**FSILG SOCIAL EVENTS POLICY**

**DEFINITION OF TERMS—DRAFT 3.31.2017**

**Mixers:** This is an event or party between two or more recognized organizations. A mixer is restricted to the members of the involved organizations and non-members may not be present.

**Formals:** This is a member event in which one guest per member of the FSILG is invited to attend.

**Alum events:**  This is an event held specifically for alumni/ae and their families to socialize with each other and with undergraduate members of the organization. Current members, up to one previously invited guest per member and alumni and their family members of the organization are the only individuals invited. Typically focused on celebrating specific events for the organization which can include but are not limited to Founder’s Day, reunions, special milestones or anniversary dates.

**Recruitment/CPW events:** Activities held during recruitment/intake periods or CPW in which pre-frosh or first year students are invited. No alcohol is ever present at these events.

**Large parties:** Events with a guest list that exceeds 30 individuals, including both members of the organization and guests.

**Small parties:** Events with a guest list that is 30 individuals or fewer, including both members of the organization and guests.

**Community Engagement Events:** These events are designed to connect the organization with the greater community. Community engagement events include, but are not limited to, faculty/staff receptions, open houses, religious observations and neighborhood dinners.

**Chapter/House Events:** Any event or situation sponsored or endorsed by the FSILG organization, or any event an observer would associate with the organization. If it looks like a chapter/house event, even if it does not involve a majority or even a significant minority of members, it is a chapter/house event.

Chapter/house events may include, but are not limited to, meetings, ceremonies/ritual, retreats, banquets, conferences, conventions, pledge activities, social functions, fundraisers, and community service projects. Factors to be used in making a determination of whether activities are related to the chapter include: the nature and purpose of the event, the involvement of the chapter in planning, organizing, promoting and/or financing the event, the location of the event, who was invited to the event, and who was in attendance.