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One of the problems that the Gay Affairs Subcommittee of Student Council has encountered in the past has been a reluctance on the part of members of the gay community to publicly speak before the subcommittee. In an effort to alleviate this problem, the subcommittee has devised this survey to gather information concerning the problems that gay students face at this university.

We realize that the questions on this survey are subjective in nature and in some cases, require some time and thought to answer. We feel that the information that this survey will provide is vital to the continuation of the work of the subcommittee.

We ask that you take the time to answer the questions openly, thoroughly, and honestly.

Please fill out the questionnaire as soon as possible and return it to Student Council Offices by mail or ~~either~~ in person. (You may use the University Messenger Mail Service)

All personal information retained in the surveys will remain strictly confidential.

We ask that you return all surveys before the end of exams (May 12)

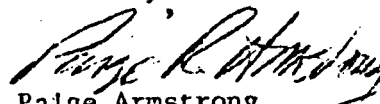
If you need any more room to answer any of the questions, please feel free to continue on the back of the survey form.

All surveys sent by mail should be addressed to

GAS
c/o Student Council
Fourth Floor, Newcomb Hall
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Charlottesville, Virginia 22903

Thank you very much for your cooperation.

Sincerely,



Paige Armstrong
Chairman, Gay Affairs Subcommittee

GAY AFFAIRS
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GAY STUDENT SURVEY

1. Has your sexual preference affected your willingness to become involved in student activities? Yes NO
If so, in what way?

2. While at the University, have you ever been physically or verbally abused because of your sexual preference? Yes No
Please describe any incidents.

3. How many of your non-gay peers know of your sexual preference?

4. A) Do you feel that your homosexuality will interfere with your ability to find a job? Yes No B) Has it to date? Yes No
Please describe any incidents.

5. Have you ever been discriminated against in housing while at the University because of your sexual preference? Yes No
If yes, please explain.

6. Have you ever been denied or received what you considered inadequate service at any of the Student Services because of your sexual preference? Yes No
If yes, please describe any incidents.

7. Do you feel that area organizations that serve gay students adequately meet the ~~most~~ needs of the University's gay community? __Yes __No
If not, how could they better meet those needs? Please be specific.

8. Do you feel that the great amount of publicity that gay concerns at the University have received recently has had a positive or negative effect on the University community's view of the gay community? __Yes __No
Please explain.

9. Do you feel ~~is~~ that there is a specific role that this subcommittee should fulfill, and if so, what?

10. Please add any comments, describe any incidents, or elaborate at length on anything that you feel would be helpful to the work of this subcommittee.