

Empowering Diverse Leaders
All Greek Council
Transforming Greek Excellence

Vision Statement:

We, the fraternities and sororities at the North Carolina State University, will be a community recognized nationally and locally for our consistent commitment to fraternal excellence.

We will strive to support the academic mission of the University, enhance the intellectual, social, and ethical development of our members, support diverse campus and Greek community, and be leaders in the campus community as well as a force for positive change.

Mission:

The mission of the All Greek Council shall be to commit to upholding the highest moral, academic, and ethical standards upon which all member organizations were founded; to incorporate the values of our rituals into our daily lives and serve as role models; and to assist individual Greek members, chapters and member councils in accepting a high level of group and individual accountability.

Values:

- Brotherhood/Sisterhood: Life-long bonds of friendship
- Scholarship: Academic integrity, curiosity, and achievement
- Service: Active work for change in our community
- Leadership: Involvement and development of our members as leaders
- Unity: Mutual respect, responsibility, and accountability... Collaboration and teamwork

All Greek Council
North Carolina State University

Constitution

Article I

Name:

Section 1.

The name of this body shall be the All Greek Council.

Article II

Purpose:

Section 1.

The purpose of the All Greek Council, hereafter known as the AGC, shall be to unite campus fraternities and sororities in the cooperative pursuit of excellence.

Section 2.

The AGC shall serve to compliment the member councils of the Greek community, as well as to address issues confronting the Greek community.

Section 3.

The AGC shall:

A. Implement policies that encourage and sustain high academic, service, and conduct standards.

B. Abide by NCSU's Student Code of Conduct and all published University policies.

C. Promote the welfare of the Greek community.

D. Enhance a sense of common purpose among the member councils and their member chapters.

E. Facilitate communication among the member councils.

F. Enhance communication between the Greek community and the University at large.

G. Develop and coordinate leadership opportunities for the member councils and their member chapters.

H. Promote involvement of the represented fraternities and sororities.

I. Be a programming body for the Greek community.

J. Maintain a Presidents' Council that is established to enhance communication between chapter presidents and provide an avenue for a discussion forum.

Article III

Membership:

Section 1.

The membership of the All Greek Council Executive Committee shall be composed of the elected representatives of each established member council of the NCSU Greek community including but not limited to the Interfraternity Council (IFC), Collaborative Greek Council (CGC), National-Panhellenic Council (NPHC), and the Panhellenic Council (NPC).

A. The representatives will make up the AGC Executive Committee.

B. The president of the NCSU Chapter of the Order of Omega (or a representative appointed by the president) will also serve as a member on the Executive Committee.

Section 2.

Each member council will appoint one council delegate to serve on each of the AGC committees. The AGC committees will be composed of delegates from each chapter. Each chapter in the Greek community is expected to appoint one AGC delegate. Other members of the Greek community are encouraged to join a committee if desired.

Section 3.

The president of the Greek Week Management Team shall serve on the Programming and Service Committee.

Section 4.

The AGC Executive Committee may suspend the membership of a council. If a council is suspended, their membership, including voting rights, with AGC is suspended until the AGC Executive Committee re-instates the council. A council's membership will be suspended if:

- A. The appointed council representative fails to attend two consecutive AGC Executive Committee meetings.
 - B. The council representative is removed from AGC based on Article IV, section 4, and the council can not provide an alternate council representative (Article IV, section 2, C) to serve.
 - C. The council, as a whole, continuously fails to abide by AGC and University policies, as well as AGC and University meetings and programs.
- Section 5. The AGC Executive Committee will review a suspended council's suspension, and may reinstate their voting privileges through an Executive Committee vote, if and when:
- A. The council representative attends two (2) AGC meetings consecutively to prove that his/her future attendance will be regular and petitions in their third consecutively attended meeting for a vote.
 - B. The council provides an alternate council representative for a representative removed under Article IV, section 4.
 - C. The council makes amends for its failure to abide by AGC and University policies and pledges against further such violations, as determined by the AGC Executive Committee.
- Section 6. In conformance with applicable State and Federal laws and University policy, the AGC does not discriminate in any of its policies, procedures or practices on the basis of race, color, sex, national origin, ancestry, religion, age, physical disability, mental condition, sexual orientation, marital status, or citizenship.

Article IV

AGC Executive Committee Officers:

- Section 1. The officers shall be Chairperson (AGC Chair), Standards Chair (AGC Standards Chair), Communications Chair (AGC Communications Chair), Programming and Service Chair (AGC Programming and Service Chair), and Leadership Development Chair (AGC Leadership Development Chair).
- Section 2. Officers shall serve for one year (April to April) and shall be appointed on a rotating basis.
- A. As implemented in the first year of operation (2007-8) the order shall be as follows:
 Chairperson: NPC
 Standards Chair: IFC
 Programming and Service Chair: NPHC
 Communications Chair: CGC
 - B. The subsequent year (2008-9) the rotation shall be:
 Chairperson: IFC
 Standards Chair: NPHC
 Programming and Service Chair: CGC
 Communications Chair: NPC
 - C. The rotation shall continue such that each member council holds the four rotating positions once every four years.
 - D. The president of the NCSU Chapter of the Order of Omega or appointed representative will always hold the office of AGC Leadership Development Chair and will not participate in the rotation of the other positions.
- Section 3. Each officer must be a full-time student registered at North Carolina State University, must be a member in good standing of his/her respective chapter, and must maintain at least a 2.5 CGPA. The AGC Executive Committee may consider exceptions upon review.
- Section 4. Any officer can be removed from office for failure to fulfill his/her duties as outlined in the Constitution of the AGC.

- A. A simple majority vote of the AGC Executive Committee is needed to remove an AGC officer from office.
- B. Written notice including the grounds for removal must be sent to the respective member council, the council advisor, the presidents of the member chapters, and the Greek Life staff in a timely manner.
- C. The alternate officer of the respective member council shall assume voting responsibility for that council until the new council president is elected.
- D. The vacated position shall be filled according to the constitution and/or bylaws of the respective council.
- E. His/her respective council must ratify removal of the officer.
- F. Any appeal must be presented in writing to the AGC within ten days of receipt of written notification from the AGC Executive Committee.

Article V.
Section 1.

AGC Executive Committee Officer Duties and Responsibilities:

AGC Chair:

- A. Serve as Chair of the AGC as well as of the AGC Executive Committee.
- B. Convene and facilitate bi-monthly meetings of the AGC and bi-monthly meetings of the AGC Executive Council. Set agendas for these meetings.
- C. Facilitate on-going regular communication between AGC members, between member councils, with University administrators, and with other student leaders.
- D. Convene special meetings as needed with prior notice to the AGC Executive Committee.
- E. Facilitate the annual review of the Constitution of the AGC and forward all proposed amendments to the AGC Executive Committee as needed.
- F. If a council is suspended, the AGC Chair will assume the responsibilities of that council representative on AGC until the suspended council appoints an alternate representative and/or the terms of the suspension are fulfilled.
- G. Assume other responsibilities and duties as agreed upon by the AGC Executive Committee.

Section 2.

AGC Standards Chair:

- A. Serve as Chair of the AGC Standards Committee.
- B. Oversee the coordination of the development, implementation, education and evaluation of all policies developed by the AGC.
- C. Report the progress of the AGC Standards Committee to the AGC Executive Committee.
- D. Assume other responsibilities and duties as agreed upon by the AGC Executive Committee.

Section 3.

Programming and Service Chair:

- A. Serve as the Chair of the AGC Programming and Service Committee.
- B. Oversee the coordination of all-Greek programs and service projects.
- C. Coordinate an all-Greek service project on a semesterly basis.
- D. Reports the progress of the AGC Programming and Service Committee to the AGC Executive Committee.
- E. Assume other responsibilities and duties as agreed upon by the AGC Executive Committee.

Section 4.

AGC Communications Chair:

- A. Serve as Chair the AGC Communications Committee.
- B. Responsible for taking minutes at AGC meetings and AGC Executive Committee meetings and distributing the minutes in an effective way.
- C. Coordinate communication channels/vehicles among AGC Executive Committee members, the AGC committee members and among the member councils. This includes maintaining updated contact information for the members that is distributed to all other members and the Greek community.

D. Oversee the coordination of all-Greek communication and public relations mechanisms, i.e., print brochures, websites, listservs, etc.
E. Report the progress of the AGC Communications Committee to the AGC Executive Committee.
F. Assume other responsibilities and duties as agreed upon by the AGC Executive Committee.

Section 5.

AGC Leadership Development Chair:
A. Serve as the Chair of the AGC Leadership Development Committee.
B. Oversee the coordination of leadership development programs and initiatives.
C. Reports the progress of the AGC Leadership Development Committee to the AGC Executive Committee.
D. If the AGC Chair is removed, or the council that the AGC Chair represents is suspended, based on Article III, Section 2, the AGC Leadership Development Chair assumes the responsibilities of the AGC Chair until new council representative is elected, another council or the respective council is re-instated to full membership.
E. The AGC Leadership Chair will still not have voting privileges, even if they assume the role of AGC Chair.
F. Assume other responsibilities and duties as agreed upon by the AGC Executive Committee.

Article VI.

Section 1.

Voting:

A. The AGC Executive Committee will vote on issues impacting the NCSU Greek community. They will also vote on policy recommendations from AGC officers and committees.
1. If a council is suspended, based on Article III, section 2, they will not hold voting privileges until AGC Executive Committee re-instates the council's membership.
2. The AGC Leadership Development Chair does not have any voting privileges. They can only voice their opinion.
B. Once policy recommendations have been approved by the AGC Executive Committee, the policies will be presented at the next Presidents' Council meeting for information and discussion. All policies will be reviewed and voted upon in each of the member council meetings.

Article VII.

Section 1.

Committees:

A. The standing committees of the AGC shall be: Standards, Programming and Service, Communications, and Leadership Development.
B. The officers shall appoint ad hoc committees as needed for a period of time not to exceed one year.
C. Standing Committee Chairpersons will be the corresponding AGC Executive Committee members and shall serve for one year (April to April.)
D. Membership on AGC Committees shall be open to delegates of the member Councils as well as members in good standing of individual fraternal organizations registered at North Carolina State University.
E. Each council will appoint one delegate to serve on each of the committees.
F. Each chapter will be expected to appoint a delegate to serve on one of the committees.
G. The chapter delegates will be divided appropriately amongst the committees. For example, if there are 24 member chapters, there will be 8 chapter delegates on each committee. The chapter delegates from each council will be evenly distributed.

Section 2.

AGC Standards Committee:
A. Shall be composed of members of each member council and their member chapters as stated in Article VI, section 1.

B. The Committee shall develop policies to the AGC Executive Committee that are consistent with established University policies and appropriately reflect unique National mandates of the member councils. Policies must be approved by the AGC Executive Committee prior to distribution to the member councils for vote.
C. Shall evaluate existing policies on an annual basis and submit recommendations for amendments to the AGC Executive Committee. Shall evaluate existing University policies on an annual basis and submit recommendations, approved by the AGC Executive Committee, to the appropriate University officials.
D. Shall review policies submitted by the member councils for consideration and submit recommendations to the AGC Executive Committee.

Section 3.

AGC Programming and Service Committee:

A. Shall be composed of members of each member council, their member chapters and the president of the Greek Week Management Team.
B. The Greek Week Management Team will act as a subcommittee of the AGC Programming and Standards Committee.
C. Shall coordinate development of an annual All Greek Programming Calendar.
D. Shall coordinate implementation and evaluation of events/programs/projects open to all members of the Greek community and/or including but not limited to community service, cultural enrichment, and social.
E. Shall coordinate an inclusive application and interview process for selection of the Greek Week (end) Management Team. The AGC Executive Committee must approve all candidate selections.
F. Shall distribute information about all service projects in the Greek and the University community.

Section 4.

AGC Communications Committee:

A. Shall be composed of members of each member council and their member chapters as stated in Article VI, section 1.
B. Shall create and maintain a website for the All Greek Council.
C. Shall maintain and continue to improve communication among all Greek member councils and chapters.
D. Shall be responsible for publishing all-Greek newsletter in a regular manner and in a timely fashion.
E. Shall maintain and continue to improve upon positive relationships among member councils, and with both the University and community at large.
F. Shall develop and implement all-inclusive marketing ideas and strategies in a professional manner.
G. Shall publicize events/programs/projects sponsored by the Greek community including but not limited to community service, cultural enrichment and social, especially those that are open to members of the campus community.

Section 5.

AGC Leadership Development Committee:

A. Shall be composed of the NCSU Chapter of the Order of Omega.
B. Shall coordinate the design, implementation and evaluation of an inclusive comprehensive leadership development curriculum for members of the Greek community in collaboration with the appropriate officers of the member councils.
C. Shall assign a high priority to establishing a core officer transition curriculum for use by the member councils and their respective member chapters.
D. Shall organize annual initiatives that include but not be limited to joint conferences, retreats and/or seminars held for officers/representatives/delegates of member councils, chapter presidents and executive officers, and new/future members.

Article VIII.

Meetings:

- Section 1. The AGC Executive Committee shall meet bi-monthly throughout the academic year, and may be convened more frequently as determined by the officers. AGC Executive Committee will convene on alternate weeks to the Presidents' Council. AGC Committees shall as frequently as determined by the AGC Executive Committee.
- Section 2. Business shall be conducted according to Roberts Rules of Order.
- Section 3. The quorum to convene and transact business shall consist of three-fourths (3/4) of the voting members.
- Section 4. Voting:
 - A. The AGC Executive Committee will approve recommendations, which will then be presented at the next Presidents' Council for information and discussion. The policies will then be reviewed and voted upon by a simple majority of all AGC member councils.
 - B. All proposals must be introduced at a meeting of the Executive Committee, and voting may not occur until the following meeting. This is to allow council representatives to obtain feedback from their respective member councils before casting votes.
 - C. In the case of a tie vote from Executive Committee, the Presidents' Council shall vote to break the tie, and proposals require a three-fourths vote to pass. If the Presidents' Council vote results in a tie, the policy will be returned to the AGC committee that proposed the policy for review and further recommendation.

Article IX.

Presidents' Council:

- Section 1. The Presidents' Council will serve as the Greek discussion forum. Issues facing the Greek community as a whole, the University community, or individual chapters may be discussed in this forum. Also, events and programs sponsored by AGC, member Councils, individual chapters or the University community will be discussed in this forum.
- Section 2. Membership:
 - A. The council presidents will facilitate and lead the Presidents' Council meetings, and all chapter presidents will compose the membership.
 - B. The President of the NCSU chapter of Order of Omega (AGC Leadership Development Chair) will serve on the Presidents' Council, but will not facilitate and lead the meetings with the council presidents.
- Section 3. Presidents' Council shall meet bi-monthly throughout the academic year, and may be convened more frequently as determined by the council presidents. Presidents' Council will convene alternate weeks to the AGC Executive Committee.
- Section 4. Policy recommendations, approved by the AGC Executive Committee, will be presented at the Presidents' Council for information and discussion. The chapter presidents can discuss the proposed policies with their chapters, but the policies will be reviewed and voted upon in the respective member council meetings.

Article X.

Advisor:

- Section 1. A Greek Life staff member shall serve as the Advisor to the AGC.
- Section 2. The advisor shall have knowledge of the unique needs of all member councils and their respective member chapters/organizations.

Article XI.

Amendments:

- Section 1. Vote on proposed amendments shall occur in member council meetings following approval by the AGC Executive Committee.
- Section 2. Amendments to the AGC Constitution shall be enacted by a simple majority vote of the AGC member councils.