FIRST YEAR PROGRAMS & LEARNING COMMUNITIES (FYPLC)
First Year Experience (FYE) • Learning Communities (LC) • LC Innovation Zone (LCIZ) • Academic Achievement Center (AAC)
ACES Pre-Orientiation Session, May 2020

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FYE Courses (1-credit)

✓ UNIV 1800: FYE University Learning Skills. An overview of the university experience with a focus on acquiring learning skills & understanding resources available for academic success
  - Advisors encourage enrollment in this course if a student is not enrolled in UNIV 1810 (LC) or UNIV 1784 (Honors)
  - Sections for populations:
    - International (pre-enrolled), SSS (permission # required), Veterans (pre-enrolled)
      - New UNIV 1800 section numbering: 001-099=Traditional FYE | 100-199=SSS FYE sections | 200-299=International FYE

✓ UNIV 1810: FYE Learning Community Seminar. An intro to the university & to the theme of the LC. Students enroll in Fall & Spring. (LLC sophomores enroll in UNIV 3820 or EPSY 3098 if in Public Health House)
  - Living/Learning Community: students are pre-enrolled in LC course(s) before Orientation
  - Non-Residential LC (FYE course within a major; students don’t live together): Amanda connects with advisors to determine how they will enroll students during Orientation; reach out to her if you need permission #’s

✓ UNIV 1784: Freshman Honors Seminar. For students admitted in Honors Program; enrolled during Orientation by Honors staff

Additional FYE Courses (1-credit)

✓ UNIV 1820: First Year Seminar. Guided research or reading, discussion & writing on topics of professional interest to the instructor. Course materials promote independent learning & active engagement in the academic life of the university
  - Advisors encourage enrollment in these courses; some sections are reserved for students in particular programs

✓ UNIV 1840: LC Service-Learning. Activities, discussions & critical reflections related to service-learning, community engagement &/or experiential learning activities specific to the theme of a LC. LC students take in Fall & Spring.
  - EcoHouse/Human Rights & Action/Public Health House students are pre-enrolled before Orientation

Apply to be a UNIV 1800 Instructor and/or UConn Connects Mentor

FYP/LC/AAC programs are designed to personalize & enrich the UConn student experience in a culture of support. Training is offered to support staff in teaching/coaching students through these rewarding professional development activities that can inform our work with students, no matter what our role, at UConn.

Apply at https://FYE.uconn.edu, click Staff/Faculty, New Instructor Sign-up (must have Master’s degree) and/or at https://ACHIEVE.uconn.edu, click UConn Connects, Become a Faculty/Staff Mentor
Living/Learning Communities (LLC)

Interdisciplinary LLC*
- Connecting w/the Arts
- EcoHouse
- Global House
- Human Rights & Action
- Humanities House
- Innovation House
- La Comunidad Intelectual
- Leadership House
- Public Health House
- ScHOLA2RS House**
- Transfer Connections

Major/Program LLC
- Business Connections
- Engineering House
- Fine Arts House
- Honors Program
- International Engineering**
- Nursing House
- Pharmacy House
- WiMSE House*

Regional Campus Options
- Business Connections, Stamford
- Marine Science, Avery Pt

Learning Communities (LC)

Major-themed FYE Course
- Allied Health
- Animal Science
- Communication
- Chemistry
- English
- Kinesiology
- Nutritional Science
- Pathobiology
- Physiology & Neurobiology
- Pre-Journalism
- Pre-Teaching
- Psychological Sciences, FA&SP

*Open to all majors; **formerly Eurotech House; *Women in Math, Science & Engineering
**Scholastic House of Leaders in support of African American Researchers & Scholars (males)

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LLC First Year Course Clusters

- LC-themed ENGL 1007. Students with ECE credit do not have to enroll; students waiting to hear about AP credit can choose to drop ENGL. Let Amanda know so she can enroll another student
  - Business Connections students: enrolled in ENGL by advisors during Orientation
  - Leadership House & Public Health House: pre-enrolled in ENGL (note there aren’t enough seats for all in community)
- PHIL 1104: 3 sections have seats for Business Connections students; advisors will enroll students during Orientation
- HRTS 1007: Human Rights & Action House students will be pre-enrolled

Living/Learning Community Basics

- Students apply for a LLC on their Housing Application
  - 1st-year student selection is randomized; eligibility: must be eligible for housing; Major LCs: must be admitted in major
  - New this year – a LC identifier will be added to Nexus for students admitted to a LC
  - Honors LC: 1st-year students admitted into the Honors Program are required to live in the Honors LC
- LC students should NOT enroll in UNIV 1800, unless additional support makes sense for a student
- All LLCs have 1st- and 2nd-year students
- If student wants to join or change a LC, they can email their Name, UConn ID and LC choice to LiveLearn@uconn.edu
- Students sign a LC Agreement to accept their space, and they cannot drop out once they sign it. If they insist, they will have to participate in a Residential Life Room Change process; the first opens August 1
- Program Overview Videos: https://FYE.uconn.edu/about; https://LC.uconn.edu/newmembers (coming soon) YOUTUBE
Call Amanda (860 486 6534) with any issues; LC classes are REQUIRED, except in rare circumstances