

Center for Fraternity and Sorority Life

# GO BEAVS! GO GREEK!



# 2022-2023





# WELCOME TO...



Member of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc.



...we are committed to you being successful at OSU.



We are excited that you chose to be a part of Beaver Nation and I know you will enjoy being an OSU student. Being in college is an amazing time to follow your educational passion/interests while being involved in out of class experiences that complement your interests. You will get the opportunity to learn about internships, research, leadership, service projects and many other ways that will support your academic progress. Your success is our success and we are committed to you being successful at OSU.

As your Dean of Students, I encourage you to connect with our office. The Office of the Dean of Students provides educational and developmental opportunities to help students make informed decisions about your success. Our team is ready to assist you as you navigate our campus. We partner with faculty, staff, parents, and community members in our afforded effort to continue creating an environment that is welcoming where students feel a sense of belonging. Whether we are the first or last office that you visit, we are here to help you continue enjoying your experience as you persist to completing your Oregon State University degree.

As an international public research university with students from all over the world, we are Dam Proud that you chose to pursue your education at Oregon State University! I wish you the best of luck during your time here and remember, Go Beavs!

Enthusiastically,

**Dr. Kevin A. Dougherty**  
Associate Vice Provost & Dean Of Students  
Oregon State University



# ...OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY

# FIND YOUR PLACE IN OUR COMMUNITY

Joining a fraternity or sorority can be one of the best ways to find your “home away from home” at Oregon State and make a large campus feel much smaller. There are 46 chapters on campus that are a member of one of five communities, the Collective Greek Council (CGC), Interfraternity Council (IFC), the National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC), the Panhellenic Council (PHC), or the Multicultural Greek Council (MGC). We believe there is a place for everyone in our diverse community of over 2,300 students. Fraternities and sororities have a rich history at OSU and have been on campus for over 140 years. The first national organization, Alpha Tau Omega, was established on campus in 1882.

Our community shares several core principles: Friendship, Scholarship, Leadership, Inclusivity, Philanthropy and Service. The community shared vision statement is: *“United by a common bond, we are a diverse community dedicated to scholarship, leadership and service.”* Our members live these values each day and strive toward this vision in the events and programs they plan and in the membership experiences our chapters

offer. Membership in a fraternity or sorority not only allows you to get more involved at OSU, but also within the local Corvallis community. Studies show that students who are engaged with student organizations, like fraternities and sororities, are more successful academically and are more likely to graduate.

College is a time to build memories and gain friends that will last a lifetime. We know that college is full of choices, and we are glad you’ve made the choice to get to know our chapters. We urge you to get to know our organizations for yourself and make the best decision for you about which group to join.

Please take time to browse through this publication and acquaint yourself with all that fraternity and sorority life has to offer. If you’re still not sure if ‘going Greek’ is right for you, we encourage you to learn more about these organizations by checking out the fall recruitment/membership intake processes.

Once again, welcome to Oregon State University. We offer you our best wishes for every success during your time here. And get used to saying it — “Go Beavs!”

# OSU Fraternity & Sorority Experience

For over a century, both OSU and fraternities & sororities have benefited from the mutual relationship shared between the community and the institution. Fraternities and sororities provide a valuable component of the undergraduate experience and complement the curricular and co-curricular aims of the University. Fraternities and sororities recognized by OSU are expected to maintain this history of positive contribution by conducting themselves in accordance with the shared values and expectations of their affiliate inter/national organizations and the University. The fraternities and sororities listed in this booklet are the only social fraternities and sororities recognized by and in good standing with Oregon State University.

A Relationship Statement is executed annually between OSU and its fraternities and sororities. This document formalizes the shared values and expectations that are instrumental in ensuring a mutually beneficial relationship between all parties.

This Relationship Statement serves as the basis for ensuring the positive presence and continued contributions of fraternities and sororities at Oregon State University, and that each is working collaboratively to enable each other to meet and exceed their individual missions and goals. To view the full text of this agreement, visit [oregonstate.edu/cfsl](http://oregonstate.edu/cfsl).

The specific areas and criteria addressed in the Relationship Statement are listed below the photo.



- *Leadership Development*
- *Academic Achievement*
- *Risk Reduction and Management*
- *Diversity and Inclusion*
- *Membership Development*
- *Campus Engagement and Community Service*
- *Advising and Alumni Relations*
- *Community Standards*





# FRATERNITIES & SORORITIES AT OSU SHARE SIX CORE COMMUNITY VALUES



## Scholarship

Fraternities and sororities at Oregon State University strive for academic excellence. Each chapter has specific grade requirements for students to achieve and maintain active membership and provides their members with resources to promote academic success. Fraternity and sorority membership offers many options to help new members transition academically from high school to college, including educational programs and workshops, study hours, tutoring programs, and more. As a result, the All-Greek GPA is consistently at or above the All-Undergraduate average.

## Philanthropy

Fraternities and sororities sponsor a variety of philanthropic fundraisers that raise over \$230,000 annually to support local and national nonprofit organizations. These fundraisers include athletic tournaments, haunted houses, lip sync competitions, and more.

## Inclusivity

United by a common bond, the OSU Greek community is a diverse community that strives for inclusivity of all people regardless of age, ethnicity, race, culture, gender identity or expression religion, disability, veteran status or sexual orientation. We hope to promote a welcoming environment for all students on campus where all members and guests feel supported and accepted.

## Community Service

In conjunction with philanthropy, each fraternity and sorority participates in numerous community service events each year to engage with the Corvallis and surrounding communities. Last year, OSU's Fraternity and Sorority Community logged approximately 35,000 hours of community service. Commitment to civic engagement encourages growth as servant leaders and allows members to help others in the world around us.

## Friendship

With a large student body at OSU, it is easy for new students to be overwhelmed with life on campus. Fraternity and sorority membership eases the transition and enriches the college experience by encouraging the development of sincere relationships within a tight-knit community of over 2,300 students. The lifelong bonds of brotherhood and sisterhood made in fraternities and sororities are unmatched by any other student organization.

## Leadership

Developing leadership skills in all members is a fundamental goal of every organization. Fraternities and sororities offer a variety of leadership positions within their chapters and opportunities also exist in the Fraternity/Sorority Community at large. Members are also leaders on campus, currently holding leadership positions in over 260 student organizations at OSU.







# NATIONAL PAN-HELLENIC COUNCIL (NPHC)

The National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC), also known as the Divine 9 or D9, is the governing council for the historically African-American fraternities and sororities at OSU. NPHC chapters are inclusive, you aren't required to identify with a specific racial identity to qualify for membership.

NPHC chapters are unhoused and use the Lonnie B. Harris Black Cultural Center as a central place to meet and host events. See a map on page 35 for the location of this center.

Fraternities and sororities affiliated with the NPHC do not participate in a formal recruitment process. NPHC chapters identify new members throughout the year, engaging

in a membership intake process semi-annually. If you are interested in a sorority or fraternity connected to this council, it's important to be on the lookout for their events, introduce yourself to members, and reach out to them based on information listed next their chapter profile entry. NPHC organizations typically do not accept a student for membership until the student has completed at least 12-24 units of college credit and has achieved at least a 2.5 grade point average.

For additional information on NPHC organizations, visit specific organization websites and/or research the book "Divine Nine" by Lawrence Ross.

Visit [studentlife.oregonstate.edu/cfsl/nphc](http://studentlife.oregonstate.edu/cfsl/nphc) for more information on these organizations and how to join.

*Pictured above are representatives of each NPHC chapter.*

## Save the Date!

### Meet the Greeks

Thursday, October 6th at 6pm, MU 109

This event is a great opportunity to meet the D9 chapters and current members, learn about the history of these organizations, and understand the joining requirements.

### Financial Information

*NPHC organizations charge a one-time initiation fee, and may have annual chapter membership dues. The below information is the range for the one time initiation fee.*

### Chapter Membership Fee Range

\$850-\$2,000 (average \$1,275) initiation fee

[@osunphc](https://www.instagram.com/osunphc)

## Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.

**Nickname:** AKA

**Address:** 325 Student Experience Center

**Founding:** January 15th, 1908 at Howard University

**Colors:** Salmon Pink, Apple Green

**National Programs:** Lions Club International, Soles 4 Souls, Refugees in America Assistance Program (RAAP)

**Website:** [sigmadelta00.wixsite.com/home](http://sigmadelta00.wixsite.com/home) & [aka1908.com](http://aka1908.com)

**Notable Alumnae:** Phylicia Rashad, Vice President Kamala Harris & Rosa Parks

**GPA Requirements:** 2.5/4.0

**Recruitment Contact:** Alexis Kerekes, [kerekesa@oregonstate.edu](mailto:kerekesa@oregonstate.edu)

[@sigmadelta\\_akas](https://www.instagram.com/sigmadelta_akas)

## Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.

**Nickname:** Alphas

**Address:** 325 Student Experience Center

**Founding:** December 4, 1906 at Cornell University

**Colors:** Black, Old Gold

**Philanthropy:** Boy Scouts of America

**Website:** [apa1906.com](http://apa1906.com)

**Notable Alumnae:** Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

**GPA Requirements:** 2.0/4.0

**Recruitment Contact:** [rhobetaalphas1906@gmail.com](mailto:rhobetaalphas1906@gmail.com)

[@rhobetaalphas](https://www.instagram.com/rhobetaalphas)

## Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

**Nickname:** Deltas, DST, The Redz

**Address:** 325 Student Experience Center

**Founding:** January 13, 1913 at Howard University

**Colors:** Crimson, Cream

**Philanthropy:** Delta GEMS & Social Action

**Website:** [deltasigmatheta.org](http://deltasigmatheta.org)

**Notable Alumnae:** Loretta Lynch & Angela Bassett

**GPA Requirement:** 2.75/4.0

**Recruitment Contact:** Contact the CFSL at [cfsl@oregonstate.edu](mailto:cfsl@oregonstate.edu) for more information

[@dstbetapsi](https://www.instagram.com/dstbetapsi)

## Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc.

**Nickname:** Kappas

**Address:** 325 Student Experience Center

**Founding:** January 5, 1911 at Indiana University

**Colors:** Crimson, Cream

**Philanthropy:** St. Jude Children's Research Hospital

**Website:** [kappaalphapsi.org](http://kappaalphapsi.org)

**Notable Alumnae:** Colin Kaepernick, Bill Russell & Lonnie B. Harris

**GPA Requirement:** 2.5/4.0

**Recruitment Contact:** [osukappas@gmail.com](mailto:osukappas@gmail.com)

[@ideuce\\_nupes](https://www.instagram.com/ideuce_nupes)

## Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.

**Nickname:** Ques

**Address:** 325 Student Experience Center

**Founding:** November 17, 1911 at Howard University

**Colors:** Royal Purple, Old Gold

**Philanthropy:** Charles R. Drew Blood Drive or Achievement Week

**Website:** [oppf.org](http://oppf.org)

**Notable Alumnae:** Michael Jordan, Shaquille O'Neal, Jesse Jackson

**GPA Requirement:** 2.5/4.0

**Recruitment Contact:** Le'Waski Watkins, [watkilew@oregonstate.edu](mailto:watkilew@oregonstate.edu)

[@opp\\_osu](https://www.instagram.com/opp_osu)

## NPHC Inactive Chapters

The following NPHC fraternities and sororities have established charters at OSU but do not currently have any undergraduate members, however, joining opportunities may exist. If you are interested in any of the below organizations, please contact the Center for Fraternity & Sorority Life at [cfsl@oregonstate.edu](mailto:cfsl@oregonstate.edu) or 541-737-5432 for more information.

- Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.
- Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc.
- Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.





## Gamma Alpha Omega Sorority, Inc.

**Nickname:** Gammas

**Address:** 325 Student Experience Center

**Founding:** January 25, 1993 at Arizona State University

**Colors:** Navy Blue, Forest Green, White

**Philanthropy:** Emeralds for Education, HIV and AIDS Awareness

**Website:** [stuorgs.oregonstate.edu/gao\\_kappa](http://stuorgs.oregonstate.edu/gao_kappa)

**GPA Requirement:** 2.5/4.0

**Recruitment Contact:** Gabriela Enriquez, [alphapsi.nme@kappadeltachi.org](mailto:alphapsi.nme@kappadeltachi.org)

**Recruitment Interest:** Latina-founded sorority, but welcome all folks of different racial/ethnic backgrounds.

@gao\_osu

# MULTICULTURAL GREEK COUNCIL (MGC)

The Multicultural Greek Council (MGC) is the governing council for the culturally based and multicultural fraternities and sororities at OSU, currently including chapters with Latinx interest. MGC chapters are inclusive, you don't need to identify with a specific cultural or racial identity to qualify for membership.

Fraternities and sororities affiliated with MGC do not participate in a formal recruitment process and identify new members throughout the year, engaging in a membership intake process semi-annually. If you are interested in a sorority or fraternity connected

to this council, it's important to be on the lookout for their events, introduce yourself when they are tabling, and reach out to them based on the contact information listed next to their chapter profile entry.

The MGC chapters are unhoused and often meet at one of the cultural resource centers on campus such as the Native American Longhouse, Asian & Pacific Cultural Center, Centro Cultural Cesar Chavez, and more. See a map on page 35 for a full listing of these centers.

Visit [stuorgs.oregonstate.edu/MGC](http://stuorgs.oregonstate.edu/MGC) for more information on these organizations and how to join.

*Pictured above are representatives of each MGC chapter.*

## Save the Date!

### MGC Open House

*Thursday, September 22nd at 5pm, SEC Plaza*

Come out and meet the members of the MGC community and learn more about each MGC chapter. Information about the joining process will be shared. Check out our website and social media for information on how to attend our event.

### Financial Information

*MGC organizations charge individual membership dues each term. The below is an estimated range for term dues that are collected annually by the MGC chapters at OSU.*

### Chapter Membership Fee Range

First Term of Membership: \$125-\$342 (average \$255)

Active Member: \$85-\$135/term (average \$106)

@oregonstatemgc

## Kappa Delta Chi Sorority, Inc.

**Nickname:** KDChi

**Address:** 325 Student Experience Center

**Founding:** April 6, 1987 at Texas Tech University

**Colors:** Pink, Maroon

**Philanthropy:** The American Cancer Society

**Website:** [kdchiosu.wix.com/kdchi-alpha-psi](http://kdchiosu.wix.com/kdchi-alpha-psi)

**GPA Requirement:** 2.75/4.0

**Recruitment Contact:** Clarissa Martinez, [alphapsi.president@kappadeltachi.org](mailto:alphapsi.president@kappadeltachi.org)

@kdchiosu



## Omega Delta Phi Fraternity, Inc.

**Nickname:** ODPhi

**Address:** 325 Student Experience Center

**Founding:** November 25, 1987 at Texas Tech University

**Colors:** Scarlet, Silver, Black

**Philanthropy:** Adopt-A-Highway

**Website:** [www.omegadeltaphi.com](http://www.omegadeltaphi.com)

**GPA requirement:** 2.6/4.0

**Recruitment Contact:** [recruitment.alphatheta@omegadeltaphi.org](mailto:recruitment.alphatheta@omegadeltaphi.org)

**Recruitment Interest:** We are Latino founded but built with the principles of multiculturalism.

@odphiat

## NEW ASIAN INTEREST CHAPTERS COMING IN 2022-2023

MGC is looking to grow their community in the 2022-2023 academic year! If you are interested in learning more about the Asian interest fraternity and sorority experience and how you can help bring these chapters to campus, contact the CFSL at [cfsi@oregonstate.edu](mailto:cfsi@oregonstate.edu) and follow MGC on Instagram at [@oregonstatemgc](https://www.instagram.com/oregonstatemgc).





# COLLECTIVE GREEK COUNCIL (CGC)

The Collective Greek Council is the governing council for Greek-lettered organizations with various academic and interest-based membership. Collective Greek Council chapters do not participate in a formal recruitment process and identify new members throughout the year, engaging in informal membership recruitment processes semi-annually. If you are interested in a sorority connected to this council, it is important to be on the lookout for their events, introduce yourself when they are tabling, and reach out to them based on the contact information listed next to their chapter profile entry.

Visit [stuorgs.oregonstate.edu/cgc](https://stuorgs.oregonstate.edu/cgc) for more information on these organizations and how to join.

Chi Theta Phi and Sigma Delta Omega are each local organizations that were founded at Oregon State and remain the only chapters in existence of these organizations.

CGC chapters are unhoused and often meet in the Memorial Union or in the buildings where members have the majority of their classes.

## Save the Date!

### CGC Meet & Greet

Wednesday, September, 21st from 12-2pm, SEC Plaza

This event is a great opportunity to meet all the CGC chapters and their members! Attendees will also learn more about each chapters' individual recruitment process.

### Financial Information

CGC organizations charge individual membership dues each term. The below is an estimated range for term dues that is collected annually by the CGC chapters at OSU.

### Chapter Membership Fee Range

First Term of Membership: \$120-\$265 (average \$187)

Active Member: \$85-\$175/term (average \$126)

@collectivegreekcouncil\_osu

## Chi Theta Phi

**Address:** 325 Student Experience Center

**Founding:** February 14th, 2013 at Oregon State University

**Colors:** Aquamarine Blue, Tangerine Orange

**Philanthropy:** Various Corvallis organizations

**Website:** [chithetaphi.wixsite.com/oregonstate](https://chithetaphi.wixsite.com/oregonstate)

**GPA Requirement:** 2.5/4.0

**Recruitment Contact:** Juliette Saccente, [chithetaphi.recruitment@gmail.com](mailto:chithetaphi.recruitment@gmail.com)

**Recruitment Interest:** Academic focus of art and design but we welcome all majors!

@osu\_chithetaphi

## Phi Sigma Rho

**Nickname:** Phi Rho

**Address:** 325 Student Experience Center

**Founding:** September 24, 1984 at Purdue University

**Colors:** Wine Red, Silver

**Philanthropy:** Leukemia and Lymphoma Society

**Website:** [phisigmarho.org](https://phisigmarho.org) & [oregonstate.phisigmarho.org](https://oregonstate.phisigmarho.org)

**GPA Requirement:** 2.5/4.0

**Recruitment Contact:** Brielle Choquer & Stella Collier, [psr.sigma.recruitment@gmail.com](mailto:psr.sigma.recruitment@gmail.com)

**Recruitment Interest:** Women in engineering and technology.

@phirholoveosu



## Sigma Alpha

**Nickname:** Sisters in Agriculture

**Address:** 325 Student Experience Center

**Founding:** September 26, 1978 at Ohio State University

**Colors:** Emerald, Maize

**Philanthropy:** Agriculture in the Classroom / Oregon Agriculture in the Classroom

**Website:** [sigmaalphaosu.wixsite.com/xi-chapter](https://sigmaalphaosu.wixsite.com/xi-chapter)

**GPA Requirement:** 2.5/4.0

**Recruitment Contact:** Lauren Henkens, [recruitment.xichapter@gmail.com](mailto:recruitment.xichapter@gmail.com)

**Recruitment Interest:** Professional Women in Agriculture

@oregonstatesigmaalpha

## Sigma Delta Omega

**Nickname:** SDO

**Address:** 325 Student Experience Center

**Founding:** April 5, 2006 at Oregon State University

**Colors:** Green, Blue, Gold

**Philanthropy:** OSU STEM Academy

**Website:** [www.sigmadeltaomega.info](https://www.sigmadeltaomega.info)

**GPA Requirement:** 3.0/4.0

**Recruitment Contact:** [rushsdo@gmail.com](mailto:rushsdo@gmail.com)

**Recruitment Interest:** We require an OSU cumulative GPA of 3.0 and an interest in science to join!

@sigmadeltaomega

## NEW SORORITY COMING IN 2022-2023

### Sigma Alpha Epsilon Pi

**Nickname:** Sigma AEPI

**Founding:** October 1, 1998 at University of California, Davis

**Colors:** Blue & Gold

**Philanthropy:** American Jewish World Service

**Website:** [sigmaaepi.com](https://sigmaaepi.com)

**Recruitment Contact:** Contact the CFSL at [cfsi@oregonstate.edu](mailto:cfsi@oregonstate.edu) for more information

**Recruitment Interest:** National Jewish Sorority





## Alpha Chi Omega

**Nickname:** Alpha Chi, AChiO, or AXO  
**Address:** 310 NW 26th St  
**Founding:** October 15, 1885 at DePauw University  
**Colors:** Scarlet Red & Olive Green  
**Philanthropy:** Domestic Violence/CARDV  
**Website:** [www.oregonstateaxo.org](http://www.oregonstateaxo.org)  
**Notable Alumnae:** Carol Duvall, Alyson Hannigan, Agnes Nixon, Condoleezza Rice  
**GPA Requirement:** 3.0/4.0

@oregonstate\_axo

# PANHELLENIC COUNCIL (PHC)

The Panhellenic Council (PHC) is the governing body for the 11 traditionally housed sororities at OSU. The council consists of 11 chapters that are members of the National Panhellenic Conference (NPC). The Panhellenic Council will host its annual fall formal recruitment process at the beginning of Fall Term 2021 over the second weekend of school. This is the only time throughout the school year where all PHC chapters will be accepting new members.

**To register for PHC Fall Formal Recruitment, visit:** [stuorgs.oregonstate.edu/phc](http://stuorgs.oregonstate.edu/phc)

Registration is required and there is a \$65 registration fee. Refer a friend in your registration form and get a \$20 refund for you AND your friend when they sign up for recruitment!

## Save the Date!

### 2022 PHC Fall Formal Recruitment Events

**Registration Closes:** Monday, Sept. 26th at noon  
**Potential New Member Orientation:** Wednesday, Sept. 28th  
**Sisterhood Round:** Thursday, Sept. 29th and Friday, Sept. 30th  
**Philanthropy Round:** Saturday, Oct. 1st  
**Chapter Tour Round:** Sunday, Oct. 2nd  
**Preference Round:** Monday, Oct. 3rd  
**Bid Day:** Tuesday, Oct. 4th

### Financial Information

*PHC organizations charge a variety of individual membership dues each term. The below is an estimated range for the type of membership dues that is collected annually by the PHC chapters at OSU.*

### Chapter Membership Range per year

First Year of Membership: \$1,630-\$3,880 (average \$2,380)  
 Live-In: \$7,500-\$9,630 (average \$8,580)  
 Live-Out: \$820-\$2,200 (average \$1,630)

@osupanhellenic

## Alpha Gamma Delta

**Nickname:** Alpha Gam, AGD  
**Address:** 360 NW 26th St  
**Founding:** May 30, 1904 at Syracuse University  
**Colors:** Red, Buff & Green  
**Philanthropy:** Fighting Hunger  
**Website:** [alphagamdelta.org](http://alphagamdelta.org)  
**Notable Alumnae:** Betty White, Amber Mariano, Karen McCullah Lutz  
**GPA Requirement:** 2.5/4.0

@alphagamdelta\_osu

## Alpha Omicron Pi

**Nickname:** Alpha O, AOII  
**Address:** 127 NW 13th St  
**Founding:** January 2, 1897 at Barnard College  
**Colors:** Cardinal  
**Philanthropy:** The Arthritis Foundation  
**Website:** [oregonstate.alphaomicronpi.org](http://oregonstate.alphaomicronpi.org)  
**Notable Alumnae:** Gayle Fitzpatrick, Courtney Kupets  
**GPA Requirement:** 3.14/4.0

@aoii\_osu

## Alpha Phi

**Nickname:** A Phi  
**Address:** 357 NW 25th St  
**Founding:** September 18, 1872 at Syracuse University  
**Colors:** Silver & Bordeaux  
**Philanthropy:** Alpha Phi Foundation in the Support of Women's Heart Health  
**Website:** [alphaphi.org](http://alphaphi.org)  
**Notable Alumnae:** Jeri Ryan, Jodie Sweetin, Mackenzie Thomas  
**GPA Requirement:** 3/4.0

@osualphaphi





## Chi Omega

**Nickname:** Chi O  
**Address:** 2240 NW Van Buren Ave  
**Founding:** April 5, 1895 at University of Arkansas  
**Colors:** Cardinal & Straw  
**Philanthropy:** Make-A-Wish  
**Website:** [chiomegaos.wix.com/chiobeavs](http://chiomegaos.wix.com/chiobeavs)  
**Notable Alumnae:** Angela Kinsley, Lucy Liu, Harper Lee  
**GPA Requirement:** 2.0/4.0

 @osuchiomega



## Kappa Delta

**Nickname:** KD  
**Address:** 305 NW 25th St  
**Founding:** October 23, 1897 at State Female Normal School (Longwood University)  
**Colors:** Pearl White & Olive Green  
**Philanthropy:** Center Against Rape and Domestic Violence (CARDV), Prevent Child Abuse America (PCAA)  
**Website:** [kappadelta.org](http://kappadelta.org)  
**Notable Alumnae:** Leigh Anne Tuohy, Georgia O'Keeffe, Donna Stone  
**GPA Requirement:** 3.1/4.0

 @kd\_oregonstate



## Delta Delta Delta

**Nickname:** Tri Delta  
**Address:** 340 NW 26th St  
**Founding:** November 27, 1888 at Boston University  
**Colors:** Blue, Gold & Silver  
**Philanthropy:** St. Jude Children's Research Hospital  
**Website:** [oregonstate.tridelta.org](http://oregonstate.tridelta.org)  
**Notable Alumnae:** Joanna García, Elizabeth Banks, Katie Couric  
**GPA Requirement:** 2.5/4.0

 @trideltaosu

## Delta Gamma

**Nickname:** DG  
**Address:** 715 NW 23rd St  
**Founding:** December 25, 1873 at Lewis School for Girls  
**Colors:** Bronze, Pink & Blue  
**Philanthropy:** Service for Sight  
**Website:** [oregonstate.deltagamma.org](http://oregonstate.deltagamma.org)  
**Notable Alumnae:** Sabrina Bryan, Alison Levine, Emily Greener, Joan Lunden  
**GPA Requirement:** 3.0/4.0

 @deltagammaosu

## Kappa Kappa Gamma

**Nickname:** KKG, Kappa  
**Address:** 1335 NW Van Buren Ave  
**Founding:** October 13, 1870 at Monmouth College  
**Colors:** Light Blue & Dark Blue  
**Philanthropy:** The Jed Foundation, Heartland Humane Society, Kappa Kappa Gamma Foundation  
**Website:** [kappakappagamma.org](http://kappakappagamma.org)  
**Notable Alumnae:** Kate Spade, Meghan Markle, Gene Rowlands, and Greer Grammer  
**GPA Requirement:** 3.3/4.0

 @osukappa



## Kappa Alpha Theta

**Nickname:** Theta  
**Address:** 465 NW 23rd St  
**Founding:** January 27, 1870 at DePauw University  
**Colors:** Black & Gold  
**Philanthropy:** Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA)  
**Website:** [oregonstate.kappaalphatheta.org](http://oregonstate.kappaalphatheta.org)  
**Notable Alumnae:** Kerri Strug, Sheryl Crow, Kate Voegelé, Katie Lee  
**GPA Requirement:** 3.2/4.0

 @osu\_theta



## Sigma Kappa

**Nickname:** SK  
**Address:** 231 NW 26th St  
**Founding:** November 9, 1874, at Colby College  
**Colors:** Maroon & Violet  
**Philanthropy:** Sigma Kappa Foundation, Alzheimer's Association  
**Website:** [oregonstate.sigmakappa.org](http://oregonstate.sigmakappa.org)  
**Notable Alumnae:** Donna King & Susan Eisenhower  
**GPA Requirement:** 2.8/4.0

 @sigmakappa\_osu

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# INTERFRATERNITY COUNCIL (IFC)

The Interfraternity Council (IFC) is the governing body for the 22 traditionally housed fraternities at OSU. Fraternities affiliated with the IFC participate in a fall recruitment process in addition to recruiting informally year-round.

IFC will host a fall recruitment process at the beginning of Fall Term 2022, starting the first week of term. There will be several events hosted by IFC to help interested students meet all the chapters. Then individual chapters will host their own open invitation events throughout the second week of term. Check the IFC website and social media for more information on IFC recruitment events and a calendar of chapter hosted events.

To register for IFC Fall Recruitment and view a full listing of all chapter events, visit the IFC website at: [stuorgs.oregonstate.edu/ifc](https://stuorgs.oregonstate.edu/ifc)

## Save the Date!

### 2022 IFC Recruitment Events

**Fraternity Fair:** Wednesday, Sept. 21st

**Bowling Night:** Thursday, Sept. 22nd

**Chapter Hosted Events:** Friday, Sept 23rd – Thursday, Sept. 29th

**Jump Day:** Friday, Sept. 30th

### Financial Information

IFC organizations charge a variety of individual membership dues each term. The below is an estimated range for the type of membership dues that is collected annually by the IFC chapters at OSU.


### Chapter Membership Range per year

First Year of Membership: \$210-\$1,800

(average \$1,075)

Live-In: \$5,625-\$9,900 (average \$8,000)

Live-Out: \$450-\$1,800 (average \$1,035)

 [@ifc\\_oregonstate](https://www.instagram.com/ifc_oregonstate)

## Acacia

**Address:** 2857 NW Van Buren Ave

**Founding:** May 12, 1904 at University of Michigan

**Colors:** Black, Gold

**Philanthropy:** Shriner's Children's Hospital

**Website:** [www.acacia.org](http://www.acacia.org)

**Notable Alumni:** US President William Howard Taft, Leonard Kearney

**GPA Requirement:** 2.5/4.0

**Recruitment Contact:** Ethan Skyles, [skylese@oregonstate.edu](mailto:skylese@oregonstate.edu)

 [@osuacacia](https://www.instagram.com/osuacacia)

## Alpha Epsilon Pi

**Nickname:** AEPi

**Address:** 325 Student Experience Center

**Founding:** November 7, 1913 at New York University

**Colors:** Gold, Blue

**Philanthropy:** Repair the World Fund

**Website:** [AEPi.org](http://AEPi.org)

**Notable Alumni:** Simon & Garfunkel, Mark Zuckerberg, Wolf Blitzer

**GPA Requirement:** 2.8/4.0

**Recruitment Contact:** Rij Dorfman, [dorfmanr@oregonstate.edu](mailto:dorfmanr@oregonstate.edu)

 [@osu\\_aepi](https://www.instagram.com/osu_aepi)

## Alpha Gamma Rho

**Nickname:** AGR

**Address:** 331 NW 26th St.

**Founding:** April 4, 1908

**Colors:** Gold, Green

**Philanthropy:** Alpha Gamma Rho Foundation

**Website:** [alphagammarho.org](http://alphagammarho.org)

**Notable Alumni:** Orville Redenbacher, Norman Borlaug

**GPA Requirement:** 2.5/4.0

**Recruitment Contact:** Trent Lundy, [lundytr@oregonstate.edu](mailto:lundytr@oregonstate.edu)



## Alpha Sigma Phi

**Nickname:** Alpha Sig

**Address:** 325 Student Experience Center

**Founding:** December 6, 1845 at Yale University

**Colors:** Cardinal, Stone

**Philanthropy:** RAINN (Rape, Abuse, Incest National Network)

**Website:** [alphasig.org](http://alphasig.org)

**Notable Alumni:** Warren Buffet, John Kasich, Tom Watson

**GPA Requirement:** 2.7/4.0

**Recruitment Contact:** Cooper Graham, [minicoopgraham@gmail.com](mailto:minicoopgraham@gmail.com)

 [@oregonstate\\_alphasig](https://www.instagram.com/oregonstate_alphasig)

## Alpha Tau Omega

**Nickname:** ATO

**Address:** 309 NW 26th St

**Founding:** September 11, 1865 at Virginia Military Institute

**Colors:** Azure Blue, Old Gold, Kelly Green, White

**Philanthropy:** Leukemia and Lymphoma Society

**Website:** [ato.org](http://ato.org)

**Notable Alumni:** Tommy John, Cris Collinsworth, Guy Fieri, Bert Kreischer


**GPA Requirement:** 2.8/4.0

**Recruitment Contact:** Michael Proffitt, [proffimi@oregonstate.edu](mailto:proffimi@oregonstate.edu)


 [@osu.ato](https://www.instagram.com/osu.ato)



Delta Chi

**Address:** 203 NW 13th St  
**Founding:** October 13, 1890 at Cornell University  
**Colors:** Red & Buff  
**Philanthropy:** Jimmy V Foundation  
**Website:** deltachi.org  
**Notable Alumni:** Ashton Kutcher, Jack Del Rio, Jim Banks, Kevin Costner  
**GPA Requirement:** 2.8/4.0  
**Recruitment Contact:** Griffen Hubbard - hubbardg@oregonstate.edu  
 @deltachiosu

Delta Sigma Phi

**Nickname:** Delta Sigs  
**Address:** 325 Student Experience Center  
**Founding:** December 10, 1899 at City College of New York  
**Colors:** Nile Green, White  
**Philanthropy:** American Red Cross  
**Website:** deltasig.org/join  
**Notable Alumni:** Mike Duke, Ed O'Neill  
**GPA Requirement:** 2.5/4.0  
**Recruitment Contact:** Bradley Rule, bradley.rule@yahoo.com  
 @osudeltasig

Lambda Chi Alpha

**Nickname:** Lambda Chi  
**Address:** 1015 NW Monroe Ave  
**Founding:** November 2, 1909 at Boston University  
**Colors:** Green, Gold, Purple  
**Philanthropy:** Feeding America / Community Outreach Inc.  
**Website:** lambdachi.org  
**Notable Alumni:** Kenny Chesney, Harry S. Truman, Ron Paul  
**GPA Requirement:** 2.75/4.0  
**Recruitment Contact:** John Steinke & Brennan DeGarmo, recruitment@lacosu.com  
 @lambdachi.osu

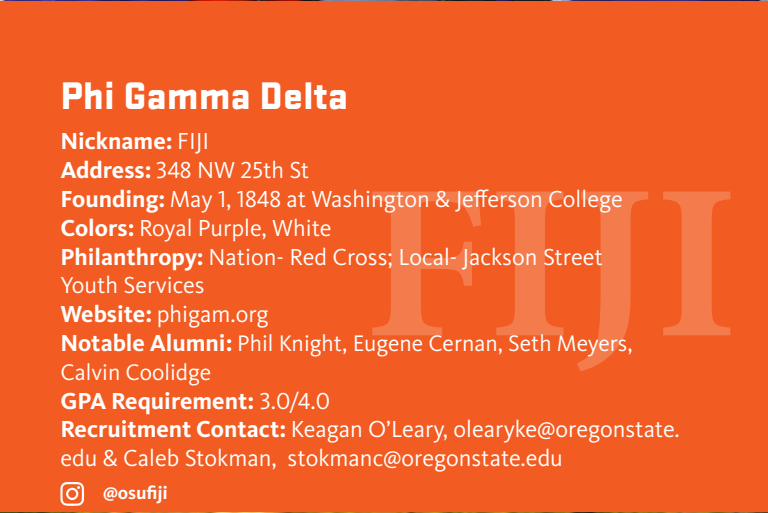


Delta Tau Delta

**Nickname:** DTD, Delts  
**Address:** 325 Student Experience Center  
**Founding:** 1858 in Bethany, West Virginia  
**Colors:** Purple, White, Gold  
**Philanthropy:** Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation (JDRF)  
**Website:** delts.org  
**Notable Alumni:** Will Farrell, Matthew McConaughey  
**GPA Requirement:** 2.7/4.0  
**Recruitment Contact:** Jackson Posey, poseyja@oregonstate.edu  
 @deltataudelta\_osu

Phi Delta Theta

**Nickname:** Phi Delt  
**Address:** 120 NW 13th St  
**Founding:** December 26, 1848 at Miami University  
**Colors:** Azure & Argent (Blue & White)  
**Philanthropy:** Live Like Lou Foundation  
**Website:** phideltatheta.org  
**Notable Alumni:** Neil Armstrong, Lou Gehrig, Adam Silver, Wes Welker  
**GPA Requirement:** 2.75/4.0  
**Recruitment Contact:** Jayce Knapp, knappja@oregonstate.edu  
 @phideltatheta\_osu



Phi Gamma Delta

**Nickname:** FIJI  
**Address:** 348 NW 25th St  
**Founding:** May 1, 1848 at Washington & Jefferson College  
**Colors:** Royal Purple, White  
**Philanthropy:** Nation- Red Cross; Local- Jackson Street Youth Services  
**Website:** phigam.org  
**Notable Alumni:** Phil Knight, Eugene Cernan, Seth Meyers, Calvin Coolidge  
**GPA Requirement:** 3.0/4.0  
**Recruitment Contact:** Keagan O'Leary, olearyke@oregonstate.edu & Caleb Stokman, stokmanc@oregonstate.edu  
 @osufiji


FarmHouse

**Address:** 325 Student Experience Center  
**Founding:** April 15, 1905 at University of Missouri  
**Colors:** Gold & Green  
**Philanthropy:** Be The Match  
**Website:** farmhouse.org and clubs.oregonstate.edu/farmhouse  
**Notable Alumni:** Evan Williams  
**GPA Requirement:** 2.7/4.0  
**Recruitment Contact:** Paul Lepshat, lepshap@oregonstate.edu  
 @oregonstate\_farmhouse

Kappa Sigma

**Nickname:** K Sig  
**Address:** 354 NW 25th St  
**Founding:** December 10, 1869 at University of Virginia  
**Colors:** Red, Green, Gold  
**Philanthropy:** Military Heroes Campaign  
**Website:** kappasigma.org  
**Notable Alumni:** Jimmy Buffett, John Brotherton  
**GPA Requirement:** 2.8/4.0  
**Recruitment Contact:** Matias Borja, borjam@oregonstate.edu  
 @kappasigma\_osu


Phi Kappa Psi

**Nickname:** Phi Psi  
**Address:** 140 NW 13th St.  
**Founding:** February 19, 1852 in Canonsburg, Pennsylvania  
**Colors:** Hunter Green, Cardinal Red  
**Philanthropy:** Boys and Girls Club  
**Website:** phikappapsi.com  
**Notable Alumni:** Woodrow Wilson, Micheal Bloomberg, Dave Franco  
**GPA Requirement:** 2.75/4.0  
**Recruitment Contact:** Remy Grayson, graysonr@oregonstate.edu & Kellan Akers, akerske@oregonstate.edu  
 @phipsiorbeta





## Pi Kappa Alpha

**Nickname:** PIKE  
**Address:** 209 NW 14th St  
**Founding:** March 1, 1868 at University of Virginia  
**Colors:** Garnet, Old Gold  
**Philanthropy:** Muscular Dystrophy Awareness  
**Website:** pikes.org  
**Notable Alumni:** Dr. Stephen R. Covey, Bobby Bowden, Michael Dubin, S. Truett Cathy  
**GPA Requirement:** 2.7/4.0  
**Recruitment Contact:** Dakota Schwartz, schwadak@oregonstate.edu  
 @oregonstatepike



## Pi Kappa Phi


**Nickname:** Pi Kapps  
**Address:** 2111 NW Harrison Blvd  
**Founding:** December 10, 1904 at College of Charleston  
**Colors:** Blue, White, Gold  
**Philanthropy:** The Ability Experience  
**Website:** pikapp.org  
**Notable Alumnae:** Jim Edmonds  
**GPA Requirement:** 2.8/4.0  
**Recruitment Contact:** Harry Reynolds, reynharr@oregonstate.edu  
 @oregonstatepikapps

## Sigma Alpha Epsilon

**Nickname:** SAE  
**Address:** 2929 NW Harrison Blvd  
**Founding:** March 9, 1856 at the University of Alabama  
**Colors:** Royal Purple, Old Gold  
**Philanthropy:** Mario Pastega House  
**Website:** sae.net  
**Notable Alumni:** Troy Aikman, Pete Carroll, Phil Jackson  
**GPA Requirement:** 2.8/4.0  
**Recruitment Contact:** Brett Beyer, beyerbre@oregon-state.edu, Cole Van Valin, vanvalic@oregonstate.edu, & Amir Fenderski, fendersa@oregonstate.edu


 @saeoregonstate

## Sigma Phi Epsilon


**Nickname:** SigEp  
**Address:** 224 NW 26th St  
**Founding:** November 1, 1901 in Richmond, Virginia  
**Colors:** Red, Purple, Gold  
**Philanthropy:** Community Outreach, Inc. (COI)  
**Website:** oregonstate.sigep.org  
**Notable Alumni:** Steven Cook, Ken Maddox, Gavin Brown, Jake Roselli  
**GPA Requirement:** 3.0/4.0  
**Recruitment Contact:** Evan Piazza, piazzar@oregonstate.edu  
 @sigep\_oa



## Sigma Pi

**Address:** 410 NW 25th St  
**Founding:** February 26, 1897 at Vincennes University  
**Colors:** Lavender & White with Gold as an auxiliary  
**Philanthropy:** American Foundation for Suicide Prevention, Donate Life  
**Website:** sigmapiosu.org  
**Notable Alumni:** Tony Romo, Jack Lazar, & Jeff Arnett  
**GPA Requirement:** 2.7/4.0  
**Recruitment Contact:** Drew Grabacki, grabacka@oregonstate.edu  
 @sigmapiosu

## Tau Kappa Epsilon

**Nickname:** TKE, Tekes  
**Address:** 1460 NW Van Buren Ave  
**Founding:** January 10, 1899 at Illinois Wesleyan University  
**Colors:** Cherry Red & Grey  
**Philanthropy:** St. Jude Children's Hospital  
**Website:** osutekes.com  
**Notable Alumni:** Aaron Rodgers, Golden Landis Von Jones (24kGoldn), Elvis Presley & Ronald Reagan  
**GPA:** 2.5/4.0  
**Recruitment Contact:** Hayden Forster, forsteha@oregonstate.edu  
 @osutke

## Sigma Chi

**Address:** 312 NW 25th St  
**Founding:** June 28, 1855 at Miami University  
**Colors:** Blue & Old Gold  
**Philanthropy:** Huntsman Cancer Foundation  
**Website:** sigmachioregonstate.squarespace.com  
**Notable Alumni:** Grover Cleveland, Brad Pitt, Drew Brees, Mike Ditka  
**GPA Requirement:** 2.75/4.0  
**Recruitment Contact:** Will Owen, owenw@oregonstate.edu & Tyler Groh, groht@oregonstate.edu

 @sigmachibetapi

## Sigma Nu

**Address:** 143 NW 10th St  
**Founding:** January 1, 1869 at Virginia Military Institute  
**Colors:** White, Black, and Gold  
**Philanthropy:** St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital  
**Website:** sigmanuosu.org or sigmanu.org  
**Notable Alumni:** Paul Rudd, Harrison Ford, Eli Manning, and Bob Barker  
**GPA Requirement:** 2.85/4.0  
**Recruitment Contact:** Humzah Ghani, ghanihu@oregonstate.edu

 @sigmanu\_osu

## Theta Chi

**Address:** 361 NW 26th St  
**Founding:** April 10, 1856 at Norwich University  
**Colors:** Military Red, White  
**Philanthropy:** United Service Organizations  
**Website:** www.ostatethetachi.com  
**Notable Alumni:** Dick Fosbury, Steven Spielberg  
**GPA Requirement:** 2.8/4.0  
**Recruitment Contact:** Leo Hernandez, hernaleo@oregonstate.edu

 @thetachiosu

## NEW FRATERNITY COMING IN 2022-2023 Delta Upsilon

**Nickname:** DU  
**Address:** 235 NW 25th St  
**Founding:** 1834 at Williams College  
**Colors:** Sapphire Blue & Old Gold  
**Philanthropy:** Global Service Initiative (GSI)  
**Website:** deltau.org  
**Recruitment Contact:** Contact the CFSL at cfs@oregonstate.edu for more information

This organization will be joining the OSU community coming Winter Term 2023. To learn more about becoming a founding father of this fraternity, please see recruitment information.



# Annual Community Programs



## Governing Council Leadership:

Chapter members have the opportunity to hold leadership positions on one of the governing council executive boards within Fraternity & Sorority Life. These boards, comprised of students who are community members, are elected by their peers to govern and program on behalf of their community. These councils annually participate in national leadership conferences and work to improve the fraternity/sorority experience at OSU.



## Leadership Development Programs:

Fraternity & Sorority Life annually hosts a variety of leadership development experiences, including two leadership retreats for members of the community. The Emerging Leadership Retreat is hosted each November for up-and-coming first and second year members, who engage in exploration of their own leadership goals. The President's Leadership Retreat is hosted in January and is an overnight weekend of community building and strategic planning for all chapter presidents and governing council officers.



## Order of Omega:

Order of Omega is a national Greek Honor Society for the top 3% of fraternity men & sorority women based on the tenets of scholarship, leadership, service, and character. Order of Omega's purpose is to recognize students who have attained a high standard of leadership within the community, to bring together those members who will help shape the community and the University, and to join faculty, alumni, and students with the intent of helping and understanding one another.

# & Involvement Opportunities

## Stepping & Strolling:

Stepping and Strolling is an expressive dance form that was created by African American fraternities in the 1970s. It has been adopted by most culturally-based fraternal organizations through the years. NPHC and MGC members move together in a line expressing pride for their organization. In this line, members may show this pride through the use of their organization's call, sign or historical information, ritual/custom dances, etc. NPHC and MGC organizations perform at annual yardshows and competitions.



## Greek Week:

Fraternities and sororities have been a part of the Oregon State University (OSU) community for over 100 years and Greek Week serves as a celebration of everything fraternity/sorority at OSU! Fraternity & Sorority members work together to plan a week of educational programs, friendly competitions and contribute to philanthropic causes. In 2022, the community came together to raise over \$10,000 for Special Olympics of Oregon by participating in the Polar Plunge!



## All-University Sing:

Previously known as "IFC Sing", the event originated in 1936 as a homecoming event for fraternity members at the Oregon Agricultural College. Today it is called All-University Sing, which is an annual event that chapters from the Collective Greek Council, Interfraternity Council, and Panhellenic Council traditionally participate in.





# OSU Sorority Alumnus Spotlight on GAYLE FITZPATRICK '78 AOII

As a student, Gayle Fitzpatrick '78 learned far more than what was part of the classroom curriculum. Her day-to-day collegiate experience involved managing large groups and leading meetings. Team-building. Solving conflict. Balancing a budget. Fundraising. Networking on campus and interacting with the community.

These skills, valuable assets throughout her career in finance and high technology, were finely honed as a leader in OSU's Greek community.

President of OSU's Alpha Rho chapter of Alpha Omicron Pi, Fitzpatrick had a great experience – so positive that she has remained a leader in her sorority. In fact, she served two, two-year terms as AOII's international president and has continued to be an involved alumna in the Oregon State chapter serving on the AOII Properties Board.

Having good leaders makes a difference for all members of a group. Fitzpatrick wants to be sure that present and future students in OSU's fraternity/sorority community have the best possible experience. "They'll take those experiences with them into the rest of their life," she said.

*Excerpts taken from a Fall 2017 Oregon Stater article written by Cathleen Hockman-Wert.*



A member of OSU's Fraternity and Sorority Alumni & Friends board, Fitzpatrick recently made a gift establishing an endowed fund to provide leadership training for students in the Greek community – especially younger students in their second and third year. The OSU Fraternity/Sorority Community is able to annually host an institute for emerging leaders because of this generous gift. Fitzpatrick was recently honored for these efforts with her induction into the Oregon State Greek Hall of Fame which recognizes outstanding alumni for their achievement and contributions to the community.

A graduate in finance, Fitzpatrick has been a leader in the technology industry for over three decades. Following many years with Oracle Corporation, she is vice president of global technical support at New Relic, a software analytics company.

Now living in Lake Oswego, Fitzpatrick remains closely connected to her Alpha Rho sisters, and to many other AOII members she met along the way.

"When you move to a new community, look for a job, need a place to live, who do you call? Even if you haven't met someone from another chapter, you still have the bond of being part of the same organization," she said. "There's a lot of intrinsic value. It's so much more than four years of college and hanging out and having a good time."



# Student Leader Spotlight on AARON MATEO OLMOS

**Major:** Public Health and Human Development Family Sciences  
**Hometown:** Imperial Beach, CA  
**Passion:** Fighting for justice and equality for all people

## Mateo's Involvement

**Member of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc.**

- Keeper of Records '21-'22

**Oregon State Wrestling Team**

**Leadership Liaison, Lonnie B. Harris Black Cultural Center '21-'22**

**Dam Change Board Member '20-'21**

**Director of Communication for the Black Student Union '19-'20**

**Vice President, Oregon State NAACP '19-'20**

## Awards:

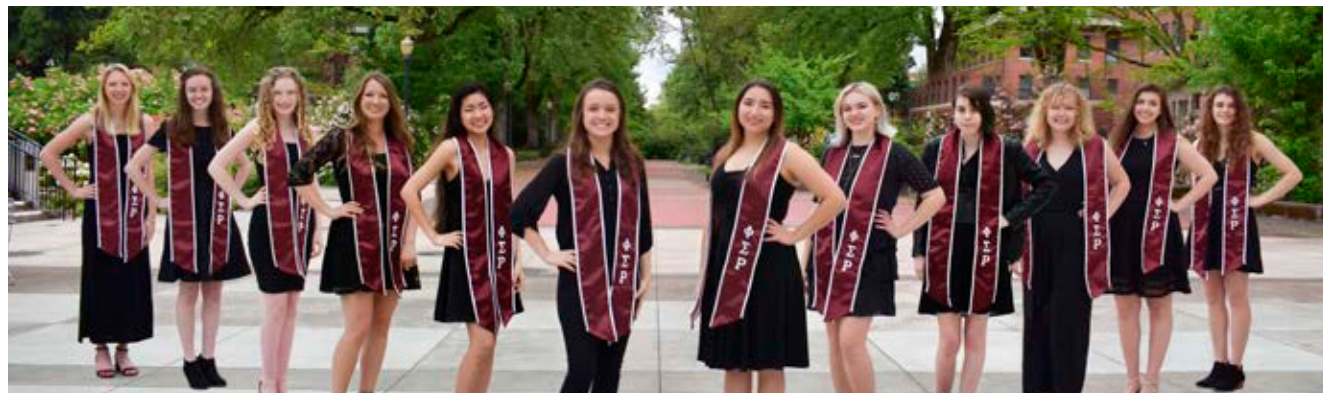
- 2020-2021 Scholar Athlete of the Year
- 2022 Arthur Ashe Jr. Scholar Athlete of the Year Runner Up
- 2022 Frances Dancy Hooks Award
- 2022 NPHC Scholar of the Year



The Greek Community has allowed me to connect and network with many like-minded college students and faculty nationwide. Specifically in my brotherhood, the bond is a lifetime bond of achievement and unity. I have been connected to so many successful Black men nationwide and my network only continues to grow.







# GREEK SPEAK

**Active:** A fully initiated undergraduate member of a fraternity or sorority.

**Alumnus/Alumna:** A member of a fraternity or sorority who has graduated from college.

**Bid:** A formal invitation to membership in a fraternity or sorority.

**Big:** An initiated member of a fraternity or sorority who serves as a mentor to a Potential/Prospective New Member, guiding them through the new member program and initiation.

**Chant:** A call used by members of culturally-based organizations or NPHC chapters to acknowledge or gain the attention of others; some organizations have more than one chant.

**Chapter:** The local collegiate membership unit of a national or international fraternity or sorority.

**Collective Greek Council (CGC):** The governing body for academic interest-based chapters at OSU. Currently, there are 4 sororities that make up CGC.

**Crossing:** Ceremony during which new members of culturally-based and historically black Greek-letter organizations become active, life-long members of their organization.

**Dues:** The monetary costs of membership in a fraternity or sorority that are used to fund the costs of operations, events, and other activities.

**Governing Council:** Peer elected executive board from the member groups within one community. Generally supports and acts as a voice for organizations within it, including being the official liaison between the university and the members of the member organizations.

**Hazing:** Unethical mental or physical abuse and activities that are prohibited by Oregon State University, the local and state government, and all OSU Greek councils and organizations. Please refer to the OSU Code of Student Conduct for the full definition of hazing.

**Initiation:** A traditional ritual or formal

ceremony that brings a new member into full Greek membership.

**Interfraternity Council (IFC):** Peer-elected governing council for traditionally housed fraternities that currently supports 22 men's chapters at OSU.

**Legacy:** An immediate relative of an initiated member of a fraternity or sorority, defined slightly differently by each individual organization.



**Line:** The new member class of a culturally-based or historically black organization.

**Little:** Short for "Little Brother/Sister" – a new member who is being mentored by an older member of their organization.

**Membership Intake:** Term for the process by which NPHC and MGC chapters recruit, select, educate, and initiate new members of their organizations.

**Multicultural Greek Council (MGC):** The governing body of 3 culturally-based organization designed to unite the diverse organizations and promote multicultural awareness to the OSU community.

**National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC):** The governing body of the nine historically African American fraternities and sororities, also known as the "Divine Nine".

**Neophyte:** A new member of a culturally-based or historically black organization which usually defines that stage between the completion of new member/pledge requirements and being initiated.

**New Member:** An individual who has accepted a bid to join a fraternity or sorority but who has not yet been initiated; also called an associate member.



**New Member Presentation:** A presentation that celebrates and welcomes new members into the Multicultural Greek or NPHC Community. A general set up of a new member presentation consists of welcoming fellow Greeks, local and national chapter history, and revealing of the new member(s).

**Order of Omega:** A national honor society for fraternity and sorority members who maintain a GPA above the All-Greek average, have distinguished themselves as leaders in the OSU Greek community, have exemplary character, and hold either junior or senior academic standing.

**Panhellenic Council (PHC):** Peer-elected governing council for traditionally housed sororities that currently supports 11 women's chapters at OSU.

**Philanthropy:** A fundraising event hosted to raise money for a charitable organization with which the chapter or community has a relationship.

**Potential New Member (PNM):** A person who is interested in joining a Greek-letter organization, and will participate in intake or recruitment.

**Recruitment Counselor (Gamma Chi):** A neutral representative of a Panhellenic sorority who temporarily leaves her affiliation to guide and support PNMs through recruitment.

**Ritual:** The traditional rites and ceremonies of a fraternity or sorority; these are almost always private and known only to initiated members of a fraternal organization.

**Saluting:** A unique art of reciting information in a line formation. Members perform intense, in-sync, and sharp movements with greetings attributing to others, honoring accomplishments, or cherishing the cultural history, heritage, and traditions of the organization.

**Stepping:** Stepping is a tradition where members synchronize their moves so that they are performing their own dance moves without music. In stepping the members will clap, stomp with their feet, jump, chant (not to be confused with saluting) and create their own beat by doing so. Stepping is traditionally done by NPHC organizations, but multicultural Greeks are also known to do it.

**Strolling:** Also known as party walking or 'party walk', is a synchronized dance performed with music by culturally based organizations.



# FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS



## 1. What will I get from a fraternity or sorority that I would not get out of any other college organization?

Coming to college is one of the major life changes that you will go through. Joining a fraternity or sorority will help make the transition easier. Developing lifelong friendships with other chapter members helps make the campus seem smaller. For many members, these chapters become a home away from home. In addition to the brotherhood/sisterhood, every chapter is dedicated to enhancing leadership, scholarship, and philanthropy/community service.

## 2. How do I find the right organization for me?

The best way to find your fit is to ask current members of the organization. Recruitment events are a great way to meet people and ask questions. At the end of the day, it matters most that you find a group that you connect with and that shares similar values with you.

## 3. If I go through membership intake or recruitment, am I guaranteed an invitation to join a fraternity or sorority?

Just as you are looking for a perfect fit, these organizations are also looking for great individuals. Membership criteria can change from organization to organization, but all groups will have a minimum GPA requirement; some will be focusing on previous or other campus involvement, others more on community service, leadership experience, etc. The most important thing is to be your genuine self throughout the recruitment/membership intake process and the right organization for you will embrace you for who you are.

## 4. If I am an international student, can I join a fraternity or a sorority?

Yes, anyone who is enrolled at OSU is allowed to pursue membership

through recruitment or membership intake. We welcome and encourage international students to take part in Fraternity and Sorority Life.

## 5. What opportunities for continued involvement are there after I graduate?

Fraternity and sorority life is a lifelong commitment with limitless opportunities. Following graduation, many organizations encourage their graduating members to join their local alumni association, as well as regional, district, or national positions and volunteer to support undergraduate members.

## 6. How much does it cost to join a fraternity or sorority?

During the recruitment or membership intake process, a potential member should ask members about the financial obligations and payment options. The average cost for the first term of joining an organization is usually

higher due to one-time expenses and fees. For housed chapters, dues and live-in fees are usually less than the cost to live on-campus in a residence hall. On each council's page you can see a breakdown of financial costs.

## 7. Do I have to go to all recruitment and membership intake events? What if I can't make it an event?

The best way to find out if an organization is for you, is to attend as many of their events as possible. This

will help you see if an organization is a good fit for you. However, it is up to you to attend or choose not attend recruitment events. You should never skip class to attend recruitment events. Your education always comes first, but always make an effort to let the chapter know ahead of time. Keep in mind, some organizations require you to meet certain criteria, for example attending an informational program, community service event, etc. before you will be eligible for membership.





# HOUSING AMENITIES

The below chart provides an overview of amenities for our housed fraternities and sororities. See a full map of these chapters on the following page.

Housed Chapter Name	Council	Alcohol Prohibited	Alcohol Permitted	Sprinklers	Living Style	House Director/ Resident Advisor	Cook/Chef	Laundry Free for Members	Parking Lot
FRATERNITIES									
Acacia	IFC		X	Full	SP	X	X	X	X
Alpha Gamma Rho	IFC	X		Partial	SP	X		X	X
Alpha Tau Omega	IFC		X	None	SP	X	X	X	X
Delta Chi	IFC		X	Partial	SP	X	X	X	X
Kappa Sigma	IFC		X	Full	SP	X	X	X	X
Lambda Chi Alpha	IFC		X	None	SP/BS	X	X	X	X
Phi Delta Theta	IFC	X		Full	SP	X	X	X	X
Phi Gamma Delta (FIJI)	IFC	X		Full	SP	X	X		X
Phi Kappa Psi	IFC		X	Full	BS	X	X	X	X
Pi Kappa Alpha	IFC		X	Full	SP/BS	X		X	X
Pi Kappa Phi	IFC		X	Full	SP	X	X		X
Sigma Alpha Epsilon	IFC		X	Full	SP	X	X	X	X
Sigma Chi	IFC		X	Full	SP	X	X	X	X
Sigma Nu	IFC		X	Full	SP	X	X	X	
Sigma Phi Epsilon	IFC	X		Full	SP	X	X	X	X
Sigma Pi	IFC		X	None	SP	X	X		X
Tau Kappa Epsilon	IFC		X	Full	BS	X	X	X	X
Theta Chi	IFC		X	Full	SP	X	X	X	X
SORORITIES									
Alpha Chi Omega	PHC	X		Partial	SP	X	X	X	X
Alpha Gamma Delta	PHC	X		Full	SP	X	X	X	X
Alpha Omicron Pi	PHC	X		Full	SP/BS	X	X	X	X
Alpha Phi	PHC	X		Full	SP	X	X	X	X
Chi Omega	PHC	X		Full	SP	X	X		X
Delta Delta Delta	PHC	X		Full	SP	X	X	X	X
Delta Gamma	PHC	X		Full	SP	X	X	X	X
Kappa Alpha Theta	PHC	X		Full	SP	X	X	X	X
Kappa Delta	PHC	X		Full	SP	X	X	X	X
Kappa Kappa Gamma	PHC	X		Full	SP/BS	X	X		X
Sigma Kappa	PHC	X		Partial	SP	X	X	X	X

## KEY

**Affiliated Housing Program (AHP):** Several housed fraternities and sororities participate in the Affiliated Housing Program which makes them eligible as an exemption from the first-year live-on requirement. First year students who are interested in learning more about joining and living-in one of these homes, check out the program's website: [studentlife.oregon-state.edu/cfsl/affiliated-housing-program](http://studentlife.oregon-state.edu/cfsl/affiliated-housing-program).

**Alcohol Prohibited** – alcohol is not permitted on chapter property

**Alcohol Permitted** – alcohol is permitted on chapter property for members who are 21 and social events\* with alcohol can be hosted on chapter property  
*\*see the IFC Social Policy for a full description of policies and guidelines for social events.*

**BS** – Bedroom Style

**Cook/Chef** – An individual or meal service hired by the organization to provide meals for live-in and, depending on the chapter's meal plan, live-out members. They work with the chapter to provide accommodations for dietary needs and sometimes assist with catering events.

**House Director/Resident Advisor** – An individual hired by the organization to assist collegiate chapter members with accountability and the upkeep of the chapter facility. This person cannot be an under-graduate student and they must live-in the facility.

**Laundry Free for Members** – Chapters with an “X” provide members with access to laundry facilities that do not require individual payment for each load. Some chapters may include this cost in the live-in member dues.

**Parking Lot** – Chapters with an “X” have a parking lot or spaces designated for their members. However, this does not mean that every member is guaranteed a spot.

**SP** – Sleeping Porch



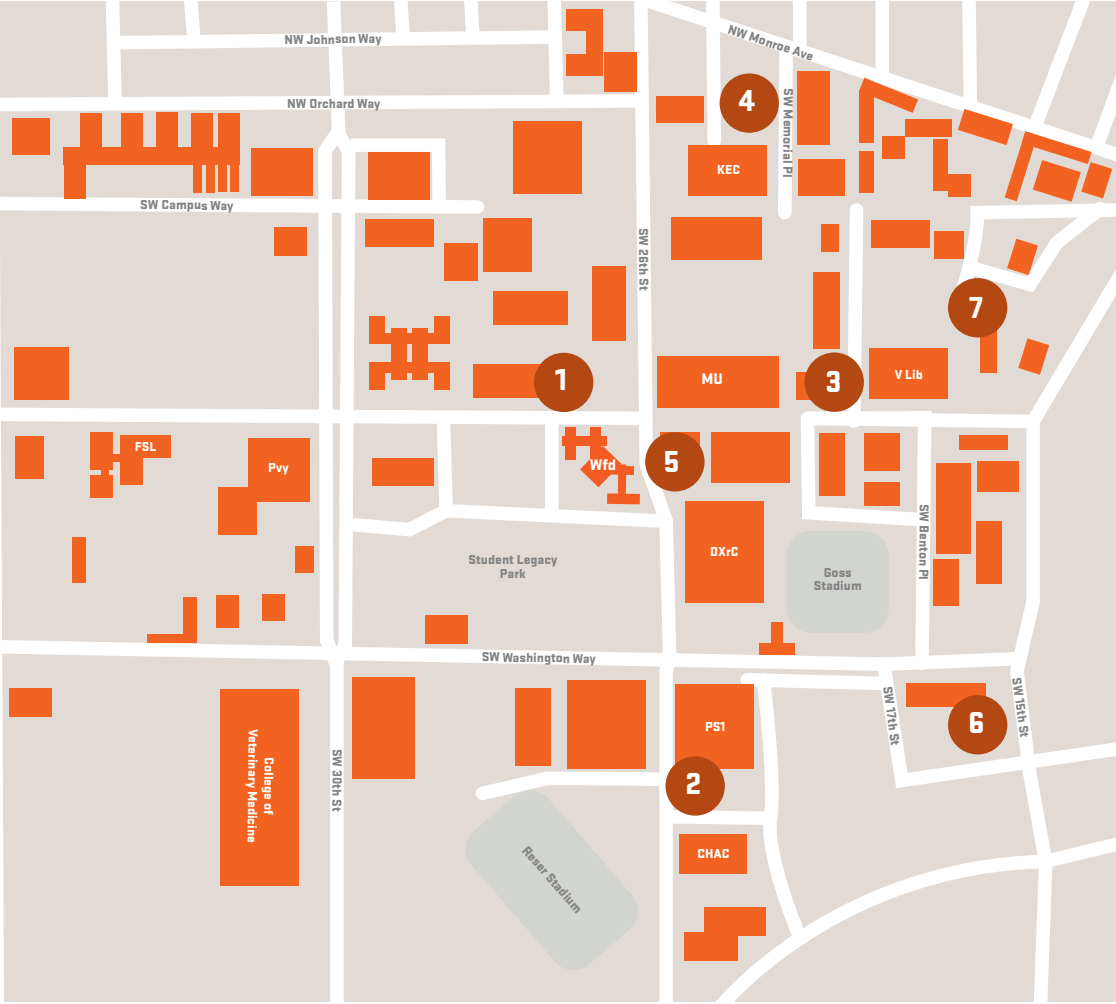


## Fraternities

	Acacia	2857 NW Van Buren Ave
<b>ΑΓΡ</b>	Alpha Gamma Rho	331 NW 26th St
<b>ΑΤΩ</b>	Alpha Tau Omega	309 NW 26th St
<b>ΔΧ</b>	Delta Chi	203 NW 13th St
<b>ΛΧΑ</b>	Lambda Chi Alpha	1015 NW Monroe Ave
<b>ΚΣ</b>	Kappa Sigma	354 NW 25th St
<b>Fiji</b>	Phi Gamma Delta	348 NW 25th St
<b>ΦΚΨ</b>	Phi Kappa Psi	140 NW 13th St
<b>ΦΔΘ</b>	Phi Delta Theta	120 NW 13th St
<b>ΠΚΑ</b>	Pi Kappa Alpha	209 NW 14th St
<b>ΠΚΦ</b>	Pi Kappa Phi	2111 NW Harrison Blvd
<b>ΣΑΕ</b>	Sigma Alpha Epsilon	2929 NW Harrison Blvd
<b>ΣΦΕ</b>	Sigma Phi Epsilon	224 NW 26th St
<b>ΣΠ</b>	Sigma Pi	410 NW 25th St
<b>ΣΧ</b>	Sigma Chi	312 NW 25th St
<b>ΣΝ</b>	Sigma Nu	143 NW 10th St
<b>ΤΚΕ</b>	Tau Kappa Epsilon	1460 NW Van Buren Ave
<b>ΘΧ</b>	Theta Chi	361 NW 26th St

## Sororities

<b>ΑΧΩ</b>	Alpha Chi Omega	310 NW 26th St
<b>ΑΓΔ</b>	Alpha Gamma Delta	360 NW 26th St
<b>ΑΟΠ</b>	Alpha Omicron Pi	127 NW 13th St
<b>ΑΦ</b>	Alpha Phi	357 NW 25th St
<b>ΧΩ</b>	Chi Omega	2240 NW Van Buren Ave
<b>ΔΔΔ</b>	Delta Delta Delta	340 NW 26th St
<b>ΔΓ</b>	Delta Gamma	715 NW 23rd St
<b>ΚΑΘ</b>	Kappa Alpha Theta	465 NW 23rd St
<b>ΚΔ</b>	Kappa Delta	305 NW 25th St
<b>ΚΚΓ</b>	Kappa Kappa Gamma	1335 NW Van Buren Ave
<b>ΣΚ</b>	Sigma Kappa	231 NW 26th St



## Cultural Resource Centers

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|---|-------------------------------|
| 1. Asian & Pacific Cultural Center        | 2695 SW Jefferson Way         |
| 2. Centro Cultural César Chávez           | 691 SW 26th St                |
| 3. Ettihad Cultural Center                | 380 Student Experience Center |
| 4. Lonnie B. Harris Black Cultural Center | 100 SW Memorial Place         |
| 5. Kaku-Ixt Mana Ina Haws                 | 311 SW 26th St                |
| 6. Pride Center                           | 1553 SW A Ave                 |
| 7. Hattie Redmond Women & Gender Center   | 1700 SW Pioneer Place         |

Only 28 of our 46 chapters are housed. Unhoused chapters offer the same membership benefits as housed chapters, and generally meet in the Memorial Union, Cultural Resource Centers, and in academic buildings throughout campus. Many of our culturally-based chapters use the CRCs as a home base.



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