UIC Fraternity and Sorority Life Aspirant Anti-Hazing Policy Compliance Form

All UIC fraternities and sororities must file this form with the Center for Student Involvement to certify compliance with this policy. The preceding document remains in effect until the new one is filed.

Illinois Law

A person commits hazing who knowingly requires the performance of any act by a student or other person in a school, college, university, or other educational institution of this State, for the purpose of induction or admission into any group, organization, or society associated or connected with that institution if:

(a) the act is not sanctioned or authorized by that educational institution; and

(b) the act results in bodily harm to any person.

UIC Hazing Philosophy

Any action or activity, regardless of location, intent or willingness/consent of participant which:

-does not contribute to the positive development of a person;

-inflicts or causes physical, emotional or psychological harm or anxieties;

-causes emotional anguish or physical discomfort to feel like part of the group;

-demeans, degrades, disgraces, harasses, or ridicules a person;

-intentionally or unintentionally endangers a student's admission to or affiliation with any student organization during any point in their membership

UIC Hazing Policy

Organizations must be aware of and adhere to the policy on hazing. Although historically related to fraternities/sororities, hazing can occur within any organization. Hazing is any intentional or reckless action or situation created to produce emotional, psychological, or physical discomfort, harassment, humiliation or ridicule for the purpose of "testing" the student's loyalty prior to becoming a member of the group. Hazing is strictly prohibited as a condition of joining an organization or reinforcing a member's loyalty after they have joined the group. Organization officers and advisor agree to comply with the Anti-Hazing policy by accepting below.

Hazing Agreement

We, the undersigned, certify the following:

1. We have read and understand the Illinois Hazing law
2. We have read and understand UIC's Hazing Philosophy
3. We have read and understand our organization's National Hazing Policy
4. We verify that this policy will be read to our chapter
5. We verify that all new members will receive a copy of this policy
6. We verify that all activities sponsored or required by our chapter, in whole or part, comply with this policy.
7. Failure of my organization to uphold this policy, in whole or part, will result in the referral of my organization and any individual members involved for discipline
8. Furthermore, if a hazing incident occurs, the president and new member educator/intake coordinator may be referred to the Dean of Students' Office for supplying false information to a University Official (if they knew of the hazing incident and did not take steps to stop it)
9. If I suspect, see, or know hazing activities are occurring, it is my responsibility to report these activities to the appropriate office.
10. We have read AND understand UIC Hazing Policy

By signing this form we agree to abide by the above.

Fraternity /Sorority _____ Date_____Semester_____

Date	Candidate/Aspirant's Name	Signature	UIN