

SHAKE OUT Q&As

What is shake out?

An alternative to Panhellenic formal recruitment

Why do EKT & Sigma Delt do shake out?

We believe in greater autonomy for potential new members (PNMs) and a more open, relaxed atmosphere to learn about our house. We want to create a system where the agency lies with the person joining the house.

When is shake out? What happens during shake out?

EKT Shake Out

Shake Out 1: Saturday, January 21, 5-8 pm

Shake Out 2: Monday, January 30, 5-8 pm

At both Shake Out dates, PNMs can meet sisters and get to know our house and will be considered for a bid afterwards. You can stay for as little or as long as you'd like! Shake Out is non-binding.

Sigma Delt Shake Out

Open Houses: Tuesday, January 17, 5-7pm

Monday, January 23, 7-9pm

Shake Out: Tuesday, January 24, 7-9pm

Open Houses are a chance for PNMs to get to know sisters and get a feel from the house in a more relaxed and informal setting, but you are only extended a bid after attending the Shake Out event.

Can I go through both shake out and formal recruitment?

Yes! However, once you accept a bid, you must withdraw from the other process.

How do I accept a bid?

EKT

You will receive a response from us 24 hours after each Shake Out. You can be extended a bid after each date, though you are not bound to accept. If you are participating in formal recruitment, you cannot receive a bid after our first Shake Out and would instead receive a callback for the second. Since our second Shake Out on Monday, January 30th is before pref. night, you are allowed to attend pref. night before making a decision about your bid. Bids extended in the fall of one year are good through the winter of that same year.

Sigma Delt

By shaking out at Sigma Delt, you are exhibiting enthusiastic interest in joining our house, you are not guaranteed a bid, and you are not bound to accept a bid. If you receive a bid the following morning, Wednesday, January 25, you will have until 10pm on January 26 to accept. If you are going through Panhellenic recruitment, you can still go to Round 1 but you must accept or reject Sigma Delt's bid before inputting preferences with your Rho Chi.

If you still have more questions....

Stop by **Shake Out office hours in Collis 301**

with EKT & Sigma Delt's Shake Out chairs

Tuesday, January 10, 7-9 pm

Friday, January 13, 3-5pm