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Published by the Student Activities Board and the Office of Student Activities & Leadership Development, the ACTIVUS provides a definitive overview of university life and campus involvement including Special Events, Student Organizations, Leadership Development, and University Offices. This book will assist you in becoming a PROUD University of Cincinnati Bearcat. College is a great time to explore, seek adventure, have fun, and self-reflect, and our hope is that the ACTIVUS will aid you in this process.

GET ACTIVE

WHAT DOES THE STUDENT ACTIVITIES BOARD DO?

The Student Activities Board works cooperatively with the Student Activities & Leadership Development office and Student Government. The purpose of the board is to assist with the registration, promotion, and regulation of all student organizations. The Student Activities Board also sponsors several events and programs:

- Fall Student Organizations Fair
- Winter Student Organizations Fair
- Presidential Luncheon (for Student Organization advisors and leaders)
- CSI: Celebration of Student Involvement
- SAB/UFB Student Organization Training Workshops

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HOW DO I GET INVOLVED?

What can I do?

The goal of the ACTIVUS is to highlight student organizations, offices, and services that will encourage your engagement at the University of Cincinnati. We encourage you as a new or returning Bearcat to look through the following pages to learn how you can spend your time and talents at the university.

Who should GET ACTIVE at UC?

All university students should take part in co-curricular activities at the university.

The university offers activities and programs for all students including full/part-time students, undergraduate and graduate students, as well as traditional and non-traditional students.

How do I GET ACTIVE?

- Read the ACTIVUS
- Talk to your Learning Community Peer Leader
- Check your college and classroom bulletins for postings
- Stop by the Office of Student Activities & Leadership Development
- Sign Up for Camp BearCATS
- Apply to the Student Government's First-Year Leadership Program
- Go to the Fall Student Organizations Fair or Winter Student Organizations Fair
- Go to Welcome Weekend events
- Go to www.uc.edu/sald for contact information and other details about leadership development, including information about recruitment, info sessions, tryouts, and much, much more.

- Be a fan of SAB  Find us on Facebook at Student Activities Board-University of Cincinnati

-  Follow us on Twitter at SAB GetActive_UC

GET ACTIVE

ADVISOR OF THE YEAR

Each year, the Student Activities Board (SAB) recognizes an advisor of a student organization based on the following criteria: organizational involvement, understanding of university policies, respect from students and peers, and one who enhances the mission and productivity of the student organization.

This year SAB recognizes Dr. Stephanie Cappel, the advisor for College Mentors for Kids as the 2011-2012 Advisor of the Year. As the advisor, Dr. Cappel has helped the organization improve internal operations, developed leadership trainings and retreats, assisted with outreach activities for students who live in Over-the-Rhine and other areas within the Cincinnati community.



STUDENT ORGANIZATION OF THE YEAR

Each year, SAB recognizes a student organization based on the following criteria: the creation and execution of organizational goals, the impact on the university community, and internal operational improvements.

This year we recognize the College of Engineering and Applied Science Tribunal.

*A commitment
to providing
excellent leadership
opportunities.*

College of Engineering and Applied Science Tribunal has made tremendous gains this past academic year. The organization has sponsored an Engineering Career Fair and was the Student Safety Board volunteer organization of the year. The organization is one of the largest and most active of the college tribunals. When asked why they should be given the Student Organization of the Year Award they said, "Because of our wide range of programming and our commitment to providing excellent leadership opportunities."



SIGNATURE EVENTS & UNIVERSITY OFFICES

Transforming education through ...

“A commitment to integrated academic experiences emphasizing purposeful student development, rich in contextual learning such as research, co-op, study abroad, industrial collaboratives, service learning, internships, and practicum experiences.” — UC 2019

“Student Affairs & Services offers a wide variety of programs, signature events, and services to add to student’s experiences inside and outside the classroom.”



*The world is a playground,
and life is pushing my swing.*

— Natalie Kocsis



Student Activities & Leadership Development (SALD)

Mission

The office of Student Activities & Leadership Development supports the mission of the University of Cincinnati by promoting and guiding purposeful student engagement, fostering a sense of community, and providing opportunities of student growth and leadership development. We aspire to create an inclusive environment that celebrates diversity and enhances our students' ability to become global citizens.

SALD's commitment to leadership development *Annual Student Leadership Conference*

The Student Leadership Conference, held in February, is an annual event at the University of Cincinnati since 1985. The one-day leadership event focuses on building individual leadership skills and connections. The conference is open to all University of Cincinnati students and includes energetic opening and closing sessions, a keynote speaker, and nearly three dozen educational programs about skill building, professional presentation and development, the development inclusive leadership methods to create community, and much, much more.

Leadership Curriculum

Student Activities & Leadership Development is committed to provide the premier co-curricular leadership experience at the University of Cincinnati for our students. What is leadership, anyway? Leadership is being the best version of you—inside and outside of the classroom. Leadership is growth, learning, integrity, community, and diversity & inclusion. This curriculum will mirror the University of Cincinnati's Integrated Core Learning model, the UC Diversity Plan, and the Core Operational Principles of UC 2019.

Student Activities & Leadership Development promotes growth and development in the areas of:

- Club Sports
- Fraternity & Sorority Life
- Leadership Education
- Programs and Activities Council (PAC)
- Racial Awareness Program (RAPP)
- Red & Black Bash
- Student Organizations
- Student Government
- Worldfest Week

Want to learn more?

Please stop by 455 or 671 Steger Student Life Center or check out our website www.uc.edu/sald or catch us on Facebook or follow us on Twitter.



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Follow us on Twitter at UC_SALD

Student Activities & Leadership Development

455 Steger Student Life Center
Phone: 513-556-6115

DEVELOP AS A LEADER

Grow as a person at the University of Cincinnati.

African American Cultural and Resource Center (AACRC)

Mission

The African American Cultural & Resource Center (AACRC) supports the mission of the university by recruiting, retaining, encouraging the successful matriculation and enhancing the growth and development of students at the University of Cincinnati. However, the center's major focus is to address the academic, social, spiritual and cultural needs of the African American student population.

Services

- Meeting Rooms
- Teleconferences
- Conference Room
- Student Lounge
- Banquet Space
- Big Screen Television
- Resource and Reading
- Signature Events and Programs

Akwaaba

Every year the Office of Ethnic Programs and Services and the African American Cultural & Resource Center welcomes new incoming African

American students to the university. This program is designed to be informative and serve as an introduction to campus services and student organizations in an effort to keep students connected throughout the school year.

Kuamka Week

“Kuamka” — the Swahili word for the phrase “in the beginning” — is a week-long celebration which includes the Rites of Passage ceremony for Transitions students, the coronation of Mr. and Miss Kuamka and the recognition of students who have excelled academically or Kujifunza.

Martin Luther King (MLK) Tribute

During winter semester, the life and accomplishments of a great civil rights leader are celebrated through a tribute program. The MLK Tribute highlights the contributions Martin Luther King, Jr., made to change the course of history for African Americans. This program is designed to be creative, informative and inspiring for students and the community.

Tyehimba

Tyehimba is an Afrocentric graduation celebration designed for graduates of the University of Cincinnati to acknowledge their achievements. This cultural celebration is an expression of thanks to family friends, and the community for their assistance. The word “Tyehimba” means “we stand as a nation.”

BASE (Brothers and Sisters Excelling)

Ain't no stopping us now, we're on the move.

B.A.S.E. (Brothers And Sisters Excelling) is a peer-mentoring and role-modeling program designed to aid in the personal, cultural and educational development and retention of black students during their matriculation through the University of Cincinnati.

Need more information?

Please check out our website

www.uc.edu/aacrc



Find us on Facebook at Habari Gani





Avdhest Gaur
Civil Engineering

"Being connected with organizations such as Hindu Yuva, Indian Student Association, and Engineers Without Borders honed my leadership and interpersonal skills. In addition, these organizations provided me with a platform to represent my culture, intermingle with a new culture, and execute the responsibilities associated with community service."

Center for Community Engagement (CCE)

Mission

The Center for Community Engagement works to connect campus and the community through service.

Services

- Access to community service information, opportunities, connections and resources.
- Access to signature programs like Bearcat Buddies, Zoo-Mates, Melody-Mates and more.
- Individual and organization consultation regarding community service or engagement opportunities.

Community Service Opportunities

The CCE connects you to the many ways you can make a difference in your local, national and global communities. From Into the Streets to Green-Up Day, the CCE is here to find the volunteer opportunity that is right for you.

Signature Programs

Bearcat Buddies allows you to tutor children in high-poverty urban schools. Zoo-Mates pairs children experiencing homelessness with UC mentors for a year-long mentoring relationship. Melody-Mates pairs UC musicians with students who are otherwise unable to pursue their talents. All the CCE's signature programs are fully supported, meaningful, and fun.

Advice and Empowerment

Whether it's addressing a community need that you're passionate about, or finding an opportunity for your organization to volunteer together; the CCE is always happy to meet with you to offer advice. The CCE is here to empower you to learn about, and make positive change in your community.

Center for Community Engagement

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Ethnic Programs and Services (EPS)

Home of the Darwin T. Turner Scholarship Program

Mission

The Office of Ethnic Programs and Services (EPS) supports the mission of the University of Cincinnati by enhancing the growth and development of students of color and addressing the academic, social, spiritual and cultural needs of the campus community. The professional staff has a strong commitment to ensure that all members of the University are creating and promoting a just community.

Services

- Short-term advising
- Helping students excel
- Developing student leadership
- Providing scholarships
- Serving and Community Relations
- Technological Access

Asian Student Welcome

The Annual Asian Student Welcome is a high energy event that features live performances by Bhangra dance team, food, informational videos that highlight current student organizations like the Asian American Association, Indian Student Association, and Association of India's Development (AID) to name a few.

Hispanic Student Welcome

A Bienvenidos: Hispanic Student Welcome takes place every fall. The event celebrates and welcomes new as well as incoming Latino students to the University of Cincinnati. The event features food, music, and official welcomes by administrators, faculty, and staff. Students are also introduced to a variety of student organizations such as, SHPE (Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers), LEA (Latinos En Acción) and many, many more.

Holi Festival

Translated as the "Festival of Colors," Holi is a traditional holiday celebrated by Hindus and Sikhs. It is a celebration of Radha's love for the Lord Krishna (Hindu god). Radha applied colors to her skin to usher in the spring, a season of love, prosperity and abundance. The festival is one of many events held during Worldfest Week.

EPS also sponsors

lectures such as the Lost Boys of the Sudan and supports university initiatives such as the UC Diversity Conferences. The office also supports the university initiative idf celebrating diversity and inclusion through the implementation of Native American Month,

Ethnic Programs & Services

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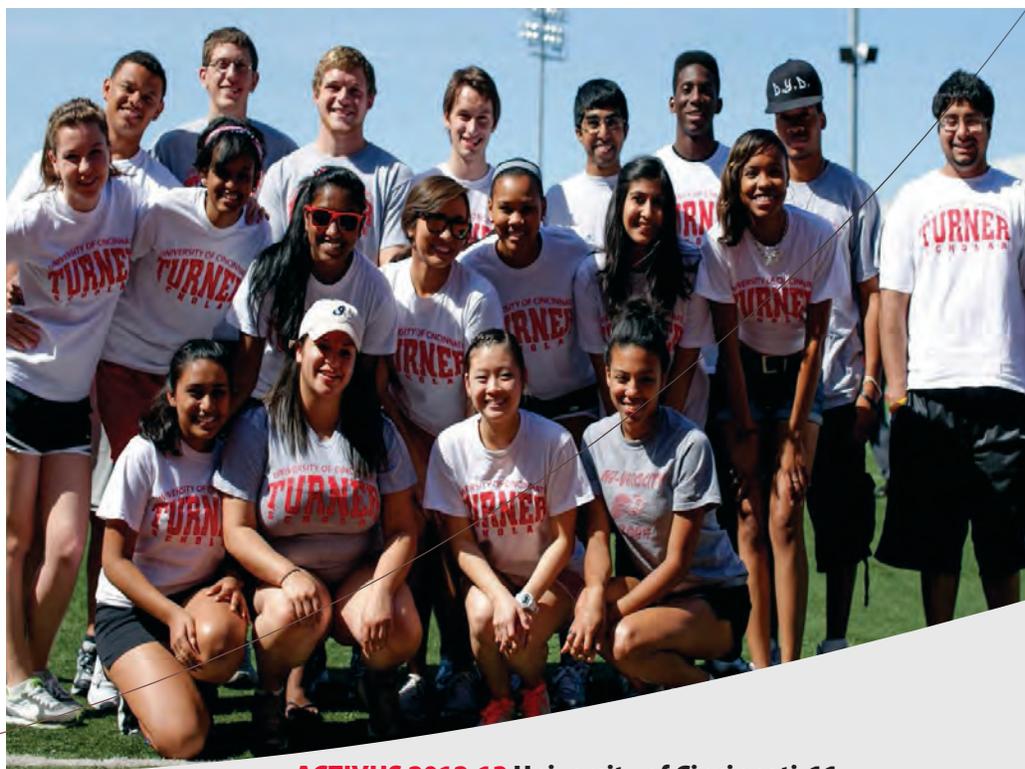


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Lane Hart
Information Systems & Finance

"Applying leadership is the best way to truly learn what we've been taught in the classroom. By immersing ourselves in real-world leadership challenges, while also bettering UC together, we learn about ourselves and develop lifelong leadership skills. Student involvement and leadership are the intersection of passion and action."





Zach Hawke
Civil Engineering

"Getting involved in student organizations has taught me so much about leadership, organization, management, and growing as a professional. Besides that, I've met some of my best friends through student organizations. Founding the International Leadership Collaboration has been one of the best experiences I've had and I look forward to staying involved."

International Programs and Services *UC International*

Mission

We promote international academic experiences to help students become culturally competent in order to succeed in an ever-changing world, and to provide support for faculty to develop study abroad programs in support of the UC2019 operational principle of global engagement.

Services

- Student advising for all types of Education Abroad Experiences (study abroad, international internships and service learning)
- Study Abroad Resource Library
- UC International Grants
- Assistance with using Financial Aid and other Scholarships to Study Abroad
- Pre-departure Orientations
- Returnee Workshops
International Events and Programs
Assistance for faculty leading programs abroad (itinerary, travel arrangements, budget, etc)

Signature Events and Programs

- First Timer Sessions at 11am and 2pm daily in 3134 Edwards One
- Programs Abroad Expo - October 3, 2012 from 10 AM – 2 PM Bearcat Plaza
- International Education Week - November 5-12, 2012
- Worldfest Week – March 1-10, 2013
- Passport Day – Fall and Spring semester
- iPAL International Partners and Leaders (iPAL) program for domestic and international students.

For additional information please go to www.uc.edu/international/programs

UC International

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LGBTQ Center

Mission

The LGBTQ Center supports the mission of the University of Cincinnati through a commitment to diversity, equity, leadership development, and intellectual inquiry with particular respect to sexual orientation and gender identity. The Center is an inclusive campus community that welcomes people of all sexual orientations and gender identities and provides support, resources and advocacy. The Center facilitates LGBTQ visibility by promoting and enhancing understanding, acceptance, and awareness regarding LGBTQ issues.

Services

- Safe Zone Training
- LGBTQ Programming
- LGBTQ Resource Library
- Classroom chats
- Referrals

Safe Zone Training

Safe Zone Training seeks to increase the visible presence of students, staff and faculty who can help to shape a campus culture that is accepting of all people regardless of sexuality, gender identification/expression, or any other difference. Training topics and exercises include: becoming comfortable discussing sexuality and gender identifications, the importance of inclusive language, creating safe spaces and how to be a supportive advocate and ally for LGBTQ social justice and equality.

Participants are provided a resources packet, and those who wish to be LGBTQ allies are also given a Safe Zone magnet that acknowledges their space as safe to LGBTQ persons to express themselves openly and know they will be treated with respect. The LGBTQ Center provides departmental training to students, staff and faculty year round.

QueerCat Pride Week

QueerCat Pride Week is a week of programs and activities that acknowledge, provide education around and celebrate the LGBTQ community.

Rainbow Celebration

A cultural celebration that strives to create a cohesive UC LGBTQ community and recognizes lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer (LGBTQ) and LGBTQ ally students who survived the college experience. This event is where LGBTQ students and their allies can be officially recognized by the institution for their leadership, success and achievements. Part of the celebration includes the Rainbow Celebration Awards. Students, staff, and faculty are honored for the work they have done for UC LGBTQ students, and the LGBTQ community as a whole.

LGBTQ Center

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www.uc.edu/lgbtq



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LGBTQ Center





Alexandria Johnson
Spanish

"College is the best way to live out your dreams and try something you've never been able to do. Being involved at UC has given me experiences and opportunities that seemed impossible before. It is definitely the best way to get familiar with the campus, make friends and incredible memories."

Student Wellness Center

Mission

The Student Wellness Center prevents and reduces health risks and illnesses that interfere with student academic and personal success.

Services

- Provides information and education on topics such as: general health and wellness, alcohol, sexual health, financial wellness, stress management, and more.
- Programs and workshops
- Resource center
- Free health products
- Awareness events

Health and Wellness Fair

October 10, 2012, 11am-2pm @ Campus Recreation Center Plaza.
Come explore a variety of available health and wellness resources at UC and in the surrounding community.

Friday Night Live

Free and fun late-night events held twice a semester from 9pm-1am in TUC.

Free Health Products

Students can receive 3 health care products a day from 9am-5pm in 675 Steger Student Life Center. Choose from a variety of products including ibuprofen, Band Aids, antacid, condoms and lubricant.

Student Wellness Center Contact Information

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Wellness

**What Have YOU Done to Improve YOUR Wellness TODAY?
Get connected to campus health and wellness programs, services, and resources.**

UC Women's Center

Mission

To promote equitable and safe environments on campus for women through advocacy, research and education.

Activist Coming Together (ACT)

The purpose of ACT is to:

- **Build community for students who are committed to feminist activism**
- **Provide students with coordinated and meaningful learning opportunities, including feminist leadership & activism development**
- **Develop students as leaders and engage them as activists and change agents on campus and in community**
- **Challenge students to critically think about how systems of oppression affect change processes and one's role as change agent**

If you are interested in joining ACT, contact UC Women's Center at 513-556-4401.

Women in Leadership and Learning (WILL)

... to build a women's community of leaders, committed to social justice and activism, through co-curricular, experiential learning ...

Women in Leadership and Learning is a new student development program for women that aims to build leadership in a community setting over the course of their college years. The program has classroom and experiential learning components built on themes of social justice and activism.

The WILL program at UC is designed in partnership by the Women's Center and the Department of Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies. Amy Howton, Assistant Director of the Women's Center, coordinates the

program with assistance from WILL Student Workers.

To learn more about UC Women's Center, please stop by.

UC Women's Center

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Mike Rodmaker
Architecture/Marketing

"Being involved at UC has helped me develop holistically as a person through a diversity of experiences outside of the classroom. Learning how to relate well with people, tackle obstacles as a group and understand how to move an organization forward are skills every student should develop before graduating."

Signature Events

Homecoming

Homecoming is a time of celebrating red and black pride through a number of events and programs such as the annual parade, pep rally, football game and much, much more. Homecoming is the best time to celebrate being a UC Bearcat.

MainStreet Stride

The MainStreet Stride is a campus tradition – a springtime foot parade of red and black. Members of the campus community (faculty, staff, administrators, student organizations, and offices) celebrate by dressing in their most creative red-and-black attire to showcase their pride through campus.

Red & Black Bash

The purpose of the University of Cincinnati's Red & Black Bash, formerly Bearcat Live, is to produce an annual concert that has become the capstone event of the semester. The Red & Black Bash Concert Team focuses on creating a fun atmosphere that keeps students on campus while providing an enjoyable start to the new academic year. The concert is free and open to all University of Cincinnati students.

Relay for Life

American Cancer Society's Relay for Life is UC's largest student-organized community service event on campus. The event appeals to cancer patients and survivors, families, small and large businesses, and civic organizations. Celebrating cancer survivorship and the hope for a cure, the event spotlights the role of prevention and early detection in the treatment of cancer. This 18-hour event is unique in its format to any other walk-a-thon type event as it lends an opportunity for greater onsite involvement and camaraderie—a true overnight party and retreat experience.

Sigma Sigma Carnival

Sigma Sigma is an upper-class men's

honorary that selects men based on their contribution to the University of Cincinnati and their congeniality. The annual Sigma Sigma Carnival has been a staple event at the university and serves as an occasion where students, faculty, staff, and alumni all gather on the commons to celebrate a fulfilling academic year and successful Alumni Weekend.

Welcome Weekend

Welcome Weekend is the official welcome event for the 4,000+ students that come to the University of Cincinnati each fall. Highlights include Convocation, College Day, and a variety of entertainment, educational, and community building activities.

Worldfest Week

WorldFest Week is a weeklong celebration of culture at the University of Cincinnati and a Just Community Initiative. WorldFest Week offers a unique cluster of programming that adds to the rich collegiate experience that celebrates culture, through food, dance, and education.



Leadership Development

Leaders Are Made, Not Born.

The university practices this motto through the promotion of student learning and development inside as well as outside the classroom through a number of leadership activities.

First-Year Experience

AACRC Transitions Program
Annual Student Leadership Conference
AACRC Brothers and Sisters Excelling (BASE)
Emerging Ethnic Leaders Institute
Camp Bearcats
UC Connect Women's Conference
Student Government First Year Leadership Program
Future Greek Leaders
Greek Leadership Conference
UC Women's Center Women in Leadership and Learning (WILL)

Mid-Collegiate Experience

Annual Student Leadership Conference
AACRC Brothers and Sisters Excelling (BASE)
UC Connect Women's Conference
Emerging Ethnic Leaders Institute
Future Greek Leaders
Greek Leadership Conference
SALD Leadership Curriculum
UC Women's Center Women in Leadership and Learning (WILL)

Senior Year Capstones

Annual University of Cincinnati Diversity Conference
SALD Leadership Curriculum



Stephanie Lux
Nursing and Spanish

"Extracurricular involvement has afforded me the opportunity to develop the leadership and interpersonal skills I will need as a Nurse outside of the classroom. It has allowed me to understand the inner-workings of the university and to tailor my UC experience to my own interests and career goals."





Megan McDonald
Communications Sciences &
Disorders

"Student organizations at the University of Cincinnati offer students the opportunity to put their passions into action. For me, my passion for paying it forward has offered me numerous opportunities to serve my community, experience new cultures, and empower others to do the same. Do what you love and love what you do."

Campus Programming

Programs and Activities Council (PAC)

The mission of the Programs and Activities Council is to promote and develop community growth by enriching lives through the implementation of providing programs of various entertainment including film, comedic acts, concerts, speakers, and novelty events, as well as to assist other registered student organizations and university departments to bring programs of special interest to the campus community

while offering students the experience to gain valuable event planning and leadership skills and experience.
www.uc.edu/groups/pac



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MainStreet

MainStreet is the focus of campus life at UC. A hub for events, services, and gathering, MainStreet is as much a philosophy about campus life as it is a physical location. MainStreet creates a 24-hour campus, featuring more dining options, classrooms, student services and recreation facilities as well as new suite-style housing.

For more information visit
www.uc.edu/mainstreet.html



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Still looking for things to do?

UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI BUCKET LIST

- Get involved in a UC student organization
- Make the Dean's List
- Learn the UC Fight Song & Alma Mater
- Attend a performance by the African American Cultural and Resource Center Choir
- Attend a Bearcats athletic event
- See a show at the College-Conservatory of Music
- Attend a service for a faith other than your own
- Read the Student Code of Conduct
- Study Abroad
- Attend a leadership conference
- Attend a graduation ceremony other than your own
- Vote for your Homecoming King and Queen
- Meet with your professors during their designated office hours
- Participate in a community service project
- Work out in the Campus Recreation Center
- Wear Bearcat apparel on Fridays
- Attend a Friday Night Live event
- Participate in Relay for Life
- Participate in an intramural sport
- Attend a Student Government Senate meeting and a meeting of your college tribunal
- Play in Nippert Stadium
- Become a tutor and/or peer educator
- Take a professor or dean to lunch
- Purchase a t-shirt from the bookstore
- Visit each of UC's campuses (Blue Ash Campus & Clermont College)
- Write an article or editorial for the The News Record
- Give blood during a campus blood drive
- Visit the Philip M. Meyers, Jr. Memorial Gallery
- March in the UC Homecoming Parade
- Vote in the Undergraduate Student Government elections
- Explore the archives and rare book collection located in Blegen Library
- Visit the Career Development Center
- Live on campus
- Visit the Women's Center
- Go to a Worldfest Week event
- Get lost in DAAP
- Step foot in every building on campus
- Reconnect with someone from your orientation group
- Participate in fraternity or sorority recruitment
- Ride the Bearcat Transportation System shuttle around campus
- Participate in the planning of a campus-wide event
- Discover Echo Point
- Participate in a RAPP intensive experience
- Take a class just because the topic intrigues you
- Get a job on campus
- Attend a doctoral dissertation defense
- Kiss the Mick & Mack statues



Meredith Stoller
Middle Childhood Education

"As president for Middle Childhood Education Society (MCES), I have learned firsthand the benefits of being involved in student organizations at UC. MCES is a proud partner of the Big Brothers Big Sisters program and with the funds offered through student organizations, we have been able to do various community service projects that benefit the kids in the program."



STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

Student Activities and Leadership Development serves as a host to over 300 student organizations supporting a variety of different interests.

Making a Difference

Looking to add to the university's atmosphere, if so please review the Student Organization listing of active student organizations and select an organization to join.

Contact information for student organizations can be found at www.uc.edu/sald. Click on the Student Organization Directory on the left.

Student Organization Resources and Trainings

Student Organization Registration Process

Each year all student organizations are required to re-register their organization with the Office of Student Activities and Leadership Development and Student Activities Board. Fully registered student organizations will have the right to participate in campus sponsored events, sponsor fundraisers, and reserve space on campus.

Student Organization Training Workshop Dates

The University Funding Board (UFB) and Student Activities Board (SAB) is pleased to announce the dates for the Student Organization Training Workshops. All returning student organizations must fulfill all registration requirements by **November 15, 2012**.

Graduate Student Organizations

- Must register with the Graduate Student Governance Association
- Attend a Student Organization Training workshop (Student Organization Policy portion only)
- Update their online information (Officers, Constitution and Bylaws, and Roster)
- The above requirements must be completed by **November 15, 2012**

Undergraduate Student Organizations

To be a recognized student organization, all of the items listed below must be completed:

- On-line application (update officer information roster, **constitution and bylaws**)
- Submit a Student Organization Verification Form
- Attend a Student Organization Training Workshop
- The above requirements must be completed by **November 15, 2012**

How do I start a new student organization?

To start a new student organization you will need the following:

- At least 10 current students
- A university faculty or staff member willing to serve as an advisor

Once you have identified those persons you need to:

- Register your student organization online at www.uc.edu/sald
- Submit constitution and bylaws that are consistent with university policies and procedures (a template can be found online at the Student Activities and Leadership Development website)
- Submit a roster that includes 10 matriculating students and their university M number

Once all of the above information is submitted, the Student Activities Board (SAB) will review the application using the criteria listed below:

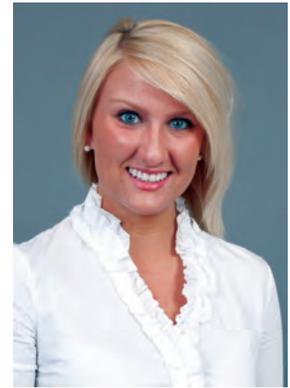
- Potential conflict with University policies.
- Non-duplication of the mission of previously recognized organizations.
- The feasibility of funding the organization's goals or projects.
- The clarity of the objectives and goals of the proposed student organization.
- Local autonomy of the organization. The criterion for local autonomy shall be whether the University organization makes all policy decisions without obligation to any parent organization, national chapter, or charter.
- The number of interested members of the student body.

What is the timeline for recognition?

The average time of the approval process is approximately 2-3 weeks depending on what is submitted for review. If you are applying for funding, make sure the constitution and by-laws reflect that membership is open to all students and there is no charge for membership dues.

The exact period for new student organization applications starts the second week of the Fall semester and ends during Spring semester on March 1. The Student Activities Board does not meet over the summer, therefore all new organization applications should be submitted by March 1 to be considered for approval during the current academic year.

For deadlines and more information, contact the Student Activities Board at 513-556-6103.



Tiffany Stainfield
Philosophy

"For me, involvement at UC can be summarized in three words; enjoyable, energizing, and empowering. Enjoyable, because I work with UC's most enthusiastic students, staff, and faculty. Energizing, because involvement drives me to always give my; best. And empowering, because becoming the leader I am will continuously help me achieve."





Brandon Reynolds
Marketing

"The benefit of being a student leader lies in having the opportunity to develop your skills as a leader and the ability to encourage others. As a student leader I have worked with inner city youth as the Director for the Richard Grote "You See Potential Leadership Conference", serving as an ambassador for UC's African-American population as the current Mr. Kuamka, and forging connections between student organizations and Cincinnati community as the Director of Community Affairs for Student Government."

Organization Types

Academic Student Organizations

Do you wonder how to get involved with your college or major? Through academic student organizations! The University of Cincinnati is host to several student organizations that focus on specific areas of study and research.

Academic Student Organizations provide students with the opportunity to participate in activities that focus on one's major and allows individuals to be involved within their respective college.

- Pre-Pharmacy Student Organization
- Criminal Justice Society
- The University of Cincinnati SymBIOsis: Undergraduates for Biology
- Middle Childhood Education Society

Academic Intercollegiate Competition (AIC) Teams

An intercollegiate academic organization is a registered student organization that exists to promote and develop interest in providing an intellectually stimulating environment representing the university through competition with other colleges.

- Aerocats
- BUV Bearcats
- Mock Trial
- Political Science Student Association (PSSA) and Model United Nations Team
- UC Forensics and many many more.

Please refer to our Student Resource Section for a complete listing of academic student organizations.



Club Sports and Recreational Activities

What is Club Sports?

A Club Sport is a registered student organization that exists to promote and develop interest in a particular sport or physical activity. The Club Sports Program provides a wide range of instructional, recreational, and competitive athletic opportunities, with an emphasis on student leadership, organization, and team management. The 35 Club Sports organizations offer a chance to be part of a team, run an organization, and represent University of Cincinnati while competing against and traveling to other universities. Many of our clubs compete at an elite level and contest for National Championships in their sport.

Interested in Joining?

Interested in Joining a Club Sports Organization, complete a Club Sports Interest Form located at www.uc.edu/sald/. Either a member from the club or the Program Coordinator of Club Sports will contact you.

- Badminton
- Men's Soccer & Women's Soccer
- Golf
- Racquetball
- Kendo

Recreational Activities

Our Campus Recreation Center also provides a number of ways to remain fit and active through intramural sports. Intramural Sports is a great way to build friendships and school spirit. The mission of the University of Cincinnati Intramural Sports Program is to:

- Provide students, faculty, and staff with the opportunity to participate in a variety of competitive recreational sports in a fun, safe environment
- Provide quality facilities and equipment
- Promote healthy lifestyles
- Provide social opportunities

Available Intramural Sports Leagues

- Basketball
- Dodgeball
- Flag Football
- Outdoor Soccer
- Racquetball Singles/Doubles
- Softball
- Tennis Singles/Doubles
- Volleyball
- Wallyball



Marli Morris
Nursing

"Involvement in student organizations has been crucial to me academic, social, and personal development here at the University of Cincinnati. I have had the pleasure of participating in very diverse, dynamic experiences as a student. Most importantly I have development many new relationships with amazing people."



Campus Recreation Center

2820 Bearcat Way
513-556-0604
www.uc.edu/reccenter/programs/intramurals



Find us on Facebook at
UC Campus Recreation Center



Follow us on Twitter at
UCCampusRec



Jamieson Williams
Electronic Media

Being involved on campus at UC has opened up my eyes to a new world. I feel freer to be myself and have met tons of amazing people in the process! From Business Fellows to RAPP, volunteering and being a Turner Scholar, I plan to be a DIVERSITY LEADER and someone my peers can look up to!



Creative & Performing Arts

Drama ... Dancing ... Singing and other performance opportunities await you at the University of Cincinnati! Students can find opportunities to participate in a number of Creative and Performing Arts activities through student organizations.

- **Black Arts Collaborative**
- **Men's and Women's Chorus**
- **UC Hepcats Swing Dance Club**

Members of creative and performing arts student organizations have sponsored and written plays, coordinated dance recitals as well as concerts. If creative and performing arts are your passion we have it here. The university is also home to the world renowned UC College-Conservatory of Music.

UC College-Conservatory of Music

The University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music (CCM) is recognized internationally as one of the leading conservatories for the performing arts and electronic media.

CCM invites you to explore our unparalleled variety of performances and events – nearly 1,000 each year, making us the largest single source of performing arts events in Ohio. Most events are FREE for UC students. Offerings including solo recitals, opera, drama, musical theatre, dance, jazz, orchestral performances, chamber music and much more. Visit <http://ccm.uc.edu> for a full list of upcoming events.

Special Events and Programs

Mainstage Series

CCM's 2012-13 Mainstage Series features breathtaking opera from modern to classic, masterful musicals from Kurt Weill and the composers of Mamma Mia and wondrous comedy and drama from Shakespeare and William Saroyan. The series features six fully staged works, with performances taking place Oct. 3, 2012 - April 7, 2013. For additional information and student ticket prices, call the CCM Box Office at 513-556-4183 or visit ccm.uc.edu.

Concert Series

CCM's 2012-13 Concert Series features nearly 50 major performances from our world-renowned ensembles, including the Ariel Quartet, the Philharmonia Orchestra, the Wind Symphony, the Jazz Ensemble, the Ballet Ensemble, the Chamber Choir and Chorale, the Steel Drum Band, the Classical Guitar Ensemble and much more. Admission to most concerts is free to UC students with a valid ID. For additional information and student ticket prices, call the CCM Box Office at 513-556-4183 or visit ccm.uc.edu

Community Service and Service-Learning

The University of Cincinnati is proud of its students and their commitment to providing service on a local, national, as well as international level. Through student led organizations such as **Serve Beyond Cincinnati**, **Circle K International**, and **Donuts for Darfur**, students engage in rewarding experiences that allow them to grow and develop as leaders and people.

“Collaboration is the stuff of growth.”

In addition, to over 40 community service organizations on campus, students can also participate in service learning opportunities through the Center for Service-Learning & Civic Engagement.

Service Learning is an important part of the **UC2019** ► *Strategic Plan* and the *Integrated Core Learning initiative*. We believe your experience will be rewarding, offering you many opportunities to grow and learn. Our mission is to serve and support our students, faculty, and community partners to ensure that the Service Learning experience benefits everyone. Please contact our office if we can assist you in the Service Learning experience.

The Center for Service-Learning and
Civic Engagement
7th Level Steger Student Life Center
513-556-1553
www.uc.edu/propractice/service-learning



Find us on Facebook at
Service-Learning in Cincinnati



Cultural and Ethnic Organizations

Through diversity and inclusion ...

“The University of Cincinnati embraces diversity and inclusion as core values that empower individuals to transform their lives and achieve their highest potential”

The university offers a challenging, yet nurturing intellectual climate from a number of cultural perspectives in an effort to develop a community that is just, inclusive, and diverse. Through the offerings and programmatic efforts implemented by university offices and student organizations, students are prepared to enter a global society.

We invite you to explore diversity at our university.

- Asian American Association
- Chinese Student Scholar Association
- Indian Student Association
- Persian Student Association
- United Black Student Association
- Cultural Connections
- [ID]ENTITY



Programs & Events That Support Diversity and Inclusion

Accelerating Racial Justice

The Office of Student Activities & Leadership Development will offer the five-day Accelerating Racial Justice intensive for students to build their awareness, knowledge, and skills related to racial justice and inclusive leadership

Through full participation in the 5-day program, participants:

- **Develop relationships with 20+ other Bearcats from all over the university**
- **Enhance their understanding of racial justice and inclusive leadership**
- **Build a personal foundation and a supportive community to continue building racial justice and an inclusive leadership community at UC**

Accelerating Racial Justice's curriculum is based in best practices in the realms of social justice education, interorganization dialogue, and inclusive leadership development.

Please contact Rebecca Lehman at lehmanrl@uc.edu or 513-556-6115 for more information.

Cinco De Mayo

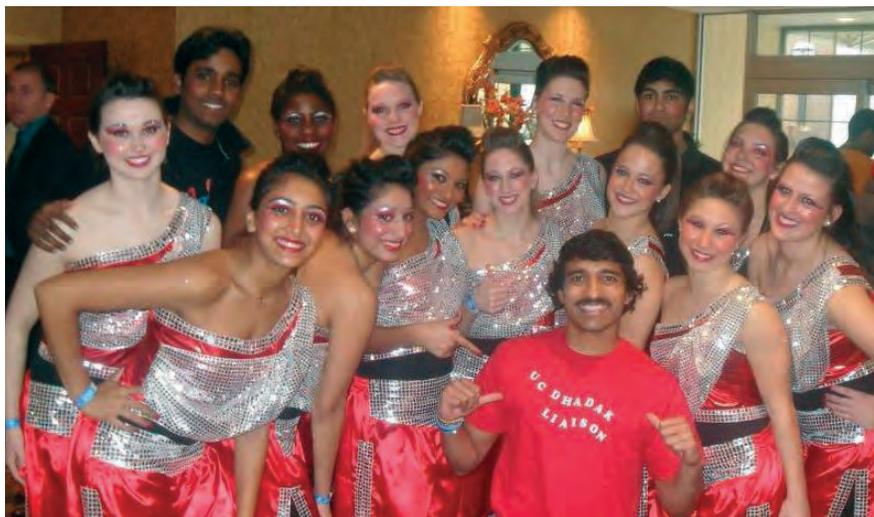
The Cinco de Mayo Fiesta is an annual cultural event dedicated to educating the University of Cincinnati student population on the true historical significance of Cinco de Mayo. The true purpose of Cinco de Mayo is to celebrate the Mexican army's unlikely victory over French forces at the Battle of Puebla and subsequently slowed the French army from approaching Mexico City on May 5, 1862. The Battle of Puebla was one of the major battles leading to the end of



French occupation and intervention in Mexico. This is contrary to the popular misconception that Cinco de Mayo is a celebration for the Independence Day of Mexico, which occurred on September 16, 1810.

RAPP (Racial Awareness Program)

The Office of Student Activities & Leadership Development offers the nine-month RAPP intensive for students to challenge, debate, and educate each other on issues of social justice. We explore race, culture, gender, socioeconomic class, sexuality, and other areas of difference through sharing our experiences and building a community of Bearcats committed to creating a more just community and world.



UBSA Red & Black Week

UBSA's (United Black Student Association) Red & Black Week is a weeklong celebration that brings together alumni and current students prior to homecoming weekend activities. The series of events promotes UC Bearcat pride and awareness.

UC Diversity Conference

The conference is designed to highlight pedagogy, experiential knowledge and innovative practices that encourage faculty, students, staff and Cincinnati community members to build vibrant, diverse and inclusive environments.

Learn Educate Advocate Develop Empower Research

Fraternity and Sorority Life

The purpose of Fraternity and Sorority Life is leadership development. At the University of Cincinnati, we help students find their niche at a large, urban university. Fraternity/sorority complements academics, career development, family, and friends. Fraternities/sororities are values-based organizations focused on creating an environment for you to become a better person.

Our Fraternity & Sorority Life community includes 37 nationally-affiliated social fraternities and sororities governed by the Interfraternity, Panhellenic, and National Pan-Hellenic Councils. Greek Week, Future Greek Leaders and 3 honor societies round out the approximately 2,200 students involved in Greek Life at UC.

Hundreds of men and women graduate from UC each year with a richer experience as a result of Fraternity and Sorority Life. For many students, the fraternity/sorority community is their home away from home. Fraternity and Sorority Life builds lifelong friend-

ships, and instills a sense of pride and commitment to our alma mater.

Recruitment

Fraternity and Sorority Life does a Go Greek Blitz for interested students to learn how to join the first couple of weeks each semester. Many fraternities recruit year-round, including over the summer. Panhellenic sororities host formal recruitment each fall, when hundreds of women get to meet each sorority and join. National Pan-Hellenic Council (historically African-American) fraternities and sororities have new member intake at their discretion. And a few other multicultural and “non-affiliate” fraternities and sororities recruit at their discretion, throughout the year.

Greek Leadership Conference

The Greek Leadership Conference is a weekend in February of intentional, engaging, and fun leadership programming for the entire fraternity/sorority



community that brings in nationally-renowned speakers with expertise on topics ranging from personal to professional development, organizational leadership, marketing and personal branding, recruitment, service /philanthropy, and more.

Greek Week

Greek Week raises money for a charitable cause and advances the philanthropic and fraternal spirit at the University of Cincinnati. Talent contests, tug-o-wars, a pie-in-the face and the ever-popular belly-flop competition are just a few of the many programs and events that span Greek Week each spring. Since 2004, Fraternity and Sorority Life has raised nearly \$275,000 for the Make-A-Wish Foundation for Greek Week.

Would you like to learn more? Please stop by www.uc.edu/greeklife



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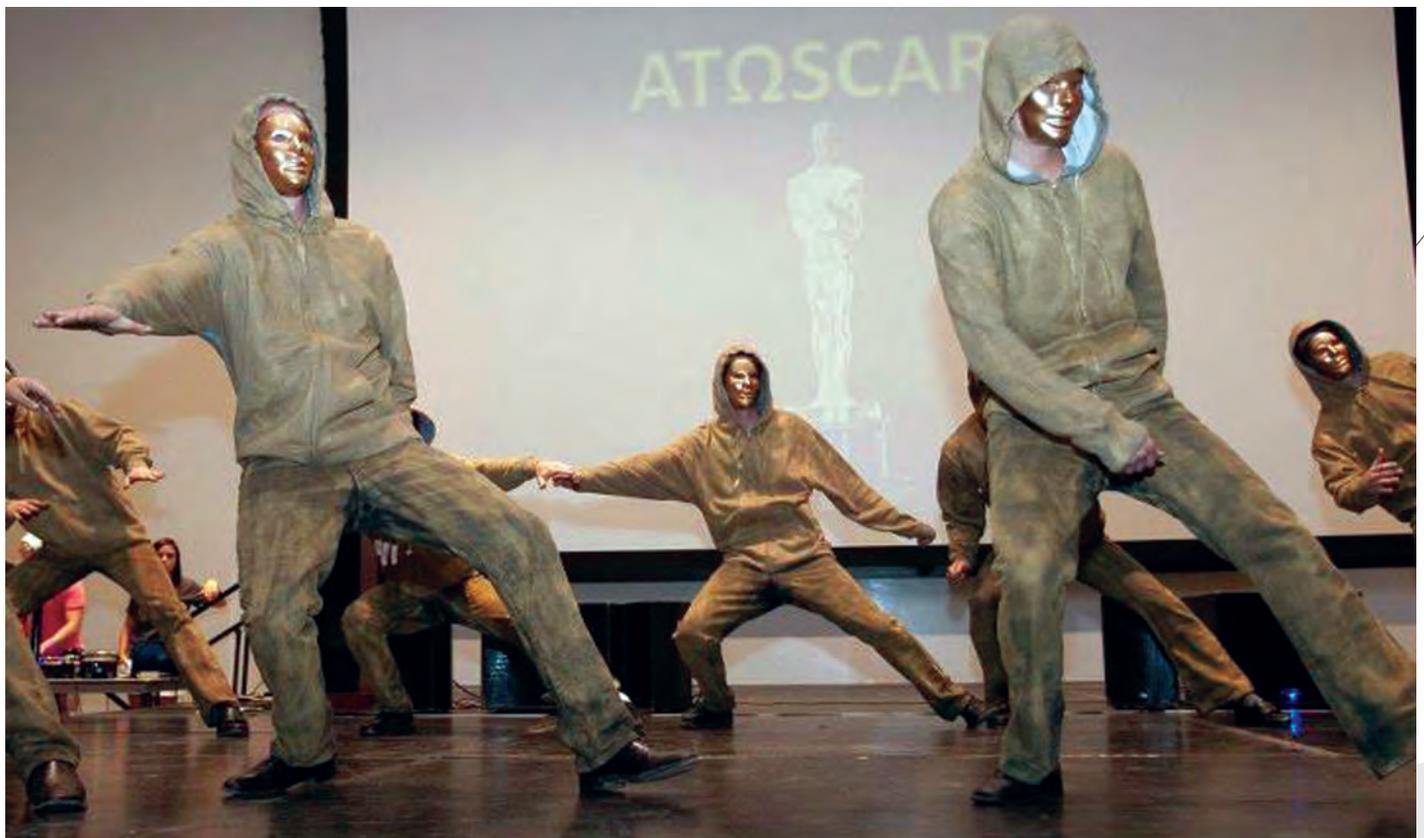
Honorary Societies

Honorary student organizations acknowledge those students who have achieved excellence through scholarship, leadership, and service. In addition, most of these organizations offer additional opportunities to participate in service initiatives and other programmatic efforts.

Our honorary societies include:

- Alpha Epsilon Delta
- Alpha Lambda Delta
- Collegiate 100
- CWEST (Cincinnati Women in Excellence and Spirit Together)
- Lambda Society
- Men of Metro
- Sigma Phi Women's Honorary
- Sigma Sigma Men's Honorary

For a complete listing of the honorary student organizations please refer to the student organization directory located in the resources section of the ACTIVUS.



Graduate Student Organizations

Being involved in campus activities does not have to end after undergraduate education. The university houses over 50 Graduate Student organizations that focus on academic involvement and service. The Office of Student Activities & Leadership Development supports graduate student organizations which are intellectual, social, and special-interest.

Graduate Student Governance Association (GSGA)

The Graduate Student Governance Association serves as the nodal body for interaction between graduate student Associations (GSAs), graduate students, and UC administration. GSGA is committed to make the graduate student experience as beneficial as possible through advocacy, financial and administrative support, and by establishing bonds within and beyond our community.

Graduate Student Associations that are in good standing with the GSGA are eligible for two types of funding for their organization activities:

- 1. Organization Budget Award :** Every graduate organization in good standing with the GSGA is given a fixed amount of money per year. The organization can use these funds for social activities of the organization - ex. Pizza at a meeting.
- 2. Organization Grant Award :** The GSGA has allocated a fixed amount of money from its budget every quarter to fund deserving academic events conducted by Grad Student Organizations. This grant is competitive.

The Activus student organization directory contains a complete listing of all active Graduate Student organizations. Contact information for these organizations are located on www.uc.edu/sald



Governance Student Organizations

Advocacy and support are the hallmark of governance student organizations. Organizations such as the Undergraduate Student Government are a voice for all students. Participating in governance organizations can be a great involvement pathway for you!

Undergraduate Student Government

The University of Cincinnati Undergraduate Student Government is a organization of community based activists committed to enhancing the college life of students who attend this institution. Student Government is designed to serve a versatile student body which has a broad range of interests. The aims of the undergraduate students are to promote the general welfare of the student body and to provide a governance body for student organizations.

College Tribunals

College Tribunals represent the individual colleges within the university's academic system. Each tribunal falls under the jurisdiction of Student Senate and shall have names and power as specified in their respective constitutions and shall govern organizations within their colleges.

The following tribunals are active in its respective college:

- College of Allied Health Sciences Tribunal
- McMicken College of Arts and Sciences Tribunal
- Lindner College of Business Tribunal
- College-Conservatory of Music Tribunal
- College of DAAP Tribunal
- College of Education, Criminal Justice and Human Resources (CECH) Tribunal
- College of Engineering and Applied Science Tribunal (CEAS)
- College of Nursing Tribunal
- UC Blue Ash College Tribunal

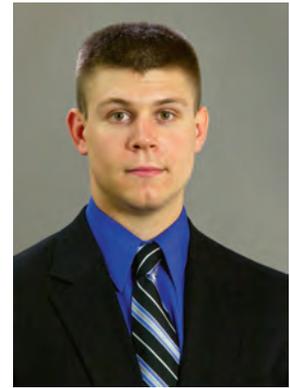
Tribunal meetings are open to all members of the student body. Participation in your college's tribunal is a valuable opportunity to learn about the latest happenings at your respective college, as well as network with other students and alumni within your academic field.

Residence Hall Association

Each residence hall has a hall government body made up of representatives from each floor of the building. Additionally, there is a representative from each hall to serve in the Residence Hall Association (RHA). RHA is the system-wide hall governance body for all of the residence halls and meets weekly.

Hall government organizations, who usually meet weekly in their hall, are as follows:

- Calhoun Hall Executive Council (CHEC)
- Campus Rec Center/Dabney Council (CRDC)
- Daniels Hall Association (DHA)
- Government of Siddall Hall (GOSH)
- Jefferson Advisory Council (JAC)—serving Turner and Schneider



Steve Kelczewski
Accounting

"Involvement in Student Organizations at UC has given me the opportunity to interact and work cooperatively not only with fellow students, but with successful professionals from external organizations as well as providing me with experiences I will carry and utilize for the rest of my personal and professional life."

Political & Activist Involvement

The University of Cincinnati is a community that embraces freedom and openness when it comes to ideas and beliefs. Moreover, organizations that identify as a political/activist organiza-

tion displays our belief in this philosophy by engaging in activities that focus on civic involvement, government affairs, politics and other issues.

- Amnesty International
- International Socialist Organization
- Students for Sensible Drug Policy (SSDP)
- University of Cincinnati College Democrats
- University of Cincinnati College Republicans
- Young Americans for Liberty

Looking for more political and activist student organizations? Please take a look at our directory listing.



Professional Organizations

Professional student organizations provide students with a hands on experience in relation to their academic major or interest. Currently we have professional student organizations that focus on business, architecture, social work and more. Joining one of these organizations provides students with the opportunity to network with people currently in their field.

- National Art Education Association Student Chapter
- National Society of Black Engineers (NSBE)
- National Student Speech Language Hearing Association (NSSLHA)
- Ohio Collegiate Music Educators Association (OCMEA)
- Society of Asian Scientists and Engineers (SASE)
- Society of Women Engineers (SWE)
- UC American Marketing Association (AMA)
- UC Eta Sigma Gamma



*Sally Amkoa
Economics*

My involvement in student organizations at the University of Cincinnati has made me a better future leader: I've learned to value time, to strive to better my best, to commit to service, and to maintain my personal and professional networks as though my life depended on it.





Religious Organizations

The role of religion can have a profound effect on one's life in relation to developing your purpose as well as navigating life professionally and personally. The goal of the university is to reflect a community that nurtures independent thinking and the free and open expression of ideas.

Our religious student organizations and religious affiliates includes:

- **Binah Women's Organization**
- **H2O**
- **Muslim Student Association**
- **Student Body for Christ**
- **UU's at UC, Unitarian Universalist Campus Ministry**

Campus Ministry Association (CMA)

The CMA is a network of religious organizations that helps members of the UC Community to build relationships with each other. We can connect you with a organization of people who will give you belonging and support.

Member Organizations

Chabad Jewish Center

2718 Digby Avenue
 Phone: 513-751-2288
 Email: info@chabadatuc.com

Collegiate Ministry

2715 Clifton Avenue
 Phone: 513-281-6403
 Email: Ken@collegiateministry.com

Cincinnati Hillel

2615 Clifton Avenue
 Phone: 513-221-6728
 Email: email@hillelcincinnati.org

LCM at the Edge

Lutheran Campus Ministry at the
 at the Edge House
 3007 Clifton Avenue
 pastor@edge-uc.org

Greater Cincinnati Lutheran Student

Fellowship and UC Christian Grads
 3007 Clifton Avenue
 Phone: 859-802-4515
 Email: jamie.noyd@gmail.com

St Monica St. George

Parish Newman Center
 328 W. McMillan Street
 Phone: 513.381.6400
 Email: smsgnewman@gmail.com

University Christian Church

245 West McMillan Avenue
 Phone: 513-241-2140
 Email: anj1027@gmail.com

STUDENT ORGANIZATION DIRECTORY

Academic

Anthropos
Bearcats Social Worker Students
Biomedical Engineering Society (UC|BMES)
ChemCats
Construction Student Association
Creative Writers Guild
Criminal Justice Society
Developing and Emerging Nations
First Generation Scholar
History Club
ITSA Information Technology Student Association
Kolodzik Business Scholars Association
Middle Childhood Education Society (MCES)
Music Theory & Musicology Society (MTMS)
Neurosociety
Pre-Pharmacy Student Society
Planning Student Organization (PSO)
Psychology Club
Science, Technology Engineering, Math Education Association (STEM)
Sociology Organization for Students (S.O.S)
Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers
Society of Physics Students
Student Dietetic Association
Student Society of the School of Architecture and Interior Design (SS of SAID)
Sustainable Transportation Cooperative (STC)
Symbiosis: Undergraduates for Biology
T.O.O.T.H.- The Oral Organization Towards Health
Thorium Energy Alliance
UC Forensics Team
Undergraduate English Society (UES)
University Honors Association
University of Cincinnati American Institute of Chemical Engineers
ChemE Car Team

Academic Intercollegiate (AIC)

Baja Bearcats
Bearcat Motorsports-Formula SAE
BUV Bearcats
CATALYST Marketing
Hybrid Bearcats
Political Science Student Association (PSSA) and Model United Nations Team

Structural Engineering Experience (SEE)
Students for the Exploration and Development of Space (UC SEDS)
Trial Advocacy
UC Aerocats
UC Forensics Team
UC Robotics
University of Cincinnati Mock Trial Association

Club Sports

Badminton
Billiards Club
Bowling
Club Baseball
Club Golf
Club Ice Hockey
Club Swim Team
Club Water Polo Team
Cricket Club
Cycling Club
Equestrian Team
Fencing Club
Gymcats
Handball Club
Inline Hockey Club
International Dance Team
Kendo Club
Martial Arts
Men's Club Lacrosse
Men's Club Soccer
Men's Club Volleyball
Men's Ultimate Frisbee Club
Racquetball Club
Rowing Club
Rugby Football Club
Running Club
Shotokan Karate Club
Tennis Club
Wrestling Club
Women's Club Lacrosse
Women's Rugby Football Club
Women's Ultimate Frisbee
Women's Club Volleyball
Women's Soccer Club

Community Service and Service-Learning

Alpha Phi Omega
American Red Cross at the University of Cincinnati
BearCAT Community Action Team
Bearcat Hospice Alliance
Cats for Cause
Cincinnati Community Outreach
Cincinnati Dance Marathon
Circle K International

College Mentors for Kids
Colleges Against Cancer
Donuts for Darfur
Engineers without Borders
Eye on Africa
Future Educator's Association
Future Science Girls (FSG)
Global Public Health Brigades – University of Cincinnati Chapter
GlobeMed at the University of Cincinnati
Habitat for Humanity
Health Science Club
Into the City
Knit for the Needy
McMicken Student Ambassadors
Mission Urban Development (MUD)
Nellie's Catwalk for Kids Cincinnati
Peace Village
Preservation Action Network (PAN)
Rotaract
Serve Beyond Cincinnati
Silver Wings
Students for the Education of Young Children
UC BuildWoW
United Way at the University of Cincinnati

Creative and Performing Arts

African American Cultural and Resource Center Choir
American Institute of Graphic Arts
Black Arts Collaborative
Conscious Youths Pushing Hip-Hop in Every Region (CYPHER)
Dramatic Arts For Thespians (DAFT)
Society for Bharatiya Heritage and Arts (SABHA)
Society of Composers Incorporated
The Fine Arts Association
The Theatre Project
UC Bearcat Bands
UC Hepcats Swing Dance Club
UC Stay Fresh Bboy/Bgirl Club
Umoja Praise Dance Ensemble
University of Cincinnati Men's and Women's Choruses
Video Game Graphics Group (VG3)

Cultural and Ethnic

Arabic Club
Asian American Association
Association for India's Development (AID)
Bearcats For Israel
Chinese Student Scholars Association

Club Hispano
 Cultural Connections
 French Club at the University of Cincinnati
 GQ: Gentlemen's Quarterly
 Hindu YUVA
 [ID]ENTITY
 Indian Students Association
 International Business Club
 Italian Club
 Japanese and American Student Society (JASS)
 Latinos En Acción
 MC2 in CSD (Multi-Cultural Concerns in Communication Sciences and Disorders)
 Middle Eastern & Mediterranean Student Association (MEMSA)
 Nepali Student Association (NSA)
 Persian Student Association
 Russian Club
 Shades of You
 Sri Lankan Student Association
 Turkish Students and Scholars Association
 UC African Students' Association
 United Black Student Association
 University of Cincinnati Ethiopians and Eritreans
 University of Cincinnati Korean Student Association (UCKSA)
 University of Cincinnati Taiwanese Student Association
 Vietnamese Student Association

Fraternity and Sorority Life

Alpha Epsilon Pi
 Alpha Kappa Alpha
 Alpha Chi Rho
 Alpha Sigma Phi
 Alpha Tau Omega
 Beta Theta Pi
 Chi Omega
 Delta Chi
 Delta Delta Delta
 Delta Phi Lambda
 Delta Sigma Theta
 Iota Phi Theta
 Kappa Alpha Psi
 Kappa Alpha Theta
 Kappa Delta
 Kappa Kappa Gamma
 Lambda Chi Alpha
 Phi Delta Theta
 Phi Beta Sigma
 FIJI
 Phi Kappa Tau
 Phi Kappa Tau
 Phi Kappa Theta
 Phi Sigma Rho
 Pi Beta Phi
 Pi Kappa Alpha

Pi Kappa Phi Theta
 Sigma Chi
 Sigma Gamma Rho
 Sigma Phi Epsilon
 Tau Kappa Epsilon
 Theta Phi Alpha
 Triangle Fraternity
 Zeta Phi Beta Sorority
 Interfraternity Council
 Panhellenic Council
 National Pan-Hellenic Council Governing

Graduate

Aerospace Engineering Graduate Student Association
 Anthropology Graduate Student Association (AGSA)
 Art History Graduate Student Association
 Arts Administration Student Association
 Biological Sciences Graduate Student Association (BGSA)
 Biomedical Engineering Society Graduate Student Association
 Business Association Graduate Student Association
 Chemistry Graduate Student Association
 Civil and Environmental Engineering Graduate Student Association
 Classics Graduate Student Governance Association
 College of Education, Criminal Justice, and Human Services Graduate Student Association
 College of Nursing Graduate Student Government Association
 College-Conservatory of Music Graduate Student Association
 English Graduate Organization
 Geography Graduate Student Association
 Geology Club Graduate Student Association
 German Graduate Student Governance Association
 Graduate Student Governance Association
 Health Sciences Graduate Association (HSGA)
 History Graduate Student Association
 Journal of Anthropology Graduate Student Association
 Literacy and Second Language Studies Graduate Student Association
 Masters in Design Graduate Student Association
 Masters of Architecture Graduate Student Association (MARCHGSA)
 Masters of Human Resources Graduate

Student Association (MHRGSA)
 Materials Science and Engineering Graduate Student Association
 Mathematics Graduate Student Association
 National Art Education Graduate Student Association
 Nutrition Graduate Student Association
 Pharmaceutical Science Students Graduate Student Association
 Philosophy Graduate Student Association
 Physics Graduate Student Association
 Planning Graduate Student Association
 Political Science Graduate Student Association
 Psychology Graduate Student Association
 Romance Languages and Literatures Graduate Student Association
 School of Dynamic Systems Graduate Student Association
 School of Electronics and Computing Systems Graduate Student Association
 School of Social Work Graduate Student Association
 Social Work Graduate Student Association
 Sociology Lyceum Graduate Student Association
 Speech-Language Pathology Graduate Student Association
 Student Academy of Audiology Graduate Student Association
 University of Cincinnati Net Impact Chapter Graduate Student Association
 Women's, Gender and Sexuality Studies Graduate Student Association

Honor Societies

Alpha Epsilon Delta
 Alpha Lambda Delta
 Beta Alpha Psi
 Beta Gamma Sigma Honorary
 Cincinnati Women in Excellence and Spirit Together (CWEST)
 Cincinnatus
 Collegiate 100
 Eta Sigma Phi
 Golden Key International Honour Society
 Kappa Kappa Psi
 Kappa Theta Epsilon
 Lambda Pi Eta
 Lambda Society
 Men of METRO
 Mortar Board

National Society of Collegiate Scholars
Omicron Delta Kappa
Order of Omega
Pershing Rifles
Phi Rho Chi
Rho Lambda Honorary
Sigma Phi Women's Honorary
Sigma Sigma
Tau Beta Pi
Tau Beta Sigma

Political and Activist

Amnesty International
Cincinnati VOX: Voices for Planned
Parenthood
GenderBloc
EnGAGE: Ending Gender Oppression
and Acting for Greater
Equality
International Socialist Organization
LEAP (Leaders for Environmental
Protection and Awareness)
(change to Governmental/
Political)
Students for Life
Students for Sensible Drug Policy
(SSDP)
University of Cincinnati College
Democrats
University of Cincinnati College
Republicans
Young Americans for Liberty

Professional

ADVANCE
Alpha Kappa Psi
Alpha Rho Chi
Alpha Rho Epsilon
American Institute of Aeronautics and
Astronautics
American Institute of Architecture
Students (AIAS)
American Society of Civil Engineers
American Society of Mechanical
Engineers
American Society of Safety Engineers
Architectural Engineering Institute
(AEI)
Association for Computing Machinery
@ UC
B.A.S.I.C. Brothers and Sisters in
Construction
Bearcat Social Work Students
Bearcat Advertising and Networking
Group (BANG)
Caducea Pre-Medical Society of the
University of Cincinnati
Delta Sigma Pi
dFORM – Digital Fabrication of
Responsive Materials
Economics Society

Entrepreneurship Club
Industrial Designers Society of
America
McMicken Student Ambassadors
Minority Association of Pre-Medical
Students
Music Theory & Musicology Society
(MTMS)
National Art Education Association
Student Chapter
National Society of Black Engineers
(NSBE)
National Society of Leadership and
Success (Sigma Alpha Pi)
National Student Speech Language
Hearing Association (NSSLHA)
Ohio Collegiate Music Educators
Association (OCMEA)
Organizational Leadership Club
Pi Sigma Epsilon
Pre-Pharmacy Student Society
Public Relations Student Society of
America
Society for the Advancement of
Material and Process Engineering
Society of Asian Scientists and
Engineers (SASE)
Society of Sports Leaders
Society of Women Engineers (SWE)
Student Nurses' Association
Finance Club
UC | Pre-Law Club
UC American Marketing Association
(AMA)
UC Chapter of the Society of
Professional Journalists
UC Eta Sigma Gamma
University of Cincinnati Association of
Black Social Workers
University of Cincinnati Student
Chapter of the American Institute
of Chemical Engineers

Recreational

Mountaineering Club
UC Board Games Club
UC Bridge Club
UC Hang Gliding and Paragliding
Club
UC Ski and Snow Boarding Club
UC Skydiving Club

Religious

Binah Women's Group
Chabad-Jewish Student Center
Chi Alpha Campus Ministry
Collegiate Ministry in Cincinnati
Campus Crusade for Christ (CRU)
Disciples on Campus (D.O.C)
H20
Hillel Jewish Center

Muslim Students Association
Student Body of Christ
Student Secular Alliance (SSA)
The Navigators
UC Catholic Newman Club
UU's at UC, Unitarian Universalist
Campus Ministry
Wesley House United Methodist
Campus Ministry

Special Interest

Amateur Radio Club
American Sign Language Club
Bearcat Live!
Colors of Pride
Dialogue Association
DC Fanatics: Dance and Cheer
Fanatics
College of Engineering and Applied
Sciences (CEAS) Ambassadors
Forever Bearcats
Garden Club
Health.Wellness.Fitness
International Leadership
Collaboration (ILC)
Moving-ED
Orientation Board
Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia
Planet LAN It
Programs and Activities Council
Rallycats
Rehabcats
ROAR Tour Guides
Semper Fi Society
Society of Sports Leaders
Student Alumni Council, SAC
Sustainable Transportation
Cooperative (STC)
UC Alliance
University of Cincinnati Commuter
Association (UCCA)
University of Cincinnati German
Club
University of Cincinnati Shooting
Sports Club
Video Game Graphics Group
(VG3)

For Student Organization mission
and contact information please go
to www.uc.edu/sald and click on the
Student Organization Listing

RED AND BLACK PRIDE

Red and Black pride rings true at the University of Cincinnati. Current students, faculty, staff, and alumni are proud to represent their pride as true Bearcats. In addition, there are several student organizations that play a key role in keeping our campus motivated. Student organizations such as the **Student Alumni Council**, **Rallycats**, **Bearcats Band**, and **ROAR Tour Guides** continue to keep Red and Black pride high.

Keep Bearcat pride alive by learning the Alma Mater and Fight Song!

Alma Mater

Music and lyrics by Otto Juettner

O Cincinnati magic name, I proudly to the world proclaim;
No sweeter word e'er charmed my ear, none to my heart was
e'er so dear,
A fountain of eternal youth, A tower of strength,
a rock of truth:

Varsity, dear Varsity, thy loyal children we will be,
Thy loyal, loyal children we will be!

UC Cheer

Cheer Cincinnati, Cincy will win
Fight to the finish, never give in (Rah, Rah, Rah)
You do your best boys, we'll do the rest boys,
Onward to victory! Go Red, Go Black, Go Bearcats! Fight! Fight! Fight!
(Give me a) B-E-A-R-C-A-T-S Go UC!







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