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# Academic Information

## Late Registration

Most incoming freshmen and transfer students will have registered in the summer AAARO conferences or during the academic advising and registration activities in August. Any student who has not registered by August 29 can late register with the payment of a \$30 late registration fee. Late registration will take place August 30 - 31 by appointment and September 4 - 11 on a first come, first served basis.

## Schedule Changes

If you find that you need to make schedule changes, known as Add/Drops, keep in mind the three phases. Phase 1 has already passed. Phase 2 is August 31 - September 1. Phase 3 is September 4 - September 11. See the front of the schedule of classes for add/drop procedures, which differ for each phase. The add/drop fee is \$4.

## Check-In

Students returning to SMU must remember to check in before attending their first class. Check-in consists of picking up your class schedule and student information update form at the appropriate location:  
Dedman undergrads — Room 103, student center  
Business undergrads — Room 33, Fincher Building  
Arts undergrads — outside P228, Owen Arts  
Engineering undergrads — Room 107, Caruth Hall

## Pass/Fail

Students have the option of taking physical education or elective classes pass/fail, which means that there is no recorded grade for the class other than the designation "pass" or "fail." Generally, a grade over a D constitutes a pass. These grades are not counted in your grade point average (GPA), but you do receive the credit hours. It may be best to talk with your academic adviser before selecting the pass/fail option.

## Withdrawing

It is possible to withdraw passing from a course up to the 10th week of classes. You can withdraw failing through December 1. Your grade will be recorded as a W/P or W/F accordingly.

## Auditing

Auditing allows you to sit in on a course but not receive course credit. This requires the permission of the dean and instructor, completion of an audit form (available in the deans' offices and the registrar's office) and payment of an audit fee. The form must be processed in the registrar's office.

## Attendance

Each instructor determines how attendance will affect grading in a given class, but prompt and regular attendance does facilitate satisfactory performance. A student may be dropped from a class because of poor attendance, resulting in either a W/P or W/F and a \$10 administrative drop charge.



## Classification

Classification is determined by the number of hours a student has completed:

- Freshman — 0-29 hours
- Sophomore — 30-59 hours
- Junior — 60-89 hours
- Senior — 90 hours

## Class Load

The normal class load for a full-time undergraduate student is 15 semester hours (one hour one lecture hour or three lab hours per week). Any course load under 12 hours is considered part time. Any course load of 18 or more hours must be approved by your academic dean.



## Grades and GPA

Grades in any course are determined by the student's class standing and his or her examination grade, combined in any way the instructor wishes. Class standing is determined by attendance and quality of the student's work.

All schools except law and theology

Authorized grades	Description	Grade points per semester hour, fall 1984 and later
A	Excellent Scholarship	4.0
A-	Excellent Scholarship	3.7
B	Good Scholarship	3.3
B-	Good Scholarship	3.0
C	Fair Scholarship	2.7
C-	Fair Scholarship	2.3
D	Fair Scholarship	2.0
D-	Fair Scholarship	1.7
F	Poor Scholarship	1.3
F-	Poor Scholarship	1.0
FV	Poor Scholarship	.70
F	Failure	0.0
WF	Withdrawal Failing	0.0
HV	Honor Code Violation	0.0

Law and theology schools

60-100	Passing	Numeric Grade
Below 60	Failure	Numeric Grade
WF	Withdrawal Failing	Grade of 40
All schools		
H, P, S, CR	Honors, pass, satisfactory, credit	•
I	Incomplete	•
NC	No credit received	•
WP	Withdrawal passing	•
U	Unsatisfactory	•
X	No grade received in registrar's office	•

\*Grades not included in grade point average

## Graduation

Before you graduate, you must file your application to graduate from with your academic dean early in your last semester.

## Privacy Act

The family education and privacy act of 1974 is a federal law that gives the student the right to inspect, obtain copies of, to challenge and, to a degree, control the release of information contained in his or her educational records. Guidelines of the act are available in the office of the dean of students, James Caswell, 692-3419.

## Change of Name and Address

Any legal name changes must be reported to the registrar's office along with a certified copy of the legal document or a notarized affidavit. All local and permanent address changes must be reported to the registrar for mailing purposes. Changes of your billing address must be reported to the registrar also.

## Academic Probation

Any student with a GPA of less than 2.0 is considered on academic probation. Students on academic probation are usually allowed a maximum course load of 12 hours. Students who fail to clear probation after two semesters may be suspended and continuing academic difficulties may lead to suspension from the university.

## Tutoring

The SMU tutorial service offers tutoring for all students at a maximum price of \$3 per hour. The tutorial service is located in the student activities center in the basement of the student center. Applications are also accepted for those who wish to tutor.

## Finals

The finals for the fall 1984 semester are scheduled for Dec. 15-21. The time of each final is determined by the meeting time of each class. A finals schedule can be found at the front of the schedule of classes.

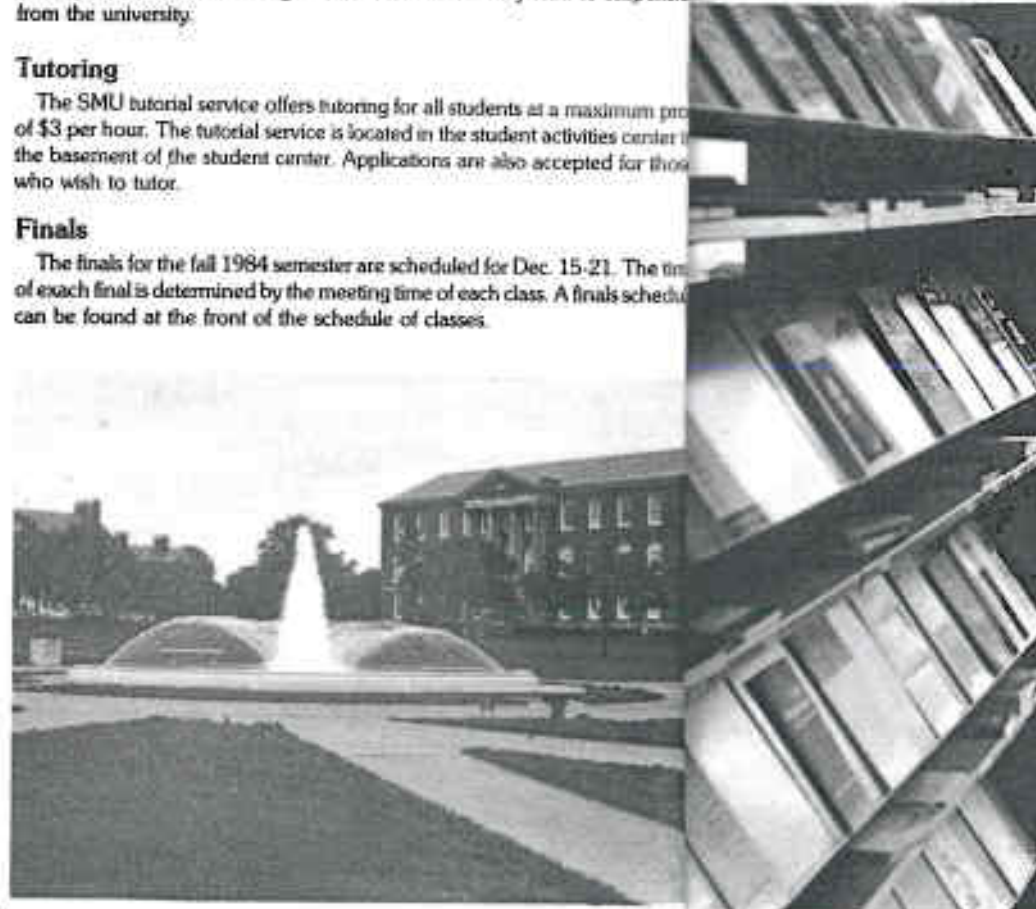
## Course Numbers

To decode the numbers of the course number: the first number stands for the grade level; the second, third, and fourth numbers stand for the course number. The levels include:

- 1 — freshman
  - 2 — sophomore
  - 3 — junior
  - 4 — senior
  - 5 — senior or graduate
  - 6,7,8,9 — graduate
- second digit indicates the credit hours  
last two digits indicate which course

## Double Majors

It is possible to earn two academic degrees from SMU. You must meet all the requirements for both schools.



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### Address

It must be reported to the registrar's office along with a comment or a notarized affidavit. All local addresses must be reported to the registrar for mailing. The mailing address must be reported to the registrar.

To decode the numbers of the course you are taking, use the following formula: the first number stands for the general level of the course, though you are not necessarily restricted from courses if you are not in a corresponding level. The levels include:

- 1 — freshman
- 2 — sophomore
- 3 — junior
- 4 — senior
- 5 — senior or graduate
- 6,7,8,9 — graduate

The second digit indicates the credit hours the course carries per semester and the last two digits indicate which course it is.

### Double Majors

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discuss it with your academic adviser(s). You must also get the permission from the academic dean. Talk with O.T. Hargrave, 692-3259 or Kathleen Hugley-Cook, 692-2291.

### Changing your Academic Program

To transfer from one school to another within the university, you must apply to the dean of your present school to make sure that your academic records are transferred. It is best to check with the dean of your new school, also, to insure that the records have been transferred.

To change your major, minor or degree objectives, contact your academic dean.

### Transcripts

Transcripts may be requested from the registrar's office in Perkins Administration building. Transcripts are \$2 and should be requested at least three days before they are needed. All financial obligations to the university must be satisfied before your transcripts are released.



# Campus Services

## Alcohol Education Program

Attitudes or opinions about drinking, though numerous, are seldom based on complete or correct information. SMU's comprehensive alcohol abuse prevention effort is about not against drinking and has as its goals education for responsible consumption and assistance to problem drinkers. It tries to identify those factors which significantly influence a student's decision of whether and how to drink in addition to providing basic information and training which will enable student to recognize alcohol abuse early and understand the appropriate response to it. The office is located in room 208E, student center. For information call 692-2019.

## The Career Center

The major emphasis of the career center, 210 student center, is to assist graduating students and alumni in locating full-time career oriented employment and making career decisions. The Career Center schedules interviews with recruiters from businesses, industries, governmental agencies and graduate schools located throughout the country. The center provides workshops and counseling on career decision-making, job search strategy, interviewing procedures and resume preparation. The center also assists students in finding off-campus jobs for part-time and summer employment. 692-2266.

## Chaplain's Office

The chaplain's staff is available for counseling and assistance in dealing with religious questions, relationships (parents, roommates, dating, etc) cultural conflict, or any other problems needing attention. Dr. William M. Finnin, Jr. is chaplain to the university, and the chaplain's offices are located in room 105 and 106, student center. Phone 692-2787 or 692-2788.

## Counseling and Testing Center

When a student is concerned beyond everyday troubles of college life, counseling services are available by appointment at the counseling and testing center. There is no charge to students, faculty or staff for utilizing the services. Another major function of the center is testing. National examinations such as the Scholastic Aptitude, General Education Development, TOEFL, National Teacher's Exam, Graduate Record Exams and the GMAT (Management Admissions Test) are given as well as interest inventories for use in counseling. The center is located at 6425 Airline or 141 Science Information Center. Call 692-2211.

## Crime Prevention Unit

DPS crime prevention staff is available to assist members of the SMU community in learning how best to protect themselves and their property. Electric engravers are available to students to mark property. Also,



programs on rape awareness and what to do if assaulted on campus are offered. A female rape victim coordination officer is on staff. For information, call 692-2487.

## The Health Center

The health center provides out-patient clinic and/or in-patient hospital care for SMU student. This includes doctors, nurses, laboratory, x-ray and pharmacy during clinic hours: 9 - 12 a.m. and 1 - 4 p.m. Monday through Friday, 9 - 11 a.m. Saturday. Nurses are also available 24 hours a day with a doctor on call. Gynecological services are available by appointment two half-days per week. Seriously ill or injured students are referred to proper specialists and/or hospitals. 692-2141.

## Housing and Conference Coordination/Residence Life

The domain of the Office of Housing and Conference Coordination extends from the graduate quad, past the freshman quad and the upperclass quad, to the Daniels and Tower student apartments and finally, the SMU Day Care and Preschool Center. Within this department, you will find 2,800 students housed in 19 residence halls and four apartment units. To keep it all running smoothly, there are hall managers, graduate hall directors, housekeepers, utility workers and a host of clerical and administrative staff. If you have any questions regarding residence life, the office is located in room 10 in the basement of Perkins. The phone number is 692-2407.

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Media Services can assist Students can:

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- use production facilities head transparencies, etc.
- get help with producing
- use reference materials

Media Services are located for more information.





### Human Resource/Women's Center

The Human Resource/Women's Center is responsible for providing opportunities for productive growth in students, faculty and staff. The center plans and coordinates workshops such as assertiveness training and life planning. The center also maintains support services for students over the age of 25 and women students in general, coordinates SMU's volunteer services program and services as a resource to students for information on community programs and services. The center is located at 3116 Fondren Drive.

### International Programs

The university offers its students various opportunities to live, study and travel in foreign countries. Regular programs are maintained for study in Paris, Madrid, Rome, Britain and Japan. During May inter-term, several travel seminars are offered, including tours to England, the Soviet Union and Greece. The university also offers a six-week summer term in Salzburg, Austria and at Oxford University in England. Instruction is offered in English except for in advanced language and literature courses. For more information about these programs, contact the director of international programs, 317 Dallas Hall, 692-2338.

### Media Services

Media Services can assist students with their audio-visual needs. Students can:

- check out or use many audio-visual programs owned by SMU
- check out audio-visual equipment for class or personal use (small fee for personal use).
- use production facilities for laminating, dry mounting, making overhead transparencies, etc.
- get help with producing slide/tape programs
- use reference materials (indexes and catalogs) to help locate educational and entertaining programming

Media Services are located in Fondren Library West. Call 692-3199 for more information.



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### Office of the Adviser for International Students

The foreign student office handles the immigration forms and procedures for SMU's international students, assists and supports the Organization of International Students in their campus programming and coordinates the international community programs including the host-family program. The office is in room 100 of McFarlin Auditorium. Call 692-2344 for more information.

### Office of the Dean of Student Life

The dean of student life is directly accountable to the vice president for student affairs and is primarily responsible for the daily out-of-classroom life and activities of students. This responsibility is discharged with a professional staff of experienced educators, administrators and counselors. The objective of the dean of student life's office is to coordinate the efforts of the staff to achieve an effective, uniform and comprehensive program that is in keeping with the university goals. The office of the dean of student life is located in room 214, student center. The phone number is 692-3419. The office is not limited to but includes the following positions:

Dean of student life/assistant vice president for student affairs — Jim Caswell

Associate dean of student life/director, residence life — Dennis C. Roberts

Assistant dean of student life — William C. McIntyre

University judicial officer/assistant to the dean of student life — Valerie Petrlak

Assistant dean of student life/university coordinator for women — Emmie Baine

Students' Attorney — Johnnie H. Russell

Adviser to black students — Clarence Glover

Adviser to Mexican-American students — Elliot Navarro

Alcohol information specialist — George Lewis

Information booth manager — Marie Natale

Student center director and student activities — J. William Johnston

Chaplain to the university — William M. Finnin, Jr.

Associate chaplain — Robert O. Cooper

Greek adviser — Bob Bourdette

Program council adviser — Joan Schimanski

Student government adviser — Robin Boyd

Director of student publications and radio — Les Hyder

Foreign student adviser — Sandy Slattery

Director of Human Resource/Women's Center — Carol Carson

Students Older Than Average (SOTA) — Ann Steere

Program director — Larry Rayford

Director of housing — Eugene S. Ward

Coordinator for physical operations — Paul B. Rafferty

Director, Mental Health — Dr. Sandra Steinbach

Director, Wellness Program — Birdie Barr

### Student Activity Center

The SMU student activity center is the hub of activity for many student organizations. Located in the east basement of the student

center, the activity center provides permanent and temporary office space for Panhellenic, Interfraternity Council, Program Council, student body officers and Metro Mustangs. Also, all currently registered/recognized SMU student organizations have their mailboxes located in this space. The phone number is 692-3540.

### Office of Attorney for Students

The attorney for the students provides free legal counseling and assistance to all students and student organizations on the campus of SMU. The office will handle uncontested litigation, with the student or organization responsible for filing fees and court costs. The attorney will not represent one student against another, nor represent the student in litigation against the university, but the office can provide a forum for mediation. If the attorney cannot be of service, a referral to an outside attorney can be made.

The office of the attorney for the students is located in room 208c of the student center. Call 692-3351 for an appointment.

### Student Center

The hours for the student center are:

7 a.m. to 11 p.m. Sunday

7 a.m. to 11 p.m. Monday through Friday

7 a.m. to 1 a.m. Friday and Saturday

Later hours for any group or organization may be arranged with the approval of the director of the student center. Users shall be charged for overtime and utilities. No one may remain in the building after closing time unless accompanied by a permanent staff member and the associate director of the student center has been notified, or by special written permission from the director.

No food or drink may be brought in from the outside by any person, group or organization using student center facilities without written approval of the director of food services. Animals or pets are not allowed in the building. Gambling of any nature is prohibited in the student center. No minors, except those bearing an official ID, are allowed in the building. Those not bearing an official ID will be asked to leave the building.

The student center is not liable for items lost in the building or in connection with student center-sponsored activities.

All reservations for meeting space, catered food events, tables in the lobby and use of equipment must be made through the student center reservations office, 692-2368. The rooms in the building may not be used for rehearsals, practice sessions or classrooms except when approved in writing by the associate director of the student center. For specific information regarding room rental rates and regulations, contact the student center reservations office, 692-2368.

The student center provides all members of the university community an opportunity to come together for relaxation, informal education and the use of and participation in the many services and programs offered.

### University Worship

University worship occurs at 11 a.m. on Sundays in Perkins Chapel. This worship is Protestant in character, Christian in commitment, and interdenominational in spirit. Chapel choir is open without audition to

all singers under the direction of Matthew C. Dost; Dr. Robert T. Anderson, chapel organist and director of chapel music; Dr. William M. Finnin, Jr., chaplain and preacher to the university and Robert O. Cooper, associate chaplain lead the worship. Bring a friend to chapel on Sunday.

### Vice President for Student Affairs

The vice president for student affairs has overall responsibility for the operation of many offices at SMU concerned with student service and student academic services. Included in the VPSA area are the office of the dean of student life and its several functions: undergraduate admissions, undergraduate financial aid, registrar, evening college career center, Dedman Center for Lifetime Sports, health center and mental health services.



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We're the Mustangs from SMU  
Give a cheer, show your might  
Get the victory in sight.  
For our battle cry will be,  
Fight, Fight, Fight!

Spirit's the best in the land  
And right to the end we'll stan  
For the M-U-S-T-A-N-G-S  
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# Trivia and Tradition

## Student Affairs

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- SMU was originally named Texas Wesleyan University in 1911, but remained such for only five years. The name was changed to Southern Methodist University in 1916.

- A librarian named Dorothy Amann won an all-school contest with the name "Mustangs" for the university mascot after she watched the SMU football players charge onto the field "like a bunch of Texas Mustangs." The insignia that we use to represent the Mustang is said to be borrowed from the Ford Mustang, but that you can always tell which Mustang is which because they run in the opposite directions: Ford's to the left and SMU's to the right.



- SMU's fight song — "The Pony Battle Cry" was written by our former Mustang Band Director Dr. Irving (Coach) Dreilbroidt.

"Fight Song — The Pony Battle Cry/Peruna"

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And right to the end we'll stand.  
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- A freshman member of the Mustang Band is placed in charge of counting the number of times the band plays "Peruna." Tradition dictates they play the fight song on every drive and in all tight situations the players get into. The band set a new record at the 1980 Tulane game—701 times!

- Another traditional song is "Varsity," our alma mater:

Varsity  
Oh, we see the Varsity, Varsity, Varsity  
As she towers o'er the hill over there,  
And our hearts are filled with joy, SMU—SMU,  
Alma mater we'll be true, forever.

- "Varsity" was composed by Rev. Lewis W. Stuckey, who was inspired by a view of Dallas Hall in the skyline while driving down Preston Road on a cold, clear day. It is sung before the beginning of every game and at other special events.

- Veritas liberabit vos — "The truth will set you free" — is SMU's motto. The phrase was selected by the university's first president — Robert Hyer.

- SMU's mascot is a miniature pony named Peruna. The pony that will run across the field at Texas Stadium every time the Mustangs score this fall is the seventh Peruna. Like those before him, he was donated by the Colwell family, who undergo a rigorous search to find the perfect mascot. The original Peruna was killed in an accident in 1934 — the "Statue of the Spirit of Peruna" at Ownby Stadium was erected in his memory — but SMU will celebrate Peruna's 53rd birthday in the spring of 1985.

- SMU colors are Harvard Red and Yale Blue.

- Loyalty

High on the Hilltop,  
Hail SMU  
Hearts full of loyalty; to the red and blue, forever!  
Come all Alumni, stand together old and new  
Sing out for Alma Mater, Mustangs from SMU!

- SMU beat Texas 10-6 for the first time in football history in 1924.

- The wearing of the "freshman beanie" is an old tradition which has been modified over the years. In the beginning, upperclassmen sold green beanies to freshmen as "traditional freshman wear." If the freshman passed a coed he had to push the button atop his beanie. With the banning of hazing on campus, the beanie disappeared only to return as a tradition carried on by the Mustang Band. All freshman band members wear the red and blue beanie until the Homecoming game — provided SMU wins.

- SMU being a Methodist school, no dances were allowed until 1940.

- In the early years of SMU, women had a very strict social life. Week nights dates were allowed only as late as 7 p.m., with freshman women allowed none. They were allowed to date only on Saturday nights if accompanied by a junior or senior woman and her date and only as late as 10 p.m.

\*Like all schools, SMU has a series of annual events to help mark the passage of each school year. Often, these events are planned to involve as many members of the SMU community as possible, and students generally take a major role — if not a total one — in the planning:

**AAARO** — extends for three weeks during the summer when prospective freshmen come in to get acquainted with SMU and to register for fall classes.

**Freshman Orientation** — takes place in the week before classes begin. This is a chance for students to get an academic orientation to college, as well as a social one.

**Greek Week** — a fall event in which the Greek organizations plan different things to show Greek spirit at SMU. Often there are events that all students can participate in.

**Parent's Weekend** — a Student Foundation event which includes a barbecue, style show and a talent show, as well as the football game. It's also a great excuse to see your parents again after getting adjusted to SMU.

**Freshmen Elections** — when the freshmen have the chance to choose their Student Senate representatives for the year. Elections are either a good way to get involved or a good way to exercise your right to vote — and good practice for the 1984 presidential election.

**Homecoming** — is always an event. SMU's includes a parade, game at Texas Stadium, queen selection, crowning and the Pigskin revue featuring the Mustang Band. It's also a time for SMU alumni to return to campus and see old friends. Generally there is a dance planned. This event is also sponsored by Student Foundation.

**Susientation** — is the annual SMU telefund, which brings students and alumni together as they call across the nation to raise money for their school.

**The Literary Festival** — SMU is fortunate in having one of the best literary festivals in the nation. Every year, nine or ten authors and poets come to meet with students, give readings and be feted. It is a subtle blend of education and entertainment.

**Thanksgiving break**

**Celebration of Lights** — is the way SMU welcomes the advent of the holidays. The main quad is filled with lights, carolers and the sound of SMU President L. Donald Shield's reading the Christmas Story. Inevitably, there is a tree in the quad, and some of Santa's elves drop by with candy canes.

**Christmas break**

**Black Emphasis Month** — the entire month of February is devoted to recognizing the contributions of black people, in many contexts including historical, religious, artistic, political and social.

**Women's Symposium** — Another SMU specialty, a two day conference on women and men and the issues that face both in the coming years. This spring event which has been at SMU for almost 20 years, is one of the few of its kind and keeps getting better and better.

**Brother/Sister Roundup** — an opportunity for SMU students to show their school to their college-age siblings.

**Spring Break**

**General elections** — for all senate seats (except freshmen) and student body officers.



**Peruna's Birthday** — SMU's way of celebrating both spring and our mascot "birthday." This Saturday event is similar to a carnival with booths, bands, food and, hopefully, lots of sun.

**Graduation** — perhaps the most long-awaited event, graduation at SMU is a long weekend, with Baccalaureate, the president's farewell, the conferring of degrees, the presentation of diploms and the dance.

Summer vacation or summer school session(s)

#### •HOMECOMING

Homecoming is probably SMU's most well-known tradition. In the beginning there was no election for the Homecoming Queen; she was merely appointed. Today, candidates are nominated by various campus organizations and voted on by the student body.

As late as 1945, classes were dismissed early on Friday in order for everyone to go to the Homecoming parade — led today by a celebrity marshal — and the traditional all-school dance was free for everyone.

The first Pigskin Revue was produced in 1933. The Mustang Band-sponsored Pigskin Revue is like a variety show, with acts from around the campus. The SMU Loyalty Song was added to the SMU traditional song repertoire when SMU won its first Homecoming game since 1958 in a 31-13 upset over Texas in 1965.

## University De

### Meadows School of

Dean — Eugene Bonelli  
Associate Dean — William H. L.

### Edwin L. Cox School

Dean — Roy A. Herberger Jr.  
Associate Dean for Academic Aff  
Acting Associate Dean for Admin  
Associate Dean for External Affai

### Dedman College

Dean — R. Hal Williams  
Associate Dean for Academic Aff  
Associate Dean for Student Acad  
Assistant Dean for Student Acadi

### School of Engineerin

Dean — Robert R. Fossum  
Associate Dean — Bijan Mohraz  
Assistant Dean for Undergraduati

### School of Law

Dean — Jeswald W. Salacuse  
Associate Dean for Clinical Educa  
Associate Dean for Academic Aff

### Perkins School of Th

Dean — James E. Kirby, Jr.  
Associate Dean — James M. Wu  
Associate Dean of Community Li

### School of Continuing

Dean — Mary E. Miller

### Summer Session, Int Programs

Dean — George H. Zetss



## University Deans

### **Meadows School of the Arts**

Dean — Eugene Bonelli  
Associate Dean — William H. Lively

### **Edwin L. Cox School of Business**

Dean — Roy A. Herberger Jr.  
Associate Dean for Academic Affairs — Kenneth R. Ferris  
Acting Associate Dean for Administrative Affairs — Daniel E. Costello  
Associate Dean for External Affairs — Daniel R. Weston

### **Dedman College**

Dean — R. Hal Williams  
Associate Dean for Academic Affairs — Henry L. Gray  
Associate Dean for Student Academic Affairs — O. T. Hargrave  
Assistant Dean for Student Academic Affairs — Kathleen Hugley-Cook

### **School of Engineering and Applied Science**

Dean — Robert R. Fossum  
Associate Dean — Bijan Mohraz  
Assistant Dean for Undergraduate Studies — Leo Pucacco

### **School of Law**

Dean — Jewald W. Salacuse  
Associate Dean for Clinical Education — Roark M. Reed  
Associate Dean for Academic Affairs — C. Paul Rogers III

### **Perkins School of Theology**

Dean — James E. Kirby, Jr.  
Associate Dean — James M. Ward  
Associate Dean of Community Life — Beverly Sawyer

### **School of Continuing Education**

Dean — Mary E. Miller

### **Summer Session, Interterm, and International Programs**

Dean — George H. Zeiss



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# Student Government

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The SMU student body is represented within the university and to the outside community by the Student Senate and its officers. The senate's powers and authority are established in the student body constitution.

The function of the senate is to govern the student body and represent the student body in all university decisions. The university has given the Student Senate the initial responsibility to allocate the student activity fee, adopt and enforce the student code and recognize all student organizations. The Student Senate also has the responsibility of funding and coordinating the programming and activities of all student groups on campus.

The student government membership consists of approximately 300 students. The opportunities are varied and substantial.

## Student Senate and student officers

The student body officers consist of a president, vice president, secretary, and treasurer. The president, vice president and secretary are elected by a majority vote of the student body. The treasurer is appointed by the president.

The Student Senate consists of 36 senators elected from each school of the university or at large, and the student body officers.

Senators from each school (Arts, Business, Dedman College, Engineering, Law and Theology) are elected on a formula of one senator for every 300 students enrolled in the school. In September, the freshman class elects four freshman representatives.

In addition there are seven at-large senators representing the advisory board to the provost, black students, Mexican-American students, international students and women students. These representatives ensure all students access to student government.

## Senate Committees

All students are encouraged to apply for one of the fourteen senate committees. The committees are composed of students and student senators who have the responsibility for various areas that affect student life. Any student may apply for committee positions in the student government office during September. All applicants will be interviewed by the Student Senate Screening Committee, and recommendations will be made to the student body president for appointments. The Student Senate has several standing and ad hoc committees including:

**APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE:** allocates more than \$250,000 of the student activity fee to student organizations with senate approval. Chairs — Richard Bryan.

**CLASS COUNCIL COMMITTEE:** coordinates the efforts of all four class councils and provides interaction for the development of ideas and strategies for each council.

**COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE:** charged with keeping the student body aware of the senate and its actions. Chair —

**ELECTION COMMITTEE:** coordinates and oversees all student elections whenever required. Chair — Millie A.

**FINANCE COMMITTEE:** coordinates with the university on all financial records of the senate and is in charge of the senate and recognized student organization budget. Chairs — Strawman and Kevin O'Meara.

**INTERNAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE:** charged with the internal control and operations of the senate. Chair and Holly Strout.

**ISSUES AND GRIEVANCES COMMITTEE:** responsible for student complaints and concerns. Grievance cases are handled in the student government office. Chairs — John B.

**MUSTANG COMMITTEE:** coordinates special projects and activities for the SMU student body especially during homecoming. Chair — Andy Smith.

**POLLING COMMITTEE:** offers SMU Students an opportunity to express their views on particular Student Senate projects. Chair — Ted Brabham.

**SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE:** responsible for reviewing and awarding scholarships from Student Senate funds. Additionally, they work in conjunction with the fine arts SMU Endowment Foundation to provide strategic scholarships. Chair — Carol Foster.

**SCREENING COMMITTEE:** recommends to the student body president qualified individuals for the senate committees. Chair —

**STUDENT CODE COMMITTEE:** revises the student code with the approval of the senate. Chair — Erica Caswe.

**STUDENT HANDBOOK COMMITTEE:** coordinates the development of The Persona Express, the student handbook.

**STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS COMMITTEE:** coordinates the senate's recognition of student organizations and sets a minimum standard of operation. Chair — Tracy.

Students can also serve on Faculty Senate (

Commission on the Status of Women). These appointments are made by the student body president, and all interested students should contact the student government office in September regarding these positions. The office is located on the ground floor of the student activity center.

### Elections

take place in the spring for all positions except for freshman representatives who are elected in the fall of each year.

### Appointments

All student body appointments are made by the student body president and may include recommendations from the Student Senate Screening Committee and the Student Senate.

## 1984-85 Student Senators

**Student body president** — Brad Gahm  
**Student body vice president** — Bill Koch  
**Student body secretary** — Holly Stroud  
**Student body treasurer** — Kevin O'Meara

### Business School seats

Norm Bagwell  
Todd Binet  
Mary Landrum  
Dee Dee Muldoon  
Barry Wilson  
Lisa Utasi

### Dedman College seats

Susan Connell  
Scotty Cooper  
Kendall Miller  
Courtney Ravkind  
Kyle Talkington  
Reginald Tillman  
Kevin Warmath  
Janet Watson

### Engineering School seats

Moj Farhangian  
Sandy Long  
Greg Phillips  
Carol Waller

### Arts School seats

Frank Stoltz  
Kelley Miller  
Julie Steffes  
Susan Robbins

### Theology School seats

Michael De Vaughn  
Other seat to be filled in the fall.

### Law School seats

Kelly Rogers  
Bruce Epstein  
Richie Whitten

### Scholarships

In recent years, SMU's endowment has grown to the point where the senate can provide scholarships for deserving members of the campus community. Currently, eight scholarships are available, including four Bobby Leach scholarships for leadership and involvement, the Robert Burrell scholarship for leadership and involvement, the Willis M. Tate scholarship for academic excellence, the Emmett Conrad scholarship for a minority student for leadership and involvement and the Nancy Underwood scholarship for the graduate student who has made significant contributions. Information on these scholarships is available at the student activities center or by talking to the chair of the scholarship committee.

### Women's seat

Margaret Tuschman

### Black seat

Adolphus Drain

### Hispanic seat

Ronny Ortiz

### International seat

Gitte Christiansen

### Panhellenic (non-voting) seat

Lisa Stewart

### IFC (non-voting) seat

Greg Thompson

### Provost (non-voting) seat

Maureen Calloway

**COMMITTEE:** charged with making the student senate and its actions. Chair — Julie Bingham.

**IE:** coordinates and runs the student body treasury. Chair — Millie Aparite.

**IFC:** coordinates with the student body treasurer (senate) and is in charge of all financial records of student organizations. Chairs — Laurie Meara.

**IMMEDIATE:** charged with reviewing the interests of the senate. Chairs — Todd Alan Smith.

**GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE:** offers students an outlet of concerns. Grievance forms are available in the office. Chairs — John Baker and Rosalie Lyne.

**IE:** coordinates special projects that promote the student body especially concerning homecoming. Chair — Smith.

**IFC:** offers SMU Students opportunities to participate in Student Senate legislation or special projects.

**IFC:** responsible for developing, interviewing, and awarding Student Senate monies. In conjunction with the finance committee for the purpose to provide strategy for further student development. Chair — Foster.

**IFC:** recommends to the student body president for the senate committees. Chair — Charlie.

**IFC:** revises the student code, upon request. Chair — Erica Caswell.

**IFC:** coordinates the publication of the student handbook. Chair — Kurt Lord.

**IFC:** recommends to the student organizations and established minimums. Chair — Tracy, Halley.

**IFC:** on Faculty Senate Committees (Athletics,

# SMU Student Clubs and Organizations

There are more than 130 recognized student organizations at SMU waiting for new, enthusiastic members! For more information on individual organizations and how to get involved, come by the student activity center in Room 42 of the student center, or call 692-3540.

## Academic Organizations

**A.I.E.S.E.C. - The International Association of Students in Business and Management**

An international student exchange organization which works to seek out traineeships for foreign students, in exchange for SMU students to work abroad.

**American Association of Petroleum Geologists**

To encourage among its members an increasing knowledge of geology and related sciences.

**American Society of Civil Engineers**

To act as an interface between the student at SMU and the professional engineering community.

**American Society for Engineering Management**

To provide an opportunity for its members to experience the application of principles and the association with practitioners of engineering management and to promote the development of the profession.

**American Society of Mechanical Engineers**

A professional engineering society to make students more aware of recent developments in the field of mechanical engineering.

**American Society of Personnel Administration**

A.S.P.A. offers students majoring in all facets of business administration, other related disciplines, the opportunity to gain knowledge into the personnel and industrial relations field.

**Anthropology Club**

To foster an interest in anthropology in the SMU community and to facilitate the exchange of ideas regarding anthropological issues.

**Association for Computing Machines**

To promote the free interchange of information about the sciences and arts of information processing and to develop and maintain the competence of individuals engaged in the practice of information processing.

**Association of Broadcast/Film Arts Students**

To promote an interface between members and the Dallas communications industry in order to facilitate a smoother transition from academic to professional life for communications professionals.

**Economics Club**

To expand student-faculty relations within the economic department, and to present students with career ideas and opportunities within the field of economics.

**English Club**

To promote literary studies and to provide opportunities for fellowship and to explore career alternatives and other common concerns.

**German Club**

To help foster a greater awareness and understanding of the German culture and language.

**Harris Society of Biologists**

This organization provides an opportunity to focus on biological concerns, and promotes interaction between student and national scientific communities.

**History Club**

To provide a forum for students interested in history and to expose students to a variety of views on diverse historical topics.

**Honor Council**

To implement the honor code by promoting academic honesty and holding hearings for alleged violations.

**Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers**

One of the largest professional engineering societies, it serves to acquaint students in the academic world with the developments and technologies of the industrial sector.

**Italian Club**

To promote the Italian culture, thought and civilization.

**Marketing Club**

To enlighten marketing students of careers available in marketing.

**Music Education National Conference**

To provide opportunities for professional development for college students of music education.

**National Society of Black Engineers**

To promote the fields of engineering and engineering technology and to increase black and other ethnic minority participation in the field.

**Public Relations Student Society of America**

To provide opportunities for students to apply skills learned in class to practical settings.

**Real Estate Club**

To encourage interaction between students and other persons interested in real estate with the real estate business community.

**Religious Studies Club**

To encourage deeper understanding and appreciation of the different ways in which religions be described, organized and practiced. Explore religious meaning and values within a context of intellectual inquiry and religious tolerance.

**Sigma Delta Chi**

To provide information on issues facing professional and student journalists and offer opportunities for contact and discussion with professional journalists.

**SMU Advertising Club**  
To promote learning activities and to encourage advertising students. Affiliated with the National Advertising Federation.

**SMU Chemistry Society**  
To promote study of chemistry among chemistry students and faculty.

**SMU Debate and Forensics Society**  
To encourage students to develop and appreciate their debating skills and to participate in intercollegiate forensics competitions.

**SMU French Club**  
To encourage students to a deeper appreciation of French language and culture; to bring the language classroom and into a more practical setting.

**SMU Music Therapy Club**  
To promote the progressive development of the music therapy profession. The club's primary aim is to accomplish therapeutic aims and to provide service, training, education and support for the music therapy profession.

**Society for Russian Studies**  
To further the appreciation of Russian culture and language.

**Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers**  
To encourage Hispanic students to pursue engineering and provide support for them.

**Society of Physics Students**  
A national organization to promote physics and applied sciences and student interaction with leading scientists, the faculty and other students.

**Society of Women Engineers**  
To support and encourage women in engineering and to provide opportunities in the engineering field.

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To promote and support interest in sociology outside the classroom.

**Spanish Club**  
To promote a general interest in Spanish language, culture, history and literature.

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A national organization to promote the natural and applied sciences and students in close contact with leading scientists, the faculty of SMU, and other students.

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To support and encourage women pursuing a career in engineering and to explore career opportunities in the engineering field.

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To promote a general interest in the study of the Spanish language, culture, history and customs.

**Student Art Association**  
To promote awareness of art history; to encourage interaction and exchange of ideas among students of art; and, to make students aware of the work of local, national and international artists.

**Texas Student Education Association**  
To develop and to promote professional competence and personal growth of student teachers.

**Undergraduate Law Society**  
To foster greater interest in the law and related fields; to augment the knowledge of our members about the law and law school itself, and, to keep members current on requirements for gaining admission to law school.

**Women in Communications**  
The nation's oldest and largest organization dedicated to the advancement and professional development of women and men in all fields of communication.

**Women In Management**  
To promote the entrance of women into the business world by providing forums for sharing of information, resources, concerns and strategies for change.

## Campus Programming Groups

**Metro Mustangs**  
Is a service and social organization designed to create a sense of unity, promote school spirit, and provide a means by which the community student may take part in the university experience.

**Residence Hall Association**  
To provide social and educational programming for issues and concerns, and to generally improve the quality of life for upperclass students living on campus.

**Program Council**  
Is the Student Activities Programming Board that provides a variety of educational, cultural, recreational, and entertainment activities for the SMU campus. The Program Council is composed of ten student run committees. These committees are:

—Center Activities — which provides programs in the student center ranging from a monthly

coffee house series to Christmas in the student center.

—Films — presents a showcase of high caliber box office hits every Friday night and offers the best in classic films on Wednesdays once a month.

—Hispanic Events — provides entertainment and cultural activities that will help the SMU community realize the rich cultural heritage of the Hispanic world.

—Literary Festival — is a popular annual event which has received national acclaim. A talented group of authors and poets visit the SMU campus in November to share their experience through readings of their works, panel discussions, and seminars.

—Minority Actions Committee-Blacks — is responsible for heightening awareness of the black culture. This is achieved primarily through the programs they present in February for Black Emphasis Month.

—Active Leisure — brings together four committees of Program Council and provides for the recreational interests of the SMU students. Programs are sponsored in the areas of outdoor recreation, indoor recreation, outward bound, and travel.

—Speakers Committee — brings a variety of intellectually stimulating speakers in the fields of politics, the environment, entertainment, and current issues.

—Special Events — is the committee which programs annual events such as the Homecoming dance and the spring concert.

—Sidekicks — gives students the opportunity to learn a number of things through mini-courses in such things as needlecraft, auto or bicycle repair, skydiving, or resume writing.

**Sophomore Advisors**  
A group of upperclassmen who work in the freshman quad to coordinate activities which welcome freshmen and help them adjust to college life.

**Student Foundation**  
Works in conjunction with the development office in the promotional activities for the university. Programs are operated as extensions of projects originating with the officers of development, public relations, admissions, athletics and the alumni association.

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**Sigma Delta Chi**  
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**Students Older Than Average (SOTA)**  
A social-service organization for the non-traditional age student — 23 and older.

**Women's Interest Network**  
Addresses concerns and issues related to women.

## Governing Boards

**Business School Student Caucus**  
Business Caucus is the governing body of the business school whose purpose is to act as a liaison between students and the business school faculty and administration.

**\*Dedman College Graduate Student Assembly**  
Appropriates Dedman College graduate student activity fees and considers issues and policies that affect graduate students.

**Freshman Council**  
To be the student governing body for freshman quad, allowing representation for every freshman. Affiliated with the Class Council Committee of the Student Senate.

**\*Graduate Council**  
Composed of a representative from this council facilitates the interaction of graduate students, represents graduate student interests, and serves as an intermediary between graduate students, the administration and the student senate.

**\*Interfraternity Council (IFC)**  
IFC is the coordinating and administrative body for SMU's 12 fraternities. The IFC President's Council — composed of presidents of all member fraternities — acts as the main legislative body. The IFC Executive Committee is comprised of five popularly elected and three appointed officers.

**Junior Class Council**  
To promote class unity and take care of the affairs of the junior class. Affiliated with the Class Council Committee of the Student Senate.

**MBA Advisory Board**  
Governing body for the graduate students of the Cox School of Business.

**\*Meadows Graduate Arts Student Council**  
Governing body for the graduate students in Meadows School of the Arts.

**\*Panhellenic**  
The SMU Panhellenic Association is comprised of all members of the 12 sororities. The Panhellenic Council consists of an elected delegate from each sorority on campus, as well as a representative executive board. The Panhellenic Council meets regularly to discuss issues, hear concerns and set policies for the entire sorority system. The Sorority Presidents' Council also meets regularly to discuss problems and review upcoming programs.

**\*Perkins Student Association**  
Governing body for graduate students in Perkins School of Theology.

**\*SEAS Graduate Student Council**  
Governing body for graduate students in the School of Engineering and Applied Sciences.

**Senior Class Council**  
To organize the activities of the senior class. The committee decides on the senior class gift and plans fund raising events to raise money for the gift and for the annual Alumni Fund. Affiliated with Class Council Committee of the Student Senate.

**\*SMU Students' Publishing Co**  
Publishes the daily newspaper, yearbook, literary magazine, and directory, as well as being responsible for KSMU radio.

**—The Daily Campus**  
The Daily Campus is a four-day a week college newspaper serving the needs of the SMU community.  
**—KSMU**

The radio station is now broadcasting FM to all university dorms and is located in the student center.

**—Espejo**  
Espejo is SMU's literary magazine which offers student writers, artists, and photographers the opportunity to show their talents.

**—Rotunda**  
The yearbook is published each year in September (for the previous year) and contains all events, classes, sports and graduation.  
**—Advocate**  
The SMU School of Law newspaper.

**Sophomore Class Council**  
To unify the sophomore class for the support of the university and its students. Affiliated with Class Council Committee of the Student Senate.

**\*Student Bar Association**  
All students enrolled in the SMU School of Law are members of the Student Bar Association. SBA plans activities designed to promote academic, professional, and social well being of law students at SMU.

**Student Center Governing Board**  
To coordinate the activities of the various student organizations that are housed in the Student Activity Center.

**Student Engineers Joint Council**  
To represent the engineering students in policymaking as it applies to the student body and organize activities for the School of Engineering and Applied Science Student Body.

**MBA Student Council**  
Governing body for the graduate students of the Cox School of Business.

## Honoraries

**Alpha Lambda Delta**  
A national freshman honorary which encourages high scholastic achievement not only freshman year but throughout your college career.

**Beta Alpha Psi**  
A national fraternity which encourages and recognizes scholastic and professional excellence in the field of accounting.

**Beta Beta Beta**  
A national honorary society which fosters academic efforts in biology with particular emphasis on scholarship and research.

**Beta Gamma Sigma**  
To encourage and reward accomplishment among student administration; to promote the education in the art and science to foster integrity in the conduct of operations.

**Beta Tau Epsilon**  
To encourage and reward accomplishment in the field of research in the art and academic.

**Chi Epsilon**  
Promotes the status of civil engineering.

**Delta Phi Alpha**  
To promote scholarship and language, literature and civilization.

**Delta Sigma Pi**  
A professional business fraternity to foster the study of business and industry.

**Eta Kappa Nu**  
Is the honorary society for engineering undergraduate and graduate students who are distinguished by scholarship and exemplary conduct.

**Kappa Delta Pi**  
To recognize outstanding student who are in teacher preparation.

**Kappa Mu Epsilon**  
Mathematics society that recognizes achievement by undergraduate students and promotes an interest in mathematics and professional training.

**Mortar Board**  
National honor society to recognize leadership and service; to promote awareness among members of the student body.

**Order of Omega**  
To recognize outstanding student activities and to promote sorority fellowship.



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## Organizations

Lambda Delta  
A national freshman honorary which encourages scholastic achievement not only freshmen but throughout your college career.

Theta Psi  
A national fraternity which encourages and rewards scholastic and professional excellence in the field of accounting.

Theta Beta  
A national honorary society which fosters academic efforts in biology with particular emphasis on scholarship and research.

Beta Gamma Sigma  
To encourage and reward scholarship and accomplishment among students of business and administration; to promote the advancement of education in the art and science of business; and, to foster integrity in the conduct of business operations.

Beta Tau Epsilon  
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Delta Phi Alpha  
To promote scholarship and the study of German language, literature and civilization.

Delta Sigma Pi  
A professional business fraternity organized to foster the study of business and universities.

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Is the honorary society for qualified electrical engineering undergraduate and graduate students who are distinguished by scholarship, activities, leadership and exemplary character.

Kappa Delta Pi  
To recognize outstanding students in education who are in teacher preparation programs.

Kappa Mu Epsilon  
Mathematics society that recognizes outstanding achievement by undergraduate and graduate students and promotes an interest in mathematics and fosters a high standard of scholarship and professional training.

Mortar Board  
National honor society to promote scholarship, leadership and service; to promote cooperation among senior honoraries; and, to promote self-awareness among members.

Order of Omega  
To recognize outstanding leaders in inter-Greek activities and to promote inter-fraternity and sorority fellowship.

Phi Alpha Theta  
To recognize and encourage excellence in the study of history.

Phi Beta Kappa  
A national honorary which promotes scholarship, friendship, and cultural interest. It is awarded to juniors and seniors in the school of humanities and sciences.

Phi Chi Theta  
This is a national organization that promotes women in business.

Phi Eta Sigma  
A national honor society to promote a higher standard of learning and to encourage high scholastic attainment among freshmen.

Phi Lambda Upsilon  
To promote high scholarship and original investigation in all branches of pure and applied chemistry.

Phi Nu Chi  
Purpose is to foster the study of finance and recognize those who excel in its study.

Pi Delta Phi  
This is a French honorary that recognizes outstanding achievement and promotes interest in French language, literature and civilization.

Pi Sigma Alpha  
Encourages advanced studies and professional orientation in political science.

Pi Tau Sigma  
Fosters the high ideals of the engineering profession, stimulates interest in departmental activities, and promotes the mutual professional welfare of its members.

Psi Chi  
A national honorary organization to recognize excellence by students in psychology and to encourage interest and careers in psychology.

Sigma Delta Pi  
To honor students for excellence in Spanish and to promote interest in Hispanic studies.

Tau Beta Pi  
A national engineering honorary composed of electrical engineering students who are distinguished by scholarship, activities, leadership, and exemplary character.

Zeta Phi Beta  
Is a national professional fraternity in the communication arts and sciences.

## Inter-Cultural Organizations

Arab Student Association  
To provide support and activities for Arab students on the SMU campus and to provide opportunities for interaction between the Arab students and the SMU community.

Association of Black Students  
ABS acts as a liaison for educational, cultural, political, and social exchanges among black students and the SMU community, aiding in the awareness and significance of blacks at SMU.

Chinese Student Association  
To facilitate the exchange of culture between Chinese and American students at SMU.

College Hispanic American Students  
Concerned with the interests and education of Hispanic students and promotion of the Hispanic culture to the SMU community.

Japan Club  
To facilitate the exchange of culture between Japanese and American students at SMU.

Organization of African Students  
To represent the interests of African students and promote cultural exchange between Africans and the SMU community.

Organization of International Students  
To promote intercultural understanding and to provide support to the international students at SMU.

SMU Indian Students Association  
To unite the Indian students and promote the cultural exchange between Indians and the SMU community.

## Political Organizations

### College Republicans of SMU

The official auxiliary of the Republican party on campus. To develop, educate and enlist members of the College Republicans of SMU.

### Young Americans for Freedom

To provide young people with the philosophical motivation and political orientation which will enable them to effectively lead the cause of freedom.

### Young Democrats

To further interest and participation in American political and governing processes on the SMU campus as well as in the principles of the Democratic Political Party.

## Religious Organizations

### Athletes for Christ

A group of athletes who believe and participate in representing Jesus Christ as their personal savior. Affiliated with Followers of Christ International.

### Baptist Student Union

To provide Christian fellowship and ministry to the SMU community.

### Bible Study Fellowship

To provide a forum in which anyone may learn about the Bible and the Christian ethics that it presents.

### Campus Crusade for Christ

To provide the SMU campus with a positive, reliable and challenging picture of the Christian life. Campus Crusade is an inter-denominational Christian fellowship that is an extension of Young Life.

### Campus Ministry Council

Is composed of representatives from all recognized religious organizations at SMU who wish to share in a ministry to the campus as a whole. If interested, contact Teresa Burke at 692-2786.

### Canterbury House

To provide opportunities for Christian interaction and fellowship within the context of the Episcopal Church.

### Catholic Campus Ministry

To provide a community for the Catholic students on the SMU campus; to provide activities to enhance the spiritual, educational and recreational lives of the Catholic students.

### Christian Science Organization

To provide a sense of community for Christian Scientists at SMU and encourage them to practice Christian Science in their daily lives.

### Collegians for Christ

A group of students who believe and participate in representing Jesus Christ as their personal savior. Affiliated with followers of Christ International.

### \*Gospel Messengers

### Highland Park Presbyterian Church College Department

To provide worship and fellowship opportunities for students who come from a Presbyterian heritage.

### Highland Park United Methodist Church - University Class

To serve the SMU campus and community through worship, study, fellowship, and work projects.

### InterVarsity Christian Fellowship

To encourage and assist groups of students in their efforts to mature in Christ and share Christ with their friends.

### Jewish Student Association

To provide fellowship for Jewish Students and those interested in the faith.

### Muslim Student Association

To preserve, advance, and represent the religious, social, moral and intellectual standards of the Islamic faith.

### Student Fellowship Group

The thrust is friendship, love and Jesus Christ.

### Unitarian Universalist Student Association

SMU

To provide liberal religious worship, fellowship and education founded on the "free and unimpeded search for truth" and the promotion of "the supreme worth and dignity of every individual."

### United Christian Fellowship

To unite students in fellowship through the building and maintaining of faith and to be of service to the university and community.

### United Methodist Campus Ministry

is a ministry sponsored by The United Methodist Church through its connexional agencies in five local churches. It provides Bible study, faith dialogue opportunities, shares information about local church ministries, and brings a Christian witness of the church to the campus.

### University Chapel Campus Ministry

An outreach of the ministry of University Chapel. A fellowship, study and service group for students whose goals include exploring social and political questions from a Christian viewpoint, engaging in service beyond the campus community.

## Service Organizations

### Alpha Phi Omega

A national service fraternity in the fellowship of the principles of the Boy Scouts of America that serves SMU and the surrounding community.

### Bacchus

To educate the campus community about alcohol use and abuse and other alcohol or related matters; to increase awareness concerning healthy alternatives to alcohol abuse; and, to promote responsible drinking behavior within the SMU community.

### Campus Y

To address social and human rights issues within the SMU community and throughout the world and to program for better understanding. Affiliated with the national YWCA.

to promote leadership and fellowship, and service to the SMU and Dallas community and sponsored by Dallas Kiwanis Club.

publicization of Volunteer Efforts (M.O.V.E.) to provide students with learning experiences in form of practical service work within and in situations. Coordinates student services with Dallas agencies/organizations.

### Philosophy Club

to stimulate dialogue and mutual learning together persons of different disciplines to address social, ethical, religious, epistemological and other issues.

### Interact

service organization for the SMU surrounding community. Affiliated with the club.

### SMU Tutorial Service

to provide SMU students with qualified tutors at minimal cost.

### United Campuses to Prevent Nuclear War (UCAM)

national organization to promote student and citizen involvement in nuclear issues.

## Special Interest Organizations

### Air Force ROTC

purpose is to increase awareness and recruit students in Air Force college education and career opportunities.

### Campus Off-Road Enthusiasts

purpose is to encourage fellowship among students who enjoy outdoor activities.

### Hilltop Investment Group

members of the Hilltop Investment Group invest by participating in an investment fund where investment opportunities are identified and voted upon.

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**Men's**

To provide education about the fashion industry and opportunities for involvement throughout the Dallas Community.

**Nalads**

To support the SMU swim teams and act as timers for all home swim meets.

**SMU Aviations Association**

**SMU Court Mates**

Purpose is to actively support the SMU Men's Varsity Tennis Team by scoring their home matches and providing publicity for SMU and the Dallas community.

**SMU Model United Nations Society**

To provide students a forum in which to discuss international issues and politics and to furnish opportunities for participation in National Model United Nations Conferences.

**SMU Outward Bound Association**

To encourage the development of students' personal character, leadership ability, and physical education through programs of outdoor adventure.

**Students to uplift Dying Spirit (STUDS)**

To promote school spirit throughout the SMU community.

**Sports Clubs**

**Intramurals**

Provides opportunities for SMU students to participate in athletic events throughout the school year.

**Mustang Fencing Club**

To promote fencing and provide fencing as an intercollegiate sport on the SMU campus.

**SMU Ice Hockey Club**

To provide opportunities for SMU students to participate in the game of ice hockey. The club is a member of the Southwest Collegiate Ice Hockey Association.

**SMU Lacrosse Club**

To promote the sport of lacrosse and provide opportunities for intercollegiate competition.

**SMU Rowing Club**

To provide an outlet for students interested in rowing as sport and exercise.

**SMU Rugby Club**

To promote the development of American rugby at SMU.

**SMU Sailing Club**

To promote the sport of sailing and to provide leisure sailing, instruction and competition at SMU.

**SMU Scuba Club**

To promote the sport of SCUBA diving university wide and to provide leisure diving, instruction and competition at SMU.

For more information on individual organizations or how to get involved, come by the student activity center in room 42 of the student center, or call 692-3540.



# SMU Sports

The 1984 season looks bright for the Mustangs even though they will lose the services of Lance McIlhenny, the all-time winningest quarterback (34-5-1) in SWC history. Don King will very likely be Coach Bobby Collins' number one quarterback. Joining King in the backfield will be tailbacks Reggie Dupard and Jeff Atkins, who combined for 2,186 yards and 16 touchdowns while alternating each possession.

Other key players are Anthony Beverly at outside linebacker, Ron Morris at wide receiver and Andrew Campbell and Chris Jackson on the offensive line.

Over the past three years, SMU has been the winningest team in major college football with a winning percentage of 92.6. In the past four years, SMU has played in three bowl games, won two SWC conferences and finished in the top 20 four times.

## 1983 Record

SMU 24, Louisville 6  
 SMU 20, Grambling 13  
 SMU 21, TCU 17  
 SMU 34, UT-Arlington 0  
 SMU 42, Baylor 26  
 SMU 12, Texas 15  
 SMU 10, Texas A&M 7  
 SMU 20, Rice 6  
 SMU 33, Texas Tech 7  
 SMU 17, Arkansas 0  
 SMU 34, Houston 12  
 (Mirage Bowl in Tokyo)

Sun Bowl — Dec. 24, 1983

Alabama 28, SMU 7

Season record — 10-2-0  
 Southwest Conference runner-up  
 AP and UPI — 11th in the nation



SMU has excellent teams in other sports as well. The men's tennis team perennial power, and the men's swimming team placed fifth in the NCAA. In track, SMU won both the 1983 Indoor and Outdoor NCAA Championships. The 1984 team placed an impressive fourth in the NCAA Indoor Championships.

Big time basketball has returned to the Hilltop. The 1983-84 team completed a 24-8 record and finished a strong third in the SWC. Highlights of the season included wins in the Rainbow Classic and the Dallas Morning News Classic. SMU also gained national attention for its great performance in the NCAA tournament. The team won its first game and then lost a heartbreak one-point game to eventual champion, Georgetown.

All five starters return for the 1984-85 season. SMU will be lead by Koncak, who won a highly competitive spot on the 1984 Olympic team, Carl Wright. Furthermore, coach Dave Bliss had an excellent recruiting landing five blue-chippers. All things considered, 1984-85 could be the season for the SMU team which lost to both participants in the NCAA finals by one point.

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## 1984 Football Schedule

September 15	Louisville	Away — 7 p.m. (EST)
September 22	NTSU	Home — 7:30 p.m.
September 29	TCU	Home — 7:30 p.m.
October 6	Open	
October 13	Baylor	Away — 7 p.m.
October 20	Houston	Home — 2 p.m.
October 27	Texas	Away — 1 p.m.
November 3	Texas A&M	Home — 2 p.m.
November 10	Rice	Away — 2 p.m.
November 17	Texas Tech	Away — 2 p.m. (tentative)
November 24	Arkansas	Home — 2 p.m.
December 1	University of Nevada,	Away



well. The mens' tennis team placed fifth in the 1983-84 Indoor and Outdoor NCAA tournaments and in the NCAA Indoor championships.

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### Texas Stadium

There are several ways to reach Texas Stadium from SMU:

- Northwest Highway west to Irving.
- North Central Expressway south to the Carpenter Freeway (183)
- Mockingbird west to Carpenter Freeway (183)

Then look for the dome — you can't miss it

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**For Effort**

Effort is what it takes to maintain good grades. If you are having trouble keeping up with your classes, contact the Southern Methodist University Tutorial Service. The service provides qualified tutors at a reasonable cost. Special funding is available for minority students. For more information visit room 42 of the Student Center or call Tutorial Service at 692-3540. It will make a difference.

**Tutorial Service**



# Dallas Diversions

This is by no means an exhaustive list of the cultural events available in Dallas, Fort Worth and the surrounding areas of the metroplex. Everyone has his or her own idea of what is cultural, and it is likely that there are events which suit every definition — though it may take a little looking to find some of them. The following list should get you started.

## Theater

### Dallas Convention Center Theater

650 S. Griffin. Tickets available through Rainbow Tickets.

### Dallas Repertory Theatre

Located in Northpark Mall. Reservations and information available by calling 369-8966.

### Dallas Theater Center

The Dallas Theater Center now has two theaters, the original, designed by Frank Lloyd Wright at 3635 Turtle Creek and the new Arts District Theater downtown. The Frank Lloyd Wright Theater houses two stages: the Kalita Humphreys Theater for large productions, and the Basement, which seats a limited number of people. Call the theater for ticket prices and group rates at 526-8857.

### Theater Three

Located in the Quadrangle at 2800 Routh. Student discounts are available. For more information call 871-3300.

## Dinner Theater

### Gran Crystal Palace Theater Restaurant

Located at 2424 Swiss Avenue. Features cabaret-style revue: combination of song, dance, and satire. Phone 824-1263 for more information.

### Granny's Dinner Playhouse

12205 Coit Rd. Dinner served one hour before performance. Call 239-0153 for group prices and information.

## Ballet

### Dallas Civic Ballet

The season starts in October at the Majestic Theater. For more information call 744-4396.

## Music

### Dallas Civic Opera

For a full season of opera, call 528-9850 for information and ticket prices and availability.

### Reunion Arena

Features concerts and top name entertainers, and serves a buffet dinner. Call the box office a month in advance for information about coming attractions at 658-7070.

### State Fair Musical

Information on this year's musical, "My One and Only," and other state fair events is available at the State Fair Box Office, 691-7200.

### Symphony

The Dallas Symphony Orchestra's 1984-84 season offers great stars and musica, all under the direction of Eduardo Mata. This year, guest artists include Luciano Pavarotti, Leontyne Price, Itzhak Perlman, Leon Fleisher, Andre Watts, Lynn Harrell and Lorin Hollander. Discount prices on tickets for students will be available. Call the Dallas Symphony Box Office for more information at 692-0203.

## Art Museums

### Dallas Museum of Art

The new museum on Ross Avenue is the first building in the Dallas Arts District. Here you can find a permanent collection of art including Pre-Columbian, old masters, modern American and Oceanic, as well as some surprises, such as the Stake. The museum also has a sculpture garden surrounding it. Be on the lookout for special exhibits. Admission is free. For information, call 922-0220.

### Kimball Art Museum

Located at 1101 Will Rogers Rd. West in Fort Worth, this art museum has a permanent collection from prehistoric art to Picasso. For more information, call (817) 332-8451. Admission is free.

## Other Museums

### Dallas Museum of Natural History

Situated in Fair Park, this museum contains a large collection of mounted animals in their natural habitats. Admission is 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for children ages 6-11. Call 421-2169.

### Southwestern Historical Wax Museum

This museum contains 181 life-size wax figures representing Texas and Southwestern history, and is located in Grand Prairie at I-30 and Beltline. Admission for adults is \$3.95, children ages 4-12 pay \$2.95, and children under age 4 are admitted free with an adult. There is free parking. Call 263-2391.

### The Science Place

Features a Gossamer penguin and an anatomy and disease exhibit. Admission is \$1. Located in Fair Park. Call 428-8351.

## Area Attractions

### Dallas Zoo

One of the top 10 zoological parks in the nation, the Dallas Zoo is located at 621 E. Clarendon Drive, and is open daily from 9-5. For admission prices and more information, call 946-5156.

### Fair Park

Fair Park hosts the annual State Fair of Texas in October, the Cotton Bowl in January, and musical performances in the Music Hall. It is also weekends April-September with museums such as the Hall of State, restaurants, picnic areas, and midway rides and games. Fair Park is located at Parry and 2nd Avenue, or call 565-9931.

### Reunion Tower Observation Deck

The deck offers a panoramic view of Dallas daily from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 p.m. for \$1.50 for adults. Reunion Tower is located at 300 Reunion Blvd. Call 741-3663.

### Texas Rangers Baseball

The Rangers play at Arlington Stadium on I-30 in Arlington. For current ticket prices, call 273-5100.

### Dallas Mavericks Basketball

The Mavericks play at Reunion Arena, downtown. Call 748-1808 for tickets information.

### Dallas Cowboy Football

The Cowboys play at Texas Stadium in Irving, and tickets aren't always easy to come by. Call 369-8000 for information.

### Golf

Golfers can try their skill at these municipal courses:  
Cedar Crest — 1800 Sutherland  
Tennison Park — 3501 Samuell Blvd.  
Mesquite — NW Hwy. 67 at Barnes Bridge Road  
Elm Park — 11223 Luna Road  
Stevens Park — 1005 N. Montclair  
a suggestion — If you want to play on Saturday or Sunday, call a day early and make a tee time.

### White Water and Wet'n Wild

These two water amusement parks are built within five miles of each other. White Water is located in Grand Prairie on I-30 at Belt Line Road. Wet'n Wild, the newer of the two, is on I-30 also across from Arlington Stadium in Arlington. Take the Arlington—157 exit to get there.

### Six Flags Over Texas

An amusement park with the latest in up-to-date rides, including the Texas Cliffhanger, a free-fall roller coaster, live-entertainment shows, game rooms and cotton candy. Six Flags is located west of Dallas on I-30. Call 461-1200 for admission prices and times.

## Parks

Bachman Lake — West on Northwest Highway to Webb's Chapel Road.

Fair Oaks Park — North on Skillman to Abrams turn left.

Glencoe Park — Behind the Hilton Inn on Mockingbird Lane.

Samuell Park — Grand Road to Samuell Blvd. Next to Tenison golf course.

Turtle Creek — South on Abbot to Beverly Dr, turn right.

White Rock Lake — East on Mockingbird, White Rock Lake is on the right.



# Church D

## Campus church services:

### PERKINS CHAPEL

Protestant — 11 a.m.  
Roman Catholic Liturgy — 9 a.m. at

CANTERBURY HOUSE—3308 De  
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## Area Worship Services:

### ADVENTIST

Seventh Day Adventist Church  
2009 North Central Expressway  
228-1111

### ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Lakewood Assembly of God Church  
2207 Abrams  
21-5290

### BAHA'I WORLD FAITH

Baha'i Community of University Park  
1129 Greenwich  
26-0904

### BAPTIST

First Baptist Church  
Crawley at San Jacinto (Downtown)  
42-3111

### Park Cities Baptist Church

1933 Northwest Highway  
69-8211

### CATHOLIC

Christ the King Catholic Church  
1117 Preston  
63-6219

### Holy Trinity Catholic Church

811 Oak Lawn  
26-8555



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8009 North Central Expressway  
328-1111

### ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Lainwood Assembly of God Church  
2707 Abrams  
821-5290

### BAHA'I WORLD FAITH

Baha'i Community of University Park  
4129 Greenwich  
526-0804

### BAPTIST

First Baptist Church  
Ervey at San Jacinto (Downtown)  
742-3111

### Park Cities Baptist Church

2033 Northwest Highway  
369-8211

### CATHOLIC

Christ the King Catholic Church  
1817 Preston  
363-6219

### Holy Trinity Catholic Church

3811 Oak Lawn  
526-8555

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

Church of Christ of Highland Park  
4333 Cole  
521-5811

### Preston Road Church of Christ

6409 Preston Road  
526-5890

### EPISCOPAL

Church of the Incarnation  
3966 McKinney Avenue  
521-5101

### St. Michael's and All Angels

8011 Douglas  
363-5471

### LUTHERAN

Christ Lutheran Church of University Park  
3001 Lovers Lane  
363-4355

### NON-DENOMINATIONAL

Northway Christian Church  
8400 Airline at NW Hwy.  
361-6641

### PRESBYTERIAN

Highland Park Presbyterian  
3821 University  
526-7457

### Preston Hollow Presbyterian

9800 Preston Road  
368-6348

### SYNAGOGUES

Shearith Israel  
9401 Douglas  
361-6606

### Temple Emanu—El

Hillcrest & Northwest Hwy.  
368-3613

### UNITED METHODIST

Highland Park United Methodist  
Mockingbird at Hillcrest  
521-3111

### Preston Hollow United Methodist

6315 Walnut Hill Lane  
363-4393



# Restaurant Guide

Key to codes: AMC — all major credit cards

MC — MasterCard

V — Visa

DC — Diner's Club

CB — Carte Blanche

(CT) — Coat and Tie

(C) — Casual

\$ — inexpensive (under \$5)

\$\$ — moderate (\$5-\$12)

\$\$\$ — expensive (\$12)

RA — Reservations accepted

## AMERICAN

**ARTHUR'S**, 1000 Campbell Centre, 361-8833. Lunch - M - F, 11:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.; Dinner - Sun - Fri, 5 - 10:30 p.m.; Sat, 6 - midnight; RA; AMC; \$\$\$; (CT); entertainment nightly.

**TWIN SIXTIES INN**, 6060 North Central, 691-3600. Time Out Lounge, 11:30 a.m. - 2 a.m.; Happy Hour, 4 - 7 p.m., complimentary hors d'oeuvres; Half Time Restaurant, 6:30 a.m. - 2 p.m. and 5 - 10 p.m.; no other information available.

## BURGERS

**BIFF'S RESTUARANT**, 7402 Greenville Ave., 696-1952. Open daily 11 - 2 a.m.; Happy hour 4 - 7 p.m. M - F. MC, V, AE. \$-\$\$ (C).

**THE FILLING STATION**, 6862 Greenville, 691-4488. M - Sun, 11 - 2 a.m.; MC, V, AE. \$ (C). Happy Hour 4:30 - 6:30 p.m. M - F.

**T.G.I. FRIDAY'S**, 5500 Greenville, 363-5353. Open M - Sat, 11 - 2 a.m.; Sun, 11:30 - 2 a.m.; Happy hour M - F 4:30 - 6:30 p.m. MC, V, AE, DC. \$-\$\$ (C).

## CAFETERIAS

**HIGHLAND PARK CAFETERIA**, 4611 Cole Ave., 526-3801. M - Sat, 11 a.m. - 8 p.m.; Shakespeare Buffet: M - F, 11:30 a.m. - 2 p.m. and 5 p.m. - 8 p.m.; Sat, noon - 8 p.m. \$-\$\$ (C).

## FRENCH/CONTINENTAL

**HARPER'S**, N. Central at Mockingbird atop the Dallas Hilton Inn, 823-9180. M - F, 6 - 10:30 p.m.; Sat, 6 - 11 p.m.; RA; AMC; \$\$\$; (CT); entertainment nightly.

**LES SAISONS**, 165 Turtle Creek Village, 528-1102. Lunch - daily 11:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.; Dinner - Sun - Fri, 5 - 10:30 p.m.; Sat, 5 - 11:30 p.m.; RA; AMC; \$\$\$; (CT).

**MANSION**, 2821 Turtle Creek Blvd, 559-2100. Lunch - M - F, 12 - 2:30 p.m.; Brunch - S, S - 11 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.; Dinner - ner Daily - 6 - 10:30 p.m.; RA; AMC; \$\$\$; (CT).

**THE OLD WARSAW**, 2610 Maple, 528-0032. Sun - Th, 6 - 11 p.m.; F, S, 6 p.m. - midnight; RA; AMC; \$\$\$; (CT); violinist.

## ITALIAN/PIZZA

**LA TOSCA**, 7713 Inwood, 352-8373. Sun, T-Th 6 p.m. - on; Closed M; AMC;

\$\$\$ - \$\$\$; (C); cocktail/parking.

**MARIO'S**, 135 Turtle 1135. Daily - 11 p.m. RA; AMC; \$\$\$; (C).

**MR. GATTI'S** 5941 8239. Daily 11-11; F, (C).

## MEXIC

**EL FENIX**, 907 North 8261 and Northwest H 363-5279. M - Sat 11 AM; \$-\$\$; (C).

## SANDWICHE

**BARRY'S SANDWI** Snider Plaza, 750-033 3 p.m.; Closed Sun;

**GREAT OUTDOORS** Skillman, 691-5407, F&Sat 7am-2:30pm;

**NEW YORK SUB**, (next to Hillcrest), 5/2 midnight; 7 day/week

**THE SALOON**, 281 Greenville), 823-655 daily; AE, MC, V; \$; (drinking age, IDs will

# Consumer Guide

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135 Turtle Creek Village, 52  
y - 11 p.m.; Sat till midnigh  
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## MEXICAN

907 Northpark Center, 36  
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M - Sat 11 a.m. - 9 p.m.; M  
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## SANDWICHES/SALADS

SANDWICH SHOP, 67  
a, 750-0330. M - Sat 10 a.m.  
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JD DOORS SUB SHOP, 61  
591-5407, M-Th 7am-12p  
-2:30pm; Sun till 11:00. \$(C)

JK SUB, 3411 Asbury Av  
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823-6550. Open until 2 a.  
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## AIRLINES

Aero Mexico

1-800-392-3970

American Airlines

267-1151

Chaparral (Love Field)

1-800-582-4304

Continental

1-800-392-3390

Delta

630-3200

Eastern

453-0231

Frontier

453-0123

Muse (Love Field)

352-2828

Ozark

647-8013

Pan American

821-3030

Piedmont

647-8823

Southwest (Love Field)

640-1221

Texas International

268-2300

Trans World

741-6741

## AUTO SERVICE

Park Cities Motors

8215-A Preston Road

368-7180

## BANKS

Bank of Dallas

3635 Lemmon

521-4171

Capital Bank

5307 E. Mockingbird

824-7650

Greenville Avenue Bank & Trust

7515 Greenville

369-8400

Interfirst Bank

Preston at Mockingbird

526-8671

Northpark National Bank

1300 Northpark Center

363-9191

Preston State Bank

8111 Preston Road

363-1511

Texas Commerce Bank

6517 Hillcrest

363-2511

## BOOKSTORES

Century Bookstore

3032 Mockingbird Lane

691-8157

SMU Bookstore

Student Center

692-2435

## CANDY STORES

The Candy Tree

6713 Hillcrest

369-7881

## CAR WASH LOCATIONS

Village Car Wash

5206 Greenville

691-7695

## FOOD MARTS

Parkit Market

4724 Greenville

363-4907

## HOSPITALS

Baylor University Medical Center

3500 Gaston

820-0111

Parkland Memorial Hospital

5201 Harry Hines

637-8000

Presbyterian Hospital

8200 Walnut Hill Lane

369-4111

St. Paul Hospital

5909 Harry Hines

689-2000

## HOTELS/MOTELS

Twin Sixties Inn

6060 N. Central

691-3600

## LIQUOR STORES

Red Coleman's Liquors

7560 Greenville

363-0201

State Liquor

3017 Mockingbird

526-2100

## THEATRES

Dallas Repertory Theatre

1030 Northpark Center

369-8966



# PANHELLENIC

**"WELCOMES YOU  
TO SMU"**

Alpha Delta Pi  
Alpha Kappa Alpha  
Chi Omega  
Delta Delta Delta  
Delta Gamma  
Delta Sigma Theta

Gamma Phi Beta  
Kappa Alpha Theta  
Kappa Kappa Gamma  
Phi Mu  
Pi Beta Phi  
Zeta Tau Alpha

<b>IFC Office</b>	<b>692-2857</b>
<b>IFC Advisor</b>	<b>692-2761</b>
<b>Panhellenic Office</b>	<b>692-3350</b>
<b>Panhellenic Advisor</b>	<b>692-2021</b>

Greek life continues to grow at SMU. An individual who selects sorority or fraternity membership will have many opportunities. Developing lifetime friendships is the foundation of fraternities and sororities. Opportunities for personal development, academic achievement, campus and community involvement, leadership and social activities are all a part of Greek Life. We hope that many of you will become a part of the Greek System and work with us to continue to offer programs and activities that will benefit and interest all sorority and fraternity members.

## **PANHELLENIC INFORMATION**

**Aug. 29**

**Open Rush** begins for upperclass students. Interested students must sign up at the Panhellenic office. Transfers bring a copy of your transcript.

**Sept. 6**

**Rushee Orientation** in the Grand Ballroom

**Sept 6 - Sept 28**

**January Rush** in the Student Activity Center.

**Jan 13-19**

**Sorority Formal Rush**



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**The Student Code of Conduct**  
**The University Judicial System**  
**The Honor Code**

# Student Code of Conduct

Southern Methodist University's student code exists to identify and explain to the student body those university policies that most directly affect student life. The student code is established by the Student Senate, which is the legislative body representing student interests, and is the foundation for the student body's relationship to the rest of the university. All students are expected to be knowledgeable of, and abide by the rules set forth in this student code.

"Based on the action of the Board of Trustees, the president of the university is authorized, at his discretion, to review all decisions of the Student Senate and all other student organizations, and all decisions of the university judiciary, including the University Judicial Council and all other university judicial bodies. Such review shall include the power to take any action deemed appropriate, including reversing, amending or remanding with instructions such decisions. The president's power of review as stated herein is not limited in any way, and the president is authorized to act at his sole discretion in conducting such review and in deciding what action is appropriate."

## Student Rights and Freedoms

In recognition of Southern Methodist University's long history of dedication to the best principles of higher education in a democratic society, the student body here asserts for itself the following essential rights and freedoms:

1. As citizens of the community and as members of the university all students are guaranteed freedom of expression, inquiry, and assembly. Students have the right to organize groups or to join associations in support of any cause or common interest as long as that support is voiced in an orderly manner which does not disrupt the regular operation of the university.
2. The student press is to be free of censorship.
3. Students have the same rights of privacy as any other citizen and surrender none of those rights by becoming members of the academic community. The privacy and confidentiality of all student records shall be preserved. Further, the right of all students to be secure in their persons, living quarters, papers and effects against unreasonable searches and seizures is guaranteed.
4. The role of student government and its responsibilities shall be made explicit, and clearly defined means shall be provided to insure student expression in the formulation and application of all institutional policies affecting academic and student affairs.
5. The authority to allocate institutional funds derived from student fees for use by campus organizations shall be delegated to a body in which student participation in the decision-making process is assured.

6. A student, group or organization may distribute writ campus with prior approval providing such distribution does not interfere with the regular operation of the university.

7. No student will be denied admission to the university on the basis of racial heritage, ethnic origin or on the basis of sex.

8. Students accused of violating institutional regulations shall retain the following rights:

a. Upon seizures or arrest by university officials a student shall be informed of his rights in accordance with all federal, state and local laws.

b. No form of harassment will be used by arresting officers or admissions of guilt or information about the conduct of other persons.

c. No searches or seizures of student living quarters or property will be ordered unless such an order is issued by a court of law.

d. Every student shall be granted a fair hearing by a judicial body of his peers, or an administrative official. The hearing shall include confrontation of witnesses against the accused, the appearance of witness in his favor, and the assistance of counsel of his choosing in a Level III hearing, or a friend or family member in a Level II hearing.

9. The preceding enumeration of rights and freedoms shall not be construed to deny or disparage others retained by students in their capacity as members of the university or as citizens of the community.

## Student Responsibilities

The responsibilities and rights of students contained in this code are established by students for students. The policy of the university's concern for the mental and physical health of the members of the university community, and the university encourage development of each individual's sense of responsibility.

1. Students will at all times respect the rights of others and engage in responsible behavior conducive to the teaching and learning process, and uphold the dignity of the university.
2. All local, state and federal laws shall be upheld by students in the university community.
3. The student is bound by the student code and all university policies.
4. Students assuming leadership roles shall accept responsibility to uphold and support the student code.
5. If behavior is deemed in violation of or not in accordance with the student code, university policy, or any law upheld by the university and/or civil action shall be taken.

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## Grievances

1. Unless otherwise specified in the student code, changes or exceptions to the student code are made by the Student Senate. Requests for changes or exceptions should be submitted to the student body president.

2. The issues and grievances committee is established by the Student Senate to deal with individual's concerns, questions or problems. The committee can be contacted through the committee chairperson.

3. Grievances concerning discrimination (including but not limited to race, sex, religion or ethnic origin) should originate with the Office of the Dean of Student Life.

## I. General Policies

### A. Alcohol

Southern Methodist University discourages the consumption of alcoholic beverages. It is realized that individuals 19 or more years of age have the right to make their own decisions concerning alcohol so long as they comply with state and local law, and university policy. Responsible drinking behavior is demanded at all times. It must be understood that intoxication is alcohol abuse and will be subject to judicial proceedings.

1. It is unlawful for any person under 19 years of age to possess, purchase, or consume alcoholic beverages except when accompanied by a parent or adult spouse. A minor who misrepresents his age as 19 or older to a person selling alcohol is subject to a fine up to \$200.

2. It is unlawful for any person to sell, furnish, give or cause to be sold, furnished or given away alcoholic beverages to any person under 19 years of age, except by a parent or an adult spouse. A person who purchases for or gives an alcoholic beverage to a minor is subject to a fine up to \$500. A person who sells alcohol to a minor is punishable by a fine up to \$500 and/or one year in jail.

3. It is unlawful for anyone to buy or sell alcoholic beverages in the city of University Park as it is designated a dry area. In a dry area, transportation and/or possession of more than 24-ounce bottles of beer, or more than one quart of hard liquor is prima facie evidence of intent to sell.

a. Prima facie is defined as the presumption of guilt of an offense unless proved by evidence to the contrary.

b. Transportation or possession in a dry area must be for personal consumption only.

4. The charging for any admission fee or sale of advance tickets to any campus activity or event is prohibited if alcohol is being served.

a. For off-campus events where alcohol is served in a wet area, tickets to the event may be sold on campus only if the alcohol is sold separately at the event.

b. The price of the ticket may not include alcohol if the tickets are sold on campus.

c. Tickets including free alcohol may be sold at the event only (in an off-campus) wet area where permissible. The Dallas Parks Recreation Department have specific rules regarding sales on public property.

d. No on-campus advertising of the event may include any reference to the sale or availability of alcohol.

5. There are very specific guidelines for sponsoring any events where alcohol is served or sold. Only events following these guidelines will be permitted. The Office of Alcohol Education or the associate director of student activities for the procedure can be contacted for the specifics regarding the procedure. The University Alcohol Policy has been approved by, and shall be interpreted and implemented by the president of the university.

"On-campus functions and parties sponsored by groups of faculty, staff or administrators at which alcoholic beverages are to be served must be held at the Faculty Club or the Alumni Center. Such functions are not to include SMU student participants.

Under certain special circumstances, at occasions planned primarily for off-campus guests, the policy may require interpretation as to what constitutes "public places." Written requests for such interpretation will be considered by the president or this designate.

In addition to the above-mentioned criteria, and in all cases of possible exception, consideration will be given to the time and place of the event, its appropriateness and the type of alcoholic beverage to be served."

a. It is the polity of SMU that the university prohibits the consumption of alcoholic beverages in public places on campus. Public is defined as all parts of the campus except within the confines of a student's room or Greek house.

b. Intoxication does not excuse violations of university policy. Rather than being considered a mitigating factor, such drinking will be considered further proof of irresponsible and inappropriate conduct. Violations are heard by judiciary, University Park Police and/or the Dallas Police Department. Cases may also be dealt with by the Alcohol Abuse Prevention Program.

c. Violations heard by judiciary are subject to the judicial code.

d. For specific alcohol regulations regarding resident halls, see Section II of the student code. Problem cases related to alcohol should be referred immediately to counseling and the university alcohol adviser. This is completely separate from any disciplinary action.

## B. Campus Facilities

1. Use of Buildings
  - a. A record of class time and locations is maintained in the provost's office.
  - b. Many classes continue until 10 p.m. on weeknights. Officers will investigate any activities in classroom buildings after 10 p.m.
  - c. The Office of Student Life is responsible for all student housing, including fraternity and sorority housing.
  - d. The student center director coordinates the programs, meals, meetings, and general operations of the student center.
  - e. The manager of McFarlin Auditorium is responsible for handling the arrangements at McFarlin Auditorium and Moody Coliseum.
  - f. Permission to sleep or reside in any part of any building needs prior approval.
2. Use of the Grounds
  - a. Activities taking place on the streets or grounds must be approved in the Office of Student Activities who will in turn notify the Department of Physical Plant and the Department of Public Safety.
3. Use of the University Flagpole
  - a. The flagpole is for the use of flying the colors of the United States. No other flag is permitted.
  - b. The flag may be flown at half staff when a member of the university community dies.

## C. Drugs

1. The drug policy is in compliance with all federal, state and local laws. The law regarding the possession and delivery of marijuana is as follows:
  - a. A felony of the third degree if he possesses more than four ounces.
  - b. A Class A misdemeanor if he possesses between two and four ounces.
  - c. A Class B misdemeanor if he possesses two ounces or less.
2. Penalties
  - a. A third degree felony shall be punished for a term of not more than 10 years and not less than two years in the Texas Department of Corrections. In addition, the individual is subject to a fine not to exceed \$5,000.
  - b. Class A Misdemeanors
    - (1) confinement in jail for a term not to exceed one year;
    - (2) a fine not to exceed \$2,000 or
    - (3) both confinement and fine.
  - c. Class B Misdemeanors
    - (1) confinement in jail for a term not to exceed 180 days;
    - (2) a fine not to exceed \$1,000 or
    - (3) both confinement and fine.
3. Cocaine, amphetamines, and other illegal substances carry stiffer penalties.
4. Violations will be heard by the university judiciary without respect to proceedings in federal, state or local courts.

## D. Emergency Equipment

Tampering with or misuse of fire-fighting equipment, call boxes, emergency exits, warning devices, etc., or any hindrance of emergency procedures is a threat to the community and is grounds for immediate judicial action, fines, and other university response as may be appropriate.

## E. Gambling

The university upholds state laws concerning gambling. These laws state that an offense is committed if any individual, group, or association knowingly engages in gambling.

## F. Guests

Any visitor who is not on official business must be a guest of a university student, faculty member or staff member.

1. Guests are subject to all applicable rules and policies as are members of the university.
2. A guest must identify him/herself properly when called upon by a university official and to identify his/her host if he/she is not on official business.
3. The conduct of the guest of the university is the responsibility of the student, faculty member or staff member serving as host.

## G. Harassment

Racial, ethnic or sexual harassment directed towards one or more individuals is strictly prohibited. Harassment includes, but is not limited to, physical, psychological, verbal and written abuse. SMU expects its campus community to respect the rights and dignity of all students. Violations will be referred to the appropriate judicial body.

## H. Hazing

In compliance with the Texas Education Code, SMU university policy and the student code strictly prohibit hazing. Hazing is a violation of Texas Criminal Law and/or Civil Law.

1. Hazing is defined in Sec. 4.19 of the Texas Education Code as: Any willful act by one student alone or acting with others, directed against another student, that
  - a. subjects the student to indignity or humiliation,
  - b. intimidates the student by threatening social or other ostracism,
  - c. submits the student to ignominy, shame, or disgrace among fellow students.

d. humbles, or is calculated to blight the courage of the student;  
e. discourages the student causes him or her to leave rashly;  
f. constitutes a legal assault or any other physical violence, or acts.

2. Hazing itself can be a crime. If a student commits the offense can be fined not less than 10 days or more than 60 days.

3. Specifically forbidden hazing includes: Paddling in any form; creation of logical shocks; line ups, queue road trips; wearing public apparel of poor taste; engaging in public or humiliating games and activities with scholastic activities or dependent sleep (six hours per day); alcohol or unusual substances; any requirement which compels which is illegal, perverse, indecent values or religious beliefs; any violation with fraternal law, ritual, policy or university.

4. Complaints concerning potential violations of student life. Cases with violations will be routinely referred to the judicial code of conduct. Violations will be routinely referred to the judicial code of conduct on an individual basis.

## I. Noise

The following procedures will be followed to address the potential for excessive noise on campus.

1. All outdoor events must be registered with the Office of Student Activities. Generally, large outdoor events on weekends; however, permissible related activities or events that may be held in campus facilities.
2. Any outdoor event which must be registered with the Office of Student Activities.
3. Any noise of exterior or interior level in excess of 65 DBA measured at the complaint, any SMU classroom at all times.
4. Any noise level exceeding 10 p.m. and 46 DBA between property line at the source of noise.
5. All violations will be referred to the judicial code of conduct.



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f. constitutes a legal assault, by striking, beating, bruising, maiming, r any other physical violence, or merely seriously threatening to do these acts.

2. Hazing itself can be a criminal violation of state law. Any student who ommits the offense can be fined between \$25 and \$250, confined in jail ot less than 10 days or more than three months, or both.

3. Specifically forbidden hazing activities include, but are not limited to: Paddling in any form; creation of excessive fatigue; physical and psycho- ological shocks; line ups, quests, treasure hunts, scavenger hunts and od trips; wearing public apparel which is bizarre and not normally in ood taste; engaging in public stunts and buffoonery; morality degrading r humiliating games and activities; late work sessions which interfere ith scholastic activities or deprive persons of the opportunity for suffi- ient sleep (six hours per day); forcing or coercing persons to consume loohol or unusual substances, such as unprepared food, in any amount; ny requirement which compels an individual to participate in an activity hich is illegal, perverse, indecent or contrary to the individual's moral alues or religious beliefs; any other activities which are not consistent ith fraternal law, ritual, policy or the regulations and codes of the uni- ersity.

4. Complaints concerning possible violations are to be directed to the een of student life. Cases will be dealt with on an individual basis. Violations will be routinely referred to judiciary and are subject to pen- lies as listed in the judicial code.

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The following procedures will be required for any activities that involve te potential for excessive noise and/or sound amplification equipment.

1. All outdoor events must be approved by the director of student activities. Generally, large outdoor events will be approved only on weekends; however, permission may be granted at other times for spirit- ulated activities or events that do not disturb the occupants of surround- ng facilities.

2. Any outdoor event which involves sound amplification equipment ust be registered with the SMU Department of Public Safety and the Office of Student Activities.

3. Any noise of exterior or interior origin which creates or causes a noise vel in excess of 65 DBA measured inside the room or living quarters of he complaint, any SMU classroom, office, or library building is prohibited t all times.

4. Any noise level exceeding 55 DBA between the hours of 7 a.m. and 10 p.m. and 46 DBA between the hours of 10 p.m. and 7 a.m. on the roperty line at the source of the noise is prohibited.

5. All violations will be referred immediately for judicial action.

## J. Official Notices

1. Students are expected to respond immediately to any request from a university official, who properly identifies himself as such.

2. When asked for their ID cards, students are expected to identify themselves properly and to comply with the request of the officer, adm- nistrator, or member of faculty.

3. If, after responding, a student feels that the authority made an unfair request, he/she may submit a formal complaint to the Student Senate Issues and Grievances Committee.

## K. Pets

Pets are not permitted on campus property or in university buildings.

## L. Protests and Demonstrations

1. Peaceful demonstrations may take place on campus provided:  
a. a permit is obtained from director of the Department of Public Safety three days prior to the demonstration. Any question should be directed to the vice president of student affairs.  
b. the normal function of the university is not disrupted.  
c. respect for the rights of others is maintained.  
d. proper channels are used to seek audiences to express grie- vances.

2. Visitors to the SMU campus will normally be welcomed; however, non-SMU personnel must abide by all university and civil regulations. The university reserves the right to order from the campus any non-university protestors disrupting the campus.

3. Appropriate persons and officials are encouraged to discuss the grievances of demonstrating students or recognized student organiza- tions with the group or its representatives.

## M. Sales and Distribution

1. Sales Projects and Solicitations  
The sale or offer of any products, goods, food, beverages, or service on campus is subject to prior authorization from the director of student activities or his designate, and must be conducted in accordance with regulations established by the staff operating the facility in which the activity takes place. For purposes of regulation distinction is made be-

tween "commercial" and "noncommercial" activities.

Commercial activity is defined as any sale or offer of sale for the purpose of securing a profit for the benefit of an individual or group. Such activities will generally be prohibited unless the university does not offer the service or goods, and it is determined that the activity is necessarily to the purpose of the university.

Noncommercial activity is defined as any sale or offer of sale for the purpose of securing a profit for the benefit of any nonprofit organization (fund-raising activities of campus organizations are treated as noncommercial activities). If any portion of the proceeds from such sales inures to the benefit of any individual making or soliciting the sale, the activity will be treated as a commercial activity. Student organizations may not act as an agent for a person or business and retain their noncommercial status.

a. Any individual or agency that wishes to sell on the SMU campus must be sponsored by a university agency or recognized/registered student organization.

b. Any items that are illegal may not be sold.

c. Organizations must request permission to conduct sales through the director of student activities or his designate. Request forms may be obtained in the activity center in the student center and must be returned at least 14 days prior to the requested date of the sale. Sales will be governed by the following policies:

#### (1) Sales in the student center

(a) Commercial sales must be approved by the director of the student center or his designate; however, the sponsoring group will be responsible for paying 15% of the net proceeds from the sale to the Student Center Governing Board.

(b) Noncommercial sales in the student center must be sponsored by a recognized student organization. All sales of merchandise must be approved by the bookstore manager. All food sales must be approved by the food services director.

(c) Sales will be approved for three days only and must be conducted between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. weekdays.

(d) Sales area must be staffed at all times by at least one member of the sponsoring group.

(e) Groups will be permitted to conduct two sales per academic semester.

#### (2) Solicitation of Greek houses

Vendors are not allowed to make direct contact with the Greek houses. Vendors wishing to provide information to fraternities and sororities should submit written information to the coordinator of Greek affairs who will distribute it to the chapters. Groups interested in the product invite the vendors to make presentations to their membership.

#### (3) Solicitation in Residence Halls

No solicitation is allowed in the residence halls without the consent of the Office of Residence Life.

An exception shall be made for the Student Senate general and freshman senator elections. During these elections, campaigning will be allowed in the residence halls during hours set by the elections committee.

#### (4) Sales in other Campus Facilities

As with all sales, sales in other campus facilities must be sought from the director of student activities or his designate and are governed by the policies established for the area of campus in which the sale will be conducted. Sales of goods and services in all academic buildings is prohibited.

#### 2. Distribution of Written Material

a. Any individual or agency that wishes to distribute written material on the SMU campus must be sponsored by a recognized/registered student organization.

b. Any illegal items may not be distributed.

c. Items to be distributed must be approved by the director of student activities or his designate.

d. Distribution shall be orderly and not interfere with the rights of students or other members of the university community and must be conducted by the members of the sponsoring organization. Distributors must provide a trash receptacle at the sight of distribution.

e. Distribution in the student center may be done only from a reserved area. Reservations must be made by the student center reservations office.

#### 3. Collections and Donations

a. Two annual solicitations for charitable purposes have been approved by the university: The United Way Fund and Sustentation.

b. No other collection or solicitations of donations are permitted without approval from the director of student activities for recognized student organizations and the vice president for administration for non-student, off-campus requests.

#### 4. Solicitation for Trips

a. All "official" SMU trips will be sponsored by the Mustang Club, the Alumni Association, Program Council or appropriate SMU office or department. All others are not sponsored or endorsed by SMU.

b. For any student sponsored trip, Program Council will sponsor and coordinate the trip in accordance with guidelines set by the director of student activities.

c. Any questions regarding the official status of SMU sponsorship or endorsement should be forwarded to the Office of Alumni Relations, the Mustang Club, the Office of Student Activities or the Office of Student Life.

## N. Signs and Posters

1. All posters and signs must bear the name of the sponsoring individual, organization, or department.

2. No more than one copy of the sign or poster may be placed on each bulletin board or specified place.

3. Signs may not be larger than 24"x 24".

4. Posters, flyers, notices, and messages must be posted on appropriate bulletin boards or spaces specified for that purpose.

5. Non-campus commercial type materials must be approved for posting and signed by the manager of facilities services before posting.

6. All signs related to campus organizations must be stamped by the staff at the information desk of the student center.

7. Good judgement is asked if Signs should not:

a. be in bad taste or be blatantly judged by the director of student

b. have any reference to alcohol

8. Signs are not permitted on surfaces. Only masking tape should

9. Policies governing posting of follows:

a. Residence Halls  
(1) Signs are to be authorized (Perkins, Suite 10). Authorization of student organization sponsorship refused to those signs deemed and regulations.

(2) Signs are to be posted number of signs is as follows floors); one poster per hall (11 u for seven days. After that time staff.

b. Student Center  
(1) The Student Center (publishing the guidelines for posters

(2) On bulletin boards, maximum size for a sign is 18" x 24"

(3) Oversized banners railing, and west cafeteria hall the student center.

(4) Banners shall not be

(5) When a table has been removed when the table is reserved.

(6) During campus election campaign shall be followed. Campaign

(7) Any complaints regarding directed to student center per

c. Signs Posted Outside

(1) Signs or decorations exterior or trees.

(2) Any posting of signs must be approved by the

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b. have any reference to alcohol.  
8. Signs are not permitted on glass, brick, painted walls, or wood  
surfaces. Only masking tape should be used when hanging the sign.  
9. Policies governing posting of signs in specific areas of campus are as  
follows:

**a. Residence Halls**

(1) Signs are to be authorized by the Office of Residence Life  
(Perkins, Suite 10). Authorization is granted only when there is evidence  
of student organization sponsorship. Additionally, authorization may be  
refused to those signs deemed inappropriate under university policies  
and regulations.

(2) Signs are to be posted by the residence hall staff. Maximum  
number of signs is as follows: one flyer per floor (53 undergraduate  
floors); one poster per hall (11 undergraduate halls). Signs will be posted  
for seven days. After that time, they will be removed by residence hall  
staff.

**b. Student Center**

(1) The Student Center Governing Board is responsible for estab-  
lishing the guidelines for posting signs in the student center.

(2) On bulletin boards, signs may be posted for one week. The  
maximum size for a sign is specified on the board.

(3) Oversized banners may be placed in the east hallway, patio  
railing, and west cafeteria hallway with the permission of the director of  
the student center.

(4) Banners shall not be posted for more than five days.

(5) When a table has been reversed in the lobby, a sign only may  
be posted from the table and only while the table is occupied. Signs are  
removed when the table is no longer occupied, though it may still be  
reserved.

(6) During campus elections, election rules pertaining to the cam-  
paign shall be followed. Campaign signs may be hung from the ceiling.

(7) Any complaints regarding signs in the student center should be  
directed to student center personnel.

**c. Signs Posted Outside of Buildings**

(1) Signs or decorations may not be attached to any building  
exterior or tree.

(2) Any posting of signs or decorations outside the campus build-  
ings must be approved by the director of student activities.

(3) If a sign or display is larger than a small, temporary one, the  
grounds section of the Physical Plant Department must be notified in  
order to provide safe and proper erection of the display.

10. Failure to comply with these rules may result in removal of signs  
without warning.

## O. Smoking Restrictions on Campus

1. Smoking is strictly prohibited in all places of formal instruction on  
campus, including but not limited to classrooms, laboratories, lecture  
halls, auditoriums, and all hallways within campus buildings, unless spe-  
cific "Smoking Permitted" notices are posted in such places.  
2. Smoking in dining areas shall be permitted only in designated areas.  
If any student, faculty, administrator or guest fails to comply with these  
regulations, he/she shall be asked to leave the cafeteria. A repeat viola-  
tion shall result in a revocation of all dining hall privileges for that person.  
This process shall be handled by Level I judiciary.

## P. Speaker Policy

Any member of the student body, faculty, or staff, or any individual who  
is sponsored by a recognized student organization may address any  
group on campus, subject only to reasonable regulations for time, place,  
and manner. Any student may request the Program Council to act as  
sponsor for an outside speaker.

Regulations of time, place, and manner are not imposed to prohibit any  
speaker except in the rare circumstance when it is shown that the speaker  
constitutes a clear and present danger of disruption or violence. This  
determination is to be made by that person charged with the duty of  
approving the use of the location of the activity.

Organizations having speakers for regularly scheduled meetings are  
not required to make special arrangements beyond the normal schedul-  
ing of the use of the facility.

## Q. Weapons

1. Students are prohibited from the use and possession of the following  
on university property:

- a. Firearms
- b. Explosives
- c. Fireworks
- d. Dangerous Weapons
- e. Incendiary devices

2. Student-owned sporting firearms (including all B.B. and pellet guns)  
must be registered and stored through arrangements with the SMU  
Department of Public Safety.

3. Any violation of this policy is considered a serious offense, and will be  
dealt with accordingly by:

- a. SMU Department of Public Safety
- b. SMU Judiciary
- c. Office of the Dean of Student Life

4. Duty authorized members of the campus security force or other  
accredited law enforcement officers may carry firearms in performance of  
their duty.

## II. Policies Pertaining to Residence Hall Students

The university community establishes and maintains residence halls with the intent of enhancing student life and fostering a learning environment. In order to provide an optimum environment while housing large numbers of students, it is necessary to provide some guidelines which establish minimum expectations of the behavior of residents.

### A. Alcohol

1. Alcohol policy for housing: The university prohibits the use of alcoholic beverages in all public places on campus. In residence halls, all dining areas, stairways, hallways, entrance lobbies are considered public areas. All students under 19 years of age are prohibited to transport, possess, store, or consume alcoholic beverages in any public areas on campus. Students 19 years of age or older may possess or consume alcoholic beverages only in the privacy of their personal rooms.

Severe or blatant offenses may be referred to the Level II judiciary on the first offense. Repeated offenses may be referred to Level II at any time.

2. No kegs are allowed in traditional residence halls.

### B. Bicycles and Motorcycles

Students may not keep bicycles, mopeds, or motorcycles in their rooms or in the entrance areas of buildings.

Bicycle storage areas will be designated for recess periods when residence hall are to be closed during the school year.

Gasoline powered vehicles are not permitted in residence halls at any time, and must be parked at least 15 feet from the exterior of any university building.

### C. Guests

Guests of the same sex may stay in the residence rooms on weekends only, with permission of the hall director. There will be no charge if the guest stays in the unoccupied bed of a resident; however, permission must also be obtained from the absent resident. Guests may not stay in any public area of the residence halls.

### D. Pets

No pets are allowed in the residence halls, except fish. Fish are allowed with the use of suitable equipment if permission is granted by the hall manager. The university will not be held responsible for damage to equipment or fish.

### E. Quiet Hours

The hours from 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. are the official minimum daily quiet hours for students living in residence halls. The atmosphere at this time should be conducive to study or sleep. This is to be observed by all students and their guests.

### F. Security and Fire Regulations

SMU vigorously enforces its fire and security procedures as they pertain not only to university property, but also to students, guests, and employees. Deliberate breaches of these policies and procedures may be investigated and judicial procedures instigated for violations.

1. The Department of Public Safety officers patrol all residence areas from 11 p.m. to 7 a.m.

2. Residence hall entrance doors are locked after certain designated hours to ensure that the halls are reasonably secure.

3. A copy of fire prevention and security policies will be given to each student when checking into the residence hall.

4. All resident students are responsible for knowing and understanding these policies.

5. The professional staff is constantly available to answer questions and provide assistance in any emergency situation.

### G. Visitation

1. Visitation is defined as the privilege of entertaining guests of the opposite sex in one's living quarters on campus. All university residence halls have visitation which varies according to the types of residences.

2. Visitation shall be determined by a two-thirds vote by secret ballot of the residents of each residence hall floor, Greek house, or individual apartment complex.

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3. In freshman residence halls, it is necessary for a person of the opposite sex to be escorted by his/her host/hostess. In the upperclass residence halls, the escort policy will be put into effect by a three-fourths majority vote of the floor residents. On leaving the room, the guest must be escorted to the lobby. The host or hostess is responsible for the actions of his/her guests. All participants in visitation must abide by the guest policy.

4. All university housing units must fall within the following limitations implementing the visitation policy:

a. Freshmen residence halls (Boaz, Cockrell-McIntosh, Morrison-McGinnis, McEivanev and Lettermen non-residents).

(1) Until the end of the first week of classes, hours of visitation are subject to the Office of Residence Life.

(2) After the first two weeks of classes:

Friday—Saturday 12 noon—2 a.m.

Sunday—Thursday 12 noon—12 midnight

b. Traditional upperclass residence Halls (other than limited visitation floors) and Greek housing.

(1) Each floor in upperclass residence halls and each Greek house will determine the hours of visitation by a two-thirds secret ballot of the residents. Should an upperclass floor elect a 24-hour visitation plan, this implies that restrictions upon visitations of members of the opposite sex are left up to the roommates themselves, and are to be limited by their rights or needs. Cohabitation is not permitted in university residence halls, nor is it implied by a 24-hour visitation plan.

(2) Residents in the upperclass quad may elect to have an escort policy on their individual floors by a two-thirds majority vote.

## H. Residence Hall Regulations

If a student fails to respond appropriately, these guidelines will be enforced via administrative action and/or judicial action. (For further reference, see section on judiciary). The Offices of Student Life & Residence Life have the right to decide which track would be most productive. Note: Offenses involving multiple simultaneous violations (as well as repeated offenses) are considered as more severe infractions and usually result in a stronger response (e.g. Level II). Consult your Residence Staff if you have any questions.

Residence hall regulations and potential administrative action via the Office of Residence Life: Such action is considered the equivalent of a Level I hearing. Actions at this level may include (but are not limited to) the following:

Category	First Offense	Second Offense	Third Offense
Violating the visitation policy	Loss of two weeks visitation privilege	Loss of one month's visitation privilege	Loss of one semester's visitation privilege, letter to student from dean of student life, cc to parents
Fireworks, incendiary devices	Judiciary-level II Liable for costs, any damages, letter from dean of student life	Removal from community w/ letter to parents and dean of student life, cc to parents	Referral to judiciary
Tampering with fire fighting equipment	\$100 user's fee referral to judiciary-level II	Removal from community w/letter to parents and dean of student life	
Property damage	Possible referral to Quad Judicial Board, liable for cost of any damages, letter to student from dean of student life, cc to parents	Removal from floor community with letter to parents and dean of student life.	Judiciary-level II
Fire arms and other weapons	Judiciary-level II		
Pets	Remove pet by impounding	Letter to student from dean of student life, cc to parents	Removal from floor community w/ letter to dean of student life and parents
Quiet hours	Written warning	Letter to student from dean of student life, cc to parents	Removal from floor community
Use of illegal drugs	Judiciary-level II		
Removal of furniture	Liable for replacement and/or damages, letter to student from dean of student life, cc to parents	Referral to Quad Judicial Board	Judiciary—level II
Alcohol violations	Administrative action by the coordinator or refer to appropriate Judicial Board	Referral to judiciary-level II	Referral to level II plus possible notification of parents and administrative removal from residence hall

## Addendums:

1. Any violations of the rights or well-being of others that are not listed above may receive actions from a warning to removal from the floor community.
2. Any violation of the rights or well-being of others with aggravated circumstances may receive an action of immediate removal from the floor community.
3. Removal from the floor community can be:
  - a. Removal to another floor community.
  - b. Referral to Judiciary-Level II, if space is not available in another floor community.
  - c. Removal from the floor community to off-campus with no refund of room rent.
4. At all times the Office of Residence Life has the right to change your housing assignment in order to remedy a detrimental situation or create a more productive residential environment.

Additionally, the university reserves the right to cancel a residence contract in the interests of order, health, discipline, or other extreme situations. When such action is provoked by the student, the termination will be deemed a breach of contract by the resident and monies will not be refunded. This procedure will be implemented only after consultation with the dean of student life, the director of residence life, the residence staff and the alleged offender.

## III. Policies Pertaining to Affiliated and Non-affiliated Student Organizations

### A. General Description

The work of affiliated and non-affiliated student organizations is an essential part of the learning environment at Southern Methodist University. Open to all students and facilitated through faculty and staff resource persons, these organizations develop many opportunities for experiential learning which supplement and reinforce the classroom activities for students. Affiliated/non-affiliated organizations function to serve the needs and further the interests of students and the university community.

The Student Senate has the authority and discretion to grant, deny and remove affiliated/non-affiliated student organization status. Affiliated/non-affiliated student organizations do not speak officially for the Student Senate or the university.

### B. Process for New Organization Affiliated/Non-affiliated Status

A request for affiliation/non-affiliation of a new org made to the Student Senate Organizations Committee the beginning of the spring semester.

A group seeking to be affiliated/non-affiliated may the student center facilities for one initial organization.

1. The affiliated group must be represented at the motions meeting which is held within the first month of the year. The date of this meeting is announced in The Daily.
2. An application for affiliation/non-affiliation and a filing application at the mandatory organizations meeting must be filed with the Student Senate Organizations Committee will announce the mandatory organizations meeting.
3. A representative from each new group must be present at the organizations committee during the spring organizational meeting.
4. The organizations committee will present to the Student Senate a written report on the organizations seeking affiliation/non-affiliation at the next regularly scheduled senate meeting following organizational committee interviews. The committee will make its recommendation to the Student Senate. The committee will vote on approval the following week.
5. Those group not meeting application deadline for affiliation/non-affiliated status may be considered for affiliation/non-affiliation by submission of special legislation to the Student Senate. The Student Senate requires the organization to demonstrate to the Student Senate organizations committee an urgent need for affiliation/non-affiliation immediately.

### C. Process for Existing Affiliated Organizations

1. Until an organization has been affiliated/non-affiliated for two consecutive semesters (excluding summer and inter-semester) the organizations committee will review the organization's status for approval to the Student Senate. This will be done at the beginning of the new group appearing before the organizations committee each fall semester until final affiliation is granted by the Student Senate.

2. Every organization must file an annual request for affiliation/non-affiliated status and a faculty adviser with the Student Senate Organizations Committee each fall.

## Organizations Requested Status

If a new organization may be considered by the Organizations Committee once annually at the mandatory organizational meeting.

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## D. Criteria for Affiliated Status

1. **Membership:** Student organizations are for the student body and as such the majority of the members must be SMU students (majority being defined as fifty percent plus one). Membership must be open to all members of the student body without respect to sex, race, creed or national origin, with the exception of those organizations specifically exempted in Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972. Organizations may establish other membership and academic eligibility requirements that they deem appropriate for their organization.

2. **Officers:** All persons holding office must be students currently enrolled full-time and may not be on academic probation. Any exception to this requirement must be approved by the director of student activities. Each organization is expected to include within its constitution and/or by-laws additional academic requirements it feels are appropriate to hold office.

3. **Advisers:** Every affiliated student organization must have an SMU faculty or staff member serving as adviser and must file a faculty adviser form prior to approval as an affiliated student organization. The adviser does not have the authority to control the policy or funds of the organization.

4. **Governance:** The constitution, by-laws or statement of purpose of an affiliated organization must be consistent with the goals and philosophy of Southern Methodist University as stated in the articles of incorporation for SMU.

5. **Religious Organizations:** Religious organizations wishing to be affiliated must have a written recommendation from the Campus Ministry Council (CMC) before appearing before the organizations committee. New religious organizations must be willing to participate with the CMC before affiliation will be granted (participation being defined as attending monthly CMC meetings).

## E. Privileges and Responsibilities of Affiliated Organizations

### 1. Privileges

a. May use student center facilities for meetings. An affiliated student organization may not reserve student center space in its name for use by a non-affiliated group.

b. May use the university's name.

c. May petition for office space in the student center through the director of student activities.

d. Will be assigned a mailbox in the student activity center through which all official communication with the organization will be conducted.

e. May petition for student activity fee monies through the Student Senate Appropriations Committee. Organizations must comply with Student Senate and university policies with regard to student activity fee monies as outlined in "Responsibilities of Affiliated Organizations."

f. May sponsor and advertise programs on campus in keeping with

policies outlined in "Responsibilities of Affiliated Organizations."

g. May request permission to conduct sales projects with the established guidelines in the student code. (See Sales and Distribution under Section I.)

### 2. Responsibilities:

a. Notify the Student Senate office within two weeks of changes of officers and/or adviser of an organization.

b. Adhere to constitution, by-laws and statement of purpose of the organization. Policies of an affiliated student organization must be in accordance with the student code and are subject to review by the Student Senate. Changes made in policies, constitution, by-laws or statement of purpose of the organization must be submitted to the Student Senate for approval.

c. Be represented at the mandatory organizations meeting each fall and spring semester.

d. File an annual request for affiliation and faculty adviser form with the Student Senate Organizations Committee each fall.

e. If affiliated for less than four consecutive semesters (excluding summer and inter-term sessions), appear before the Student Senate Organizations Committee in the fall semester.

f. Have all funds of the organization administered through the Office of the Student Body Treasurer. All funds will be administered in accordance with Student Senate and university policies.

(1) All appropriated student activity fee monies not encumbered at the end of the fiscal year shall revert to the Students' Association.

(2) All funds generated by the organization shall be kept in an interest-bearing "900" account and shall be retained by the Students' Association.

(3) Monies from the student activity fee shall be used to benefit affiliated student organizations and the SMU community as a whole.

(4) If an affiliated student organization disbands, the assets of the student organization will revert to the Students' Association.

(5) Neither the Student Senate nor the university is liable for the debts incurred by an affiliated student organization.

(6) Any affiliated student organization which does not participate in the senate appropriations process and does not receive senate funding is not required to maintain its funds in a university account. The organization must, however, submit its financial books to the student body treasurer for an annual audit.

g. Any campus programming or social functions sponsored by an affiliated student organization must be scheduled through the Office of Student Activities.

(1) Changes in programming should be reported to the associate director of student activities.

(2) If an event is believed to threaten the health, safety or property of members of the student community, the request for scheduling will be denied until it can be referred through the university judiciary.

h. Any contractual agreement entered into must be sent to the Office of the Students' Attorney before signing. The director of student activities is the only authorized signature on Program Council and Student Association contracts.

## F. Criteria for Non-affiliated Status:

In the event that the Student Senate deems that affiliation of an organization would be inconsistent with the goals and philosophy of Southern Methodist University, non-affiliated status may be conferred. This status is also designed for groups who do not require all of the privileges offered to affiliated organizations, or who do not choose to function under all of the requirements of an affiliated student organization. Groups seeking non-affiliated organization status must meet the membership, officer and adviser criteria stated in Sec. D-1, 2 and 3 above.

## G. Privileges, Responsibilities and Restrictions of Non-affiliated Organizations

### 1. Privileges:

Non-affiliated organizations may be granted meeting space in the student center only if such space is available. The organization is given low priority and can lose their reservation if the room is needed by an affiliated organization.

### 2. Responsibilities:

a. Notify the Student Senate office within two weeks of changes of officers and/or adviser of the organization.

b. Adhere to constitution, by-laws and statement of purpose of the organization. Policies of a non-affiliated student organization must be in accordance with the student code and are subject to review by the Student Senate. Changes made in the policies, constitution, by-laws or statement of purpose of the organization must be submitted to the Student Senate for approval.

c. File an annual request for non-affiliation and faculty adviser form with the Student Senate Organizations Committee each fall semester.

d. If non-affiliated for less than four consecutive semester (excluding summer and inter-term sessions), must appear before the Student Senate Organizations Committee each fall semester.

e. Neither the Student Senate nor the university is liable for the debts incurred by a non-affiliated student organization.

### 3. Restrictions:

- May not use the university's name.
- May not petition for office space in the student center.
- May not apply for university or student funds.
- Attendance at any programs is restricted to members of the university community.
- May not sponsor sales projects.

## H. Removal of Affiliated/Non-affiliated Status:

1. The Student Senate will remove affiliated/non-affiliated status for non-compliance with one or a combination of the stated privileges, responsibilities and restrictions.

2. If affiliated/non-affiliated status is removed, all privileges granted affiliated/non-affiliated organizations as stated under Sections E and G above, are forfeited.

3. Following removal of affiliated/non-affiliated status, the organization may re-apply, but is subject to all procedures outlined for new groups requesting affiliated/non-affiliated student organization status.

## IV. Social Fraternities and Sororities

Like all other recognized student organizations at SMU, fraternities and sororities draw their rights and privileges from the Student Senate. Specific regulations governing rush and Greek policies are established and supervised by the Interfraternity Council and by the Panhellenic Council for fraternities and sororities with final approval residing in the Student Senate. These policies are subject to review by the Student Senate and shall be in accordance with the student code policies. The Student Senate affirms the policy of one semester deferred rush.

1. Rush is defined as any contact between affiliated and unaffiliated students, the intent of which is the pledging of the unaffiliated student to a particular fraternity or sorority.

a. A rush function shall be defined as any contact between unaffiliated and fraternity/sorority members on- or off-campus with the intent to pledge the unaffiliated student at which fraternity or sorority chapter funds or alumni funds or funds of an individual member of the fraternity or sorority are spent on food, beverage, or entertainment.

b. The Student Senate encourages contact between affiliated and unaffiliated members of fraternity but prohibits freshmen rush and/or freshmen rush functions during the fall semester except those specifically set up and supervised by IFC and/or Panhellenic.

### 2. Eligibility for Rush and Pledging.

a. Have successfully completed 12 semester hours in a college or university in their last semester preceding the rush or pledge periods;

b. Have earned an SMU cumulative grade point average of 2.0 or better by the end of the semester preceding the formal rush or pledge period;

c. Must currently be a sorority or fraternity and initiated.

### 3. Formal and Open Rush

- Formal rush is held
- Open rush

(1) Open rush occurs during the period immediately preceding the spring semester.



## Related Status:

Unaffiliated status for initiated privileges, re-

Initiated privileges granted in Sections E and G

Initiated status, the organization required for new groups initiated status.

## Sororities

SMU, fraternities and Student Senate. Specifics are established and maintained by the Panhellenic Council, including the Student Senate and the Student Senate.

Initiated and unaffiliated initiated student to a

Contract between unaffiliated groups with the intent to contribute chapter funds to the fraternity or sorority.

Contract between affiliated and unaffiliated groups and/or groups that specifically

Initiated in a college or university or pledge periods; minimum average of 2.0 or higher for formal rush or pledge

c. Must currently be enrolled for a minimum of 12 hours to pledge a sorority or fraternity and must have a cumulative GPA of 2.0 to be initiated.

### 3. Formal and Open Rush.

- a. Formal rush is held at the beginning of the spring semester.
- b. Open rush

(1) Open rush occurs at the beginning of the fall semester and during the period immediately following formal rush at the beginning of the spring semester.

(2) Continuation, readmission or transfer students may pledge to fraternities and sororities during the fall semester, if they meet the eligibility requirements listed in (2).

4. Exceptions to the eligibility for rush shall be made through the dean of student life or his designate.

5. Procedure for expansion of the Greek system at SMU shall be specified in the respective constitution and by-laws of Panhellenic and IFC.

6. Questions regarding rush rules and Greek policies should be submitted to the IFC or Panhellenic Office.

# The University Judicial System

## Introduction

Responsibility for student discipline is vested in the President by the Board of Trustees. To exercise this responsibility, the President has established the University Judicial Council. Upon the recommendation of the University Judicial Council, the President has accepted the following document delineating the judicial system for students at SMU.

## Section One:

### Philosophy and Purpose

A university is a complex institution. It is distinctive from anything else in society and therefore, the locus of its norms is distinctive. Further, a private university is an elite institution. Admittance and attendance is a privilege granted on the assumption that the applicant shares the university's values and goals and is committed to its purpose. If the student's values and goals are not consistent with those of the university, the privilege of attendance can be terminated.

The judiciary at SMU is a community judicial system established to insure a system of due process to provide protection to the accused individual, and to help induce maturity and learning by erring students while enforcing the behavior requirements deemed necessary to an academic institution. It also exists to protect the balance between the rights of the accused and those of the University community as a whole.

Because of the nature of SMU, the emphasis is on learning and behavioral change. For the same reasons, the judiciary is not an adversary system of antagonists striving to best one another. It is more in the nature of a community seeking to learn if error has occurred and if so, deciding how best to act so in the future there will be less error. Its watchwords are: serious in purpose, considerate in process, appropriate in response.

## Judicial Code

Members of the University Judiciary, pledge themselves to the following code:

To insure that the policies of the university are maintained by conducting a fair hearing of violations of rules and policies of the university.

To provide an appropriate response and, as needed, penalize persons found guilty of violations of university regulations and policies.

Members of hearing boards shall maintain an impartiality about the matter and/or person under consideration. When unable to do so, they should readily withdraw from the consideration of that matter.

The Hearing Board shall not act as an advocate for the students nor for the university.

Members shall maintain confidentiality of all details pertinent to a matter and all actions related to a hearing. Similarly, they shall refrain from comment on the actions, or persons involved in a judicial hearing.

Members who may have been approached by other persons in an attempt to influence a judicial decision shall report such activity to the chair of the Judicial Council and the Dean of Student Life.

Board members who find they are unable to meet the requirements of the judicial system shall inform the judicial officer and submit a letter of resignation to the Judicial Council.

## Section Two:

### Outline of the Judicial System

These outlines provide a basic overview of the judicial system and a quick guide to the responsibility of its various parts. For an accurate understanding of any part of the system, one must review the pertinent detailed text in the rest of this section.

IFC-Level Board

IFC-Level I Judicial Board

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### University Level I Board

Initial hearings originally of Student Life

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### University Level II Board

Cases of broader scope Appellate hearings from

### Interfraternity Council

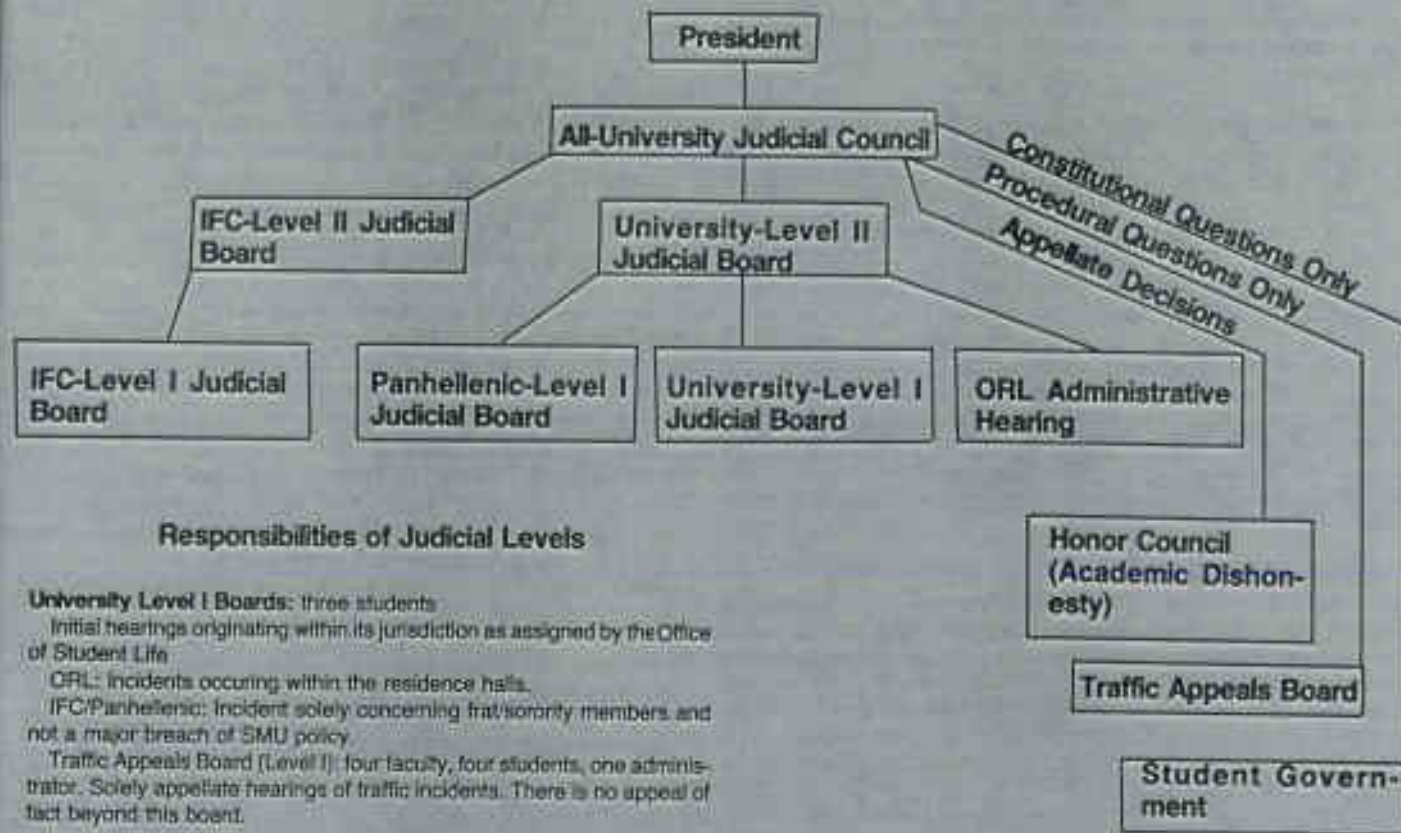
incidents, one faculty, one student; incidents solely concerning SMU policy. Appellate hearings from

### Honor Council (Level I)

Jurisdiction limited to the Office of Student Life

### All-University Judicial Council

Administrative body of Special Investigator (Student Affairs); Consultation question Board of Final Appeal



### Responsibilities of Judicial Levels

#### University Level I Boards: three students

Initial hearings originating within its jurisdiction as assigned by the Office of Student Life

ORL: incidents occurring within the residence halls.

IFC/Panhellenic: Incident solely concerning frat/sorority members and not a major breach of SMU policy

Traffic Appeals Board (Level I): four faculty, four students, one administrator. Solely appellate hearings of traffic incidents. There is no appeal of fact beyond this board.

#### University Level II Boards: three students, one faculty, one administrator

Cases of broader concern may initially be heard.

Appellate hearings from Level I Board.

#### Interfraternity Council Judicial Board (Level II): Three fraternity presidents, one faculty, one administrator

Incidents solely concerning fraternity group actions and a major breach of SMU policy.

Appellate hearings from IFC Level I.

#### Honor Council (Level II): twenty-two students

Jurisdiction limited to academic dishonesty. Appeal goes to Level III via the Office of Student Life.

#### All-University Judicial Council: five students, three faculty, three administrators

Administrative body of the judicial system.

Special Investigate Powers (in conjunction with the Vice President of Student Affairs).

Constitutional questions of student government.

Board of Final Appeal (Level III) for cases originating at lower levels.

### The Organization of the Judiciary

#### Selection of Hearing Board Members

The selection of the members and the procedures to be used are the responsibility of the Judicial Council who shall insure an equal opportunity to all candidates and shall establish and maintain criteria appropriate to the positions and boards for which persons are being considered.

#### Level I Hearing Boards

There are four places in which a Level I hearing or its equivalent may occur:

##### (1) The University Hearing Boards

The University Judicial Boards shall appoint, each year, undergraduate students to serve as student judiciary members. Two of these students will be designated as permanent chairpersons for the Level I boards. These students shall be listed alphabetically by surnames on two lists, one for the two chairpersons, the other for the remaining students. The first two on the latter list, along with the first person on the other list, will constitute the hearing board for the first case assigned. The next case assigned to Level I

will receive a board composed of the next two students on the students' list, and the second chairperson listed, and so on in rotation as each new case is assigned.

#### (2) Residence Life Administrative Hearings

With the approval of the Vice President of Student Affairs, designate, the respective area coordinator may hear alleged violation(s) via an Administrative Hearing.

The accused student has the option of having an Administrative Hearing or a University Level I Judicial Board Hearing.

Appeals from an Administrative Hearing go to the University Level II Judicial Board.

#### (3) The Interfraternity Council Judiciary

The Interfraternity Council Judiciary Board shall be comprised of the Vice President of the IFC, who shall act as a non-voting chair, five representatives from the 12 different fraternities and the president of IFC. This board shall hear cases involving rush violations and other incidents involving fraternities as may be assigned. Appeals from IFC Boards go to the Level II Interfraternity Council Board.

#### (4) Panhellenic Judicial Boards

The Panhellenic Judicial Board shall be comprised of the following members: the Vice President of Panhellenic (ex-officio) serving as the non-voting chair, four voting members from the Panhellenic executive board, two voting sorority alumnae members, and one voting member appointed by the University Judicial Council. This board shall hear cases involving rush violations and other incidents involving sororities as may be assigned. Appeals from Panhellenic Judicial Boards go to the University Level II Judicial Board.

#### (5) The Traffic Appeals Board

The President will name the chairperson and the University Judicial Council will appoint, in consultation with the chairperson, four faculty members, four students, and one administrator to serve each year. A hearing can be held by three of these members if both faculty and students are represented. This board will hear cases involving appeal of citation from the traffic and safety office. This is the board of final appeal for traffic citations.

### University Level II Hearing Boards

The University Judicial Council shall appoint 15 undergraduate students (three shall be designated as permanent chairpersons for Level II boards), five faculty members, and five representatives from the administration to serve on this joint board. They shall be listed alphabetically by surnames on two lists, one for the five chairpersons, the other for the ten remaining students; the faculty shall also be listed alphabetically, and the administrators shall be listed in the same manner. In alphabetical order, the first chairperson listed, the first two students, the first faculty member, and the first administrator shall constitute a hearing board of five members to hear the first case assigned.

Level II hearing boards shall act as an appeal board for cases from Level I and as a hearing board for new cases assigned to them.

### Level II Interfraternity Council Judiciary

Shall be comprised of three fraternity presidents, one faculty member and one administrator. (The 12 fraternity presidents will alphabetically rotate by fraternity). The Vice President of IFC will serve as chairperson and a non-voting member.

### Graduate Hearing Boards

The School of Law, the Perkins School of Theology, the graduate schools in Humanities and Sciences, Business Administration, SEAS, and Arts shall appoint each year hearing boards, as may be necessary and appropriate, composed of administrators, faculty and students, to hear cases involving graduate students in their respective graduate schools.

The rosters of the persons appointed to these boards shall be sent to the University Judicial Council during the first month of the academic year.

As with all other hearing boards, the result of a graduate hearing board may be appealed to the Judicial Council.

### The University Judicial Council

The Judicial Council, as the basic unit responsible for judicial action in response to student disciplinary problems, is accountable to the President of the University. This council shall be composed of three administrators, five students (undergraduate and graduate students), and three faculty (of whom at least one shall be from the School of Law). The chairperson of the Judicial Council shall be elected by the Judicial Council from the faculty and administrative members serving on the Judicial Council.

(1) Selection of student members shall be accomplished in the spring of the year and appointment shall be for the succeeding academic year. Student members may, with the agreement of the other council members, be appointed to succeed themselves. Members may not serve simultaneously on any other judicial body or in student government.

Procedure for selection of student members: The chairperson of the All-University Judicial Council and the office of student life will initiate contact with the Student Senate. A list will be submitted to the Student Senate of eligible students currently serving on Level I or Level II boards. The senate will have seven working days to nominate up to five from the list to be interviewed by the Judicial Council. The Judicial Council will also nominate up to five candidates. The Judicial Council will interview all candidates and send its recommendations, including the nominations from the Student Senate, to the President of the University. The President will appoint.

(2) Faculty appointments are for three years and shall be staggered; ordinarily one 3-year appointment is made each year.

Selection of faculty members: The chairperson of the Judicial Council and the office of student life will initiate contact with the Faculty Senate. The Faculty Senate will nominate three candidates based on prior judicial experience. The Judicial Council may also nominate candidates. The Judicial Council will interview all candidates and send the recommendations, including the nominations from the Faculty Senate, to the President of the University. The President will appoint.

(3) Administrator appointed, ordinarily one from Selection of administrators Council and the Office of President of Student Affairs. The Vice President of the Council will send its report to the Vice President for Student Affairs. The President will appoint Replacement of members current term.

### The Judicial Council

1. Administrative Body of establishment and maintenance of operating procedures of majority of members present

2. Level Three Hearing Board drawn from the University; any hearing, but an official which include at least one administrator.

This board convenes Level II hearing boards, (academic dishonesty). At the University Judicial Council accepted for a hearing at

Appeals of Traffic Appeals Board on procedure, regulations the Traffic Appeals Board

3. Student Governmenting the Student Government questions must be brought to the Council agree Board at which both sides rendered. Petition for student government officer or senator

4. Special Investigative power to name a Special Investigative Committee if alleged offense presents discrimination or an Investigative Committee shall University Judicial Council accused shall submit to it persons within the SMU to serve on the Special Investigative Board for Student Affairs shall select one of the five members will act in an advisory board to which the case petition the University Judicial Investigative Committee

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**Selection of administrator members:** The chairperson of the Judicial  
Council and the Office of Student Life will initiate contact with the Vice  
President of Student Affairs and submit a list of those with judicial experi-  
ence. The Vice President will nominate three candidates to be interviewed.  
The Council will send its recommendations, including the nominations from  
the Vice President for Student Affairs, to the President of the University.  
The President will appoint.

Replacement of members leaving early will be for the balance of the  
current term.

### The Judicial Council has Four Basic Responsibilities:

1. **Administrative Body of the Judiciary:** As such, it is responsible for the  
establishment and maintenance of the judicial hearing boards and the  
operating procedures of the judicial system. These decisions are by a  
majority of members present.

2. **Level Three Hearing Board:** The members of such a hearing board are  
drawn from the University Judicial Council. All members (11) may serve at  
any hearing, but an official quorum must consist of at least seven members  
which include at least one student, one faculty member, and one adminis-  
trator.

This board convenes solely as an appeal to hear cases referred from  
Level II hearing boards, the Traffic Appeals Board, or the Honor Board  
(academic dishonesty). Appeals of cases from Level II will be reviewed by  
the University Judicial Council or its designate before an appeal is  
accepted for a hearing at Level III.

Appeals of Traffic Appeals Board decisions shall be limited to questions  
on procedure, regulations, or policy. Questions of fact shall be resolved by  
the Traffic Appeals Board and are not subject to appeal.

3. **Student Government Constitution:** Constitutional questions concern-  
ing the Student Government may be resolved by the Judicial Council. Such  
questions must be brought as a written petition to the Council for considera-  
tion. If the Council agrees to hear the question, it will meet as a Level III  
Board at which both sides will be represented and a binding decision will be  
rendered. Petition for such a hearing may originate from any student  
government officer or senator or by popular referendum.

4. **Special Investigative Authority:** the University Judicial Council has the  
power to name a Special Investigative Committee in cases in which an  
alleged offense presents a highly volatile context; e.g. group tensions, sex  
discrimination or an inter-racial situation. The powers of the Special Inves-  
tigative Committee shall be defined at the time of its appointment by the  
University Judicial Council. Both the students who bring a charge and those  
accused shall submit to the Vice President for Student Affairs two names of  
persons within the SMU community, who are not involved in the incident, to  
serve on the Special Investigative Committee. The office of the Vice Presi-  
dent for Student Affairs shall appoint a fifth member to the Committee and  
shall select one of the five as chairperson. The Special Investigative Com-  
mittee will act in an advisory capacity to the appropriate judiciary hearing  
board to which the case is assigned. Any of the parties involved may  
petition the University Judicial Council for the establishment of a Special  
Investigative Committee and the Council shall determine its necessity.

## Section Three

### Basic Procedures

\***Delegation of Authority:** The Vice President for Student Affairs may dele-  
gate any part or all of his authority from time to time, to any person or  
several persons, wherever in these procedures the Vice President for  
Student Affairs is designated by the University Judicial Council.

\***Assignment of Cases:** If the Vice President for Student Affairs or his  
designate determines that a rule or regulation has been violated, he shall  
assign cases to one of the several hearing boards described in section two.  
As a general policy cases assigned to Level I Boards fit one or more of the  
following criteria: (1) the alleged offense is of narrow impact and/or first  
offense, (2) the alleged offense relates to rules established by residence  
halls or student organizations, or (3) the alleged offense, although major, is  
appropriate for one of the Level I hearing boards. As a general policy, cases  
assigned to one of the Level II hearing boards fit one or more of the  
following criteria: (1) the alleged offense is major, (2) the alleged offense  
has resulted in a substantial interference with the proceedings of the  
University, (3) the offenses are unacceptably repeated, or (4) the alleged  
offense caused an unacceptable infringement upon the personal or prop-  
erty rights of others.

These criteria serve as guidelines and the judgement of the Vice Presi-  
dent for Student Affairs is the final determinant as to the University's  
response to any student behavior. Normally, the following types of offenses  
will be handled by the criminal court system and will not go through the  
University judiciary structure: (1) homicides; (2) aggravated robbery and/or  
abuse of firearms law; (3) rape cases; (4) aggravated assault; (5) DWI  
resulting in injury to other persons or property; (6) felony thefts with ex-  
tenuating circumstances; and (7) major or habitual offenders of the state  
and/or federal laws pertaining to the use and possession of narcotics,  
dangerous drugs, and marijuana. In the preceding instances, the University  
reserves the right to consider these cases as its judiciary as well as  
referring them to off-campus authorities. Cases of academic dishonesty  
and traffic citations are assigned to their respective boards of jurisdiction.

It should be noted that the University reserves the right to evaluate the  
off-campus conduct of its community members and to respond to it appro-  
priately. Such a response can include judicial action. This action does not  
conflict with prevailing laws concerning double jeopardy.

\***Notice of Violation:** The Vice President for Student Affairs or his designate  
shall give notice in writing to the student of the complaint against him. Such  
notice shall contain the particulars with respect to the facts constituting the  
offense, the time and place of hearing, and the particular hearing board to  
which the case is assigned. This delay may be waived by the mutual  
agreement of the accused and the Vice President for Student Affairs or his  
designate.

\***Guilty Plead:** A student may choose to plead guilty to the offense with  
which he has been charged. In this case, the student may agree on an  
appropriate punishment with the Vice President for Student Affairs or his  
designate. All such agreements reached will be reviewed at the end of each  
semester by the Judicial Council.

\***Vacation Periods and Emergencies:** The Vice President for Student  
Affairs or his designate may choose to hear a disciplinary problem in an

"Administrative Hearing" during vacation periods, or in emergency situations which may arise during the school year. The term "emergency" implies an inability to convene a judicial hearing board within feasible time. Appeal may be taken by the student to Level III of any administrative hearing decision.

\*Action Pending a Judicial Hearing: If a behavior or activity endangers the safety of the student, a group, or others, the Vice President for Student Affairs or his designate may impose such sanctions as he may deem appropriate pending a judicial hearing.

\*Violations and Penalties: Violations of the Student Code of Conduct and University policy may be categorized under the following charges and subject to the penalties listed below:

### **I. The following violations have been established and defined by SMU Judiciary:**

#### **A. Technical and Minor Violations:**

The student's actions are clearly a violation of the student code and/or university policy by a nature such that severe disciplinary action is not warranted. Penalties include any or more of the following: judicial reprimand, creative discipline, and/or fine.

#### **B. Irresponsible Conduct:**

The student's conduct is deemed irresponsible and unacceptable to the student community. Penalties include any or more of the following: restitution, fine, creative discipline, suspension, and/or disqualification from office.

#### **C. Irresponsible Conduct with Aggravating Circumstances:**

The student's conduct is deemed irresponsible and unacceptable to the student community and involved significant infringements on the personal or property rights of others. Repeated violations of any student code or university policy may be deemed aggravating circumstances. Penalties include any one or more of the following: creative discipline, fines, disqualification from office, restitution, suspension, and/or expulsion from the University.

#### **D. Dishonesty:**

Dishonesty will be deemed a serious offense subject to the range of penalties given in category "II".

Dishonesty may be defined essentially as one of the following, but not limited to these:

1. Forgery
2. Falsification of records
3. Knowingly furnishing false information to the University or its officials
4. Lying
5. Falsification of checks, money orders, etc.
6. Theft
7. Unauthorized entry to university facilities
8. Counterfeiting of university documents, permits, identification or other official material of the University
9. Falsification and/or manipulation of computer data

#### **E. Academic Dishonesty:**

See Section on Honor Council

#### **F. Harm or Intimidation:**

Any harm or threat of same to another person's physical, mental, or social well-being is prohibited. Such conduct is not limited to, but may include the following examples:

1. Written or oral threats
2. Threatening gestures or intimidating postures
3. Harrassing telephone calls
4. Harrassment in public places
5. Destruction of personal property
6. Prejudicial discussion of the victim with others
7. Fighting, "roughing up"
8. Assault in any form

All such incidents may be referred to a Level II hearing board and are subject to the range of penalties given in category II.

### **II. Penalties:**

The following penalties may be implemented individually or in any combination thereof by the Hearing Boards.

A. Expulsion: Separation from the University on a permanent basis. This condition will be permanently noted on the student's academic transcript. This penalty is automatically reviewed by the President of the University and does not go into effect until approved by him.

B. Suspension: Mandatory separation from the University for an assigned period of time and under such conditions as deemed necessary by the judiciary with regard to such factors as the student's campus visiting privileges and terms of the student's readmission to the University. Organizations or groups also may be suspended from the University by a Hearing Board.

C. Council Fine: A student may be fined any amount not exceeding \$250.00.

D. Disqualification from holding official student positions: A student may be restricted from representing the University in an intercollegiate activity or may be restricted from participation in any university activity or organization.

E. Restitution: Compensation for damages to persons or property caused by the student's actions to be paid to the appropriate person or institution.

F. Creative Discipline: Procedures designed by the judiciary in consultation with the student and the Office of Student Life in an effort to fit the discipline to the individual and the circumstances surrounding the particular case. The objective is education and rehabilitation.

G. Judicial Reprimand: A student may be given a judicial reprimand which is formal notice by the judiciary that the student has violated Student Code and/or University policy or has otherwise acted irresponsibly. If found guilty of further offense, his case will be considered much more serious.

H. DV Transcript Record: When so designated by the Hearing Board, the indicator DV (Disciplinary Violation) and the date will be recorded on the academic transcript of a student. This notation will remain until three years after the student is graduated from the University.

### **III. Probated Penalties:**

A student's penalty may be probated. If the student violated the terms of the probation during the time period specified by the judiciary, the probation should be lifted and the penalty put into effect. If the terms of the

student's probation are violated, the judiciary which issued the board members are unwieldy should be assigned.

### **Conduct of the hearing:**

#### **\*Commencement**

No hearing shall begin exclusive of the day or set waived at the mutual agreement of the Student Affairs or his designate.

#### **\*Extension Time**

The chair of the hearing board, in his/her discretion, may grant an extension of time to permit the accused student to prepare a defense. The chair may also in his/her discretion allow the plaintiff to file a motion to amend the complaint so that additional charges may be added.

If after the hearing the need for more preparation is determined, the hearing may be postponed to a later time. The hearing board may, in its discretion, deem it necessary for its proper functioning to obtain with the accused student's consent, a change in the hearing date.

\*Change in Allegations: Any change in the allegations of a complaint subject to the hearing must be filed in writing with the hearing board.

\*Quorum-Level One and Two: A hearing board shall have a quorum of at least seven members. If a vacancy occurs, the hearing board may, by majority vote, fill the vacancy.

\*Quorum-Level III Judiciary: A hearing board shall have a quorum of at least seven members.

All members of the hearing board shall be present at the hearing. If less than the required number of members are present, the hearing shall be postponed until a quorum is present.

Should a vacancy occur during the hearing, the hearing board may, by majority vote, fill the vacancy.

\*Disqualification: Any member of a hearing board who has a conflict of interest in the case shall be disqualified from participating in the hearing.

\*Severance: Any member of a hearing board who is absent from the hearing without the approval of the hearing board shall be considered to have severed from the hearing.

\*Joint and Several: Several students accused of a violation shall be tried together. If a student requests severance of

student's probation are violated, the student's case will be reviewed by the judiciary which issued the probated penalty, when possible. If original board members are unavailable or unable to serve, replacement members should be assigned.

## Conduct of the hearing

### \*Commencement

No hearing shall begin until at least three working days have elapsed exclusive of the day of service of notice on the accused. This period may be waived at the mutual agreement of the accused and the Vice President for Student Affairs or his designate.

### \*Extension Time

The chair of the hearing board to which a matter is assigned may in his/her discretion grant extensions of time as may be reasonably necessary to permit the accused student sufficient time to prepare his/her defense. The chair may also in his/her discretion grant an extension to the complainant so that additional evidence may be made available to the hearing board.

If after the hearing has commenced the hearing board discovers the need for more preparation, the chairperson shall recess the hearing to a later time. The hearing board may then direct any further investigation necessary for its proper disposition of the case.

Inability to obtain witnesses shall not be justification for undue delay in commencing a hearing.

### \*Change in Allegations

Any change in the allegation against a student shall be regarded as a new complaint subject to the process for handling complaints in the first instance.

### \*Quorum-Level One and Two

All members of the hearing board shall be present throughout the hearing. If less than the required number are present at the opening of the hearing, the hearing shall be postponed until a full board can be convened. Should a vacancy occur during the hearing, the hearing shall recess until all members can be present. These requirements may be waived upon agreement of all parties. All members may vote, and all determinations shall be by majority vote. A failure to vote shall be registered as a not guilty vote.

### \*Quorum-Level III Judiciary Board

At least seven members, including at least one student, one faculty member, and one administrator, shall be present throughout the hearing. Only members who have been present throughout the hearing may vote and all determinations shall be by majority vote. A failure to vote shall be treated as a not guilty vote. On the question of guilt or innocence, a tie vote shall be treated as vote to acquit.

### \*Disqualification

Any member of a hearing board, upon considering any challenges from the accused concerning his/her impartiality, may withdraw voluntarily. In such cases, the accused may waive the quorum and the hearing proceed. If the accused chooses not to waive the quorum, the next person in rotation shall serve on that board and the hearing will be rescheduled.

### \*Joinder and Severance

Several students accused of participating in a common offense may be tried together. If a student wishes to be tried separately, he/she should request severance of his/her case during the initial meeting about hearing

arrangements with the Office of Student Life. If denied by the Dean, he/she may appeal this decision to the chair of the University Judicial Council for a decision.

## Open Hearings

In the interest of the University community and the assurance of a fair hearing for the accused, all hearings ordinarily shall be open but restricted to current members of the community. Other persons may be present only at the request of the accused or the Office of Student Life (chair shall decide).

Either the accused or the Office of Student Life may request a closed hearing (i.e. limited to participants only) or speak to such a request. After hearing such a request, and the possible comments of the other party, the board in closed session shall decide. The hearing will remain open only if in the board's judgment, the community's need-to-know is greater than the accused's desire for privacy.

## Reporting of Precedings

Any publication from within the University (including The Daily Campus and other publications by students) related to a judicial hearing must abide by the following guidelines:

1. No publication of any individual report or summary of activity will carry personal names or other personally identifying details.
2. Nothing will be published about any judicial hearing until the final official disposition or appeal is resolved.
3. Should the accused and/or guilty party (parties) "go public" regarding a hearing, this action will free the University to comment on any such statements and/or the matter being discussed.
4. Summaries of the results of judicial hearings shall be provided periodically by the Office of Student Life.

### \*Right of the Accused to Have Companions-Level I and II

The accused may, at his option, have with him at the hearing two members of his immediate family and a friend. The friend, if selected, must be a student, faculty member or administrator from within the University community. Persons from outside the University may be permitted only with the mutual agreement of the University.

### \*Representation by an Attorney

The accused may not be represented by an attorney at any hearing. At a Level III hearing, an attorney may be present for advice under the following conditions:

1. The Office of Student Life is to be notified of such intent as soon as the student is informed that an appeal has been granted and the name of the attorney must be filed with the Dean as soon as an attorney has been selected.
2. The attorney must contact the Office of Student Life at least 72 hours prior to the hearing for a review of the procedures and policies of the SMU Judicial System.
3. The Office of Student Life has the option of an attorney present.

### \*Rules of Evidence

Rules of evidence shall be informal, and the hearing board shall have discretion with respect to admissibility of testimony and documents. The standard of proof is that a conclusion of guilt shall be sustained by clear and convincing evidence, which is more than a mere preponderance of evi-

dence but less than the strict criminal law standard of proof beyond a reasonable doubt.

#### \*Order of Testimony and Documents

The parties shall present to the chair a list of witnesses and documents prior to the hearing. Ordinarily, the complainants shall proceed first with their case followed by the presentation of the accused.

#### \*Presence at the Hearing-Confrontation of Witnesses

The accused shall have the right to be present during the entire hearing and shall have the right to question any witnesses as he/she may choose.

#### \*Decorum

The chair shall maintain order for the proper conduct of the hearing. When necessary, the chair may expel disruptive individuals or adjourn the hearing to a later time to assure the full development of the facts in a calm, deliberate setting.

#### \*Findings

The hearing board shall conduct its discussions in executive session but shall announce its findings in open hearing. The findings shall be announced as either guilty or not guilty of the alleged offense, and, if guilty, the penalty assessed.

## Section Four

### Records

The following policies concerning records and the release of information are in compliance with the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (the Buckley Amendment).

The records of hearings shall be prepared by the chair of the hearing board and filed by him/her in the office of the Vice President for Student Affairs. These records shall be available to members of the various hearing boards which comprise the University judicial system and may be made available to bona fide members of the University community upon request.

Records of the Office of Student Life shall contain all information, data, correspondence, findings and records of official action concerning student discipline.

1. A judiciary case will remain on record until erased approximately three years after graduation.

2. If a case originates at Level I and involves a Level I offense, the information will stay within the University community.

3. If a case originates at Level II and involves a Level II offense, the case will remain a part of the student's record until destroyed three years after graduation. This information is used to answer recommendation forms where questions related to disciplinary action are asked.

### Appeals

#### Level I Hearings

All cases heard by Level I hearing boards may be appealed by the accused to Level II where the matter shall be heard de novo in the same manner as those cases heard in the first instance by the Level II hearing boards. A request for an appeal to a Level II hearing board must be submitted in writing via a "Reason(s) for Appeal" form available in the Office of Student Life. This appeal form must be completed and submitted to that office within 72 hours of the original hearing. Summary statements will be included in the findings of the original hearing board as a matter of record for the appeal process. Therefore, students wishing to exercise the

appeals alternative should use discretion in their decisions.

#### Traffic Appeals Board

The Traffic Appeals board will hear cases involving appeal of citations from the Traffic and Safety Office. Appeals must be made to the Chair of the Board, through the Traffic and Safety Office, within 15 days after issuance of the citation.

#### Level II Hearings

All cases heard by Level II hearing boards may be appealed by the accused student to the University Judicial Council where, if the appeal is granted, the matter shall be heard de novo in the same manner as those heard in the first instance by the Level I and Level II hearing boards.

A request for an appeal to a Level III hearing board must be submitted in writing via a "Reason(s) for Appeal" form available in the Office of Student Life. This appeal form must be completed and submitted to that office within 72 hours of the original hearing.

#### Honor Board Hearings

Appeals are to be filed in writing with the Dean of Student Life who shall decide, if an appeal is granted, it will be heard by a Level III Hearing Board.

#### Level III Hearings-Finality of Decision

All appeals for a Level III hearing are reviewed by an appointed group of Judicial Council members. If the appeal is granted, a Level III Appellate Board (see item 2, Judicial Council) will hear the case de novo. This board may assess its own penalty and it serves as the board of final appeal.

At a Level III appellate hearing, the accused may bring an attorney for advice during the hearing (see Section Three, Basic Procedures). However, the accused must present his own case.

### Rehearings

At the urging of the accused or upon presentation of significant new evidence, the Dean of Student Life, after consultation with the chair of the board, and the chair of the University Judicial Council, may order a case to be reheard. The rehearing will be at the same level as the original hearing. After such a rehearing, the accused shall be entitled to the same rights of appeal as in any case.

The accused may request a rehearing, if a student has been charged and tried and found not guilty, the individual may not be retried for the same incident at any future date.

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# The Honor Code of Southern Methodist University

Intellectual integrity and academic honesty are fundamental to the processes of learning and of evaluating academic performance, and maintaining them is the responsibility of all members of an educational institution.

As well as being fundamental to the processes of education, the inculcation of personal standards of honesty and integrity is a goal of education in all the disciplines of the university.

The faculty has the responsibility of encouraging and maintaining an atmosphere of academic honesty by being certain that students are aware of the value of it, that they understand the regulations defining it, and that they know the penalties for departing from it.

The faculty should not only actively encourage student honesty, but should also scrupulously discourage dishonesty, and insofar as is reasonably possible, should assist students in avoiding the temptation to dishonest actions. Such steps as carefully defining the times set on cooperative assignments are among the ways in which the faculty can help.

Students too, must share the responsibility for creating and maintaining

an atmosphere of honesty and integrity. Students should be aware that personal experience in completing assigned work is essential to learning. Permitting others to prepare their work, using published or unpublished summaries as a substitute for studying required materials, or giving unauthorized assistance in the preparation of work to be submitted are directly contrary to the honest process of learning.

Students who are aware that others in a course are cheating or otherwise performing dishonestly have the responsibility either to warn the accused student or to bring an accusation directly to the Honor Council. Further, students must inform the instructor, not necessarily in such terms as to accuse the dishonest, but in order that the instructor may know that he or she has not sufficiently assured an environment of academic honesty and can correct the situation.

Students and faculty must mutually share the knowledge that any dishonest practices permitted will make it more difficult for the honest students to be evaluated and graded fairly, and will damage the integrity of the whole University. Students should recognize that both their own interests, and their integrity as individuals, suffer if they condone dishonesty in others.

The faculty must be aware that permitting dishonesty is not open to personal choice. An instructor who is unwilling to act upon offenses is an accessory with the student offender in deteriorating the integrity of the University.

# The Constitution of the Honor Council of Southern Methodist University

## PREAMBLE

We, the students of Southern Methodist University, recognizing the desirability for an atmosphere of trust among members of the academic community, in order that the university might educate men and women of good character, establish the Honor Council of Southern Methodist University. All academic work within the University community shall be subject to the guidelines of the Honor Code. In order to promote the integrity and secure the academic rights of each member of the University, the following Constitution of the Honor Council is established.

## ARTICLE I — PURPOSE AND SCOPE

The Council is created to encourage and preserve the honor and integrity of the students enrolled in the university; it seeks to protect the innocent and punish the guilty so as to promote the general integrity of the University.

Section 1 — The Honor Council shall oversee the academic conduct of all undergraduate and graduate students with the exception of those students enrolled in the schools of law or theology of Southern Methodist University. Cases involving law or theology students enrolled in courses under the jurisdiction of the Honor Council shall be referred to the above school as is appropriate. Any giving or receiving of aid on academic work submitted for evaluation, without the express consent of the instructor, shall constitute a breach of the Honor Code. This applies to all work submitted for evaluation unless specifically released from the Honor Code.

Section 2 — Any student, full- or part-time, enrolled in any undergraduate school or appropriate graduate school of the University, shall be under the jurisdiction of the Honor Council and subject to its penalties.

## ARTICLE II — CONSTRUCTION

Section 1 — The Honor Council shall be composed of twenty-six (26) members in the following manner:

Three representatives from the freshman class

Five representatives from the sophomore class

Six representatives from the junior class

Eight representatives from the senior class  
Four representatives enrolled in the graduate schools under the jurisdiction of the council.

Section 2— Honor Council members must be SMU students enrolled in at least 12 hours or the equivalent load for full-time student status.

Section 3— The members shall be chosen as follows:

(a) The screening committee of the Student Senate shall accept applications from all interested students.

(b) The screening committee shall accept or reject each applicant based on the following criteria:

(1) The applicant must meet the minimum enrollment criteria as outlined in Article II, Section 2 with an overall GPA not less than 3.00.

(2) The applicant must never have violated the Honor Code or have been convicted by a Level II or higher Judiciary board.

(3) New applicants must have written references from at least three faculty members. Applicants who are already members of the Honor Council must have at least one written reference.

(4) Any other criteria the screening committee, with the approval of the Honor Council, deems necessary.

(c) The Screening Committee shall further investigate those applicants meeting the above criteria by contacting the chairman of the applicants' major departments, and/or the applicants' adviser and current instructors.

(d) The approved applicants shall be presented to the Student Senate for election.

(e) Each senate member shall vote for as many applicants as there are positions available in the class under consideration. If any one candidate receives more than fifty percent of the vote, a second vote shall be held among the remaining candidates. Otherwise, a plurality will constitute election.

(f) The senate shall reserve the power to reject any applicant by majority vote even if approved by the screening committee.

(g) Should there be fewer applicants elected than the number required for a given class, the senate shall fill the vacancies with current applicants from the other classes.

Section 4— Each senior, junior, sophomore, and two of the four graduate level representatives shall serve a term of one year beginning on the first Wednesday following the first Tuesday in April and ending the first Tuesday in April of the following year. Election of these representatives shall be held by the first Tuesday in April. The freshman representatives and the other two graduate level representatives shall be elected by the first Tuesday in November and serve until the first Tuesday of April of the following year.

Section 5— If a vacancy should occur, the screening committee will call for applications from the class in which the vacancy is created within one week of notification of vacancy. If no applications are received within one week, the screening committee shall call for application from the entire student body.

Section 6— The council shall have the power to impeach, suspend, or otherwise discipline its own members as set forth in the by-laws.

Section 7— The Honor Council will maintain an official working relationship with the office of student life, specifically, the university judicial officer. The university judicial officer will serve as a liaison between the Honor Council and the All University Judicial Council.

## Article III — HEARINGS

Section 1— Upon receipt of an accusation (an accusation must be submitted within 10 working days from the date of discovery of the alleged violation), of an Honor Code violation from student or faculty, the President of the Honor Council shall call for an investigation by a committee of two Council members within two days. Investigators shall be limited to those who might have been a part of, or witness to, the alleged violation. These Council members shall act as presenters in the case of a hearing. These Council members acting as investigators and subsequently presenters shall not discuss the facts of any case in question with other Council actions.

Section 2— Hearings shall be called no later than 10 days after receipt of accusation.

Section 3— When a hearing is called, the President shall select five members of the Council, excluding the presenters, to act as a hearing board. The President or Vice President shall act as presiding Officer and shall not have a vote.

Section 4— No one shall be allowed to sit on the hearing board or act as presenter if he or she is related by blood or marriage to the accused or is a member of the same social fraternity or social sorority as the accused.

Section 5— The Council, by majority vote, may declare any member ineligible to sit on the hearing board on other grounds. The accused may challenge any member's eligibility and the Council will make judgment by majority vote.

Section 6— All hearings shall be private unless the accused requests and open hearing. If more than one accused is involved, all of those accused must request open hearings before an open hearing can be held, otherwise the hearing shall be private.

Section 7— The President shall administer the following oath to all who give testimony before the hearing board: "I, on my honor, do solemnly swear to tell the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth."

Section 8— When a hearing is called, the verdict shall be "guilty" or "not guilty." A four out of five vote, or three out of four in the case of one abstention, must be rendered to convict the accused. Abstentions shall not prohibit a verdict of guilty, but upon receiving two or more abstentions, the President shall call for a new hearing with new members. The presiding Officer shall not vote. Written notice of a decision of guilty will be sent to the guilty student, the academic Dean of the school in which the guilty student is enrolled, the University registrar, the Dean of Student Life, the instructor, and the parents of the guilty student. If the guilty student can prove financial independence, then the parents of the guilty student will not be notified. The notices shall be made no later than two days after final determination of the case has been made. A copy of all correspondence must also be kept in the permanent files of the Honor Council which shall be kept in the Dean of Student Life's Office.

Section 9— All business conducted on investigations, hearings, business meetings, and other official Council functions shall be held in strictest confidence among the members of the Council. In addition, any person, excepting the accused participating in the hearings or informed of the results shall keep all knowledge in the strictest confidence.

Section 10— If a student should withdraw from the University after a charge has been made and before a hearing has been held, an investiga-

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to sit on the hearing board or act as a witness to the accused or is a member of a social fraternity or sorority as the accused, shall not vote, may declare any member of the hearing board ineligible on other grounds. The accused may appeal the Council will make judgment by a majority vote.

its unless the accused requests a hearing. If the accused is involved, all of those present at the hearing may be present unless an open hearing can be held; otherwise, the hearing shall be closed.

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to investigations, hearings, suspensions shall be held in strictest confidence. In addition, any person, student or faculty, shall be notified of the hearing or informed of the hearing in strictest confidence.

to draw from the University after a hearing has been held, an investigation shall be completed and the facts recorded. The accused must appear before the hearing board prior to being allowed to re-enter the University.

Section 11 — Should a faculty member personally decide a case, and the Honor Council has not received an accusation, two routes of appeal are available to the accused student: the Honor Council route and the academic route. Appeals to the Honor Council must be made in writing no later than three days after the faculty decision. If the academic route is chosen, the student shall appeal first to the chairman of the department, then the Dean of the school, the provost, and finally the faculty committee on ethics and tenure. If the Honor Council route is chosen, the President of the Honor Council will proceed as prescribed by Article III, Section 1. Should a hearing be called and the Hearing Board reach a decision different from that of the instructor, the presiding Officer shall personally present the evidence leading to the decision to the instructor, but the instructor shall make the final determination. However, the Honor Council may request an investigation by the Faculty Committee on Ethics and Tenure. Should the Honor Council uphold the instructor's original decision, the accused student may appeal as prescribed in Article III, Section 12. Once one route of appeal has been selected, the other is eliminated.

Section 12 — All requests for appeal of the hearing board's verdict shall be submitted to the Dean of Student Life in writing no later than three school days after the hearing board decision. In consultation with the chairperson of the All-University Judiciary Board, and the President of the Honor Council, the Dean of Student Life will direct the chairperson of All-University Judiciary to convene a hearing board with new members no later than three school days after the appeal request is accepted. The appeal shall be heard de novo and the presenters from the original hearing shall remain the same. Punishment determined in the first hearing shall be suspended during appeal. There shall be only one appeal.

Section 13 — Grounds for appeal shall be the following:

1. Substantial new evidence
2. Significant procedural irregularities
3. Insufficient evidence for a conviction of guilty.

Section 14 — All records of board decisions and all board correspondence shall be kept confidentially and permanently in the Honor Council file.

## ARTICLE IV — PENALTIES

Section 1 — The recommended minimum penalty for cases involving material submitted for course credit shall be a recommendation of "HV" (Honor Violation) for the course in question, to be administered by the instructor for the course. The "HV" shall be averaged as a grade of "F" in the student's cumulative average; the "HV" shall remain on the transcript until three years after graduation; the "HV" shall then become a "WF" on the transcript. Should the faculty member not accept the recommended penalty, the Honor Council may request an investigation by the Faculty Senate and/or the Provost.

Section 2 — In lieu of, or in addition to, the above recommended Honor Violation Penalty, the following penalties may be given:

- (a) a personal reprimand from the Honor Council, to be kept in the student's file in the Office of Student Life and in the Honor Council Office
- (b) a probated suspension from the University for not less than a term ending five years from the date of the hearing
- (c) suspension from the University, for a term to be set by the hearing board.

board.

No other penalties other than the above shall be administered.

Section 3 — The board may recommend that no penalty be given only in the most extraordinary and unusual circumstances.

Section 4 — Penalties shall be decided by the hearing board in closed session. All penalties shall be decided by a four out of five vote, or three out of four in case of one abstention. The criteria on which a decision should be based are:

- (a) previous record
- (b) premeditation
- (c) truthfulness and cooperation in the investigation and hearing.

Section 5 —

(a) Impeding the investigations of the Council, lying to the Council, or in any way failing to cooperate with the Council shall constitute violations of the Honor Code.

(b) Failure to issue a personal warning or to report to the instructor or to the Honor Council when a known or suspected violation has occurred shall constitute a violation of the Honor Code.

(c) Any student, except the accused, shall keep all knowledge of the accused a case confidential or shall stand in violation of the Honor Code.

Section 6 — In cases not involving material submitted for course credit, including those outlined in Section 5, above, the minimum penalty shall be a personal reprimand from the Council. A copy along with a complete explanation of the violation shall be kept on the University's record in the Office of Student Life as well as the Council's files. In addition to this minimum penalty, those penalties outlined in Section 2 above may be given.

## ARTICLE V — OFFICERS

Section 1 — The Honor Council shall have the following student officers: A PRESIDENT who must be a senior or graduate student

A VICE PRESIDENT who must be a junior, senior or graduate student

Section 2 — The President and Vice-President shall be elected by a majority of those voting, usually a secret ballot. If no majority is achieved on the first ballot, a runoff election shall be held between the two candidates with the most votes.

Section 3 — The president of the student body shall preside over the meetings of the Honor Council until the Council elects its own president.

Section 4 — It shall be the duty of the President to preside over every meeting and hearing, to arrange for the hearing of any student accused, to select the five members of each hearing board, to handle all correspondence involving the verdict of the hearing board, to take minutes at every hearing, and to handle any other duties common to the office. The President shall also administer the following oath to each new member of the Council: "I do solemnly pledge, on my honor, to obey and uphold the constitution and by-laws of the Honor Council and to perform my duties to the best of my ability." The president of the student body shall administer the above oath to the newly elected President of the Honor Council upon his or her election.

Section 5 — It shall be the duty of the Vice-President to summon the accused and witnesses to all hearings, to take minutes at each meeting, to keep permanent records of all minutes, hearing or meeting, and to assume

the duties of the President when necessary.

Section 6 — If the office of the President should be vacated, then the Vice President whether a junior, senior or graduate student, shall assume the office and duties of President for the remainder of the term. If the office of Vice President should be vacated, then a new Vice President shall be elected immediately. In both cases, the vacant position on the Council shall be filled per Article II, Section 5.

## **ARTICLE VI — MEETINGS**

Section 1 — Regular meetings of the Honor Council shall be held the first Wednesday of each month.

Section 2 — Special meetings may be called by the President at any time.

Section 3 — Two-thirds of the members shall constitute a quorum.

Section 4 — All meetings shall be conducted according to Robert's Rules of Order, Revised.

## **ARTICLE VII — PUBLICITY**

Section 1 — Each new student entering the University will be informed by the Honor Council as to the functions of the honor system and his or her obligations to the Honor Code.

Section 2 — All new students shall be provided with a copy of this constitution and by-laws of the Honor Council upon entering the University.

Section 3 — Each student must acknowledge his or her understanding of and agreement to abide by the Honor System by signing a formal pledge prior to his or her registration in the University.

Section 4 — A shortened form of the formal pledge shall appear on any written work submitted for evaluation. This pledge shall be: "On my honor, I have neither given nor received unauthorized aid on this work." and shall be signed by the student submitting the work.

## **ARTICLE VIII — AMENDMENTS**

Section 1 — Amendments may be proposed by a student senator, faculty senator, member of the Council, or by petition of no less than 10 percent of the student body.

Section 2 — Amendments to this constitution shall require a two-thirds vote of the Student Senate, the approval of the dean of student life, and the Provost of the University.

## **ARTICLE IX — RATIFICATION**

This constitution shall effect immediately upon a two-thirds majority vote of the Student Senate, the approval of the dean of student life, and the approval of the Provost of the University.