Student Engagement and Success

SOAR 2023 – Family and Guest Programs





Benefits of Living on Campus

- Residents have...
 - Higher GPAs on average
 - More involvement on campus
 - Higher enrollment rate on average
 - More satisfaction with college experience
 - No additional utility costs
 - Exclusive programs
 - Leadership opportunities
 - Campus safety and security
 - Multiple meal plan options





Welcome Home 2025



- Two new apartment-style buildings
- Major renovations of Phelps, Sellers, Walton, Putnam, and Downing
- Minor renovations at the Village and Cornell Courts
- New property management team
 - Gilbane Development Company invested \$200M+ to construction and renovation

Housing Options







Housing Options







Living-Learning & Theme Communities

- Aviation
- Arts Appreciation
- SPECTRUM (LGBTQ+)
- TRIO/Student Support Services*
- Brotherhood Scholars*
- Sisterhood Scholars*
- Honors*

^{*}Requires separate application and approval to program in order to live in housing community



Overview of the Application Process

Step 1

- Make \$150 pre-payment, application opens May 1, 2023
- Sign contract
- Create personal profile & answer roommate-matching questions

Step 1.5

- Use search features to find a roommate!
- Follow directions online to create a group of two
- Only groups of two will move forward

Step 2

- Pick where your group wants to live
- Pick your meal plan
- Finalize and complete application

Follow Us On Social Media For Up-To-Date Info





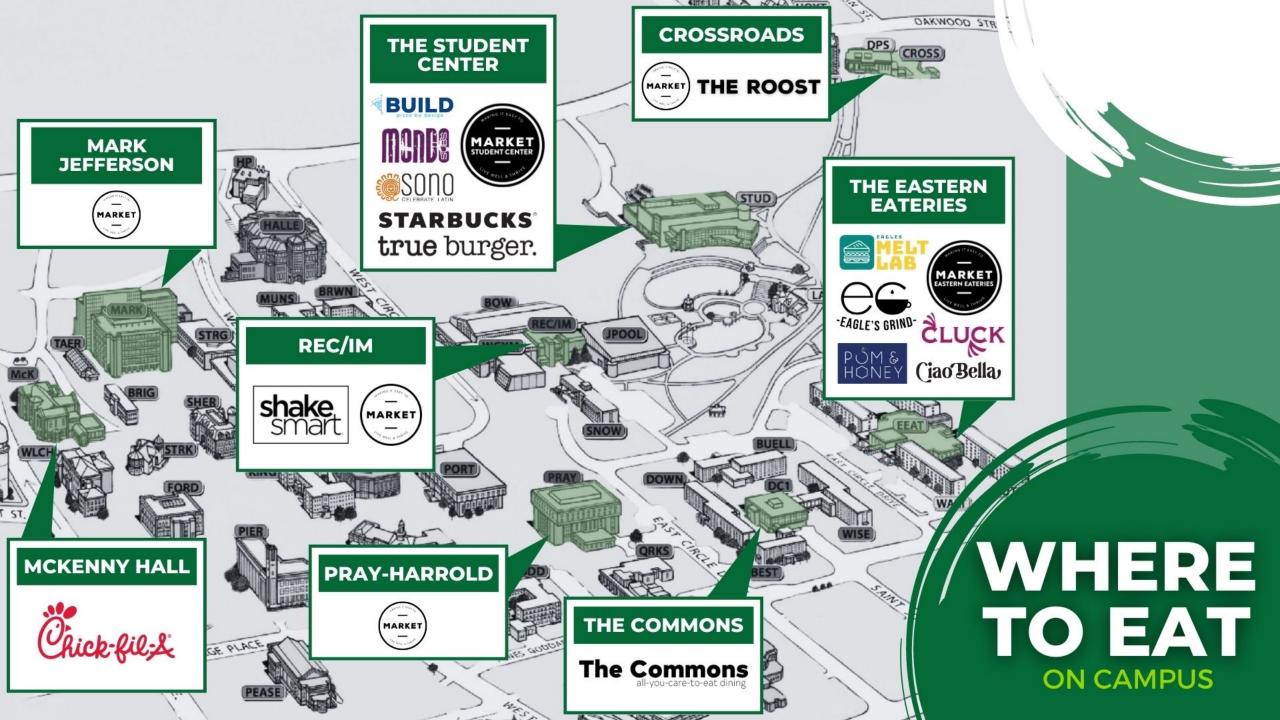
Check Out Our Website emich.edu/residencelife
Have Questions? Email Us At housing@emich.edu





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MORE THAN FOOD



OUR STUDENTS SHOWING THEIR APPRECIATION

idk who made my sandwich at the melt lab today BUT GOOD LORD ALL THANK YOU

Whoever made the chocolate chip cookies in the commons today did a wonderful job

I ain't gone hold you but man THIS BROCCOLI IN THE COMMONS SLAPPING ALHARD ASF THE WAYS IS COOKED AND SEASONED MMMMMMMMMM SHMACK BROCCOLINI FOR DA WIN Whoever's making the enchiladas in the commons imma need your name, number, and ring size

Daaaaang, commons. That chicken is so delicious

Whoever made my pasta at Ciao Bella just now, I hope both sides of your pillows are so cold tonight

DINING EVENTS



RESIDENTIAL

- PANCAKES + PAJAMAS
- RETRO REMIX
- I < 3 BRUNCH



LOVE, EDINING

- GOLFCART DONUT DELIVERY
- HOT COCOA FOR CLASS
- PUMPKIN SCAVENGER HUNT



DO IT YOURSELF

- CHOCOLATE FOUNTAIN
- COOKIE DECORATING
- SUSHI BOWLS

GIVING BACK TO OUR COMMUNITY + PLANET

- 1,000+ THANKSGIVING MEALS DONATED TO LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS
- 985 LBS OF FOOD DONATED TO SWOOPS
 FOOD PANTRY + FOOD GATHERERS
- 1,021 LBS OF FOOD COMPOSTED FROM NOV 23' DEC 23'
- 30 TUBS OF PEANUT BUTTER DONATED
 TO LOCAL HUMANE SOCIETY
- + MORE



DINING WITH ALLERGIES

ALLERGEN STATION AT THE COMMONS

• FOR STUDENTS WITH SEVERE ALLERGIES AND INTOLERANCES, THE COMMONS' ALLERGEN STATION IS YOUR SAFEST OPTION. THIS STATION AVOIDS THE TOP 9 ALLERGIES (WHEAT/GLUTEN, DAIRY, EGG, SOY, PEANUTS, TREE NUTS, SHELLFISH, FISH AND SESAME.)

DON'T BE SHY, SELF IDENTIFY

• CREATE A PROFILE ON OUR DINE ON CAMPUS WEBPAGE OR THROUGH THE DINE ON CAMPUS APP (AVAILABLE ON ANDROID AND IOS) AND IDENTIFY YOUR ALLERGENS ON YOUR PROFILE.

DINE ON CAMPUS APP

• OPTION IS AVAILABLE AT THE STUDENT CENTER, EASTERN EATERIES, CROSSROADS MARKETPLACE, AND THE COMMONS.





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FREE MEAL EVERY 5 HOUR SHIFT WORKED



SAVE MONEY ON GAS - WALK TO WORK



EARN UP TO \$40 IN FLEX EVERY MONTH

+ FLEXIBLE SHIFTS & GROWTH OPPORTUNITIES

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DINING WITH ALLERGIES?

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FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL!

• @EMICHDINING + @FOODIE.EMU







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 - Compact Coordinator, Mackenzie High School
- Adrian College: Director of ASPIRES
 - Admissions Representative/International
 - Director of Multicultural Student Services
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Mission

We support and empower minoritized students, provide intentional learning experiences, and challenge systems and structures that perpetuate inequities.

Vision

We envision a campus community where equity and inclusion is woven through all facets of EMU in relationship with the community.

emich.edu/dci 3rd Floor, Student Center









Who We Are

DIVERSITY & COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT (DCI)

DCI supports and empowers minoritized students, provide intentional learning experiences, and challenge systems and structures that perpetuate inequities.

LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL, AND TRANSGENDER RESOURCE CENTER (LGBT)

The LGBT Resource Center supports the success and development of gender and sexual minoritized students through affirmation, empowerment and advocacy.



CENTER OF RACE & ETHNICITY (CORE)

CORE cultivates and models a safe, inclusive, socially just environment for all members of the Eastern Michigan community.

WOMEN'S RESOURCE CENTER (WRC)

The WRC stands for recognizing and celebrating the diverse representations of women on campus. We focus on academic enrichment and professional development for **ALL** women. Our center offers a safe and welcoming space for students.



Center of Race & Ethnicity (CORE)

- Celebrating historically underrepresented populations;
- Providing opportunities for cultural exploration, dialogue, and personal reflection;
- Collaborating with student organizations to put on cultural events;
- Providing opportunities for leadership development.



Le'Shay Webb Program Coordinator



Melissa Urieta Graduate Assistant



CORE: What We Do

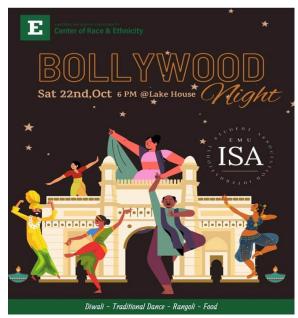














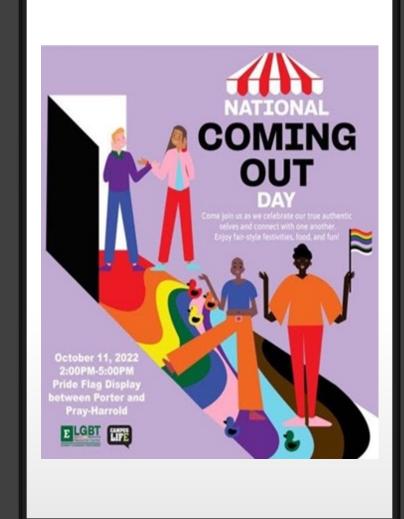
Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Resource Center (LGBT)

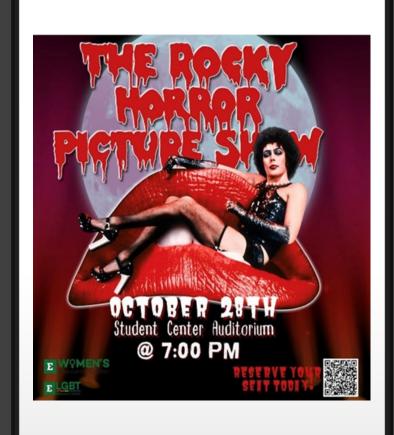
- Support groups for identities marginalized within the LGBTQ+ community
- · Community building and networking with affirming social events
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- Assisting in navigating campus and community systems, resources, and policies
- Financial assistance through scholarships
- Educating the campus community on issues affecting queer and trans students
- Celebration and recognition of LGBTQ+ student accomplishments and success

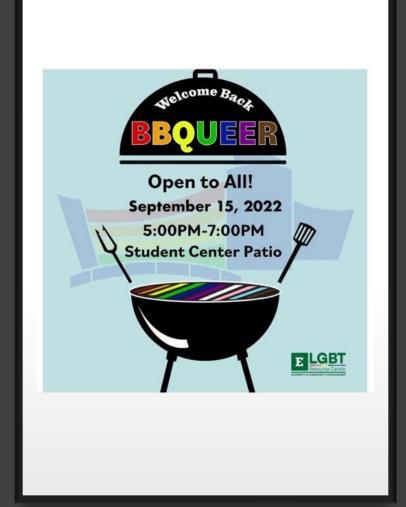


Vacant
Program Coordinator









Women's Resource Center (WRC)

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WRC: What We Do

Resources & Services:

- Sexual assault & domestic violence community partnerships
- Yes Means Yes
- Women of Color Symposium for Leadership and Feminism
- Women of Excellence Scholarship
- Parent-Student Initiative

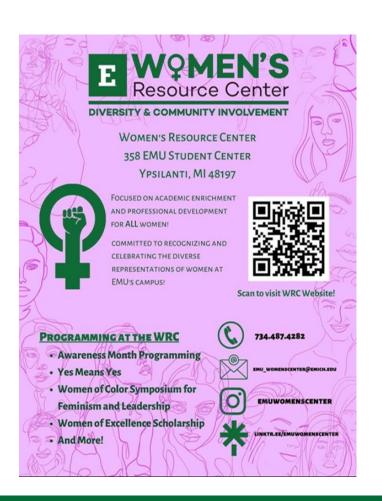
Programs & Events:

- Consent workshops
- Changing the Cycle
- Leadership opportunities
- Scholarships
- Personal Safety Seminars
- Awareness month events
- Parent Initiatives
- Social events



WRC Programming Events







Come join our Social Work 350 interns at a movie night and learn why it's important to be a part of the fight against the stigma around periods! Snacks will be available to purchase

11/10 7-9pm Student Center Room Auditorium



Get a free pepper spray and

personal safety alarm

11/16 5:30-7:30pm

Location: TBD



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Welcome to EMU Holman Success Center

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Halle Library, G04





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MSA
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Kim Jones, M.A. Success Coach



Scott Kardel
Success Coach

It is our Mission

- Services to all students—those at risk, on academic probation, and currently well-performing—that support the development of skills they need to achieve and maintain academic success
- We strive for innovation and aim to use technology in unique and effective ways
- We enhance students' academic and personal development and assist them in creating opportunities for growth
- Understanding and use of coordinated referrals to campus offices and resources to ensure that no student ever feels dismissed or abandoned by our staff
- Committed to providing services to support student transitions through graduation and delivering excellence in everything we do.



Graduate & Undergraduate Student Employees 50 + / Semester



- Drop-In Tutors
- Supplemental Instructors (SILs)
- Peer Academic Coaches (PACs)
- Team Leaders
- Interns
- Receptionists
- Special Projects Assistants
- Success Coaches
- UNIV Instructors

Drop-In Tutoring

Knack Tutoring

Supplemental Instruction

Success Coaching

Peer Academic Coaching

Mentor Collective

Chromebook and Laptop Loan Program

Eagle Study Tables

Eagle Rewards

Academic Support Programs



EMU Engage App / Starfish

Student Communication Board

Tools for Academic Success

Updated Schedule of Campus Events

Specific Course Support

Academic Calendar

Scholarship Support

Campus Resources





The Holman Success Center
is always here for you to help answer questions,
guide you to the appropriate campus resource, and offer
ongoing support.

Welcome to EMU!



Contact Information

www.emich.edu/hsc

(734) 487 - 2133

success.center@emich.edu

G04 Halle Library, Ypsilanti, MI 48197













Campus Safety with the EMU Police Department

The Police Department

- EMU Police Officers (MCOLES certification)
- 24/7 including holidays and weekends
- emich.edu/police
- 734.487.1222







EMU Text Alerts

 Members of the EMU community will automatically be entered into the system to receive emergency emails alerts

 Can sign up to receive emergency text message alerts

Can add additional numbers





SEEUS

734.487.3387

- Walking escort service
- Designed to enhance safety and peace of mind while walking on campus after dark
- Provides additional eyes and ears
- On-campus service only
- Student employment opportunities

Crime Prevention Programs

- Bike Registration
- A.L.I.C.E.
- Sexual Assault & Consent
- Dating & Domestic Violence
- Stalking
- Campus & Personal Safety
- Commuter/Travel Safety
- De-escalation tactics
- Property Engraving
- Identity Theft Protection
- Online Safety
- Fraud/Scam Awareness





RAD Self-Defense

- Women and men classes
 - Free
 - Sign up for emails
 - <u>cgeyer@emich.edu</u>
 - 734.487.0987



Credit Union vs. Banks

Managed by Volunteer Board of Directors

Not for Profit

Owned by Members

Community Focused

Access to over 30k+ ATMs

Insured through NCUA \$250K



Your Financial Education Stop

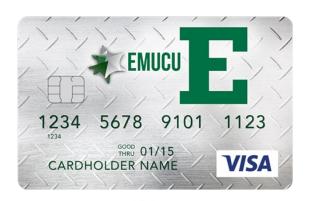
We teach students how to be financially healthy!

- Create smart money habits
- Build credit safely
- Plan for future

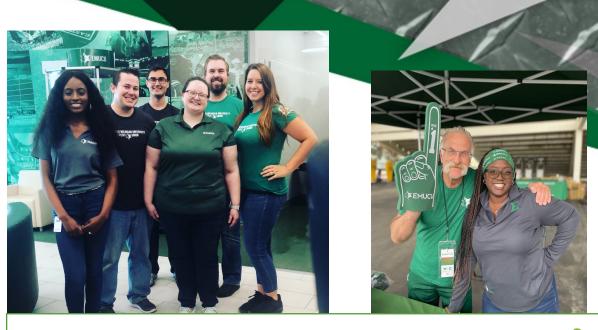


Student Accounts

- Checking account
- Savings account
- Mobile banking
- Financially Savvy Credit Cards







We are at many campus events!





Community Impact

- * Free Financial Workshops
- * Free Budget Counseling
- * Free Credit Education





Partner with local charities:

The entire workshop was very helpful and informative – it's great to have steps that are clear and actually manageable to fit into daily life."

- Meg B.

- United Way
- Ele's Place
- Michigan Foster Closet
- Huron Valley Humane Society
- American Heart Association
- Motts Children's Hospital
- Detroit Dog Rescue
- American Suicide Prevention
- High School Scholarships
- Shop Local Give Local Initiatives

Many MORE!!!!









The support from UMCU is leading to a happier and healthier Washtenaw County!"

- Sarah S.

American Heart Association'
Heart Challenge Director

Your *Students* **Success** Is Our Purpose



- * EMUCU is a division of UMCU
- * We hire students to work with us
- * Parents can have accounts too
- * Convenient and custom service
- ★ We put you and your students first

Contact us

www.EMUCU.org



Facebook: Eastern Michigan University Credit Union

Twitter: @EMUCreditUnion

Instagram: @EMUCreditUnion

Phone: 734-662-8200 *We are a division of UMCU





Why get engaged with Life on Campus?

Studies suggest that students who are engaged outside of the classroom are more likely to:

- Have higher GPAs
- Be retained and graduate on time
- Land a job soon after graduation (build employable skills)
- Enjoy their college experience



Top 10 Skills Of 2025

Source: Future of Jobs Report, World Economic Forum

Type of skill

- Problem-solving
- Self-management
- Working with people
- Technology use and development
- Skills you can build outside of the classroom





Analytical thinking and innovation





Active learning and learning strategies





Complex problem-solving





Critical thinking and analysis





Creativity, originality and initiative





Leadership and social influence



Technology use, monitoring and control



Technology design and programming





Resilience, stress tolerance and flexibility





Reasoning, problem-solving and ideation



Our Mission

We offer student-centered learning, development and involvement activities that promote and support student engagement and student success.





Orientation Team

- SOAR
- Online Orientation
- EMU Connect



Engagement & Activities Team

- Late Night Programs
- Excursions
- Speakers
- Community Building
- Family Weekend
- Homecoming

Student Organizations Team

- Org Recognition
- Student Organization Fairs
- Help Starting an Org
- Guidance for org officers & advisors (and members)

Fraternity & Sorority Life

- Advise Councils
- Provide Training & Workshops



Celebrate with free mini pies and Little Caesars pizza!



Come paint a flower pot and we'll













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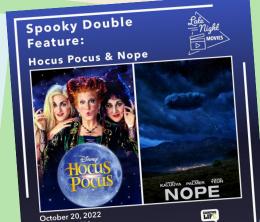
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GREEN & WHITE BALL







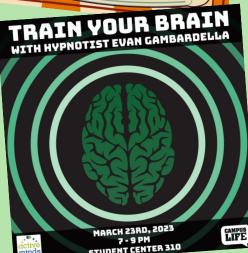


7:00-11:00PM

Student Center Auditorium



FAMILY FOOD MUSIC



Cedar Point HALLEWEEKENDS

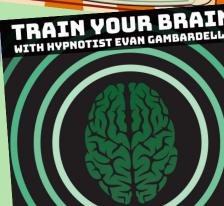
April 19th, 2023 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm

University Park

Rock the Patio

Close the semester out on a high note with a small music festival, food, and lawn games!





Engage. Connect. Belong.

- 250+ Student Orgs
- Student Government
- Recreation & Intramurals
- Campus Activities
- On-campus Employment
- Undergraduate Research
- Residence Hall Activities
- Service & Volunteerism
- Student Media
- Performing Arts
- Fraternities & Sororities
- Eagle Leaders Institute
- Athletics



COACHES

ENGAGE. CONNECT. BELONG.

WHAT WE DO

Campus Life Coaches support students by connecting them with opportunities for growth and community-building, and help them optimize involvement experiences. They help students develop motivation for designing their own college experience as they build life skills along the way through feature program offerings such as Program Pals, 1:1 coaching sessions, and Relationship Reboot.



MEET OUR 2022/23 CAMPUS LIFE COACHES



Tristan Burk (she/her)

Major: K-12 Spanish Education and TESOL Being involved on campus is a way to broaden your own perspectives and have a fuller experience while at school!



Ciana Holloway (she/her)

Major: Information Assurance and Cyber Defense

Minor: International Business

Getting involved on campus has helped me meet new people and create a memorable college experience.



Caitlin Peterson (she/her)

Major: Finance

Being involved on campus has allowed me to learn a lot more about my career field outside of the classroom.



Karley Misek (she/her)

Major: Secondary Education Language, Literature, and Writing

Minor: Psychology

Campus involvement has helped with my own professional and personal development and grow as a person.

CONTACT



Scan to request a CLC meeting

campuslife@emich.edu

345 Student Center 900 Oakwood Dr.

WE HELP WITH...

- Acclimating to EMU
- Making connections
- Finding supportive communities
- Designing your college experience
- Building your resume
- Developing life skills









@EMUcampuslife

Where to learn about getting involved & engaged:

- EMU Engage App
- University & department social media
- University & department websites
- University calendar: emich.edu/calendar
- EagleSync





EMU Today

OUR PROFESSIONAL STAFF TEAM



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Questions?



Our next activity for you all is lunch!

We will be dividing you into smaller groups to assist in getting everyone across campus and ease in lines at lunch. At this time, we would like to ask everyone in the rows above where our staff person is standing please exit the auditorium through the back.

If you do not believe you are able to make a 5-10 minute walk across campus - see the staff members just outside the Auditorium and we will make sure to get you there!

