

HRM Student Organizations

Club Managers Association

CMAA is designed for students with an interest in the club industry. Networking and continuing education are the focus of this organization. Members get involved in fund-raising activities, attend the national conference and senior chapter meetings, host club manager speakers, volunteer at a major PGA golf tournament, as well as go on tours of clubs. This is a great way to obtain internships and quality F & B training. If you are interested in learning about the club industry, this organization will help you open doors.

See Dr. Weiner for additional info.

Convention Marketing & Services Assn.

CMSA is an organization designed for HRM students focused or beginning to focus upon a hospitality career to either market to or service the \$75 billion group and meetings industry. The aim of *CMSA* is to enhance career and leadership growth by offering "sponsored" networking opportunities with industry contacts, one-on-one mentoring opportunities, students and industry practitioners, industry speakers and programs at *CMSA* meetings, and scholarships provided by industry open only to *CMSA* members. *See Dr. McNeill for additional info.*

Wine Club

The *Wine Club* is designed for students to explore the world of wine. Tastings are held to allow students to sample wines from all over the world, and share their perceptions with fellow members. Everyone is encouraged, (but not required), to research wine and areas they are interested in, to share with members. If you are interested in learning more about wine, you should consider joining the ***HRM Wine Club***.

Please see Dr. Rande for additional info.

DeltaSigmaPi is a professional business fraternity organized to foster the study of business in universities; to encourage scholarship, social activity, and the association of students for their mutual advancement by research and practice; to promote closer affiliation between the commercial world and students of commerce and further a higher standard of commercial ethics and culture and the civic and commercial welfare of the community. *See Prof. Woods for additional info*

Meeting Professionals International

MPI is for students wanting to network in the world of meeting/event/corporate planners while developing friendships. We attend chapter meetings in PHX and also hold local meetings. We

invite guest speakers from the industry to HRM for an evening of sharing also. *See Dr. Vallen for more info.*

Future Executive Women in Hospitality

The ***FEWH*** is an HRM organization established by female HRM students. Our group meets every month for a social evening. We also spend time doing volunteer projects, trying to generate funds for scholarships, organizing workshops, and inviting speakers to talk about gender specific topics. *See Dr. Hill for additional info.*

Eta Sigma Delta

ESD is a hospitality honor fraternity that recognizes HRM students with outstanding academic achievement. Members must have and maintain a grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 or higher. Members get involved in HRM fund-raising, community, and social events. Students can join *ESD* in their sophomore year.

See Dr. Vallen or Prof. Urdang, J.D. for additional info.

National Society of Minorities in Hospitality

NSMH addresses diversity, multiculturalism, and career development for its student members. We provide events and programs that facilitate building relationships between students, industry professionals, other hospitality organizations, and each other. *See Dr. Casado/ Kathleen Birch for addtnl info.*

HRM Mentors Program

This is a voluntary program designed to help our new HRM students assimilate faster and more comfortably into our program. There are no meetings, no training, and no paperwork -- just call or e-mail new students once a week for a few weeks.

See Dr. Jaszay for additional info.

Hospitality Entrepreneurs

HE is an organization designed to give its members the opportunity to be exposed to the many aspects of the hospitality industry from an entrepreneurial perspective. Some of the activities include tours and visits to properties, as well as hosting guest speakers who are successful entrepreneurs. *See Prof. Woods for additional info*

United Club Council

UCC coordinates the activities of all HRM student organizations, helping to avoid overlaps and conflicts. The council is typically comprised of a president or an appointed officer from each club and chaired by a faculty advisor. *See Woods - info*