











2021-2022

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH ALABAMA STUDENT AFFAIRS

ANNUAL REPORT

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Dear Friend of Student Affairs:

It gives me great pleasure to provide an annual report for the Division of Student Affairs at the University of South Alabama. This past year of accomplishments and activities have provided us with the distinct opportunity of partnering with various entities to offer an out-of-class experience for students that engages them with their institution and its academic mission.

Through our vision, mission, and value statements we aim to have a major impact on the university priorities for student success and university/community engagement.

Feel free to visit us at: southalabama.edu/studentaffairs to view this report online.

Sincerely,

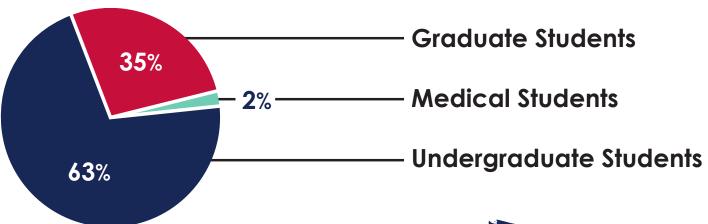
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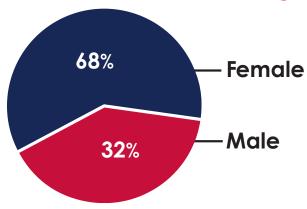
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2021-2022 STUDENT BODY

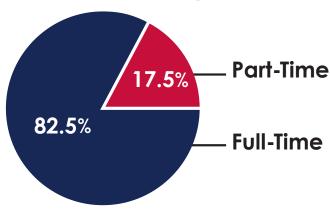
13,992 Students Enrolled



Gender Make-Up



Enrollment Status





The vast majority of states are represented, plus Guam and Puerto Rico. Fifty-five countries represented by 737 international students.



STUDENT AFFAIRS STRATEGIC GOALS

The University of South Alabama Student Affairs Division is committed to student engagement and success through the following strategic goals:

- Increase student engagement in university activities by providing and promoting quality services and programs
- Support and retain a diverse community of learners to enhance campus life and create opportunities to develop students as ethical and responsible leaders who make positive impacts in the community
- Create curricular connections to support and facilitate academic success

- Provide a safe, supportive, and civil environment for all students
- Provide quality and accessible facilities to address growing service and programmatic needs of the student body
- Increase undergraduate student retention by creating a more inclusive and supportive environment that fosters a sense of connectedness to the University





MISSIONS AND VALUES

Integrity

We model and practice the highest personal and professional standards, demonstrating ethical conduct in our work with all university community members.

Diversity

We are committed to supporting an equitable environment that respects and celebrates the diversity of people and thought.

Service

We are dedicated to serving students in ways that contribute to their academic success, physical and psychological well-being, and personal development as responsible and contributing members of society.

Excellence

We seek to provide high quality services and educational programs and are committed to continuous improvement achieved through systematic assessment, collaboration, innovation, and professional development.

Respect

We treat each individual with consideration, appreciation and courtesy.

Vision Statement

The Division of Student Affairs at the University of South Alabama will be a full partner in the educational process. As innovative practitioners, we will be leaders in student engagement, fostering dynamic and diverse communities that stimulate development and inspire students to positively impact society.

Mission Statement

The Division of Student Affairs is committed to providing services and creating a supportive campus environment which fosters engagement, academic success, and personal development within a diverse community of learners.

MULTICULTURAL LEADERSHIP CENTER

The Multicultural Leadership Center (MLC) aims to provide an environment that facilitates holistic academic, personal, and social development and success, through diversity, inclusion, and opportunity.



Jarmora Valrie, Director

ORGANIZATIONS ADVISED BY MLC

Black Student Union

South Alabama Chapter of NAACP

Spectrum

Collegiate 100

Women of Excellence

Latin American Student Organization

National Society of Black Engineers

Muslim Student Association

Abeneefoo Kuo Honor Society

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Rebranded from Office of Multicultural Student Affairs to The Multicultural Leadership Center
- Hosted Grand Opening for new facility
- Launched Weekly Lunch Gatherings "Let's Dish"
- Welcomed New Student Organization The Latin American Student Organization
- Events: Black Girls Rock Scholarship Gala, Black Male Scholarship GALA (SOLID), Soul Food Luncheon,
 JagRoots Mentoring Social, Black Alumni Society Board Meetings

STATISTICS

- Over 600 students involved in MLC Organizations
- Welcomed over 2,200 visitors to center since Grand Opening
- Fundraised over \$8,000 from 15 donors to feed over
 75 students per week with food insecurities
- 13 iLead Leadership Graduates for Fall 2022
- 15 Mentors committed to JagRoots in Fall 2022
- Made community partnership with the Black Ink Coalition, Feeding the Gulf Coast, Brandon Maye Legacy
 Foundation, Alabama School of Math and Science, and high school guidance counselors
- Partnered with USA Honors College, Jaguar Productions,
 Black Faculty and Staff Association, Campus to Career





CENTER FOR EDUCATIONAL ACCESSIBILITY & DISABILITY RESOURCES

The Center for Educational Accessibility and Disability Resources (CEADR) provides educational opportunities for individuals with disabilities through equal access, empowerment, support, resources, advocacy, collaboration and outreach throughout the University and community.

CEADR STAFF

Michael Evers, M.PA. Assistant Director

Eric Light, M.S.

Accommodated Testing Coordinator

Jessica Hultquist, Ed.S.

Sensory Impaired Technology Coordinator

Jasmine Horn Administrative Assistant



Mario Sheats, M.S., Director

STATISTICS

- 865 Registered Students (73% female and 27% male)
- 257 Special Parking Requests
- Over 3,000 Faculty Accommodation Letters, 2021-2022
- 2,531 Proctored Semester Exams, 2021-2022
- 2 Disability Awareness Events (Desserts in the Dark and Faculty Q&A Panel)
- Hosted National Federation of the Blind of Alabama-Mobile Chapter: Walk-A-Thon
 and College Prep Disability Transition Programs on Main and Baldwin County
 Campuses with the Alabama Department of Rehabilitation Services (ADRS)
- Launched CANVAS Faculty and Staff Accessibility Training Module
- Braille Embosser and 3D Printer

UPWARD BOUND

Upward Bound, funded by the U.S. Department of Education, provides fundamental support to participants in their preparation for college entrance. The program provides opportunities for participants to succeed in their precollege performance and ultimately in their higher education pursuits. Upward Bound serves high school students from low-income families and high school students from families in which neither parent holds a bachelor's degree. The goal of Upward Bound is to increase the rate at which participants complete secondary education and enroll in and graduate from institutions of postsecondary education. The Upward Bound Program serves 50 participants yearly at 3 Mobile County Public Schools. Target schools are C.F. Vigor High School, Mattie T. Blount High School, and Lillie B. Williamson High School.



Antosha Johnson, Coordinator

UPWARD BOUND STAFF Ashley Pettway, Specialist

SERVICES

- ACT prep classes
- Tutorial Support
- College admission counseling
- Financial aid assistance
- Academic advising
- Field Trips
- 6-week residential component
- Workshops and counseling

GOALS

- Improve academic and test taking skills
- Promote personal growth and responsibility
- Provide diverse cultural and educational activities



CAMPUS RECREATION & WELLNESS



Daphne Tyson, Director



WE EDUCATE

- Managed and promoted the JagFit Wellness
 Program for the university community which offers
 advice, articles, challenges, and opportunities in
 the area of personal wellness and well-being.
- Certified USA students, staff, and faculty in CPR/ AED and First Aid.
- Presented information to new freshmen in First-Year Experience classes about our offerings and benefits of participation.
- Hosted Continuing Education fitness workshops.
- Trained and certified lifeguards and provided adult and child swim lessons.
- Provided leadership training through exercises, guest speakers, and hands-on achievement programs to the more than 125 student staff members within the Department of Campus Recreation.
- Hosted blended high school and university sports officiating training programs.

WE IMPROVE

- Campus recreation leads the university wellness initiative on improving the health and well-being of our campus through the JagFit program for USA employees.
- Oversaw the operation of a 30-acre, lighted Intramural Complex. The site includes six lighted multi-purpose fields with bleachers and a walking track. The Intramural Fieldhouse is designed to provide a space for large group and team meetings.



WE PARTNER

- Teamed up with the "Many More Miles" community campaign and collected used running shoes for the homeless outreach programs.
- Partnered with the AHSAA to provide sports officiating clinics for area high school and college officials, as well as USA intramural student officials.
- Teamed up with the Archaeology Museum to offer group fitness classes as a way to promote personal wellness in a multi-departmental platform.
- Incorporated presentations into our summer camps from the Marine Mammal Sighting Network, USA Radiology Department, the Archaeology Museum, and Global USA.
- Partnered with Passage USA offering live job experience at the Student Recreation Center to students with disabilities.
- Partnered with the SAMMBA (South Alabama/ Mississippi Mountain Bike Association) in maintaining over 75 acres of on campus bike trails.

WE SERVE

- Led dozens of Outdoor Adventure trips within the Mobile area, as well as the southeast United States. The trips included experiences in canoeing, camping, whitewater rafting, hiking, rock climbing as well as other outdoor adventures.
- Led 160 free group fitness classes per week for our USA students, staff, faculty, and alumni. The classes are designed to accommodate every skill and physical fitness level.
- Hosted a children's summer camp for both Mobile and university community members.
 The week-long camp ran from June through July. The kids and parents alike enjoyed the programming that physically engaged the children with activities including rock climbing, swimming, sports and games and lunch in the university cafeteria.
- Provided a physical and social outlet for our USA students with a host of organized intramural leagues including flag football, basketball, soccer, volleyball, softball as well as numerous other sports and games. The Intramural Sports program is open to students, faculty/staff, and alumni of USA.

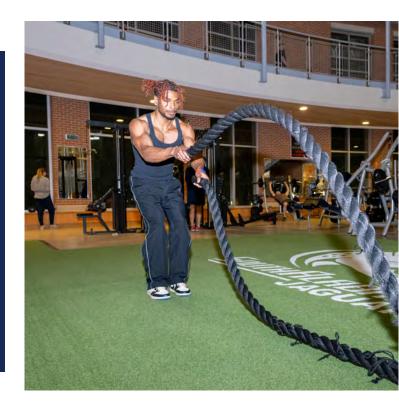
WE MANAGE

The Department of Campus Recreation manages and maintains many facilities throughout our USA campus footprint.

- The \$37 million-dollar, 177,000 square foot Student Recreation Center which contains: a rock wall, indoor lap pool, outdoor recreational pool, basketball courts, indoor soccer court, racquetball courts, cardio theater, weight room, and fitness studios
- A multi-million-dollar Intramural Field Complex with a 4,000 square foot fieldhouse and six lighted, multipurpose playing fields
- The SGA Sports Complex and Pavilion
- Over 60 acres of USA Bike Trails
- The 18-hold USA Disc Golf Course
- The 100-acre Glenn Sebastian Nature Trail
- The mile and a half lighted Jag Fitness Trail with three fitness stations around the scenic USA lake
- The Outdoor Adventures Cabin which provides rental gear like kayaks, canoes, stand up paddle boards, tents, trial bikes and much more

STATISTICS

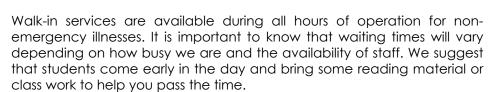
- Hosted over 210,000 visitors to the Student Recreation Center. Our members include approximately students, as well as 5400 faculty/ staff and alumni members.
- Over 1,500 Jaguars participated in South Sports programs. 285 Intramural teams were created and 645 games were played.
- 11,500 participants attended group fitness classes throughout the year.
- Our summer camps hosted 280 kids in week long games, activities, and fun.
- Hired a new Coordinator of Outdoor Adventures and Rock Wall.
- We employed over 125 student and graduate students.



USA STUDENT HEALTH CENTER

The Student Health Center (SHC) at the University of South Alabama provides efficient and cost effective healthcare services relevant to the needs of the University Community. We strive to accomplish this through health education, health promotion and primary medical care.

The Student Health Center is staffed with fully licensed, professional healthcare providers who specialize in providing services to the college age population. We also believe that there is more to creating a healthy campus than just taking care of sick students. Wellness programs and assistance in the management of many conditions are available at your student health center. Walk-in visits are encouraged for any acute or non-emergent visit. However, there are certain issues that we prefer that students make an appointment (e.g. annual physicals, GYN examinations, prescription medication maintenance and chronic or ongoing conditions). To avoid unnecessary waits, students are encouraged to call 460-7151 to make an appointment.





Ryan Ferguson, FNP-BC, Director

SERVICES WE OFFER

Allergy

Immunizations

Psychiatric Services

Travel Medicine

Primary Care

Laboratory Tests

Sexual Assault Care

Physicals

Women's Health

STATISTICS

- 12,977 Appointments were made at the Student Health Center in the 2021-2022 Academic Year
- Over 4,500 Immunizations given including 1,550 COVID Vaccines and over 700 Flu Shots
- Over 500 Flu shots were given to employees at the employee drive-thru flu clinic

The Student Health Center assists the University to ensure that all incoming students are compliant with the University Immunization Requirements. The required immunizations are available at the Student Health Center.



CONTACT US

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Hours of Operation: Monday, Wednesday, Friday 8am-5pm Tuesday, Thursday 9am-5pm

HEALTH EDUCATION AND EVENTS

The Health Education and Wellness Program is dedicated to collaborating with the University of South Alabama students, faculty, and staff in improving the knowledge, attitudes and behaviors regarding the health of students. The purpose of this program is to promote a healthy campus environment through student focused programs and to inform students regarding health-related issues and community resources that are available. The Health Education and Wellness Program hopes to foster student empowerment to make healthy lifestyle choices and to enhance quality of life.

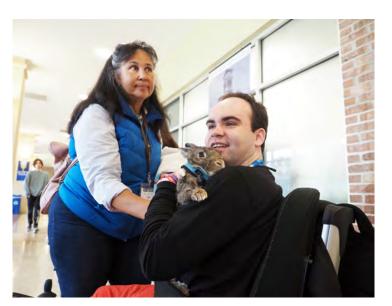
EDUCATIONAL EVENTS

Jag Health and Wellness Fair - Free Flu and COVID Vaccines, and STD testing by partnering with Shell Health, Life South Blood Drive, Smoking Cessation Education, free t-shirt and snacks, and education on health insurance and immunizations

HIV Vodcast - Education on sexual health, including HIV/AIDS

Great American Smoke Out - Smoking Cessation Education

Finals Frenzy - Relaxation and stress-reducing tips, free snacks and drinks



ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Accredidation Association for Ambulatory Health Care, Inc.

The SHC continues to be accredited by the Accredidation Association for Abulatory Health Care, Inc. (AAAHC). We have been accredited since 2013 and were granted another three-year accredidation term in March 2021. This is widely known as a distinctive mark of quality of care, which assures students that the facility meets expected standards of care.

Universisty of South Alabama Student Affairs Outstanding Team Award

The SHC received the 2021-2022 Outstanding Team Award, an annual award given to a department, committee, or special project group within the Division of Student Affairs that displays a high amount of group cohesiveness in service toward shard goals to create high quality outcomes, such as improed services, programs, or opportunities for students and other stakeholders.

HEART Project (Sexual Violence Recovery)

The SHC participated in the development of the HEART Project on campus. The HEART Project "seeks to assist undergraduate and graduate studetns when they experience sexual violence of any kind. Sexual violence includes not only rape, but also attempted rape, fondling or unwanted sexual touching, and/or being forced to perform a sexual act such as oral sex". Students may choose to be seen by a Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE) at the Student Health Center for medical Care and may choose to have a sexual assualt evidence kit collected.

COUNSELING AND TESTING SERVICES



Dr. John Friend, Director

The University Counseling and Testing Center (UCTC) provides confidential, free counseling and crisis intervention services to eligible USA students and consultation, training and outreach services to members of the USA community. It also serves as a regional testing center and conducts the administration of the American College Test (ACT), graduate and professional school entrance examinations, College Level Examination Program (CLEP) tests and selected occupational certification tests and correspondence exams. The professional staff of UCTC includes the Director, Associate Director, Substance Abuse Prevention Coordinator Licensed Professional Counselors, Coordinator of Testing Services, and Secretary. The staff also includes doctoral and master's level interns.

STATISTICS

- There were 784 students seen during the year.
- A total of 4187 counseling hours were provided to USA students.
- 72 students completed the Substance Abuse E-checkup to Go programs.
- UCTC administered and facilitated 824 tests during the previous year.

CLINICAL SERVICES

- Provided high quality counseling services to USA students and, despite a 30% increase in demand for services, UCTC did not have a waiting list at any point during the 2021-2022 academic year.
- Developed a menu of group counseling options for USA students during the fall and spring semesters that helped meet the increased demand for services.
- UCTC client demographics mirrored USA 2021-2022 student demographics.
- Developed and wrote a comprehensive, up-to-date UCTC Policies and Procedures Manual.
- Continued to enhance our work flow model that increased the efficiency and effectiveness of UCTC.
- Secured HEERF funding and on-boarded Togetherall, a global online peer-to-peer mental health community that empowers to anonymously seek and provide support.
- Updated UCTC COOP Plan
- Updated the USA's substance abuse prevention program to bring it in line with current standards of practice.

TESTING SERVICES

- Began administration of the ACT following the closing for COVID. Numerous changes have been made to the Test Management System platform. Testing supervisors and proctors were trained to use the new system and implement supervisory changes in the test administration.
- PROV testing restarted after closure. Multiple changes to the Valhalla platform were implemented.
- Several CLEP Literature essay exams were administered for USA and English composition Modular essay exams for University of Alabama at Birmingham.
- Testing Coordinator became certified as a FLATS (Foreign Language Achievement Testing) supervisor.



TRAINING/GRAD STUDENT PROGRAM

- Completed a successful training program year by training four masters' students from the College of Education's counseling program and one doctoral student from the USA CCP psychology program.
- Updated the Practicum Student Trainee Orientation Program.
- Trained students in CAMS assessment treatment of suicidality.
- Students were educated in Motivational Interviewing, Acceptance and Commitment Therapy, Body Neutrality, Impersonal Process Therapy, and LGBTQ+ awareness and support.

OUTREACH

- Developed and disseminated to the campus community a model outlining a holistic campus-wide approach to mental health.
- Collaborated with the HEART project as an integral part of USA's first Sexual Assault Response Team
- Continued the development of the UCTC website design that focused on providing additional resources to USA students.
- Continued outreach efforts through collaboration and partnerships with a number of campus entities including Academic Success, SGA, Student Health, and Housing to provide mental health resources and information to the USA community.
- Created and conducted a new initiative with Residence Life in Fall 2021 on three topics -ADHD, depression, and family issues and holidays.
- Secured grant funding and on-boarded Kognito for a five year period. Kognito is an
 interactive, evidence-based tool designed for students, faculty, and staff that focuses on
 increasing knowledge and awareness about mental health and suicide, identifying
 warning signs of psychological distress, and building skill in how to lead conversations with
 students in distress.
- Secured HEERF funding to apply for JED Foundation campus designation and recently have been awarded a scholarship through the Morgan Stanley fund to participate in the full 4-year JED campus program.
- Trained 2 cohorts of JSSNs Fall 2021 (6 students) and Spring 2022 (6 students)
- Continued to utilize JSSN to provide outreach initiatives to students and to gather feedback from students on their unique needs.
- Collaborated with Altapointe's Behavioral Health Crisis Center leadership to develop a
 procedure for rapid access by USA students.

HOUSING

#LIVESOUTH



Jeremy Sheffield, Ed.D.
Director

The USA Housing Office is comprised of approximately 23 full-time staff along with 2 graduate assistants and more than 60 undergraduate students within our 4 distinct functional units. We implemented the First-Year Residency Policy, welcomed new staff, hosted a successful move-in experience in collaboration with other campus areas, and continued providing exceptional customer service and memorable experiences for residential students. Key accomplishments include; the addition of 3D floor plans and virtual reality tours of residence hall spaces, expansion of communication options with students through text messaging and website live chat, enhancing outdoor/building signage to better direct residents and campus visitors, installation of new flooring in Beta apartments and HVAC upgrades in Gamma apartments.

OUR MISSION

The University of South Alabama department of Housing is committed to providing safe, reasonably priced, well-maintained residence halls and interacting with students in a courteous and efficient manner. We endeavor to support the academic mission of the University by creating purposeful residential communities that are conducive to the academic and personal success of students.

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RESIDENCE LIFE



HOUSING FACILITIES

















BUSINESS OPERATIONS & MARKETING













TOURS

3D Floorplan of Beta





OFFICE OF VETERAN AFFAIRS

The Office of Veteran Affairs supports the educational aspirations of military-affiliated students, encourages academic success, fosters continued opportunities for leadership, and provides resources & information, while certifying beneficiaries of VA educational benefit programs.



STATISTICS

- 792 veteran dependents processed using the State of Alabama GI Dependent Scholarship Program in the 2021 – 2022 academic year.
- 778 students were processed using Federal VA educational benefits at the University of South Alabama during the 2021 –2022 academic year.
- 241 identifiable student veterans attended classes at South for the 2021 – 2022 academic year.



Simeon Barbour, Associate Director

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Completed a 7-year report to measure student veteran retention and graduation.
- Instituted a mid-week meeting to share updated information, review enrollment periods and implement ideas on how to improve the student experience.
- Located and connected with outside campus partners such as Veterans Recovery Resources, Vet Center, the American Legion Post 250, and Bradford Health Services for the betterment of student health.
- Begna the reimplementation of the SVA JAGVETS and SALUTE programs at South.
- Submitted application for 3 new programs, the revision of 4 ohthers and PASSAGEUSA to be covered under the GI Bill®.

POINTS OF PRIDE

- Consulted with outside institutions (Austin Peay University) to better understand our student population and how we can best serve them.
- Aided in the implementation of the Hero's Scholarship, which helps cover the cost of tuition for our active duty students using Tuition Assistance through the US Department of Defense.
- Organized the 9/11 Memorial for the University.
- Lead the University's Veterans Day Celebration.
- Successfully navigated changes with the 85/15 Rule Changes.





STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION



Heather Sprinkle, Coordinator

STATISTICS

- Approved over \$20k in Co-Sponsorships
- 792 participants in Parking Ticket Forgiveness Days
- Funded the purchase of furniture and materials for various buildings on campus
- Chaperoned Jags vs. Troy trip with 220 students attending
- Approved over \$80k in Appropriations
- Collected nearly 500 canned food items in Food Drive Competition

Executive Branch

- Two officers attended STARS
- Completion of Outdoor Classroom Project near Life Sciences Meisler Hall. Final cost of project-\$32,705.50.
- Co-sponsored 9/11 Memorial Event with Office of Veterans Affairs
- Undergraduate Regalia Giveaway (funding of undergraduate regalia)-Close to 130 students applied
- Added Graduate Entrance Exam materials to the Textbook Lending Program

- Collected nearly 500 canned food items in Food Drive Competition
- Co-Sponsored 8 different events on campus over the year
- Approved in Fiscal Year Appropriations: \$80,763.37
- Approved in Fiscal Year STG: \$20,899.81
- Approved in Fiscal Year Co-Sponsorships: \$20,197.13
- Total Funds going to RSOs: \$121,860.31
- First Year Council hosted six events that engaged more than 300 students

Judicial Branch

- Held a Trivia Night with the Higher Education Partnership
- Attended Higher Education Day with close to 40 participants
- Governmental Relations Committee hosted "Modern Baloney Detection" with Dr. Whalen, to introduce students to techniques and concepts to critically read the news.
- Governmental Relations Committee partnered with Dr. Habel and the League of Women Voters to host "Voting 101: All You Need to Know about Voting"
- Ruled on more than 750 parking citation appeals
- 409 participants in Fall 2021 Parking Ticket Forgivness Day
- 383 participants in Spring 2022 Parking Ticket Forgiveness Day

Legislative Branch

- Created three (3) bill templates based on potential topic: projects, resolutions, amendments
- Sponsored or co-sponsored 6 Homecoming events that engaged more than 1000 students
- Funded the purchase of tables and chairs for the College of Nursing
- Student Affairs Committed hosted "Java with Jo" with USA President Bonner-close to 100 students in attendance
- Funded the purchase of whiteboards for the Frederick P. Whiddon College of Medicine Student Lounge

- Funded the purchase of emergency menstrual products for multiple academic buildings
- Provided 'Thank You' bags for Jag Tran and Grounds Employees
- Funded the installation of a charging station in Marx Library in the amount of \$1,257.00
- Funded the purchase furniture for the Pat Capps Covey College of Allied Health Study Room in the amount of \$8.881.40
- Funded the purchase of a new suit for USA Mascot, Miss Pawla
- Partially funded the Meteorology Broadcasting Program data fees in the amount of \$5,888.00

Coordinator

- Attended STARS Conference
- Managed more than 100 volunteers for the annual Move-in Day event
- Attended College Colors Proclamation Day in Montgomery
- Served as Division of Student Affairs United Way Campaign representative
- Served on the Professional Development Committee
- Served on University-wide Homecoming Committee

- Participated in Freshman Leadership Scholars Interviews
- Attended COSGA
- Chaperoned Jags vs. Troy trip with 220 students attending
- Hosted Tau Sigma Honor Society Inductions with 19 transfer students inducted
- Served as a small group facilitator for the NACA Student Government Institute



STUDENT CENTER AND STUDENT LIFE

As the center of it all, the Student Center enriches student learning and development, and builds community by providing quality programs, services, and facilities that allow students to connect on campus. Our department, comprised of Student Activities, Greek Life, University Programs, and Student Center Services, enriches the campus life experience by providing quality programs, services, and facilities focused on student engagement, student learning, and student achievement.



Brigette Soderlind, Director

STATISTICS

- Added 24 new student organizations
- Retained 139 student organizations
- Provided various trainings for Fraternities & Sororities
- University Programs and JP sponsored 39 events
- Over 12k reserved hours for 2021-2022 academic year

Vision

The Student Center unifies the South community and inspires Jaguar Pride by providing transformational experiences and developing global citizens.

Student Activities

- 40 registered student organizations participated in Get on Board Day(s)
- Over 100 registered student organizations attended Student Organization Leadership Day (SOLD)
- 24 new student organizations registrations
 - Faith & Religious Based (1), Club Sports (1), Civic & Serviced Based (1),
 Diversity & Culturally Based (1), Academic & Departmental Based (15),
 Honor Societies (1), Special Interest & Hobbies (4)
- 139 of student organizations renewed (not including pending)
 - Faith & Religious Based (11), Club Sports (3), Civic & Service Based (13),
 Diversity & Culturally Based (15), Academic & Departmental Based (64),
 Honor Societies (11), Special Interest & Hobbies (22)
- Appeals process offered for student organization to appeal the renewal decision
 - o Efficiency in the Registration/Renewal process
 - oSet and follow firm deadlines for Renewal submissions
 - o Updated a checklist utilized by the Involvement Specialists
 - Created advisor memo to send out to all Advisors following the organization renewal/registration

STUDENT ORGANIZATION COMMITTEE

- 10 meetings held
- 24 organizations approved
- Worked with Special Events Office to disseminate information to EMS administrators, to inform which registered student organizations did not renew for 2021-2022



FRATERNITY & SORORITY LIFE

- Provided required education training on drug education, hazing education, education related to student well-being, including campus resources for assistance with issues such as eating disorders, substance abuse, untreated mental health concerns through speaker and video presentations in IFC, CPC, and NPHC council meetings
- Provided educational training for Greek Life Officers regarding Greek Life, University, and National Conference risk management policies in a mandatory meeting and through the council meetings
- Updated Greek Life Policy and presented guidelines to the USA PD and housing
- Conducted advisors meeting with all three councils
- Conducted six chapter visits from fraternity and sorority national offices
- In both fall and spring semesters, the average GPA for all sororities (3.26/3.30) was higher than the overall female average for University (3.10/3.16)



STUDENT CENTER SERVICES

FALL 2021

- Reservations
 - o No. of Bookings—941
 - No. of Reserved Hours—4,129

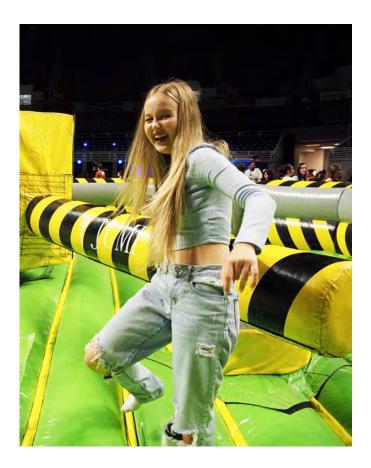
SPRING 2022

- Reservations
 - o No. of Bookings—1,359
 - o No. of Reserved Hours—8,098

UNIVERSITY PROGRAMS

FALL 2021

- Including collaborations with various groups, University Programs and Jaguar Productions (JP), sponsored 22 events
- Planned Homecoming Concert: BassJackers (45 in attendance)
- Total attendance for JP and University Programs reached 3,378
- Collaborated with the following university partners and Student Organizations
 - Student Government Association
 - Student Center
 - USA Athletics
 - Common Read/Common World
 - o Stokes Writing Center
 - o National Pan-Hellenic Council
 - Sexual Assault and Violence Educators
 - o Title IX
 - Career Services
 - o Black Student Union
 - First Year Council
 - Student Recreation Center
 - o Criminal Justice Program
 - USA Housing



SPRING 2022

- Including collaborations with various groups, University Programs and Jaguar Productions (JP), sponsored 17 events
- Successfully programmed a Women's Empowerment Tea in collaboration with several university partners while fostering community and diversity.
- Total attendance for JP and University Programs reached 1,746
- Collaborated with the following university partners and Student Organizations
 - Student Government Association
 - Student Center
 - o Alpha Kappa Alpha
 - o National Pan-Hellenic Council
 - o Title IX
 - o Black Student Union
 - o First Year Council
 - Student Recreation Center
 - o Global USA
 - Jag Success
 - o Office of Multicultural Leadership
 - o USA Dining Services
 - o PASSAGE
- JP Tech provided tech services for 16 organizations



OFFICE OF STUDENT CONDUCT

The Office of Student Conduct is designed to promote, manage, and maintain a safe and thriving campus community conducive to academic excellence. University policies and standards are balanced with the educational development of its individual students by strengthening the concepts of social justice, global consciousness and citizenship, proper decision making, conflict management and resolution, restoration, civility, respect for self and others, accountability, integrity, and ethical development.



Cathi Jones, Assistant Director

WHAT WE DO

The Office of Student Conduct, along with the University Disciplinary Committee (UDC) is tasked with providing effective, efficient, fair, and consistent due process procedures; investigating allegations of misconduct; adjudicating cases; resolving non-academic disciplinary matters; and, when necessary, imposing sanctions for violations of the Code of Student Conduct published in The Lowdown.

HIGHLIGHT

78% of cases in 2022 were resolved through an informal hearing process.

OUR PHILOSOPHY

When students act discordantly with values identified in The Lowdown (student code of conduct) and other university policies, they have an obligation to repair harm caused to the community and its members. The Office of Student Conduct uses educational measures to our campus community to resolve the broken relationship and to guide the student or organization back into good standing with the university. These measures are intended to reshape the student's or organization's understanding of the values identified in The Lowdown and our community. The student conduct process includes victims (complaintants/impacted parties), offenders (respondents), and members of the community (affected parties) collaborating to hold offenders accountable for their actions.

WE VALUE

- Transparency
- Equity
- Fairness
- Consistency
- Individual Student Rights

OUR GOALS

- Resolve complaints promptly and in an equitable manner
- Help respondent to accept and acknowledge responsibility for their offenses
- Help students find solutions to repair the harm they caused to victims and the community
- Work to reduce the risk of re-offense through reintegrating the offender back into the University community by (re)building positive social ties to the community.

