LIVING LEARNING COMMUNITIES
We put the **social** in social studies.

Learning happens everywhere at UCLA, and our capacity for learning improves when we discover our passions and explore new ideas.

Our eleven Living Learning Communities—or LLCs for short—gather residents from diverse backgrounds to promote their common interests in a collection of inclusive and supportive spaces within our on-campus housing community.

When we discover the things we have in common, we open ourselves up to the rarest and most transformative kind of higher education. Enrich your UCLA experience by joining a Living Learning Community.

Visit [reslife.ucla.edu/livinglearning](http://reslife.ucla.edu/livinglearning) for more information on our Living Learning Communities.
GLOBAL HEALTH

How does our world shape our wellness? The Global Health LLC combines the life sciences, social sciences, humanities, and engineering to promote the value of equitable health practices at UCLA and beyond. With close ties to public health organizations, this community advances our understanding of health as a dynamic social system and advocates for greater well-being on campus.

GENDER, SEXUALITY & SOCIETY

Did you know the word “intersectionality” was coined by a UCLA law professor? The Gender, Sexuality & Society LLC explores the intersectionality of queer identities while providing a safe and welcoming space for residents to be their ideal selves. This floor sheds light on queer history and crafts meaningful and memorable experiences for all colors of the rainbow.

Every aspect and intersection of your identity is welcome here. We affirm you and we validate you.

—Jacob Eastlick
Intern
AFRIKAN DIASPORA

There are many different ways to identify as Black. The African Diaspora LLC commits itself to the development and representation of these identities for the entire campus. With a rich history of community involvement and activism, this LLC supports residents by fostering critical thought and celebrating culture in the pursuit of excellence.

SUSTAINABILITY

When you grow from within, your world grows with you. The Sustainability LLC impacts our campus by being mindful of the things we do every day—what we eat, what we drink, what we consume—and extending that mindfulness to others through inviting and nurturing community initiatives. By approaching sustainability on every level, this floor translates local outreach into global impact.
PUBLIC SERVICE & CIVIC ENGAGEMENT

Join the movement. The Public Service & Civic Engagement LLC educates residents about their role within the institutions that shape our country, state, city, and campus. Through advocacy initiatives and a year-round facilitation of open dialogue, this LLC cultivates meaningful change in student and public affairs.

CHICANX/LATINX

El pueblo unido jamás será vencido.
The Chicanx/Latinx LLC supports equal access to academic resources in an environment that understands where you’re coming from. Embracing and celebrating dozens of Latinx cultures, this floor carries the long tradition of Chicanx activism and unity on the UCLA campus and supports students in all their endeavors.

Getting into college is hard but staying in school can be harder. We remind residents that they are worthy of their spot here.

—Rachel Medel
Resident Assistant
PILIPINX

In English, we say “community.” In Tagalog, we call it kababayan. The Pilipinx LLC facilitates higher learning by nurturing a unique sense of kababayan through food, family, friendship, and fun. This LLC reveals the overlooked history of Pilipinx culture to its residents and highlights the nuances of the modern Pilipinx and Pilipinx-American experience for everyone on The Hill.

I knew I was Pilipino my entire life, but I didn’t know what it really meant until I was at UCLA.

—Justine Banal
Resident Assistant

CREATIVE COLLECTIVE

For creatives, making something out of nothing means everything. We are the storytellers, the music-makers, poets, artists, designers, movers, and dreamers. The Creative Collective LLC champions the creativity to interpret and express the world around us and within ourselves, making connections that bring our campus community together. From performance majors to STEM majors and everyone in between, this community nourishes your creative spirit.
FIRST TO GO

If your family doesn’t have a tradition of going to college in the U.S., UCLA Housing has a place for you here. The First to Go LLC helps residents make the transition to life at a large university and flourish in their academic and personal journey. By increasing the visibility of the first-generation experience, this floor opens the door to future Bruins from all walks of life.

My favorite thing about this floor is the people. They’re so welcoming!

—Richy Trejo
Resident

TECHNOLOGY & INNOVATION

The right community can turn your ambitious idea into a bold new reality. The Technology & Innovation LLC ignites the creative spark in its residents by implementing new tools, programs, and processes in an inspiring environment fueled by a determined optimism. On this floor, residents mentor and educate each other as they invent and collaborate to build a better future.
TRANSFER EXPERIENCE

Bruins can come from anywhere. The Transfer Experience LLC extends the one-of-a-kind immersive culture of on-campus housing to transfer students. This community instills a sense of pride and confidence among transfer residents, and it’s one of the reasons why the Washington Post ranked UCLA as the top transfer school in the country.

Knowing that you only have so much time, you want to make the most of it. And that’s what you’ll be doing in an LLC.

—Ali Valdez
Resident Assistant

HOW TO APPLY

If you’d like to apply for a Living Learning Community, select “Living Learning Community” in Question 4 of your UCLA Housing application and select your top three LLC preferences in Question 5.

First-Year Students must submit their housing application and Living Learning Community preferences by May 1.

Transfer Students must submit their housing application and Living Learning Community preferences by June 1.

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