

**Annual Report
Campus Life Committee of the
University Senate**

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Meetings:

October 15, 2007
November 26, 2007
January 28, 2008
March 3, 2008
April 28, 2008

Goals:

This year the committee focused its efforts on the final year of a three-year study on the impact of service on Emory students. We began Spring, 2006 with a survey of the class of 2008 and concluded the survey of that class this past Fall, 2007. To have some basis of comparison, last spring the committee launched a survey of the class of 2009 and will conclude that survey this coming Fall, 2008. Although the completion of this survey extends *beyond* the tenure of this committee, it was felt to be important to have a basis of comparison and to show trends, if any. Additionally the committee voted to continue the service surveys to include the class of 2010. It was felt that for this class in particular, there might be significant changes

in responses as a result of an increased emphasis on community service by the University (Engaging Scholars initiatives) and also new GLA service requirements among the Greek community.

The survey instruments were again designed to capture the impact of service in the following:

- career choice
- study abroad choices
- selection of a major
- decision to pursue graduate/professional school
- activism on campus
- social behaviors

Attached please find a final summary of the findings from the surveys of the class of 2008. Again, this class was surveyed during their sophomore and senior years. Data coming out of the initial/first survey of the class of 2009 is also attached.

Accomplishments for 2007-2008:

- produced summary of survey results for class of 2008.
- launched survey of class of 2009.
- proposed extending the survey to include the class of 2010.

Goals for 2008-2009:

- Complete survey of class of 2009 (Fall, 2008)
- Launch the first of two surveys for the class of 2010. (Spring, 2009)

Again, completion of the surveys for the class of 2009 and 2010 extend beyond the tenure of the current chair and committee but it is the hope that the next Campus Life Committee of the University Senate would adopt this project and continue it through its completion.