

“ ...If you are a person of faith, know that religious diversity is a great American tradition, too. In fact, that’s why people first came to this country — to **worship freely**. And whether you are Muslim, Christian, Jewish, Hindu, Sikh — these religions are teaching our young people about **justice**, and **compassion**, and **honesty**. So I want our young people to continue to learn and **practice those values with pride**. You see, our glorious diversity — our diversities of faiths and colors and creeds — that is not a threat to who we are, **it makes us who we are**. So the young people here and the young people out there: Do not ever let anyone make you feel like you don’t matter, or like you don’t have a place in our American story — because you do. **And you have a right to be exactly who you are...** ”

Michelle Obama January 6, 2017

OFF CAMPUS LIVING & COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

RUoffcampus 
@rutgersochs 
ruoffcampus.rutgers.edu 
ruffocampus@echo.rutgers.edu 
848 • 932 • 5500 

For an up-to-date list of chaplaincies,
affiliated congregations and student
organizations visit our website at:
RUoffcampus.rutgers.edu

COMMUNITIES OF FAITH AT RUTGERS

FIND YOUR COMMUNITY

RUTGERS UNIVERSITY—NEW BRUNSWICK

About the Multifaith Council

Students of all religions are welcome at Rutgers. As a public university, Rutgers is dedicated to supporting an inclusive community, where freedom of religious expression or personal belief is protected and encouraged. Our campus is home to students of Christian, Muslim, Jewish, Buddhist, Hindu, Humanist and many other faiths and traditions. Rutgers supports an open forum for religious life through:

- A Multifaith Council that promotes an **inclusive** atmosphere for the pursuit of intellectual and spiritual truths.
- More than **40** student organizations dedicated to religious and religious-cultural interests.
- More than **25** recognized chaplaincies serving students' spiritual needs.

The Multifaith Council exists to promote and enhance Rutgers University's mission of educating the whole person. The Multifaith Council seeks to create an atmosphere in which groups and individuals affiliated with the University are engaged in the active pursuit of intellectual and spiritual truths.

An **Affiliated Congregation** is a place of worship in the New Brunswick/Piscataway area. These places of worship do not have staff on campus serving in a Chaplain role, but rather wish to promote their services to the Rutgers community.

A **Chaplaincy** is a member of the Multifaith Council and registered with the Off-Campus Living & Community Partnerships. Recognized chaplaincies have staff on campus serving in a chaplain role along with student representatives appointed to enhance representation of the religious diversity on campus.

For the most current list, mission and contact information of the Chaplaincies and Affiliated Congregations, please visit:

RUoffcampus.rutgers.edu

The Religious Cultural Student Organizations and Religious Student Organizations registered for 2016-2017 are listed below. To find contact information and up to date information about student organizations, go to **rutgers.collegiatelink.net**.

Religious Cultural Student Organizations whose purpose is interwoven with both aspects of a cultural and religious organization.

- Ahlul Bayt Student Association
- BAPS Campus Fellowship of Rutgers
- Chabad Jewish Student Organization
- Chavaya Student Organization of Rutgers
- Chinese Christian Fellowship
- Rutgers Hillel
- Indian Christian Fellowship
- Joshua Cantonese Christian Fellowship
- Rutgers Jumu'ah
- Korean Campus Crusade for Christ
- Korean Catholic Circle
- Korean Christian Fellowship
- Muslim Public Relations Council
- Muslim Student Association
- Orthodox Christian Campus Ministries
- Pentecost Students and Associates
- Rutgers Hindu Students Council
- Rutgers Jewish Student Union
- Shalom/Salaam
- Sikh Student Association
- Soka Nichiren Buddhists Club
- Vivekananda Youth Group

Religious Student Organizations have or show belief in and reverence for God or a deity and/or are upholding the principles of a particular religion or philosophical truth.

- A. Life Ministry
- Adventist Students for Christ
- Alpha Omega
- Bahai Campus Association
- Bhatki - the Higher Taste
- Catholic Student Association
- Chi Alpha Christian Fellowship
- Christians on Campus
- Cru
- Divine Youth Associates
- First Love Rutgers Fellowship
- Grace Extended
- In Christ Alone Ministry
- Intervarsity Multi-Ethnic Christian Fellowship
- Joosarang
- Praise Emmaus Ministry
- Ratio Christi at Rutgers University
- Rutgers University Royal Priesthood
- Rutgers IJM
- Rutgers JDM (Jesus Disciple Movement)
- Sharing the Love on Campus
- Young Life