

The Connection

Spring 2024 | Week 1

For Undergraduates in the UCLA College of Letters and Science

What's Happening Week 1?

University Studies Summer Session C Offerings

Two University Studies (U.S.) courses will be offered during Session C! [UNIV ST 1 - Ace the UCLA College-to-Career Transition](#) (1 unit P/NP), is a new course designed in collaboration with the Career Center, Academic Advising, and the Teaching and Learning Center. U.S. 1 will be offered asynchronously online and introduce students to the value of a research institution, transferable skills, and how they can most effectively maximize their time at UCLA to prepare them for the College-to-Career transition. The second course, [UNIV ST 10A - Critical Strategies to Achieve Undergraduate Excellence](#) (2 units P/NP), will be offered synchronously online. U.S. 10A cultivates a space on campus where students learn to engage collaboratively within the community, comprehend and apply effective learning strategies, practice resilience and growth mindset, and more. U.S. 10A is open to first and second-year students only. Learn more about University Studies [here](#) and enroll on MyUCLA!

Undergraduate Student Initiated Education Applications

Are you interested in facilitating your own seminar? Undergraduate Student Initiated Education (USIE) is an unique program that allows students to facilitate a seminar of their own design and enhance their undergraduate experience at UCLA. In order to participate in the USIE program, students must be enrolled for the entirety of the 2024-25 academic year. To apply, complete an [Application form](#), resume, and a [Faculty Mentor Agreement Form](#). The application deadline for participation in 2024/2025 is Monday, April 22, 2024, 5:00 pm PST. For a complete list of eligibility requirements, refer to the [Student Facilitator Checklist](#). For more information, visit the [USIE website](#), and for any questions email usie@college.ucla.edu.

Human Biology and Society B.A. & B.S. major applications

Are you interested in being a Human Biology and Society (HBS) major? The application for both the B.A. and B.S. are live! Apply and receive an interdisciplinary education to learning about current issues at the intersections of human biology, genomics, and society. The HBS major is great preparation for many careers across several disciplines. To learn more about the major, [visit their website](#). The [FAQs](#) share more about the application process and eligibility requirements, and you can also view an [informational video](#) for additional information. Applications are open until April 12th 3pm (Week 2), so fill out your [application](#) today!

UPCOMING DATES AND DEADLINES

Monday, April 1st (Week 1)

- Instruction Begins

Friday, April 12th (Week 2)

- Study List becomes official at 11:59 PM
- Classes dropped for non-payment, and waitlists dropped at 11:59 PM
- Last day to drop impacted classes
- Last day to enroll without late study list fee through MyUCLA
- Last day to submit reduced fees request to College or School

STAY CONNECTED!

Contact College Academic Counseling via

- MyUCLA Message Center
- REACH Virtual Drop-in Counseling
- Window at A-316 Murphy Hall
- CAC Peer Counselor In-Person Stations

Visit our [CAAC Contact page](#) for our REACH and Window hours, and [CAC Peer Counselor page](#) for In-Person Station location and hours

CONDUITS

Are you looking for hidden campus gems to enhance your time at UCLA? Look no further! Every week Conduits will feature a campus resource, selected by our very own CAC Peer Counselors, that will help you maximize your academic and social experience at UCLA.



UCLA Volunteer Center

The UCLA Volunteer Center is a resource center on campus that coordinates service activities on campus and throughout Greater Los Angeles to create meaningful opportunities to volunteer in the local community. Students, faculty, alumni, and community members can identify and participate in ongoing service opportunities, suggest volunteer site locations, and lead service projects through the volunteer center. The Center maintains an online database of community service opportunities. More information can be found on their [website](#).