

# Community

Greetings from the Student Life Staff!

We are eagerly anticipating your arrival for the 2005-2006 academic year! As you may know, one of the most important features of UCSC is the college system. This structure allows us to complement the academic experiences you are having with a residential and programming component.

The student life team, make up of 8 professional staff members and lots of student staff, are responsible for the development of the housing, residential education, college programs, safety, and maintenance programs

To assist you in your preparation, please read this booklet completely. Throughout the booklet, the term at Crown. NEW student refers to someone who has not

previously been enrolled at UCSC. A CONTINUING student is any student who is returning to UCSC.

We'll see you soon!



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Per Federal law, all information contained in a student record is considered confidential except: student's name, local telephone, local address, email address, college, major, class level, dates of attendance, number of credits enrolled in the current term, degrees and honors received, name, weight and height of participants on intercollegiate athletic teams.

# Why we think you'll enjoy living at Crown...





"You'll enjoy living in the residence halls because you will become close with your hallmates. They'll be the people you eat with, go to class with, and run into at the beginning and end of your day."

Brian Carey (Gauss House RA)

"You are so close to everything: bookstore, classes, food. You don't have to wake up super early to drive up to campus and go through the ordeal of finding a parking spot then trekking up to class."

Veronica Sanchez (Galen House RA)

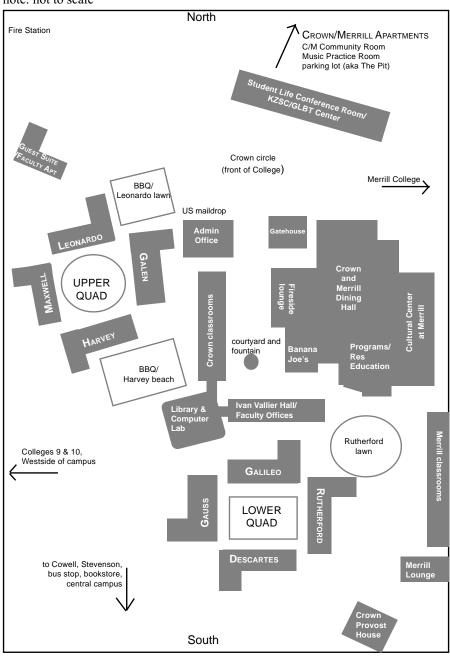
"You will have a wonderful time living at Crown because there will always be activities/events going on to keep you busy. You will meet lots of wonderful people and make new friends! And there is a great RA staff here waiting to greet you and help make your transition into college a successful one."

Angela Cooper (Building 12 & 14 RA)





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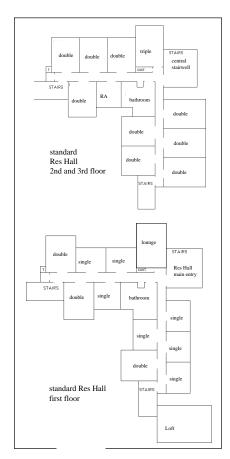


If you have been assigned to a Residence Hall room, you will be affiliated with one of our eight traditional white stucco buildings. The four houses in each quad face center and house in each 58-60 students of all class levels. Lower quad shares a cobbled courtyard with shady green trees while the upper quad centers an open grassy knoll framed by trees and flowers. No matter where you are placed, you will be only a few steps from the Dining Hall, mailroom, and the College offices.

All of our residence halls are smoke-free.

There are two **Resident Advisors** (**RAs**) in your building to assist in creating a comfortable living environment. Each residence hall is three stories and shaped like an L. Each wing has 6-11 residents, with a bathroom in the middle. There is an indoor central stairwell and an outdoor side stairwell on each end of the building.

Each house has a lounge on the first floor used for meetings, studying, and socializing. In the basement is the laundry room. Some of the houses also have locked rooms for bicycle storage, while others have places by the front door to lock bicycles.





We are committed to students' academic success and creating an environment for learning in all of our buildings.

We have one **all-female floor** per quad. If you have been assigned to an all-female floor, all the rooms are occupied by females and the bathroom is for women only. Women from the other floors in the building are also welcome to use this bathroom. Male visitors will need to use one of the other bathrooms.

We have two **Transfer Student** floors for our incoming upper division students who would like to be part of the active residential community, yet maintain a more concentrated quiet environment.

This year, have also created the **Academic** Focus House as an intensive study environment for students from all majors who possess a love for learning. Students are committed to a 24 hour courtesy quiet hour environment and academic pursuits. In addition, the building houses our Science Learning Community (SLC), a program in conjunction with the Academic Excellence Program (ACE), for a limited number of incoming Crown frosh who will be taking the beginning Chemistry course during Fall Quarter. The intent of the program is to support students who are interested in pursuing majors in the sciences and may need extra support in chemistry. Students will live together in a residence hall on a floor mixed with students who tested out of the program, but have expressed an interest in pursuing the sciences.

Not only do we encourage academic success, but developmental growth as well. Crown is also active in the community. Due to a large response, we have created the **Outdoor** Pursuits floor, offering the opportunity for residents to organize outdoor excursions, learn new skills and teach peers in a personal area of expertise. Residents will have the opportunity to participate in activities coordinated through OPERS like hiking or backpacking and are also encouraged to spend time giving back to the outdoors through service events such as beach clean ups, trail maintenance, and other local conservation efforts.

We're excited about our Residence Halls and welcome your involvement in making your year a fun and productive one!

#### **Program Summary**

Descartes 2nd floor: All Female
Galileo House: Academic House
Galileo 2nd floor:
Science Learning Community
Rutherford 1st floor: Transfers
Harvey 2nd floor: All Female
Maxwell 2nd floor: Outdoor Pursuits

#### Did you know...



DESCARTES HOUSE named after Rene Descartes (1596-1650) French mathematician and founding father of modern philosophy.



GALILEO HOUSE named after Galileo Galilee (1564-1642) Italian astronomer and philosopher.



GAUSS HOUSE named after Karl Friedrich Gauss (1777-1855) German mathematician and scientist, aka "Prince of Mathematics"



RUTHERFORD HOUSE named after Ernest Rutherford (1871-1937) English physicist



<u>Galen House</u> named after Klaudius Galenos (129-201) Greek physician & philosopher



Harvey House named after William Harvey (1578-1657) English physician



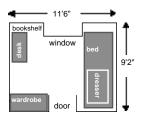
LEONARDO HOUSE named after Leonardo da Vinci, (1452-1519) Italian mathematician. Painter of the Mona Lisa



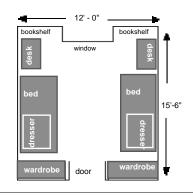
MaxWell House named after James C. Maxwell (1831-1879) Scottish mathematician and physicist.

#### Res Hall Room Types (all rates are per person)

SINGLE ROOM (1 resident/room). There are 8 single rooms per building. Singles are 120 sq feet (9'2" x 11'6").

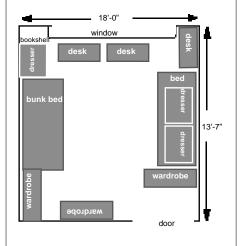


<u>Double Room (2 residents/room)</u>. The majority of the rooms in the hall are double rooms. Doubles are 180 sq feet (15' x 12').



TRIPLE LOFT (3 residents/room). There is one in every house except Rutherford and Leonardo. The split level includes a bathroom. The lower level is 162.4 sq feet and the upper level is 73.9 sq feet.

TRIPLE ROOM (3 residents/room). There is one triple room on the 2nd and 3rd floors of each hall that are about 244.4 sq feet (18' x 13'7").



Guest Suite (2 residents).

One large double bedroom with a private bathroom next door to the Faculty Apartment. Residents have access to Leonardo laundry room and events.

FACULTY APARTMENT (4 residents).

Two double rooms in a small private apartment by Leonardo. The apartment includes a kitchen, a living room, and a bathroom. Residents have access to Leonardo laundry room and events.

#### In the residence halls, each resident is provided with:

\* extra long twin bed height: 22 or 32 inches

width: 40 inches

length: 83 inches (7 feet)

\* 3 drawer dresser height: 30 inches width: 24 inches length: 30 inches

\* desk (2 drawers, pencil tray)

height: 29 inches width: 24 inches

computer flap: 12 inches

length: 45 inches

\* matching chair

\* 2 non adjustable bookshelves

height: 30 inches width: 10 inches length: 35 inches

\* wardrobe unit (armoire)

height: 75.5 inches width: 25 inches length: 34 inches

\* full length mirror

\* trash can

Each room has at least one 10 Base-T ethernet line and one telephone jack. All rooms are carpeted and have curtains, a soft fluorescent overhead light, and a wall heater.

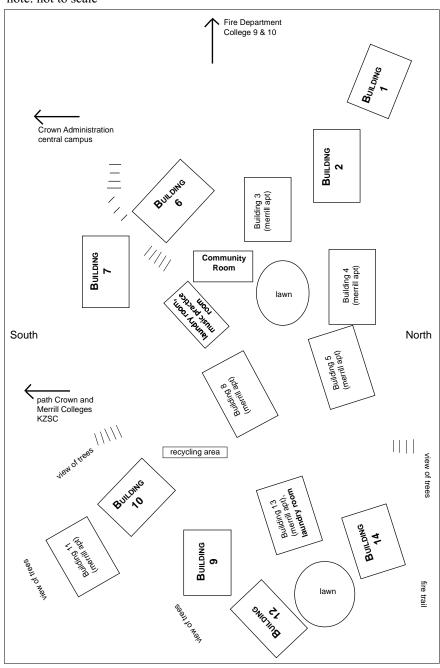
In the bathroom, we provide: shower curtain, toilet paper, cubby holes for storage and morning cleaning service (we do not provide service for the lofts, Guest Suite, or Faculty Apartment private bathrooms).

Faculty Apartment will also have: love seat, end table, lamp, full fridge, stove/oven, recycling bins, dining room table, dining room chairs, coffee table, medicine cabinet.



### Crown/Merrill Apartment map

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### Crown/Merrill Apartments

If you have been assigned to a Crown/Merrill Apartment (CMA), you will be in one of 8 buildings in the complex.

Most of our apartments were picked during Room Selection held in the Spring, giving priority to our continuing student population. Any vacant apartment spaces were assigned to transfer students. We do not house frosh (first year students) in the apartment complex.

Apartment households are usually a mix of genders (unless specifically requested on the application), but the bedrooms remain single sex. When a space opens in the apartment, we will attempt to fill it with the best fit and expect that all residents in the apartment will be open to accepting a new housemate.

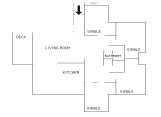
There is one **Resident Advisor** for every 2 buildings (called a cluster). As in the res halls, RAs work to provide a positive community environment. The RAs can assist household success by working with residents to create household agreements and mediate conflicts. RAs also provide programming along with the **Programming Assistants** (PA) who work to create programs for all the Crown community.



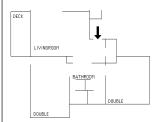
Each three-story building has 2 or 3 apartments per floor. Each apartment has 4 to 5 housemates in different bedroom configurations. There are no shared walls between double and triple bedrooms, and all doors are solid core with metal jams for maximum privacy. Each apartment includes a kitchen, living room/study area, dining room, bathroom (split with a sink/shower on one side and a sink/toilet on the other side), and outside deck. All the apartments receive some sun during the day although some may be more shaded due to the surrounding trees. There is ample storage for each resident, free cable access and ResNet connections.

#### **Apt Room Types**

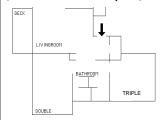
#### Quartet: 4 single bedrooms



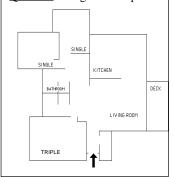
#### Quartet: 2 double bedrooms



**Quintet:** 1 double & 1 triple (rooms are the same sq feet)



Quintet: 2 single & 1 triple



If you are assigned to an apartment single that means you are the only person assigned to that bedroom. In an apartment double, there are 2 people assigned. In an apartment triple, there are 3 people assigned. There is one desk and chair that is in the living room for a 5-person apartment. Furniture is not preassigned.

The guiding philosophy of the Crown/Merrill Apartment complex is that of cooperative living with each individual's participation playing a key role. All students are required to participate in the maintenance of their surroundings and maintain a quiet residential environment in accordance with courtesy/quiet hour policies. Quarterly cleaning/safety inspections are conducted of apartment common areas, and a fire inspection is conducted during the Winter Break.

<u>Each household is provided with:</u> (see pg 8 for furniture dimensions)

#### LIVING ROOM

2 lamps, 2 chairs, 1 love seat, 2 end tables, 1 coffee table, cable, carpet

#### KITCHEN

stove, sink, dishwasher, light, refrigerator, table, 6 chairs, pantry, cabinets

**BEDROOM** (for each resident) bed, desk, bookshelf, chair, light, carpet, 3 drawer dresser, and closet space, ethernet connection, waste basket, curtains

#### DECK

recycling bins

#### CLOSET

cleaning supplies, vacuum cleaner

pictures at www2.ucsc.edu/crown

# Living in the Apartments? We suggest you discuss...

It's important to sit down and talk through a household agreement with your new housemates to develop a comfortable living environment. Here are some questions to ask:

<u>Cleaning Schedule</u>: How long should dishes be allowed to sit in the sink? Set up a weekly chore wheel or quarterly assignments.

Cooking/shopping: Community cooking and shopping? Is anyone a vegetarian? Religious needs regarding use of pots and pans?

Noise: Discuss sleep and study habits.

<u>Guests:</u> Overnight guests of any kind? how much advance warning? Use of community property?

<u>Borrowing Possessions</u>: borrowing items with or without asking, especially food and clothing.

Messages/Communication: When there is conflict, preferred method to discuss issues. Sharing phones. Corkboard for messages.

We also encourage you to contact your housemates before you arrive to discuss what to bring to avoid duplicate communal use items.











#### MOVE IN DAY ONE NEW FROSH AND TRANSFER STUDENTS Friday, September 16, 2005

The campus is open for regular business on Friday so we need to work together to make move-in as smooth and stress free as possible. We ask that you not arrive before your scheduled time. If you are not able to make it within your assigned **2 hour** window, you may be asked to wait until we get other residents checked in.

If you are a new student assigned to live at Crown, you are invited to move in on Friday, September 16. Just follow the signs at the base of campus for **EAST MOVE IN.** 

#### First stop is in the East Remote parking lot:

- 1) You (the student) must show your red Check-in tag and a picture ID (driver's license, passport, student ID card, credit card) at the table to pick up your key.
- 2) After you check in, and when there is space by your building, you will be directed to drive up to Crown. You will be allowed to drive only 2 vehicles up to the College to unload.
- 3) You will then have 20 minutes to unload your vehicle(s) at the curb near your building.
- 4) After quickly unloading, you will need to immediately move your car in East Remote and take the shuttle back up.

If you need to arrive <u>after 3:30pm</u> or at a later date, contact the Crown Housing Office at pandora@ucsc.edu before 5:00pm, Wednesday, September 14th to set up alternative arrangements.

As the other colleges will be moving in their students on Saturday, September 17, we will only be moving students in on Friday and Sunday.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation and consideration.



#### MOVE IN DAY TWO CONTINUING STUDENTS Sunday, September 18, 2005

If you are a continuing student, you are asked to move in on Sunday, September 18th. In order to accommodate the number of returning residents, we have assigned you to a **2 hour** period to check in.

#### First stop is in the Crown lower C permit parking lot:

- 1) You (the student) must show your red Check-In tag and a picture ID to pick up your keys.
- 2) After you have picked up your keys and Room Condition Form (RCF), you will have approximately twenty (20) minutes to unload your car near your Res Hall or Apt Building. Bollards will *not* be removed and we ask that you not block a fire lane, hydrant, or park on the grass.
- 3) Out of courtesy for others arriving, please move your car as soon as you have unloaded the car.
- 4) Return to your residence and complete your RCF.
- 5) Return the RCF to the C-lot during the **9:00am-2:00pm** and retrieve your picture ID.

If you plan to return later than Sunday, contact the Crown College Housing Office at pandora@ucsc.edu before 5:00pm, Wednesday, September 14th to set up alternative arrangements.

As the other colleges will be moving in their students on Saturday, we will only be moving our continuing students on Sunday.

As we will be busy with Orientation, we ask that continuing students wait until Sunday to move-in to assist with the traffic and safety of our community.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation and assistance.

### What to Bring

Not sure what to bring? Here are some ideas. Also, downtown Santa Cruz (a bus ride away) has plenty of shops if you can't fit it into your car!

#### YES!

- ✓ <u>buy ahead of time</u>: extra long twin sheets (beds are 80" x 36"), mattress pad/plastic cover, blankets, pillows, bedspread
- ✓ bath necessities! Toothbrush, tooth paste, shampoo, hair dryer, soap, razor, feminine hygiene products, robe, shower shoes, and bath towels
- ✓ desk lamps, plants, posters (use poster tape)
- ✓ alarm clock (with backup battery in case of power outages)
- ✓ emergency items: flashlight, surge protector, batteries, aspirin
- ✓ personal papers: ATM card, checkbook, Social Security card, copy of birth certificate, health insurance card, and driver's license
- ✓ lots and lots of quarters for laundry
- ✓ bicycle don't forget the U-lock and helmet
- ✓ heavy raincoat, rain shoes, and a sturdy umbrella (it does hail)
- ✓ laundry supplies: soap, iron, hangers, laundry bag/basket
- ✓ office supplies: stapler, scotch tape, ballpoint pens, pencils, paper, bulletin board, highlighters, backpack, envelopes, stamps, scissors
- ✓ coffee maker, hot pot, small fridge, microwave, blender, tupperware
- ✓ computer and printer, paper, ink cartridges
- ✓ head/ear phones (the walls are thin), stereo, discman, favorite CDs
- ✓ telephone (see under "Community Services" for more info)
- ✓ apartment residents only: toilet paper, paper towels, garbage bags
- ✓ apartment residents only: dishes, flatware, dish towels, toaster/toaster ovens, rice cooker, groceries

#### Tip:

Record the serial #s on your items and secure them in a safe place. You should also label and engrave your name on your items.

#### NO!

- ⊠ any type of open flame: halogen lamp, candles, kerosene lamps, hot plates, barbecue grills, portable heaters, etc.
- ⊠ Res Halls only: toaster/toaster oven, rice cooker
- ĭ any non-UL listed appliances
- ⊠ glow in the dark stars and paint
- □ octopus plugs
- x paintball guns, airguns, BB guns
- ☑ excess furniture (you cannot remove our stock)
- ☑ pets (fish in tanks 10 gallons or less are okay)

# Three essential things to bring with you...

"Pictures of old friends, a camera for new friends, and a box to put mix pictures of friends and new memories." *Jennifer Lawrence (Leonardo RA)* 

"Three essential things you should bring with you are a computer, a throw blanket, and a sense of humor." Adam Harrison (Building 9 & 10 RA)



"You should bring an extra reading lamp (lighting can be a pain), shower shoes (trust me), and an alarm clock (can't have too many when midterms and finals come around!)." *Kareena Brooks (Galileo House RA)* 

"Ear plugs, headphones, and an extra power strip!" *Jorge Martinez (Galen House RA)* 

### Community Services

#### Campus Housing Office



As a Crown student, you'll interact with 3 related housing offices. Contact the Campus Housing Office (CHO) at if you have questions about the housing contract, meal plans, or payment plans. The Crown Housing Office is where you go with questions about room assignments, room conditions, filing periods, and processes. The Residential Education Office is where you'll go with questions about most other day-to-day aspects of your residential life (key lockout, judicial sanctions, roommate conflict).

#### Mail Services

Every Crown student is assigned a mailbox at the College, located in the Gatehouse across from the Admin Building. The address is valid for one academic year. Your specific college address is not included in this packet, but will be made available in September (for Fall) via your UCSC email account. Winter Quarter admits will receive it in December.

Be aware that there is a limited amount of storage space in the Gatehouse so you MUST arrange for your packages to arrive AFTER you do! If your packages (meaning, if all your clothes and other belongings) arrive before you, the mailroom will return them to sender.

#### **ResNet**



ResNet provides Internet access and computing support to the campus. There are Ethernet ports in all bedrooms. All you need to take advantage of your Internet port is an Ethernet capable (or up-gradeable) computer with the appropriate configuration. For information about computer standards, specifications, or other questions, visit ResNet online at http://resnet.ucsc.edu or contact their help desk at resnet@ucsc.edu. Wireless is now available in all 1st floor res hall lounges, the dining hall, Fireside Lounge, and elsewhere!



#### Student Communication Services

The ability to make local and toll-free calls is included in your rent. You will need to provide your own touchtone telephone. There is one telephone line and voicemail box assigned to each single or double room. Triple rooms have 2 lines and voicemail boxes. This means that multiple residents in a room will need to share. We urge you to set up your voicemail so you can receive important messages from the College. For more information visit the Student Communication Services website at



http://scs.ucsc.edu or call (831) 459-3865.

#### **Transportation**



Freshmen and Sophomores who live in university housing are not eligible for a parking permit or a temporary permit. Juniors and Seniors can apply at http://www2.ucsc.edu/taps. Contact the Transportation and Parking Services (TAPS) Sales Office at (831) 459-4543 if you have questions about parking. Also, the Santa Cruz Beach Boardwalk offers off-campus parking to UCSC residents. For more information, contact the Boardwalk at (831) 423-5590.

#### **University Food Service**

Your ID card serves as your meal card and may be used at all of the campus dining halls, as well as several coffee shops. For more information: http://dining.ucsc.edu

# Crown Traditions



Crown Student Senate



Casino Night



College Night



Regression Night



Halloween



CROWN STUDENT SENATE (CSS)

Civic-minded? Ebullient and energetic? Consider joining the Crown Student Senate. CSS is an exciting way to become involved with student life. Senate not only allocates money towards Crown programs like the annual Winter Formal Dance, Casino Night, and Super Bowl Party, but also various campuswide programs. Representatives represent Crown students to the administration and campus student government (SUA). Positions open at the beginning of Fall and Spring Quarters.

#### SCIENCE/PUBLIC AFFAIRS TABLES

The Science/Public Affairs Tables are a buffet dinner followed by a presentation and dessert with host Provost Joel Ferguson. The Tables give an opportunity to meet and participate in a discussion with a prominent faculty member on a topic related his/her research. The Tables offer a unique opportunity to learn about other disciplines in a comfortable setting - plus you get a delicious catered meal provided gratis by the college!

#### College Nights

These special nights are held once a month centered around a specific theme in the decor, food, and entertainment. Come break bread with other Crown students, faculty, and staff. Popular themes have included Thanksgiving, Storybook (complete with green eggs and ham!), Surf 'n Turf Karaoke, Islands of the Pacific (with fire dancing!).

#### Frequently Asked Questions

"Can I move in early?"

Move-in dates and times are specifically structured to accommodate the large number of students moving in across the UCSC campus. Early move-in is by special exception only. Contact the Crown Housing Office (pandora@ucsc.edu) for details.

"What if I change my major?
Do I need to switch
colleges?"

No. The purpose of the College is to provide the smaller, less anonymous community atmosphere that is often lost in larger universities. Each college provides its students with a mailbox, advising staff, and college programs (including a student government). On your diploma, it will state that you graduated from the UC Santa Cruz. Most every class, especially for frosh, will be held in large lecture halls throughout the campus. You will be able to pick labs and discussion sections that may be closer to home.



"I asked for a single. Why wasn't I assigned one?"
There are only a limited number of single rooms. During Room Selection held in the previous Spring, most single rooms are allocated to continuing (enrolled Crown residents) students.

"I'm an older transfer student so why have I been assigned to the halls?"

Apartment spaces were assigned to continuing students during Room Selection. Transfer students were placed whenever possible based on best fit with the established household.

"Do I have to move out over the Quarter breaks?"
Your housing contract spans the academic year, so unless you are approved to cancel your contract or switch rooms, your room is yours for the year. Your contract expires on Friday, June 16, 2006. We will expect you to leave residence by noon.

#### for more information: www2.ucsc.edu/crown

"What is the policy for overnight guests?"
Residents may have a guest stay in his or her room/apartment for a maximum of 3 consecutive nights or 15 total nights per academic year. However, this is also a household/roommate issue and should be discussed as you set up your household rules. Having guests does create disruption in your housemates lives so please take that into consideration.

"How private are the bathrooms in the Residence Halls?"

There are bathrooms on each floor which means that roughly 14-17 residents share a common area of toilets, sinks, and showers. In each of the halls, there is also a bathtub on the first floor. All the toilet stalls have a locked door. All the showers have a ceiling to floor curtain and there is also a changing stall with a ceiling to floor curtain. It's rare that everyone will be using the bathroom at once, so there is usually ample privacy. Residents in a hall are not restricted to using the bathroom on their floor (unless there is an All-Female restriction) and women who would feel more comfortable using an all female bathroom are welcome to use one if it is located in their building.



"I asked for an all-female floor in the res halls. Why was I not assigned to one?"

There are only 2 all-female floors in the complex. If you were assigned to a coed floor and had wanted an all-female floor, most likely you have been placed in the same building as an all-female bathroom. The floors typically have an equal balance of females to males.

*How do I get on the wait list to move?* 

Two weeks after the quarter begins, we fill the vacancies. If you'd like to be put on a waiting list, talk to your CRE. However, if you would like to move solely based on roommate conflict, you should contact your RA or CRE, who can help you.

"I got assigned a double room in the residence halls with someone that I don't know. What should I do?" If your roommate allowed us to release his/her phone number and/or email address, you are advised to contact him/her and introduce yourself. Some topics you may want to find out include: major or interest of study, study habits (library, room, silent or with music), tv habits, hobbies and activities, overnight guests, boyfriend/ girlfriend, and sleep habits.

"What if my roommate did not release any information?" Hopefully when your roommate notices on the assignment letter that s/he did not release any info, s/he will get in contact with you first!

"What if there is no roommate listed on my letter? Does that mean that I have a single?"

No, your initial roommate may have cancelled recently and no one has been assigned yet to the vacancy.

"I'm a continuing student and picked during Room Selection with my friends, but in my packet there are different names listed. What happened?"
Your roommates probably cancelled their housing contracts over the summer and you have been assigned new roommates. If you have questions, you should contact your friends to see what the situation is. If there is an error, please have them contact the Crown Housing Office as soon as possible.

"What happens if my roommate leaves during the year?"

A new roommate will be assigned to the space. This could be an immediate process or one that will take a few weeks depending on when the vacancy has become available and the housing waiting list. You should expect to have a new arrival at any time and make sure that there is a space for the new roommate to place his/her belongings.

I am female and my guy friend and I put each other down as roommates. Why did you not put us together? At UCSC, all rooms are assigned same gender roommates. However, mutual requests were honored and you and your friend are most likely on the same hall.

### Student Life Staff

#### ASSOCIATE COLLEGE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER (ACAO)

Sarah Woodside is responsible for overseeing the Student Life functions of the college, including Residential Education, Housing, College Programs, and a variety of services designed to make Crown a safe, open, and productive environment.

Carly White (lower quad CRE) and Joseph Johnson (upper quad CRE) are 2 of our 3 full-time professional staff members responsible for a residential area at Crown. They train and supervise student residential staff, provide support and resources through programming, referral and one-on-one interactions, and are also responsible for upholding college and university policy.

#### RESIDENTIAL ADVISORS (RA)

Crown has 2 RAs per residence hall living on the second and third floors and 1 RA per 2 apartment buildings. These undergraduate upper-division students serve as paraprofessional staff. Their duties include planning educational, social, and cultural activities, providing a safe, secure, and academically successful environment. If you have roommate conflicts, you should discuss them with your RA.

#### FOOD SERVICE ADVISOR (FSA)

Crown has 1 FSA to act as a liaison between University Dining and residents. Residents can talk to the FSA about suggestions to improve services or submit recipes for suggested entrees.

#### Housing Coordinator (HC)

**Darlene Miyakawa** is responsible for making housing assignments, assigning move-in times, administering room switches, cancellations, check out, and damage charges as well as producing the college publications.







# STUDENT LIFE OFFICE MANAGER (OM) Joao Simas can provide you information about programs, lockout assistance, and is responsible for daily operations of the office.

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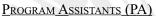
#### OFFICE ASSISTANTS (OA)

We have student workers who help maintain the Student Life Office daily responsibilities.



#### COLLEGE PROGRAMS COORDINATOR (CPC)

**Serena Dionysus** creates a variety of events for the entire college community including orientation, graduation, and College Nights. The CPC also advises the Crown Student Senate.



We have student workers who help create and produce the College Program Office activities.

#### FALL ORIENTATION LEADERS (OL)

OLs assist with opening day and orientation week events, serving as peer mentors for new students.



#### SPECIAL PROJECTS COORDINATOR (SPC)

Allen Bushnell handles room reservations and supervises the webmaster and mailroom plus manages outreach activities.



Ben Doniach and Bill Miller handle the residential maintenance. If you have a water leak or you notice that there is a stopped drain in the bathroom, you should file a fixit ticket and they'll come work on the problem.



#### COMMUNITY SAFETY OFFICER (CSO)

Curtis Swain, Joseph Carter, and Scott Randle provide safety and security to UCSC residential communities, both on and off campus after regular business hours and on weekends.











Crown's core class, "Ethical Issues in Emerging Technologies" will explore emerging issues in science and technology such as bioengineering, information systems, artificial intelligence, and animal rights. It will examine the ethical challenges we face as our world is now regularly and cataclysmically transformed by the sciences.

#### **LECTURE AND SECTIONS**

The Crown Core Course consists of both a lecture and sections. The lecture meets some Mondays and Wednesdays (shown on the syllabus handed out at the Special Lecture meeting) from 7:00-8:45pm in Classroom Unit 2. Section times vary and are listed in the Fall Schedule of Classes under the heading "Crown College."

#### **ENROLLMENT**

You cannot enroll in the Crown Core Course until Thursday, September 22. Also, the Admissions Office must have entered your exam score reports (AP, IB, SAT II, AWPE). The AWPE scores are automatically received by UCSC, but for the AP, IB, and SATII, you must request to have your official examination scores sent to the UCSC Admissions Office. You can check online at the Student Portal (line - view Test Scores) to see if your test scores have been received.

#### SUMMER READING/WRITING ASSIGNMENT

Core is first-and-foremost a writing/reading/critical analysis course. Here you will polish your writing and seminar discussion skills, a crucial first step to success at UCSC. To prepare you for Core, a summer assignment was separately mailed to you and is also posted at the Crown College website: www2.ucsc.edu/crown. meeting.

#### MANDATORY FIRST LECTURE

A special first lecture meeting will be on **September 21 at 7:00pm**, in Classroom Unit 2. Sections will begin the following week.

If you have any questions, please review the information listed on the Crown College website: www2.ucsc.edu/crown.

### Words of wisdom..



"For the first couple of weeks, don't limit your options... go out and meet people every night. You may not get much sleep for the first month, but you will make connections and alliances that will last your entire year, college experience, and hopefully a lifetime friendship."

Shayla Donnelly (Descartes House RA)



"Just stop, take a deep breath, and relax. Remember that you are not alone,. There will be plenty of other residents on your floor who will be experiencing the same thing as you are, so don't worry." *Angela Cooper (Building 12 & 14 RA)* 

"Besides the great people you'll meet? You'll like the fantastic shape your thighs are in even after just one quarter of walking Cardiac Hill." Ryan Townsend (Leonardo House RA)









#### HELPFUL UCSC WEB SITES (www.ucsc.edu)

Bay Tree Bookstore	slugstore.ucsc.edu
Campus Housing (billing, meal plan info)	housing.ucsc.edu
Campus Transportation (shuttles, parking)	www2.ucsc.edu/taps
Dining Services (meal plan options)	dining.ucsc.edu
Residential Network (internet)	resnet.ucsc.edu
Student Communication Services (phone)	scs.ucsc.edu
Student Portal (student's online access to account)	students.ucsc.edu

### **Key Housing Dates** Plan ahead! \* date subject to change

FALL QUARTER 2005 Fall housing/registration payment due	Sept 16 a, Sept 17 a, Sept 18 a, Sept 22 Nov 1- T, Nov 8 Nov 1- T, Nov 8 Nov 11, Th/F, Nov 24-25 Dec 2 a, Dec 5 - Th, Dec 8 a, Dec 8
WINTER QUARTER 2006  Winter housing/registration payment due	a, Dec 24- M, Jan 2 c, Jan 2 c, Jan 4 a, Jan 5 c, Jan 16 and M, Feb 20 c, Feb 1 - W, Feb 8 c, Feb 1 - W, Feb 8 a, Mar 16 c, Mar 20 - Th, Mar 23 a, Mar 23
SPRING QUARTER 2006  Spring housing/registration payment due	, Apr 3 , Apr 3 , Apr 4 , Apr 17 - M, Apr 24 id-May* , Mar 29 June 9 , June 12- Th, June 15 n, June 15 June 16