

# Campus Life

## Here is how the UB experience takes shape.

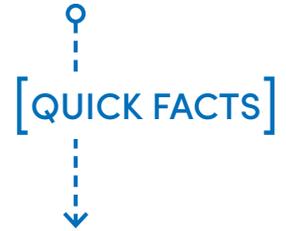
Life at UB is many things: inspiring, engaging, full of possibilities. One thing it never is? Boring. Students here know how to work hard, let loose and get the most out of their university years, in an environment designed to provide support at every level while encouraging self-determination. This is what makes the UB experience transformative—and a launchpad for future success.

### With basics that are anything but

1 Places to stay and places to eat—every institution has them, but here at UB, we have some of the best. Our residence halls are consistently ranked No. 1 in SUNY Student Opinion Surveys, while UB dining services has been voted No. 1 among SUNY university centers four times in a row; it recently claimed a National Association of College and University Food Services Loyal E. Horton Dining Award—kind of like an Oscar of the college dining world.

### Where something special is happening every day

2 Cheer on the Bulls at a Division I game, catch an on-campus concert by the hottest new rap star, view groundbreaking new work at a UB gallery or make a quick trip to one of the world's greatest natural wonders—and that's just this week. At UB, the calendar is jam-packed. On the weekends, students flock to Late Night UB festivities to try everything from poker tournaments to mechanical bull rides.



### WHAT MAKES UB UNIQUELY UB? TO BEGIN WITH:

- **Fall Fest/Spring Fest:** The hottest musical acts on stage, on campus, twice a year.
- **Critical Conversations:** Smart talk on topics that matter.
- **Big Blue and Little Blue:** Food trucks with UB flair.
- **Oozefest:** Mud volleyball doesn't even begin to describe the fun.
- **Outdoor Pursuits:** Kayaks and ice skates provided—right in the middle of campus.
- **Distinguished Speakers Series:** Hear from leading authors, famous innovators, world leaders and A-list actors.
- **Countdown to Commencement:** A big deal about a big accomplishment.

### DID YOU KNOW?

UB has taken top honors for several of its innovative and responsive student affairs programs, including Assessment Boot Camp, Operation Student Safety and Universal Design Yoga.

Here is how the UB experience takes shape—literally. The formation of the human interlocking UB brings together more than 2,000 first-year students for a photo opportunity—and Opening Weekend tradition—that says it all.



### With care and concern at every turn ...

3 No one has to go it alone here. From orientation to graduation, students can access support for their lives both inside and outside the classroom—in the form of health services, counseling services, wellness education, crisis intervention, student advocacy and much more.

### ... and fantastic opportunities behind every door

4 Success in life doesn't just happen. It's built upon bit by bit. UB gives students the tools to succeed, such as UBLinked, an online platform to connect with clubs, activities, job openings, internship and volunteer opportunities, and workshops covering everything from how to participate in an esteemed professor's research project to how to win nationally competitive fellowships.

### In a place where you can fit in without blending in

5 UB's large, diverse student body is inclusive and welcoming. Intercultural resources, accessibility accommodations, LGBTQ services, assistance for veterans and other specialized programming all work to ensure positive experiences for everyone. Hundreds of student clubs and organizations based on common (and sometimes uncommon) interests let every individual find their niche or expand their horizons.