

PARENT PACKET

*Welcome to*  
**TRIANGLE  
FRATERNITY**  
**UIUC – ALPHA CHAPTER**



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**Triangle at Illinois**  
Social. Professional. STEM

# A message from our Rush Director

My name is Luke Judd and I have the honor of serving as Rush Director for the Illinois Chapter of Triangle Fraternity!

I, like many freshmen in STEM, waited until my spring semester to rush, as I was unsure of my desire to join greek life. I get being hesitant, and the reservations that come with rush. Triangle has since been the best decision I made in college. I've made lifelong memories with people who will be in my life long past graduation, and I've grown as a person in ways I never would have predicted. I have excelled academically and found opportunities and passion in areas I wouldn't have discovered without Triangle, and made the most of the short years we get on campus. I've embraced the chapter motto and thrived with a work life balance I didn't know possible, and so to anyone asking "why triangle", I would tell them that for your personal, social, and academic life, triangle will feed into your development and make a lasting impact on your life.

Please feel free to reach out to me, or any of our executive members, with any questions, concerns, or feedback. We look forward to meeting all of you over the course of rush this fall!



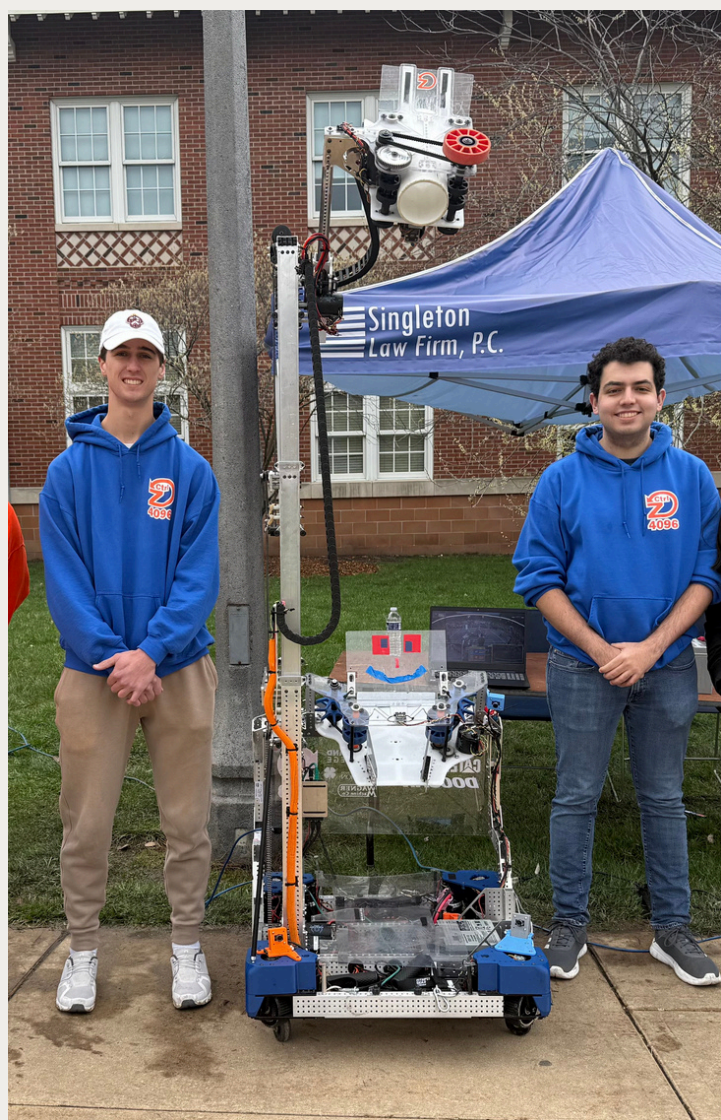
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It was in the fall of 1906 that sixteen civil engineering juniors at the University of Illinois began the association that became Triangle Fraternity. These Founders based their organization on the principles of honor, friendship, character, brotherhood, and courage.

Over the course of more than a century, Triangle Fraternity has evolved from an idea devised by sixteen men, to a brotherhood of nearly 30,000 members. Though different from campus to campus, one element remains the same. All members are committed to building a better world.



## Why Triangle? **By the Numbers**

# 3.49

**CHAPTER GPA**

ABOVE THE ALL FRATERNITY,  
MALE UNDERGRADUATE, AND  
IFC AVERAGE GPAS

# 1ST CHAPTER

OF TRIANGLE FRATERNITY TO EXIST

# OVER 25 MAJORS

ACROSS VARIOUS STEM PROGRAMS

# \$64,000

IN SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

# \$500,000

IN-HOUSE MAKERSPACE  
FOR BROTHERS TO CREATE  
AND INNOVATE

# 75

MEMBERS

# 51

LEADERSHIP  
POSITIONS



## Time Commitments and Financial Obligations

We recognize that our members have rigorous course work, extracurricular activities, work, and family obligations, just to name a few. Our goal is to be transparent about the financial and time commitments of membership.

### Fall 2025 - Out of House (New Member)

- \$90 New Member Fee - one time fee to HQ
- \$260 Initiation Fee - one time fee to National Office
- \$12 IFC Dues - paid to the Interfraternity Council

**Total: \$362.00**

### Sunday (1 hour)

- House Clean Up from 12-1 PM

### Monday (3 hours)

- Chapter Set-Up at 4:30 PM
- Dinner at 5 PM
- Chapter and New Member Education from 6 - 7:15 PM

### Study Hours (4 Hours)

- 4 Study Hours per week completed at the house to promote a culture of support and commitment to academic excellence

### Brotherhood (Varies)

- Each week, New Members are asked to complete 5 interviews of Active Brothers to get to know other members and build deeper connections.





# Your New Home at Triangle Fraternity

Room and Board at Triangle is **\$9,837 annually**, which is for a Double Room and includes a Meal Plan. In our home you can expect:

- Two-person standard room; you are welcome to bring in any additional furniture you would like (couch, futon, TV, etc)
- Lunch and Dinner (10 meals) on Monday through Friday by our Chef with flexible meal times, as well as leftovers on the weekends.
- Utilities, high speed wifi, and parking

Our home was renovated extensively in 2021 to serve the needs of the next generations of Triangle brothers. This includes a modern kitchen, new rooms and recreational spaces, and a \$500k Makerspace addition that's filled to the brim with metalworking, woodworking, and other fabrication equipment.

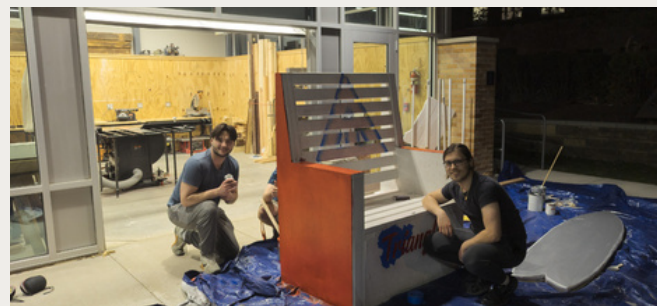
**Our chapter has a four semester (two year) live in requirement.**

**\$9,837**

**ANNUAL ROOM AND BOARD AT TRIANGLE**

**\$15,184**

**AVERAGE ROOM AND BOARD UIUC DORMS**





*Why Triangle?*

# SOCIAL OPPORTUNITIES



When you join Triangle, you become a part of a network of past, current, and future Brothers and like-minded men! From participating in **Brotherhood Events** like Basketball Tournaments, Card Night, or Formal to informal events like grabbing dinner or playing video games, there's always something to do at Triangle! Additionally, **our chapter hosts events for UIUC's Dad's and Mom's Weekend each fall and spring**; we look forward to hosting your family at those events this year!

At Triangle, we encourage **members of all ages to take on leadership roles within the Chapter**. From serving on our Executive Team to a Chair position, members have the chance to develop their leadership skills as undergraduates!



**Alpha Xi Delta's Flag Football Tournament**



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# PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT



One of our goals as a chapter is to **prepare our Brothers for their careers and life outside of the classroom!** We also host a monthly speaker series with our Alumni network. In these sessions, our Brothers have the opportunity to learn about a variety of career paths and network with Alumni Brothers who can provide mentorship and future opportunities.

Additionally, we provide **Resume Preparation classes** before the Career Fair, LinkedIn Workshops, and **1:1 Alumni Mentorship** with undergraduate Brothers. Below you can see some of the places our Brothers spent their summer as Interns in 2025!



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SUMMER

INTERNSHIPS



BROOKFIELD  
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# A STEM COMMUNITY



Live, work, and study with like-minded STEM students. As UIUC's only fraternity restricted to STEM majors, Triangle offers all the social benefits of a traditional fraternity along with all of the career benefits of a professional fraternity and so much more. **STEM is in our DNA.**

With over 30,000 alumni worldwide, we are the **largest and most impactful brotherhood of STEM professionals in the world.** Every time you drink out of an aluminum can, watch a color TV, take photo, use a web browser, connect to the internet, or simply play World of Warcraft, a Triangle alumnus has touched your life.

Our members are eligible for a pool of roughly \$64,000 worth of scholarships offered exclusively to Triangle undergraduates. The Triangle Education Foundation provides additional support for the educational activities of Triangle by awarding over \$300,000 in support for leadership development each year through our National organization.





**PLEASE CONTACT OUR TEAM WITH  
ANY QUESTIONS – WE LOOK  
FORWARD TO WELCOMING YOU INTO  
OUR TRIANGLE FRATERNITY FAMILY!**

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