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An inventory of all supportive programs and offices at UMBC is available at http://www.umbc.edu/undergrad_ed/retention/centeredonsuccess.pdf

Also:

University Counseling Services

www.umbc.edu/counseling

Student Development & Success Center
(between Chesapeake and Susquehanna Halls)
410-455-2472

Many students have trouble adjusting to the challenges of college life. It is quite common to feel anxious or concerned about your course work, social life, or the everyday pressures of being a college student. University Counseling Services is a place where you can come to talk about these problems, and where staff and faculty can seek referrals for services. Any number of resources UCS provides could be of assistance to you, and there is no obligation to continue.

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| <p>Gender and Women's Studies Department <i>Anne Brodsky, brodsky@umbc.edu, x52416;</i> http://www.umbc.edu/wmstudies/</p> | <p>Students in department, also student and faculty on GWST academic department's Coordinating Committee</p> | <p>Helps the UMBC community learn about the effects of gender in everyone's life.</p> | <p>Coordinating Committee is a cadre of women who support each other to succeed and are available/open. Faculty also advise and mentor students in major: personal conversations, application of class work to real life (professional development), role modeling, and offering opportunities to new voices.</p> |

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| HR Training and Organization Development Department <i>Terri Werner, twerner@umbc.edu, x56262;</i> http://www.umbc.edu/hr/T&OD/T&ODindex.html | Faculty and Staff | Enhance staff and faculty knowledge and skills with high-quality, accessible training and professional development opportunities. | SkillSoft online modules on mentoring; a plan for pilot department mentoring program; best practices for mentoring list, which looks at the qualities of good mentoring. |
| Human Relations Center for Mediation and Conflict Resolution <i>Adrienne Mercer, almercer@umbc.edu, x51606;</i> http://www.umbc.edu/humanrelations/cmcr/ | Students, Faculty, and Staff | Confidential program for voluntary resolution of interpersonal conflicts. | Trains conflict mediators including a 5-hour Mediation Apprenticeship |
| The Faculty Development Center <i>Jack Prostko, prostko@umbc.edu;</i> http://www.umbc.edu/fdc/fdcstaff.html | Faculty | Connects faculty with resources for innovation and renewal throughout their career. | Supports faculty with their teaching, research, creative activity, and service; "Faculty-lunch" for new-hires. |
| NSF ADVANCE Program <i>Pat McDermott, mcdermot@umbc.edu;</i> http://www.umbc.edu/advance/ | Female Graduate Students and Faculty in sciences and engineering | Eminent Scholar program-speakers on how to succeed in field; "Faculty Horizons" 2 ½ day seminar to prepare students to become faculty, or newly-hired faculty. | Leadership groups and cohorts where 5-7 women at a time learn about advancement from experienced leaders in field. |
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| Women in Science & Engineering (WISE) <i>Phyllis Robinson, probinso@umbc.edu, x52977</i> | Faculty | Women faculty from the STEM departments gather to brainstorm about the challenges of being a successful STEM faculty member. | Support group who help each other; a formal, behind-closed-doors mentoring group. |
| Women's Center <i>Mikhel Kushner, womens.center@umbc.edu, x52714;</i> www.umbc.edu/womenscenter | students, staff, and faculty who respect women's experiences stories and potential | Assist all women in achieving their full potential in education, career, and personal life through academic and intellectual growth, professional development, and personal empowerment. | Support groups (mothers, caregivers); peer to peer partnerships and informal networking; academic assistance for research and activism projects; connecting to resources. |

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| PeopleSoft Peer Mentors <i>Jack Suess, jack@umbc.edu, x52582;</i> http://www.umbc.edu/delta/who-mentors.htm | Faculty and Staff | Periodic lunch, information sessions, access to experts for resolving issues. | Peer mentors provide support to others. |

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Mentoring Resources for Students

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| Academic Center for Student Athletes <i>Jessica Hammond, hammond@umbc.edu</i> <i>x52290;</i> http://www.umbcretrievers.com/info/academic-center/ | NCAA Division I Student Athletes | Prepares student athletes for the demands placed on them both as students and athletes. Provide leadership opportunities and related programming in personal, career, and academic development. | One-on-one and small group tutoring, weekly advising/mentoring sessions with advisors. |
| ACTiVATE <i>Ellen Hemmerly, hemmerly@umbc.edu;</i> http://www.umbc.edu/activate/ | Graduate Students (mid career women) | ACTiVATE provides a hands-on approach that uses advanced technologies to form companies; Helps to train women with technical/business experience so that they can become entrepreneurs and create start-up companies from inventions from Maryland research institutions and Federal Agencies. | Coaching and instruction by experienced entrepreneurs; help to create networking between experts and graduate students. |
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| <p>Alex. Brown Center for Entrepreneurship <i>Vivian Armor, armor@umbc.edu;</i> http://www.umbc.edu/entrepreneurship/</p> | <p>Students (who have started a business or who plan to start one)</p> | <p>The purpose of the Alex. Brown Center for Entrepreneurship is to introduce attitudes and activities that will create successful entrepreneurs by encouraging more innovative thinking within the UMBC student body.</p> | <p>Informal discussions with students to advise and help them as they think through their projects; the Center has connections within the business community and connect students to resources and people.</p> |
| <p>Campus Connect <i>Barbara Smith, bsmith@umbc.edu, x 52300;</i> http://www.umbc.edu/undergrad_ed/connect/faculty-staff.html</p> | <p>Students</p> | <p>“Put a face” on UMBC by offering new students an informal and personal connection to the campus.</p> | <p>Twelve trained student peer mentors invite new students to pizza get-togethers, commuter student breakfast; can connect students with mentors.</p> |
| <p>The Career Services Center <i>Anne Scholl-Fiedler, afiedler@umbc.edu, x52216; http://careers.umbc.edu/</i></p> | <p>Students (and alumni)</p> | <p>Help students and alumni find their motivated strengths to enhance their potential. Student peer advisor program, network opportunities with alumni, career skill development, one-on-one career advising.</p> | <p>Provide students and alumni with tools to make themselves marketable to employers; help students with the transition from school to the workforce. Encourage students and alumni to work at their best in careers they will enjoy, thus resulting in greater satisfaction and success.</p> |

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| <p>The English Language Center: Conversation Partners, conv@umbc.edu; http://www.cps.umbc.edu/aps/Conversation_Partners1.asp?SnID=876789629</p> | <p>Students</p> | <p>Students participate in conversations with partners, field trips throughout the mid-Atlantic region, and in campus activities.</p> | <p>Matches ESL students with conversation partners who mentor language; cultural skills to integrate students into the UMBC community.</p> |
| <p>Gender and Women's Studies Department <i>Anne Brodsky, brodsky@umbc.edu, x52416;</i> http://www.umbc.edu/wmstudies/</p> | <p>Students in department, also students and faculty on GWST academic department's Coordinating Committee</p> | <p>Helps the UMBC community learn about the effects of gender in everyone's life.</p> | <p>Coordinating Committee is a cadre of women who support each other to succeed and are available/open. Faculty also advise and mentor students in major: personal conversations, application of class work to real life (professional development), role modeling, and offering opportunities to new voices.</p> |

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| Graduate Student Association Commons, Room 308 x52773 gsa@umbc.edu http://www.umbc.edu/gsa/ | Graduate Students | To support, promote and represent all graduate students at UMBC; to provide opportunities for intellectual, professional and social development through grants, public presentation of research, graduate community events and campus service support. | Beginning a mentoring program for graduate students, currently networking and community interaction opportunities. |
| The Honors College Anna Shields, ashields@umbc.edu , x53720 | Students | Helps students reach their potential by creating interactions with students in small classrooms and faculty; students can become active members of the UMBC community. | Students are advised/mentored through the HC program in addition to regular UMBC advising activities. One-on-one advising is given each semester. |
| Honors College: Peer Leaders Maureen McCormick, mccormic@umbc.edu , x51616; www.umbc.edu/honors | Students in Honors College | Help students reach their potential by creating interactions with students in small classrooms; students can become active members of the UMBC community. | First year Honor College students are mentored by returning Honors College students. Peer leaders offer support as students acclimate to college life and offer advice when needed. |
| Humanities Scholars Program Michele Osherow, mosherow@umbc.edu , x56798; http://www.umbc.edu/humanities/scholars_program.html | Students (undergraduate humanities scholarship students) | Helps students interact with faculty and visiting scholars; involvement in interdisciplinary research. | Support staff offer One-on-one advising on academics, undergraduate research, study abroad, internships, and graduate school. |

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| <p>Learning Resources Center <i>Sam Riley, sriley4@umbc.edu, x52441;</i> http://www.umbc.edu/lrc/info_for_tutor.htm</p> <p>Cassie Lee Bichy bichy@umbc.edu x52447</p> | <p>Students</p> | <p>An undergraduate academic support program that provides peer mentoring tutors for students in collaboration with students, faculty, staff, and administrators. Prepares students for academic success through classroom instruction in the IHU program, and classes provided by LRC: e.g. LRC 099 (math), LRC 100, 101, reading, study skills; and academic success programs such as LRC 101A;</p> | <p>One-on-one and small group tutoring with certified trained tutors (including the math and writing labs), who model and teach appropriate learning and study techniques to encourage independent learning.</p> |
| <p>Linehan Artist Scholars <i>Alan Kreizenbeck, kreizenb@umbc.edu, x52948;</i> http://www.umbc.edu/las/</p> | <p>Students</p> | <p>Guide students in programs that combine performance and theory in an interdisciplinary context.</p> | <p>Second and third year students are paired with first year students during the summer to aid with the transition to university life.</p> |
| <p>Meyerhoff Scholars Program <i>Mitsue Wiggs, wiggs@umbc.edu, x51380;</i> http://www.umbc.edu/meyerhoff/</p> | <p>Students (in STEM fields)</p> | <p>Challenges ideas about minority achievement, and seeks students who are interested in pursuing a Ph.D. degree. Provides seminars and meetings including academic and professional support.</p> | <p>Meet African-American faculty members who can share their life experiences; work with other bright students who are black; high concentration of high-achieving minority and underrepresented students in a tightly knit learning community; promotes underrepresented research.</p> |

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| McNair Scholars Program <i>April Householder,</i> aprilh@umbc.edu , x53057; http://www.umbc.edu/mcnair/ <i>Cynthia Hill,</i> chill@umbc.edu , x53277; www.umbc.edu/mcnair/ | Undergraduate UMBC Students | A program that prepares first generation and low-income students for doctoral studies in all disciplines by providing mentoring, research, and scholarly activities. Also serves members of groups who are underrepresented in graduate education. | Faculty mentors guide students through research project during summer institute; McNair's staff mentors students through individualized development plan once per semester; Also peer mentors (current students and alumni). |
| National Society of Black Engineers <i>Brandon Johnson,</i> nsbe.umbc.pres@gmail.com ; http://www.umbc.edu/studentlife/orgs/nsbe/home.html www.nsbe.org | Students | Professional and cultural student organization. Increase the number of culturally responsible Black engineers who excel academically, succeed professionally, and positively impact the community. | Helps students reach their potential academically and professionally through tutorial programs, group study sessions, high school/junior high outreach programs, technical seminars and workshops, a national communications network (NSBE) with alumni, and conferences. |

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| Office of Student Life: Leadership Consultants <i>Nick Lennon, nlennon@umbc.edu;</i> http://www.umbc.edu/studentlife/becomealeader.lc/php | Students | A year-long leadership development program that trains UMBC students in leadership and how to be leadership educators and facilitators. | The LCs are being trained to mentor any UMBC student leader through workshops, events and even one on one meetings |
| Office of Student Life: Student Life Staff <i>Lee Calizo, calizo@umbc.edu, x51754;</i> http://www.umbc.edu/studentlife/aboutus/staff.php | Students | Student Life is committed to providing opportunities for students to attend events, participate in events and lead events, fostering a student-centered, diverse, and interactive learning environment by engaging students and encouraging them to become active, civic-minded members of the campus and larger community. | Student Life staff intervenes when student groups are having problems. Groups get to know one another through the Student Life Staff workshops, organizations, classes, and offices that help students help themselves. |
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| <p>Peer Health Advocates Program <i>Alison Rohrbach, arohrbach@umbc.edu, x51599</i></p> | <p>Students</p> | <p>Peer Health Advocates are highly trained undergraduate students who provide health education programs on campus. Peers also plan, implement, and participate in health fairs and other health education events on campus.</p> | <p>Peers provide one-on-one sessions with students to educate them about health topics (gynecological exams, birth control) All peer health advocates act as role models for healthy behaviors. Senior peers are known as "Peer Mentors," providing assistance to less experienced peer health advocates.</p> |
| <p>PROMISE <i>Renetta Tull, rtull@umbc.edu, x52930; http://www.umbc.edu/promise/</i></p> | <p>Graduate students</p> | <p>An alliance of three public research universities in Maryland with UMBC as its lead. PROMISE is Maryland's Alliance for Graduate Education and the Professoriate (AGEP). PROMISE is dedicated to increasing the diversity of Ph.D. grad students, regardless of discipline, but especially in science and engineering.</p> | <p>Support and mentoring is provided for all students. Students with African-American, Hispanic/Latino(s), American Indian/ Native American, Pacific Islander, Native Alaskan, and other underrepresented backgrounds are encouraged to utilize the structured support of PROMISE. Prepares students for careers after graduation.</p> |

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| <p>Residential Life <i>The Residential Education staff, x53932</i> http://www.umbc.edu/reslife/staff/</p> | <p>For undergraduates</p> | <p>Residential Life works with residential students to offer support and guidance with students' academic, judicial, and personal concerns.</p> | <p>Provides an atmosphere where professional and paraprofessional staff provides educational and social programs and activities, as well as one on one support, to students..</p> |
| <p>Sherman Teacher Education Scholars <i>Rehana Shafi, rshafi@umbc.edu, x51736;</i> http://www.umbc.edu/undergraduate/learn/sherman.html</p> | <p>Undergraduate and graduate students</p> | <p>Supports students who will be math, science, engineering teachers and their preparation for employment in high-needs schools in the Baltimore area.</p> | <p>Scholars are provided with additional professional and leadership development opportunities to prepare them for working in high-needs schools. Also guidance for alumni in their first years of teaching.</p> |
| <p>The Shriver Center: Service Learning Interns <i>Lori Hardesty, lhardesty@umbc.edu, x51615;</i> <i>Jennifer Arndt, jarndt@umbc.edu</i></p> | <p>Students</p> | <p>Puts students into service learning, internship, and cooperative education experiences in public or private organizations. Provides profession-oriented mentoring.</p> | <p>Service Learning Interns check in with mentors and have formal meetings so that they can be guided, motivated, and have their problems solved. Interns then guide and mentor service learning volunteers. Structured opportunities to connect to program alums for networking and general support.</p> |

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| <p>The Shriver Center: Peace Worker Program <i>Joby Taylor, jtaylor14@umbc.edu;</i> http://www.shrivercenter.org/peaceworker.html <i>Jennifer Arndt, jarndt@umbc.edu</i></p> | <p>Students (graduate students who are returned Peace Corps volunteers)</p> | <p>Supports Returned Peace Corps Volunteers through a selective service-learning scholarship program integrating: graduate study, community service, and ethical reflection, preparing them for leadership positions in diverse fields of public and private service.</p> | <p>Individual advisement meetings with structured agenda, guided goal-setting tools, peer learning partners (2nd year student with a 1st year students, paired according to career goals or other similarities). Structured opportunities to connect to program alums for networking + general support</p> |
| <p>Society of Women Engineers</p> | | | |
| <p>Sondheim Public Affairs Scholars Program <i>Delana Gregg, delana1@umbc.edu, x52916;</i> www.umbc.edu/sondheim</p> | <p>Students (undergraduate scholarship students in social sciences)</p> | <p>Supports undergraduates to become leaders in the government, non-profit organizations, and in the community.</p> | <p>Students meet with mentors (faculty and staff) once a semester or more, while they talk about opportunities that will expand and bring about growth in the individual. Peer mentoring provided.</p> |
| <p>Student Involvement Center, Office of Student Life Room 2B24, The Commons x52867 explore@umbc.edu http://www.umbc.edu/studentlife/getinvolved/index.php</p> | <p>Students</p> | <p>The Student Involvement Center is the Office of Student Life's gateway for involvement and leadership opportunities at UMBC. Students and student organizations can access involvement, volunteerism, and leadership resources.</p> | <p>Involvement peers consult one-on-one to connect students' interests and needs to student organizations.</p> |

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Stud Student Mentoring Resources

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| <p>Student Support Services Cynthia M. Hill, chill@umbc.edu, ACIV B-Wing 341, x52445 http://www.umbc.edu/sss/html/sss_main.htm</p> | <p>Students (low-income, first generation college students and students with disabilities from all racial and ethnic backgrounds who have a need for academic and other support services in order to successfully complete their college education)</p> | <p>Resources and services for students, including individualized developmental instruction from staff specialists; skill-building workshops; exposure to cultural, academic, and leadership enrichment activities.</p> | <p>Academic advisement; personal and career counseling; one-to-one peer tutoring</p> |
| <p>Undergraduate Research Office of Undergraduate Education Janet McGlynn, mcglynn@umbc.edu, x5-5754; http://www.umbc.edu/undergrad_ed/research/index.html</p> | <p>Students (undergraduates)</p> | <p>Undergraduate research and creative achievement day: Opportunity for students engaged in mentored research to present their results in a professional setting. Others attend to learn from fellow students, and to see what is possible for them to do.</p> | <p>A table at URCAD provides advice and help to students interested in establishing such relationships.</p> |
| <p>Upward Bound Corris Davis, cdavis4@umbc.edu, x52700; http://userpages.umbc.edu/~upbound/</p> | <p>Students</p> | <p>For students who want to become mentors who have established themselves in the academic realm and who meet the income and first generation requirements to obtain a four year college degree.</p> | <p>This program promotes the development of students by enhancing their basic skills, academic and cultural achievement, and by giving them the motivation to help the successfully graduate from college.</p> |

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| Women in Science & Engineering Graduate Association <i>Katisha Smith, smithk1@umbc.edu</i> | Students (graduate) | | |
| Women Involved in Learning and Leading (WILL) <i>Jodi Kelber-Kaye, jodik@umbc.edu, x556371;</i> http://www.umbc.edu/wmstudies/willprogram.html | Students (Not exclusively for women!) | Engagement in a learning community that promotes academic excellence, leadership development, career exploration, and civic engagement for women. Includes academic curriculum, co-curricular events and student-led management of organization. | Matched relationships with faculty/staff: with similar research interests/majors, one year voluntary commitment, and also with older students. Mentor younger students, who are encouraged to participate in luncheons and meet with mentors on monthly bases. |
| Women in Science & Engineering Undergraduate Organization <i>Florence Lin flin1@umbc.edu</i> | Students (undergraduate) | Women in Science and Engineering deal with topics on careers, graduate schools, and up-and-coming research. | Meetings two times per month. |

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| <p>Women's Collective <i>Sarah Soloman, sarsol@umbc.edu;</i> http://orgs.umbc.edu/womenscollective/</p> | <p>Students (undergraduates)</p> | <p>An undergraduate organization that promotes gender equality in all of its forms. The UMBC Women's Collective attempts to empower and educate the UMBC community through feminist discussions, support, and activism.</p> | <p>Students attend weekly discussions as part of informal mentoring. Mentoring occurs during meetings in regards to activism and understanding of feminist theory/ feminism.</p> |

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Mentoring-Sororities and Fraternities

Sororities and Fraternities

The UMBC Greek Council Provides resources for its chapters to reach out into the UMBC community. Weekly meetings are used to express concerns/questions/ and to discuss ways to better the community as a whole.

<http://www.umbc.edu/greek/>

The UMBC Greek Community promotes excellence by exemplifying respect and a spirit of unity amongst its members, while embracing the diversity of our campus. It strengthens UMBC and the surrounding community through personal development in scholarship, leadership, and service, while fostering lifelong bonds.

UMBC Greek Life Staff Contact:

Corin Gioia

Coordinator, Greek Life and Leadership
Office of Student Life, Commons 2B14
(410) 455-3319

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Sororities and Fraternities on the UMBC campus

Groups' contact information/websites:

<http://www.umbc.edu/studentlife/getinvolved/organizations.php#cat4>

Alpha Epsilon Pi

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc

Alpha Sigma Alpha

Delta Phi Epsilon

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc

Interfraternity Council

Kappa Phi Lambda Asian Interest Sorority, Inc.

Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity

Lambda Theta Alpha Latin Sorority, Inc.

Multicultural Greek Council

National Pan Hellenic Council (NPHC)

Pan-Hellenic Association

Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.

Phi Kappa Sigma

Phi Mu Fraternity for Women

Phi Sigma Sigma

Pi Kappa Phi

Sigma Beta Rho Fraternity, Inc

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Triangle Fraternity

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc

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Mentoring Resources for Cultural and Religious/Spiritual Groups

Cultural and Religious/Spiritual Groups are good for networking and the development of friendships, whether inside or outside of meetings. Cultural and religious/spiritual groups host activities and partner with other organizations.

The Mosaic: Culture and Diversity Center: The Mosaic is a center committed to empowering all members of the campus community to be culturally conscious and aware members of their community. The Mosaic Center is the birthplace of ideas, programs, and curriculum that celebrates cultural diversity and equality. All UMBC undergraduate/graduate students, student organizations, staff, faculty, and alumni are welcome.

<http://www.umbc.edu/studentlife/mosaic/>

Location Room 2B23, The Commons, 2nd Floor

Phone 410-455-2686

mosaic@umbc.edu

Cultural Groups on the UMBC campus

Celebrating a particular culture or ethnicity. These groups are open to all students.

(Groups' contact information/websites: <http://www.umbc.edu/studentlife/getinvolved/organizations.php#cat2>)

African Student Association

Arab Student Union

Asian Student Connection

Bangla Club

Black Student Union

Board of Underrepresented Students

Caribbean American Student Association

Chinese Students Association

Ethiopian-Eritrean Student Association

Filipino American Student Association

Freedom Alliance (GLBTA)

Hellenic Association of UMBC

Hindu Students Council

Hispanic Latino Student Union

Jewish Student Union

Korean Student Association

Ninhonbu

Persian Student Association

Russian Club

Sikh Student Association

South Asian Students Association

Taiwanese Student Association

Vietnamese Student Association

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The Interfaith Center The Interfaith Center (IFC) is a center committed to empowering all members of the campus community to be spiritually conscious and aware members of their community. The Interfaith Center is the birthplace of ideas, programs, and curriculum that celebrates religious and spiritual diversity and equality. The IFC provides space for students, staff, and faculty from all religious and spiritual backgrounds to meet, worship, discuss, and celebrate their individual and collective faiths.

<http://www.umbc.edu/studentlife/mosaic/ifc.php>

Location: The Student Development and Success Center, Center Road (Interfaith Center Entrance is on the far right side of the building, up the ramp on the right side of the building)

Phone: 410-455-3657

interfaith@umbc.edu

Religious/Spiritual Groups on the UMBC campus

Focusing on a particular religious or spiritual faith/tradition. These groups are open to all students.

(Groups' contact information/websites: <http://www.umbc.edu/studentlife/getinvolved/organizations.php#cat9>)

Agape Campus Christian Fellowship

Ahayot: The Jewish Sisterhood at UMBC

Alpha Nu Omega Fraternity, Inc.

Baptist Student Ministry

Chinese Bible Study Fellowship

Disciples on Campus

ECHO

Fellowship Under God's Influence

Gospel Choir

Intervarsity Christian Fellowship

Korean Bible Study

Korean Campus Ministry

Lutheran and Episcopal Campus Ministry

Muslim Student Association

Newman Club

One Voice Campus Ministry

Orthodox Christian Fellowship

Pagan Student Union

Perfected Praise Liturgical Dance Ministry

Yoga and Meditation Society