

University of Illinois Urbana Champaign 2005 Report
A service to inform the headquarters of organizations represented on our campus
Community Mission can be found at:
<http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/communitystatement.asp>

This six page report addresses general fraternity and sorority community programs and initiatives and includes one page summaries of each respective council. If you have questions about your organization, please contact Dan at dbureau@uiuc.edu.

General areas of opportunity/concern/recognition:

Risk Awareness and Event Management

All four councils continue to struggle with their ability to enforce risk awareness and social event management policies. Both the Black Greek Council and United Greek Councils have dealt with the increase of social events at rented houses. The Interfraternity Council and Panhellenic Council have been asked to address the purchase of alcohol at co-sponsored events. Information on this can be found at: <http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/library/courageousLeaders.pdf>.

Intake and New Member Education concerns

In an effort to promote National Hazing Prevention Week we created some resources for chapters. You can see information at: <http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/library/hazingLetter.pdf>.

An issue of the *Illini Greek* was dedicated to addressing hazing:

http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/illinigreek/IlliniGreek_September28,2005.doc

Many of our groups continue to participate in unapproved processes or activities that may involve hazing activities. I ask that you take the time to remind your chapter presidents of their responsibility to know the policies and educate their members on them. We require semesterly documentation that the policy has been shared with chapters. Policies can be found at:

<http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/bfahazing.asp> and

<http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/bsahazing.asp>

Academics

Each council's academic performance can be found in the subsequent pages. Important community data:

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|----------------------------|---------|
| All Female Student GPA | 3.2965 |
| All Greek GPA | 3.2059 |
| All University Student GPA | 3.1943 |
| All Male Student GPA | 3.09828 |

Check out the data we have for a 10 year report on academic performance:

<http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/greekAcademicHistory.asp>.

Leadership Development

The Annual Leadership Retreat for Presidents and Council Officers focused on relevancy and credibility of Greek Organizations. A full report can be found at:

<http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/allerton.asp>.

Service Initiatives

To recognize National Volunteer Week, Greek Affairs spearheaded an effort to promote service called the 1872 Society. 1872 was the founding of our first fraternity. All groups who participated

are recognized and program information is located at:

<http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/1872Society.asp>

Illini Greek and Communication with Chapter

We continue to prioritize communication and resource dissemination as a primary goal of our office. The Illini Greek, our weekly informational newsletter, can be found at:

<http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/illinigreek.asp>. National representatives are cc'd on the email. It is a bit haphazard though and we need to update our contacts (we believe at least one email from EVERY national organization on our campus is included). We would greatly appreciate it if you would email us the names of a maximum of three persons who should be receiving this.

Our office continues to prioritize communication with alumni advisors and headquarters. We believe that if all of us work together our students are likely to hear similar messages! We continue to read your magazines and reports and offer thoughts to chapter presidents when appropriate. We also appreciate your commitment to communication through your emails and newsletters!

Staffing Model

We continue to feel the impact of a decreased state budget. Our staff has been reduced .75 persons since 2003. We have 6200 students involved in 97 organizations comprising 22 percent of the campus! Our staff:

Dan Bureau, Assistant Dean of Students for Greek Life (full-time)

Lisa Moore, Assistant Dean of Students (.25 time focusing on Homecoming Parade, Panhellenic Formal Recruitment, and The United Greek Council)

Michelle Hart, Front Office Manager

Michelle Green, Health Advocate Graduate Assistant

(http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/health_advocates.asp)

Sheri Shaw, Black Greek Council Graduate Assistant

Dan will be leaving in July 2006 to pursue his PhD. The search for the Assistant Dean of Students for Greek Life will start sometime in February.

New Initiatives

(spring 2005) Fire Factor – a partnership with the Champaign and Urbana Fire Departments and university housing. Information found at: <http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/firefactor.asp>

Greek Allies - a support group for LGBT fraternity and sorority members and their allies.

Information at: <https://netfiles.uiuc.edu/ro/www/GreekAllies/>. Training provided in spring 2005.

Organization continues to provide training

(April 2005) 1872 Society – see above service report

Website Improvements and Resources

We continue to use our webpage to provide policies and resources for the community. Many of the Governing Councils have updated their sites.

Some highlights:

- Full on-line management of rosters and officer lists for chapters
- Improved Resources page: <http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/library.asp>
- Parent Page: <http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/parents.asp>
- Tracking of chapter's ability to meet office expectations:
<http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/expectations.asp>

- <http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/oscars.asp> - overview of Greek Excellence Awards

Black Greek Council (<https://netfiles.uiuc.edu/ro/www/BlackGreekCouncil/#>)

2006 Officers:

| BGC | Latoya Washington | ZΦB | Black Greek Council President |
|-----|-------------------|-----|-------------------------------|
| BGC | Markea Haywood | AKA | Vice President Service |
| BGC | Vacant | | Vice President Programming |
| BGC | Jamaal Applewhite | ΩΨΦ | Vice President Judicial |
| BGC | Kimberly Matthews | AKA | Secretary |
| BGC | Marcus Reynolds | ΦPH | Treasurer |

We currently have eight of nine NPHC organizations recognized on the campus. One group will be returning after a brief suspension sometime in 2006. Four non-NPHC organizations currently are engaged in the council: Beta Phi Pi Fraternity Inc., Phi Delta Psi Fraternity Inc., Phi Rho Eta Fraternity Inc. and Gamma Phi Delta Sorority Inc.

The spring 2005 GPA for BGC organizations (11 at the time) is 2.71 with two organizations above a 3.0 and one organization below the 2.5 required GPA for good standing in the council. Information at: <http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/bgcgrades.asp>

Service and Philanthropic pursuits continue: each organization continues to do respective projects. BGC led a four council initiative for the Annual Turkey Drive. 78 families were fed and many other agencies benefited from fundraising effort. Info at: http://beta.news-gazette.com/news/2005/11/12/ui_group_helps_several_families_enjoy.

We ask that each organization assist us in reminding their undergraduate chapter of their appropriate intake process, as we are increasingly concerned with the underground intake processes that are occurring.

We are planning for a spring 2006 Black Greek Summit in order to assist organizations in planning for the future on our campus. More details to come in December/January.

Guidelines for membership coming out shows has been developed.

Membership numbers of BGC organizations for the last six years through spring 2005

| Undergraduate Chapter | SP 05 | FL 04 | SP 04 | FL 03 | SP 03 | FL 02 | SP 02 | FL 01 | SP 01 | FL 00 | SP 00 | FL 99 | SP 99 | FL 98 | SP 98 | HIGH | LOW | AVG |
|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--------------|
| Alpha Phi Alpha | 14 | 14 | 11 | 18 | 20 | 21 | 14 | 14 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 7 | 10 | 14 | 21 | 7 | 13.17 |
| Beta Phi Pi | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | | | | | | 3 | 1 | 1.43 |
| Iota Phi Theta | 12 | 12 | 8 | 10 | 14 | 13 | 15 | 10 | 14 | 10 | 21 | 16 | 14 | 15 | 13 | 21 | 10 | 13.75 |
| Kappa Alpha Psi | 13 | 13 | 9 | 7 | 13 | 9 | 12 | 17 | 17 | 10 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 4 | | 17 | 4 | 12.45 |
| Omega Psi Phi | 7 | 7 | 4 | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Phi Beta Sigma | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 7 | 14 | 14 | 8 | 8 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 14 | 2 | 8.17 |
| Phi Rho Eta | 14 | 14 | 8 | 10 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 5 | | 8 | 5 | 6.09 |
| Total BGC Fraternity Membership | 63 | 65 | 45 | 53 | 55 | 55 | 54 | 58 | 63 | 50 | 61 | 55 | 53 | 45 | 38 | 63 | 45 | 53.33 |
| Alpha Kappa Alpha | 21 | 22 | 27 | 6 | 8 | 11 | 11 | | | 9 | 9 | 11 | 11 | 18 | 31 | 31 | 6 | 12.50 |
| Delta Sigma Theta | 20 | 20 | 4 | 8 | 11 | 9 | 9 | | | | | | | | 11 | 11 | 8 | 9.60 |
| Sigma Gamma Rho | 6 | 6 | 6 | 2 | 6 | 10 | 10 | 7 | 14 | 14 | 13 | 4 | 4 | 6 | 12 | 14 | 2 | 8.50 |
| Zeta Phi Beta | 7 | 7 | 4 | 8 | | | | | | 9 | 11 | 15 | 15 | 13 | 8 | 15 | 8 | 11.29 |
| Total BGC Sorority Membership | 54 | 55 | 41 | 24 | 25 | 30 | 30 | 7 | 14 | 32 | 33 | 30 | 30 | 37 | 62 | 62 | 7 | 29.50 |

Interfraternity Council (<http://www.illiniifc.com/>)

2006 Officers

| IFC | Daniel Beiser | | Interfraternity President |
|-----|--------------------|-----------|---------------------------|
| IFC | Kevin Siedentop | Farmhouse | VP Campus Relations |
| IFC | Safi Mohammed | | VP Membership |
| IFC | Jason Mueller | | VP Finance |
| IFC | Ryan Fitzgerald | | VP Internal |
| IFC | Jared Brown | | VP Judicial |
| IFC | Karl Perske | | VP Recruitment |
| IFC | Barry Glass | | VP Risk Management |
| IFC | Ben Krop | Acacia | VP Scholarship |
| IFC | Christopher Potech | | VP Service |

We currently have 47 fraternities affiliated with IFC. Three colonies (Delta Sigma Phi, Omega Delta Phi, and Phi Gamma Delta. Average fraternity size is 63.5 Information on size for spring 2005 back to spring 1991 can be found at: <http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/fratmemstats.asp>.

The spring 2005 GPA for IFC organizations (47 at the time) is 3.0778. The all men's average is 3.0983. Grade info at: http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/interfraternity_grades.asp

Website updates continue. Chapter profile pages assist potential members:
http://www.illiniifc.com/page.php?page_id=1351&parent_id=1351

Social Event Management and Monitoring information found at:
http://www.illiniifc.com/page.php?page_id=1539&parent_id=1539

We hosted Recruitment Boot Camp in February, as well as a recruitment clinic this fall. Resources on recruitment can be found at: <http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/library.asp>. IFC focused on providing resources for chapters to aid in recruitment. Our community does not have a formalized recruitment process for men. The IFC VP Recruitment developed a board to aid in promotions. We don't do a good job tracking membership of chapters until the ends of the semester, so we only have anecdotal info to let us know there may have been an increased in new member class size.

Illinois Greek Initiative, a self-monitored and student initiated operations evaluation plan developed in 2003 continues to be moderately implemented. Proposed changes will take effect in the spring. Full blown implementation will occur this spring.

Some of our most exciting initiatives have involved the area of scholarship with increased programming by our IFC VP Scholarship and a focus on resources:
http://www.illiniifc.com/page.php?parent_id=358&page_id=386

Emerging Leaders – education for sophomores and juniors about to enter leadership roles in the chapter. About 38 fraternities participated in this. Look for a list of attendees at our website in December. This is co-sponsored with Panhellenic Council

Areas of focus in 2006:

By-Law and Constitution Review

Risk Management Programming and Policy Enforcement

Improved scholarship by chapters

Panhellenic Council (www.illiniphc.com)

2006 Officers

| Panhellenic | Kimberly Verest | ΠΒΦ | Panhellenic President |
|-------------|----------------------|-----|-----------------------|
| Panhellenic | Jessica Bialorucki | ΚΚΓ | VP Development |
| Panhellenic | Joy Mkrdichian | ΦΜ | VP Finance |
| Panhellenic | Brenda Lo | ΑΔΠ | VP Internal |
| Panhellenic | Shanna Pyers | ΚΚΓ | VP Judicial |
| Panhellenic | Courtney Hildenbrand | ΚΑΘ | VP Public Relations |
| Panhellenic | Annie Carlson | ΠΒΦ | VP Recruitment |
| Panhellenic | Emily Eisenkramer | ΣΔΤ | VP Risk Management |
| Panhellenic | Sarah Becker | ΚΔ | VP Scholarship |
| Panhellenic | Katie Becker | ΑΟΠ | VP Service |

We currently have 23 sororities affiliated with PHC. There are 19 NPC groups and four others. Total is 145. Average NPC chapter size is 165. Average size including non-NPC groups is about 150.

The spring 2005 GPA for PHC organizations is 3.3644. The all women's average is 3.2956. Grade info at: http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/panhellenic_grades.asp

Website updates continue. Many resources exist to assist chapter operations. Calendar has been the primary vehicle for communicating meetings and programs.

Successful events this year:

- Mike Green on Alcohol, Candace Bushnell, Shane Windmeyer (with IFC and The Illini Union Board, David Coleman, and Tom Santoro.
- Month of the Scholar was very successful. All women with a 4.0 were recognized.
- Financial management has been exceptional.
- Frequent communication with NPC Area Advisor Mary Williams
- Emerging Leaders (See IFC Report)
- Risk Management newsletters:
http://www.illiniphc.com/page.php?parent_id=1141&page_id=1134
- Increased attention to documenting chapter programs:
http://www.illiniphc.com/page.php?parent_id=1141&page_id=2203
- Recruitment Statistics (http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/sor_rush_stats.asp)

Some figures (lots more can be found the above site). Our community continues to be positively impacted by the new release figure model. We plan increased education on recruitment in the spring and will be contacting NPC groups about participation in a day long summit addressing membership selection, conversation skills, and education on release figure system.

| Number of Registered PNM's | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | Avg. |
| | 1,185 | 1,208 | 1,102 | 1,169 | 1,236 | 1,142 | 1,027 | 1,190 | 1,163 | 1,298 | 1,431 | 1,196 |
| Number of Women Receiving Their Choice | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | Avg. |
| # Receiving 1st Choice | 709 | 692 | 707 | 682 | 697 | 642 | 547 | 717 | 717 | 731 | 789 | 694 |
| # Receiving 2nd Choice | 131 | 136 | 84 | 105 | 170 | 195 | 162 | 149 | 141 | 173 | 135 | 144 |
| # Receiving 3rd Choice | 29 | 43 | 18 | 23 | 43 | 67 | 45 | 45 | 43 | 22 | 14 | 36 |
| Total # Withdrew | 256 | 225 | 242 | 300 | 286 | 210 | 273 | 235 | 244 | 349 | 486 | 282 |

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|---|----|----|----|----|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|----|
| Total # Released By All Chapters | 29 | 57 | 30 | 25 | 6 | 5 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 15 |
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United Greek Council (<https://netfiles.uiuc.edu/ro/www/UnitedGreekCouncil/>)

2006 Officers:

| | | | |
|------------|---------------------|------------|---------------------------------------|
| UGC | Patty Garcia | ΛΘΑ | United Greek Council President |
| UGC | Maricela Salazar | ΑΔΡ | External Vice President |
| UGC | Angel Garcia | ΣΛΒ | Internal Vice President |
| UGC | Brijesh Patel | ΑΙΟ | Secretary |
| UGC | Vacant | | Treasurer |

We currently have eleven organizations affiliated with UGC (nine full members and two associates – Gamma Phi Omega and Sigma Lambda Gamma). Nine more are in the process of gaining membership. A moratorium on expansion has been placed by the students through November 2006 to ensure all nine organizations can be brought into UGC and the focus of the council can be on existing chapters.

The spring 2005 GPA for UGC organizations (12 at the time) is 2.912 with three organizations above a 3.0. Information on grades can be found at:

http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/ugc_grades.asp

The council has focused on social, service and educational programming. They successfully hosted two late night dances at the Illini Union.

Organization size has been closely monitored as we have doubled our number of organizations and have had some moderate growth in existing chapters. We lost Hermandad de Sigma Iota Alpha, Inc. due to graduation of members. Two of our groups faced extinction but recruited lines over the summer of 2005. Membership numbers of UGC organizations are below. Our colonies starting have about 7 members on average.

| Organization | SP 05 | SP 04 |
|-----------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Alpha Delta Rho | 9 | 4 |
| Alpha Iota Omicron* | 28 | 24 |
| alpha Kappa Delta Phi | 13 | 10 |
| Alpha Psi Lambda | 40 | 43 |
| Lambda Phi Epsilon | 8 | 9 |
| Lambda Tau Omega | 7 | 4 |
| Lambda Theta Alpha | 10 | 6 |
| Lambda Theta Phi | 12 | 10 |
| Sigma Iota Alpha | 3 | 3 |
| Sigma Lambda Beta | 7 | 9 |
| Tau Phi Sigma | 2 | 3 |

United Greek Council is in its second year of existence. It is considered a full standing council after our Board of Fraternity and Board of Sorority Affairs granted this permission in October 2005. Prior to that it had been on probation due to its youth.

Areas to focus on in 2006:

- Constitution and By-Laws
- Investment of chapters in UGC

- Completion of integrating remaining expansion efforts (Delta Kappa Delta, Theta Nu Xi, Lambda Upsilon Lambda, Lambda Pi Upsilon, Gamma Alpha Omega, Omega Phi Beta)