



## University of Wisconsin - Madison, Interfraternity Council Bylaws

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## Article I. Name

The name of the organization shall be the Interfraternity Council of the University of Wisconsin-Madison, which may be abbreviated as IFC, or the IFC.

## Article II. Purpose/Object

The Interfraternity Council's object at the University of Wisconsin-Madison is to act as a self-governing body to promote a healthy, educational, educational, safe, and positive experience to all its members.

Section 1. The Interfraternity Council's continued purpose is to:

- Provide new programs and educational, philanthropic, and social opportunities for all member organizations.
- Ensure the unity and growth of the fraternity community.
- Foster positive relations on campus between fellow fraternity members, the greater university, and the Madison community.
- Maintain a positive working relationship with the other three Fraternity and Sorority Life Executive councils and member chapters of the UW-Madison.
- To act as leaders, both on campus and within our community.
- Uphold the highest standard of personal conduct including but not limited to personal fraternity membership, the IFC community, UW-Madison campus, all forms of competitive interaction.
- Promote the academic excellence of every fraternity member.
- Promote Fraternal association without discrimination on the basis of any identities.
- Promote ethnic, cultural, and racial awareness.
- Institute policies and rules that will maintain these purposes of the Interfraternity Council.

Section 2. The Interfraternity Council shall act as a self-governing institution at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, and promote the cultivation of social virtues both within itself, member fraternities and the public. In doing so:

- A. Maintain a positive working relationship with the executive councils and member chapters of the University of Wisconsin-Madison:
  1. Panhellenic Association.
  2. National Pan-Hellenic Council.
  3. Multicultural Greek Council.
- B. Act as a liaison between member fraternities and:
  1. Other student organizations.
  2. The student body.
  3. The faculty and administration.
  4. National Interfraternity Conference.

## Article III. Membership

### Section 1. Chapter Membership Classification

1. There shall be two classes of membership: regular/full and associate/probationary. All members, without regard to membership class, shall comply with all and be subject to these University of Wisconsin - Madison Interfraternity Council otherwise prescribed in these bylaws.
2. All members of the University of Wisconsin-Madison Interfraternity Council shall act in accordance with fundamental fraternity policies established by the National Interfraternity Conference, which take precedence over IFC bylaws, recruitment rules and other adapted policies.

#### **A. Full membership.**

1. Requirements to Become a full Member - a fraternity:
  - a. Must be recognized by the University of Wisconsin-Madison as a student organization and be in good standing with the University.
  - b. Must have been an Associate Member of IFC, and during that period of Associate Membership have met all obligations of an Associate Member as set forth by the bylaws and the UW-Madison.
    - i. Must receive a two-thirds vote of the General Council voting in a regular session by written or roll-call ballot to affirm membership.
  - c. Must maintain a chapter minimum GPA of a 3.0.
2. Privileges of a Full Member - A full Member shall:
  - a. Receive equitable treatment with or by any and all other members of the IFC; and may:
    1. Participate in all IFC sponsored programs.
    2. Vote at meetings of the General Council.
    3. Participate in the fraternity division of intramural sports, other IFC and FSL events. .
    4. Have its members, as are eligible, hold elected and appointed offices of the IFC executive board and judicial board.
    5. Receive IFC sponsored awards and recognition
  - b. Duties of a Full Member-- A full Member shall:
    - i. Pay all dues, fees, and fines owed to the IFC.
    - ii. Register each semester as a student organization of the University of Wisconsin-Madison.
    - iii. Abide by Bylaws and all policies adopted by the General Council and UW-Madison register student organization policies.
    - iv. Cooperate in all proceedings of either the IFC Judicial Board rulings affecting it.
    - v. Maintain an updated list of all members, officers, advisors, and corporation board members with the Executive Board of the IFC and Fraternity and Sorority Life Office.
    - vi. Ensure that all new members complete Fraternity and Sorority Life membership information form.

- vii. Register each semester as a student organization of the University of Wisconsin-Madison.
- viii. Encourage among its members a spirit of cooperation along with scholarship, service, and leadership among its members.
- ix. Submit the accreditation report to the Fraternity and Sorority Life Office.
- x. Must maintain an average of at least eight (8) Chapter members during any given academic year.

**B. Associate/Probationary, or Incoming**

- a. Requirements to Become an Associate Member– An Associate Member shall:
  - i. Must be recognized as an organization of the National Interfraternity Conference.
  - ii. Must present to the General Council at a public meeting:
    - a) Its name.
    - b) A copy of its local Constitution and Bylaws.
    - c) A copy of its national organization’s Constitution, Bylaws, and Policies.
    - d) A copy of policies such as Risk Management, Hazing, Social/ Alcohol.
    - e) A statement of its purposes.
    - f) Completed local charter
  - iii. Must receive a two-thirds vote of the General Council voting in a regular session by written or roll-call ballot to affirm Associate Members.
- b. Privileges of an Associate Member– An Associate Member may:
  - 1. Participate in all IFC sponsored programs.
  - 2. Speak at General Council meetings.
  - 3. Participate in the fraternity division of intramural sports, other IFC and FSL events.
  - 4. Duties of an Associate Member– An Associate Member shall:
  - 5. Pay all dues, fees, and fines owed to the IFC.
  - 6. Abide by this Constitution, Bylaws, and all policies adopted by the General Council and UW-Madison register student organization policies.
  - 7. Cooperate in all proceedings of either the IFC or IFC Judicial Boards.
  - 8. Maintain an updated list of all members, officers, advisors, and corporation board members with the Executive Board of the IFC and Fraternity and Sorority Life Office.
  - 9. Ensure that all new members complete Fraternity and Sorority Life membership.
  - 10. Register each semester as a student organization of the University of Wisconsin-Madison.
  - 11. Encourage among its members a spirit of cooperation along with scholarship, service, and leadership among its members.
  - 12. Submit the accreditation report to the Fraternity and Sorority Life Office.
- ii. Limitations of an Associate Member – An Associate members shall not:
  - 1. Hold an executive office within IFC.
  - 2. Hold a position on the IFC Judicial Board.
  - 3. Have a vote within IFC.

4. Cannot receive any IFC awards or designations.

## Section 2 - Standing with IFC

1. All member organizations, both Full Members, Associate/ Probationary and Incoming, of the Interfraternity Council at the University of Wisconsin-Madison shall remain in good standing with the IFC.

### A. Good Standing

- a. A Full Member fraternity that satisfies all requirements and duties of membership, and an Associate Member fraternity that satisfies all requirements and duties of membership is in good standing with IFC. See Article VII on good standing.

### B. Loss of Good Standing

- a. A Full Member may lose its good standing with the IFC if it is found guilty of not satisfying any requirements or duties of full membership.
- b. An Associate/Incoming Probationary and Incoming fraternity may lose its good standing with IFC if it is found guilty of not satisfying any requirements or duties of Associate Membership. See Article VII on loss of good standing.

### C. Consequences of Loss of Good Standing

- a. Any fraternity that loses its good standing could be expelled from IFC or could lose some or all of its privileges as granted by the IFC Judicial Board.
- b. If a chapter loses their status as a recognized student organization of UW - Madison, the chapter will lose good standing and be expelled by IFC.

## Article IV. Interfraternity Council (IFC)

### Section 1. Authority

- A. The governing body of University of Wisconsin - Madison, Interfraternity Community shall be the Interfraternity Council hereinafter referred to as the IFC.
  - a. The duties of the IFC is conduct all business related to the overall welfare of the University of Wisconsin - Madison, Interfraternity Community including but limited to: determining the cost of dues, approving the annual budget, consider expansion, determining programing, participate in IFC elections, approving and establishing bylaws, policies and recruitment rules.

### Section 2. Composition/Privileges

- A. The University of Wisconsin - Madison, IFC is composed of one delegate from each fraternity.
- B. The chapter delegate shall be the voting member of the Interfraternity council.
  - a. A chapter is encouraged to have delegates at all general meetings of the IFC general counsel meetings and are allowed two absences throughout each semester.
  - b. Must notify the Vice President of Operations within 24 hours, if you can not attend.
  - c. If a chapter misses more than two general counsel meetings their good standing could be put under review by the IFC judicial board.

### Section 3. Meetings

- A. General Council Meetings
  - a. Council Meetings will be biweekly unless otherwise announced by the IFC President.
- B. Special Meetings
  - a. The IFC President retains the right to hold meetings in addition to the General Council.
  - b. Presidents Meetings
    - i. Only chapter presidents may attend unless otherwise specified by the IFC President.
- C. President's Congress
  - a. The IFC President and Panhellenic Association President shall schedule a President's Congress no less than once a year. The IFC President and Panhellenic Association President shall set the agenda and either president may preside over the Congress.
- D. Voting
  - a. Voting shall be conducted as follows:
    - i. Each Full Member, in good standing, has one vote.
      - 1. If no delegate is present to vote for their respective chapter, the chapter will not receive a vote.
      - 2. No proxy voting is allowed.
    - ii. A delegate from a Full Member fraternity may request a delay in the vote for an agenda item until the next meeting to consult other members of his fraternity on how they wish to vote.
      - 1. One third of voting members are needed for the request delayed to be received.
      - 2. If advanced notice of an item has been provided, there will be no delay in voting.
    - iii. Quorum is One-Half of Full Member Fraternities.
      - 1. If a chapter has a member on the IFC executive board, that member can not vote on behalf of their chapter.
    - iv. The IFC President retains the right to break a tie.
      - 1. If the IFC President is not in attendance, the VP Judicial Affairs retains the right to break a tie.
  - b. Special Vote can be conducted as followed:
    - i. If deemed necessary by the IFC President or VP Judicial Affairs a vote can take place through a digital secure platform such as google form, survey monkey, qualtrics, etc.
    - ii. This method of voting will be announced prior to the beginning of the general council meeting and will be facilitated by the Vice President of Operations.

### Section 4. Duties and responsibilities of delegate

- A. Must attend all IFC general and special meetings unless otherwise specified by the IFC President.
- B. Must support all IFC bylaws, IFC policies and NIC resolutions and expectations.

- C. Must communicate IFC updates and policies back to chapter leadership/membership, advisors and headquarters, when needed.
- D. Should be prepared and knowledgeable about community concerns, the view of their members organization and chapter, and how to voice concerns to the council.

## V. Executive Board

### Section 1. Authority

- A. The IFC Executive Board retains the administrative power of the IFC and shall:
  - a. Facilitate on a daily basis the smooth operation of the IFC in accordance with its purpose and not contrary to the authority of the General Council or to the IFC Judicial Board.
  - b. Work closely with the Panhellenic Association, the National Pan-Hellenic Council, the Multicultural Greek Council and any member of the greater community for the advancement of the IFC.
  - c. Maintain open and working relationships with the Office of Fraternity and Sorority Life and the UW - Madison administration.

### Section 2. Composition

- A. The IFC Executive Board shall consist of the following members: President, Vice President of Judicial Affairs, Vice President of Risk Management, Vice President of Operations, Vice President of Recruitment, Vice President of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion, Vice President of Member Education, Vice President of Scholarship, Vice President of Civic Engagement, and Vice President of Programming.

### Section 3. Selection

- A. The selection of the executive board position of University of Wisconsin - Madison Interfraternity council shall be held by an election process.
- B. Eligibility
  - a. All candidates must :
    - i. Hold membership in a Full Member chapter within IFC.
      - 1. Candidates not in Full Member fraternities may appeal to the IFC judicial board for approval to be granted eligibility.
    - ii. Be in good standing for a minimum of one semester prior to their election with a cumulative GPA 2.5 to be maintained throughout their term.
    - iii. Be in good standing with their individual chapter.
    - iv. Should not hold a mirroring role within their chapter.
    - v. Chapter Presidents cannot hold any board positions.
    - vi. Complete an application by the deadline set by the VP Judicial Affairs.
- C. Selection Procedure
  - a. The VP Judicial Affairs will set all election dates with support from the IFC Advisor and President.

- i. VP Judicial Affairs will provide the election timeline at a council meeting prior to the beginning of the election cycle.
  - ii. Application must be live for two weeks prior to the gathering of the election committee.
- b. The Nominating Committee shall consist of the IFC executive board. Each member of the committee shall receive one vote.
  - i. No voting by proxy is allowed.
- c. The nominating committee will host interviews for all candidates that outgoing chapter presidents can attend to provide feedback.
- d. The nominating committee must slate a minimum of two candidates for each position and at least 4 candidates for Vice President of Recruitment.
- e. The nominating committee will present the slate to the IFC council during a council meeting which will be followed by speeches of all candidates starting with the President and following the chain of command.
  - i. Chapter representatives are allowed to ask questions after all candidates for each position have spoken.
  - ii. Speeches will be limited to 2 minutes per candidate.
  - iii. Q&A will be limited to 3 minutes per candidate. A chapter delegate may motion for an additional 2 minutes of Q&A. This motion will need a majority approval to be granted.
  - iv. Voting will be conducted by secret ballot.
  - v. The candidate who receives a majority of votes is elected.
- f. Events such as ineligibility or non-attendance on the election day remain outside the committee's control. If these conditions result in an uncontested election, the remaining candidate for the respective position will be declared the winner.
- g. A may run from the floor if not selected by the Nominating Committee.
  - i. They must be approved to run from the floor by two delegates from different chapters.

#### Section 4. Officer Evaluation and Removal.

- A. The IFC Advisor and IFC President are responsible for monitoring the progress of each IFC Executive Board Member.
- B. IFC Advisor and IFC President shall have the right to conduct one evaluation of each member every semester supporting the growth and development of each officer..
  - a. The IFC Advisor and IFC President can remove an individual from office for poor performance, and unethical behavior with consultation of the IFC judicial board.
  - b. The IFC council may remove an officer from the Executive Board with a vote of two thirds of members present. Notice must be given one week prior to the vote.



## Section 5. Vacancies

- A. Offices which are vacant for any reason shall be filled by election and held to the end of the office's natural term at the earliest convenience of the Council.

## Section 6. Terms

- A. An officer shall hold a term of office for one year starting at the beginning of the spring semester.
  - a. Required to attend all meetings. Consistent unexcused absences may be turned to the IFC Judicial Board for review, at the discretion of the IFC President.

## Section 7. Officer Duties

All officers shall:

- A. Attend all general, special and executive board meetings.
- A. Attend any and all conferences determined by the office of Fraternity and Sorority Life.
- B. Meet regularly with their assigned advisor in the office of Fraternity and Sorority Life.
- C. Attend IFC/PHA officer training scheduled in either January or early February.
- D. Reserve the right to file grievances with the IFC Judicial Board for failure to comply with activities mandated by an executive board officer
- E. Each officer is responsible for creating all marketing materials for events they lead.  
May serve as liaison to the university administration on topic based items related to role.
- F. Create transition documents for successors and participate in training them.
- G. Perform all other duties assigned and support all initiatives of the Interfraternity Council.

The President shall:

- A. Call and preside at all general and special meetings of the University of Wisconsin - Madison Interfraternity council, Interfraternity executive board and President's Congress.
- B. Serve as the primary liaison to the university administration.
  - a. If and when they are not able, they can appoint an executive board member to do so.
- C. Communicate with chapter leadership on community wide or university issues or topics as needed.
- D. Maintain management over all IFC social networking platforms including but not limited to the IFC website and instagram in partnership with VP Operations, VP Programming, VP Recruitment, VP Diversity, Equity and Inclusion and other officers as needed.
- E. Design Interfraternity apparel for the Interfraternity executive board.
- F. Report as required or needed to the National Interfraternity Conference.
- G. Serve as support to the VP of Recruitment during planning and execution of recruitment.
- H. Work with VP Diversity, Equity and Inclusion on community wide social justice initiatives.
- I. Work with Chief Justice and Vice President of Risk Management to address community concerns.

- J. Work with the Presidents of the Panhellenic Association, the National Pan-Hellenic Council, and the Multicultural Greek Council as necessary to improve fraternity and sorority relations and visibility.

The Vice President of Judicial Affairs Shall:

- A. Perform the duties of the IFC President in their absence or inability to serve at their call.
- B. Review all Complaints Against a Greek Entity Reports and follow due process.
- C. Serve as the chairmen of the IFC Judicial Board during all proceedings of a judicial nature.
- D. Work with IFC President, Vice President of Risk Management in implementing sanctions and addressing community concerns.
- E. Work with the Vice President of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion to perform a cultural audit of IFC bylaws and election process each year.
- F. Work closely with Panhellenic Chief Justice to address large Panhellenic and IFC concerns.
- G. Coordinate election and appointment of IFC officers with the support of the IFC advisor.

The Vice President of Risk Management shall:

- A. Organize a Risk Management seminar for chapter risk management chairs and social chairs at the beginning of each semester.
- B. Work closely with the Panhellenic Vice President of Risk Management to establish a procedure for monitoring social functions, monitor social events and implement harm prevention strategies.
- C. Work with the Vice President of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion and the IFC advisor to promote and ensure positive social event themes and safety for all identities at social events.
- D. Will distribute, collect, monitor, and archive all social contracts for IFC chapters.
- E. Meet and maintain a relationship with the Madison Police department and Langdon Street liaison officer.

The Vice President of Operations shall:

- A. Serve as the Interfraternity secretary and historian by archiving, taking and sending out all Interfraternity council meeting minutes to the executive board, general council, and fraternity and sorority life staff.
- B. Produce all general council agendas.
- C. Reserve meeting space for all IFC council, executive, and special meetings.
- D. Maintain the IFC web page in partnership with the IFC President.
- E. Maintain and keep track of chapter attendance at all IFC general and special meetings.
- F. Serve as the treasurer for the Interfraternity Council.
- G. Maintain current financial reports.
- H. Work with the Vice President of Scholarship to implement and coordinate semesterly mointary scholarships to IFC members.
- I. Responsible for creating an annual Interfraternity budget with the support of IFC Advisor along with:
  - a. General supervision of the Finances of the University of Wisconsin - Madison, Interfraternity council including invoicing and collection of dues, seeing through all payments of Interfraternity expenses and keeping record of said expenses.

The Vice President of Recruitment shall:

- A. Call and preside at timely meetings of the IFC Recruitment Committee, composed of Recruitment Chairs from the member fraternities to update and discuss all IFC recruitment policies and concerns.
- B. Host a semesterly recruitment educational workshop for all chapters recruitment chairs. The workshop will cover recruitment regulations, adherence to dry recruitment, marketing strategies, preparation for Fraternity Forum and tips on effective recruitment strategies.
- C. Coordinate all system wide recruitment programs and events to include, but not be limited to: Recruitment Tables, Publicity and Advertisement.
- D. Make themselves available to aid member fraternities with their own recruitment programs.
- E. Collect each chapter bid list at the conclusion of recruitment to inform future recruitment periods.
- F. Gather feedback post recruitment from chapter leadership and potential new members.
- G. Compile and publish a master recruitment calendar for all potential new members.
- H. Will work with the Vice President of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion updating recruitment rules/guidelines within the IFC community along with recruitment of underrepresented groups on campus.
- I. Host a recruitment informational for all potential new members each semester at the beginning of recruitment

The Vice President of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion shall:

- A. Develop educational programming for chapter members on past and present racial injustices/systemic racism specifically in Fraternity and Sorority Life.
- B. Plan diversity and inclusion initiatives for IFC and across all four Fraternity and Sorority Life councils.
- C. Promote cultural events hosted by student groups on campus and seek to develop partnerships with identity-based student groups.
- D. Serve as a representative of IFC on the Fraternity and Sorority Life Social Justice committee.
- E. Provide guidance to chapter leadership regarding inclusive best practices.
- F. Maintain and promote a list of current resources and materials containing information on pertinent programs and activities.
- G. Perform a cultural audit of the current council bylaws, policies and procedures including but election process, recruitment rules/guidelines, social events, etc.
- H. Work in partnership with all council officers to provide guidance on diversity, equity and inclusion in all of the council and community including but not limited to:
  - a. Vice President of Recruitment on recruitment rules/guidelines and recruitment of underrepresented groups on campus.
  - b. Vice President of Risk Management in event theme approval.
  - c. Vice President of Judicial Affairs cultural audit of the current council bylaws. policies and procedures.

The Vice President of Member Education shall:

- A. Holds round table meetings with New Member Educators around hazing, alcohol, and related topics each semester.
- B. Conduct a system of IFC sponsored New Member Education for new members at least once per semester on relevant topics such Sexual Abuse, Date Rape, Alcohol Awareness, and Hazing.
- C. Charis IFC Wellness committee that consists of IFC Wellness Ambassadors.

- D. Create and provide resources/events on health and wellness for the IFC community.
- E. May work in partnership with Risk Management on IFC health and wellness initiatives.
- F. Support Vice President of Programming in development educational component of Greek Week

The Vice President of Scholarship shall:

- A. Work to maintain a high level of scholastic achievement in IFC member fraternities.
- B. Plan IFC-Wide Scholarship plans, programs and provide resources related to scholarship and professional development within newsletters, instagram post/highlights etc.
- C. Make himself available to aid member fraternities with their own academic programs.
- D. Plan, coordinate and provide resources related to scholarship with the other fraternity and sorority councils.
- E. Work with the Vice President of Operation to implement and coordinate semesterly monetary scholarships to IFC members.
- F. Organize and host a Fraternity and Sorority Life study nights.
- G. Support Chief Justice in support chapters not in good standing with IFC due to GPA.
  - a. Will review academic plans when chapters are expected to submit them.

The Vice President of Civic Engagement shall:

- A. Serve as the IFC community service liaison, duties including at least one all-Fraternity or all-FSL service event per year.
- B. Coordinate philanthropic events and efforts for the Interfraternity community.
  - a. Examples of events:
    - i. Contact local organizations regarding fundraising and item based donation.
    - ii. Powderpuff football tournaments.
    - iii. ESports tournaments.
- C. Coordinate annual service and philanthropic events within the Interfraternity community such as but not limited to Trick or Treat with the Greeks.
- D. Provide education and resources year around about voting and other civic duties.
- E. Ensure that every fraternity on campus performs at least a total of three community service and or philanthropic events per calendar year.
- F. Collects philanthropic and service data from IFC chapters at the conclusion of each semester

The Vice President of Programming shall:

- A. Work with the assistant director of Recreational Sports.
- B. Coordinate and plan IFC Sponsored leagues in coordination with the Division of Recreational Sports including by not limited to creating a master schedule, supervising IFC leagues to ensure good sportsmanship etc.
- C. Work with the other governing councils to plan Greek Week.
- D. Plan programming for the IFC community on relevant topics and events.
- E. Work in collaboration with Panhellenic, National Pan-Hellenic and Multicultural council on community wide programs.

#### Section 8. Advisor

- A. The IFC advisor shall be appointed by the University of Wisconsin-Madison administration.
- B. The IFC advisor shall serve in an advisory capacity to the IFC executive board and IFC general counsel. The IFC advisor shall not have a vote but has the ability to speak at general council and executive board meetings.

### Article VI. Finances

#### Section 1. Fiscal Year

- A. The fiscal year of the University of Wisconsin - Madison Interfraternity Council shall be from January 1 to December 31.

#### Section 2. Contracts

- A. The signature of President and Vice President of Operations shall be required to bind the IFC.

#### Section 4. Payments

- A. All payments due to the IFC shall be given to and recorded by the Vice President of Operations.

#### Section 5. Chapter Dues

- A. National Interfraternity Conference dues shall be paid annual as invoice by the national office.
- B. IFC Chapter dues shall be invoiced semesterly and paid to the Vice President of Operations.
- C. The dues of each Interfraternity chapter membership dues shall be an assessment per member.
  - a. The amount of dues shall be \$10.00 per member.
  - b. The amount of dues can be reassessed at the start of each semester, if needed.
  - c. The dues of each IFC chapter shall be payable at the conclusion of recruitment.
  - d. Due must be paid within 30 days of the invoice.
    - i. If a member fraternity fails to pay its assessment when due, the VP of Operations shall fine the chapter 10% of the amount due plus an additional \$1.00 per day late.
  - e. The IFC will maintain a minimum balance of five thousand dollars (\$5000) in a reserve account.

### Article VII. Chapter Standings Policies

#### A. Good Standing

- a. A Full Member fraternity that satisfies all requirements and duties of membership, and an Associate Member fraternity that satisfies all requirements and duties of membership is in good standing with IFC.

- i. To be in good standing all chapter members must follow the IFC bylaws in addition to the following items:
    1. Must be in a recognized student organization.
    2. Maintain a minimum chapter GPA of 3.0.
    3. Submit active membership rosters to the Office of Fraternity and Sorority Life at the start of each semester.
    4. Submit live in rosters to the Office of Fraternity and Sorority Life at the start of each semester.
    5. Ensure any and all new members complete the Fraternity and Sorority Membership form within their first week of membership.
    6. Chapter President, Risk Management and Social Chair must attend semesterly risk management seminars.
    7. Maintain updated risk management, recruitment and IFC bylaws on file.
    8. Complete any necessary paperwork or processes to host register events.
    9. Miss no more than two (2) general council meetings and attend the President's Congress.
    10. Remain current with dues, late fees and any imposed fees.
  - ii. A chapter must be determined in good standing by the IFC executive board in order to participate in all IFC sponsored events, host or co-sponsor social events.
- B. Loss of Good Standing (ie. Bad Standing )
- a. A full member fraternity and an associate member fraternity may lose its good standing with the IFC if it is found guilty of not satisfying any requirements or duties of full or associate membership.
  - b. IFC VP Judicial Affairs will give a chapter a warning if they are at risk of losing their status as good standing.
  - c. A chapter could be sanctioned by the IFC judicial board for not completing or complying with the IFC bylaws.
  - d. A chapter can lose their status of good standing by failing to meet or comply with IFC bylaws, Registration Student Organization policies and Fraternity and Sorority Life expectations.
- C. Change of Status
- a. A chapter can petition their statues or rights to participate in IFC sponsored events or host or co-sponsor social events to the IFC judicial board.
- D. Consequences of Loss of Good Standing
- a. Any fraternity that loses its good standing could be expelled from IFC or could lose some or all of its privileges as granted by the IFC bylaws, as determined by the IFC Judicial Board.
  - b. A member fraternity that is found in violation of IFC Bylaws, recruitment rules and other adapted IFC policies and administrative action may lose its good standing or may be expelled from IFC.

#### Article VIII. Violation Resolution (Judicial Board)

- A. The judicial power of the IFC shall lie with the IFC Judicial Board and chaired by IFC VP Judicial Affairs.
- B. The IFC Judicial Board roles is to decide disputes between member fraternities, to adjudicate infractions of regulations or administrative action, to adjudicate violations of the IFC bylaws, IFC recruitment rules and other adapted policies.

#### Article IX. Standing Committees

- A. Judicial Board
  - a. The IFC Judicial Board is chaired by the Vice President of Judicial Affairs as discussed in Article VIII.
  - b. Chapter members from full member good standing organizations can apply to serve on the IFC Judicial Board.
- B. Wellness Committee
  - a. The Wellness Committee is chaired by the Vice President of Member Education.
  - b. The Vice President of Member Education will conduct an application and appointment process for wellness ambassadors to sit on this committee.

#### Article X. Parliamentary Authority

- A. The rules contained in the current edition of Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised shall govern the IFC general council meetings in all cases to which they are applicable. This includes the meeting process, motions, and any voting procedure.

#### Article XI. Amendment of Bylaws

- A. These bylaws may be amended at any general council or special meeting of the IFC by a two-thirds vote, provided that the proposed amendment has been announced and submitted in writing at the prior council meeting.

#### Article XII. National Interfraternity Conference Relationship

- A. The IFC will work collaboratively with the National Interfraternity Conference (NIC) to ensure their policies and procedures support the health, safety and development of member fraternities and their membership.