BEGIN YOUR JOURNEY

IN COMMUNITY

At UC Santa Cruz, our students bring a piece of home with them, and find spaces that feel like home for them on campus! UCSC invites you to express your identities and affiliations in our community so that you can learn and thrive safely and in fellowship.



FIND OUT MORE!





FINDING A HOME AT

UC SANTA CRUZ MEANS...



CONNECTING, ENGAGING, AND CELEBRATING!

"My favorite memory is probably the Holi Festival, the one with all the pigment in the air. It's really fun to experience other cultures and be a part of the UCSC community."

Stevenson College Student

AFRICAN AMERICAN **RESOURCE AND** CULTURAL CENTER

The African American Resource & Cultural Center endeavors to empower African/Black/Caribbean students and community members to explore, honor, and respect their intersecting identities throughout their educational journey.

















ASIAN AMERICAN/ PACIFIC ISLANDER RESOURCE CENTER

The Asian American/Pacific Islander Resource Center (AA/PIRC) cocreates engagement with students who identify as part of the Asian American, Pacific Islander, & Southwest Asian & North African (AA/PI/SWANA) diaspora at UC Santa Cruz; exploring the complexities of their holistic experiences, and individual and collective identities.

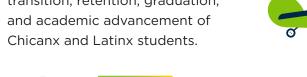






EL CENTRO CHICANX/LATINX RESOURCE CENTER

Better known as "EL CENTRO" by students and staff, the Center serves as a hub of organized activity and resources that support the transition, retention, graduation and academic advancement of













GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT

At UC Santa Cruz, we believe in the transformative power of world travel and international engagement. We welcome international students and scholars, and we send our students out throughout the globe for educational and lifechanging experiences abroad!



INTERNATIONAL STUDENT AND **SCHOLAR SERVICES** (ISSS) provides advising and assistance to international students, scholars, and employees.



GLOBAL LEARNING oversees study abroad programs, the UCDC Washington, D.C. program, global internships, and many other international programs that involve a wide range of students.



LIONEL CANTÚ QUEER CENTER

Resource Center is the nexus of support and advocacy for the LGBTQIA+ community at the UCSC. They create cocurricular experiences with students, staff, and faculty to challenge cisheteronormative understandings of gender and sexuality. With a goal of building a more inclusive campus community with and for all queer and trans people, they provide programming, workshops, and critical dialogues.







WOMXN'S CENTER

The UCSC Womxn's Center affirms the dignity and diversity of all womxn. The center continues and challenges feminist traditions by creating community space for all womxn and their allies to achieve individual and social change. The Center provides space, staff, and resources to encourage womxn's involvement in all aspects of university life and to establish and deepen connections with the Santa











Success (DSAS) provides campus-wide

coordination and leadership for student

departments, divisions, the colleges, and

administrative units. They are committed

sense of wellbeing for all UCSC students.

success programs and activities across

to promoting equity, inclusion, and a

DISABILITY RESOURCE CENTER



of services and accommodations to help ensure that students with disabilities have equal access to education and all aspects of campus life. Services include accommodations for exams, assistance with notetaking, access to assistive technology, training, and consultation.

CAPS is available to all

The DRC provides a wide range





students needing mental health support. They offer a variety of confidential and group support services, including counseling services, psychiatry, groups and workshops, referrals, and other resources, including a mobile response team.

SUMMER PROGRAMS

SUMMER EDGE is an opportunity to get started at UCSC before the rush of fall. You can take a required 2-credit course designed for newly admitted students, take a 5-credit course over the summer, and even live in campus housing with other incoming students.



SUMMER SESSION offers open enrollment, plus a large selection of online courses. Anyone can take courses at UCSC over the summer!





