responsibilities
Serve the FAU Fraternity & Sorority Life in the following manner:

• Guide and facilitate the work of one (1) of the four (4) Fraternity & Sorority Governing Councils (Multicultural Greek Council), affording them experiential learning opportunities that enhance the education they receive inside the classroom.
• Guide and facilitate community-wide programs (ex: Greek Week, Standards of Excellence, etc).
• Guide and facilitate the work of Honor Societies (Order of Omega, etc.).
• Complete and compile annual community statistical report.
• Assist with sorority formal recruitment and men’s recruitment.
• Assist in the planning and implementation of departmental comprehensive leadership development program.
• Advise FAU Up ’til Dawn Program.
• Serve on various divisional committees.
• Use research, standards, and assessment to guide practice.
• Apply student development and organizational development theory to practice in challenging and supporting councils, chapters, and individual members.
• Collaborate with key constituents of the fraternity & sorority community.
• Serve as an advocate for the fraternity & sorority community.
• Perform other duties, administrative or otherwise, as assigned to support the development of Fraternity & Sorority Life at Florida Atlantic University.

qualifications

• Acceptance into a Master’s program (Educational Leadership/Higher Ed, Non-Profit Management, or related field).
• Ability to work well independently and as part of a team.
• Effective written and verbal communication skills.
• Proficiency with Microsoft Office.
• Willingness to work nights and weekends.
• Interest in advising fraternities and sororities in a future student affairs/higher education position.
• Membership in a fraternity or sorority is preferred.

additional information

• This graduate assistantship is a 20 hour per week, year-round appointment, renewable each semester based on satisfactory performance. This position will receive compensation at a rate of $11.50 per hour worked.
• Employment will only be granted upon acceptance to a Florida Atlantic University graduate program.
• A full tuition waiver is provided with this assistantship.
• Application Deadline: March 7, 2011
• Anticipated Start Date: August 15, 2011
• Information on academic program requirements and application deadlines can be found here: http://www.fau.edu/graduate/

apply to
For consideration, please provide a cover letter, resume, and 2 professional references to:

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WHY WE EXIST

organizational purpose
We were all founded upon principles that guide the actions of our organization. These principles are why we have continued to exist for over 100 years and what makes us different than other groups on campus. This is really what fraternity and sorority is all about – leading a principled life.

community expectation and high standards
Committing to our organizations’ guiding principles means that we are expected to live up to the high ideals associated with membership. Along with individual expectations, our chapters and community as a whole are held to a higher standard. We will lead by example.

social and personal development
Fraternities and sororities are more meaningful than any other experience on campus. They provide us with an outlet to develop as individuals through personal experiences and shared interactions.

responsibility to self and others
Brotherhood and sisterhood are an inherent benefit and foundation of our membership. Taking care of ourselves and taking care of others is at the heart of this experience.

intellectual growth and genuine learning
We are here to learn. Fraternities and sororities provide us with an opportunity to enhance that process through our focus on academic achievement and intellectual development inside and outside of the classroom.

global citizenship and engagement
In today’s world it’s essential to be an active member of our community. We are committed to engaging in our campus, local, national, and global communities. The process of giving back and being involved is a priority throughout this experience.

relationship building
Well-built relationships, inside and outside of our organization, are what create our lifelong benefits. Through relationships that we work hard to develop and maintain, we are better able to accomplish our personal and organizational goals because we are surrounded by those who support us in our endeavors.

innovative thought and action
There is no road-map for becoming a high performing individual or organization. Fraternities and sororities provide us with an opportunity to challenge the status quo, think differently, and turn ideas into action.

THE VISION
Fraternity men & sorority women will live their organizations’ founding principles in today’s world.

THE MISSION
FAU Fraternity & Sorority Life exists to provide students with the knowledge and opportunities to lead principled lives.