



# Guide to the Student Organizations Reference Collection, 1913-2022

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## Summary

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**Collection Title:**

Student organizations reference collection, 1913-2022

**Creator:**

Duke University. University Archives

**Abstract:**

The Student Organizations Reference Collection dates from 1913 and was compiled from a variety of sources by the University Archives for use in reference and research. Materials include subject files, fliers, clippings, along with some organizational records of undergraduate, graduate, and professional student organizations at Duke University in Durham, North Carolina. The collection does not include fraternities, sororities, affiliated religious organizations, student housing groups, or groups only associated with Trinity College (to 1924).

**Extent:**

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**Language:**

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## Background

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**Scope and Content**

The Student Organizations Reference Collection dates from 1913 and was compiled from a variety of sources by the University Archives for use in reference and research. Materials are chiefly printed items or manuscripts, and

include subject files, fliers, clippings, along with some organizational records of undergraduate, graduate, and professional student organizations at Duke University in Durham, North Carolina. Topics represented by these materials include campus life at Duke; student activism related to human rights and civil rights; leisure activities on campus; faculty and student interactions; and local, national, and global politics.

Complete archives for some individual student organizations and clubs are processed by staff as stand-alone collections and may be found in University Archives holdings by searching in the Duke catalog for the organization name.

The collection does not include fraternities, sororities, affiliated religious organizations, student housing groups, or groups only associated with Trinity College (to 1924).

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## Arrangement

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## Administrative Information

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Collection is open for research.

## Use Restrictions

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## Acquisition Information

The Student Organizations Reference Collection was compiled from a variety of sources by the University Archives for use in reference and research.

## Processing Information

Processed by Archives Staff and described by Sharrie Bowser, April 2008.

Updated by Molly Bragg, July 2011.

Updated by Paula Jeannet, January 2023.

Accessions were merged into one collection, described in this finding aid.

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## Related Materials

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### Related Material

[Fraternities and Sororities collection, 1931-2001](#). University Archives, Duke University. [Living Groups Reference Collection, 1964-2001](#). University Archives, Duke University.

Related records on Duke University organizations may also be found in sponsoring bodies such as departments and other campus units.

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