please consider taking more time to learn about our 65 chapters as well as the entire Florida Greek community by reviewing our website at www.greeks.ufl.edu or by attending any recruitment or interest meeting of the organizations.

Go Gators!
Sorority and Fraternity Affairs,
Student Activities & Involvement
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 friends, 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 grade point averages and provided service to the University and its surrounding community. Our community is strong and diverse with over sixty chapters belonging to one of our four governing councils: Interfraternity Council, Multicultural Greek Council, National Pan-Hellenic Council, and Panhellenic Council. The Florida Greek community at the University of Florida provides an opportunity for students to discover and achieve the best, both in their collegiate years and beyond.

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Maintaining a high level of academic success is a tradition within the Florida Greek community.

The Florida Greek community offers many resources and programs to maintain high scholastic success. Some of the resources and programs available are:

- **Scholarship chairs**: chapter officers who work with the chapter and University to create a scholarship plan for their members
- **Study hours**: several chapters and/or councils host weekly study hours for members
- **Incentive programs**: members are recognized for academic achievement and scholastic effort
- **Partnership**: members are offered various incentives with on and off campus training services and access to their various tutoring programs

**Comparison of Greek vs. All UF undergrad students semester GPAs (Fall 2014)**

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**Did You Know?  76% of Florida Greeks had a semester GPA of 3.0 or higher in Fall 2014.**

**STUDENT PROFILE**

**Tommy Burt**
- Sophomore
- Interfraternity Council (IFC)

**Campus Involvement:**
Sigma Chi Fraternity, IFC Director of Educational Programming, Florida Greek Ambassador, Student Government Director of Nightlife Navigators, Student Government Senator, Gators March for Babies, UF Health Volunteer

**How has being Greek impacted you?**

Joining Greek life at UF has allowed me to learn from others, with different temperaments, talents and convictions than I. Being exposed to a wide range of backgrounds, has made me more inclined to step out of my comfort zone. I feel that I have grown socially, professionally, and emotionally. I am beyond thankful for the deep rooted friendships I have gained as a result of going Greek.
Annually, Greeks raise hundreds of thousands of dollars for various philanthropies. Along with each chapter having its own philanthropic event, chapters participate in other philanthropy events. Service to the community as a whole goes beyond simply donating money. Members also spend time volunteering locally for their philanthropy, or just for fun.

Service is one of the principles of fraternities and sororities at the University of Florida. 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.

Order of Omega’s All-Greek Service Day
An annual event providing the Florida Greek community the opportunity to give back and provide service to the greater Gainesville community. This year 43 chapters attended, with over 584 participants.

Ghouls, Ghoblins, and Greeks
An annual service project sponsored by the Panhellenic Council’s Junior Panhellenic division. Panhellenic chapters decorate their house and yard to provide a night of Halloween entertainment for more than 600 children and their families.

Greek Blood Drive
A week-long competition to see which fraternity and sorority can make the most donations.

Dance Marathon
A 26.2 - hour event where participants stay awake and on their feet to raise money and awareness for UF Health Shands Children’s Hospital, our local Children’s Miracle Network Hospital. In 20 years, DM at UF has raised more than $6 million.

Did You Know? The Florida Greek Community raised $1,390,285.93 for Dance Marathon 2015.
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 an individual develop a multitude of leadership skills including conflict management, delegation, decision making, and effective communication skills.

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

Nationally, numerous chapters provide opportunities for members to attend regional and national leadership training conferences.

Some Florida Greek Leadership opportunities
- Greek Advance Retreat
- Jr. Panhellenic
- New Member Orientation
- IFC New Member Education Summit
- Emerging Leaders Conference
- NPHC Neophyte Retreat
- MGC Neophyte Retreat
- Order of Omega
- Panhellenic Recruitment Counselors
- Florida Greek Ambassadors
- NPHC Presidential Retreat

Did You Know? Florida Greeks have held some of the most prestigious leadership positions on campus.

Andy Elizaire
- Junior
- National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC)

Campus Involvement:
President of Iota Phi Theta Fraternity, Inc., Webmaster for the National Pan-Hellenic Council, Mentor for the Black Student Union Mentorship Program, Alliance Ambassadors, Beta Eta Honor Society, National Society of Collegiate Scholars, and National Society of Black Engineers

How has being Greek impacted you?
Being part of a Greek organization showed me the potential that I have in me to be a leader and to make a positive impact in our community and on campus. Not only have I gotten the chance to experience a brotherhood bond of a life but I have also had numerous opportunities to work with goal oriented, self-motived individuals from different organizations in which enabled me to become a better rounded student.
Brooke Liston
• Senior
• Panhellenic Council (PC)

Campus Involvement:
President of Delta Zeta, Florida Blue Key, Florida Cicerone. Preview Staffer. Former Student Senator, Dance Marathon Dancer, Volunteer at UF Health and St. Francis House

How has being Greek impacted you?
Being a member of a sorority has shaped my college experience and made my three years at UF incredible. My sorority has become my family away from home and has made a large university much smaller. My sorority sisters are very supportive of each other and we know we can depend on each other in times of need, or just to hang out and have fun. Being part of Greek life provides many philanthropic, social, and leadership opportunities but it also encourages academic performance. Additionally, serving as president of my chapter has been my favorite leadership experience at UF. It is truly great to be a Greek Gator.

Community Events
- Homecoming and Gator Growl
- Greek Awards Banquet
- Intramurals
- NPHC Stepshow
- IFC Chicken Wing Charity Thing
- MGC Showcase

Did You Know? 21% of the undergraduate student population is part of the Florida Greek Community.
The Interfraternity Council (IFC) at the University of Florida is the governing body for 25 men’s fraternities. The Interfraternity Council is chiefly responsible for ensuring the performance of its chapters with regard to the pillars of scholarship, leadership, service and community. 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?
Recruitment is the process of recruiting new members into the fraternities of the Interfraternity Council. IFC holds formal recruitment during the fall and spring. IFC fall recruitment begins with the Recruitment Orientation and Kickoff BBQ on August 30, 2015.

Recruitment Dates:
Recruitment Kickoff & Orientation: August 30, 2015
Recruitment: August 30 - September 4, 2015

For more information, visit ufifc.org

Kason Green
- Senior
- Interfraternity Council (President)

Campus Involvement:
Florida Blue Key and Florida Blue Key Speaker’s Bureau Director of Personnel 2013

How has being Greek impacted you?
Deciding to go Greek was the best decision of my entire life. Within my own fraternity, I’ve made lifelong friends and have had the chance to network with alumni. Externally, being Greek has helped me become a leader and work with administrators and advisors that have had a huge impact on my life. I believe that the position I have now as IFC President has made me love the Gator nation more than I ever could. Because of this Greek community, I feel extremely prepared to be successful in the real world.
Alpha Epsilon Pi (ΑΕΠ)
Chapter Name: Phi Gamma
National website: www.aepi.org
Chapter website: www.ufaepi.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1913
Year Founded at UF: 1951

Alpha Epsilon Pi was founded at NYU in 1913 and has been at UF since 1951. With 176 active chapters in 6 countries, AEPI is the Global Jewish Fraternity, although we open to upstanding men of all faiths. Gentlemen of AEPI take pride in being men of outstanding character, integrity, and ambition. We are very active academically, socially, athletically, in service, and in campus involvement. Members graduate as well-rounded individuals who gained invaluable social skills that will help that will help them for the rest of their lives.

Alpha Gamma Rho (ΑΓΡ)
Chapter Name: Alpha Gamma
National website: www.alphagammarioh.org
Chapter website: N/A
Year Founded Nationally: 1908
Year Founded at UF: 1924

Alpha Gamma Rho is the only Social/Professional Fraternity at the University of Florida. Founded as an agricultural fraternity, AGR strives to Make Better Men through the personal, social, and professional development of our brothers by utilizing our strong ties to the college and our extensive alumni network. AGR is for men who wish to belong to a strong brotherhood, enjoy their time at UF, and also prepare themselves as successful leaders. We are truly four years and a lifetime.

Alpha Tau Omega (ATO)
Chapter Name: Alpha Omega
National website: www.ato.org
Chapter website: www.ufato.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1865
Year Founded at UF: 1884

Alpha Tau Omega was founded on September 11, 1865, to help heal the wounds of the North and South caused by the Civil War. It was also the first fraternity to be founded as a national fraternity. Alpha Tau Omega was founded at the University of Florida in 1884. The organization now has more than 140 chapters nationwide, more than 6,500 undergraduate members and 196,000 initiated members.

Beta Theta Pi (ΒΘΠ)
Chapter Name: Gamma Xi
National website: www.betathetapi.org
Chapter website: www.ufbeta.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1839
Year Founded at UF: 1930

Beta Theta Pi was founded August 8, 1839 at Miami University in Oxford, Ohio. Today Beta has 128 chapters in Canada and the United States. Beta is dedicated to building men of principle. Our brotherhood aids the individual, builds the Fraternity, and strengthens the host academic institution through lifelong devotion to intellectual excellence, high standards of moral conduct, and responsible citizenship. The beliefs and standards of Beta Theta Pi benefit the individual long after his collegiate days have ended. "We strive to make perfect."

Chi Phi (ΧΦ)
Chapter Name: Theta Delta
National website: www.chiphi.org
Chapter website: www.ufchiphi.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1824
Year Founded at UF: 1935

Chi Phi Fraternity is the nation’s oldest social fraternity founded in 1824 at Princeton College. We are dedicated to molding men into true gentlemen through the guiding principles of Truth, Honor, and Personal Integrity. Chi Phi brothers strive for excellence in all areas of life, to be a scholar, athlete, leader and most of all, a gentleman. Chi Phi is a place where leaders are made and life-long bonds of brotherhood are formed.

Delta Chi (ΔΧ)
Chapter Name: Florida Chapter
National website: www.deltachi.org
Chapter website: www.ufdx.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1890
Year Founded at UF: 1926

The Delta Chi Fraternity was founded in 1890 and has been at the University of Florida since 1926. We have more than 1,400 alumni initiates from UF. Every spring, we raise money for the “V Foundation for Cancer Research” during our annual Earth Ball Tournament. Things are only getting better at the Delta Chi Fraternity, and we hope you want to become a part of it.
Delta Tau Delta (ΔΤΔ)
Chapter Name: Delta Zeta
National website: www.deltas.org
Chapter website: www.ufdelt.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1858
Year Founded at UF: 1925

Delta Tau Delta is much more than a social organization, a place to live, or a way to meet people. Our mission “committed to lives of excellence” drives our actions, programming, and essence. Delt fulfills many purposes from honing its members’ leadership skills, helping them grow personally, and providing a nurturing environment to enjoy their collegiate and post-collegiate experience.

Delta Upsilon (∆Υ)
Chapter Name: Florida Chapter
National website: www.deltau.org
Chapter website: www.facebook.com/deltaupsilonuf
Year Founded Nationally: 1834
Year Founded at UF: 1957

Delta Upsilon is committed to “Building Better Men” through our four founding principles of friendship, character, culture, and justice, which challenge our brothers to expect nothing less than excellence from each other. Delta Upsilon is constantly recognized for achievements in academics, philanthropic activity, and has an active social calendar.

Kappa Alpha Order (ΚΑ)
Chapter Name: Beta Zeta
National website: www.kappaalphaorder.org
Chapter website: florida.kappaalphaorder.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1865
Year Founded at UF: 1904

Kappa Alpha has been on the vanguard of chivalrous action since coming to campus in 1904. We pride ourselves on holding our members to higher moral, social, and scholastic levels than society dictates. As an Order, and not just a fraternity, we strive to fully define the southern gentleman.

Kappa Sigma (ΚΣ)
Chapter Name: Delta-Delta
National website: www.kappasigma.org
Chapter website: www.kappasigmauf.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1869
Year Founded at UF: 1922

Kappa Sigma Fraternity was founded on December 10, 1869 at the University of Virginia, and since then has grown exponentially, coming to the University of Florida in 1922. Kappa Sigma is based on four cornerstones: Fellowship, Leadership, Scholarship, and Service. Kappa Sigma’s annual soccer tournament, Blacktop Beach, benefits March of Dimes.

Lambda Chi Alpha (ΛΧΑ)
Chapter Name: Epsilon-Mu Zeta
National website: www.lambdachi.org
Chapter website: www.ufxa.wordpress.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1909
Year Founded at UF: 1933

Lambda Chi Alpha is one of the youngest, yet most rapidly growing fraternities in the country. In 1972, it became the first fraternity to ban hazing and replaced the term “pledge” with “associate member.” Lambda Chi Alpha strives to foster the development of its members, emphasizing scholarship, athletics, service, and a positive social experience.

Pi Lambda Phi (ΠΛΦ)
Chapter Name: FL Delta
National website: www.lambdachi.org
Chapter website: www.pilambdaphi.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1895
Year Founded at UF: 1925

Pi Lambda Phi was the first non-sectarian and non-discriminatory fraternity established. Our chapter house, located at 15 Fraternity Row, was built in 1955 and was designed by Frank Lloyd Wright. From our years here, we have created gentlemen with core values that have helped them become leaders in their careers and communities. We pride ourselves on our diversity, traditions, and values.

Phi Delta Theta (Φ∆Θ)
Chapter Name: Florida Alpha
National website: www.phideltatheta.org
Chapter website: www.ufl.phideltatheta.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1848
Year Founded at UF: 1925

Founded at the University of Florida in 1925, Phi Delta Theta Florida Alpha heralds the largest membership of any other chapter in the world. A Phi Delt man exhibits the three cardinal principles of friendship, sound learning, and moral rectitude. Phi Delta Theta strives to be the standard for Fraternity men, and is committed to developing character and values of all types of individuals.

Phi Gamma Delta (FIJI)
Chapter Name: Upsilon Phi
National website: www.phigam.org
Chapter website: www.ufphigam.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1848
Year Founded at UF: 1941

The Upsilon Phi Chapter of Phi Gamma Delta is a group of dedicated brothers who strive to achieve excellence in the classroom and on the intramural field while staying true to the person they are. Fiji Brothers are true to who they are while becoming the best man they can.

Phi Kappa Tau (ΦΚΤ)
Chapter Name: Phi Kappa Tau
National website: www.phikappatau.org
Chapter website: http://ufl.phikappatau.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1906
Year Founded at UF: 1926

Phi Kappa Tau, established at the University of Florida in 1926, champions a lifelong commitment to brotherhood, learning, ethical leadership, and building men of exemplary character. We have been successful in these endeavors for over 100 years and live true to the moniker: Phi Kappa Tau: Where Character Counts.
Pi Kappa Phi (ΠΚΦ)
Chapter Name: Alpha Epsilon
National Website: www.pikapp.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1904
Year Founded at UF: 1924
Pi Kappa Phi was founded December 10th, 1904 on the principles of leadership. The Alpha Epsilon chapter joined the University of Florida in 1924 and is home to many notable UF alumni, including alumnus Ben Hill Griffin Jr. Pi Kappa Phi members take great pride in our continued growth and excellence in the Gator Nation.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon (ΣΑΕ)
Chapter Name: Florida Upsilon
National Website: www.ufsae.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1856
Year Founded at UF: 1884
Sigma Alpha Epsilon was founded at the University of Alabama on March 9th, 1856 by 8 men looking to establish a brotherhood of character, honor, and friendship. The Florida Upsilon Chapter of Sigma Alpha Epsilon was established on February 11th, 1884 and was the first fraternity at the University of Florida. Florida Upsilon currently boasts the largest number of initiates of all chapters in the realm of SAE.

Sigma Chi (ΣΧ)
Chapter Name: Gamma Theta
National Website: www.sigmachi.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1855
Year Founded at UF: 1924
Sigma Chi is a brotherhood with roots in the collegiate experience that engenders a lifelong commitment to strive to achieve true friendship, equal justice, and the fulfillment of learning as part of our overall responsibilities to the broader communities in which we live. Sigma Chi Fraternity best serves its purpose by developing, implementing, and monitoring programs that foster leadership, build character, and promote positive relationship skills.

Sigma Nu (ΣΝ)
Chapter Name: Epsilon Zeta
National Website: www.sigmanu.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1869
Year Founded at UF: 1920, 2005
Founded on the Principles of Love, Honor, and Truth, Sigma Nu is dedicated to the betterment of every man. Through the ties of brotherhood, fidelity, service, and ethical leadership, Sigma Nu aims to enrich the college experience at the University of Florida. Sigma Nu has developed the award-winning Leadership, Ethics, Achievement, Development program (abbreviated LEAD) to fulfill its mission to better our members, our university, our community, and our world by fostering the growth of ethical leaders.

Phi Sigma Kappa (ΦΣΚ)
Chapter Name: Delta Tetarton
National Website: www.phisigmakappa.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1873
Year Founded at UF: 1951, 2014
Phi Sigma Kappa is a social fraternity founded nationally in 1873 on the cardinal principles of Brotherhood, Scholarship and Character. Originally founded at the University of Florida in 1953 and then again in 1992; the third Delta Tetarton chapter was recently initiated in fall 2014. Phi Sigma Kappa strives to develop successful leaders on campus by implementing programs that strengthen leadership skills, build character, and instill confidence. In doing so, the members of Phi Sigma Kappa are equipped to provide creative and innovative ideas to the Greek Community and the University of Florida.

Pi Kappa Alpha (ΠΚΑ)
Chapter Name: Alpha Eta
National Website: www.pikes.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1868
Year Founded at UF: 1904
Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity was founded in 1868 at the University of Virginia and in 1904 the Alpha Eta chapter was established here at the University of Florida. With over 100 years of tradition at UF, Alpha Eta prides itself on its ability to produce campus leaders, athletes, dedicated scholars, and most importantly, well-rounded gentlemen. This year, the Alpha Eta Chapter raised over $85,000 for our philanthropy PIKE HALFTIME, were recognized as being in the top 3% of all PIKE chapters nationwide as well as winning the IFC President’s Cup for 2014.

Interested in joining an IFC Fraternity?
Visit www.ufifc.org
Tau Kappa Epsilon (ΤΚΕ)
Chapter Name: Gamma Theta
National website: www.tke.org
Chapter website: www.gatortke.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1899
Year Founded at UF: 1950

Since 1899, distinguished individuals Ronald Reagan, Elvis Presley, Conrad Hilton, Charles Walgreen, and many others will recount their success in life and attribute much to their experiences as a member of Tau Kappa Epsilon. Florida Greeks are active in service, athletics, and social activities, but TKE prides itself on developing a sense of true brotherhood. TKE placed 1st overall in Dance Marathon 2010, taking home the Miracle Cup and placed 2nd overall in 2011.

Sigma Phi Epsilon (ΣΦΕ)
Chapter Name: Florida Alpha
National website: www.sigep.org
Chapter website: N/A
Year Founded Nationally: 1901
Year Founded at UF: 1925

SigEp was founded with the Cardinal Principles of Virtue, Diligence and Brotherly Love. Our mission is “Building Balanced Men,” which is achieved through a commitment to Sound Mind and Sound Body. Sigma Phi Epsilon will be re-colonizing at the University of Florida in the Spring 2016 semester. Contact Austin Chapman or Patrick Gallagher (austin.chapman@sigep.net and patrick.gallagher@sigep.net) for further information.

Theta Chi (ΘΧ)
Chapter Name: Tau
National website: www.thetachi.org
Chapter website: www.ufthetachi.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1856
Year Founded at UF: 1916

Theta Chi is a social fraternity dedicated to upholding the highest of standards for its members. We have a rich history at the University of Florida and pride ourselves on brotherhood, campus leadership, service, athletics, diversity, and academic excellence. Members graduate from our chapter with a one of a kind experience and leave as Gentlemen of Theta Chi.

Beta Theta Pi (ΒΘΠ)
Chapter Name: Sigma
National website: www.betatheta.org
Chapter website: www.ufbetatheta.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1877
Year Founded at UF: 1916

Beta Theta Pi is a social fraternity dedicated to building balanced men. Our mission is “Building Sound Minds and Sound Bodies.” We have a rich history at the University of Florida and pride ourselves on brotherhood, campus leadership, service, athletics, diversity, and academic excellence. Members graduate from our chapter with a one of a kind experience and leave as Gentlemen of Beta Theta Pi.

S1igma Phi Epsilon (ΣΦΕ)
Chapter Name: Florida Alpha
National website: www.sigep.org
Chapter website: N/A
Year Founded Nationally: 1901
Year Founded at UF: 1925

SigEp was founded with the Cardinal Principles of Virtue, Diligence and Brotherly Love. Our mission is “Building Balanced Men,” which is achieved through a commitment to Sound Mind and Sound Body. Sigma Phi Epsilon will be re-colonizing at the University of Florida in the Spring 2016 semester. Contact Austin Chapman or Patrick Gallagher (austin.chapman@sigep.net and patrick.gallagher@sigep.net) for further information.

Theta Chi (ΘΧ)
Chapter Name: Tau
National website: www.thetachi.org
Chapter website: www.ufthetachi.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1856
Year Founded at UF: 1916

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National website: www.sigep.org
Chapter website: N/A
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National website: www.thetachi.org
Chapter website: www.ufthetachi.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1856
Year Founded at UF: 1916

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Chapter website: N/A
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The Multicultural Greek Council, better known as the MGC, is the governing body of the 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 is relatively small in size, which fosters strong life-long 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/traditions. To learn more, attend informational sessions and speak to current members. Attend the MGC Showcase to learn more about all of the MGC organizations.

**MGC Fall Week:**
August 31 - September 4, 2015

**MGC Recruitment Showcase:**
September 11th, 2015
(Reitz Union Grand Ballroom)

*For more information, visit www.mgcuf.org*

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**STUDENT PROFILE**

**Michael Fronda**

- Senior
- Multicultural Greek Council (President)

**Campus Involvement:**
The Society of Asian Scientists and Engineers, Asian American Student Union, Benton Engineering Council, Pi Delta Psi

**How has being Greek impacted you?**
Being a part of a Greek experience has given me multiple opportunities in terms of leadership and networking that I would not normally find here on our campus. However, I think the most important things I learned from being Greek is to stay humble and always seek to improve the community. This is not something someone would normally associate with the Greek experience. The burden of carrying these letters and always being associated with them has taught me to carry myself in a manner that would make not only my founders proud but gives me something to work on every day!
SORORITIES:

alpha Kappa Delta Phi (αΚ∆Φ)
Chapter Name: UF Associate Chapter
National website: www.akdphi.org
Chapter website: www.ufakdphi.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1990
Year Founded at UF: 2009

alpha Kappa Delta Phi Sorority, Inc. was founded in 1990 and recently expanded to UF’s campus in Spring 2009. Our mission is to provide sisterhood among women, scholarship, leadership, and Asian awareness. Further, we strive to provide a support group for those in their times of need and to encourage the making of successful women.

Delta Phi Omega (∆ΦΩ)
Chapter Name: Sigma
National website: www.deltaphiomega.org
Chapter website: www.dpouflorida.wix.com/dpouf
Year Founded Nationally: 1998
Year Founded at UF: 2003

Delta Phi Omega is the strongest, largest, and fastest growing South Asian interest sorority in the nation. Founded on the five pillars of Sisterhood, Respect, Loyalty, Honesty, and Friendship, Delta Phi Omega is renowned for its commitment to serving the local and global community, specifically through promoting children’s education and literacy. This sisterhood exceeds the typical notions of a sorority with strength as both a social and philanthropic organization, creating women of culture, compassion, and sophistication. We strive to serve our community, promote South Asian culture, and pursue academic excellence.

Kappa Phi Lambda (ΚΦΛ)
Chapter Name: Rho
National website: www.kappaphilambda.org
Chapter website: www.ufkpl.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1995
Year Founded at UF: 2004

The Renowned Rho Chapter of Kappa Phi Lambda Sorority, Inc. was founded in October 1995 at the University of Florida and was the first social sorority to be founded in the state of Florida. We are dedicated toward creating strong female leaders and serving as positive role models in our community by upholding our seven pillars of leadership, scholarship, diversity, sisterhood, service, and strength.

CHAPTER PROFILES

Gamma Eta (ΓΗ)
Chapter Name: Alpha
National website: www.gammaetasorority.org
Chapter website: www.gammaetauf.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1995
Year Founded at UF: 1995

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Kappa Phi Lambda (ΚΦΛ)
Chapter Name: Alpha
National website: www.kappaphilambda.org
Chapter website: www.ufkpl.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1995
Year Founded at UF: 2004

The Renowned Rho Chapter of Kappa Phi Lambda Sorority, Inc. was the first Asian-interest Greek organization brought to campus as well as the first southward expansion of the sorority on a national level. The sisters aim for academic excellence, simultaneously seeking to further women empowerment and striving for their three pillars: sisterhood, service, and ad cultural diversity.

Lambda Theta Alpha (ΛΘΑ)
Chapter Name: Chi
National website: www.lta.orgsync.com
Chapter website: www.ltachichapter.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1975
Year Founded at UF: 1996

The Chi Chapter of Lambda Theta Alpha Latin Sorority, Inc. was founded at the University of Florida on March 17th, 1996 as the first Latin Sorority in the state of Florida. Over the years, we have provided our campus, as well as the local, state, and national community with outstanding educational and charitable events. We strive for academic and professional excellence and continue to serve as a voice for the Latin Community. We are Latin by Tradition, NOT by Definition!

Theta Nu Xi (ΘΝΞ)
Chapter Name: Alpha Alpha
National website: www.thetanuxi.org
Chapter website: www.ufthetanuxi.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1997
Year Founded at UF: 2005

The Absolutely Astonishing Alpha Alpha Chapter of Theta Nu Xi Multicultural Sorority, Inc. is the first and only Multicultural-interest sorority at UF. Theta Nu Xi was nationally founded on April 11, 1997 under the tenets of scholarship, service, sisterhood, leadership, and multiculturalism, at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. We are “Sisters of Diversity, Together as ONE.”

Sigma Sigma Rho (ΣΣΡ)
Chapter Name: UF Colony
National website: www.sigmasigmarho.com
Chapter website: N/A
Year Founded Nationally: 1998
Year Founded at UF: 2014

Sigma Sigma Rho Sorority, Inc was nationally founded in 1998 and is the newest addition to the Multicultural Greek Council. This sorority was founded on the principles of Sisterhood, Society, and Remembrance. It is a South Asian based sorority but has a variety of culturally diverse members nationwide. Leadership is fostered through the organization to allow women to succeed and prepare them to pursue higher-level leadership positions.
FRATERNITIES:

Beta Chi Theta (ΒΧΘ)
Chapter Name: Mu
National Website: www.betachitheta.com
Chapter website: www.mu.betachitheta.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1999
Year Founded at UF: 2009

Beta Chi Theta National Fraternity, Inc. expanded to the University of Florida in the spring of 2009. Our fraternity is built upon the primary principle of Brotherhood. The tenets of our fraternity include tradition, service to humanity, promoting South Asian awareness, striving for academic excellence, and creating a unified nationwide network.

Delta Epsilon Psi (ΔΣΨ)
Chapter Name: Rho
National Website: www.depsi.org
Chapter Website: www.depsirho.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1998
Year Founded at UF: 2009

Delta Epsilon Psi is a service based South Asian Fraternity and is the largest South Asian Fraternity nationally. Delta Epsilon Psi reflects the three pillars of brotherhood, discipline, and commitment throughout the many service and social events they host. These pillars are not only upheld in events hosted locally, regionally, and nationally, but also in every single brother as well.

Lambda Theta Phi (ΛΘΦ)
Chapter Name: Phi
National website: www.lambda1975.org
Chapter website: www.uflambdas.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1975
Year Founded at UF: 1995

Lambda Theta Phi Latin Fraternity, Inc. is the first nationally recognized Latino-Greek letter organization. We are a social fraternity instilled with the values of Latin unity, respect, brotherhood, culture and pride. Our organization promotes empowering Latin youth to serve as positive role models in the Hispanic-Latino community.

Omega Delta Phi (ΩΔΦ)
Chapter Name: Alpha Upsilon
National website: http://www.omegadeltaphi.com
Chapter website: www.ufodphi.wix.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1987
Year Founded at UF: 2009

Omega Delta Phi is a service/social fraternity that expanded to the University of Florida in Spring 2009. Through community service and philanthropy, we are dedicated to the needs and concerns of Gainesville and its surrounding communities. We are founded on the principles of Unity, Honesty, Integrity, and Leadership, and we believe in giving ANY man the opportunity to go Greek.

Pi Delta Psi (ΠΔΨ)
Chapter Name: Sigma
National website: www.pideltapsi.com
Chapter website: www.ufpideltapsi.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1994
Year Founded at UF: 2004

Pi Delta Psi prides itself on striving toward excellence in every aspect of human endeavor. Through our fraternity, you can become part of a Brotherhood that commits itself to academic achievement, cultural awareness, righteousness, and friendship/loyalty throughout your college experience.

Sigma Beta Rho (ΣΒΡ)
Chapter Name: Pi
National website: www.sigmabetarho.com
Chapter website: www.uf.sigrho.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1996
Year Founded at UF: 2002

Sigma Beta Rho Fraternity, Inc. is a multicultural fraternity founded on August 16, 1996 at the University of Pennsylvania. As a service and social fraternity, Sigma Beta Rho supports the society among which its chapters are built; keeps its brotherhood bond strong, and strives to keep its diverse cultures alive.

Sigma Lambda Beta (ΣΛΒ)
Chapter Name: Zeta Beta
National website: www.sigmalambdabeta.com
Chapter website: www.ufbetas.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1986
Year Founded at UF: 1999

Sigma Lambda Beta International Fraternity, Inc. is the largest Latino-based Fraternity in the nation with Multicultural membership. We believe in the principles of fairness and opportunity, as well as the equality of all men. SLB strives to model our principles and present ourselves in a gentlemanly and educated fashion.
The National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC) is composed of nine 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 nine 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 once a year as needed, either in fall or spring. The exact time is determined by the specific organization, not by NPHC. Individual organizations will hold informational meetings throughout the school year on campus. They will provide aspirants with the opportunity to learn more about an organization.

NPHC Fall Recruitment Week:
September 21 - September 25, 2015

For more information, visit www.ufnphc.org

Shardé Pettis
Senior
National Pan-Hellenic Council (President)

Campus Involvement:
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., Florida Cicerones, Freshman Leadership Council, Leadership Development Institute, and After School Gator Mentorship Program.

How has being Greek impacted you?
Being a member of a Greek lettered organization has given me the opportunity to be a part of something that is larger than myself. Through the platform that my Greek organization has provided me, I am able to impact my campus and the community in a greater capacity than I could on my own. Joining as a freshman, I have had the opportunity to grow and evolve as a leader. The professional and personal skills that my Greek experience has provided me are invaluable and have prepared me for the leadership roles that I have held while in college. While my undergraduate career may only last for four years, my commitment to my Greek organization will last a lifetime.
SORORITIES:

**Alpha Kappa Alpha (AKA)**
Chapter Name: Iota Lambda
National website: www.aka1908.com
Chapter website: www.illustriousaka.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1908
Year Founded at UF: 1975

Founded in 1908, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. became America’s first Greek-letter organization established by Black college women. Today, Alpha Kappa Alpha thrives as a sisterhood of women who have consciously chosen the affiliation as a means of self-fulfillment through volunteer service in the areas of our Five Targets, which include Education, The Black Family, Health, Economics, and The Arts.

**Delta Sigma Theta (ΔΣΘ)**
Chapter Name: Lambda Psi
National website: www.deltasigmatheta.org
Chapter website: www.LPDST.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1913
Year Founded at UF: 1975

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. is an organization of college educated women committed to the constructive development of its members and to public service, with a primary focus on the Black community. The Lambda Psi chapter implements service programs that are aligned with our national organization’s five programmatic thrusts: economic development, educational development, international awareness and involvement, physical and mental health, and political awareness and involvement.

**Sigma Gamma Rho (ΣΓΡ)**
Chapter Name: Lambda Rho
National website: www.sg rho1922.org
Chapter website: www.ufsgrhos.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1922
Year Founded at UF: 1990

Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. was founded by seven women who had the desire to enlighten a nation. It is the only historically black Greek sorority founded at a predominantly white university. To this day, the ladies of Sigma still uphold the foundation and beliefs that this sorority was founded upon while aiming to grow in the bonds of sisterhood, scholarship, and leadership.

**Zeta Phi Beta (ΖΦΒ)**
Chapter Name: Mu Epsilon
National website: www.zphib1920.org
Chapter website: www.ufzetas.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1920
Year Founded at UF: 1974

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. was founded on January 16, 1920, on the campus of Howard University by five pioneering women. The sorority prides itself on being a “community conscious, action-oriented organization.” The Mu Epsilon chapter was chartered on April 3, 1974, on the University of Florida campus, making it the first African-American Sorority to be chartered. These ladies uphold their legacy and contribute to it through service endeavors and stirring program.
FRATERNITIES:

**Iota Phi Theta (ΙΦΘ)**
Chapter Name: Gamma Omicron
National website: www.IotaPhiTheta.org
Chapter website: www.GOCentaurus.net
Year Founded Nationally: 1963
Year Founded at UF: 1998

On September 19, 1963 on the campus of Morgan State College, now Morgan State University, 12 students founded what is now the nation’s fifth largest predominantly African American social service fraternity, Iota Phi Theta, Inc. The purpose of this organization is the development and perpetuation of scholarship, leadership, citizenship, fidelity, and brotherhood among men. The members of the Gamma Omicron chapter continue to work hard at bettering themselves and their community.

**Omega Psi Phi (ΩΨΦ)**
Chapter Name: Omicron Zeta
National website: www.oppf.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1911
Year Founded at UF: 1973

The Mighty Omicron Zeta chapter was chartered at the University of Florida on Friday, November 5, 1973. Since its inception, Omicron Zeta has been committed to upholding the ideals of Omega Psi Phi through campus and community involvement and to exemplify the four cardinal principles of Manhood, Scholarship, Perseverance, and uplift in a manner consistent with the noble intentions of the Fraternity’s Founders.

**Phi Beta Sigma (ΦΒΣ)**
Chapter Name: Zeta Kappa
National website: www.pbs1914.org
Chapter website: www.zksigmas.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1914
Year Founded at UF: 1974

Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. is an organization of college-educated males devoted to uplifting the community. For 101 years our organization has blossomed and grown to continue ideals of brotherhood, scholarship, and service. The “World Famous” Zeta Kappa chapter has impacted the University of Florida’s campus reflecting the motto “Culture for Service, Service for Humanity.”

*Alpha Phi Alpha (ΑΦΑ) & Kappa Alpha Psi (ΚΑΨ)* are slated to return to campus during the 2015-2016 academic year. For more information, please contact the Department of Student Activities and Involvement.
The Panhellenic Council serves as the governing body for 17 National Panhellenic Conference chapters on campus, creating a sisterhood of more than 3,000 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.

To learn more visit: www.ufpanhellenic.org

Panhellenic Fall Recruitment Schedule:

- **Tuesday, August 18, 2015**
  - Potential New Member Orientation

- **Wednesday, August 19 - Thursday, August 20, 2015**
  - Round 1- Potential New Members visit each of the 16 chapters

- **Friday, August 21 - Saturday, August 22, 2015**
  - Round 2- Philanthrophy Round
    - Visit up to 11 of the 16 chapters

- **Sunday, August 23, 2015**
  - Round 3- Sisterhood Round
    - Visit up to 7 of the 16 chapters

- **Tuesday, August 25, 2015**
  - Preferentials- Visit up to 3 of the 16 chapters

- **Wednesday, August 26, 2015**
  - Bid Day

STUDENT PROFILE

Maria Carter

- Senior
- Panhellenic Council (President)

Campus Involvement:

Project Makeover, Panhellenic Delegate, Assistant Supervisor of Student Government Elections, Order of Omega, Intern for Florida Gators, and WUFT News.

How has being Greek impacted you?

When I was accepted to the University of Florida I never had the intention of going through recruitment. Being a part of the Florida Greek community has impacted my college experience in so many ways. The opportunities we have to collaborate and lead within our community are so unique and special. I never could have grown or developed into the person I am today without the influence of my sisters, who have always encouraged me to reach higher.
Alpha Chi Omega (ΑΧΩ)
Chapter Name: Gamma Iota
National website: www.alphachiomega.org
Chapter website: www.ufalphachiomega.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1885
Year Founded at UF: 1949

Alpha Chi Omega was founded at DePauw University in Greencastle, Indiana. It was originally founded as a musical sorority and although we have expanded our membership beyond music students, we still hold a deep appreciation for the fine arts and recognize our original founding with our national symbol of the lyre. Our sisterhood is based on the values of friendship, leadership, learning, and service.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Alpha Chi Omega
Attn: Liz Sanchez, Recruitment Chair
820 West Panhellenic Drive
Gainesville, FL 32601

Alpha Delta Pi (ΑΔΠ)
Chapter Name: Gamma Iota
National website: www.alphadeltapi.org
Chapter website: www.adpiuf.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1851
Year Founded at UF: 1948

Founded at Wesleyan College in Georgia, Alpha Delta Pi holds the distinction of being the first secret society for college women. The qualifications for membership have remained unchanged: scholarship, high principles, strong traditions, and true friendship. Since 1948, AΔΠ has been representing UF with pride. We received awards for being one of the top five AΔΠ chapters in the nation and the best chapter in Florida.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Alpha Delta Pi
Attn: Recruitment Chair
831 West Panhellenic Drive
Gainesville, FL 32601

Alpha Epsilon Phi (ΑΕΦ)
Chapter Name: Alpha Tau
National website: www.aephi.org
Chapter website: www.ufaephi.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1909
Year Founded at UF: 1948

Alpha Epsilon Phi was founded in 1909 by seven Jewish women with dreams of forming a sorority where exceptional women of all backgrounds, religions, interests, and varying beliefs would be welcomed with open arms. This sorority would endeavor to foster lifelong friendships and sisterhood, academics, social involvement, and community service, all the while providing a home away from home for its members.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Alpha Epsilon Phi
Attn: Recruitment Chair
832 West Panhellenic Drive
Gainesville, FL 32601

(Please letters of recommendation are not required, you may still send letters to the addresses listed below. Letters should be written by an alumna of the sorority.)
The Gamma Omicron chapter of Alpha Omicron Pi was one of the first five sororities to be founded at the University of Florida in 1948. Our mission as an international women's fraternity is to “promote friendship for a lifetime, inspire academic excellence and lifelong learning, and develop leadership skills through service to the fraternity and community.”

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Alpha Omicron Pi
Attn: Recruitment Chair
819 West Panhellenic Drive
Gainesville, FL 32601

Chi Omega (ΧΩ)
Chapter Name: Eta Delta
National website: www.chiomega.com
Chapter website: www.ufchiomega.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1895
Year Founded at UF: 1948

Chi Omega is the largest women's fraternal organization in the world with more than 330,000 initiates and 178 collegiate chapters. To its members, however, Chi Omega is more than an organization; it is a home providing them with unique opportunities in leadership, scholarship, and in life-long friendship. Chi Omega strives to prepare young women to achieve their highest possible aspirations.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Chi Omega
Attn: Recruitment Chair
807 West Panhellenic Drive
Gainesville, FL 32601

Delta Gamma (ΔΓ)
Chapter Name: Gamma Theta
National website: www.deltagamma.org
Chapter website: www.deltagammauf.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1873
Year Founded at UF: 1949

Delta Gamma’s primary focus is to create an environment for its members in which lasting friendships are ignited. Each school year, we renew our commitment toward sisterhood through individual academic achievement, leadership positions, sports, volunteering, and a well-rounded social life.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Delta Gamma
Attn: Recruitment Chair
808 West Panhellenic Drive
Gainesville, FL 32601

Delta Phi Epsilon (ΔΦΕ)
Chapter Name: Delta Kappa
National website: www.dphie.org
Chapter website: www.ufdphie.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1917
Year Founded at UF: 1969

Delta Phi Epsilon is a non-sectarian sorority founded at NYU Law School. Delta Phi Epsilon develops social consciousness and commitment to think and act for the greater good. We assure continuous development and achievement for women by embracing our founding principles of Justice, Sisterhood, and Love. We support two philanthropies; Anorexia Nervosa and Associated Disorders and Cystic Fibrosis.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Delta Phi Epsilon
Attn: VP Recruitment
115 SW 9th Avenue
Gainesville, FL 32601

Delta Zeta (ΔΖ)
Chapter Name: Pi Alpha
National website: www.deltazeta.org
Chapter website: www.ufdeltazeta.tumblr.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1902
Year Founded at UF: 2002

Delta Zeta strives to maintain high standards of excellence in service, scholarship, and unity, standards that all our sisters exhibit every day. In recent years, our chapter’s work ethic has been recognized with numerous regional and national awards. Delta Zeta’s bonds of sisterhood extend beyond the borders of college to create friendships and memories that will last a lifetime. At DZ, it’s not about who you’ll become, but who you’ve always been.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Delta Zeta
Attn: Recruitment Chair
903 SW 13th Street
Gainesville, FL 32601
Gamma Phi Beta (ΓΦΒ)
Chapter Name: N/A
National website: www.gammaphibeta.org
Chapter website: facebook.com/ufgammaphibeta
Year Founded Nationally: 1874
Year Founded at UF: 2015
Gamma Phi Beta Sorority looks forward to connecting with lots of wonderful women at the University of Florida who are interested in our exciting and opportunity-filled membership experience! Keep an eye out for the Sorority’s collegiate leadership consultants, too! They’ll be on campus letting everyone know about our incredible Sorority and how you have the opportunity to become a charter member of our new chapter at the University of Florida.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Gamma Phi Beta
c/o Sorority & Fraternity Affairs
PO Box 118505
Gainesville, FL 32611-8505

Kappa Alpha Theta (ΚΑΘ)
Chapter Name: Delta Theta
National website: www.kappaalphatheta.org
Chapter website: www.ufl.kappadelta.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1870
Year Founded at UF: 1960
Kappa Alpha Theta is the first Greek-letter fraternity known among women and in 2007, was named Chapter of the Year by UF Panhellenic! With award-winning service and philanthropy programs and top-notch grades, Theta women truly are intelligent and well-balanced leaders who always find time to have fun together.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Kappa Alpha Theta
Attn: Recruitment Chair
1122 East Panhellenic Drive
Gainesville, FL 32601

Kappa Delta (Κ∆)
Chapter Name: Beta Pi
National website: www.kappadelta.org
Chapter website: www.ufl.kappadelta.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1897
Year Founded at UF: 1948
From our Shamrock Paintball Tournament, benefiting Prevent Child Abuse America, to our hearing-impaired pen pals, from whitewater rafting trips to a day at the spa, and from study dates to social functions, KD values are realized in the lives of our sisters. Our chapter at the University of Florida is proudly among the top ten percent of Kappa Delta chapters in the nation.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Kappa Delta
Attn: Recruitment Chair
1122 East Panhellenic Drive
Gainesville, FL 32601

Kappa Kappa Gamma (ΚΚΓ)
Chapter Name: Epsilon Phi
National Website: www.kkg.org
Chapter Website: www.ufkkg.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1870
Year Founded at UF: 1978
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 an allegiance to positive, ethical principles. Kappa Gators stand for leadership, academics, service and, above all, friendship that lasts beyond college. Kappa is more than four years, it’s for life.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Kappa Kappa Gamma
Attn: Kelly McGurk
401 SW 13th St
Gainesville, FL 32601

Phi Mu (ΦΜ)
Chapter Name: Alpha Nu
National website: www.phimu.org
Chapter website: www.ufl.phimu.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1852
Year Founded at UF: 1949
Phi Mu is a women’s organization which provides personal and academic development, service to others, commitment to excellence, and lifelong friendship through a shared tradition. Beginning in college, Phi Mu provides the support network and resources necessary to empower women to imagine, believe, and achieve their goals.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Phi Mu
Attn: Lindsey Grubbs, VP of Membership
1152 East Panhellenic Drive
Gainesville, FL 32601

Pi Beta Phi (ΠΒΦ)
Chapter Name: Florida Delta
National website: www.pibetaphi.org
Chapter website: www.ufpibetaphi.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1867
Year Founded at UF: 1969
The mission of Pi Beta Phi Fraternity for women is to promote friendship, develop women of intellect and integrity, cultivate leadership potential, and enrich lives through community service. Our women strive to build lifelong friendships and highly value education. The Florida Delta chapter has a long-standing tradition of involvement and service to the University of Florida community.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Pi Beta Phi
Attn: Sarah Pupillo, VP of Membership
37 West Fraternity Drive
Gainesville, FL 32603
Sigma Kappa (ΣΚ)
Chapter Name: Beta Tau
National Website: www.sigmakappa.org
Chapter Website: www.sigmakappauf.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1874
Year Founded at UF: 1949

Though the Beta Tau chapter of Sigma Kappa has changed over the years, its sisters’ dedication to their campus, community, national organization, and sisterhood has remained steadfast. Sigma Kappa sisters at the University of Florida live the national organization’s values of Personal Growth, Friendship, Service, and Loyalty. The Beta Tau chapter also participates in the Sigma Kappa Foundation’s national fundraising program, the Ultra Violet campaign, which supports the Foundation and Alzheimer’s Disease Research.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Sigma Kappa, Attn: Allie Gehan
1108 East Panhellenic Drive, Gainesville, FL 32601

Zeta Tau Alpha (ΖΤΑ)
Chapter Name: Gamma Iota
National website: www.zetataualpha.org
Chapter website: www.ufzta.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1898
Year Founded at UF: 1949

Since Gamma Iota was founded in 1949, many things about ZTA have changed, but one thing will always remain the same—the foundation precept of Zeta Tau Alpha is Love, the greatest of all things! Our 200 active members enjoy fun, friendship, sisterhood, and service opportunities. We are very proud to support our national philanthropy of Breast Cancer Education and Awareness. Please visit our website to learn more about our sisterhood.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Zeta Tau Alpha, Attn: Recruitment Chair
1142 East Panhellenic Drive, 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/Membership Intake fees. Several chapters at UF offer payment plans and scholarships for members who need financial assistance. Each individual 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:
• new member/ 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, etc.
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 65 chapters at UF have chapter houses. Each house is managed on a day-to-day basis by a full-time House Director, and is overseen by a local or national house corporation board, a group of alumni who oversee the House Director, chapter finances, and advise on the upkeep and remodeling of the facilities. Many chapter houses provide you with 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 freshman?
Chapter living facilities house only active members (usually sophomores and juniors). Almost all New Members and freshmen live in their respective residence halls or off-campus apartments or houses because 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 at the house.

### 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 meal plan to the chapter house. If the meal is mandatory, the meal plan will be prorated 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 declining balance.

### Average Annual Costs for Membership

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* Cost based on average annual double room.

Costs per chapter vary greatly. These numbers represent a basic average and are meant to show a general idea of costs.
**FAQ’S**

**When can I join a fraternity or sorority?**
- You must be a currently enrolled, degree seeking University of Florida student.
- Innovation Academy and PACE 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
- 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 start; Informal recruitment - beginning of Spring Semester (not all chapters participate)

For the most up-to-date information, all interested men and women are encouraged to visit the Sorority & Fraternity Affairs website at www.greeks.ufl.edu

**Do I need to purchase a meal plan if I join a sorority or fraternity with 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 declining balance. For more information on UF meal plans, please visit www.gatordining.com.

**How much time does being in a sorority or fraternity take up?**

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 3-credit class.

**How are sororities and fraternities held accountable?**

While self-governing, each of our individual chapters is held accountable by multiple entities. Chapters are responsible for meeting the standards that are set forth by their inter/national organization, their governing council, and the University of Florida through Sorority & Fraternity Affairs. In addition, each chapter is required to maintain an internal judicial system that is designed to hold members accountable for their actions.

**How can I find out specific information about organizations?**

Information is available on each of our chapters at the www.greeks.ufl.edu website. Once on the website, click on the Resources tab and scroll to the Chapter Profiles section at the bottom of the page.

**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. The University of Florida takes hazing seriously. Hazing is prohibited by law in the state of Florida and the Student Code of Conduct at the University of Florida. The prevention of hazing is the responsibility of every member of the University community. To file a complaint, please contact Sorority & Fraternity Affairs at (352) 392-1671. For more information on the UF Anti-Hazing Policy, visit www.dso.ufl.edu/sccr.
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 or 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, and 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 Panhellenic 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 day-to-day activities of live-in members.

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 requirements to be initiated.

Interfraternity Council (IFC): The governing body of 25 social fraternities at the University of Florida.

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. The period of membership intake varies, but cannot exceed 10 weeks.

Multicultural Greek Council: The governing body of the culturally based social fraternities and sororities at the University of Florida.

National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC): The governing body for the historically black fraternities and sororities at the University of Florida. This is also the name of the national governing body and is sometimes referred to as the Divine Nine.

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

NPHC Recruitment: A week-long period in which fraternities and potential new members become acquainted.

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

Panhellenic Council: The governing body for the 17 National Panhellenic Conference sororities/women’s fraternities at the University of Florida.

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 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: Area on Turlington Plaza where MGC and NPHC groups table and congregate.
Florida Greek Ambassadors are current members of the Greek community that serve to promote the core values of social fraternities and sororities at the University of Florida: scholarship, service, leadership, and community. The purpose of the Greek Ambassadors program is to create positive awareness of the Florida Greek Community through educating current members on relevant issues and community/university policies and 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 a Florida Greek Ambassador? Are you interested in the Florida Greek community or do you have a specific question about a council? Visit us at www.greeks.ufl.edu to connect with a Florida Greek Ambassador. Tell us a little bit about yourself and the specific questions you have. Our Florida Greek Ambassadors will be happy to connect with you as you navigate your student experience within the Florida Greek community.
TOP 5 REASONS TO CONSIDER JOINING THE FLORIDA GREEK COMMUNITY:

1. **Florida Greeks Make the Grade!**
   Academic success is a core value of the Florida Greek community. Traditionally, the overall Greek GPA is higher than the overall student GPA.

2. **Leaders on Campus!**
   Members of the Florida Greek community have historically held some of the highest leadership positions and honors on campus.

3. **Lend a Helping Hand!**
   Each semester, members of the Greek community complete thousands of hours of community service and raise thousands of dollars for charity.

4. **We Have Connections!**
   Greek members may have networking opportunities through Greek alums for jobs, internships, advice and real-world work experience.

5. **Great Memories to Last a Lifetime!**
   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 The University of Florida!