

## Student Affairs Update — September 2022

Student Affairs engages the KU community in programs and services that make learning possible. This report includes department highlights, employment updates, and awards/recognitions. Announcements and information for upcoming programs and services can be found on page two.



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### Department Highlights

#### Assessment & Strategic Initiatives

Aligned **100 learning outcomes** submitted by departments with Student Affairs' four learning goals.<sup>1</sup>

#### Center for Sexuality & Gender Diversity

Engaged **343 students, staff, and faculty** through awareness and educational programs.

#### Counseling & Psychological Services

Provided client services to **988 students**, a **39% increase** from the prior year.<sup>2</sup>

#### Emily Taylor Center for Women & Gender Equity

Hosted **four Now and Zen** yoga sessions with **74 student participants**.

#### Health Education Resource Office

Distributed **2,100 safer sex kits** to students, a **130% increase** from the prior year.<sup>3</sup>

#### Hilltop Child Development Center

Provided care to **310 children**, a **3% increase** from the prior year.<sup>4</sup>

1. Learning outcomes breakdown by goal: Personal Development (22%), Peer Engagement (24%), Social Responsibility (14%), Lifelong Learning (40%).  
2. 711 client services provided in Sept. 2021.  
3. 915 safer sex kits distributed in Sept. 2021.  
4. 300 children enrolled in Sept. 2021.

#### KU Memorial Unions

Welcomed **600 people** to the "Jayhawk Nest" unveiling, a **102% increase** from the last Ascher Plaza statue installation.<sup>5</sup>

#### KU Recreation Services

Instructed **890 participants** through KU Fit group exercise classes, a **134% increase** from the prior year.<sup>6</sup>

#### KU Student Housing

Facilitated **1,264 roommate agreements** to mediate roommate conflicts, a **78% completion rate** across Student Housing.

#### Legal Services for Students

Awarded IRS VITA grant for the **19<sup>th</sup> consecutive year**, allowing LSS to offer tax preparation services to international students, staff, and faculty.

#### Office of Multicultural Affairs

Hosted **40 students, staff, and faculty** at "Mocktails with Latinx Faculty/Staff Council," a **5% increase** from the prior year.<sup>7</sup>

#### Sexual Assault Prevention & Education Center

Collected **664 participant responses** to the [Prevention is Possible \(PIP\) survey](#), a **12% decrease** from the prior year.<sup>8</sup>

5. 297 attendees at previous statue installation.  
6. 380 KU Fit participants in Sept. 2021.  
7. 38 attendees in Sept. 2021.  
8. 756 student participants in PIP Study in 2021.

#### Sorority & Fraternity Life

Oversaw IFC structured recruitment event with **11 fraternity chapters** and **78 interested students** in attendance.

#### Student Conduct & Community Standards

Adjudicated **175 conduct cases**, a **66% increase** from the prior year.<sup>9</sup>

#### Student Money Management Services

Assisted **64 students** through individual appointments, a **220% increase** from the prior year.<sup>10</sup>

#### Student Support & Case Management

Received **143 student referrals**, on par with the prior year's referrals.<sup>11</sup>

#### Student Involvement & Leadership Center

Registered **421 student organizations** for the academic year, an **8% increase** from the prior year.<sup>12</sup>

#### Watkins Health Services

Administered **54 bivalent COVID-19 booster vaccines** to combat the spread of Omicron and other variant strains of the virus.

9. 60 conduct cases opened in Sept. 2021.  
10. 20 student appointments in Sept. 2021.  
11. 142 student referrals in Sept. 2021.  
12. 390 student orgs. registered in AY 2021-22.



### Awards and Recognitions

**Nikita Haynie** was named ACPA Pan African Network Co-Chair-Elect for 2022-2023 (ETC).

**KU Esports** Rocket League team placed first at the Kansas Speedway tournament (KUMU).



### Employment Updates

**Asia Grimes and Shamaria Massenburg** were appointed as Student Ambassadors for The Plug KU (ASD).

**Dustin Struble** was named Director of Assessment & Strategic Initiatives for Student Affairs.

**Kirsten King** was named Assistant Director of Outdoor Pursuits and Special Events (KURS).

**Logan Reynolds** was named Assistant Director of Marketing (KURS).

**Student Involvement & Leadership Center** has announced seven [SILC Peer Outreach Team](#) (SPOT) members.

**Student Money Management Services** has announced ten new peer educators.



## Announcements

**Campus Connect suicide prevention trainings** are open to all Student Affairs staff, graduate assistants, and student employees. Register for an upcoming training on Oct. 26 or Nov. 15 by emailing [studentsupport@ku.edu](mailto:studentsupport@ku.edu).

**Flu Vaccine Clinic** will be open to students, staff, and faculty throughout October. Dates are listed on calendar. Please bring your insurance card.

**Heartland Campus Safety Summit** will be held on campus Nov. 16 & 17. Visit the [Heartland Summit website](#) for more information and to register.

**Intramural Sports Registration** is open for bowling, cornhole doubles, indoor volleyball, pre-holiday basketball, racquetball, and virtual 5K. Visit the [Recreation Services](#) website for details

**SILC Workshops** are available upon request. Visit [SILC website](#) for more information.

**SPOT Consultations** are available upon request. Visit [SPOT website](#) for more information.

**Student Union Activities** leadership applications are open. Visit [SUA website](#) for more information.

**What Were You Wearing? Survivor Art Installation** will be held Oct. 13-28 in the Kansas Union Gallery. Visit the [SAPEC Website](#) for more information.



## Weekly Events

**M** – [QT Coffee Hours](#), 11 AM -1 PM (SGD),  
[Zine Night](#), 6:30-8 PM (ETC)

**W** – [Wellness Webinar](#), 12-1 PM (SGD),  
[Now and Zen](#), 5:30-6:15 PM (ETC)

**TH** – Liberation Lunch, 12-1 PM (SGD)

**F** – QT TV, 12-1 PM (SGD)



## Upcoming Events — October & November 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
16	17 <b>Cornhole and Games</b> Wescoe Beach 1-3 PM (OMA)	18 <b>Indigenous People's Day Celebration</b> SMRC 3-5 PM (OMA) <b>Flu Vaccine Clinic</b> 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor, KS Union 11 AM -3 PM (WHS)	19 <b>Feathering Your Nest</b> Downs Hall 1-3 PM (SMMS) <b>Disability Inclusion FSC Meet and Greet</b> SMRC Classroom 3-5 PM (OMA) <b>Pause for Pups</b> Downs Hall 7-8 PM (HERO)	20 <b>Flu Vaccine Clinic</b> Anschutz Library 11 AM -1 PM (WHS) <b>Spotlight on Care</b> Virtual Event 12-1:30 PM (ETC) <b>Sunset Yoga</b> Potter Lake 6-6:45 PM (KURS)	21 <b>Grad Coffee Hour</b> SMRC Classroom 5:30-7:30 PM (OMA)	22 <b>IFC Experience Day</b> KS Union 8:30 AM -5:00 PM (SFL)
23	24	25 <b>Flu Vaccine Clinic</b> Strong Hall 11 AM -1 PM (WHS)	26 <b>Flu Vaccine Clinic</b> Burge Union 11 AM -3 PM (WHS) <b>Lvl. 1: Bare Minimum</b> SMRC Classroom 5:30-7:30 PM (OMA)	27 <b>Flu Vaccine Clinic</b> Watkins Memorial Health Center 3 -5 PM (WHS) <b>Crafts with "The Craft: Legacy"</b> Daisy Hill Plaza 7:00 PM (ETC, KUMU)	28 <b>Rocky Horror Picture Show</b> Ballroom, KS Union 6-8 PM (SGD)	29
30 <b>Movie and Panel Discussion: "Teeth"</b> Lawrence Public Library 3:30 PM (ETC)	31 <b>Pumpkin Painting</b> 4th Floor, KS Union 11 AM -1 PM (KUMU) <b>Hold Your Booze</b> 4th Floor, KS Union 8:00 PM (HERO)	1	2 <b>Pause for Pups</b> GSP Hall 7-8 PM (HERO)	3 <b>Educate &amp; Act</b> Virtual Event 12-1 PM (ETC)	4 <b>Free Black Women's Library</b> #TFBWL 12:00 PM (ETC)	5 <b>Women and Femmes of Color Retreat</b> Forum C&D, Burge 10 AM -2:30 PM (ETC, OMA) <b>Self-Defense Workshop</b> ASRFC 1:30-3 PM (ETC)
6	7 <b>QT Film Fest: Who Gets to Parent?</b> Woodruff, KS Union 6-8 PM (SGD)	8	9	10	11	12 <b>The Big Event: Fall</b> Burge Union 10 AM (KUMU)
<b>Non-traditional Student Week (SILC)</b>						