**IFC Awards Nomination Form**

Thank you for your interest in applying for an IFC Award! Below is the basic overview of all the different IFC awards. After selecting the award you’re interested in, please scroll down for the application section. Each chapter may apply for as many awards as they wish. The winner of each award will receive either a $500 or $1,000 prize, which will be deducted from their IFC dues next year.

**The application deadline can be found on the IFC website at mitifc.com/awards.**

**Chapter of the Year**
The Chapter of the Year Award recognizes the chapter that lives by the ideals and values of the Greek community. Criteria for this award include innovative programming, organizational efficiency, strong brotherhood bonds and interfraternal relations, good standing on campus, and strong contributions to both the MIT and Greater Boston communities. Please use reference materials such as alumni newsletters, pictures of events, activity descriptions, or outline of committees or judicial boards where appropriate to demonstrate excellence in these areas.

**Stephen D. Immerman Most Improved Chapter**
The Most Improved Chapter Award recognizes the chapter that has shown the most improvement in all aspects of fraternity life. Examples may include the same set of criteria outlined in the Chapter of the Year award. Please include descriptions of the previous and current state of your chapter along with the measures enacted to bring about change. Use statistics, testimonies, and/or reference materials where appropriate to help demonstrate overall chapter improvement.

**Best New Member Program**
The Best New Member Program Award recognizes the chapter that best integrates new members to their fraternity, campus, and community. Nominations should include a description of the new member program and how these events or policies contribute to a new member's growth.

**Best Scholarship Program**
The Scholarship Program Award recognizes the chapter that exemplifies superior skill in improving the academic standing of members. The focus of this award is not on overall GPA, but rather on what programs, events, and activities a fraternity hosts to foster a strong academic environment. Nominations should include a description of the scholarship program and how these events or policies contribute to academic achievement.

**Best Risk Management**
The Best Risk Management Award recognizes the chapter that is most acutely aware of the risks presented by living in a college setting and implements appropriate policies and procedures to ensure the safety of its members, guests and property. Nominations should include a copy of the chapter's most recent risk management policy and their national risk management policy (if applicable). Please include descriptions of any incidents during the past year and how these affected the chapter's risk management plans.

**Name of Nominator:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Fraternity Nominated:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Award Applied For (please fill out a separate form for each award):**

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| **Award Name** | Please mark award chosen with “X” |
| Chapter of the Year |  |
| Stephen D. Immerman Most Improved Chapter |  |
| Best New Member Program |  |
| Best Scholarship Program |  |
| Best Risk Management |  |

**Please write your reasons for nomination below. You may attach any supporting documents, but please limit your response to this prompt to 1,500 words.**