Southern Illinois University Edwardsville

HAZING THE ONLY TRADITION IS HARM

Hazing doesn't just affect individuals. The entire organization also suffers.

Students who experience hazing reported:



DIVISION - hazed members report <u>never</u> feeling equal to their hazers or established members even after the hazing has stopped



DISHONESTY - members of hazing organizations are required to lie about their experiences for the entirety of their membership and beyond



DEGRADATION – hazing tells members that high qualifications and personal attributes alone aren't good enough to be part of this group



LACK OF ACCOUNTABILITY - fear of exposure leads to reluctance to release or take corrective action against problamatic members



LACK OF ENGAGEMENT - established members in a hazing organization often disengage once they've "put in their time," believeing that newer members should now shoulder the work

For more information including how to get help and how to report, visit https://www.siue.edu/student-affairs/dean-of-students/hazing