

Hazing

HAZING IS NOW PART OF THE CALIFORNIA CIVIL STATUTES.

As such it is punishable in a court of law.

Any action taken or situation created, intentionally, or unintentionally, whether on or off [University] premises, to produce mental or physical discomfort, embarrassment, harassment, or ridicule. (See www.hazing.ucla.edu) Such activities may include but are not limited to the following:

1. Use of alcohol;
2. Paddling in any form;
3. Line-ups;
4. Creation of any excessive fatigue;
5. Physical and psychological shocks;
6. Quests, treasure hunts, scavenger hunts, road trips, kidnapping, or any other such activities;
7. Wearing of public apparel which is conspicuous and not normally in good taste;
8. Engaging in public stunts and buffoonery; morally degrading or humiliating games and activities; and any other activities which are not consistent with academic achievement, fraternal law, ritual or policy, or the regulation and policies of the educational institution, or applicable state law".
9. Every campus organization will be responsible for delivering hazing information to their membership.
10. Each organization will need to maintain a signature list of members acknowledging that they have been informed of the Hazing policies. These forms are available from your SOLE advisor