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The Student Union Memorial Center (SUMC) is among the largest Unions in the country. The 405,000 sq. ft. student-friendly Union incorporates long-standing traditions and landmarks of the original Memorial Union and offers essential dining, retail, involvement, entertainment, and student services to the University community.

The SUMC allows for many formal and informal settings where students, faculty, staff and the community can interact. It is a place where ideas are born, community activities take place, and where student concerns and interests are shared and debated, making the Union a dynamic, living, memory-making campus experience.

You will find ethnic restaurants, a food court, a US Post Office, shaded terraces and sidewalk seating, the CatCard office, the Grand Ballroom, the UA Bookstore complex, 23 meeting rooms, The Cellar (housing a computer lab, TV lounge, Games room, Cellar Bistro, all open until 1am daily), the Career Services Center, the Kiva lounge, ASUA (student government), movie theatre, banking and copy services, the Center for Student Involvement & Leadership, a hair salon, a convenience store, and many other programs and services for students.

The Arizona Student Unions provide a sense of community and “a home away from home” to tens of thousands of students. The mission of the Arizona Student Unions is to balance the diverse educational, recreational, cultural and social needs of The University of Arizona’s students, community and visitors with its facilities, programs, and services. We provide the following key services to students and the UA campus community:

- Dining Services (more info. below)
- Center for Student Involvement & Leadership (more info. next page)
- Meal Plans (more info. below)
- Automated teller machines
- Campus Concessions
- Catering Services
- Convenience Stores
- Gallagher Theater
- Fast Copy (quick copy, graphic design)
- Locker Rentals
- Lounge and Study Areas
- Meeting Rooms
- Retail Services: Great Clips, Kaplan Test Prep, Wells Fargo Bank
- Room, Event & Mall scheduling
- Union Food Stops
- Union & Kiva Galleries
- US Post Office & Mailboxes
- The Cellar (open late): Cellar Bistro, Computer Lab, Games Room, TV Lounge

The University of Arizona is proud to offer one of the finest college dining services in the country. There are over 35 different eateries, conveniently situated throughout the campus to meet your dining needs. From traditional, cafeteria dining to national franchises—the University of Arizona Student Unions will provide you with their very best!

Student Union Memorial Center features:

- **3 Cheeses & a Noodle**—Italian ristorante
- **Burger King**—great burgers, fries & more, made your way
- **Cactus Grill**—homemade breakfasts, hot lunches and dinners, grilled sandwiches, desserts and salad bar, IQ Smoothies
- **Canyon Café**—gourmet coffees, espressos
- **Cellar Bistro**—As organic as we can make it. Delicious hot meals day and night
- **Chick-fil-A**—chicken sandwiches & salads...
- **Core**—create your own salad from 50 toppings

Park Student Union features:

- **Park Avenue Dining**
Cereal Bar, Hotline Entrees, IQ Smoothies, On Deck Deli, Route 66 Grill, Corner Café, Salad Bar, Sunset Strips

Other dining services:

For students on the go, quick meals and snacks are available at the Union Food Stops and Hot Dog Carts located at: AME bldg., Harvill bldg., Main Library (Bookend Café), McClelland Hall (Eller Deli), McKale Center, Nugent bldg., Student Recreation Center, Social Sciences bldg., Keating bldg. (Nucleus Café), and the Highland Market (grocery store, deli and coffee house).

- **IQ Fresh**—healthy smoothies, wraps & salads
- **Mesa Room**—fine dining on campus
- **On Deck Deli**—gourmet custom sandwiches
- **Panda Express**—authentic Chinese food
- **Papa John’s**—pizza and salads
- **Redington Restaurant**—all-you-can-eat gourmet buffet
- **Sabor**—full service modern Mexican cuisine
- **Starbucks**—located in the UA BookStores
- **U-Mart**—groceries, grab-n-go sandwiches, drinks, frozen ices, snack
- **Park Avenue Market**—groceries, snacks, convenience items
- **Bagel Talk**—bagels and sandwiches
- **Core**—create your own salad or quesadilla
- **La Petite Patisserie**—pastries, sweet and savory crepes, fruit smothies, espresso

meal plans

The University of Arizona provides students with responsive food programs and nutritious meal plans. The four different Meal Plans are each designed to meet the various dining needs of today’s student. All plans are exempt from state tax and the plus plans offer additional bonuses up to 10% on every food purchase on campus. All meal plans are accessed through your UA CatCard at all campus dining locations and work just like a debit account. You simply present your card at time of purchase and the amount is deducted from your meal plan account. **For more information, call 621-7043.**

The Center for Student Involvement & Leadership (CSIL) offers many comprehensive programs and services including:

Campus Community Connections • 621-8046

University wide traditional, and social justice programs are designed to support, challenge, and bring together our student community outside the classroom. In the development of an involved student community, Campus Activities recognizes Clubs, provides leadership education programs, funding opportunities, and guidance for student organizations and their advisors. The Campus Activities team oversees Union programming spaces designed to support the interactive and experiential learning including the Games Room, Art Galleries, Gallagher Theater and Park Student Union.

Off-Campus Housing & Commuter Resources • 621-5859

Students who live off-campus, whether ten miles away or just across the street, are considered "commuter students." Off-Campus Housing and Commuter Resources is committed to helping students achieve a successful experience at the University of Arizona by providing information and opportunities to get students involved and connected to campus life. Some services offered include: Commuter Student Lounge • Off-Campus Housing Services (Housing Guide, Weekly Housing List, Roommate Matching, Apartment Rush, Off-Campus Living Fair) • Commuter Student Association • 25+ CATS (club for undergraduates 25 years and older)

Student Organization Recognition Services • 621-8046

Over 500 student clubs and organizations are recognized at The University of Arizona. Leadership education programs, funding opportunities, and guidance are offered regularly to student organizations and their advisors. Log on to: www.union.arizona.edu/clubs for a current listing of organizations, resources, and contact information.

Union Galleries • 621-5853

The Union Galleries in the Student Union Memorial Center offers a unique collection that features a variety of media, which is on display year round. The Union Galleries have served the community since 1973 by exposing visitors to original art by regional and nationally prominent artists. The galleries heighten awareness of both current and ongoing issues and creative processes, which encourages open dialogue and personal introspection.

Fraternity & Sorority Programs • 621-8046

Approximately 10% of the UA undergraduate population is affiliated with 50 fraternities and sororities. A tradition on campus since 1915, Greek Life offers students unique opportunities in leadership, service, athletics, and social arenas. Recruitment and intake are offered at varied times of the year by each chapter.

Leadership Programs • 621-8046

Leadership enrichment is a necessary and vital component of the college experience. 16 leadership courses for credit, **The Arizona Blue Chip Program**, and the **National Collegiate Leadership Conference** are among the programs designed for students from all backgrounds, with or without leadership experience. A range of resources, programs and activities are offered to help students identify and develop personal qualities and enhance leadership skills.

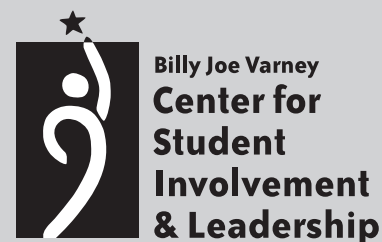
Social Justice Programs • 621-8046

Social Justice programming is one of the liveliest and most requested areas of learning and events from UA students. CSIL is glad to respond by focusing the campus on the various **heritage months** (such as Black History, Hispanic Heritage, Asian-Pacific American, Women's Herstory Month), as well as specific **workshop series**, **film series**, and collaborations bringing social justice to our community.

The Cellar • 621-1450

Comprising the lowest level of the SUMC, this area features: the Games Room (video and pinball games, pocket billiards); the Cellar Bistro (restaurant and entertainment venue/non-alcoholic night club); a Computer Lab and a TV lounge.

The Cellar is the one campus place where students can meet, study, relax, eat or just have fun in a safe, secured space that's open late.



The Billy Joe Varney Center for Student Involvement & Leadership offers all students the opportunity to discover their leadership potential—connecting with other students, and helping them learn from a rich menu of experiences. By getting involved in any of the exciting programs and leadership opportunities in the Center for Student Involvement & Leadership, students will significantly enhance their University of Arizona experience, be more likely to complete their college degree, and get a head start to their future.

The Center for Student Involvement & Leadership is located in Room 404 of the Student Union Memorial Center. For more information call 621-8046 or go online to:

www.union.arizona.edu/csil



FACTOIDS

DID YOU KNOW?

The Arizona Student Unions and UA BookStores are the primary occupants (along with Career Services & ASUA) in the new Student Union Memorial Center. Here are some facts about the student services and programs both provide:

Arizona Student Unions

- We provide opportunities to ten student-run committees (with over 400 members) to facilitate over 200 programs every year including Family Weekend.
- We employ over 800 students every semester, providing training, competitive wages and work schedules based on their educational needs first, and employment second.
- We offer leadership training, workshops, courses for credit and programs.
- We guide and assist some 500 student organizations.
- We are the only campus resource for advice and information on finding off-campus housing.
- Over 35,000 people visit the Unions daily.
- We conduct more than 25,000 cash transactions daily.
- We facilitate Wildcat Welcome to orient new students to campus.
- We are the founder and home of the Arizona Blue Chip Leadership Program.
- We provide needed services such as banking, photocopying, a Post Office, locker rentals, computing labs, game rooms, network connectivity (over 900 ports), recreation and convenience stores.
- We advise and support 50 fraternities or sororities on campus.
- We assist students living off campus by helping them make connections on campus.
- We are the center for activities, programs and services for commuter students through our Commuter Student Affairs office.
- We advise and support the University Activities Board, Family Weekend and campus concerts.
- We produce some 2 million pages of copy materials in support of course work.
- We are open seven days a week, 16 hours a day, always offering students a place to connect and get needed services when classes are in session.
- We provide some 35,000 square feet of space for programming, meetings, concerts, fairs, orientations and other events.
- We serve 25,000 meals per day, over 150,000 per week to students, staff and faculty in over 30 eateries.
- We provide dining and catering services for the entire campus.
- With Art Galleries and a permanent collection of 200 pieces, we provide a variety of exhibits and shows monthly.
- We provide concessions for all athletic events.
- The Grand Ballroom can seat 2,000 people.
- With 23 state-of-the-art meeting rooms, we host thousands of meetings a year.
- We are more than you think!

UA BookStores

- The BookStores Focus: Academic Excellence, International Belonging, Faculty Achievements.
- The BookStores gives \$1.3 to \$1.7 million dollars back to the University community. Support is given to Commencement, Faculty Fellows Speaker Series, Student Government (ASUA), Student Clubs and Organizations and Intercollegiate Athletics.
- The BookStores have collaborative agreements with UA Press, UA Presents, International Student Affairs, Academic Advising and the Honors College.
- Undergraduate and graduate internships and numerous class projects are offered through several academic colleges.
- International flags at the entry honor over 130 countries represented at the UA.
- Student scholarships are provided each year from BookStores proceeds.
- Your purchase helps support student services and helps keep the cost of textbooks under control.
- EMERGENCE: the central stairway was designed by UA alum Gerald Dawavendewa. The stairway depicts the story of evolution and creation through Native American imagery.
- EMERGENCE has become a focal part for the BookStores emphasizing the importance of Native Americans to the future of the UA.
- A nine screen video wall showcases academic and cultural programs.
- We are committed to the Academic community and have included space for academic referral information.
- More than 75,000 book titles are available in the store.
- Approximately 500,000 titles are available at our web site.
- We offer free Delivery on campus for general books purchased from the store or on-line.
- New and used textbooks are available for undergraduates and graduate students.
- The BookStores has almost 63,000 sq. ft., with over 28,000 sq. ft. devoted to the sales floor (nearly triple the former store).

