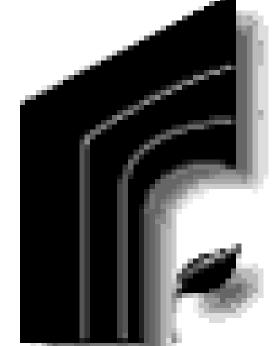
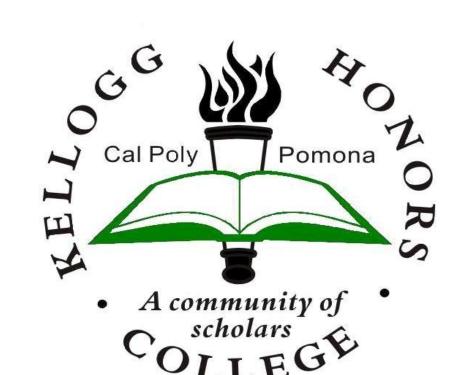
Studying the Benefits of Membership in National Panhellenic Conference Organizations



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Summary: In the media and often even on college campuses, sororities continue to be scrutinized, with negative stereotypes about Greek life highlighted, while accomplishments and the benefits of being members of these organizations go widely unrecognized and unreported. The purpose of this research project is to inform about the goals and missions of the NPC and the sororities, which are a part of the NPC, and to identify the benefits gained by being a member of these organizations both during one's undergraduate education, and in life after college. The benefits of this study include: differentiating the NPC organizations from other Greek organizations in order to showcase, to those not involved in Greek Life, the benefits that the NPC provides to its organizations and its members, and to help identify areas of improvement, on our campus, for our Panhellenic community.

National Panhellenic Conference Facts:

Vision: "Advancing the Sorority Experience Together." **Values:** "We are committed to relationships built on trust through transparency, accountability and mutual respect. Innovation and our core values of friendship, leadership, service, knowledge, integrity, and community guide us in fulfilling our mission."

- 26 Member Groups
- 655 Campuses
- 302,792 Undergraduate Members
- 639,021 hours donated to community service annually by College Panhellenics
- \$2,855,095 raised for philanthropic events annually by College Panhellenics
- 45,322 hours donated to community service annually by Alumnae Panhellenics
- \$322,495 raised for scholarships annually by Alumnae Panhellenics
- \$97,629 raised for community needs annually by Alumnae Panhellenics

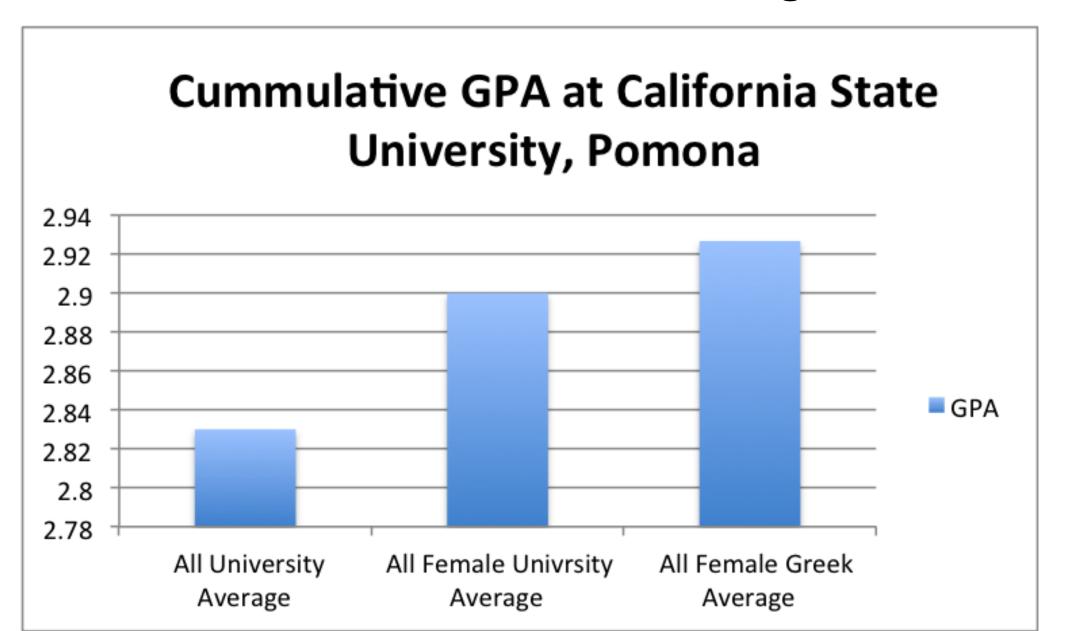


*numbers based on NPC "Facts and Figures" 2011-2012 annual report

Greek Sub-Councils at California State Polytechnic University, Pomona:

- Diversified Greek Council (DGC)
- Interfraternity Council (IFC)
- National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC)
- National Panhellenic Conference (NPC)
- National Association of Latino Fraternal Organizations (NALFO)

Myth: Members of Sororities have lower GPA's than those who are not members of Greek Organizations



*numbers averaged from GPA's from Winter Quarter 2013, Spring, Quarter 2013 and Winter Quarter 2014. Fall Quarter 2013 GPA's could not be obtained.





