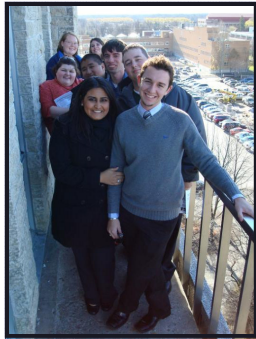


MACURH

The Midwest Affiliate of College and University Residence Halls



Welcome to MACURH! My name is Jacob Sherry and I am here to tell you a little about our regional organization and how it can benefit your residents and on campus leaders.

There are many things to take away from the region beyond just the resources we may offer. In this brochure you'll find several testimonials from some of MACURH's finest. We've also added their contact info that way if you have other questions you can simply contact them.



If at any time you have questions about affiliation you can contact me at macurh.sp@gmail.com



Being affiliated with MACURH isn't just about being in one of the biggest regions, in the most spirited region, or even in the oldest region, but rather it's about the instant access to friends from throughout the Midwest and their great ideas.



Members of MACURH schools and the MACURH leadership go out of their way to provide opportunities for everyone to get together to learn about each other.

You think your school's hall government has problems, or maybe you think your school puts on some of the best events? Trust me when I say, you haven't seen anything until you've seen how different other universities and colleges can be. It is an enlightening and eye-opening experience to bring residents from your institution to a conference to learn that their way isn't the only way. You are guaranteed to return from any MACURH conference or retreat motivated and ready to view your school in a whole new light that could revolutionize your campus.

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MACURH has been an amazing resource for the students at the University of Nebraska at Kearney (UNK). Our students have attended many regional conferences, not only having a great time at the conference, but also bringing many new ideas back for our campus to use in programming and in leadership development. With MACURH, we have also gotten more involved regionally when our students bid and were selected to host the MACURH 2004 conference.

MACURH has provided our university with a great networking and resource tool. We enjoy the ability to look at the Resource File Index to review ideas from other schools, as well as talking with other student leaders and advisors across the region to discuss improving our on campus living environment. All in all, MACURH has been a great experience and we hope that you decide to take the steps to build your own great experiences with the Midwest and the Nation.



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As the former president of a hall government, I have had the pleasure of being a part of a fantastic campus group that has made a positive difference in the lives of thousands of residence hall students, as well as participate in activities that have enhanced my leadership ability and teamwork. Likewise, my participation as a member of a MACURH-affiliated school gave me an unexpected chance to meet with other people, share ideas and problems, and work with a fantastic NCC; all of which helped make my participation worthwhile. At first, I must admit that I was hesitant about what to expect at the MACURH conference, but I was pleasantly surprised to find that participation in MACURH allows one to come away with a sense of accomplishment and an enthusiasm that will help to rev up both individuals and organizations alike.



What exactly are the benefits of attending MACURH? First, MACURH allows each member that attends the unique opportunity to meet and collaborate with people in similar positions at schools around the Midwest. Some of the most successful program ideas, as well as team building activities and solutions to sticky problems, were given to me by my peers at different schools. Not only do you get a chance to network, but the energy and enthusiasm allows you to bring back a renewed sense of purpose for both yourself and the delegates you bring with you.

All in all, I would definitely place the MACURH conferences as a must-attend for any administration. Each school that affiliates gains not only a networking tool, but also a chance to influence things on a larger scale than on the campus level. Being recognized by your peers, as well as working together to represent the Midwest helps each organization grow stronger, and, in turn, helps to make the experience for both you and your campus a memorable one.

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