


# THE UMD BLACK BOOK

2019-2020 Edition



*To the UMD Black Community:*

**Welcome to the first edition of the UMD Black Book! Our hope is for this booklet to be an in-depth guide to the black experience at the University of Maryland. This book was modeled after Duke University's own Black Book, which sought to inform incoming black students of their resources on campus.**

**There is a lot to take pride in our university's Black Community. However, given the size of our school, these resources do not always reach those who need it. We intend for this book to centralize all the information pertinent to black student life.**

**We strive to accurately represent every part of our community, but we understand that this information may not be all-encompassing. Therefore, all additions and corrections to the book.**

**We would like to thank all of the amazing students and organizations who helped us along the way. We could not have written the book without them. Special thanks to Nyumburu Cultural Center for their continued guidance and support.**

**Best,**

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The mission of the Nyumburu Cultural Center is to promote an understanding of and appreciation for African-American Culture in all of its richness and complexity. In carrying out its mission, the Nyumburu Cultural Center strives to improve the life for African-American students and students of the African Diaspora, both undergraduate and graduate; to foster greater involvement of these students in campus programs and initiatives; to instill in these students an informed consciousness of their African-American, Caribbean, and African heritages; and to improve retention and graduation rates of these students.

The Nyumburu Cultural Center provides students, faculty/staff, and community members with an endless array of edifying, dynamic, and entertaining events, programs, and opportunities. Nyumburu has served as a "Home Away from Home" for many students for 48 years. **Spreading the richness of the African Diaspora to the UMD community has always been at the heart of Nyumburu's mission.**

In the various events and activities it sponsors, the Center also acknowledges, recognizes and solicits contributions of other heritages. Such efforts to cross boundaries and to intersect with other campus circles make the Nyumburu Cultural Center an excellent place for cultural exchange, intersectionality, and collaborations which enables the University of Maryland to make greater strides in achieving genuine cultural pluralism. To keep track of upcoming events hosted by Nyumburu, make sure to keep track of their [calendar](#).

See you at Nyumburu, home of Black UMD Life!

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[www.nyumburu.umd.edu](http://www.nyumburu.umd.edu)



# **Black Terps' guide to: ON CAMPUS RESOURCES**



\*Note: Besides titles, all underlined items are hyperlinks!\*



## *Career Center*

Established in 1961, the University Career Center serves all enrolled students of the University of Maryland, College Park campus. Its highly-trained staff and progressive resources, services and programs provide comprehensive support throughout all stages of the career development process.

The Career Center aims to empower all University of Maryland students to realize their full career potential. Its mission is to provide education, advising, experiential learning, professional connections, and direct access to opportunities through progressive high-quality services, resources, instruction, and programs that support the career readiness of students.

Amongst many other services, the career center:

- Teaches students to use career exploration
- Helps navigate student job search resources
- Coaches students in professional behaviors
- Conducts individual advising appointments

3100 Hornbake Library,  
College Park, MD 20740  
Phone: 301.314.7225



## *Center for Minorities in Science and Engineering*

Established in 1981 as a unit within the School of Engineering, the Center for Minorities in Science and Engineering provides academic support services and outreach programs designed to recruit, retain, and graduate African American, Hispanic American, and Native American engineering students. The Center for Minorities in Science and Engineering is committed to the recruitment, retention, development, and graduation of underrepresented minority pre-college, undergraduate and graduate students in engineering.

Some of the resources provided by the CMSE include:

- LSAMP:
  - ◆ Aims at increasing the number of students who earn doctorates in STEM fields, particularly those from populations underrepresented in these fields through various programs
- Annual Student Recognition and Alumni Celebration event:
  - ◆ Recognizes minority engineers for their outstanding academic achievement.
  - ◆ Showcases Alumni and there will be networking opportunities with

1131 Glenn L. Martin Hall  
Building  
College Park, MD 20740  
Phone: 301.405.3878



## *Counseling Center*

The University of Maryland Counseling Center is committed to providing culturally sensitive services to the campus community and developing the multicultural capacities of its staff. Given the diversity of their student population, help-seekers come to the Counseling Center with varied experiences specific to their racial and ethnic membership, gender, sexual identity, social class, religious affiliation, nationality, and/or disability status. They strive to offer services and programs that are inclusive, and give voice to these varied experiences, by providing a safe place to be heard, appreciated, and accepted.

The counseling center provides individual counseling services, as well as many other services:

- Couples Counseling
- Drop in hours for Minorities and LGBT students (3-4pm Monday-Friday)
- Group counseling
  - ◆ Women of Color
  - ◆ Circle of Sister (Black/African Women)
  - ◆ LGBT+Support Group
  - ◆ Men's General Therapy Group
  - ◆ International Student Support Group
  - ◆ Graduate Diversity Discussion Group

### **Shoemaker Building**

4281 Chapel Lane

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**Main Phone Number:** 301.314.7651

**After Hours Crisis Support:** 301. 314.7651

**ADS:** [301) 314-7682



## *Eppley Recreation Center*

The Eppley Recreation Center facilitates physical activity which provides better sleep, improved mood, a stronger immune system, social connection with others, and more energy. Make sure to utilize this vital resource! Activity helps students manage stress and symptoms of depression and anxiety. In addition to these wellness benefits, being active also helps students achieve academic success by boosting mental focus, attention and alertness, and priming the brain for learning.

Eppley invites every member of the university community to discover their inner Active Terp and find a physical activity they enjoy doing. Recreation is for everyone and there is something for everyone at RecWell. Here are just a few examples of the amazing features and activities available in Eppley:

- Cardio Machines
- . Fitness Studio
- Gender-inclusive locker rooms
- . Group fitness options
- . Two multi-use gymnasiums with 2 basketball/volleyball courts in each gym
- . Outdoor aquatic center
- Adventure program
- Climbing wall
- . A sauna + steam room.

1115 Eppley Recreation Center,  
College Park, MD 20742  
**Phone:** 301.226.4400



## *Health Center*

The University Health Center was founded in 1901. It is accredited by the Accreditation Association for Ambulatory Health Care for over 30 years. The Human Rights Campaign has also designated the University Health Center as a Leader in LGBTQ Healthcare Equality, and are Green Office Silver level certified. The University Health Center is staffed by over 100 diverse college health and wellness professionals who serve a myriad of student, staff and faculty needs.

Examples of **some** of the various services provided by the UMD Health Center :

### **Clinical and Behavioral services**

- Primary care
- LGBT healthcare
- Women's Health
- Men's Health
- Substance use treatment
- ADHD services
- Suicide prevention training

### **Wellness and Advocacy**

- Nutrition coaching services
- Free monthly HIV and STI testing options
- Stress Management
  - ◆ consultations
  - ◆ therapy dog visit
  - ◆ relaxation training)
- **Care to Stop Violence (sexual assault and advocacy services)**

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College Park, MD 20742  
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## **MICA**

The Office of Multicultural Involvement & Community Advocacy [MICA], a unit within the Adele H. Stamp Student Union and the Division of Student Affairs, empowers students through education on issues of race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, religion and their intersections. In support of UMD's commitment to diversity, multiculturalism, and social justice, they create a campus climate that capitalizes on the educational benefits of diversity, through student-centered advising, advocacy, programs, research, and practices. The results in positive student outcomes observable in their learning, identity development, involvement, and leadership. Here are a few of the student involvement areas in MICA:

### **Black Alliance Network**

Unites many Black organizations together. They serve as a liaison body between the black student community and administration at the University of Maryland, College Park. In addition, BAN organizations work to encourage co-sponsored events amongst black student organizations.

### **Black Student Involvement**

The unit advocates for the educational, social, and cultural needs of students through peer and faculty-staff mentoring.

### **LGBT Student Involvement**

LGBTQ+ Student Involvement and Advocacy promotes student development and campus participation for students who identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, questioning, intersex, and diverse sexual/gender minorities.

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Union  
College Park, MD 20742  
**Phone:** 301.314.8600



## **MICA Resources**

**Want to get involved? Make sure to check out these MICA programs and resources:**

### ***Black student-specific resources***

- Black History Month planning committee
- Black Monologues during BHM Students share their experience of blackness
- UNITY Newsletter: Bi-weekly journal about what is going on campus that is of interest to Black UMD
- Community Organizing Student Intern (COSI) Program (check page (insert page number) for more info)
- Black Leadership Course (HESI 418B )

### ***LGBT student-specific resources***

- Events
  - ◆ Quelcome in September
  - ◆ Queer Open Mie in October
  - ◆ HIV/AIDS exhibit at Stamp Gallery from October-December
  - ◆ UMD Pride Month in April
- Scholarship: Creating Change
- Advising for LGBTQ+ Students
- Queer agenda: workshop and leadership for queer students on campus in the Spring

Check out the MICA website for additional resources!

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# Nyumburu Resources

## Courses

ENGL 274 - Creative Writing  
MUSC 329E - Maryland Gospel Choir  
AASP 289V - Cultural Art Form: Blues  
AASP 289Z - Cultural Art Form: Jazz  
AASP498E - Critical Examination: Hip Hop Culture  
EDCP 107 - College/Career Advancements: Diversity Issues, Academic Strategies

## Reservations

The Nyumburu Cultural Center is available for reservations. The facility features two conference rooms, two kitchens, two computer labs, audio visual accommodations, and a multipurpose room. For more information please contact:

Ms. Anne Reese Carswell  
[301] 314-7759  
[carswell@umd.edu](mailto:carswell@umd.edu)

## Student Employment

There are many student employment opportunities available within Nyumburu. Position availability is based on current openings. Listed below are some of the student positions offered:

Programing Assistant  
Facility Management Assistant  
Technological Support Assistant  
Administrative Support Assistant  
Research Assistant

## Programs and Services

Annual Awards Ceremony  
Annual Student Welcome  
Black Explosion Newspaper  
Black Graduating Students Ceremony  
Black History Month Kickoff & Closing  
Black Student Ministry Program iWorship Service  
CAMP SHULE (Summer Program K-12th)  
Kwanzaa Celebration  
Miss Unity Scholarship Pageant  
News Break  
Nyumburu African Cultural and Political Education workshop  
Nyumburu/BMI Health Initiative  
Nyumburu/Alumni Homecoming Tailgate  
Nyumburu Media Collective  
Shades of Harlem (Performing Arts Ensemble)  
Juke Joint  
The Leadership Series  
The Literature Conference  
The Nyumburu Jazz Club

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*"Your Home Away  
from Home"*

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## OMSE

The Office of Multi-ethnic Student Education at the University of Maryland currently serves 12,353 multi-ethnic students. OMSE provides programs and resources that support the academic, personal and professional excellence of students. Many of the students served by OMSE are achieving at high rates of personal and professional excellence.

Nevertheless, there are others who are experiencing academic and personal challenges as outlined in UMCP's Office of Institutional Research Planning and Assessment data on undergraduate retention and graduation rates. The mission of OMSE is to serve undergraduate multi-ethnic students to increase rates of matriculation, retention, graduation, and overall GPA.

OMSE offers a myriad of programs to ensure the academic advance-

- Free, walk-in tutoring
- Soaring Achievers Program
- College Success Scholars
- Sister to Sister

## *Additional Resources on Campus*

The following is a list of only *some* of the vast resources UMD has to offer. Explore these resources further by following the hyperlinks for additional information. Beyond these resources, **make sure to reach out to advisors, professors, and upperclassmen** as they are also great resources!

### *Academic*

- Academic Learning Assistance: Many tools and resources for a successful school year
- Math Success: For help in introductory math courses
- Oral Communication Center: Offers presentation coaching
- Ronald E. McNair Scholar Program: For pre-doctoral guidance
- The Writing Center: Helps students improve their writing and research skills

### *Community Religion*

- Center for Muslim Life at UMD: A community for Muslim Terps. Join *Jum'ah* Prayers on Fridays in the Musallah located in Cole Activities Center.
- Memorial Chapel: Religious services, e.g. Black Ministries 10:30am-11:30am
- UMD Hillel: Check out the Hillel community and join Friday services!

### *Community Service*

- Alternative Breaks: Substance-free, community service-learning trips during winter, spring, and summer breaks
- America Reads: A reading tutoring program for first and second grade students that occurs twice-a-week
- America Counts: An after-school math tutoring program for fourth grade students that occurs twice-a-week
- Office of Leadership and Community Service-Learning
- Partners in Print: Provides a supportive environment where parents can discover how to help their children learn to read through workshops
- Pre-Health Office: Valuable information on applying to Medical, Dental, and Nursing school (amongst other pre-health programs)
- Pre-Law Office: Valuable information on applying to Law School
- Terps For Change: Connecting the university with the local community through sustained, collaborative, and meaningful community service-learning.

## *Additional Resources cont.*

### *Leadership*

- Maryland Leadership Advance: Designed for experienced leaders who are looking for the next step in their leadership journey
- Maryland Leadership Conference: Weekend-long program for intermediate leaders that enhances group leadership skills
- Maryland Leadership Summit: One-day program for beginning leaders to develop individual leadership skills
- MICA COSI Program: Paid internship experience for undergraduate students to assist in the development of education and research to support the MICA's mission and goals.
- MOSAIC Program: Two day experience focused on raising self-awareness, expanding knowledge, and encouraging action among diverse student leaders.
- Terrapin Leadership Institute: Five week-long leadership development program with 4 unique tracks

### *Scholarships*

- Black College Dollars: External Scholarships
- Many colleges offer scholarships for specific majors. See the list below:
  - A. Tames Clarke Engineering School database
  - College of Agricultural and Natural Resources
  - College of Arts and Humanities
  - College of Behavioral and Social Sciences
  - College of Computer, Mathematical, and Natural Sciences
  - College of Education
  - Philip Merili College of Journalism
  - Robert H. Smith School of Business
  - School of Agriculture, Planning, and Preservation
  - School of Public Health
  - School of Public Policy
- Fastweb: External Scholarships
- Maryland Parent and Family Association Scholarship
- National Scholarship Office: Offers minority opportunities for study abroad, research and graduate programs.
- United Negro College Fund: Scholarships for Black Students



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# ACADEMIC I Black Engineers Society



Although the Black Engineers Society is the UMD chapter of the National Society of Black Engineers, they are dedicated to serving all STEM students. Their mission is to recruit, retain, and release qualified minorities in the fields of computer science, engineering, mathematics, and physical sciences. BES strives to build a community where students can feel safe and supported as they pursue careers in otherwise white-dominated spaces. They prepare their members through professional workshops, study sessions, networking events and more. STEM is difficult, that's why it's important to have a community like BES to get you through it!

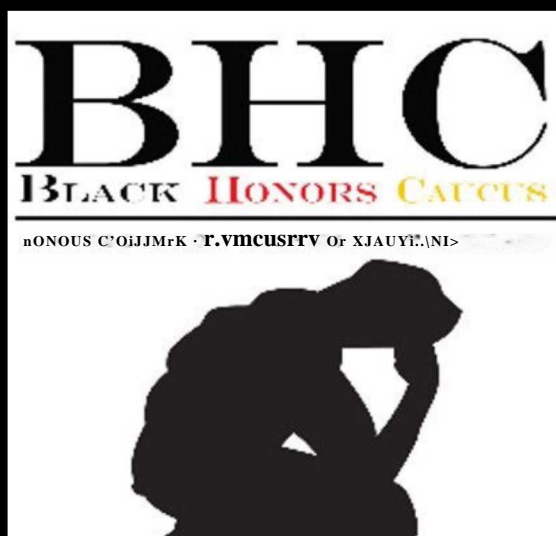
## Meeting Info:

Wednesdays at 5pm in Kim Engineering Building

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# ACADEMIC Black Honors Caucus



The mission of the Black Honors Caucus is to provide a space for black students and other minorities to convene on the basis of scholarship, creativity, and camaraderie in order to support its achievements of its members. They promote the development of black intellectuals. Additionally, they help to develop and motivate honor students excel in diverse environments. Finally, they also design and facilitate leadership workshops.

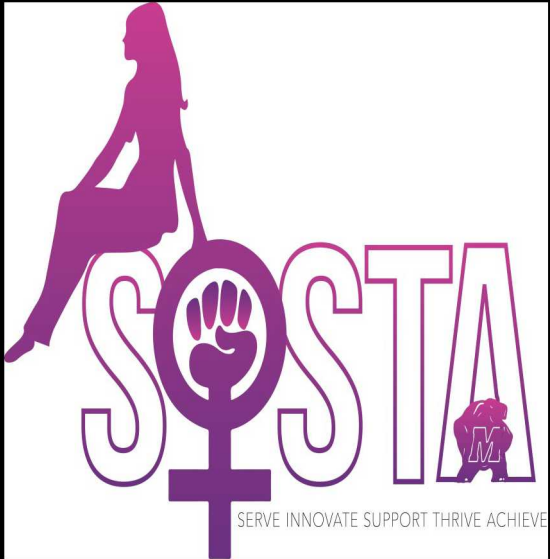
## Meeting Info:

Contact BHC

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S.I.S.T.A. is an effort to serve, innovate, support, thrive, and achieve. Their aim is to develop, guide, and uplift future women leaders through women empowerment, motivational webinars & discussions, and innovative workshops. They host events that work to acquire skills and confidence to be active, positive forces in College Park and surrounding areas. They are eager to provide resources to build up their future women leaders!

## Meeting Info:

S.I.S.T.A. does not hold weekly meetings, but events throughout the semester. They generally begin at 7pm

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**Having fun at college is great, but fun *won't* get you a degree. Never forget that your EDUCATION COMES FIRST! Be willing to invest in that, and the fun will come all on its own.**

**Black Terps' guide to:**

# **CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS**



All of these organizations are either *predominantly* Black Organizations or of interest to Black students. They do not discriminate by culture, race, nationality, etc. Anyone can join!



## CIVIC I Do Better UMD



Do Better UMD is a student-led organization dedicated to promoting personal growth, community service, and peer mentorship. They seek to bring its core values of self-improvement, service, and commitment to excellence to UMD. Rooted in having a good time and becoming better people, Do Better mobilizes its most valuable resource, the diverse student body, in order to challenge the standards of charity and service while promoting opportunities to aid its members in realizing their own capacities as role models and mentors. They aspire to work towards developing new models for civic engagement and building a community of selfless action.

### Meeting Info:

Every other Tuesday at 6:30. Contact Do Better UMD

Click here to getconnected:



## CIVIC I It's On Us



It's On Us is a student organization that is working to end sexual assault on college campuses around the world. It's On Us was founded by Former President Barack Obama and Vice President Joe Biden in September 2014 to start the work on preventing sexual assault on campuses. We have joined forces to make sure people feel safe on their colleges and universities no matter what. #It'sOnUs to stop sexual assault. Take the pledge at: [itsonus.org/pledge/](https://itsonus.org/pledge/)

### Meeting Info:

Tuesdays from 5pm-6pm or 6pm-7pm in ESJ

Click here to get connected:





Jaiyeroof, Inc. is a 501(c) 3 non profit organization , whose aim is to serve underprivileged communities in Nigeria. They strive to provide a platform for people to give back to Nigeria, by participating in yearly mission projects and promoting cultural inclusion.

## Meeting Info:

Varies, but approximately bi-weekly meetings. Contact Jaiyeroof for location

Click here to getconnected:



# CIVIC I Muslim Alliance for Social Change



MASC (Muslim Alliance for Social Change) seeks to create a politically and civically engaging environment for UMD students to address social justice issues present in both the Muslim community and other marginalized communities. MASC is a safe place for all students, especially those with marginalized identities, both within and outside the Muslim community.

## Meeting Info:

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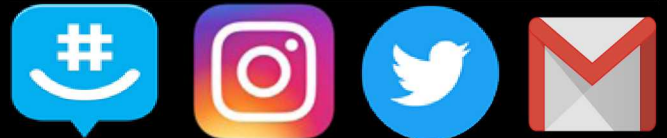


The mission of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) is to secure the political, educational, social, and economic equality of rights in order to eliminate race-based discrimination and ensure the health and well-being of all persons. We seek justice through different ways of outreach that affect minority communities. If you have a passion for civic engagement and fighting for marginalized people, join today!

## Meeting Info:

Bi-weekly Tuesday at 5pm in Nyumburu Multipurpose room

Click here to get connected:



# CIVIC I Student Success Leadership Council



We are a student-led organization that is dedicated to facilitating academic excellence among Black students. This organization is committed to sustaining and growing as a body of student leaders that actively serve to advocate for Black students at the University of Maryland, College Park through large-scale events

## Meeting Info:

Contact SSLC

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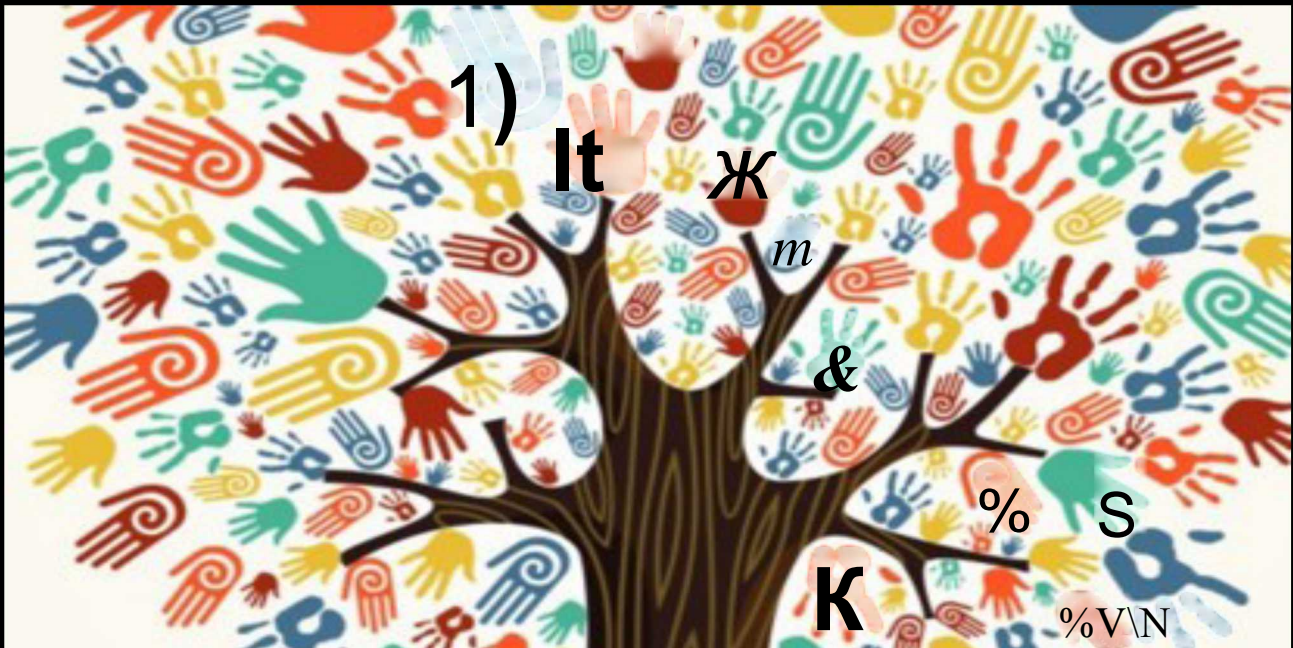




U.E.X.C.E.L. is a comprehensive program that promotes leadership skills to the university's freshmen, sophomore, and transfer students from marginalized communities. With this program, they want to directly connect with students from diverse backgrounds (African, African-American, Latinx, Asian, etc.) to enhance a sense of "belonging" and value. Through this program, participants will have the opportunity to be mentored by a diverse group of upper-class student leaders, as well as faculty and staff, while cultivating a positive environment that encourages teamwork with a 'grass-roots' approach.

Meeting Info  
TBD

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**Support, unity, and service are key pillars of any community. Lucky for you, these organizations dedicate themselves towards cultivating these essential elements in the black community.**

The image is a poster for Black Terps' guide to cultural organizations. It has a black background. In the center is a large white circle containing a black fist icon. Above the circle, the text "Black Terps' guide to:" is written in white, followed by "CULTURAL ORGANIZATIONS" in large, bold, white capital letters. Below the circle, there is a paragraph of white text: "All of these organizations are either *predominantly* Black Organizations or of interest to Black students. They do not discriminate by culture, race, nationality, etc. Anyone can join!". The poster is framed by a border of various national and organizational crests and flags. At the bottom, there is a paragraph of white text: "All of these organizations are either *predominantly* Black Organizations or of interest to Black students. They do not discriminate by culture, race, nationality, etc. Anyone can join!".



# CULTURAL I African Student Association



The mission of the African Student Association is to increase the awareness of diversity and multi-cultural aspects of Africa and the African people. The association also strives to spur interaction between ASA members and campus students of different races, ethnicities and religions. They hope to make this organization a meeting place and a tool of instruction and learning. A place where people from various fields of affluence and study will meet, discuss, and exchange ideas in the spirit of unity and humanity. The African Student Association will encourage all events that broaden the spheres of culture, society, education and community service.

## Meeting Info:

Wednesdays at 5pm in Nyumburu

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# CULTURAL African Student's Progressive Action Committee



The ASPAC is established for uniting students who are passionate about the advancement of Africa, and informing, educating, and discussing political, social, and educational issues present in African countries today. They give a voice to and represent African people in political, social, and economic despair. Finally, they aim to find solutions to problems facing Africa by hosting events such as their annual Benefit Concert, as well as hosting community service events and general body meetings.

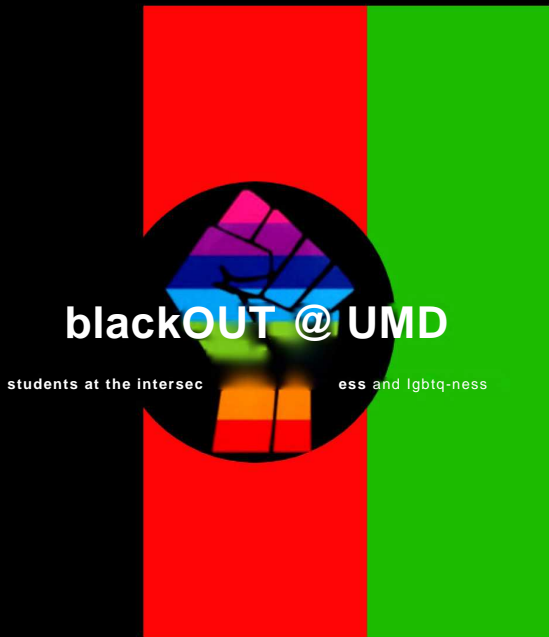
## Meeting Info:

2nd and 4th Mondays of every month at 5:30 PM in the Nyumburu Conference Room M

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## CULTURAL I BlackOut



BlackOUT is a safe space for our students at the intersection of Blackness and LGBTQness. All sexual and gender identities are affirmed in this space, including those of us who are questioning. Anyone Black and identifies under the LGBTQ umbrella is welcome and accepted here. We look forward to having discussions and events this semester while uplifting and supporting each other throughout.

### Meeting Info:

DM Cydnee Jordan for meeting information and access to the GroupMe

Click here to get connected:



## CULTURAL Black Male Initiative



The Black Male Initiative (BMI) Program is dedicated to the establishment of brotherhood, scholarship, and retention of Black Males at the University of Maryland. BMI has a commitment to impact the campus and wider communities through collective activism and leadership that promotes the uplifting and empowerment

### Meeting Info:

One Tuesday every month in Nyumburu

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## CULTURAL I Carribean Student Association



The Caribbean Students Association (CSA) was founded in 1974 at the University of Maryland, College Park. CSA continues its goal to enhance and celebrate Caribbean culture, politics, and history at the University through programming and community service. CSA also functions as a tool to educate members about the distinct and common features of the various territories that constitute the Caribbean. The organization provides a forum through which Caribbean social and cultural expression can be maintained.

### Meeting Info:

Bi-weekly Thursdays at 5pm in Nyumburu

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## CULTURAL I Ethiopian Eritrean Students' Association



EESA is a philanthropic student-run organization that raises funds to support a charity organization in both Ethiopia and Eritrea. They invite everyone to attend their weekly GBMs and festive events throughout the school year. Their meetings offer stimulating discussions regarding various issues surrounding Ethiopia and Eritrea. Additionally, they collaborate with other multi-ethnic organizations at UMD and in the DMV to raise awareness about matters that affect the humanity. They provide a lively environment where students have the opportunity to come together and form valuable relationships and meaningful bonds that can positively impact their future.

### Meeting Info:

Thursday at 6pm in Stamp's Thurgood Marshall Room

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## CULTURAL I Maryland M.A.N.E.



M.A.N.E. is established for the expressed purpose of building cohesiveness among the natural community and promoting self-love and acceptance at the University of Maryland. M.A.N.E. will serve as a support system for all those who exude confidence in, or aim to, enhance their natural lifestyle.

### Meeting Info:

Twice a month. Contact MANE for location

Click here to get connected:



## CULTURAL I National Council of Negro Women



The National Council of Negro Women, Inc. (NCNW) is a nonprofit membership organization founded in 1935 by Mary McLeod Bethune, a child of slave parents, distinguished educator and government consultant. The NCNW upholds the mission to lead, develop and advocate for all women, especially those of African descent. As they support their families and communities, NCNW addresses issues of human welfare and rights through public education, community service and advocacy.

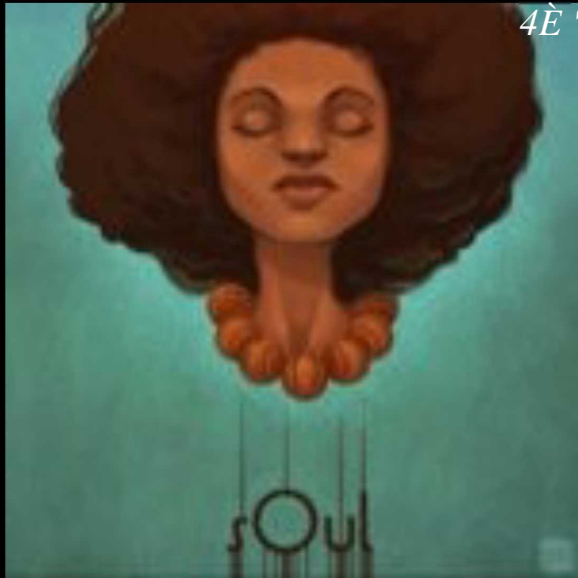
### Meeting Info:

2nd and 4th Thursday's 5:30-6:30 (May Change) in Nyumburu

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# CULTURAL I Sisterhood Of Unity and Love (SOUL)



4È "The empowerment of Black Women constitutes the empowerment of our entire Community."

- Kimberly Crenshaw

The Sisterhood of Unity and Love or S.O.U.L, is an organization dedicated to empowering and uplifting women of color on UMD's campus. Our mission is to create a welcoming, safe space where women of color are encouraged and supported in self discovery, self expression, and self improvement. The Sisterhood of Unity and Love aims to cultivate a sisterhood-like bond amongst its members through efforts of service, harmony, and achievement.

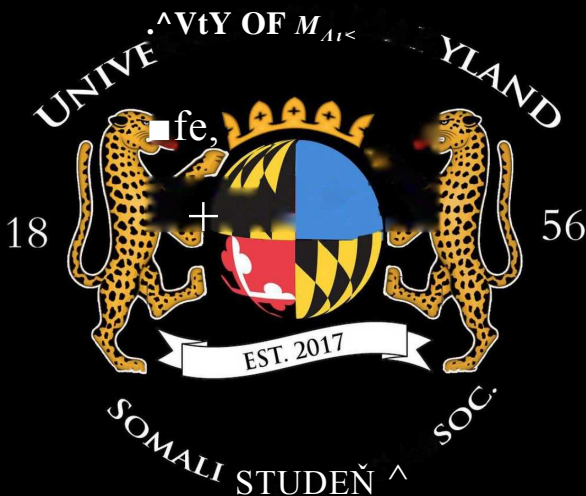
## Meeting Info:

1st and 3rd Thursday of the month, at 5pm in Nyumburu M-Level Conference Room

Click here to get connected:



# CULTURAL Somali Student Association



The Somali Student Association's mission is to serve as a medium for those in the UMD community that want to learn, contribute and become a part of Somali culture. SSA hopes to restore important dialogue and action that can improve the Somali community here and back home. In addition, they also aim to consistently collaborate with other cultural organizations on campus to promote unity, awareness and diversity on their campus.

## Meeting Info:

Tuesdays, 5 or 6pm (depends, updates on flyers on their social media!]

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The Maryland Gospel Choir strives:

1. To initiate and encourage Christian growth.
2. To encourage fellowship, leadership and community service.
3. To bring gospel music to the campus and surrounding areas.
4. To educate members on the gospel music genres.

## Meeting Info:

Every Thursday 7-9 pm @ 2201 Clarice

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**Culture is *everything* in the Black community. Remember to use this guide not only to meet those that share your culture, but to support cultures that differ from yours.**



# Black Terps' guide to: DANCE ORGANIZATIONS



All of these organizations are either *predominantly* Black Organizations or of interest to Black students. They do not discriminate by culture, race, nationality, etc. Anyone can join!

## DANCE I Afrochique



The Afrochique Dance Team is the first all-women African dance team at the University of Maryland, College Park. They perform at various showcases both on and off campus, portraying the beauty of various African cultures. They give their best at all events to engage the crowd. Their dance styles include, but are not limited to, Afrobeat, Highlife, Ndombolo, and Afrohouse. As a dance team their goal is to use their talents to spread cultural awareness not just on campus, but throughout the DMV as a whole.

Meeting Info:  
Look out for tryouts

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## DANCE I Diazporic



Diazporic is the University of Maryland's premier multicultural dance team. They aim to spread diversity around campus through their style of dance. Diazporic also helps to serve the community through their many service events.

Meeting Info:  
Look out for tryouts

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Determined Young New Artists Maintaining an Incredible Craft. That's the lifestyle Dynamic aims to uphold. They are a group of dancers who enrich the group with their individual diversity. They have various styles of hip hop with influences from old and new school hip hop, jazz, funk, African, etc. On Dynamic, you'll find a family and a home away from home. Make sure to dance with Dynamic! They would love to have you join their family.

Meeting Info:  
Look out for tryouts!

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## DANCE I Phunktions Hip Hop Company



Phunktions is a co-ed, contemporary hip-hop organization. They have grown to become a team integrated among others throughout the DMV. They are a team that primarily focuses on fusing a variety of dance styles together to create a versatile style of movement. Throughout each semester, they have several performances and competitions.

Meeting Info:  
Look out for tryouts

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## DANCE I Prima Dolls



Prima Dolls is a jazz-contemporary dance team that incorporates elements of hip-hop into dance pieces. The team emphasizes strong technique and big personality in their dancers, so if you fit the bill go join the Prima Dolls! They pride themselves on running the team in a pre-professional manner and are proud to have many alum who have gone on to pursue a professional dance career.

Meeting Info:  
Look out for tryouts

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## DANCE I Riddim Ryderz



Riddim Ryderz seeks to enhance and celebrate Caribbean culture, art, and history through dance. Beyond dance this organization enlightens its members and the campus community about Caribbean culture through music, theatre, fashion, and art. It is an inclusive entity for both skilled dancers and those interested in expressive movement to develop their skills as related to Caribbean culture. RR contributes to the greater West Indian/Caribbean community through education, mentorship, and community service.

Meeting Info:  
Look out for tryouts

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## DANCE I Star Shuttters



The Star Shuttters bring the lively culture of band dance to the University of Maryland. They share the beauty of band dance through poised, polished, and precise performance. Community is the cornerstone of any organization. That is why the Star Shuttters also make time to give back through a variety of service events. Although band dance is normally attributed to historically black colleges and universities, they strive to pay homage to its time honored customs and techniques.

### Meeting Info:

Look out for tryouts

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## DANCE I STEPP



STEPP (Student Toward Educational Progress and Philanthropy) is a step team, as well as a community service driven organization. They perform at various events around campus and the college park area. As a team they volunteer and host 3 to 5 service events a semester! You must tryout to be a stepper with the team. However, you are more than welcome to participate in their various service activities without trying out

### Meeting Info

Look out for tryouts

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Be sure to check out these amazing groups  
at one of UMD's many shows including:  
Homecoming Juke Joint, All Niter, Rip the  
Floor, and more!

Black Terps' guide to:

# RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATIONS



These religious organizations welcome everyone of different faiths to join them!

# RELIGIOUS I Adventist Student Fellowship



Adventist Student Fellowship is a student-led organization that focuses on leading people to Jesus Christ, ultimately as their Lord and savior. They are eager to minister to people on their campus and in the community. Adventist Student Fellowship is an all-inclusive organization, meaning anyone is welcome to worship with us! Finally, they proclaim to all people the everlasting gospel. This is done particularly in the context of the three angels' messages of Revelation 14:6-12 and the Great Controversy between Christ and Satan by uplifting the character of God and His law as revealed in the Holy Scriptures.

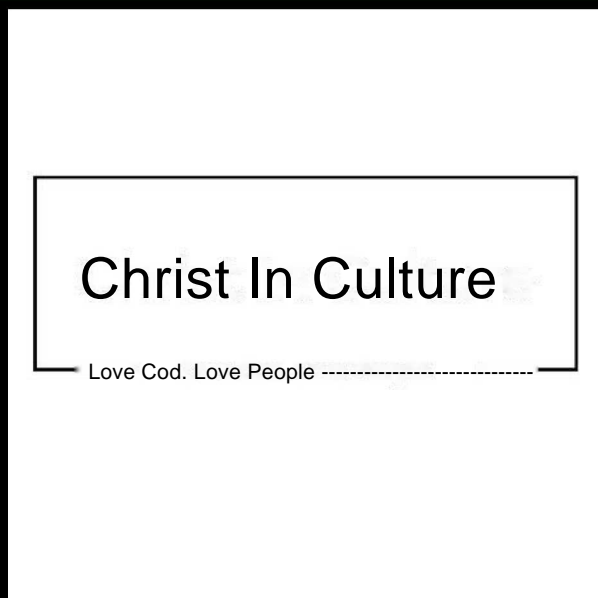
## Meeting Info:

Monday's and Friday's 6pm-8pm in Pyon Su (in Stamp)

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# RELIGIOUS I Christ in Culture



Christ In Culture, (C.I.C) is a movement of students at the University of Maryland who seek to understand, learn, grow in, and express their faith. They win, build, and send culturally-aware student leaders for the glory of Jesus Christ. Organizationally they exist as a sister organization to Cru, with whom they share common goals, resources, values, events and leaders. One of their main goal is to be a ministry on campus that caters to the needs of students from the African Diaspora and those from a greater urban background. They live by faith, educate through wisdom, and execute with passion.

## Meeting Info:

Nymburu Cultural Center - Tuesdays at 5:30pm - 7pm

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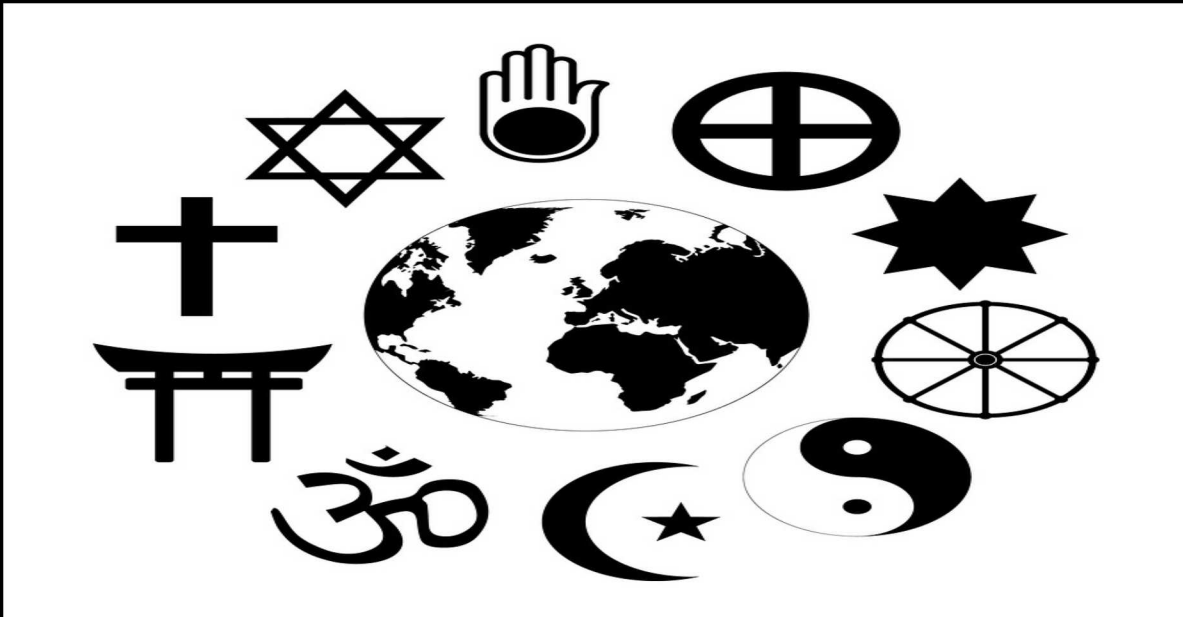


A community focused on welcoming students from all different walks of life; introducing, renewing and challenging their faith, and equipping them to be sent back out as agents of God's Kingdom. They believe in the Gospel of Jesus Christ and its power to restore and inspire us in their daily lives. With this in mind, they pursue relationships with those in unreached communities on and off campus. Through building relationships, they are able to learn and grow in Christ with one another by seeing how God is working in the experiences, cultures, and identities of one another.

## Meeting Info:

Thursdays 7:30pm TBD

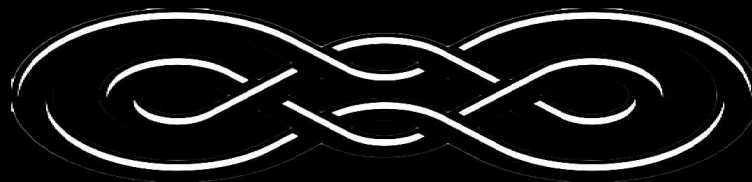
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College gets rough, so it's nice to have something to lift you up (besides the black community that is). If religion is a meaningful part of your life, these organizations can help guide you through these trying times.



# Black Terps' guide to: **SOCIAL ORGANIZATIONS**



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All Eyez LLC is a state-recognized business that aims to provide professional and community development through internships and other initiatives. Along with their professional development opportunities provided to students, they strive to bring the minority community at the University of Maryland together by hosting social events on and off campus.

Meeting Info:  
Marie Mount Hall

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## SOCIAL I Black Student Union



The Black Student Union is an organization that was created to represent the interests of Black undergraduates at University of Maryland, CP. Their aim is to create a space in which minority students can come to voice their opinions and concerns. They hope to create a place where Black students and other minorities at UMCP could grow in a tight knit community that would facilitate their college experience, especially at a Predominantly White Institution. They aim to enrich student life at the university culturally, intellectually, and socially to create diversity of thought and make their presence known to influence more equitable, fair policies.

Meeting Info:  
Mondays at 5PM in Nyumburu

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## SOCIAL I EnRage Models



En'Rage Models is an organization on campus focused on changing society's perception of what the typical model "should" entail. This organization is founded on self-empowerment, aiming to raise the self-esteem and confidence of students on campus through the expression of runway fashion, and choreography. En'Rage envisions a team of individuals, each with something unique to bring to the table. This is a team of models supporting, uplifting, and motivating each other to perfect their craft on the runway. En'Rage Models was founded by students in 2018 and has been growing ever since.

Meeting Info:  
TBA

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## SOCIAL I MasTERPiece



MasTERPiece seeks to provide a platform for fashion entrepreneurs and other artists who are interested in pursuing a career in the retail industry. They aim to educate students on the intersections of fashion and business. MasTER-Piece also aims to give fashion-interested students at UMD the opportunity to build community with each other.

Meeting Info:  
TBA

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## SOCIAL j Miss Black & Gold Royal Court



The Miss Black and Gold Royal Court serves as a female auxiliary to the brothers of the Iota Zeta chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. Their purpose is not only to represent the face of Alpha and the chapter, but to also provide a frame of reference as to what a woman should embody on campus. The court is made up of four titles: Miss Black and Gold, Miss Gold, Miss Black, and Miss 403 who represent the first place, first-, second-, and third-runner ups in the pageant respectively. The pageant itself is a scholarship pageant so obtaining one of the titles has as much to do with character as it does academic prowess.

### Meeting Info:

Based on availability of members.

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## SOCIAL j The Lunch Table



The Lunch Table LLC is a budding media company that aims to give a voice to the community through media, entertainment, and events. It was first founded by David Abraham at Towson University in 2015, and now has chapters at 8 universities in the tri-state area. The UMD chapter was established in 2017, and since then they have aimed to provide an educational and semi-professional space for budding creatives to practice their craft.

### Meeting Info:

Wednesdays at 7pm in SORC

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## SOCIAL I The Makeup Society

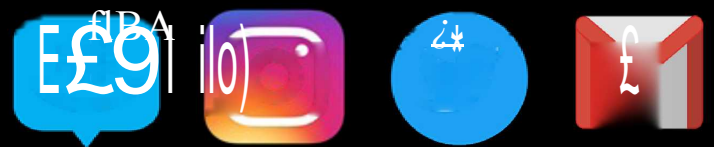


The Makeup Society at UMD was founded in 2017 by Paris Rowe to create a community for makeup lovers and beginners alike. The purpose of this organization is to share makeup and skin care tips, while also teaching individuals how to enhance their natural beauty with makeup. TMS welcomes any and everyone who is interested in makeup. From individuals who have never worn makeup to makeup connoisseurs, TMS will provide an exciting and non-judgmental space to both learn and expand upon one's makeup ability.

### Meeting Info:

Meeting times vary; they either meet in Stamp Student Union or Nyumburu

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## SOCIAL I UMD Black Achievements - GroupMe



UMD Black Achievements is a space where people can share their accomplishments, no matter how big or how small. Whether it's securing the bag with a new job or passing that exam that was stressing you out all week, they want to hear it! The chat is the space for us to congratulate and uplift one another, a space for student to share their excellence with other amazing people doing astounding things: starting businesses that need to be shared, overcoming adversities that need to be shared, surviving long weeks that need to be shared. Let the love and encouragement of this melanin-soaked community motivate and push you further in your journey.

### Meeting Info:

24/7 GroupMe

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Jayleen created the UMD Moves GroupMe after transferring into UMD and realizing that the groupchats dedicated to social justice or academic-related events were being bombarded by the promotion of social events or parties. This would yield important messages getting lost in the stream of the mass messages. With the UMD MOVES groupchat, people have a forum to send all of their promo and relating messages, allowing the professional groupchats to stay true to their original purpose/missions.

Meeting Info:  
24/7 GroupMe

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**You should always strive to achieve excellence, but burnout is *real*. Everyone needs a break from time to time, and the events thrown by these orgs just might do the trick.**



# Black Terps' guide to: THE DIVINE NINE



**NATIONAL PAN-HELLENIC COUNCIL**

NPHC organizations aim to serve the Black community. However, they do NOT discriminate by culture, race, nationality, etc. They welcome everyone!



# NPHC I National Pan-Hellenic Council



The National Pan-Hellenic Council, Incorporated at UMD is currently composed of five International Greek Fraternities and Sororities: Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc., Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc., Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. NPHC has worked to promote the interaction of Greek sororities and fraternities through forums, meetings and other mediums. They actively work to connect with other Greek councils as well as the campus community. To keep up with them follow them on social media and look out for their monthly newsletter, The Yard!

Check out the [UMD NPHC Twitter](#) for [The Yard Newsletter](#) to find out monthly events for all of the NPHC orgs!

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## NPHC | Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Inc., Theta Nu Chapter



Since 1974, the Theta Nu Chapter has continued to provide supreme service to the University of Maryland campus and the surrounding Prince George's County community. The Theta Nu Chapter continues to remain Supreme in Service To All Mankind, and exude the high scholastic and ethical excellence, leadership and lifelong sisterhood that was instilled in the heart of this sorority by their Founders.

Check out the [UMD NPHC Twitter](#) for [The Yard Newsletter](#) to find out monthly events for the AKAs!

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Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. - the oldest and coldest Black Greek Letter Organization in existence - has strived to develop leaders, promote brotherhood and academic excellence, while providing service and advocacy for our communities since its inception on Tuesday, December 4, 1906. The Infamous Icy Iota Zeta Chapter (IZ) was chartered on Saturday April 27, 1974 at UMD. For 45 years, IZ has stood at the forefront of the campus community, providing top tier programs, next level social events, and averaging 300 community service hours each year. Recent achievements of the chapter include 2019 Greek Organization of the Year and 2019 Stroll-Off Champions.

Check out the [UMD NPHC Twitter](#) for [The Yard Newsletter](#) to find out monthly events for the Alphas!

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## NPHC I Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc., Kappa Phi Chapter



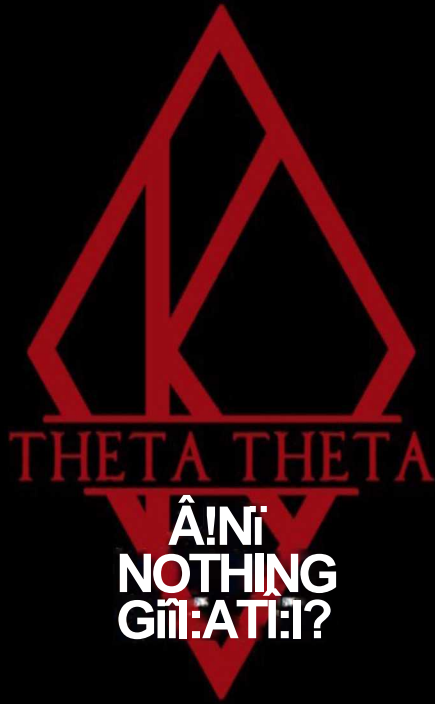
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. is an organization of college educated women committed to the constructive development of its members, as well as to public service, with a primary focus on the Black community. They host various programs and events throughout the semester that tailor towards their Five Programmatic Thrust: economic development, educational development, international awareness & involvement, physical and mental health, and political awareness & involvement.

Check out the [UMD NPHC Twitter](#) for [The Yard Newsletter](#) to find out monthly events for the Deltas!

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# NPHC I Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity Inc., Theta Theta Chapter



Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity Inc. is a fraternity that is built upon achievement, as their motto is achievement in every field of human endeavor. They stand by the values of brotherhood, service, integrity, and the advancement of society, particularly the underrepresented groups in their communities. Their founders created this fraternity to inspire others to live by these same values. They take young men that embody these values and all that they stand for, and train them for leadership both during their years as undergraduates and life after college. They have an emphasis on academics and community service through mentorship and active involvement.

Check out the [UMD NPHC Twitter](#) for [The Yard Newsletter](#) to find out monthly events for the Kappas!

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# NPHC I Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity Inc., Epsilon Psi Chapter



The Epsilon Psi Chapter, also known as the Body Chapter, of Phi Beta Sigma has been a prominent part of UMD's NPHC since 1972. They strive to promote Brotherhood, scholarship, and service through all of the events they host during the school year. Community service is one of their biggest goals, whether it comes from hands-on activities such as their "Semester Move In Program" or through fundraising events for various charities. They also like to host fun events such as Wildnout or family feud. Be sure to catch one of their performances at either All Nighter, the NPHC Stroll Competition, or the BlockShow.

Check out the [UMD NPHC Twitter](#) for [The Yard Newsletter](#) to find out monthly events for the Sigmas!

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**Black Terps' guide to:**

# **Student Entrepreneurs**





## Braids By Chi

Chioma Ekwunazu (Chi-Chi) is a rising Junior that specializes in hair braiding. She is well-versed in numerous styles, namely braids, faux locs, goddess locs, passion twists, short braids and crochet.

Contact info:

(443) 651-2965

Prices:

Fees vary, contact for specific prices

## InstaBeauty

InstaBeauty is an On-demand delivery service of beauty and self care needs delivered within an hour or less! InstaBeauty aims to partner with black owned businesses and beauty supply stores. Though its targeted audience is black women, their services are for ALL. InstaBeauty is also seeking convenient ways of obtaining beauty products.

Contact info:

(240) 582-4435



Prices:

Delivery fee: \$4.99

## Protocol Pursuit

Protocol Pursuit is a company selling natural affordable African products to help skin and hair prosper. In particular, they are known for their black soaps and Shea Butter.

Contact info:

(301) 221-6943

Prices:

Check [website](#) for exhaustive list

## Hair by Favour

Favour Onuoha specializes in box braids. In addition, she dabbles in regular single braids and bob braids.

Contact info:

(443) 872-9199

Prices:

Bob braids: \$65

Box braids: \$110+

Single braids: \$100+

## Mavana Nails and Waxing

This nail salon resides at 100 Gibbs Street, Unit H, Rockville, MD, 20850. As one of the only black-owned salons in the area, they contain workers various ethnicities and genders. They offer nail services, including acrylic, gel, and dip powder, eye lash services, and waxing services. They plan to offer makeup services soon.

Contact info:

(301) 424-0009



Prices:

Check [website](#) for exhaustive list

## Iced Out Comestics

Iced Out Cosmetics is a brand that caters to those most overlooked by today's cosmetics industry: dark skin women of color and the LGBT community. IOC also advocates for all communities.

Contact info:

(301) 424-0009



Prices:

Glitters: \$5 Lipgloss: \$7

Lashes: \$10

Lashbook: \$100

Highlighters: \$15

Pallettes: \$22

## Mujis Shea

FatiaTolu andAlimah Kasumu specialize in making light, fluffy whipped shea butter from Nigeria infused with nourishing oils. In addition, they sell African black soap and jeweled accessories from Southern Nigeria.

Contact info:  
(267) 540-3284



Prices:  
\$5-\$100 depending on quantity

## Shawna's Hair Services

Shawna McCarter specializes in a variety of protective styles. She does box braids of all sizes, marley twists, and crochet dreads. In addition, she also does sew-ins and makes closure/frontal wigs!

Contact info:  
(240) 346-1037

Prices:  
Box Braids:

- Small: \$110
- Medium: \$90
- Large: \$80

Marley twist:

- Small: \$90
- Medium: \$80
- Large: \$70

Crochet Dreads: \$70

Wigs: \$100

Sew-ins: \$90

Braid Down: \$15

## Nneka Onyima

Nneka Onyima is a rising Junior that specializes in makeup. She does a variety of different makeup styles ranging from full glam to a natural looks.

Contact info:  
(240) 706-0838



Prices:  
Natural: \$50  
Standard: \$55  
Fullglam: \$65

## Shots by Mo

Often times, Black people aren't represented in art and photography. Emmanuel Massalee uses photography to help reverse the exclusion of Blacks in art. Contact him for all photography inquiries.

Contact info:  
(301) 424-0009

Prices:  
Check [website](#) for exhaustive list

## Styles by Ari

Ariana Lawson is a natural hair artists. She does natural styles, braids, and twists. Her goal is to help everyone obtain beautiful, healthy, hair.

Contact info:



Prices:  
TBD

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## Airports

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Baltimore-Washington  
International Airport  
7050 Friendship Rd,  
Baltimore, MD 21250  
[800) 435-9294

Ronald Reagan National Airport  
2401 Smith Blvd,  
Arlington, VA 22202  
[703) 417-8000

Dulles International Airport  
1 Saarinen Cir,  
Dulles, VA 20166  
[703) 572-2700

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## Art Galleries

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Brentwood Arts Exchange  
3901 Rhode Island Ave,  
Brentwood, MD 20722  
[301) 277-2863

Pyramid Atlantic Art Center  
4318 Gallatin St,  
Hyattsville, MD 20781  
[301) 608-9101

University of Maryland Art Gallery  
2202 Art-Sociology Bldg,  
3834 Campus Dr,  
College Park, MD 20742  
[301) 405-2763

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## Beauty Supply Stores

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Beauty Center  
4748 Cherry Hill Rd,  
College Park, 20740  
[301) 220-1707

Super Beauty  
6062 Greenbelt Rd,  
Greenbelt, MD 20770  
[301) 220-2515

Chelsey's Beauty Supply  
3500 East-West Hwy,  
Hyattsville, MD 20782  
[301) 559-3577

Sally Beauty  
8036 New Hampshire Ave,  
Adelphi, MD 20783  
[301) 434-6260

My Hair Evolution  
10901 Rhode Island Ave,  
Beltsville, MD 20705  
[844) 823-9663

King Beauty Supplies  
7566 Annapolis Rd,  
Landover Hills, MD 20784  
[301) 918-1988

Beauty Island  
8503 Landover Rd,  
Landover, MD 20785  
[301) 322-4730



## **Black Cultural and Arts Centers**

Prince George's African  
American Museum and Cul-  
tural Center

4519 Rhode Island Ave, North  
Brentwood, MD 20722  
[301) 809-0440

Howard County Center of Af-  
rican American Culture Co-  
lumbia

5434 Vantage Point Rd,  
Columbia, MD 21044  
[410) 715-1921

The National Great Blacks in  
Wax Museum

1601 E North Ave,  
Baltimore, MD 21213  
[410) 563-3404

Reginal F. Lewis Museum

830 E Pratt St,  
Baltimore, MD 21202  
[443) 263-1800

Banneker-Douglas Museum

84 Franklin St,  
Annapolis, MD 21401  
[410) 216-6180

Sandy Spring Slave Museum

18524 Brooke Rd,  
Sandy Spring, MD 20860  
[301) 774-4066

African American Civil War  
Memorial and Museum

1925 Vermont Ave NW  
Washington, DC 20001  
[202) 667-2667

Anacostia Community Museum

1925 Vermont Ave NW,  
Washington, DC 20001  
[202) 633-4820

Frederick Douglas National  
Historic Site

1411 W St SE  
Washington, DC 20020  
[202) 426-5961

National Museum of African  
American History and Culture

1400 Constitution Ave NW,  
Washington, DC 20560  
[844) 750-3012

Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial

1964 Independence Ave SW,  
Washington, DC 20024  
[202) 426-6841

Mary McLeod Bethune Council  
House National Historic Site

1318 Vermont Ave NW,  
Washington, DC 20005  
[202) 673-2402

Smithsonian National Museum  
of African Art

950 Independence Ave SW,  
Washington, DC 20560  
[202) 633-4600

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**Daily Spas**

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Body Rejuvenations

4920 Niagara Rd #118,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 477-3737

Ivy Lounge Salon & Spa

6205 Baltimore Ave,  
Riverdale MD 20737  
[240) 582-5816

Massage Envy

10260 Baltimore Ave Ste L,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 313-0555

MYND Spa & Salon

7777 Baltimore Ave 4th Floor,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 699-4295

Essential Day Spa

10250 Baltimore Ave #D,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 313-9161

Skincare by Hadivah  
Facial and Wax Bar

4907 Niagara Rd#102,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 453-5002

Moonshadows Massage  
And Wellness

4907 Niagara Rd Suite 102,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 747-1802

Shine Massage and  
Wellness Studio

7307 Baltimore Ave Suite 111,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[240) 487-9427

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**Grocery and  
Membership  
Stores**

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Lidi

Baltimore Ave #8601,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[844) 747-5435

Shoppers

4720 Cherry Hill Rd,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 345-5996

Giant  
6000 Greenbelt Rd,  
Greenbelt, MD 20770  
[301)982-5482

The Caribbean Market  
7505 New Hampshire Ave,  
Takoma Park, MD 20912  
[301) 439-5288

Safeway  
3702 East-West Hwy,  
Hyattsville, MD 20782  
[301) 955-1941

MOM's Organic Market  
9801 Rhode Island Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 220-1100

Whole Foods Market  
6621-B Baltimore Ave  
Riverdale, MD 20737  
[240) 487-7575

Sunu Halal  
2063 University Blvd E,  
Hyattsville, MD 20783  
[301) 434-8230

Costco Wholesale  
10925 Baltimore Ave,  
Beltsville, MD 20705  
[301)902-2640

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## Hair: Barbershops

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Main event Barbershop  
8147 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 477-2264

Universal Barber Shop  
8801 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 474-2124

Urban Legendz Barbershop  
9651 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740

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## Hotels and Local Accommodations

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The Hotel at The  
University of Maryland  
7777 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 277-7777

Cambria Hotel College Park  
8321 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 595-2600

College Park Marriott Hotel  
& Conference Center  
3501 University Blvd E,  
Hyattsville, MD 207803  
[301) 985-7300

The Italian Inn

6221 Annapolis Rd,  
Hyattsville, MD 20785  
[301) 772-2100

Deluxe Inn

3910 62nd Ave,  
Hyattsville, MD 20784  
[301) 773-6500

ETTA MAE INN

703 New York Ave,  
Takoma Park, MD 20912  
[301) 495-0313

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## **Malls and Shopping Centers**

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Beltway Plaza Mall

6000 Greenbelt Rd,  
Greenbelt, MD 20770  
[301) 345-1500

Prince George's Mall

3500 East-West Hwy,  
Hyattsville, MD 20782  
[301) 559-8844

College Park Shopping Center  
7236-7370 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[240) 333-3600

Chestnut Hills Shopping Center

10474 Baltimore Ave,  
Beltsville, MD 20705  
[301) 657-9900

Adelphi Plaza

University Blvd E,  
Adelphi, MD 20783

Campus Village Shoppes

8147 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740

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## **Movie Theaters**

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AMC Academy 8

6198 Greenbelt Rd,  
Greenbelt, MD 20770  
[240) 297-6841

Regal Hyattsville Royale

6505 America Blvd,  
Hyattsville, MD 20782  
[844) 462-7342

AMC Center Park 8

4001 Powder Mill Rd,  
Beltsville, MD 20705  
[301) 937-9493



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## Nail Salons

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Revo Nail & Spa  
7408 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[240) 833-4848

1JM Nail Spa  
8145 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 477-1324

Kevin Nails  
4431 Lehigh Rd,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 779-2123

PG Nails & Spa  
6401 American Blvd Suite 170,  
Hyattsville, MD 20782  
[301) 779-5777

Nail Tiki  
3300 East-West Hwy,  
Hyattsville, MD 20782  
[301) 559-5300

Yoyo Nail & Spa  
2055 University Blvd E,  
Hyattsville, MD 20783  
[301) 328-5754

Mavana Nails & Waxing  
100 Gibbs St,  
Rockville, MD 20850  
[301) 424-009

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## Pharmacies and Drugstores

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CVS  
7300 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 277-6114

Hollywood Pharmacy  
9901 Rhode Island Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 345-3400

Rite Aid  
6130 Baltimore Ave,  
Riverdale Park, MD, 20737  
[301) 699-5004

Walgreens  
1329 University Blvd E,  
Takoma Park, MD 20912  
[301) 445-8159

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## Recreation & Fun

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Terpzone  
B0106 Stamp Student Union,  
University of Maryland,  
College Park, MD 20742  
[301) 314-9372

GoKart Track

4300 Kenilworth Ave,  
Bladensburg, MD 20710  
[301) 864-0110

Six Flags America

13710 Central Ave,  
Bowie, MD 20721  
[301) 249-1500

UMD Challenge Course

1115 Eppley Recreation Center,  
College Park, MD 20742  
[301) 226-4456

White Pak Bowling Lanes

11207 New Hampshire Ave,  
Colesville, MD 20904  
[301) 593-3000

Lanham Skate Center

9901 Lanham Severn Rd,  
Lanham, Md 20706  
[301) 577-1733

Buddy Attick Lake Park

555 Crescent Rd,  
Greenbelt, MD 20770  
[301) 397-2200  
Little Paint Branch Park

Big Escape Rooms

8505 Fenton St Suite 210, 2nd  
Floor, Silver Spring, MD 20910  
[301) 800-0295

Terrapin Adventures

8600 Foundry St #50,  
Savage, MD 20763  
[301) 725-1313

Bowlero College Park

9021 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 474-8282

ClimbZone Laurel

13200 Mid Atlantic Blvd #130,  
Laurel, MD 20708  
[301) 317-1970

Herbert Wells Ice Rink

5211 Campus Dr,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 277-3717

Dave & Buster's

1851 Ritchie Station Ct,  
Capitol Heights, MD 20743  
[301) 909-9601

Castle Laser Tag

14201 Woodcliff Ct,  
Bowie, MD 20720  
[301) 352-8413

## Restaurants

### AFRICAN DIASPORA

<p><i>Jodeem Africain Cuisine</i> 6000 Greenbelt Rd, Greenbelt, MD 20770</p> 	<p><i>The Jerk Pit</i> 9078 Baltimore Ave, College Park, MD 20740</p>   
<p><i>Queensway Restaurant</i> 5851 Riverdale Rd, Riverdale, MD 20737</p>	<p><i>Caribbean Palace</i> 7680 New Hampshire Ave, Takoma Park, MD 20912</p>  
<p><i>Marmite BENIN</i> 2511 Chapman Rd, Hyattsville, MD 20783</p>	<p><i>Caribbean Cove DC</i> 9348 Cherry Hill Rd, College Park, MD 20740</p>
<p><i>Chez Dior</i> 5124 Baltimore Ave, Hyattsville, MD 20781</p>   	<p><i>Golden Krust</i> 3500 East-West Hwy, Hyattsville, MD 20782</p>
<p><i>Agama Kitchen &amp; Restaurant— Nigerian</i> 5640 Annapolis Rd, Bladensburg, MD 20710</p>	<p><i>Taste of the Caribbean</i> 505 Hampton Park Blvd, Walker Mill, MD 20743</p>   
<p><i>Mansa Kunda</i> 8000 Flower Ave, Takoma Park, MD 20912</p> 	<p><i>Dunns River Caribbean Cafe</i> 11116 Baltimore Ave, Beltsville, MD 20705</p>
<p><i>Shagga Coffee &amp; Restaurant</i> 6040 Baltimore Ave, Hyattsville, MD 20781</p> 	<p><i>Jamaican Gee</i> 3415 52nd Ave, Hyattsville, MD 20781</p> 

# Restaurants

## AMERICAN

*College Park Diner*  
9206 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740

*Hard Times Café*  
4738 Cherry Hill Rd,  
College Park, MD 20740

*Anjel's FDA Cafeteria*  
5001 Campus Dr,  
College Park, MD 20740

*New York Deli*  
4926 Edgewood Rd,  
College Park, MD 20740

*Busboys and Poets*  
5331 Baltimore Ave,  
Hyattsville, MD 20781

*Panera Bread*  
10914 Baltimore Ave,  
Beltsville MD, 20705

*Boston Market*  
6228 Greenbelt Rd,  
Greenbelt, MD 20770



## BARBEQUE

*Kangnam BBQ*  
8503 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740

*Mission BBQ*  
5506 Cherrywood Ln,  
Greenbelt, MD 20770

*Famous Dave's Bar-B-que*  
14140 Baltimore Ave,  
Laurel, MD 20707

*Milk & Honey Café*  
10280 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740

*Denny's*  
8424 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740

*IHOP*  
9680 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740



## BREAKFAST / BRUNCH



# Restaurants

## CHICKEN

*Wings Over College Park*  
4200 Hartwick Rd,  
College Park, MD 20740



*Atomie Wings*  
3124 Queens Chapel Rd,  
Chillum MD, 20782



*Cluck U Chicken*  
7415 Baltimore Ave B,  
College Park, MD 20740



*Chicken Loco*  
6587 Ager Rd,  
Hyattsville, MD 20782

*Poh-Yo Charcoal Chicken*  
8147-D Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740



## CREOLE/CAJUN

*Nando's PERi-PERi*  
7400 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740

*Hook & Reel*  
6002 Greenbelt Rd,  
Greenbelt, MD 20770



*DC Charbroiled Chicken*  
6062 Greenbelt Rd,  
College Park, MD 20770



*BeClaws*  
6450 American Blvd,  
Hyattsville, MD 20782



*Pollo Fiesta*  
6408 Kenilworth Ave,  
Riverdale, MD 20737



*Famous Dave's Bar-B-que*  
14140 Baltimore Ave,  
Laurel, MD 20707



*Popeyes*  
9147 Riggs Rd,  
Adelphi, MD 20783



*LongHorn Steakhouse*  
13600 Baltimore Ave,  
Laurel, MD 20707

## Restaurants

### CREPERIES

*T-Swirl Crepe*

7313 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740



### EASTFOOD

*Taco Bell*

8428 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740



### DESSERTS

*Insomnia Cookies*

4435 Lehigh Rd,  
College Park, MD 20740

*Burger King*

8510 Baltimore Blvd,  
College Park, MD 20740



*Cold Stone Creamery*

7314 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740



*McDonald's*

8301 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740

*Wendy's*

10634 Baltimore Ave,  
Beltsville, MD 20705

*Rita's Italian Ice & Frozen Custard*

10425 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740

*Arby's*

10425 Greenbelt Rd,  
Beltsville, MD 20705

*Baskin-Robbins*

9701 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740



*Elevation Burger*

5501 Baltimore Ave,  
Hyattsville, MD 20781



*Sugar Vault Desserts*

5606 Baltimore Ave,  
Hyattsville, MD 20781























*Subway*

7411 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740



## Restaurants

### INTERNATIONAL

<p><i>Pho D'Lite</i> 8147 Baltimore Ave, College Park, MD 20740</p>	<p><i>Spice 6 Modern Indian,</i> 5501 Baltimore Ave, Hyattsville, MD 20781</p>   
<p><i>Pupuseria La Familiar</i> 8145 Baltimore Ave K, College Park, MD 20740</p>  	<p><i>Chicken Loco</i> 6587 Ager Rd, Hyattsville, MD 20782</p>
<p><i>Pho</i> 7313 Baltimore Ave, F College Park, MD 20740</p> 	<p><i>Tiffin</i> 1341 University Blvd E, Takoma Park, MD 20912</p>  
<p><i>Jerk Pit</i> 9078 Baltimore Ave, College Park, MD 20740</p>   	<p><i>Yum's Express</i> 4746 Cherry Hill Rd, College Park, MD 20740</p>
<p><i>Azteca Restaurant Catina</i> 9505 Baltimore Ave, College Park, MD 20740</p> 	<p><i>Yia Yia's Kitchen</i> 10413 Baltimore Ave, Beltsville, MD 20705</p> 
<p><i>Hanami</i> 8145 Baltimore Ave K, College Park, MD 20740</p>   	<p><i>El Amate</i> 2420 University Blvd E, Adelphi, MD 20783</p> 
<p><i>Krazi Kebob</i> 4427 Lehigh Rd, Adelphi, MD 20783</p>   	<p><i>Pollo Cabana Restaurant</i> 7423 Greenbelt Rd, Greenbelt, MD 20770</p>  

# Restaurants

## PIZZA

*Potomac Pizza —College Park*  
7777 Baltimore Ave.,  
College Park, MD 20740



*Pizza Roma*  
9805 Rhode Island Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740



*The Original Ledo Restaurant*  
College Park, MD 20740



*LOTSAs*  
4350 Knox Rd,  
College Park, MD 20740



*Papa John's*  
4509 College Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740



*Domino's Pizza*  
7312 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740



*DP Dough's*  
8145 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740



## SEAFOOD

*Fishnet*  
5010 Berwyn Rd,  
College Park, MD 20740



*Sakura Seafood Buffet*  
9031 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740

*Pho Tom*  
7313 Baltimore Ave, F  
College Park, MD 20740



*Blowfish*  
11436 Cherry Hill Rd,  
Beltsville, MD 20705



*Mid Atlantic Seafood*  
3100 Queens Chapel Rd,  
Chillum, MD 20782



*Naija Fish Place*  
3727 Rhode Island Ave,  
Brentwood, MD 20722

*Ruff N Ready Crab House*  
903 Chillum Rd,  
Chillum, MD 20782



## Restaurants

### SOUL FOOD

### TEA AND COFFEE

*NuVegan Cafe*  
8150 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740



*Ten Ren's Tea Time*  
7418 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740



*Carolina Kitchen Bar & Grille*  
6501 America Blvd,  
Hyattsville, MD 20782

*Kung Fu Tea*  
7313 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740



*Keith & Sons Soul Food LLC*  
5948 Martin Luther King Jr. Hwy,  
Seat Pleasant, MD 20743

*Vigilante Coffee*  
8200 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740

*Ruhv's Southern Kitchen*  
14207 Old Annapolis Rd,  
Bowie, MD 20720



*Starbucks*  
7336 Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740



*Me Mom's Soulfood Cafe*  
15231 Hall Rd,  
Bowie, MD 20721

*Dunkin'*  
Baltimore Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740

*Fireman's Cafe*  
9101 Kinney Pl b,  
Clinton, MD 20735



*Levi's Restaurant & Catering*  
10252 Lake Arbor Way,  
Mitchellville, MD 20721

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## Spiritual and Religious Centers

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### St Andrew's Episcopal Church

College Ave,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 864-8880

### University Baptist Church

3515 Campus Dr,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 422-1430

### Wallace Presbyterian Church

3725 Metz ero tt Rd,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 935-5900

### University United Methodist Church

3621 Campus Dr,  
College Park, MD 20740  
[301) 422-1400

### Catholic Student Center Church

4141 Guilford Dr,  
College Park, MD  
[301) 864-6223

### Avondale Islamic Center

4637 Eastern Ave NE,  
Mt Rainier, MD 20712  
[301) 799-9292

Masjid Ihn Taymiyyah  
8000 Martin Luther King Jr  
Hwy, Glenarden, MD 20706  
[301) 322-8105

### Prince George's Muslim Association

9150 Lanham Severn Rd,  
Lanham, MD 20706  
[301) 459-4924

### Islamic Community Center Of Laurel

7306 Contee Rd,  
Laurel, Md 20707  
[301) 317-4584

## 20 Tips for Success

1

See your **advisors** around once a month for internships, career, and class advice.

2

**Work out!** A healthy body is a healthy mind.

3

The **counseling center** exists for a reason. Burnout, stress and anxiety are very real issues

4

Have fun, **make friends**, and build life-long connections

5

Connect with the **faculty**. Their guidance is invaluable

6

**SUPPORT BLACK ORGANIZATIONS!**  
Come out to as many GBMs as possible

7

Give back to the community through **service trips**

8

**Be proud of your Blackness.** It is our biggest strength

9

**Study abroad** if possible

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**Study hard and efficiently.** Take your classes seriously

11

Spend time in **office hours**. Professors love to help

12

**Learn for the sake of learning,** not for a grade

13

**Organization, discipline, and focus** will get you everywhere

14

**Meet with Dr. DuVinage**, the scholarship expert at UMD

15

Check the **Nyumburu calendar** often

16

Limit procrastination through **time management**

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**You never know who is watching**

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Take advantage of **career fairs**. You may secure a future internship

19

College is **YOUR 4 years**. **Don't give in to outside pressures**

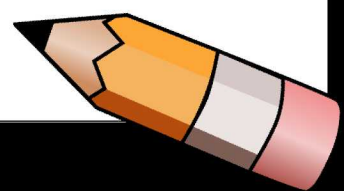
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**Be the change you want to see**

Black Terps' guide to:

# UPCOMING EVENTS

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## Monthly

Company Class, Thursdays – Phunktions

Community Service – ASPAC

Juke Joint – Nyumburu

Dialogues – BlackOUT

The Well, Thursdays – MEIVCF

## August

Student Welcome Cookout - Nyumburu

FreshCon – SSLC

ASA Summer Cookout – ASA

Meet the Greeks – NPHC

Prayer Day – ASF

Back to School Party – All Eyez LLC

## September

Back to School Cookout - BES

Headshots – S.I.S.T.A.

Resume Workshops – S.I.S.T.A.

Auditions – Phunktions

Master Classes – Prima Dolls

Auditions – Prima Dolls

STEPP-tember – STEPP

Auditions – STEPP

Auditions – Star Strutters

Back to School Cookout - Do Better

School Supplies Drive – Jaiyeroof

Back To School Cookout – ASPAC

Quelcome – BlackOUT

Chapel Service Performance – UMD Gospel Choir

All Nighter – NPHC

Charter Week – Kappa Alpha Psi

New Student Outreach Events – MEIVCF

Professional Development Workshop – All Eyez LLC

NextNOW Fest Fashion Show, Sept 13th – MasTERPiece

Miss Black & Gold Pageant Informational – MB&G Royal Court

Leadership Summit – U.E.X.C.E.L.

## October

Food Drive – S.I.S.T.A.

Vocational Training Initiative – Jaiyeroof

Breast Cancer Awareness Brunch – October

Fall Fete – CSA

Networking Event – EESA

Light the Night Walk – NCNW

Gospel Happy Hour – Nyumburu/UMD Gospel Choir

State of the Greeks – NPHC

Breast Cancer Awareness: Working with Sister's Network – Delta Sigma Theta

Navigating Your Early Career Panel – Kappa Alpha Psi

Homecoming Juke Joint – Nyumburu

Miss Black & Gold Pageant – MB&G Royal Court

Annual Beauty and Fashion Expo – The Makeup Society

## November

Miss Unity Scholarship Pageant - Nyumburu

Feed their People Initiative – Jaiyeroof

Student Activist Awareness Week – NAACP

State of Black Leadership – NAACP

Africa Week – ASA

Fall Ball – ASA

Benefit Concert – ASPAC

DMVCSA Mixer – CSA

2nd Annual Cultural Show – SSA

2nd Annual Networking Event – SSA

Alpha Week – Alpha Phi Alpha

BNG 8, Dec 6th – Alpha Phi Alpha

Dine with the Deltas – Delta Sigma Theta

Miss Kappa Alpha Psi Scholarship Pageant – Kappa Alpha Psi

ANew Fall Conference – ASF

Mr. and Mrs. BSU Pageant – BSU

Black Love Week – BSU

Eyebrows and Lashes Workshop – The Makeup Society

Leadership Dialogue Series – U.E.X.C.E.L.

## December

Cold Fusion - BES

Toy Drive - Jaiyeroof

Winter Concert - UMD Gospel Choir

The Black Family Dynamic: Mental Health - Delta Sigma Theta

Sabbath Fellowship - ASF

End of Semester Celebration - MEIVCF

Shades of Beauty Forum - The Makeup Society

## Winter Break

Annual Trip to Nigeria - Jaiyeroof

## February

Date Auction - EESA

## March

N/A

## April

Heat Exchange - BES

Rip the Floor - UMD Dynamic

Spring Show

Culture Show - EESA

Alpha Week - Alpha Phi Alpha

WETATi/Nyumburu Entrepreneurship Convention

WETATi/Nyumburu Scholarship and Award Gala

## May

Block Show - NPHC

The Big Hat Brunch - NCNW

## Date Pending

Black Faculty and Staff Mixer - BHC

Black Faculty and Staff Networking Dinner - BHC

Tailgates - The Lunch Table

GBM Series: Being Black in the Media - The Lunch Table

Entrepreneur Fair - The Lunch Table

SZNofLove2 - The Lunch Table

Day Party - The Lunch Table

Paint and Sip - Do Better

Food Run - Do Better

Net Nite - SSLC

Brunch for Success - SSLC

Movie Night - BMI

Health Initiative Workouts - BMI

Master Classes - Diazpori

Bake Sale - Diazpori

Afro-Workout - Diazpori

Shut-in Event - SOUL

Panel Event - SOUL

WildnOut - Phi Beta Sigma

Sigma Health Week - Phi Beta Sigma

Sigma Move-in - Phi Beta Sigma

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# MEET THE AUTHORS

## Josiah Bedford

Josiah Bedford is a Junior Mechanical Engineering major. He serves as a Clark School Ambassador, speaking and giving tours to prospective students. In addition, Josiah recently completed the College Park Scholars program in the Science, Technology, and Society community this past spring. Josiah is passionate in serving the black community. He most recently joined the BSU Black History Month planning committee.

At any given moment, you can catch Josiah finding new ways to help and celebrate Black STEM students. Last spring, he helped plan and execute CMSE's 38th Annual Student Recognition and Alumni Celebration. Josiah is also most active in the Black Engineers Society, where he serves as the Membership Co-Chair. Finally, he enjoys all things music, watching movies, learning random facts, and uplifting the black community.



# MEET THE AUTHORS

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Through DSAC, she hopes to expand internship opportunities and career development to underrepresented minorities. Additionally, she would like to increase the amount of quantitative courses available to social science students to increase their technical skills. Finally, Pauline hopes to use her new position on the BSU's Social Action Committee to further the interests of Black students on campus. In her free time, Pauline enjoys singing, cooking, visiting DC, and meeting new people.





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