Mission Statement

Student Affairs’ mission is to engage the KU community in services and programs that complement academic goals and enhance quality of life.

Office of Student Affairs
(785) 864-4060 | 133 Strong Hall | www.studentaffairs.ku.edu
Tamara Durham, Ed.D., Vice Provost for Student Affairs

Has administrative responsibility for the units listed in this publication. Student Affairs provides a variety of services and programs to assist students in achieving their academic and personal goals. Student Affairs coordinates the development of these services and programs and serves as an advocate for student needs across the university community. Through our web pages you can access each office and learn how Student Affairs can assist you.

Counseling and Psychological Services
1200 Schwegler Dr. | Watkins Memorial Health Center, second floor
785-864-2277 | www.caps.ku.edu
Michael Maestas, Ph.D., Director

Provides personal and group counseling as well as psychiatric services, consultation for students, faculty and staff, and outreach activities to classrooms, living groups and campus organizations. Offers professional training programs to graduate students in psychology and social work.

Testing Services
1200 Schwegler Dr. | Watkins Memorial Health Center, second floor
785-864-2768 | www.testing.ku.edu
Celeste Smith, Assistant Director

Administers national exams and offers proctoring services for distance education. Provides exam scoring and scanning services as well as survey design and processing.

Department of Student Housing
422 W. 11th St., Suite DSH
785-864-4560 | www.housing.ku.edu
Diana Robertson, Ph.D., Director

Operates university-owned housing, including maintenance, residence life and fiscal management for residence halls, scholarship halls, Jayhawker Towers, Stouffer Place, and Sunflower Apartments.

Residence Life
422 W. 11th St., Suite DSH
785-864-4560
Jennifer Wamelink, Associate Director

Oversees staffing, training, programming, advising, contracts, and room assignments.

Hilltop Child Development Center
1605 Irving Hill Rd.
785-864-4940 | www.hilltop.ku.edu
Bethann Smith, Director

Nationally accredited facility, open year round, fee subsidies for student families partially funded by Student Senate, preference given to children of KU students. Childcare and education for toddlers, preschoolers, kindergarten, and school age children. Student employment and research site.
KU Memorial Unions
1301 Jayhawk Blvd. | Kansas Union
785-864-4651 | www.union.ku.edu
David Mucci, Director

Serves as the campus community centers (Kansas and Burge Unions), providing dining services on campus, retail amenities (book/convenience stores), meeting facilities, campus events (Student Union Activities), Jaybowl, and opportunities for student employment, leadership and expression.

KU Recreation Services
1740 Watkins Center Dr.
785-864-3546 | www.recreation.ku.edu
Mary Chappell, Director

Provides opportunities in intramural sports, fitness, sport clubs and outdoor pursuits. Student employment and leadership activities are also available.

Legal Services for Students
1601 Irving Hill Rd. | 312 Burge Union
785-864-5665 | www.legalservices.ku.edu
Jo Hardesty, J.D., Director

Licensed attorneys provide legal advice, representation and educational programs to students on most legal matters. Also advise students in order to prevent legal difficulties. Available at no additional charge for students who have paid the required student campus fees.

Student Conduct
1450 Jayhawk Blvd. | 113 Strong Hall
785-864-9141 | www.studentaffairs.ku.edu
Nicholas Kehrwald, J.D., Director Student Conduct and Community Standards

Engages in activities designed to educate the KU community in the early detection and reporting of potentially dangerous behavior, assists in the assessment of reported disturbing student behavior and oversees sanctions regarding behaviors of concerns for safety that are directly related to student behavior.

Student Health Services
1200 Schwagar Dr. | Watkins Memorial Health Center
785-864-9500 | www.studenthealth.ku.edu
Dr. Doug Dechairo, Director

Provides medical outpatient health care services, support services such as pharmacy and lab, and education regarding lifestyle choices and wellness.

Student Involvement and Leadership Center
1301 Jayhawk Blvd. | 400 Kansas Union
785-864-4861 | www.silc.ku.edu
Rueben Perez, Director

Oversees the registration and advising of over 500 organizations; provides advising and programs for the sorority and fraternity community; provides leadership development opportunities; and offers resources for non-traditional students and lesbian, bisexual, gay, and transgendered students and allies. Responsible for overseeing the University Events Committee and Danforth Chapel reservations.

Student Money Management Services
1301 Jayhawk Blvd. | 300 Kansas Union
785-864-1182 | www.money.ku.edu
Leticia Gradington, Program Director

Provides financial literacy information, including managing personal finances, developing budgets, tracking expenses, understanding credit card and loan indebtedness and planning for life after graduation. Utilizes one-on-one sessions, class presentations, publications, websites and educational outreach to improve KU students’ financial situations by empowering them to analyze their finances, make sound decisions and commit to controlling their financial lives at KU and into the future.

For additional information, contact the Office of the Vice Provost for Student Affairs at 133 Strong Hall or 785-864-4060.