



## WHAT IS THE HAZING PREVENTION CONSORTIUM©™?

The Hazing Prevention Consortium©™ (HPC), established in 2013 is the trailblazing, multi-year research-to-practice initiative to support colleges and universities in campus-wide hazing prevention while also helping to build an evidence base for hazing prevention. The HPC is guided by the <u>Hazing Prevention Framework</u> (HPF), the only framework for campus-wide hazing prevention.

HPC members work together with StopHazing's team of research and prevention experts over a three year period, to assess campus climate for hazing and build capacity for planning, developing, implementing, and evaluating data-informed hazing prevention strategies.

## **Year One**

StopHazing conducts a rigorous assessment of campus culture and hazing climate and coaches campuses to build capacity and cultural competence for hazing prevention and a coalition of crosscampus stakeholders to lead hazing prevention efforts.

## **Year Two**

Campuses build on Year One assessments and capacity building efforts to maintain strong coalitions to plan, pilot, and evaluate hazing prevention strategies to reach key stakeholders. Peer engagement, relationship building, and coaching from StopHazing continues.

## **Year Three**

Campuses continue to sustain their coalitions and strategic partnerships/relationships and use evidence from Year Two to refine prevention strategies, evaluation instruments and focus on the sustainability of hazing prevention initiatives.

# WHAT MAKES THE HPC DISTINCTIVE?

## Inquiry-Driven

The HPC is firmly grounded in a research-to-practice approach that translates prevention science and cutting edge scholarship to inform promising practices for hazing prevention. In turn, the work of practitioners and the invaluable insights gained from their direct experience with hazing and its prevention, inform the research process.

#### Research-informed

StopHazing's prevention experts have developed the first and only data-driven <u>Hazing Prevention Framework</u>© to guide the work of the HPC. As well, members benefit from the experience and knowledge gained by previous HPC members who have been implementing and evaluating prevention strategies for several years.

# Culturally Aligned

Effective campus hazing prevention builds on an understanding of context — that is, the campus history, culture, and climate that shape and are shaped by hazing behavior. It requires use of a combination of hazing prevention strategies tailored to particular campus contexts. The HPC is guided by a philosophy that builds on insights gained from prevention science, our research and experience as practitioners, and our collaborations with professionals in the field.





# WHY JOIN?

We value a comprehensive approach that is collaborative, strategic, sustainable, involves multiple stakeholders, and proceeds from a careful analysis of the problem of hazing within specific institutional contexts. Adding to the deliverables of this trailblazing initiative, the cohort model allows for peer-to-peer learning and discussion, and access to a robust network of campus professionals from cohort members - past and present cohorts - spanning over a decade. Institutions involved in the HPC strengthen campus hazing prevention and demonstrate a commitment to a safe and inclusive campus climate.

## **BENEFITS**

- Exclusive, high-touch access to expertise from leading hazing researchers and prevention specialists.
- Rigorous campus climate assessments using mixed-methods assessment tools.
- Campus-specific assessment reports with benchmarking data, and tailored guidance for building prevention capacity, implementing strategies, and sustaining initiatives.
- Monthly webinars/roundtables with HPC peers.
- Monthly coaching/consulting calls with StopHazing.
- Exclusive resources, webinar recordings, other online materials, and the StopHazing network of colleagues.
- Annual HPC Summit to present, share findings, and learn from peers. and other guest experts.
- Ongoing professional development opportunities and credentialing for HPC liaisons.

## JOIN THE NEXT COHORT

If you and your campus colleagues are looking for ways to develop and improve hazing prevention at your institution, the Hazing Prevention Consortium (HPC) may be a timely opportunity and a good fit.

StopHazing is currently accepting institutions to form Cohort 7 of the HPC to operate from Fall 2024 - June 2027. The cost is \$15,000 per year.

## **CONTACT US**

Please email us at info@stophazing.org for more information and to join the HPC.

# **HPC INSTITUTIONS**

HPC 1: Cornell University, Lehigh University, Texas A&M University, University of Kentucky, University of Maine, University of Virginia, University of Arizona, University of Central Florida HPC 2: Dartmouth College, MIT, Tufts University, The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, The University of Texas at Austin HPC 3: Brown University, Duke University, Georgia Tech, University of Missouri, University of Pennsylvania, Washington & Lee University HPC 4: Tarleton State University, University of California San Diego, University of California Santa Barbara, University of Missouri HPC 5: University of Wisconsin, Washington & Lee University HPC 6: Arizona State University, Harvard College, Indiana University, New Mexico State University, Princeton University, Rhodes College, Southern Methodist University, University of Mississippi, University of San Diego, Virginia Commonwealth University, William & Mary.







