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Chi Epsilon Civil Engineering Honor Societ

Case Creation Date:

- November 9, 2023

Incident Summary:

- *It is alleged that some members of the Chi Epsilon (Civil Engineering Honor Society) participated in taking shots of alcohol on campus after club meetings and potentially pressured members to drink.*

Student Organization Code of Conduct Violations:

- (1) Aiding and Abetting:
 - (B) A student organization aiding and abetting another person or group in violation of a University policy or procedure or local, state, or federal law.
- (1) Aiding and Abetting:
 - (C) Encouraging, permitting, or assisting another to do any act that could subject him or her to discipline.
- (2) Alcohol
 - A copy of the University's Alcohol Policy shall be provided to each student organization president and must be followed. The University's Alcohol Policy is in compliance with California Law, which prohibits the sale or giving of any alcoholic beverage to any person under the age of 21. Student organizations are in violation of University policy if any individuals under the age of 21 are in possession of alcoholic beverages at an activity sponsored/hosted by the student organization and/or if intoxicated individuals consume alcohol. All student organization presidents must sign an agreement to abide by and uphold the University's Alcohol Policy as well as present an alcohol awareness program to their organizations (should be pre-approved by the Prevention Education Program Center) or arrange for an alcohol awareness program approved by the Prevention Education Program Center. Student organizations sponsoring events are responsible for following the appropriate procedures to prevent underage drinking, including providing alternatives to alcohol.

- (14) Hazing:
 - (D) Forced or required consumption of any substance, including food, drugs, alcohol, water, or any beverage; or any items individually or in combination that may or could induce vomiting, psychological abuse and/or humiliation.

Sanctions:

- **Written Warning**

A Written Warning is an official notice that a particular action or type of behavior is in violation of stated regulations or policies, and is considered unacceptable by the University. The continuation of similar behavior or future violation of community expectations may be cause for more severe disciplinary action.