Greetings Florida Gators!

The Florida Greek community welcomes you to the University of Florida. With more than 5,000 members who represent 62 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 the common bond of unity and excellence. We invite you to look into all of the amazing possibilities and experiences our Greek community has to offer.

The four core values of the Greek Community highlight a serious focus on academia, a high level of student involvement on campus, and a commitment to our surrounding community. Scholarship, service, leadership and community are the tenants 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 entirety of the Greek community, students become rapidly exposed to a multitude of opportunities that enhance and develop an incomparable college experience. 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 the Greek community has invariably shaped the type of leaders we are, and the type of leaders we will become. In whatever future endeavors may arise, 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!

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Welcome!

The Florida Greek community is fortunate to have a professional staff that consists of three full-time professionals and one Graduate Assistant. Together the staff provides leadership development, program planning and advisement for four governing councils, 62 chapters, the Greek Conduct Committee, and the Order of Omega National Greek honor society.

Greetings!

Student life outside 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 strives to be values-based with commitments to our four pillars of scholarship, service, leadership, and community.

Joining a sorority or fraternity is a decision not to be taken lightly. Affiliation with a chapter will mean a commitment to live by the ideals of the chapter and the community each 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 sixty-two 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.

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Sorority and Fraternity Affairs

The Foundation for The Gator Nation
An Equal Opportunity Institution
Community At A Glance

Florida Greek Community Profile

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Florida Greek Philanthropic Beneficiaries

34th Street Wall • Adopt-A-Road • Adopt-A-School • Alpha Chi Omega Foundation • ALS Therapy Development Foundation • American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons • American Juvenile Arthritis Foundation • Be Responsible About Drinking (BRAD 21) • Big Brothers and Big Sisters • Boys and Girls Club • Camp Boggy Creek • Chaim Sheba Medical Center • Children’s Hospital of Richmond, VA • Children’s Miracle Network • Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) • Cystic Fibrosis Foundation • Delta Gamma Foundation • Dr. Sues’ Read Across America • Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation • Federal TRIO programs • Friends for Life • FUTURO • Gainesville Lions Club • Gainesville Youth Baseball League • Girl Scouts • Guide-Right • Habitat for Humanity • Lake Forest Elementary School of Gainesville • Life South • Leukemia and Lymphoma Society • Make-A-Wish Foundation • March of Dimes Walk America • McGuire Village • Meals on Wheels • Mind Sight • Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA) • National Conference for Community & Justice (NCCJ) • North American Food Drive • Peaceful Paths • The Phoenix Center • Prevent Child Abuse America • Project Haiti • Reading is Fundamental • Reagan Research Institute • Red Cross • Ronald McDonald House • St Francis House • St Jude’s Children’s Hospital • Shoebox Project • Sigma Nu Educational Foundation • Spinal Muscular Atrophy • Surf Rider Foundation • Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation • Take a Pal to the Polls • The V Foundation • Washington, DC Martin Luther King, Jr. National Memorial Project Foundation, Inc. • Z-Hope

Statement on Hazing

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.

Hazing is defined as any action or situation which recklessly or intentionally endangers the mental or physical health or safety of a student for the purpose of initiation or admission into or affiliation with any organization operating under the sanction of the university regardless of location, intent, or consent of participants. Under the Chad Meredith Act, hazing that results in serious injury or death is a felony punishable by up to five years in prison.

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.

Center for Student Activities and Involvement
Sorority & Fraternity Affairs
300 J. Wayne Reitz Union
(352) 392-1671
www.greeks.ufl.edu

Important Dates
Panhellenic Recruitment
August 17-23, 2009
www.ufpanhellenic.com

Classes Begin
August 24, 2009

IFC Recruitment
August 31-Sept.4, 2009
www.greekgator.com

MGC presents
Recruitment Showcase
September 4, 2009
www.ufmgc.com

NPHC presents
Meet the Divine Nine
August 27, 2009
http://grove.ufl.edu/~ufnphc/
Scholarship

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 include:

- Scholarship chairs, chapter officers who work with the chapter and University to create a scholarship plan for its members
- Major matching: allows members sharing majors or classes to study together or tutor each other
- Partnership with TutoringZone that affords members of the Florida Greek community the opportunity to receive tutoring free of charge during reading days at various chapter houses organized by area of study
- Incentive programs: members are recognized for academic achievement and scholastic effort

Did you know ...
12% of Florida Greeks had a semester GPA of 4.0.

Scholarship Profile

Name: Guillermo Moratorio
Classification: Alumni Council Affiliation: Interfraternity Council
Campus Involvement: President Sigma Pi Fraternity, President Institute of Industrial Engineers (IIE), Co-Founder ISE Student Advisory Council

What does being Greek mean to you?
Being Greek gives you the opportunity to meet people from different backgrounds and fields of study. The unique people you meet in these organizations breed lifelong friendships, and who knows, maybe even your future boss.

Words of Wisdom: Get involved early! Have a great time at UF and make lots of friends. Go Greek, get involved in your chapter, join professional societies related to your major, and use all of these networks to enhance your time at UF.
Florida 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 more than 1,100 members completed service projects at more than 35 non-profit agencies in the community.

Ghouls, Goblins, 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 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. This year, approximately 1,000 units of blood were collected, which impacts approximately 3,000 lives.

Philanthropic Programs
Most chapters sponsor a philanthropic event that benefits a local or national charitable organization annually.

Dance Marathon
A 26.2-hour event where participants stay awake and on their feet to raise money and awareness for the Children’s Miracle Network. In 15 years, DM at UF has raised more than $3.2 million.

Did you know …
The Florida Greek community raised $334,632 for Dance Marathon 2009.

Service Profile
Name: Dwight Winfield
Classification: Junior
Council Affiliation: National Pan-Hellenic Council
Campus Involvement: Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity Inc. President and Vice President, Black Student Union Parliamentarian, Fashion X-clusive Fashion Show Co-Productions Chair, NPHC Battle of the Greeks Step-Show Director, Assistant Director of Productions, University of Florida Oasis Program, PAACT peer mentor, National Society of Black Engineers Member

What does being Greek mean to you?
It means that you are a leader amongst your peers, not only socially, but scholastically. It also means you are a person who strives to better your community on and off campus.

Words of Wisdom: The best advice I can give to someone who wants to be Greek is to research everyone and everything before joining the Greek community and join the organization that is right for you.
The Florida Greek community is an excellent place to gain the experience and knowledge necessary to develop strong leadership skills. The community is 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 not limited to 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.

**Florida Greek Leadership programs**
- Greek Advance
- Jr. Panhellenic
- MGC Conclave
- New Member Symposium
- NPHC Summit
- Order of Omega
- Panhellenic Recruitment Counselors
- IFC Speaker series

**Leadership Profile**
Name: Kristen Gillis
Classification: Junior
Council: Panhellenic council
Campus involvement: Florida Cicerones, Presidential Host, Florida Blue Key Homecoming Pageant Director, Dance Marathon Morale Overall Chair, Communications Director First and Fifteen Philanthropy, Delta Gamma President, Panhellenic Awards Division Director

**What does being Greek mean to you?**
Being a Florida Greek means you truly want to be involved. As long as you enter Greek life with an eager spirit and an open attitude, you will walk out of college as an accomplished student and ready to take on the many opportunities that life throws your way.

**Words of Wisdom:** To be a Florida Greek, you must make a commitment. Commit to taking risks and putting forth your best efforts in all your college endeavors. Take advantage of the opportunities that come your way. Above all, don’t take life too seriously. Let the good times roll and deal with the hard times in strides.

**Did you know ...**
*Florida Greeks have held some of the most prestigious leadership positions on campus.*
Community

Brotherhood and Sisterhood are bonds of unity and enduring friendship. By becoming a member of the Florida Greek community, you will experience an easier transition from high school to college and gain a “home away from home.” You will meet other students with diverse backgrounds, similar interests, and new perspectives during some of the brotherhood and sisterhood activities such as chapter retreats, intramurals, socials and date functions.

Community Profile
Name: Emily Tuan
Classification: Sophomore
Council Affiliation: Multicultural Greek Council
Campus Involvement: Asian American Student Union, Filipino Student Association, Chinese American Student Association, 2009 MGC Showcase Director.

What does being Greek mean to you?
Being Greek has not only given me another family, it has opened up opportunities for leadership positions and networking. Promoting important pillars, I know I’m slowly making a difference out there. I feel like I’ve been awarded a lifetime gift that I will always cherish.

Words of Wisdom: If you are thinking of going Greek, DO IT!! It will make your college career. Do some research and see which one is right for you. This is a decision you won’t regret!

Community Events
♦ Gator Growl and Homecoming
♦ Greek Week
♦ Greek Awards
♦ Intramurals
♦ NPHC Stepshow
♦ MGC Field Day

Did you know ...
15% of the undergraduate student population is part of the Florida Greek Community.
What is the Interfraternity Council (IFC)?
The Interfraternity Council (IFC) at the University of Florida is the governing body for 25 men’s fraternities on campus. The Interfraternity Council is responsible for ensuring communication among the fraternities, as well as coordinating specific events, including Fall and Spring Recruitment, the IFC New Member Education Speakers and other Greek activities.

IFC Recruitment
Recruitment, or “rush,” is the process of recruiting new members into the Interfraternity Council (IFC). IFC holds formal recruitment during the Spring and Fall.

Recruitment Tips
1. Do your research! Joining a fraternity is a big decision. It is an experience that will be with you for the rest of your life. In order to make the best decision, you should do research on the IFC website (www.greekgator.com).
2. Explore your options. There are 25 different IFC chapters that provide a variety of options. Visit and learn about as many chapters as possible.
3. Ask questions. Ask about the chapter’s cost, involvement on campus, academic success, and new member process.
4. Make your own decision. Do not miss out on a chapter because of peer pressure or stereotypes. You have to make the decision that is best for you.

Recruitment Schedule
Sunday, August 30, 2009
6pm - Recruitment Kickoff Forum

Monday, August 31 - Thursday, September 3, 2009
11am - 2pm Lunch
5pm - 7pm Dinner
8pm - 11pm Evening Event
All events are held at chapter locations

Friday, September 4, 2009
Invite only events

IFC Profile
Name: Craig Thompson
Classification: Graduate Student
Council Affiliation: Interfraternity Council
Campus Involvement: IFC President, University of Florida Hall of Fame, Florida Blue Key – Honorary Tapping Chairman, J. Wayne Reitz Scholar, IFC Vice President of Operations, Sigma Alpha Epsilon Philanthropy Chairman & Executive-At-Large

What does being Greek mean to you?
Being Greek is a bond that you will share with people throughout your life. Without my fraternity I wouldn’t have had the college experience that I did. I wouldn’t have the relationships and friendships I now have, and I wouldn’t have the outlook and opportunities in life that I look forward to now. The experience I have had over my four years was more than I ever imagined. The Greek experience stays with you long after you graduate and will always draw you back to UF.

Words of Wisdom: At no other time in your life will so many opportunities be available to you than in the next few years. Take advantage of every door that is opened for you and remember all the people you encounter along the way.
Alpha Epsilon Pi
Chapter Name: Phi Gamma
National website: www.aepi.org
Chapter website: www.aepiuf.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1913
Year Founded at UF: 1951

Alpha Epsilon Pi, the Jewish Fraternity of North America, was founded for strong men seeking leadership, brotherhood and the best possible college experience, while holding the highest standards for our members. We have one of the busiest social calendars, but still remain strong in academics. Members graduate as well-rounded individuals who gained invaluable social skills that will help them for the rest of their lives.

Alpha Gamma Rho
Chapter Name: Alpha Gamma
National website: www.alphagammarho.org
Chapter website: www.agruf.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1908
Year Founded at UF: 1924

Alpha Gamma Rho is both a social and professional fraternity. AGR allows members to socialize with other students on campus and people in the community, along with, providing a strong brotherhood and a house for members. AGR is for young men pursuing any career related to the agriculture, food or fiber industries, and utilizes alumni networking opportunities. Alpha Gamma Rho truly is “four years and a lifetime.”

Beta Theta Pi
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 125 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.

Chi Phi
Chapter Name: Theta Delta
National website: www.chiphi.org
Chapter website: http://grove.ufl.edu/~chiphiul
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
Chapter Name: Florida Colony
National website: www.deltachi.org
Chapter website: www.ufdeltachi.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. Recently, we renovated our house at 6 Fraternity Row, and made it one of the best houses on campus. Every spring, we raise money for the Jimmy 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
Chapter Name: Delta Zeta
National website: www.delts.org
Chapter website: www.floridadelts.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. DTD 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.

Kappa Alpha Order
Chapter Name: Beta Zeta
National website: www.kappaalphaorder.org
Chapter website: www.ufka.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.

Delta Upsilon
Chapter Name: Delta Upsilon
National website: www.deltau.org
Chapter website: http://dudFlorida.com
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. In the fall 2008 semester our chapter earned the highest new member GPA and the second highest overall GPA with 3.74 and 3.45 respectively.

Kappa Sigma
Chapter Name: Delta-Delta
National website: www.kappasigma.org
Chapter website: www.kappasigmacau.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 believes in the total development of a better man, and is based on four cornerstones: Fellowship, Leadership, Scholarship, and Service. Kappa Sigma’s annual soccer tournament, Crescent Cup, benefits March of Dimes.

Lambda Chi Alpha
Chapter Name: Epsilon-Mu Zeta
National website: www.lambdachi.org
Chapter website: www.floridaLXa.org
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.

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Pi Lambda Phi
Chapter Name: FL Delta
National website: www.pilambdaphi.org
Chapter website: http://www.pilamtoday.com
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.

Interested in joining an IFC Fraternity? Visit www.greekgator.com
Phi Delta Theta
Chapter Name: Florida Alpha
National website: www.phideltatheta.org
Chapter website: www.phideltathetauf.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 DeltaTheta strives to be the standard for Fraternity men, and is committed to developing character and values of all types of individuals.

Phi Gamma Delta
Chapter Name: Upsilon Phi
National website: www.phigam.org
Chapter website: http://grove.ufl.edu/~fiji
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
Chapter Name: Phi Kappa Tau
National website: www.phikappatau.org
Chapter website: http://grove.ufl.edu/~phitau/
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 Alpha
Chapter Name: Alpha Eta
National website: www.pikes.org
Chapter website: http://grove.ufl.edu/~alphaeta/
Year Founded Nationally: 1868
Year Founded at UF: 1904

Pi Kappa Alpha is dedicated to developing men of integrity, intellect, and high moral character and to fostering a truly lifelong fraternal experience. Our Founders created Pi Kappa Alpha to attract men committed to the full development of their intellectual and personal potential. Integrity is demanded in all relationships and pursuits, both personal and academic.

Phi Sigma Kappa
Chapter Name: Delta Tetarton
National website: www.phisigmakappa.org
Chapter website: www.phisigflorida.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1873
Year Founded at UF: 1951, 1993

We are a tightly-knit collection of talented young men who enjoy being involved in the student community and with other Phi Sig chapters. We strive to promote brotherhood, stimulate scholarship and develop character. Every year we host a women’s sand volleyball tournament benefitting Special Olympics of Alachua County and this past semester we had the most improved GPA among the IFC.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon
Chapter Name: Florida Upsilon
National website: www.sae.net
Chapter website: www.ufsae.theginsystem.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1856
Year Founded at UF: 1884

As the first fraternity at the University of Florida, Sigma Alpha Epsilon embraces a rich history and tradition. We have fostered brotherhood based upon character, honor, humility, and friendship, as stated in our creed “The True Gentleman.” SAE offers a unique bond that transcends college years and is the reason why we enjoy and benefit from the largest alumni base at UF.
Sigma Chi
Chapter Name: Gamma Theta
National website: www.sigmachi.org
Chapter website: http://grove.ufl.edu/~sigmachi/
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 Phi Epsilon
Chapter Name: Florida Alpha
National website: www.sigep.org
Chapter website: www.ufsigep.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1901
Year Founded at UF: 1925

Sigma Phi Epsilon is the largest fraternity in the United States, and is rooted in its cardinal principles of virtue, diligence and brotherly love. Sig Ep strives to exemplify the ancient Greek ideal of the balanced man; one who is a leader, scholar, athlete and gentleman.

Sigma Nu
Chapter Name: Epsilon Zeta
National website: www.sigmanu.org
Chapter website: www.ufsigmanu.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1869
Year Founded at UF: 1920, 2005

Sigma Nu at the University of Florida is committed to community service and has done work most recently with the Gainesville Boys & Girls Club. Sigma Nu also has intramural success winning the fall 2007 Blue League Volleyball Championship. Sigma Nu has also placed 1st in the Orange Division of Dance Marathon 2 years and counting.

Sigma Pi
Chapter Name: Zeta Zeta
National website: www.sigmpi.org
Chapter website: www.ufsigmpi.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1897
Year Founded at UF: 2003

Sigma Pi returned to the University of Florida in 2003. Since then we have been making strides to become a strong presence on campus by combining a tight-knit brotherhood with a drive to leave a positive legacy at UF. Our service projects have received international recognition.

Tau Kappa Epsilon
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.

Theta Chi
Chapter Name: Tau
National website: www.thetachi.org
Chapter website: www.ufthetachi.com
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.

Zeta Beta Tau
Chapter Name: Alpha Zeta
National website: www.zbt.org
Chapter website: www.zbtuf.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1898
Year Founded at UF: 1995

The Zeta Beta Tau Fraternity was founded in 1898. Our members strive for excellence in leadership, service, academics and brotherhood. Our high standards allow us to excel at all aspects of fraternal life.
“No Matter the Letter, We’re all Greek Together”
Multicultural Greek Council

The Multicultural Greek Council, better known as the MGC is the governing body of the 12 internationally and nationally recognized ethnically-based fraternity and sorority chapters at the University of Florida. The primary purpose 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 very unique way. Each chapter is relatively small in size which provides a very strong family life bond.

Interested in joining?
MGC organizations usually have member intake once a year at various times (either 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 Recruitment Showcase to learn more about all of the MGC organizations.

MGC Recruitment Showcase:
Friday, September 4, 2009
7:00pm – JWRU Grand Ballroom

MGC Profile
Name: Jocelyn Paiz
Classification: Senior
Council Affiliation: Multicultural Greek Council
Campus Involvement: Student Government Senate and Cabinet Director, Preview Staff, Order of Omega, Lambda Theta Alpha President, MGC Administrative Vice President

What does being Greek mean to you?
It means representing something bigger than you; not only do you represent your own organization but the Greek community as a whole.

Words of Wisdom:
There is something for everyone you just need to do your research. When you find the right sorority/fraternity you will know; it will just feel right.
MGC Sorority Profiles

**alpha Kappa Delta Phi**
National website: www.akdphi.org
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**
Chapter Name: UF Colony of Delta Phi Omega
National website: http://deltaphiomega.org
Chapter website: www.deltaphiomegauf.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1998
Year Founded at UF: 2003

The purpose of Delta Phi Omega shall be to foster unity among South Asian women, build community awareness, and gain a greater understanding of oneself and others. The sorority aspires to instill leadership traits, excel in all academic endeavors, to encourage an active relationship between the sorority and its respective university and shall do so with the utmost compassion, dignity, and fortitude.

**Gamma Eta**
Chapter Name: Alpha Chapter
National website: www.gammaetasorority.org
Chapter website: www.ufgammaeta.org
Year Founded Nationally: 1995
Year Founded at UF: 1995

Gamma Eta Sorority, Inc is a Multicultural Sorority dedicated to the development of strong female leaders. Since our founding in October 1995, we have continued to serve as positive role models for members of our community, by upholding our seven pillars of leadership, unity, diversity, strength, service, scholarship and sisterhood.

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

With Asian Awareness in mind, a group of young, beautiful, and ambitious women came together to form the Rho Chapter at the University of Florida of the Kappa Phi Lambda Sorority. Voted “Best Chapter” by their national executive board, Rho Chapter exemplifies sisterhood, service and cultural diversity.

**Lambda Theta Alpha**
Chapter Name: Chi Chapter
National website: www.lambdalady.org
Chapter website: http://grove.ufl.edu/~lta1975
Year Founded Nationally: 1975
Year Founded at UF: 1996

Lambda Theta Alpha Latin Sorority, Inc was established in 1975 at Kean University as the first Latin-based sorority in the nation. Lambda Theta Alpha is an academic-based sorority dedicated to scholarly excellence, empowerment of all women, cultural and political awareness, and community activism. The sorority was established as a support system for women of all ethnicities in higher education.

**Theta Nu Xi**
Chapter Name: Alpha Alpha
National website: www.thetanuxi.org
Chapter website: www.1225media.com/uftnx
Year Founded Nationally: 1997
Year Founded at UF: 2005

Theta Nu Xi Multicultural Sorority, Inc. was founded on April 11, 1997 at the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill. The sisters of Theta Nu Xi live by the tenets of Scholarship, Service, Sisterhood, Leadership and Multiculturalism. Theta Nu Xi was the first multicultural-based sorority at UF and is currently the fastest growing sorority in the nation.
MGC Fraternity Profiles

**Beta Chi Theta**
Chapter Name: Mu  
National Website: www.betachitheta.com  
Year Founded Nationally: 1999  
Year Founded at UF: 2009

Beta Chi Theta National Fraternity, Inc. recently expanded to the University of Florida in the Spring of 2009. Our fraternity is built upon the primary principle of Brotherhood the tenets of fraternity include; Tradition, Service to Humanity, promoting South Asian Awareness, striving for Academic Excellence, and creating a unified Nationwide Network.

**Lambda Theta Phi**
Chapter Name: Phi  
National website: www.lambda1975.org  
Chapter website: http://grove.ufl.edu/~lambdatp/  
Year Founded Nationally: 1975  
Year Founded at UF: 1995

Lambda Theta Phi Latin Fraternity, Inc. was the first nationally recognized Latino fraternity in the country. We are a service/social fraternity emphasizing Latin unity and the celebration of the Latin culture. Our goals are to promote scholarship, Latin unity, respect for all cultures and brotherhood. We hope to enhance the image of Latin culture and be positive role models in the Latino community.

**Omega Delta Phi**
National website: http://www.omegadeltaphi.com  
Year Founded Nationally: 1987  
Year Founded at UF: 2009

Omega Delta Phi is a service and social fraternity and recently expanded to the University of Florida in Spring 2009. We are dedicated to the needs and concerns of Gainesville and the surrounding communities. We seek to step outside of our comfort zone in order to establish new relationships and to learn and raise awareness about social issues and different cultures.

**Pi Delta Psi**
Chapter Name: UF Associate Chapter  
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 Lambda Beta**
Chapter Name: Zeta Beta  
National website: www.sigmalambdabeta.com  
Chapter website: www.sigmalambdabeta.com/zetabeta  
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. Founded on April 4, 1986 at the University of Iowa and based on cultural understanding and wisdom, we all strive to model our principles and present ourselves in a gentlemanly and educated fashion.

To learn more information about the MGC please visit www.ufmgc.com
“The Divine Nine”
The National Pan-Hellenic Council, Incorporated (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 were 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.

**How do I join a NPHC organization?**

NPHC organizations participate in membership intake once a year (either Fall or Spring). The 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.

**Learn More about UF NPHC at Meet the Divine Nine**
August 27, 2009

**NPHC Profile**
Name: *Marc Jean*
Classification: Senior
Council Affiliation: National Pan-Hellenic Council
Campus Involvement: Florida Blue Key, Recruitment Chair & Risk Manager of Iota Phi Theta Fraternity, Inc.®, Club Creole President, NPHC President, Order of Omega Greek Honorary, Beta Eta Sigma Honor Society, Black Student Assembly Co-Director, Institute of Black Culture Emissary, Student Government

**What does being Greek mean to you?**
It means that you have earned membership into what comprises only 2% of the U.S. population. Being Greek means you have chosen to uphold ideals and values that impact every facet of your undergraduate life and beyond. Most importantly, it means building lifelong friendships and meeting people that ordinarily you may never have crossed paths with.

**Words of Wisdom:** Being a Florida Greek has its benefits, but there are also responsibilities. If you want to be a Florida Greek, you will take on the responsibility of holding many roles—a community activist, a scholar, a brother or a sister, a leader, a role model, and even at times, a counselor.
NPHC Sorority Profiles

**Alpha Kappa Alpha**
Chapter Name: Iota Lambda
National website: www.aka1908.com
Chapter website: http://ilaka1975.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1908
Year Founded at UF: 1975

Founded in 1908, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority 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.

**Sigma Gamma Rho**
Chapter Name: Lambda Rho
National website: www.sgrho1922.org
Chapter website: http://grove.ufl.edu/~sgrho/
Year Founded Nationally: 1922
Year Founded at UF: 1990

Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. was founded by seven women whom 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.

**Delta Sigma Theta**
Chapter Name: Lambda Psi
National website: www.deltasigmatheta.org
Chapter website: www.lambdapsi.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.

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

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. was the first African American Sorority to be chartered on campus, the ladies of the Mu Epsilon chapter uphold their legacy and contribute to it through service endeavors and stirring programming. Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. National Philanthropies include March for Babies, the National Education Foundation, and Z-HOPE.

Battle of the Greeks Stepshow: Saturday, November 7, 2009
Curtis M. Phillips Center for the Performing Arts
NPHC Fraternity Profiles

**Alpha Phi Alpha**
Chapter Name: Theta Sigma  
National website: www.alphaphialpha.net  
Chapter website: www.thetasigma1906.net  
Year Founded Nationally: 1906  
Year Founded at UF: 1973

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc., the first intercollegiate Greek letter fraternity established for black students was organized at Cornell University in 1906. The Theta Sigma Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity was founded on the University of Florida campus on August 9, 1973. The fraternity has grown steadily in influence throughout the years and there are now approximately 800 chapters located throughout the World.

**Iota Phi Theta**
Chapter Name: Gamma Omicron  
National website: www.IotaPhiTheta.org  
Chapter website: www.GOCentaurs.org  
Year Founded Nationally: 1963  
Year Founded at UF: 1998

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

**Kappa Alpha Psi**
Chapter Name: Zeta Phi  
National website: www.kappaalphapsi1911.com  
Chapter website: www.zetaphinupes.com  
Year Founded Nationally: 1911  
Year Founded at UF: 1972

The Zeta Phi chapter operates under the fraternity’s motto “Achievement in Every Field of Human Endeavor” and “Training for Leadership.” Both of these mottos can be seen in many of the leadership positions held by men of the chapter, as well as the first and only African American men to hold prestigious leadership positions such as Student Body President and Student Body Treasurer on the University of Florida’s campus.

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

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 through campus and community involvement and to exemplifying the Four Cardinal Principles in a manner consistent with the noble intentions of the Fraternity’s Founders.

**Phi Beta Sigma**
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 that devotes its time to uplifting the community. For 94 years, our organization has blossomed and grown to continue the ideals of brotherhood, scholarship, and service. The “World Famous” Zeta Kappa Chapter has been blessed with the vision to execute our fraternity’s motto: “Culture for Service, Service for Humanity.”
“She Sets the Standard. She’s a Panhellenic Woman.”
Panhellenic Council

The Panhellenic Council serves as the governing body for 16 National Panhellenic Conference chapters on campus, creating a sisterhood of more than 2,500 women. Through educational, service, and social activities, the Panhellenic Council strives to develop its members and the University of Florida student body.

Our vision is to promote in women leadership, diversity, scholastic achievement, and service through relationships within and beyond the Panhellenic community.

To Learn more visit: www.ufpanhellenic.com

Panhellenic Recruitment Schedule

Sunday, August 16, 2009
Morning - Residence Halls Open
Evening – Potential New Member Orientation

Monday, August 17-Tuesday, August 18, 2009
Round 1 – Potential New Members Visit each of the 16 chapters

Wednesday, August 19, 2009
Round 2 – Philanthropy Round
Visit up to 11 chapters

Thursday, August 20, 2009
Round 3 – Sisterhood Round
Visit up to 7 of the 16 chapters

Friday, August 21, 2009
NO RECRUITMENT
All new students attend Navigating the Swamp

Saturday, August 22, 2009
Preferentials – Visit up to 3 of the 16 chapters

Sunday, August 23, 2009
Bid Day

Panhellenic Profile

Name: Ashley Price
Classification: Junior
Council Affiliation: Panhellenic Council
Campus Involvement: Panhellenic Council (FVP), Pi Chi, Student Government (Young Leaders Conference), Gator Growl, Dance Marathon, Guardian ad Litem

What does being Greek mean to you?
Being a Florida Greek has developed me as a person. I have learned invaluable lessons of time management, communication skills, and leadership. These skills have given me confidence to succeed in my next stages of life, graduate school and the workplace.

Words of Wisdom: Take every opportunity you are given. Becoming a Florida Greek opens doors to so many amazing opportunities that you can’t get in any other organization. You make contacts and connections with people that will carry throughout your college career and beyond. You become a Florida Greek for a lifetime and it’s an opportunity you don’t want to miss.
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**Alpha Chi Omega**

**Chapter Name:** Gamma Iota  
**National website:** www.alphachiomega.org  
**Chapter website:** http://ufalphachi.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: Recruitment Chair  
820 W Panhellenic Drive  
Gainesville, FL 32601

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**Alpha Delta Pi**

**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. 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 W Panhellenic Drive  
Gainesville, FL 32601

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**Alpha Epsilon Phi**

**Chapter Name:** Alpha Tau  
**National website:** www.aephi.org  
**Chapter website:** http://grove.ufl.edu/~aephi  
**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:  
Julie Axelrod  
4748 SW 16th Drive  
Gainesville, FL 32608
Alpha Omicron Pi
Chapter Name: Gamma Omicron
National website: www.alphaoomicronpi.org
Chapter website: www.ufaopi.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1897
Year Founded at UF: 1948

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:
Julie Taube, House Director
819 W. Panhellenic Drive
Gainesville, FL 32601

Delta Delta Delta
Chapter Name: Alpha Psi
National website: www.tridelta.org
Chapter website: www.ufridelta.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1888
Year Founded at UF: 1948

Built upon the motto, “Let us steadfastly love one another,” Tri-Delta has been building life-long friendships at the University of Florida for the past sixty-two years, while fostering an environment where its members can grow socially and intellectually. The pride we share in our sisterhood, scholarly achievements, leadership, and the service we provide have helped us become, together, the best we can be.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Delta Delta Delta
1134 E Panhellenic Drive
Gainesville FL, 32601

Delta Gamma
Chapter Name: Gamma Theta
National website: www.deltagamma.org
Chapter website: http://grove.ufl.edu/~deltagee/
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, Gamma Theta chapter
Attn: Amanda DelCueto
808 W Panhellenic Drive
Gainesville, FL 32601

Delta Zeta
Chapter Name: Pi Alpha
National website: www.deltazeta.org
Chapter website: www.esasson.com/DeltaZeta
Year Founded Nationally: 1902
Year Founded at UF: 2002

Delta Zeta was founded in 1902 on principles of unity, friendship, development of knowledge, and pursuit of higher moral and social culture. Our sisters strive to be involved on campus, to perform to their highest academic standards, and to create lasting bonds of sisterhood and college memories. At DZ, it’s not about who you’ll become, but who you’ve always been.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Ashlyn Powell
903 SW 13th Street
Gainesville, FL 32601
Kappa Alpha Theta
Chapter Name: Delta Theta
National website: www.kappaalphatheta.org
Chapter website: www.uftheta.com
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: Nicole Sohn
715 SW 10th Street
Gainesville, FL 32601

Kappa Delta
Chapter Name: Beta Pi
National website: www.kappadelta.org
Chapter website: http://info.theginsystem.com/websites/KD_UF/
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 E Panhellenic Drive
Gainesville, FL 32601

Phi Mu
Chapter Name: Alpha Nu
National website: www.phimu.org
Chapter website: http://grove.ufl.edu/~alphanu/
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: Membership Director
1152 E Panhellenic Drive
Gainesville, FL 32601

Pi Beta Phi
Chapter Name: Florida Delta
National website: www.pibetaphi.org
Chapter website: www.ufpibetaphi.com
Year Founded Nationally: 1867
Year Founded at UF: 1969

Pi Beta Phi’s women are actively involved at UF and in the Gainesville community. Service is a principal value of the Pi Beta Phi sisterhood, with active involvement in every fraternity and sorority philanthropy on campus. Their philanthropy Down N Dirty, a flag football tournament benefiting First Book and American Cancer Society, had participation from every fraternity on campus and raised over $15,000 this year.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Angelica Fulchini
37 W Fraternity Drive
Gainesville, FL 32603

Kappa Kappa Gamma
Chapter Name: Epsilon Phi
National website: www.kkg.org
Chapter website: http://grove.ufl.edu/~kkg
Year Founded Nationally: 1870
Year Founded at UF: 1978

Kappa Kappa Gamma is an organization of women that wishes for every member throughout her life to have bonds of friendships, mutual support, opportunity for self growth, intellectual development and an understanding of and allegiance to positive ethical principles.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Elizabeth Foppe
920 SW 6th Street, Apt 222
Gainesville, Fl 32601

Kappa Kappa Gamma
Sigma Kappa
Chapter Name: Beta Tau
National website: www.sigmakappa.org
Chapter website: grove.ufl.edu/~sigkap/main.html
Year Founded Nationally: 1874
Year Founded at UF: 1949

Nationally, Sigma Kappa supports gerontology, Alzheimer’s disease research, Inherit the Earth, and Maine Sea Coast Mission. Annually, Beta Tau raises thousands of dollars for Alzheimer’s disease research through Sigma Shootout, a pool tournament for sororities and fraternities to compete in. Beta Tau also volunteers at local nursing homes and cleans our Adopt-a-Road.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Sigma Kappa
Attn: Recruitment Chair
1108 E Panhellenic Drive
Gainesville, FL 32601

Zeta Tau Alpha
Chapter Name: Gamma Iota
National website: www.zetataualpha.org
Chapter website: http://grove.ufl.edu/~zeta
Year Founded Nationally: 1898
Year Founded at UF: 1949

Membership in Zeta Tau Alpha affords opportunities to engage in community service, become involved on campus, achieve academic success and develop friendships that will last a lifetime. Since our founding in 1898, the strong bond of friendship formed between sisters continues to be our most cherished legacy.

Please send letters of recommendation to:
Zeta Tau Alpha
Attn: Recruitment Chair
1142 E Panhellenic Drive
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/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 you 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:
- National fees and obligations
- Membership Recruitment
- Service projects
- Sisterhood/Brotherhood activities
- Special events

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

Interfraternity Council (IFC):
- new member/initiation fee
- chapter dues
- national fees
- social fees
- risk management insurance
- room and board fees (in-house members)

Multicultural Greek Council (MGC):
Expenses paid upon initiation may include:
- new member/initiation fee
- national, regional and local dues
Yearly expenses may include:
- national, regional, local dues
- risk management insurance

National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC):
Expenses paid upon initiation may include:
- new member/initiation fee
- national, regional and local dues
Yearly expenses may include:
- national, regional, local dues
- risk management insurance

Panhellenic Council (PC):
- new member/initiation fee
- chapter dues
- national fees
- social fees
- risk management insurance
- room and board fees (in-house members)
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, 38 of the 62 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 that oversee the house director, chapter finances, and advises 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 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 many 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 are included in one lump sum therefore making it cheaper than other living situations.

Can I live in the chapter house as a freshman?
Most 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 will assist you in transferring your meal plan to the chapter house. The meal plan will be pro-rated and transferred to the chapter house at the cost of the new meal plan. Any remaining balance will be left on your Gator 1 card as declining balance.

Annual Costs for Membership

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Please note: costs vary greatly by chapter
- Off-campus housing costs are based on average rates quoted by local apartments (allowances are included for phone service and utilities).
- Off-campus food costs are based on costs of meals established by the U.S. Department of Labor.
- On-campus food is an average rate for campus meal plans.
FAQs

When can I join a fraternity or sorority?
- 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?
It depends. 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 and fraternity take up?
Being a member of a sorority and fraternity is a significant time commitment. For most people, the time requirement would be equivalent to taking another 3-credit class (3 hours/wk).

How are sororities and fraternities held accountable?
While self-governing, each of our individual chapters are held accountable by multiple entities. Chapters are responsible for meeting the standards that are set forth by their inter/ national organization, their governing council, as well as the University of Florida through the 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 such as grades, conduct, etc. 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. For more information, please see page 3.
Definitions

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 (sometimes high-pitched) 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.

Coming Out 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.

Continuous Open Recruitment: An informal recruitment process that takes places 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/Crossed: 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.

National Panhellenic Conference (NPC): The National Panhellenic Conference is the umbrella organization for 26 national and international women’s fraternities and sororities.

National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC): Umbrella organization for 9 Historically-Black sororities and fraternities (5 fraternities, 4 sororities).

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

New Member: A member of a fraternity or sorority who has not been initiated.

New Member Educator/Membership Intake Coordinator: The liaison between new members and the Chapter and is responsible for implementing and monitoring the new member program and preparing the new members for initiation.

New Member Program: A period of education when new members learn the history, ideals, and values of fraternity and sorority life. The time frame varies, but cannot exceed 10 weeks.

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

Potential New Member (PNM): A college student participating in recruitment.

Prophyte: A neophyte becomes a propyhte after another line is initiated.

Recommendation Letter: A letter of reference provided by an alumnus of national sorority or fraternity to the local chapter at UF.

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 sorority member who has disassociated herself from her chapter during Formal Panhellenic Recruitment in order to counsel and assist women 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.
Campus Map
### Florida Greek Chapters

#### Interfraternity Council

| ΑΕΠ | ΑΓΡ | ΑΤΩ |
| ΒΘΠ | ΧΦ  | ΔΧ  |
| ΔΤΔ | ΔΥ  | ΚΑ  |
| ΚΣ  | ΛΧΑ | ΦΔΘ |
| ΦΙΙΙ | ΦΚΤ | ΦΣΚ |
| ΠΚΑ | ΠΛΑΦ | ΣΑΕ |
| ΣΧ  | ΣΝ  | ΣΦΕ |
| ΣΠ  | ΤΚΕ | ΘΧ  |
| ΖΒΤ |     |     |

#### Multicultural Greek Council

| αΚΔΦ | ΒΧΘ | ΔΦΩ |
| ΓΗ  | ΚΦΔ | ΛΘΑ |
| ΔΘΦ | ΩΔΦ | ΠΔΨ |
| ΣΒΡ | ΣΛΒ | ΘΝΞ |

#### National Pan-Hellenic Council

| ΑΚΑ | ΑΦΑ | ΔΣΘ |
| ΙΦΘ | ΚΑΨ | ΩΨΦ |
| ΦΒΣ | ΣΓΡ | ΖΦΒ |

#### Panhellenic Council

| ΑΧΩ | ΑΔΠ | ΑΕΦ |
| ΑΟΠ | ΧΩ  | ΔΔΔ |
| ΔΓ  | ΔΦΕ | ΔΖ  |
| ΚΑΘ | ΚΔ  | ΚΚΓ |
| ΦΜ  | ΠΒΦ | ΣΚ  |
| ΖΤΑ |     |     |
Top 5 Reasons Why You Should Consider Joining the Florida Greek Community

1. Florida Greeks Make the Grade!
   51 percent of the Florida Greek community had a semester GPA above 3.5 and 80 percent of the Florida Greek community had a semester GPA above 3.0.

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!
   During Florida Greek Service Day, members of the Greek community completed more than 4,000 hours of community service.

4. We Have Connections!
   Greek members have networking opportunities through Greek alum 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, Greek Week and family weekends are just a few activities offered for great times at The University of Florida!