

GRIT's Guide to UChicago PSD Diversity Resources



Student Groups

Within PSD:

- Society for Advancement of Chicanxs/Latinxs and Native Americans in Science (SACNAS): UChicago chapter of national SACNAS organization; professional development for students of color in STEM and other data driven sciences; organizes Midwest Regional Conference in April (ucsacnas.com) (ucsacnas@gmail.com)
- Out-in-STEM (oSTEM): student group for the awareness, advocacy, and professional development of LGTBQ+ scientists (oSTEMatUChicago@gmail.com)
- Graduate Recruitment Initiative Team (GRIT): group for the recruitment, retention, and advancement of marginalized students (URMs, LGBTQ+, womxn, students w/ disabilities) at UChicago (grit.uchicago.edu) (ucgrit@gmail.com)
- Association for Women in Science (AWIS)
- Women in Chemistry (WiC) (wic.uchicago.edu)
- Association for Women in Math (AWM)
- Women and Gender Minorities in Physics (WAGMIP) (<https://physics.uchicago.edu/page/diversity-inclusion>)
- Graduate Women in Computer Science (GWiCS)

Across campus:

- Black Grad Collective: community/social organization for black graduate students across all Divisions (<https://www.facebook.com/BlackGraduateCollective>)
- Hispanic-Latinx Resource Group (HLX): organization of Latinx students, faculty, and staff (<https://voices.uchicago.edu/bsddiversity/initiatives/resource-groups/hispanic-latinx-resource-group/>)
- International Students Association of Chicago: social, supportive community that advocates for programming for international students (internationalaffairs.uchicago.edu/page/student-organizations)
- FLI Network (First Generation, Low-Income, Immigrant and Allies Network): mentorship and support network for students (undergrad and grad), through Student Support Services (flinetwork.uchicago.edu)
- UChicago Chinese Students and Scholars Association (CSSA) (<http://www.cssa.uchicago.edu/contact>)
- AXIS: Community of allies dedicated to bringing disability related discussion, advocacy, and community service to UChicago (<http://axisuchicago.mystrikingly.com/>)

- Black Men Engaged (BME): Community and camaraderie among Black men at UChicago which serves to promote the importance of service, mentorship, and professional networking on and off campus (<https://voices.uchicago.edu/bsddiversity/initiatives/resource-groups/black-men-engaged-resource-group-2/>)
- Muslim Resource Inclusion Group: Advocacy and community for Muslim faith and religious practices (<https://voices.uchicago.edu/bsddiversity/initiatives/resource-groups/muslim-resource-group/>)

Service/Volunteer Groups:

- @rtifice: Tech/coding based outreach program in Hyde Park and Woodlawn (artificechicago.org)
- Expanding your Horizons: young women in STEM outreach program (eyhchicago.com) (so so so many more. Refer to Center for Civic Engagement for full list)

Institutional Offices

- Vice Provost's Office: Home of Diversity and Inclusion Initiative; foster inclusive campus climate (provost.uchicago.edu/issues/diversity)
- Center for Identity and Inclusion: consists of three separate offices:
 - Office of Multicultural Affairs (OMSA): advocate for and with students from marginalized identity groups, with a focus on racial and ethnic communities, to enhance the student experience (<http://omsa.uchicago.edu>)
 - LGBTQ+ Student Life: support and uplift the university's LGBTQ-identifying student body through a mixture of inclusive programming, training, advocacy, and events (<http://lgbtq.uchicago.edu>)
 - Student Support Services: supports undocumented, low-income, and/or first-generation students (<https://inclusion.uchicago.edu/page/student-support-services>)
- UChicagoGRAD: professional development for grad students; interviews, fellowships, networking, etc. (grad.uchicago.edu)
- Chicago Center for Teaching: developing teaching practices with the goal of enhancing learning (teaching.uchicago.edu)
- Center for Civic Engagement: Fosters and facilitates active community engagement and connections (<https://civicengagement.uchicago.edu/>)

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