

WHAT IS UMOJA AT UCR?



Umoja at UCR provides resources and support to students interested in transferring to UCR and transfer students currently attending. Through Umoja at UCR you can connect with a mentor, take part in weekly study sessions, and attend workshops and presentations. You can also get connected with the variety of resources available on campus just for transfer students, including first-year

programs offered by our schools and colleges, career and grad school prep programs offered by the Career Center, and the Transfer Success Program offered by the Academic Resource Center. Over 60 California Community Colleges have Umoja chapters on their campuses, providing academic support and resources for students planning on transferring to a four-year university. UC Riverside is the first University of California campus to have an Umoja chapter.

AN EDUCATIONAL LEADER

#1 TOP PERFORMER
on social mobility
— three years in a row!

U.S. News & World Report, 2020, 2021, and 2022.

TOP 13%
of U.S. universities
for graduating **Black students in six years.**

UC Riverside Institutional Research

1st UC CAMPUS
to have a **professionally staffed Black student resource center.**

97% of financial aid recipients received gift-aid (grants and/or scholarships).

TOP 2%
of ranked world universities.

Center for World University Rankings, 2021-22

UCR
is a **national leader** for African American student outcomes.

The Education Trust

#2 out of all member institutions for enrolling **low-income students.**

American Talent Initiative, 2020

UCR is No. 25 among The Princeton Review's 2021 **Top 50 Best Value Colleges (Public Schools)** for its stellar academics, affordability, and strong career prospects for graduates.



GET THE SUPPORT YOU NEED TO SUCCEED

Take advantage of the multitude of programs and resources available to transfer students at UCR, including the Transfer Success Zone at the Academic Resource Center, the Transfer Career Plan through the Career Center, the First-Year Mentor Program offered by Student Life, and the transfer outreach programs offered by the schools and colleges.

UCR UMOJA STUDENT EXPERIENCE



YAW JP WIAFE, fourth-year public policy major
Transferred from Fullerton College

"A program like this not only has a numerous amount of benefits but I believe the most valuable takeaway from Umoja is all 18 Practices. Learning them, reflecting on them and applying them to your life will be nothing short of a blessing to your educational journey."



SHUKERRAH PALMER, fourth-year biology major
Transferred from Moreno Valley College

"The Umoja community has benefited me in my education as I have a safe place to converse with others about struggles we are all facing. Together, we uplift each other's spirits and motivate one another."

DEDICATED TO YOUR SUCCESS

FINANCIAL AID

financialaid.ucr.edu

- Grants
- Scholarships
- Loans
- Work-Study
- Financial Wellness Program
- Solutions for Money Emergencies
- Blue and Gold Opportunity Plan

HOUSING

housing.ucr.edu

- Residence Halls – Includes the Pan-African Theme Hall (PATH) living-learning community for students of the African diaspora.
- Campus Apartments
- Family Housing

HEALTH, WELL-BEING & SAFETY

studentwellness.ucr.edu

- Basic Needs
- Case Management
- Campus Advocacy, Resources & Education
- Counseling and Psychological Services
- Student Disability Resource Center
- Student Health Services
- The Well

CAREER CENTER

careers.ucr.edu

- Career and Graduate/ Professional Planning
- Job/Internship Search Strategies and Database
- Skill-Building Workshops
- Employer Information Sessions
- Job Fairs and Special Events
- R'Professional Career Closet

ETHNIC & GENDER CENTERS

studentaffairs.ucr.edu/#ethnic

- African Student Programs
- Asian Pacific Student Programs
- Chicano Student Programs
- Foster Youth Support Services
- LGBT Resource Center
- Middle Eastern Center
- Native American Student Programs
- Undocumented Student Programs
- Women's Resource Center

NEXT STEPS

FALL ADMISSION (FIRST-YEAR AND TRANSFER STUDENTS)

- AUG. 1** Access the UC application. admissions.ucr.edu/apply
- NOV. 1-30** Submit the UC application.
- MARCH 2** Deadline to submit your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or California Dream Act Application
- MARCH** Admission notifications begin.
- MAY 1** First-Year deadline to submit your **Statement of Intent to Register (SIR)**.
- JUNE 1** Transfer deadline to submit your SIR.

WINTER ADMISSION (TRANSFER STUDENTS)

- JULY 1-31** Access and submit the UC application. admissions.ucr.edu/apply
- SEPTEMBER** Admission notifications begin.
- OCT. 15** Transfer deadline to submit your SIR.

STAY CONNECTED

ENGAGE

admissions.ucr.edu/umoja-ucr
admissions.ucr.edu/community-engagement-outreach
admissions.ucr.edu/bluegoldblack
events.ucr.edu



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