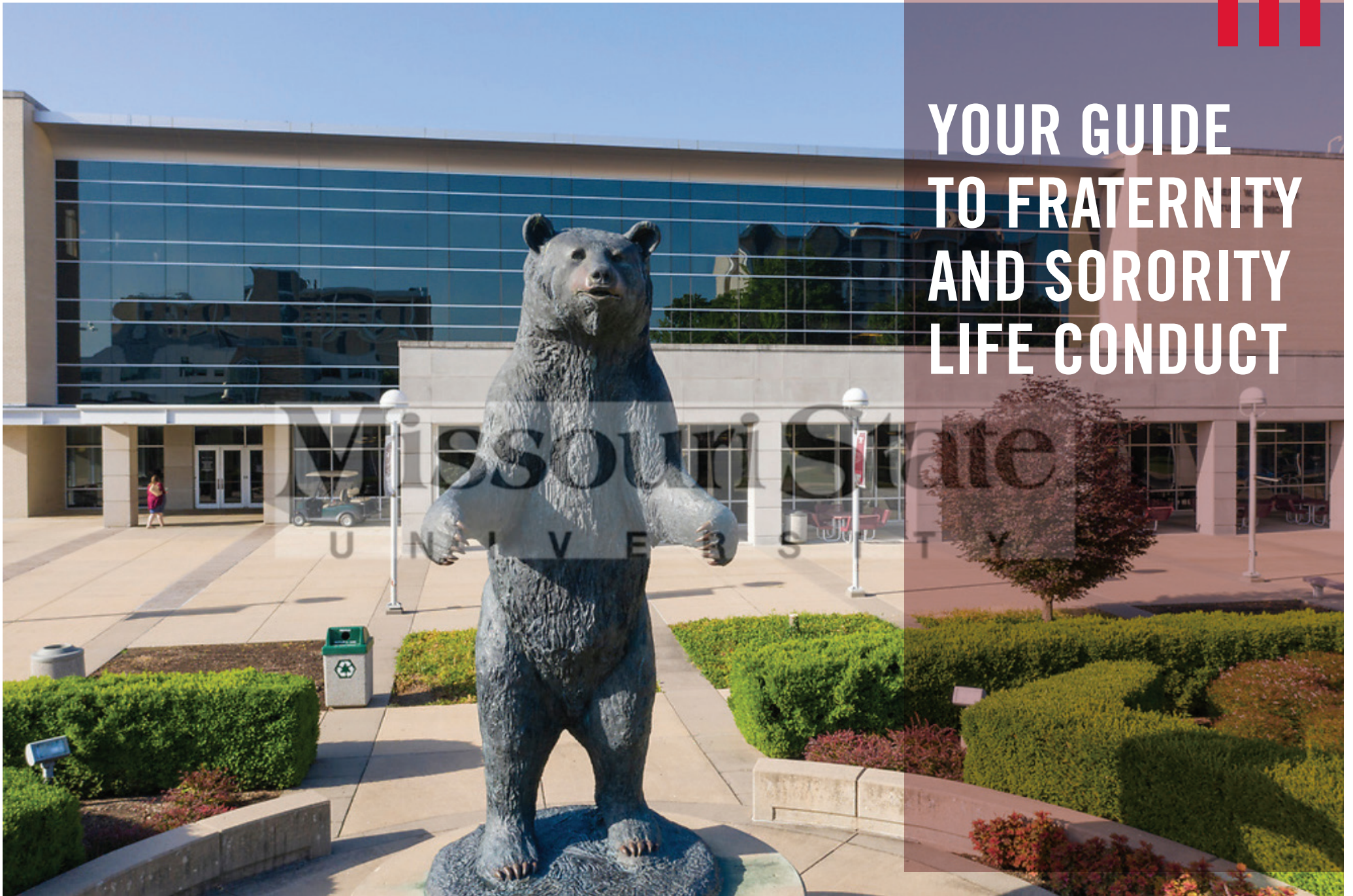








YOUR GUIDE TO FRATERNITY AND SORORITY LIFE CONDUCT



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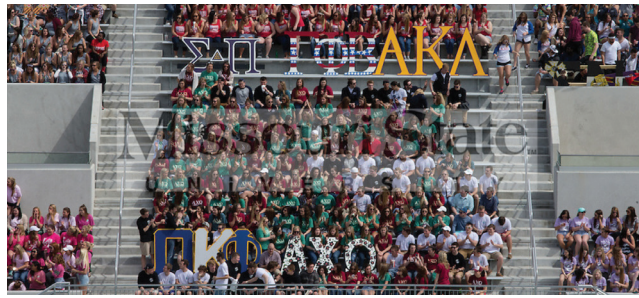
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OUR MISSION

The mission of the Office of Student Conduct is to educate students concerning their rights, privileges, and corresponding duties and responsibilities. We recognize that every facet of student life is an opportunity for learning and inquiry. The Code of Student Rights and Responsibilities, along with other University policies, are educational tools designed to assist students in their development as active, involved and responsible citizens.

OUR PHILOSOPHY

The Office of Student Conduct exists to serve the students and student organizations of the Missouri State University community. The office is responsible for the implementation of the Code of Student Rights and Responsibilities, adjudicating alleged violations of the Code, safeguarding student rights, and dealing with emergency situations which involve students. All Missouri State University students and student organizations possess certain rights and privileges together with corresponding duties and responsibilities. Each organization is due respect of their personal dignity and property, and in turn is responsible for maintaining standards of behavior which do not interfere with the rights of others or with the functioning of the University.

FSL GOVERNANCE STATEMENT

The purpose of the Fraternity and Sorority Life (FSL) Governance Statement is not to simply restate the rights and responsibilities contained in the Code of Student Rights and Responsibilities, but to highlight some rights and responsibilities that are particularly relevant to Fraternities and Sororities.

LEARN MORE AT:

MissouriState.edu/StudentConduct/Fraternity-and-Sorority-Life.htm

YOUR CHAPTER'S RIGHTS

- The meeting will be fair and impartial.
- The chapter will be notified of the alleged violation(s) including the date, time, location and summary of the allegation.
- The chapter has the right to respond to the allegation(s).
- The chapter may have an advisor or support person who can only advise the organization, either in-person or by phone.
- The chapter may disagree with the council chief justice or conduct officer's decision and request a hearing.
- The chapter may appeal the conduct decision.

WHAT IS THE FSL CONDUCT PROCESS?

- Office of Student Conduct staff and, if applicable, Chief Justice will work together to determine whether or not charges will be brought forth and, if so, the fraternity or sororities' headquarters will be notified.
- The chapter president, Assistant Director of Student Engagement – Fraternity and Sorority Life, IFC or PHA Chief Justice will be notified in writing (via email) of a charge letter outlining the alleged violation(s).
- Chapter President will be given a date to schedule their meeting with the Office of Student Conduct staff and IFC or PHA Chief Justice (as appropriate).
- During the conduct meeting, the president will respond to the alleged violation(s).
- If the president, the conduct officer, and the council chief justice agree to a resolution, the meeting is over. If necessary, the chapter will complete the assigned consequences.
- If the president, council chief justice, or conduct officer disagrees with the proposed resolution, the chapter may request a hearing in front of the appropriate standards board or the University Hearing Panel (UHP).

