

**CONSTITUTION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH ALABAMA  
PANHELLENIC COUNCIL**

**ARTICLE I.           NAME**

The name of this organization shall be the University of South Alabama Panhellenic Council.

**ARTICLE II.           OBJECT**

The object of this Panhellenic Council shall be to develop and maintain fraternity life and interfraternity relations as a high level of accomplishment and to do so:

1.     Consider the goals and ideals of member groups as continually applicable to campus and personal life.
2.     Promote superior scholarship as basic to intellectual achievement.
3.     Cooperate with member fraternities and the University administration in concern for maintenance of high social and moral standards.
4.     Act in accordance with National Panhellenic Conference rule and policies.
5.     Act in accordance with all rules established by the Panhellenic Council as do not violate the sovereignty, rights and privileges of member fraternities.

**ARTICLE III.           MEMBERSHIP**

There shall be two classes of membership: regular and associate

1.     The REGULAR membership of the University of South Alabama shall be composed of all chapter members in good standing of National Panhellenic Conference fraternities at the University of South Alabama.

2. The ASSOCIATE membership of the University of South Alabama Panhellenic Council shall be composed of all chapters in good standing of such National Panhellenic Conference colonies, such local and/or national sororities at the University of South Alabama as have been approved by the Panhellenic Council.

#### ARTICLE IV. OFFICERS

1. The officers of the University of South Alabama Panhellenic Council shall be President, Vice-President/Judicial, Vice-President/Recruitment, Recording Secretary, Treasurer, Corresponding Secretary, Scholarship Director and Member at Large.
2. The elected officers shall be members of the Panhellenic Council or Executive Council of fraternities holding regular membership in the University of South Alabama Panhellenic Council.
3. The officers shall serve for a term of office to begin Spring Semester of each academic year.

#### ARTICLE V. MEETINGS

1. REGULAR. The University of South Alabama Panhellenic Council shall hold a weekly meeting throughout the academic year. (Fall and Spring semesters)
2. SPECIAL. A special meeting of the University of South Alabama Panhellenic Council may be called by the president when necessary and shall be called when a written request is made by any regular or associate fraternity member at the University of South Alabama.

3. The delegate from each regular or associate member fraternity shall be responsible for notifying chapter members of all regular and special meeting of the University of South Alabama.
4. The delegate and assistant delegate from each fraternity are to be present at each University of South Alabama Panhellenic Council meeting. If both the delegate and assistant must be absent, the President of the Panhellenic Council or the Advisor must be notified before the meeting so arrangements can be made for an alternate to attend.
5. If a fraternity fails to send at least one representative to a University of South Alabama Panhellenic Council meeting for two consecutive meetings, the matter will referred to the Judicial Board.
6. Two-thirds of the REGULAR member fraternities shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

#### ARTICLE VI. THE PANHELLENIC COUNCIL

1. MEMBERSHIP. The University of South Alabama Panhellenic Council shall be composed of the officers and a delegate and assistant delegate from each group.

#### ARTICLE VII. PANHELLENIC ADVISOR

1. The Panhellenic Advisor shall be chosen by the administration of the University of South Alabama.
2. She/He shall serve in an advisory capacity to the University of South Alabama Panhellenic Council.

## ARTICLE VIII. AGREEMENTS, RULES, AND POLICIES

1. All members of the University of South Alabama Panhellenic Council shall act in accordance with fundamental Panhellenic rules established by the National Panhellenic Conference and the Unanimous Agreements (The Panhellenic Compact, Standards of Ethical Conduct, College Panhellenic Agreements, Agreements on Questionnaires and Constitutions, and the Jurisdiction of a College Panhellenic Council).
2. All University of South Alabama Panhellenic Council rules and policies shall be in harmony with those currently established by the National Panhellenic Conference.

## ARTICLE IX. VIOLATIONS

1. Violations of any regulations of the constitution or its relate bylaws, of recruitment rules, of rules concerning matters other than recruitment, or the National Panhellenic Conference Unanimous Agreements (The Panhellenic Compact, Standards of Ethical Conduct, College Panhellenic Agreements, Agreements on Questionnaires and Constitutions, and the Jurisdiction of a College Panhellenic Council) shall be the occasion for penalties established by the University of South Alabama Panhellenic Council in conformity with those recommended by the National Panhellenic Conference.
2. Any dispute growing out of the violation of Panhellenic Council rules and regulations shall be adjudicated through the judicial committee.

## ARTICLE X. AMENDMENTS

The constitution may be amended by a three-fourths majority vote of the voting members of the University of south Alabama Panhellenic Council provided notice of the proposed amendment has been given in writing at preceding regular meeting.