

Miami Dade College, North Campus Student Organizations

Abilities Unlimited Individuals (AUI)

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Abilities Unlimited Individuals is devoted to the advancement of MDC students with disabilities of all types; to provide a safe, physically accessible place for students with disabilities to develop intellectually and socially; to help students with disabilities with their academic work, through tutoring, academic advisement, peer counseling and moral support; to educate the MDC student body and community holistically about the challenges, abilities and successes of individuals with disabilities; to facilitate the full participation of students with disabilities in College activities.

Alpha Phi Omega Sigma Chapter

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To convene Miami Dade College students in a national service fraternity in the fellowship of principles derived from the oath and law of the Boy Scouts of America. To develop leadership, to promote friendship and to provide service to the student body, community and nation as participating citizens.

The Catholic Circle

Advisor: Julio Borges

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The Catholic Circle is a religious/support organization founded at Miami Dade College, North Campus, to promote Christian principles and arouse the social conscience of our students.

The Chess Club

Advisor: Leighton Spence

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The mission is to teach chess to students and aid in the members development of the game. Chess is a strategic game that takes patience and quick thinking.

Criminal Justice

Advisor: Miriam Lorenzo

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To provide a forum in which students pursuing degrees in criminal justice and related disciplines can exchange ideas about contemporary issues in juvenile and criminal justice, network with practitioners in the various criminal and juvenile justice fields, develop projects that enhance the quality of life in the community in which they live and learn about expanding opportunities in the fields.

Dominican Student Association (DSA)

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To create opportunities for members to share their culture with the community and to provide forums for the culture to be displayed through art, music and dance.

El Coqui, Puerto Rican Organization

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To create an environment of all nationalities. To provide the essential conditions for professional and social enhancement in the Hispanic community for fellow Puerto Ricans and members of other nationalities.

The Engineering Club (TEC)

Advisor: George Gabb

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To bring all engineering minds together. TEC is a club for those who are curious about the engineering around us and want to know how the things that we work and live with function.

Falcon Times

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To teach ethics, techniques and serve the campus population by producing a quality newspaper for the purpose of providing information and addressing relevant issues.

Haitian IBO

Advisor: Harry Frezin

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To promote self-esteem and pride among the members and promote the Haitian culture, through education, social events and community service.

International Student Organization (ISO)

Advisor: Tere Martinez

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The purpose of the International Student Organization is:

- To provide academic advisement support by providing program information and services designed to make the U.S. experience a positive and productive one.
- To promote educational, cultural and social activities for international students and their families.
- To promote positive interaction among international students, and between international and host country students, the academic community and the community at large.

Latin American Student Organization (LASO)

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To promote awareness of Latin American and other cultural values at North Campus. To promote opportunity for our members transferring to universities and entering the local work force. To host speakers on topics of interest regarding our countries of origin.

MDC Anime Club

Advisor: Joy Richards

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The objectives of the organization are to watch and gain a better understanding of Japanese anime, to understand the cultural and symbolic messages that exist within the work; to promote a general friendship among members; to promote creativity and artistic expression; to create an atmosphere of participation in club life and school endeavors; and to provide an escape from the pressures of college life while promoting intellectual achievement.

The MDC International Language Club

Advisor: Kelly Isern

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The purpose of the International Language Club is to:

- Serve the College community by volunteering for College-wide events.
- Promote the study of language and culture by working with students of diverse language and cultural backgrounds to gain a greater understanding of each other. This will be done by attending cultural events, taking field trips and gathering for sociocultural activities.
- Offer MDC students academic assistance by holding midterm and final exam study sessions and one-on-one language tutoring.
- Serve the community outside the College in the form of service learning.

MDC Psychology Club

Advisor: Dr. Mayte Insua-Auais

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To provide educational experiences and information to students, the College and the community regarding important issues in the field of psychology.

Miami Dade Student for Peace

Advisor: Tina Lombard

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The organization's mission is to provide a forum for students to discuss various issues relating to global peace. Through fundraising and community service we also assist in helping to change the world.

Model United Nations Club (U.N.)

Advisor: Dr. Michael Lenaghan

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To support the advancement of United Nations education throughout Miami Dade College, as well as to enhance multicultural, multilingual and multiethnic education among the students and in the community.

Music Entertainment Industry Student Association (MEISA)

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To provide a forum for student participation in music industry education programs; to interact with educators and representatives of the music industry while advancing students' knowledge, experience and skills and the furtherance of career goals in the music industry.

National Broadcasting Society (NBS)

Advisor: Billy Oliver
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To enhance the development of college and university students involved in broadcasting, cable, Internet communication, telecommunication and other electronic media.

Nutrition Science Club

Advisor: Jurist Gordon
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The Nutrition Science Club is an organization committed to enriching students' life through educational and community activities geared to proper nutrition and health practices.

Pan African Student Association

Advisor: Dr. Morris Johnson
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To promote solidarity among African students, represent the concerns of African students in matters that affect them at Miami Dade College; to render assistance to new African students settling at MDC and help their general integration into the community; to enable African students to share the cultural wealth of the African continent and encourage the spirit of multiculturalism on all MDC campuses; to strive to work hard with other student organizations and Student Life; to raise awareness and arouse interest in African cultures and affairs at MDC. All students are welcome to join this progressive organization to learn and share in the richness of the African tradition.

Phi Beta Lambda, Delta Sigma Chapter

Advisor: Ana Carolina Corrales
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To provide an opportunity for college students to develop competencies for business, entrepreneurial and office occupations. Phi Beta Lambda is an integral part of the instructional program, while promoting a sense of civic and personal responsibility.

The Pen Players

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A social organization supporting events held by the drama department at North Campus. The purpose of the Pen Players is to develop camaraderie among students interested in the theater and preserve and sustain an interest in theater on North Campus.

Phi Theta Kappa, Mu Epsilon Chapter (PTK)

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To provide opportunity for the development of leadership and service, an intellectual climate for the exchange of ideas, lively fellowship for scholars and stimulation of interest in continuing academic excellence.

The Philosophical Gathering at North

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We are an academic club that endeavors to discuss and analyze issues with philosophical implications (capital punishment, cloning, euthanasia, animal rights, etc.). Our hope is to gather in a setting in which we can freely exchange views and ideas so students realize that philosophy is much more than an academic subject trapped in a book; philosophy comes alive when one meets others and actively debates issues.

The Readers and Writers Club

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The Readers and Writers Club is a reading-based club for individuals who enjoy reading and sharing in a manner which would make others want to read the book they have read. The writing portion comes through interaction with other individuals who enjoy putting down on paper their thoughts for others to understand how they see the world.

Student Government Association (SGA)

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The Student Government Association is composed of a group of active students representing the interests of Miami Dade College's student body. Participation and involvement with the organization provides an opportunity for the members to work cooperatively with students, faculty, staff and administration. SGA promotes leadership, self development and professional skills that will enable members to address appropriate concerns of the students.

Student Tobacco Reform Initiative Knowledge for Eternity (STRIKE)

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To increase student awareness of tobacco and its harmful effects.

Tropical Beat

Advisor: Miguel Murphy
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To create an atmosphere for international students, especially Caribbean students, to bond in a relaxed social environment and to educate one another about their specific nationalities. Additionally, organization activities focus on educating the North Campus community about various ethnicities, cultures and traditions through music, food and forums.

Travel and Tourism

Advisor: Sandra Washington-Moux
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Enhance member's education through travel and field trips. Promote ecotourism, responsible tourism and opportunities in the industry.

T-Square Architecture Club

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The purpose of this organization is to advance the knowledge of students in various fields involved in the design and construction of buildings. These fields include architecture, building construction and interior design. The members are exposed to various aspects of architecture through their collective involvement, and are thus able to draw from their respective backgrounds. They benefit from the nurturing assistance of experienced architects and teachers and from carefully designed activities involving visits to architectural sites, tours of local offices and lectures by famous architects.

Waves Christian Club

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Our purpose is to help people draw closer to God through worship, prayer, Bible studies and campus outreach.