

## Housing & Residence Education

*Building Safe and Inclusive Learning Communities*

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### Summer 2021 Housing

Find out more about campus housing plans for summer 2021.

Please visit  
[housing.ucmerced.edu](https://housing.ucmerced.edu).

You will then be greeted  
with the welcome page to  
the Housing and Residence  
Education web page.

## Summer and fall 2021 housing applications open March 1, 4pm.

UC Merced plans for a return to primarily in-person instruction starting fall 2021 in line with the [systemwide plan announced by the University of California](#).

With robust research and COVID-19 vaccines soon becoming available to students, staff and faculty, UC Merced is preparing to welcome more students back to residence halls, classrooms, laboratories, playing fields and dining halls — while continuing to prioritize the health and well-being of the Bobcat community.

We will communicate more details as they become available, and continue to coordinate all planning with the Merced County Department of Public Health. A group within the Office of the Provost has been working on plans for 2020-2021, including contingencies. All plans will be formed with appropriate consultation with Academic Senate, Staff Assembly and other representative groups.

The University of California announcement can be read [here](#).

More information on returning to campus is available at [doyourpart.ucmerced.edu](https://doyourpart.ucmerced.edu).

### KEY DATES AND INFO

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Scroll down until you reach the “QUICK LINKS” section, and click on “HOUSING PORTAL” to be taken to the housing application portal.



### Login

Click to login with UC Merced username/password:

UC MERCED LOGIN



### Trouble logging in?

- Make sure it has been 1 day (24 hours) since you have submitted your Statement of Intent to Register (SIR) and that your SIR has been processed. Please first visit <http://my.ucmerced.edu> to review and complete your admission steps.
- Make sure you are using your NetID/username and not your student ID number. \*\* For example, if your email a bbobcat5@ucmerced.edu, your NetID would be bbobcat5.
- Your password will be the same password you use for your UC Merced email and Portal.
- You can request a new password at [idm.ucmerced.edu](http://idm.ucmerced.edu).
- Sometimes you will need to use a different web browser, restart your computer, or clear your browser cache.

If you still cannot access your application, e-mail [housing@ucmerced.edu](mailto:housing@ucmerced.edu) with your name, student ID number, and a description of the problem. We know there is a deadline coming up, as long as you let us know there is an issue you won't be penalized.

Click on “UC MERCED LOGIN” to sign in with your single sign-on (SSO) authentication.

## Welcome to the Housing Portal

**\*\*Deadline to Sign Summer Contract is Friday, May 7th 11:59pm.**

**\*\*Deadline to Sign Fall 2021 Contract is Tuesday, June 1st at 11:59pm.**

**\*\*Application for Transfer Students ends Friday, June 4th, 2021 at 11:59pm.**

**\*\*We currently are not accepting applications for 2021-2022 Graduate Housing.**

**Please check back at a later date.**

**\*\*Residency Exemption information [here](#). You must complete the housing application before you can submit a Residency Exemption request by Tuesday, June 1st at 11:59pm.**

[Edit My Personal Details](#)

## Other Forms

[Download Roommate / Suitemate Agreement Form](#)

On the top bar, click “Summer/ Academic Year Housing Application & Exemption” to begin the 2021 academic year housing application.

HOME SUMMER/ACADEMIC YEAR HOUSING APPLICATION & EXEMPTION YEAR ROUND APPLICATION 2021-2022 HOUSING CANCELLATION FORM LOG OUT

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Please select a term below to start or continue with your application. Terms will become available once the application open time arrives.

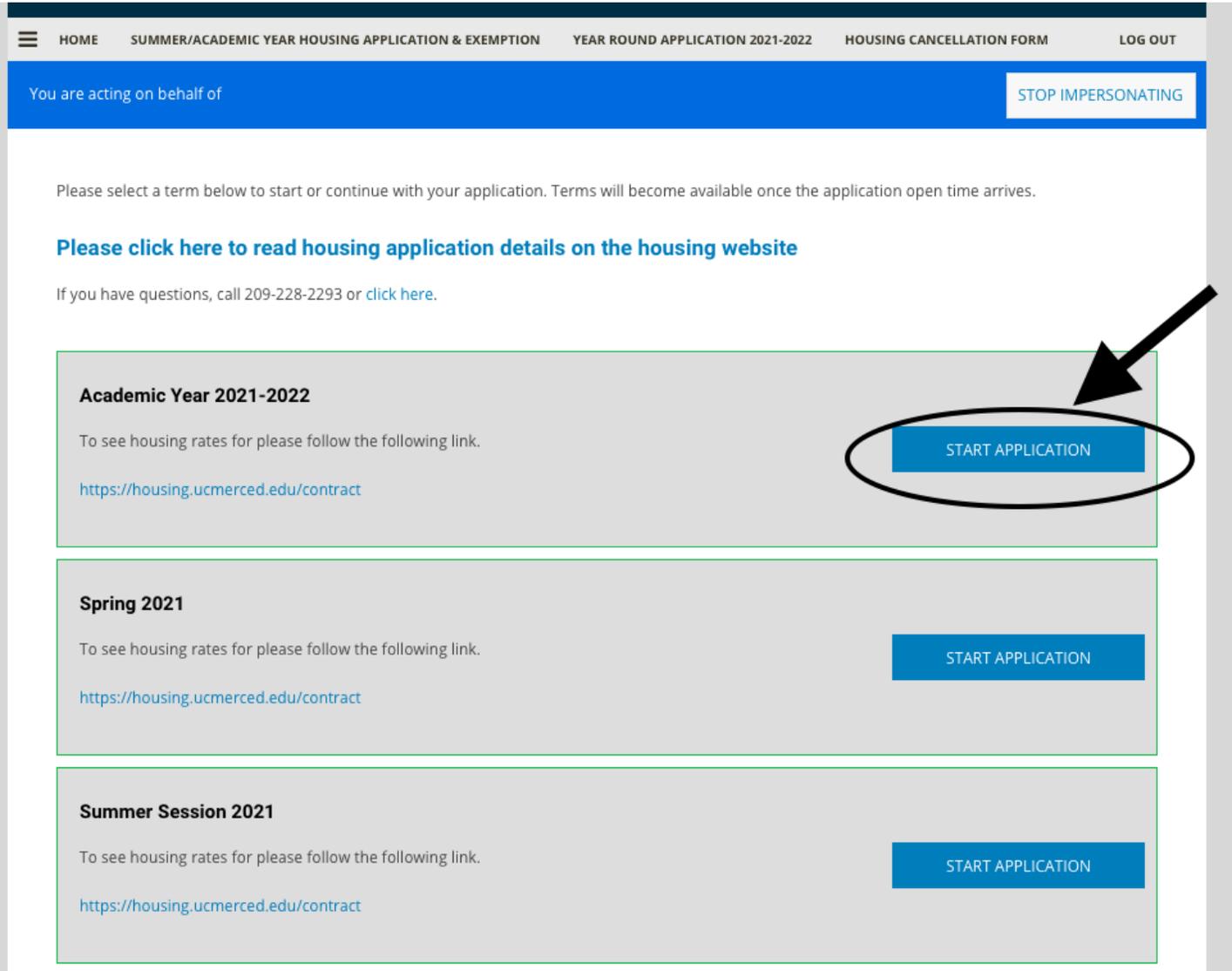
**Please click here to read housing application details on the housing website**

If you have questions, call 209-228-2293 or [click here](#).

**Academic Year 2021-2022**  
To see housing rates for please follow the following link.  
<https://housing.ucmerced.edu/contract>

**Spring 2021**  
To see housing rates for please follow the following link.  
<https://housing.ucmerced.edu/contract>

**Summer Session 2021**  
To see housing rates for please follow the following link.  
<https://housing.ucmerced.edu/contract>



Next to Academic Year 2021-2022, click on “Start Application” to begin the housing application.

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STOP IMPERSONATING

 Start New Application Personal Details Information Release Summer Session Selection Submit Summer Application Summer Housing Status Pesticide Notice Housing Handbook Keys and Access GradGuard College Renter's Insurance GradGuard Enrollment

## Start New Application

Welcome to the housing application. Select Begin Application to get started.

Before you begin please check the link for current Housing pricing. <https://housing.ucmerced.edu/contract>

Once you begin your application, you can return here to complete it later if needed.

 BEGIN APPLICATION

Click on “Begin Application” to start providing your information and preferences.

- Personal Details
- Information Release
- Summer Session Selection
- Submit Summer Application
- Summer Housing Status
- Pesticide Notice
- Housing Handbook
- Keys and Access
- GradGuard College Renter's
- Insurance
- GradGuard Enrollment

## Personal Details

Please verify the information below is correct. Any [changes to this information](#) should be made on your [UC Merced portal](#).

Updates made on your UC Merced portal can take up to 24 hours to reflect on your application. You may continue to apply in the meantime.

**Name:** Test Student  
**Student Number:** 100079907  
**Student Type:** Continuing Student  
**Gender:** Unknown  
**Birthdate:** 1/1/1998

**Home Address:**  
45 Silverhorn Ct Apt 14  
Merced, CA 9534  
**Home Phone:** (530)752-9602

Cell Phone Number

## Emergency Contact

Name

Phone

Email

Fill out all the sections that pertain to you. Then scroll down and click on "Save & Continue."

## Information Release

READ CAREFULLY:

There are multiple levels of privacy regarding your personal information. By default, directory information (name, email, and room/building) are publicly available. On this application, you can prohibit Housing staff from sharing your housing information.

If you wish all of your directory information, including name and University affiliation to remain private please contact the Office of the Registrar. All other information about your student record including academics, finance, conduct, and personal wellness include protections under the [Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act](#).

If you wish to waive any of these protections, you must do so in writing to the appropriate office.

Important Note: No matter what you select, emergency personnel and appropriate University administrators will have access to your room assignment information. Information will be shared as required by law.

You can change this preference at any time from your portal account details page.

By selecting to restrict your directory information, your public roommate profile will not be available for others to view. It will still be used for automatic matching. **No information will be released to your parent / guardian unless explicitly listed below.**

Please **DO NOT** release my directory information.

## Authorization to Release Information

You may designate individuals below such as parents or guardians who you explicitly wish to allow access to information about your housing information. Information that may be shared with this individual includes your housing assignment, application details, room and board billing details, and meal plan selection. This authorization does not authorize the release of any details not listed above.

[+ Add New Record](#)

Read the information, and scroll down to fill out relevant information. Scroll down and click "Save & Continue."

## Living Learning Communities

Living learning communities are specialized communities focused around a specific topic area and often involve an academic component. You can view the full list of [Learning Communities and Housing Options](#) on the website.

Community Name	Location	Room Types Offered	Available To
AFRO Hall	Cathedral	Doubles, Triples, Quads	All Students
Aristotle House	Glacier Point	Doubles, Triples	First Year Students in Natural Sciences
Beyond the MD	Glacier Point	Doubles, Triples	First Year Students in Natural Sciences
Carson House	Glacier Point	Doubles, Triples	First Year Students in Natural Sciences
Leadership and Service	Mariposa	Triples	First and Second Year Students
Social Justice	Cathedral	Doubles, Triples	Quads, All Students
Vaughan House	Glacier Point	Doubles, Triples	First Year Students in Natural Sciences

If you are interested in any of our Living Learning Communities (LLC), please indicate your interest by checking the blue box under the respective community you are interested in. Once done, click “Save & Continue.”

You will have the opportunity to preference your desired Living Learning Communities on the following page.

The **Fiat Lux Scholars Program**, is by invitation only for eligible students. You do not need to select the program on this application, you will be assigned based on your participation in the program.

## Gender Inclusive Housing

Gender Inclusive Housing is designed to create inclusive communities for students of varying gender identities. Gender identities are numerous and include man, woman, transgender, and gender queer among many others. Gender Inclusive Housing is intended to be more than co-ed housing. *Please be sure you understand the intent of this program before expressing interest.*

[I am interested in participating in Gender Inclusive Housing](#)

SAVE & CONTINUE

## Assignment Priorities

Please rank your priorities for room assignments based on what is most important to you. 1 is your highest priority. We will use these preferences when making assignments for students who do not select a room during the room selection process. While we work to honor preferences, we cannot guarantee assignments due to limitations on availability, Living Learning Community participation, roommate preferences, etc.

Assignment Priority 1

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Assignment Priority 2

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Assignment Priority 3

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Assignment Priority 4

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SAVE & CONTINUE

Select the priority level for your assignment and once done, click “Save & Continue.”

## Get Involved in your Community

### Leadership Programs

Housing & Residence Education offers three opportunities to become involved in your on-campus community.

**Community Council:** Each residential area has a community council to serve as the voice of the residents in that community and to help host events for fellow residents.

**Resident Housing Association (RHA):** The RHA is the general leadership body representing all on-campus residents. RHA consists of an executive board and representatives from each Community Council.

**Eco Reps:** The Eco Reps team helps develop events and resources that promote sustainable living.

Indicate below if you would like more information about these leadership opportunities.

I am interested in [Community Council](#)

I am interested in the [Residence Hall Association](#)

I am interested in the [Eco Reps](#)

Indicate if you are interested in opportunities/volunteer experiences. Once completed, click “Save & Continue.”

### Move-in Volunteers

The Move-in Volunteer Team helps welcome new and returning students during move-in weekend. Those volunteering to help during move-in will be permitted to move in early and will attend an orientation session that will cover volunteer duties.

Move-in Volunteer Interest

Move-in Volunteer Shift for Saturday

Move-in Volunteer Shift for Sunday

SAVE & CONTINUE

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## Submit AY Application

You have reached the final step of your housing application. Please select **Finish & Submit** to submit your information for review.

You can return to the Housing Status page at any time to make changes to your application, complete additional steps, and get an update on your status.

FINISH & SUBMIT

Finally, to submit your application, click "Finish & Submit."