ARTICLE XIII
IFC RECRUITMENT

Section 1: Mission

A. The Interfraternity Council will uphold the highest standards with regard to membership recruitment. Ethical behavior will be expected by every member of every organization recognized by the University. This will be accomplished by establishing and upholding guidelines and requirements of every chapter to ensure that potential members have the opportunity to experience a fair and objective recruitment process.

B. The Interfraternity Council will use every avenue possible to ensure that the maximum number of men register to participate in the Recruitment Process. The Interfraternity Council intends to increase the number of students participating in the recruitment process through promotional activities, forums, and orientations.

I. Definition of a Recruitment Event & Potential New Member

- A recruitment event is any event held by a fraternity chapter for the purpose of recruiting new members.
- A rush event is a recruitment event held during a formal recruitment period designated by the IFC.
- A potential new member is defined as a non-Greek Drexel male student who is in the presence of any number of fraternity members at any time.

II. Informal Recruitment

- Recruitment will be a year-round endeavor.
- Any recruitment events held outside of a designated formal recruitment period will be considered an informal recruitment event.
- Informal recruitment events may be held during any time outside of any designated formal recruitment period contingent upon:
  - Submission of the proposed event to the IFC Recruitment Chair at least 24 hours prior to the start of the proposed event date and time.
  - Advertising of any form during informal recruitment periods will be permitted contingent upon:
    - Submission of event notice to the IFC Recruitment Chair
    - The advertisement is within good taste and is not discriminatory or offensive.
    - Approval of the proposed flier/advertisement by the Director of Fraternity & Sorority Life.
  - The IFC will host at least one recruitment event per term during the informal recruitment period.

III. Formal Recruitment

- Each term, the IFC Recruitment Chair has the power to designate a formal recruitment period, contingent upon approval by the Board of Presidents.
- A formal recruitment period must be set and approved for each Fall Term, in coordination with the IFC Constitution and Bylaws.
- Upon acceptance of a formal recruitment period for a term, the IFC Recruitment Chair has the power, pending vote of approval by the Board of Presidents, to prohibit or ban all recruitment events held before the formal recruitment start date.
- The IFC Recruitment Chair must designate dates for bid distribution and bid acceptance.

        - Chapters may only distribute bids on the set date during the formal recruitment period.
        - Chapter may only accept bids following the set date for bid acceptance during the formal recruitment period.
    - The IFC Recruitment Chair also has the power, pending vote of approval by the Board of Presidents, to prohibit or ban all recruitment events held between the end date of the formal recruitment period and the date for bid acceptance.
    - The date of bid acceptance will officially conclude any formal recruitment period.
    - Chapters must announce proposed recruitment events at least two weeks prior to the start of formal recruitment to the IFC Recruitment Chair.
    - The IFC Recruitment Chair must submit any chapter's events to the IFC Board of Presidents for approval at the next available IFC Board of Presidents meeting.
    - Advertisement for formal recruitment events may commence after gaining approval from the Board of Presidents.
    - Advertisement for recruitment in general may begin at any time, as long as unapproved recruitment events are not included.
    - The advertisement must be within good taste and not discriminatory or offensive.
    - The IFC Recruitment Chair shall not limit the number of approved events during a formal recruitment period.
    - Any unapproved events held during a formal recruitment period will face judicial action.

IV. Alcohol Policy Agreement

- Alcohol will never be used or present during recruitment of potential new members, even if a recruitment event is being held.
- Violation will result in separate examination and action by the IFC Judicial Board.

V. Powers of the IFC Recruitment Chair

- The IFC Recruitment Chair has the power to:
    - Suspend any recruitment event or activity at any time if in violation of any policy.
    - Propose formal recruitment periods to the Board of Presidents.
    - Hold mandatory chapter recruitment chair meetings.