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Dear Tigers of Tomorrow,

Welcome to the 2022 Interfraternity Council (IFC) Formal Recruitment at the University of Missouri! This week, you will be introduced to the values of our community and meet men from the many different IFC chapters at the University of Missouri.

While our fraternity brothers come from a wide range of backgrounds, they all work together to become community leaders, scholars and well-rounded men who are ready to take on life after college.

Joining a fraternity is a great way to get involved in the campus community. It can also introduce you to the many other clubs, philanthropies and leadership roles available at Mizzou.

Recruitment will help you find your place on campus. It will also be an opportunity for you to build relationships. You will meet men this week who will become your lifelong friends.

Keep an open mind, be yourself and make the right decisions for you. You’ll eventually find the chapter that fits you best. You will also discover what makes Mizzou and our fraternity community so special.

Have an amazing time!

Sincerely,

Brett Nygren

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FRATERNITY: ONE WORD, MANY MEANINGS

A fraternity is a community of men gathered around common interests, goals and values. Each member takes his own meaning from his experience. One may discover his leadership potential as a chapter or council executive. Another may find a new aptitude for academic pursuits. Yet another may take satisfaction in serving his chapter or his community through his fraternity’s philanthropic efforts. But all gain lifelong friendships and a large support system.

Lifelong Friends

The building blocks of any fraternity are the members. Fraternity brothers make lifelong commitments to share friendship, respect and knowledge with each other. Once you join a fraternity, the bonds you form with your brothers will grow stronger than any other.

I love being a part of my fraternity. It’s about so much more than school and friends. These organizations do so much for the community.

- Rhett Pruett
Theta Chi

Support System

Moving from your hometown to Mizzou’s campus can be intimidating. But a fraternity can quickly make the campus community seem more familiar. Through celebrations and challenges, your brothers will surround, support and care for you — all while helping you discover your passions and reach your goals.

The best part about being in a fraternity at Mizzou are the connections. Connections within your own chapter, connections with other chapters on campus, making campus a lot smaller, making it a lot more manageable and making it a lot more fun.

- Thom Molen
Delta Chi

Leadership Opportunities

Fraternities offer leadership opportunities ranging from the chapter level to campus and national levels. No matter what level of leadership role you are seeking, fraternities can connect you with the resources, experience and opportunities you need.

It means more than just being a part of an organization. It means creating a lifelong commitment to your brothers and meeting some friends and mentors that will guide you through your college career and beyond.

- Jordyn Newman
Pi Kappa Phi
PHILANTHROPY/SERVICE EFFORTS

Service is one of IFC’s core values. That’s why fraternity chapters sponsor projects to address the needs of Mizzou and the local community. Each year, chapters contribute thousands of volunteer hours to supporting charitable organizations. Some fraternities help local organizations, such as the Food Bank for Central & Northeast Missouri or the Thompson Center for Autism and Neurodevelopmental Disorders. Other fraternities help national organizations such as St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital or the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society.

Some Notable Philanthropies On Campus Include:

• Rock-A-Thon
• Boys & Girls Club of America
• Live Like Lou Foundation
• Jimmy V Foundation for Cancer Research
• United Service Organizations
• Active Minds: Changing the Conversation About Mental Health
• Get on the Ball for Children’s Miracle Network
INVolVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

For more than 150 years, fraternity men have helped support and celebrate the University of Missouri. Pride in the community's involvement in Mizzou's oldest traditions is reflected in how they continually strive to build on those traditions and better served the community.

Homecoming:

Each year, fraternities team up with other fraternities and sororities to celebrate Homecoming. Chapter houses showcase elaborate decorations. The chapters' floats are an integral part of the annual Homecoming parade.

"The best part about Homecoming is the atmosphere and getting to meet so many new people. Homecoming requires a lot of hard work to meet our end goals, but it always feels amazing to look back at all the memories you make putting in the work. It definitely pays to get as involved as you can in Homecoming to get the most you can out of Mizzou's greatest tradition.

- Cooper Zimmerscheid
Zeta Beta Tau
Greek Week:

Each spring semester, fraternities and sororities host a week of friendly competition. Through games, contests and sports, the annual celebration brings the entire fraternity and sorority community closer together.

The week-long event gives chapters the opportunity to display their talents, skills and strengths. Mizzou’s fraternities and sororities lead the nation in spring blood drive participation.

“Being able to come together toward a common goal with your fraternity brothers and a sorority during Greek Week is always exciting. I enjoy how every year second semester usually starts off with preparing for Greek Week and determining who will be performing in skits, athletics, and other competitions. It’s always exciting to meet other students who you’re paired with during Greek Week because everyone has a positive attitude.

- David Rogers
Beta Theta Pi

Fraternities serve as gateways to involvement in the broader community. Many brothers are also members and leaders within the multitude of student-led organizations at Mizzou, including Tour Team, the Alumni Association Student Board, the Missouri Students Association, the Associated Students of the University of Missouri and the Missouri International Student Council.
CHAPTER
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ALPHA EPSILON PI  

FOUNDING NATIONALLY:  
1913  

FOUNDING AT MIZZOU:  
1947  

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FOUNDED AT MIZZOU: 1924

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FOUNDED AT MIZZOU: 1891

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KAPPA SIGMA  Kappa Sig

FOUNDED NATIONALLY:
1869

FOUNDED AT MIZZOU:
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PHI DELTA THETA  Phi Delt

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FOUNDED AT MIZZOU: 1870

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FOUNDED AT MIZZOU: 1869

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FOUNDED AT MIZZOU: 1959

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PI KAPPA PHI

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FOUNDED AT MIZZOU: 2018

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FOUNDED AT MIZZOU:
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SIGMA NU  Sig Nu

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1869

FOUNDED AT MIZZOU:
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FOUNDED AT MIZZOU: 2014

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FOUNDED AT MIZZOU: 1914

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FOUNDED AT MIZZOU:
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FOUNDED AT MIZZOU: 1917

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RECRUITMENT ADVICE

Every new member has a unique reason to go through recruitment. Here are a few reasons from current members and what they gained from the experience.

“Don’t be afraid to ask questions and find a group that values you.”

- John Messer
  Alpha Kappa Lambda

“I joined because of all the connections and friendships that I’ve made. I have no idea what I would be doing with my time without my fraternity. The people that I’ve met have benefited my life for the better just in the first year that I’ve been here and known them. I know that I can go to any one of my brothers with any problem and they’ll have my back. My fraternity has also given me a deeper connection to the university that I wouldn’t have if I wasn’t in it.”

- Noah Breitenstein
  Delta Chi

“I chose to go through formal fraternity recruitment because I wanted to build my leadership skills, get involved on campus and build a network at Mizzou.”

- Greg Pierson
  Sigma Phi Epsilon

“I’m glad I joined because of all the connections and friendships that I’ve made. I have no idea what I would be doing with my time without my fraternity. The people that I’ve met have benefited my life for the better just in the first year that I’ve been here and known them. I know that I can go to any one of my brothers with any problem and they’ll have my back. My fraternity has also given me a deeper connection to the university that I wouldn’t have if I wasn’t in it.”

- Noah Breitenstein
  Delta Chi

“To any potential new member about to go through the recruitment process, I would recommend to take advantage of every opportunity to the fullest. Through recruitment, or college in general, don’t cut any opportunity short and enjoy every moment — it flies by and you will not regret saying yes!”

- Tyler Hagan
  Beta Theta Pi
• The presence of alcohol or drugs at any time during a recruitment event, including bid day activities, is prohibited.

• All recruits are required to attend and be on time to every session of recruitment.

• Contacting recruitment chairmen outside the designated times during the recruitment process is prohibited and strictly monitored.

• Violation of any of these rules can result in the recruit being dismissed from recruitment.

• All university policies must be followed. Violations of policy could result in a recruit being sent to the Office of Student Accountability & Support.