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- IFC, 14: 20%
- MGFC, 4: 10%
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Overview by Violation

- RP, 12: 22%
- EM, 4: 8%
- EMG, 38: 70%
**Information by Chapter**

*Only chapters listed were found responsible for violations during the 2017-2018 academic year.*

**Alpha Phi – October 27, 2017**

**Adjudication Type:** Greek Judicial Board, February 28, 2014

**Incident Description:** Alpha Phi held their philanthropy event “Ivy Man” in the Schwartz Center. It was reported that the event was not controlled. Alcohol containers (cans/bottles) were found backstage, and there were complaints regarding the behavior of participants in Ivy Man.

**Responsible Violations:** RP E.4, EMG D.6, EMG D.10

**Sanctions:** Apology Letter and Social Probation

**Chi Phi – July 1, 2017**

**Adjudication Type:** Greek Judicial Board, September 6, 2017

**Incident Description:** A Cornell University Police officer on 7/1/2017 observed a large gathering of student-age people around the entrance to the Chi Phi Fraternity and along the sidewalk. The crowd was large enough to obstruct the sidewalk from normal pedestrian use. Several subjects were holding cans and bottles of alcohol.

**Responsible Violations:** EM 10, EMG B.1, EMG D.11.d.v, EMG E.4

**Sanctions:** Oral Warning

**Chi Phi – September 22, 2017**

**Adjudication Type:** Greek Judicial Board, October 18, 2017

**Incident Description:** Cornell University Police (CUP) responded to Chi Phi Fraternity on 9/22/2017 regarding a large group of people standing outside waiting to enter the fraternity party. Upon CUP arrival, an officer met with fraternity leadership. The party list provided showed the fraternity was registered for a standard party. An officer who observed the scene estimated at least 350 to 400 people were inside the fraternity causing crowded conditions. An officer additionally found an underage student drinking.

**Responsible Violations:** EMG D.1, EMG E.4, EMG H.1

**Sanctions:** Social Probation

**Chi Phi – September 23, 2017**

**Adjudication Type:** Greek Judicial Board, October 18, 2017

**Incident Description:** Cornell University Police responded to a residence hall on 9/23/2017 for an intoxicated male who was observed vomiting in the bathroom. The first-year student stated he was drinking at a Chi Phi Fraternity on campus earlier in the evening. The student reported alcohol was readily available and he did not need to present his ID.

**Responsible Violations:** EMG D.11.a, EMG H.1

**Sanctions:** Social Probation

**Chi Phi – January 22, 2018**

**Adjudication Type:** Review Board, February 7, 2018

**Incident Description:** Cornell University Police found a prospective member of Chi Phi Fraternity who attended a recruitment event on 1/22/2018. The student stated alcohol, including hard alcohol, had been served to him. As a result the student was disoriented and friends were worried about his whereabouts.

**Responsible Violations:** RP E.17.a, EMG E.2, EMG E.5.a, EMG H.1
Sanctions: Meet with OSFL, Probationary Recognition, Revised Orientation Plan, and Social Probation

**Delta Chi – March 17, 2018**  
**Adjudication Type:** Greek Judicial Board, May 2, 2018  
**Incident Description:** A report from 2/17/2018 stated a student needed medical attention due to alcohol consumption. The student had attended an event at Delta Chi where alcohol was available and not properly monitored. The fraternity did not seek help for the student.  
**Responsible Violations:** EMG D.11.a, EMG D.11.d.iii, EMG H.1  
**Sanctions:** Social Probation

**Delta Phi – February 28, 2018**  
**Hazing Violation** – Information can be found on the [Cornell Hazing Website](#)

**Delta Upsilon – April 22, 2017**  
**Adjudication Type:** Review Board, September 14, 2017  
**Incident Description:** Cornell University Police on 4/22/2017 documented events at Delta Upsilon Fraternity. Officers investigated noise coming from the fraternity and found several people in the common area. Fraternity leadership stated there was not an event happening. The fraternity members complied with officer instructions and cleared the area of non-residents. A fire alarm was activated, caused by a maliciously discharged fire extinguisher. Litter was found on the first floor and beer cans and red cups were throughout the house. An officer also detected a strong odor of marijuana.  
**Responsible Violations:** EM 5, EM 8, EM 10, EMG E.4, EMG E.5  
**Sanctions:** Meet with OSFL and Probationary Recognition

**Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc. – January 4, 2018**  
**Hazing Violation** – Information can be found on the [Cornell Hazing Website](#)

**Lambda Phi Epsilon Fraternity, Inc.– March 6, 2018**  
**Hazing Violation** – Information can be found on the [Cornell Hazing Website](#)

**Omega Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. – July 21, 2017**  
**Hazing Violation** – Information can be found on the [Cornell Hazing Website](#)

**Phi Sigma Kappa – February 11, 2018**  
**Adjudication Type:** Greek Judicial Board, March 19, 2018  
**Incident Description:** Cornell University Police reported Phi Sigma Kappa on 2/11/2018 held a registered event with alcohol. An underage party guest who was intoxicated required transport to the hospital from a residence hall. It was stated there were no sober monitors or a system for checking identification in place and that beers were readily available to guests at the party.  
**Responsible Violations:** EMG D.11.d.iii, EMG H.1  
**Sanctions:** Educational Training

**Pi Beta Phi – February 27, 2018**  
**Adjudication Type:** Greek Judicial Board, April 22, 2018  
**Incident Description:** On 2/27/2018, it was reported an unregistered mixer was occurring at Sigma Chi fraternity between Sigma Chi and Pi Beta Phi sorority. Beer pong and hard alcohol were present.
**Responsible Violations:** EMG E.4, EMG E.5.a.
**Sanctions:** Educational Training

**Pi Delta Psi Fraternity, Inc.– January 27, 2018**
**Adjudication Type:** Greek Judicial Board, March 12, 2018
**Incident Description:** A report was received on 1/27/2018. Emergency personnel were dispatched to a residence hall for a medical emergency involving an intoxicated person under 21. The person stated they voluntarily took drinks from a table at Pi Delta Psi Fraternity during a party. Patient was treated at a local hospital. The party was determined to be unregistered.
**Responsible Violations:** EMG B.1, EMG D.11.a, EMG E.5.a, EMG H.1
**Sanctions:** Educational Training

**Sigma Chi Delta – February 1, 2018**
**Adjudication Type:** Review Board, March 5, 2018
**Incident Description:** The chapter has not participated in any IFC sanctioned or mandated events, did not pay IFC dues, did not have insurance as mandated by the Recognition Policy, and did not have a current roster of members on file in OSFL. All of these are expectations of chapters as per the Recognition Policy for Fraternities & Sororities. No one from the chapter attended or responded to the Review Board notification.
**Responsible Violations:** RP E.5, RP E.6, RP E.13, RP E.15
**Sanctions:** Recognition Revoked

**Sigma Chi – December 3, 2017**
**Adjudication Type:** Greek Judicial Board, February 28, 2018
**Incident Description:** Cornell University Police were dispatched to Sigma Chi for an agency assist with Cayuga Heights Police Department (CHPD) for a noise complaint. Upon arrival, CHPD officer issued multiple tickets to the fraternity including a noise violation. The fraternity was throwing an unregistered party. Cornell University Police encountered two underage guests who were exiting the party as they arrived. A member of the fraternity stated he was the sober monitor, but this person stated he was not sober. The member was underage and said he was aware there were underage students at the party. The floor of the fraternity was covered with various form of alcohol, including hard alcohol, dirt, food and garbage.
**Responsible Violations:** EMG. B.1, EMG D.11.a, EMG D.11.d.v. EMG E.5, EMG H.1
**Sanctions:** Educational Training

**Sigma Chi – February 27, 2018**
**Adjudication Type:** Greek Judicial Board, April 11, 2018
**Incident Description:** On 2/27/2018, it was reported an unregistered mixer was occurring at Sigma Chi fraternity between Sigma Chi and Pi Beta Phi sorority. Beer pong and hard alcohol were present.
**Responsible Violations:** EMG B.1, EMG E.4, EMG E.5.a
**Sanctions:** Social Probation

**Sigma Nu – January 27, 2018**
**Hazing Violation** – Information can be found on the Cornell Hazing Website

**Sigma Phi – September 14, 2017**
**Adjudication Type:** Greek Judicial Board, September 27, 2017
**Incident Description:** Cornell University Police conducted a property check on 9/14/2017 at Sigma Phi Fraternity. Both main entrance doors of the fraternity were propped open by water jugs. The officer entered the residence and could immediately smell a strong odor of alcohol and could hear music and a crowd towards the basement level. An underage person was found in possession of alcohol. Officers entered the basement and found an overcrowded room with cases, cans, and cups of beer throughout the room and being consumed by a large number of people in the room. The floor was saturated with alcohol and the officer observed a folding table full of beer cups. Officer also observed two bottles of vodka and a 4 liter bottle of wine. House leadership was able to clear the area quickly when asked.

**Responsible Violations:** EMG D.11.d.v. EMG E.5, EMG E.5.a, EMG H.1

**Sanctions:** Educational Training and Monetary Fine

**Zeta Beta Tau – November 15, 2017**

Hazing Violation – Information can be found on the [Cornell Hazing Website](https://www.cornell.edu)
List of Violations

Only Violations chapters were found responsible for are listed here. For a complete list of all violations please reference the community governing documents at greeks.cornell.edu.

Recognition Policy (RP)

RP E.4. – Behavior of Members: Collective responsibility for the behavior of the members when in their chapter house or when acting as a group outside of the chapter house

RP E.5. – Council Guidelines: Operation within the guidelines of the appropriate council.

RP E.6. – Participation in Council Programs: Active participation in council-sponsored programs.

RP E.13. – Compliance with University Policies, Rules, and Regulations: Compliance with all applicable University policies, rules and regulations

RP E.15. – Liability Insurance Requirement: Maintain commercial general liability insurance in the minimum amount of $1,000,000.00 (one million dollars) of primary liability coverage (each occurrence), with general aggregate coverage of at least $2,000,000.00 (total). Such liability insurance shall include Cornell University, its officers, employees and agents, as an additional named insured and shall be written with an insurance carrier acceptable to the University. A certificate of such insurance shall be forwarded to the University as evidence of such coverage, and the University must receive notice of any change, cancellation, or renewal of the policy. The insurance shall be considered primary over any and all collectable insurance that the University may have available.

RP E.17.a. – Alcohol/Drugs Present During Recruitment/Intake, Education, or Initiation: Shall refrain from using, furnishing, or having alcohol and other drugs present during the recruitment, education, initiation, or intake of new members.

RP E.17.b. – Hazing: Will not implement or tolerate hazing, as defined by the Campus Code of Conduct, in any form, at any time.

Expectations for Membership (EM)

EM 5. – Disruptive Behavior: I will not intentionally disrupt or obstruct the lawful activities of the University or its members including their exercise of the right to assemble and to peacefully protest.

EM 8. – Alcohol, Drugs/Controlled Substances: I will not use nor support the illegal purchase, use, possession or distribution of alcohol, drugs or controlled substances.

EM 10. – Property Maintenance: I will acknowledge that a clean and attractive environment is essential to both physical and mental health; therefore, I will do my best to see that the chapter property is properly cleaned and maintained.

Event Management Guidelines (EMG)

EMG B.1. – Unregistered Event or Party: Before registering ANY event
EMG D.1. – Over Maximum Occupancy for Assembly Space: Functions are expected to not become overcrowded to the point where safety is a concern, nor are events to continue so late that mechanisms for managing the event deteriorate. No chapter may exceed its Maximum Occupancy for Assembly Space. Registered Afterhours events are expected to end at 4 AM. Afterhours events are also alcohol free. All other registered events are expected to end at 1 AM.

EMG D.6. – Not Courteous and Responsible: Chapters must handle complaints from neighbors and police in a courteous and responsible manner.

EMG D.10 – Deny Admittance to Who Are Irresponsible: Fraternities and sororities are expected to deny admittance and/or alcohol to individuals who are likely to be irresponsible in their use of alcohol and/or with whom the fraternity/sorority cannot exercise reasonable control. This includes individuals who are intoxicated to the point of drunkenness or who exhibit reckless behavior. The chapter has the right and responsibility to deny admittance to anyone it thinks is already impaired by alcohol or other drugs, even if the person is on the invitation list. If an individual is denied admittance, the chapter is expected to call 911 to assist the individual.

EMG D.11.a. – Insufficient Sober Monitors: For ALL functions, fraternities and sororities are expected to provide monitors who will not consume alcohol throughout the duration of the event, and who will monitor the activities of both members and guests, with the objective of promoting compliance with these guidelines and NYS law. Additionally, Cayuga Watchers is a free and confidential resource chapters may use. They can be reached at www.cayugaswatchers.org.

EMG D.11.d.iii. – Monitor Areas: Monitor the front entrance, parking lots, and other outdoor areas.

EMG D.11.d.v. – Stop Open Containers from Leaving: Stop those leaving the party from taking any open containers with them.

EMG E.2. – Recruitment or New Member Function: It is expected that no alcohol be present at any recruitment or new member function, including Bid Day. It is also expected that fall social events with alcohol are not utilized as recruitment events. Please note that the Recognition Policy for Fraternities and Sororities mandates no alcohol during recruitment events. Please refer to the recruitment calendar or quarter system for more information. Alcohol cannot be present with potential recruits during the first semester. Alcohol should also not be present during the new member orientation process.

EMG E.4. – Binge Drinking and Games with Alcohol: It is expected that no member will permit, tolerate, encourage or participate in activities that include binge drinking or games with alcohol.

EMG E.5. – Common Source (Kegs and Cases): Common sources of alcohol (i.e. kegs, large quantities of unattended alcohol) are prohibited at all events, except when provided by a licensed caterer at a Catered Invite.

EMG E.5.a. – Hard Liquor (shots and mixed drinks): Hard liquor (i.e. shots and mixed drinks) are prohibited at all events, except when provided by a licensed caterer at a Catered Invite.

EMG H.1. – Selling or Giving Alcohol to Individuals Less Than 21 Years of Age