

Multicultural Greek Council Options for Restructure

OPTION 1: CURRENT MULTICULTURAL GREEK COUNCIL STRUCTURE WITH NEW CONSTITUTION

MGC remains Multicultural Greek Council comprised of the current chapters

Potential changes in constitution include but are not limited to:

Attendance:

Each organization must have 1 delegate, which remains constant, present at all respective meetings. Delegates must have a 2.0 GPA.

If delegate is unable to attend, must approve substitute with Executive Board prior to meeting.

If delegate misses two meetings and is unexcused, chapter receives two week probation (current attendance policy)

Chapter Programming:

Option #1: Open Model of Programming

Each chapter gets to program on its founders day (either National or Local, must choose one). Every other day is open to anyone's programming.

Option #2: Modified Weeks Model

Each chapter gets 1 week (7 days, Sunday through Saturday) per year to program. Remaining weeks are open to any organization to program. Chapters can program at the same time as other organizations during these remaining, open weeks, but they cannot program during another chapter's founders week. In an effort to promote attendance attention and avoid overlap, chapters will submit their events to MGC so they can be placed on the programming calendar. This is done for both programming during designated weeks, and for open programming days. On these open programming days, more than one chapter can host a program.

In either option, if another chapter programs on your day/week, they lose programming privileges for their next designated day/week. This can carry over to the following academic year if needed.

Monitoring this is the responsibility of both the Executive Board and the programming chair.

Council Programming:

The Multicultural Greek Council should host a minimum of 3 programs per semester using member dues and funds raised. We recommend 1 fundraising event, 1 educational event, and 1 community service event. Responsibility to do so lies within the Executive Board and the programming chair.

Dues:

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Each chapter is responsible for paying MGC \$10 per member each semester. Also, a onetime new member fee of \$25 will be assessed for each new member in their first semester. This money will be used for programming and other events. For each day that a chapter is late paying dues, they will be assessed a \$3 fine. If a chapter's GPA is above the all Greek average GPA, they will receive a refund of \$3 per member (kickback).

Fundraising:

Dues could potentially be reduced if consistent fundraising is established by the council.

Chairs:

Along with the current liaisons of IFC, PHC, BSA, LASO, and SGA, the following chairs will be established and considered an extension of the Executive Board. Individuals may serve as both a chapter delegate and hold a chair position. Chairs and liaisons must have a 2.0 GPA.

Programming Chair - oversees Greek Week events, Homecoming events, and council programs

Community Service Chair - programs community service events for MGC and monitors programs for individual organizations

Fundraising Chair - sponsors fundraising events for MGC and monitors fundraising events for individual organizations

Scholarship Chair- sponsors study skills workshops, study hours, and monitors chapter GPAs

Judicial System:

Some form of Judicial System will be implemented and will abide by and meet both University and the Office of Student Activities standards. MGC will also be required to follow the new risk management policy implemented by the OSA.

Membership:

Beginning in fall 2011, chapters must have a minimum of five members. In fall 2012, the total must increase to six members, and in fall 2013, each chapter must have a minimum of seven members.

Constitution:

Along with the proposed, potential changes listed, the Constitution and Bylaws will also be updated completely to better suit the needs of the council.

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OPTION 2: UNITED GREEK COUNCIL

UGC will consist of two sub councils, NPHC and MGC, and will act as cohesive group between the two.

Potential implementations in constitution include but are not limited to:

Executive Board:

President – recommend rotating every year between members from NPHC and MGC

Vice President for NPHC

Vice President for MGC

Treasurer – will control 2 separate budgets (NPHC & MGC)

Secretary – one secretary for UGC – two internal records specialists (one for MGC, one for NPHC) who are responsible for keeping minutes at sub-councils meetings and will report back to UGC secretary

*Recommend that secretary and treasurer positions consist of 1 member from MGC and 1 from NPHC

Funds:

Current MGC funds will be split according to percentage of chapters involved in NPHC and MGC. Following this separation of funds, each sub council will raise its own funds by member dues and fundraising events. Any programming done by UGC will be funded equally by both sub councils.

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Fundraising:

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Meetings:

United Greek Council will meet biweekly with each sub council meeting every week. Each sub council can decide own meeting time and place, but we recommend having the time and place consistent each week.

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