UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

ENGAGE, ACHIEVE and SUCCEED



The University College is committed to inclusive student success, engagement and achievement; agency in student learning; and ongoing professional and personal development for sustained academic excellence.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

University College embraces MU's EPPIIC values in support of student academic, personal and professional journeys to program completion and graduation by:

- 1. Advocating and supporting holistic needs to foster a sense of belonging, connectedness, awareness of opportunity, and equity in opportunity within the college and beyond. [COMPASSION]*
- 2. Empowering self-efficacy and agency to advance student outcomes. **[INTEGRITY]**
- 3. Offering high-impact experiences and access to high-quality resources to facilitate critical thinking and the discovery of knowledge. **[EXPLORATION]**
- 4. Providing individualized academic planning. [PROFESSIONALISM]
- 5. Delivering best practice guidance in career advising, career planning and career-building experiences. [PROFESSIONALISM]
- 6. Fostering a safe, inclusive and culturally responsive environment where all individual views, backgrounds, abilities and identities are respected and valued. [INCLUSION]
- 7. Promoting participatory citizenship, leadership, mentorship, community-engaged scholarship and service. [PUBLIC MISSION]
- *Mapping to MU's EPPIIC values

PROGRAMS OF DISTINCTION

NEWMAN CIVIC FELLOWS—Given by Campus Compact, the Newman Civic Fellowship Award recognizes and supports community-committed students who represent the next generation of public problem solvers and civic leaders.

CARNEGIE COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT CLASSIFICATION—Millersville University earned its initial classification from the Carnegie Classification of Institutions of Higher Education in 2010 and maintains this distinction through its ongoing community partnerships.

MILLERSVILLE UNIVERSITY'S SECOND YEAR EXPERIENCE (MUSYE)— University College and Student Affairs partner to facilitate MUSYE, a program that supports second-year students by providing opportunities to enhance academic and professional success, campus belongingness, engagement, overall wellness and community experiences.









OUR OFFICES

Offices and departments in University College provide services, resources and experiences to support student pathways to academic success.

ENGAGE—University College provides opportunities for students to form meaningful connections with local community partners, civil leaders, employers, mentors and faculty. We recognize that the deepest personal growth and learning happen in supportive partnerships with others.

- Academic Advisement and Student Development
- The Center for Public Scholarship and Social Change (CPSSC)
- The Center for Civic Responsibility and Leadership (CCRL)
- •The Career Center

ACHIEVE—Students achieve their highest potential when they have access to individualized educational planning. If a student is looking for a more challenging curriculum, assistance with finding their degree path, or a program that promotes universal approaches to learning, University College offers support for every step of their journey.

- Integrated Studies
- Multidisciplinary Studies (MDST)
- University Honors College
- Exploratory Program

SUCCEED—University College provides academic support services and resources for students to develop study and note-taking skills, become stronger writers, improve time management, refine research questions, access technology, use digital resources and more. Departments in University College provide individualized support to help students meet their educational goals.

- Success Coaching
- Office of Learning Services (OLS)
- \bullet Francine G. McNairy Library and Learning Forum
- The Writing Center
- Starfish





OUR STAFF

Dr. Rachel Finley-Bowman,

Dean of University College and Associate Provost for Student Success

Bill Benton, Assistant Director for Student Success Initiatives

Rita Miller, M.Ed., Success Coach

Danielle "Dee" Rapp, Success Coach

Jessica Horn, Administrative Assistant



Dr. Rachel Finley-Bowman

CONTACT US

McNairy Library, 5th Floor | Millersville University P.O. Box 1002 | Millersville, PA 17551 | 717-871-7622 StudentSuccessDean@millersville.edu





Millersville University

University College • 717-871-7622 • www.millersville.edu/universitycollege