

# Delta Delta Delta Constitution

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## Purpose:

*The PURPOSE OF DELTA DELTA DELTA shall be to establish a perpetual bond of friendship among its members, to develop a stronger and more womanly character, to broaden the moral and 'intellectual' life, and to assist its members in every possible way.'*"

*IT SHALL ALSO BE THE PURPOSE OF DELTA DELTA DELTA to promote and develop mutually beneficial relationships between the Fraternity and the colleges and universities where the Fraternity has established chapters, to develop qualities of unselfish leadership among its members, and to encourage them to assume, with integrity and devotion to moral and democratic principles, the highest responsibilities of college women.*

## Eligibility:

- A. Any undergraduate or postgraduate woman who is currently enrolled at Ohio State
  - a. University who has met the qualifications for membership in the Fraternity as provided in THE BYLAWS OF DELTA DELTA DELTA shall be eligible for membership in Nu Chapter.
- B. Membership shall be as provided in THE BYLAWS OF DELTA DELTA DELTA.
- C. New member orientation shall be in accordance with current Fraternity policies.

## Membership Requirements:

- A. Membership in Nu Chapter shall be by invitation issued by the collegiate chapter provided that a valid reference or letter of recommendation has been obtained.
  - a. See Article XVI, Section 1 C of THE BYLAWS OF DELTA DELTA DELTA
- B. Membership in the chapter shall be by invitation issued by the chapter in accordance with current Fraternity policies and local PanHellenic regulations.
- C. The alumna advisor or lifetime membership advisor must be present at the chapter meeting and during voting but shall have no vote on potential new members. Other advisors or alumnae may not be present during voting meetings without permission of the Executive Board or the designated Fraternity representative.
- D. Special courtesies and consideration shall be given to legacies who are eligible to become members of the Fraternity in accordance with current Fraternity policies.

## Membership Removal:

If a member conducts themselves in such a manner deemed detrimental to advancing the purpose of this organization or is in violation of the OSU Student Code of Conduct,

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they can be removed through a majority vote of the other voting membership or unanimous vote of the officers, with the consultation of the advisor.

## **Officer Positions and Duties**

- A. The elected offices shall be:
  - a. (1) President
  - b. (2) Operations Team
    - i. (a) Vice President of Operations
    - ii. (b) Director of Administration
    - iii. (c) Director of Facility Operations
    - iv. (d) Director of Member Finances
    - v. (e) Director of Financial Operations
  - c. (3) Chapter Programming and Development Team
    - i. (a) Vice President of Chapter Programming and Development
    - ii. (b) Director of Academic Excellence
    - iii. (c) Director of Risk Management and Wellness
    - iv. (d) Director of Ceremonies and Rituals
  - d. (4) Community Relations Team
    - i. (a) Vice President of Community Relations
    - ii. (b) Director of Social Events
    - iii. (c) Director of Philanthropy
    - iv. (d) Director of Public Relations and Marketing
  - e. (5) Membership Experience Team
    - i. (a) Vice President of Membership Experience
    - ii. (b) Director of Member Selection
    - iii. (c) Director of Recruitment Events
    - iv. (d) Director of First year Experience
    - v. (e) Director of Lifetime Membership

The duties of the officers shall be in accordance with current Fraternity policies. Additional duties may be established by officers' council.

## **Officer Selection and Removal**

- A. To hold an office, a member shall:
  - a. (1) have a least a 2.9 grade average for the term preceding nomination and maintain this grade average during her term of office;
  - b. (2) have all financial obligations paid in full to the Fraternity and the chapter;(3) be a member in good standing of the Fraternity and the chapter; and(4) be approved by the alumna advisor and collegiate district officer.(5) Exceptions to these requirements may be made only with the approval of the alumna advisor and collegiate district officer.
- B. An officer may be removed for:

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- a. (1) failure to meet chapter academic standards;
  - b. (2) non-cooperative attitude;
  - c. (3) conduct unbecoming a member of the Fraternity;
  - d. (4) failure to carry out the duties of her office;
  - e. (5) failure to uphold THE BYLAWS OF DELTA DELTA DELTA or policies of the Fraternity;
  - f. (6) failure to comply with university/college or chapter rules and regulations; or
  - g. (7) being a member not in good standing of the chapter.
- C.** An officer may be removed from office by:
- a. (1) the affirmative vote of two thirds of the members of the chapter eligible to vote who are present and voting providing quorum is present and after approval of the alumna advisor and collegiate district officer;
  - b. (2) the standards committee with the approval of the alumna advisor and the collegiate district officer, if the officer has been declared a member not in good standing of the chapter; or
  - c. (3) the Executive Board in which case the officer shall be notified by the Executive Board.

## **Non-Discrimination Statement**

This organization and its members do not discriminate against any individual(s) for reasons of age, ancestry, color, disability, gender identity or expression, genetic information, HIV/AIDS status, military status, national origin, race, religion, sex, sexual orientation, protected veteran status, or any other bases under the law, in its activities, programs, admission, and employment.