

## Eligibility for Membership in Student Organizations

1. All full-time undergraduate students are eligible for membership in any undergraduate student organization in accordance with the standards, academic or otherwise, established by each organization. Any student organization which selects its membership upon the basis of restrictive clauses dealing with race, color, gender, sexual orientation, age, national origin, religion, disability or veteran status will be considered to be operating in conflict with university policy.
2. Any part-time student, graduate student, professional student, faculty member, or administrator may be an associate member of any undergraduate student organization, but may not hold office or vote. Graduate students may only be regular members, hold office, or vote in graduate student organizations.
3. The officers of all student organizations as well as elected and appointed senators and officials of MUSG must be in good standing (not on academic or disciplinary probation) at the time of their election or appointment and throughout their terms of office. The Office of Student Development will check the status of each student who runs for an MUSG office or is appointed to a position within MUSG.
4. No student shall simultaneously hold more than one of the following positions:
  - a. president, executive vice president, services vice president, or legislative vice president of the Marquette University Student Government.
  - b. MUSG legislative senator
  - c. Student council president (College councils - IFC, PanHellenic, NPHC, RHA)
  - d. No student may serve simultaneously on more than two college councils.
5. The authority and responsibility for checking grade point averages for club and organization officers (president, vice president, treasurer, secretary, social chairperson, etc.) shall reside with the officers of that organization. In instances of dispute, the decision-making authority and responsibility rests with the Office of Student Development.
6. Marquette University has a deferred joining policy for students interested in social Greek organizations. In order to be eligible to participate in recruitment events or to receive a bid or invitation to join a social Greek organization, a student must:
  - be enrolled as a full-time undergraduate student
  - have at least a 2.0 cumulative grade point average
  - have a minimum of 12 credit hours at Marquette University or transferred to Marquette University with a minimum of 12 credit hours from another college or university
  - be in good disciplinary standing with the university (i.e. not on university probation)

Students who fail to meet these criteria will not be eligible to receive a bid or invitation to join a fraternity or sorority chapter. However, they will be allowed to have normal social contact with any member of a Greek organization, including but not limited to: studying, eating meals together, participating in athletic activities, etc.

**Reporting** — Anyone wishing to file a report concerning violations of this policy may do so through the Office of Student Development, AMU 121.