OFFICE OF MINORITY AFFAIRS & DIVERSITY
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A PASSIONATE COMMITMENT TO ACCESS, EQUITY AND INCLUSION CONNECTS THE UNITS OF OMA&D

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Diversity is a core value of the University of Washington. It drives our public mission and enhances the Husky Experience for all students. Through programs and partnerships on campus and in the community, the Office of Minority Affairs & Diversity (OMA&D) advances this value on behalf of the university. We broaden college access, support student success, and cultivate diversity-related teaching and learning. Together we will accelerate our boundless vision for access, equity and inclusion at the UW.

OUR PROGRAMS...

- Create a welcoming university climate for students, faculty and staff.
- Advocate, create and carry out university initiatives.
- Broaden college access for over 16,000 K-12 and community college students throughout the state.
- Support the academic excellence of over 5,000 UW undergraduates.
- Award over $200,000 annually in scholarships to undergraduates.
- Introduce 250 students to graduate and professional studies.
- Enhance faculty diversity and diversity-related research.
- Graduate future leaders and mentors from diverse backgrounds.
- Engage with alumni and diverse communities.

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BY THE NUMBERS

UNDERGRADUATE ENROLLMENT 2015 FALL QUARTER (UW SEATTLE)

42.2% CAUCASIAN
28.2% ASIAN
15.2% INTERNATIONAL
13.2% URM*
1.2% NOT INDICATED

URM* UNDERGRADUATE ENROLLMENT 2015 FALL QUARTER (UW SEATTLE)

44.2% LATINO
21.2% AFRICAN AMERICAN
20.6% SOUTHEAST ASIAN*
7.2% AMERICAN INDIAN/ALASKA NATIVE
6.8% HAWAIIAN/PACIFIC ISLANDER

URM = Federally recognized underrepresented minority populations (African American, American Indian/Alaska Native, Hawaiian/Pacific Islander and Latino); ^OMA&D also serves Southeast Asian student populations.

OMA&D FUNDING SOURCES 2015 FISCAL YR/$18.5 MILLION BUDGET

47.3% GRANTS
41.0% STATE FUNDS
5.3% GIFTS
6.4% OTHER

LOW-INCOME, 1ST-GENERATION UNDERGRADUATE ENROLLMENT 2015 FALL QUARTER ENROLLMENT

54.7% PELL GRANT ELIGIBLE
52.2% HUSKY PROMISE ELIGIBLE
58.9% FIRST-GENERATION

UNDERGRADS SERVED BY OMA&D’S EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY PROGRAM

52.6% PELL GRANT ELIGIBLE
21.5% HUSKY PROMISE ELIGIBLE
29.6% FIRST-GENERATION
Since 1970, the number of underrepresented students enrolled at UW Seattle has more than quadrupled in size. Since 2006, that number has increased seven times at UW Bothell and more than tripled at UW Tacoma.

According to national rankings of four-year state “flagship” universities, the UW ranks fifth in the number of bachelor’s degrees awarded to minority students, third in master’s degrees and sixth in doctorate degrees.

In April 2015, UW President Ana Mari Cauce launched a Race & Equity Initiative aimed to seek new ways to support and sustain diversity, inclusion and social justice at the UW.

The UW is among the 2015 Campus Pride Top-25 LGBTQ-Friendly Colleges & Universities list. It is also one of just nine universities in the nation to receive five out of five stars on the Campus Pride Index.

The Samuel E. Kelly Ethnic Cultural Center and Theatre, which has served students since 1971, is the largest college multicultural center in the nation.

A new American Indian and Alaska Native longhouse-style facility that provides a learning and gathering space for students, faculty, staff and community members opened in March 2015.

OMA&D’s support services for undocumented students features a new web site that will launch in fall 2015.

The number of tenured and tenure-track faculty of color at all three UW campuses has more than doubled since 1997.

OMA&D's pre-college programs expand pathways to higher education for kindergarten through community college students from underrepresented minority, first-generation and low-income backgrounds. We work directly with students and their families across the state to inspire them to pursue and prepare for college, as well as explore career options. OMA&D's Multicultural Outreach and Recruitment team, along with its Ambassador Program, hosts hundreds of prospective students on campus to provide information about UW academic programs, financial aid and admissions procedures. The GEAR UP Educator Development Initiative provides educator training that fosters college awareness and readiness. Partnerships with K-12 school districts and statewide initiatives such as the College Bound Scholarship Program also seek to improve college access.

OMA&D administers an array of programs that help underrepresented minority, first-generation and low-income students make the most of their Husky Experience. Academic Counseling Services offer advising, mentoring, scholarships and financial aid. Tutoring is available at the Instructional Center which serves over 2,000 students per year. Specialized programs support those pursuing STEM and health sciences degrees, as well as future doctoral studies and research opportunities. Study abroad programs give students the opportunity to gain a worldwide perspective and engage with a global community. The Kelly Ethnic Cultural Center offers a learning environment for building leadership and organizational skills.

OMA&D collaborates with UW and community partners to support diversity efforts on campus and throughout the state. Partners include the President's Minority Community Advisory Committee, GO-MAP, Friends of the Educational Opportunity Program, UW Alumni Association Multicultural Alumni Partnership, Native American Advisory Board and Southeast Asian Advisory Committee. OMA&D engages with alumni and supporters through events and the award-winning magazine, Viewpoint. The annual Tribal Leadership Summit provides an opportunity for UW and regional tribal leaders to discuss issues of importance to Indigenous communities.