

STUDENT LIFE

Student Engagement and Development

OSU-Oklahoma City offers a wide array of extracurricular programs and activities that serve students' interests. A wide range of social, recreational, cultural and civic activities are offered to students. The Office of Student Life works closely with student organizations and provides guidance and information concerning student organization constitutions, by-laws, membership and issues concerning college policy.

OSU-Oklahoma City students may request an official OSU-Oklahoma City Student Activity Transcript from the Office of Student Life (Student Center, Room 102A) or call (405) 945-3378 or email studentlife@osuokc.edu. The Student Activity Transcript is an official record of out-of-class, extracurricular activities and accomplishments of students.

Student Organizations

Want to get involved at college? Join any of the campus clubs and organizations at OSU-Oklahoma City, or join the organization that pulls all of these groups together - the Student Government Association. For more information, please contact the Office of Student Life at (405) 945-3378. Check out current campus organizations or start a new one. Drop by the Office of Student Life, Student Center, first floor, and let us show what it takes to start an organization or how to get involved.

American Criminal Justice Association

The American Criminal Justice Association's purpose is to further professionalism in the field of criminal justice. As a student organization, it strives to fulfill the needs of the profession through education, training, seminars and personal contacts. To this end, members are encouraged to attend annual regional and national conferences, as well as participate in monthly chapter meetings. For more information contact Dan Johnson, Human Services Education Center, Room 144, (405) 945-8619.

Baptist Collegiate Ministries (BCM)

BCM is a Christ-centered, church-related, student-led organization on college and university campuses throughout Oklahoma. BCM is dedicated to bringing students to a closer walk with Jesus Christ through worship, Bible study, fellowship, ministry opportunities and missions. For more information, contact Joni Bice, (405) 945-3288, Engineering Technologies Building, Room 100; or David Holder, (405) 945-9174.

Black Student Association

The mission of BSA is to encourage a positive educational experience among all students of African/African-American descent and to educate the campus and community about the culture. Any OSU-OKC student is eligible for membership. For more information, contact Kimberly Chapman at (405)945-9183.



Chemical Abuse Recovery Education Student Organization (CARE)

Membership in this organization is open to any student who wants to learn more about the substance abuse counseling field. Monthly meetings feature guest speakers, special activities and will give you an opportunity to get to know fellow students! For more information contact Lisa Dillon, (405) 945-3214.

College Republicans of America

Interested in the political process and learning about the Republican Party? If so, come join the Young Republicans where local candidates are invited to come speak about the issues, members learn about the Republican platform and they increase awareness about the political process in America. Membership is open to all college students. For more information contact Jeff Brewer, (405) 945-3267.

Computer Technology Club (CTC)

Is a computer part of your life? Then the Computer Technology Club is the student organization for you! Some of the goals of the C.T.C are to help raise funds for the campus, tour off-campus sites, provide speakers at meetings to give updates on new technology and provide student user support. There are also lots of opportunities for social events and fellowship. For more information contact Pat Reaves, (405) 945-9166.

Deaf/Hearing Social Club

The Deaf/Hearing Social Club offers support for students who are deaf and hard of hearing, as well as for Interpreter Training students. Not only does the Deaf/Hearing Social Club provide opportunities for socializing in sign, but also it offers activities such as trips, parties, guest speakers and educational functions. Contact Jesselyn Schmitz-Nakolo about membership, (405) 945-8624, Engineering Technologies Building, Room 100.

Diverse Partners, Family and Friends Student Association

The purpose of the Diverse Partners, Friends, Family, & Friends Student Association is to generate a network of support that promotes reaching educational goals, as well as, tolerance and equality for gay, lesbian, transgender, and bisexual people. This club will strive to promote unity and leadership in the celebration of diversity among all cultures and their families. For more information call the Office of Student Life, (405) 945-8674.

Early Care Education Association

The mission of the OSU-OKC Early Care Education Association is to advance the field of early education through the creation of knowledge and promotion of professionalism and leadership. ECA will support high quality early care for families and children. Through this promotion and support, the ECA will serve our community through service activities while enhancing the learning opportunities for OSU-OKC students. For more information, contact Petra Hutchinson at (405) 945-6786.

Electronics Engineering Technology Club (EET)

The Electronics Engineering Technology Club has activities for its members to enhance and supplement their education. Club activities include speakers from industry, interaction with EET graduates and field trips to companies that have possible job opportunities for EET graduates. The EET Club also provides fellowship and social events for the members. For more information contact Calvin Hill, (405) 945-9193.

Go Green

Are you interested in educating our community to be more eco-friendly? Are you interested in finding out how to preserve our world? Come and get involved with Go Green as we strive to promote environmental awareness on the OSU-OKC campus and within our community. For more information contact Student Life, (405)945-8674.

Hispanic Student Association

The Hispanic Student Association's purpose is to educate the OSU-Oklahoma City community about Hispanic culture and history. This club will plan activities on campus and offer services to the Oklahoma City Hispanic community. For more information contact Joaquin Ruiz, (405) 945-9135.

Native American Student Association (NASA)

The Native American Student Association helps the individual Native American student adjust to college life and gain a better understanding and knowledge of Native American heritage, as well as preserve it. Membership is open to those interested in the cultures of Native Americans. For more information contact Debbie Starks, (405) 945-8688.

Oklahoma State Secular Organization

Oklahoma State Secular Organization exists to provide a forum for secular minded students to meet like-minded individuals, promote critical thinking and provide a positive representation for secularists in the community. The group endeavors to provide education and foster understanding between religious and secular people alike. For more information contact the Office of Student Life at (405) 945-8674.

OSU-Oklahoma City Chapter of the Emergency Medical Technician Student Association (EMTSA)

The purpose of EMTSA is to recognize the vital role that emergency medical service personnel play in our daily lives and to encourage emergency medical services as a career. For more information contact Russ Calhoun, (405) 945-3340.

OSU-Oklahoma City Chapter of the Oklahoma Student Nurse Association

The formal organization of student nurses on campus is the OSU-Oklahoma City Chapter of the Oklahoma Student Nurse Association. Membership is open to all nursing students. Members receive mailings from the National Student Nurse Association and have the opportunity to attend state and national conventions. Membership allows nursing students a chance to interact with nursing students from other college nursing programs and to stay current with trends and issues regarding the nursing profession. Contact Karen Lockwood, Health Technologies Room 203H, or call (405) 945-3356 for further information.

Phi Theta Kappa Alpha Pi Nu Chapter

Phi Theta Kappa International Honor Society of the Two-Year College recognizes scholastic achievement and promotes social awareness, fellowship and individual growth. Students must have completed at least 12 college semester credit hours at OSU-Oklahoma City with a minimum 3.5 cumulative grade point average to be eligible

for membership. Invitations for membership are mailed to eligible students in September and February. Transfers from other Phi Theta Kappa college chapters are welcome. Contact Kim Pearsall at (405) 945-3250 for more information.

PLANET (formerly known as Associated Landscaping Contractors of America)

PLANET's purpose is to act as a stepping stone for horticulture students interested in entering the landscape contracting industry. Contact Dave Edwards, (405) 945-3351 for more information.

Society of Manufacturing Engineers (SME) Student Chapter 263

SME provides students with a direct link to manufacturing professionals through a monthly technical magazine and meetings that alternate between day and night. There are also opportunities for participation in professional activities both locally and regionally. Scholarship awards are provided by the Oklahoma City Chapter 125. For more information contact the Office of Student Life at (405) 945-8674.

Sociology Club

This club provides its members with the opportunity to meet with groups or individuals with similar interests while promoting interaction between sociology majors, minors and others interested in sociology. For more information contact Garrett Jones, (405) 945-3226.

Students against Drunk Driving (SADD)

The purpose of SADD is to educate and inform the community of the dangers of drinking and driving via education and community-based programs presented by OSU-Oklahoma City students who are SADD members. For more information contact the Office of Student Life at (405) 945-8674.

Students Association for Victim's Interest and Empowerment (SAVIE)

The purpose of SAVIE is to provide, through campus activities, education to the student body on matters relating to victim-survivor issues and the support agencies available for consultation. In addition, those students enrolled in the CVSS program shall be provided with information and lectures on topics relating to the profession and are provided with an avenue for networking. For more information contact Ann Lowrance, (405) 945-9173, Public Safety Training Center, Room 100C.

Student Government Association (SGA)

The Student Government Association is the representative body of all OSU-Oklahoma City students. SGA sponsors and co-sponsors campus activities and events, recommends the spending of student activity fees and represents the students on campus committees. SGA maintains an office

in the Student Center, first floor, for all clubs and organizations to use. For more information call the Office of Student Life, (405) 945-3378, or the SGA office, (405) 945-8674.

Student Parents Association (SPA)

SPA promotes the development of a network of support on the OSU-Oklahoma City campus for students who are facing the dual challenge of college classes and parenting. This is done through a variety of activities: social, family, fund raising and public service. For more information contact Karen Kruse, (405) 945-8691.

Student Leaders of Tomorrow

Membership is open to any OSU-Oklahoma City student who is eligible for and participating in the Project SOAR program on campus. Project SOAR is a federally-funded Title IV program under the Higher Education Act of 1965 and is offered to students who meet the criteria set by the Department of Education. Members are dedicated to providing support to other students like themselves who welcome encouragement and assistance in becoming successful in their academic endeavors. Call (405) 945-8627 or visit Student Center, Room 194.

Student Today, Alumni Tomorrow (STAT)

STAT is the student Alumni & Friends membership program that helps supports students during their time at OSU-OKC. Members are engaged in the promotion of OSU-OKC programs and activities both on and off campus. For more information contact Jo Ella Flinton, (405) 945-9106 or alumni@osuokc.edu.

Veterinary Technician Student Association

The Veterinary Technician Student Association was organized in 1997 by OSU-Oklahoma City's first class of Veterinary Technology students. Membership is open to anyone interested in promoting the professional and educational advancement of veterinary technicians. For more information contact Dr. Sally Henderson, (405) 945-3364.

Wind Energy Student Association

The purpose of the Wind Energy Student Association is to bring further awareness of the educational opportunities available to current students and prospective students pursuing careers in the rapidly growing alternative energy sector. For more information, contact Dave Eason at (405) 945-3355.

Young Democrats of America

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