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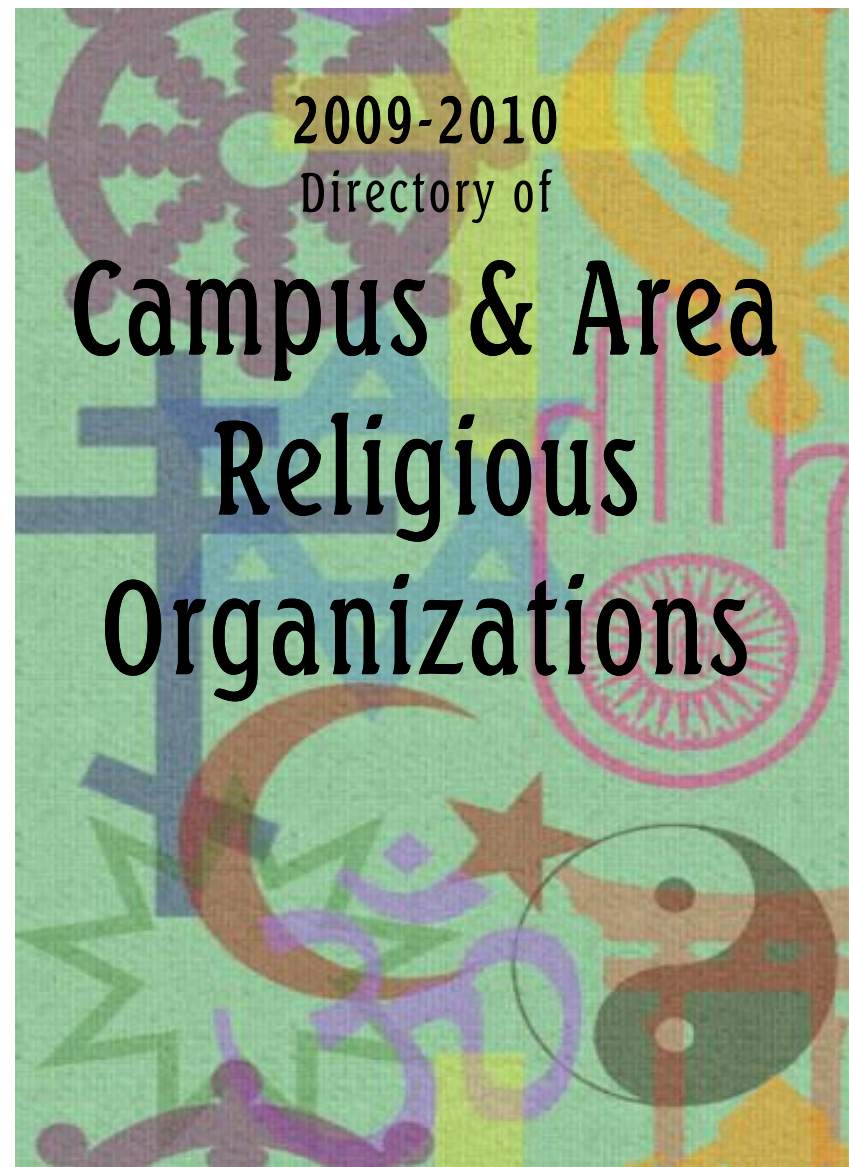
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This voluntary association seeks:

- To stimulate among its own members vigorous, cordial, and meaningful discussion of relevant religious issues and concerns.
- To represent and express the professional concerns of the religious workers at the University of Illinois.
- To establish and maintain channels of communication and structure for cooperation with the University and its appropriate offices-students, faculty and administration.
- To provide a channel for a constructively critical voice on matters related to social and higher education issues.
- To explore opportunities and develop approaches for the relevant expression and effectual practice of religion in the life of the University.
- To serve as an agency for the initiation, sponsorship, coordination and/or implementation of programs and projects on behalf of religious workers at the University.
- To provide an agency for unified expression and action by the religious workers without violating or sacrificing the diversity of their particular religious convictions and commitments.
- To learn about, appreciate, and respect other religious traditions.



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[Newman Foundation Koinonia Retreat Program](#)

President: Raymond Rodriguez, rrodrig3@illinois.edu

Purpose: Provide a Catholic Retreat Program to University students of all faiths so that they can grow in their faith in a strong community.

[Pagan Students Association](#)

President: Tamilya Reed, tdreed2@illinois.edu

Purpose: To support Pagan/Neo-Pagan UIUC students. PSA will support the aforementioned constituents by:(a) Providing a safe and open space for the discussion of Pagan beliefs and practices;(b)Offering educational programs to raise understanding and awareness of Pagan beliefs and practices across campus;(c)Building community through both formal and informal social events; and(d) Aiding spiritual development by coordinating spiritual observances throughout the academic year.

[Quaker Student Group \(Champaign-Urbana Friends Meeting\)](#)

President: Chris Hansen, chansen3@illinois.edu

Purpose: Student group for the Religious Society of Friends (aka Quakers).

[Students For Christ](#)

President: Bryan Schlake, schlake@illinois.edu

Purpose: An organization inclusive to everyone within the UIUC community who desires to know Jesus Christ.

[Twin City Bible Campus Fellowship](#)

President: Austin Berger, aberger@illinois.edu

Purpose: To encourage personal growth in the Christian faith.

[Wesley Foundation Student Fellowship](#)

President: Adam Faust, acfaust@uiuc.edu

Purpose: To promote the spiritual growth of members of the university community through fellowship, service, study, and worship.

[Young Life](#)

President: Brie Bauer, babauer2@illinois.edu

Purpose: Christian outreach ministry for high school and middle school students.

[Zeta Phi Zeta Christian Fraternity and Sorority, Inc.](#)

President: Nelicia Jones, njones2@illinois.edu

Purpose: We are a faith-based not-for-profit organization whose sole purpose is to change the lives of this and coming generations physically, mentally, spiritually, and emotionally.

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[InterVarsity Christian Fellowship - Champaign Chapter](#)

President: Allison Teykl, ateykl2@illinois.edu

Purpose: Making Jesus known by growing loving biblical communities throughout the U of I.

[InterVarsity Christian Fellowship-Urbana Chapter](#)

President: Austin Berger, aberger@illinois.edu

Purpose: Making Jesus known by growing loving, Biblical communities throughout the University of Illinois.

[InterVarsity Graduate Christian Fellowship](#)

President: Daniel Sinkovits, sinkovit@illinois.edu

Purpose: Integration of faith and learning, fellowship.

[Jain Students Association](#)

President: Radhika Mehta, rsmehta3@illinois.edu

Purpose: To increase the awareness of Jainism within the university through unique cultural and religious events.

[Korean Buddhist Student Association](#)

President: SUN JOO YOO, yoo23@illinois.edu

Purpose: To enhance the religious and social relationship between the members.

[Korean Catholic Students Association-Logos Philos](#)

President: JeeWon Ahn, ahn21@illinois.edu

Purpose: To gather and study each chapter of bible. The time of meeting is every Friday evening.

[Korean Jesus-love Ministry](#)

President: Elizabeth Yang, ejyang2@illinois.edu

Purpose: Religious and prayer services for those who are interested in the UIUC community.

[Korean New Life Church, UIUC Youth Group](#)

President: Namkye Kang, nkang5@illinois.edu

Purpose: To spread gospel and God's word to the U of I community and provide opportunities for Korean-speaking students to gather for religious purposes.

[Latter Day Saint Student Association](#)

President: Aaron Knowlton, knowlto1@illinois.edu

Purpose: LDSSA aims to invite students of the University of Illinois campus community to have a balanced secular and spiritual learning experience during their formal years of education.

[Lutheran Student Movement](#)

President: Cristian Gaedicke, mgaedic2@illinois.edu

Purpose: LSM is a registered student organization promoting social activities and religious programs for all students, faculty and staff.

[Megiste Arete and Elogeme Adolphi Christian Organizations](#)

President: Kortney Fox, kkfox2@illinois.edu

Purpose: A Christian Fraternity and Sorority established to enhance students' walk with Christ by building their inner selves physically, mentally, and spiritually. Our purpose also is to build, edify, and enlighten students on how to maximize their talents, abilities, personality, and character.

[Muslim Students Association](#)

President: Alia Bilal, abilal2@illinois.edu

Purpose: A religious and social group consisting of people of a variety of backgrounds; a means by which students maintain their faith in a college environment; a tool by which non-Muslims learn about Islam. Students strive to build bridges with other religious groups through service activities and interfaith dialogue. Above all, MSA is the stepping stone by which students learn the techniques and acquire the passion to commit to their faith and their communities.

[Navigators, The](#)

President: Beth Mader, bmader2@illinois.edu

Purpose: To engage with interested students to know Jesus Christ personally, understand their created identity, and reveal their Creator to others through real life situations that include mentoring, Bible Study, trips, and fun activities.

[Evangelical Christian Union](#)

President: Kyle Marquardt, kmarqua3@illinois.edu

Purpose: To promote unity among all organizations of similar interests at UIUC.

[Faith Christian Peer Ministry](#)

President: Terance Garrett, tgaret2@illinois.edu

Purpose: The purpose of Faith is to provide Christian Support and encouragement to all college students.

[Fellowship of Catholic University Students](#)

President: James Becker, jbecker3@illinois.edu

Purpose: To teach and to live the message of Christ through small group Catholic Bible Studies, one-on-one Discipleship, and large group social events.

[Fellowship of Christian Athletes](#)

President: Tiffany Nesfield, tnesfie2@illinois.edu

Purpose: To present to coaches and athletes and all they influence the challenge and adventure of receiving Jesus Christ as savior and lord.

[Footsteps in the Sand](#)

President: Jerry Vachaparambil, vachapa1@illinois.edu

Purpose: To bring together people with an interest in the Catholic faith and who come from all different cultural heritages. We aim to provide a forum for people to express their beliefs and grow in their faith but have fun doing it!

[Glory Center Campus](#)

President: Matthew Nesbitt, mnesbit@illinois.edu

Purpose: To promote practical Christian living, while empowering students through fellowship opportunities, maximizing their college experience.

[Graduate Bible Study](#)

President: Jinny Cho, jhcho2@illinois.edu

Purpose: To study Bible together and fellowship.

[Greek InterVarsity](#)

President: Kaitlin Gauen, kgauen2@illinois.edu

Purpose: Christian Fellowship for students and for members of fraternities and sororities.

[Hillel Leadership Council](#)

President: Sammy Marks, smmarks2@illinois.edu

Purpose: To educate and promote Jewish life on campus.

[Illini Chinese Christian Fellowship](#)

President: Daniel Wong, dswong@illinois.edu

Purpose: To help Christians know and love God more as well as to share God's love and gospel with seekers.

[Illini for Christ](#)

President: Crystal Prater, cprater2@illinois.edu

Purpose: to encourage people in their walk with God.

[Illini Life Student Fellowship](#)

President: Calvin Braker, cbraker2@illinois.edu

Purpose: To help students know God, learn to understand and love the Bible, and live the Christian life happily and successfully.

[Indian Christian Fellowship](#)

President: Jenny Easo, jeaso2@illinois.edu

Purpose: To foster a community of Christian fellowship for Indian students, provide the message of salvation in Christ to those in need, and encourage one another towards spiritual maturity through devoted and personal growth in Christ.

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Baha'i International Community Baha'i Center

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Carlton Mills

The purpose of the world-wide Baha'i community is to play its role in creating an "ever-advancing civilization." To that end we focus, locally, on the spiritual education of children and junior youth, devotional meetings, study circles open to all.

Christian and Missionary Alliance Champaign Alliance Church

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[Campus Advance](#)

President: Jimmy Gleason, jgleas2@illinois.edu

Purpose: To help students in living their lives as Christians in today's society.

[Campus Crusade For Christ](#)

President: Lauren DiMonte, ldimont2@illinois.edu

Purpose: To meet the physical, emotional, and spiritual needs of students.

[Chabad Jewish Student Association](#)

President: Sophia Harris, sharris6@illinois.edu

Purpose: Provide the university community with an opportunity to foster awareness of Jewish cultural and spiritual heritage, values and traditions; to educate students in Jewish teachings and thoughts; to facilitate observance of rituals and customs.

[Champaign Chinese Christ Disciple Fellowship](#)

President: Muqun Yang, m yang6@illinois.edu

Purpose: To provide opportunities for faculty, staff and students to know the Bible; to know and accept gospel and to become disciples of Jesus.

[Christadelphians, UIUC Student Chapter](#)

President: Benjamin Tucker, btucker@illinois.edu

Purpose: To spread the word of God on the campus of the University of Illinois.

[Christian Campus Fellowship](#)

President: Joseph Matuch, jmatuch2@illinois.edu

Purpose: CCF seeks to provide a place for students to learn, serve, develop relationships, and build leadership skills.

[Christian Reformed Student Foundation](#)

President: Finley Edwards, fedward2@illinois.edu

Purpose: Organize student activities and fellowship.

[Christian Science Organization](#)

President: Daniel Carr, dqcarr2@illinois.edu

Purpose: To serve as a forum for the campus for discussing how spirituality and the Bible can play an active and relevant role in life.

[Christian Veterinary Mission Fellowship](#)

President: Erin Feucht, feucht@illinois.edu

Purpose: To serve others through veterinary missions and to develop our personal relationships with God.

[Christians on Campus](#)

President: Isaac Tan, itan2@illinois.edu

Purpose: To bring together members of the UIUC community to learn more about Christianity, Christ and to develop a personal relationship with Christ.

[Clear Sky Zen Group at the University of Illinois](#)

President: Holly Holmes, hholmes2@illinois.edu

Purpose: Campus Zen meditation practice.

[Community Evangelical Free Church, Free Life](#)

President: Tim Tsu, timtsu2@illinois.edu

Purpose: To train students to grow in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ, and to equip them for a lifetime of Christian labor.

[Covenant Fellowship](#)

President: Elise Ahn, eliseahn@illinois.edu

Purpose: To create a community where people can share and share about their faith in Jesus Christ.

[Deeper Roots in Christ](#)

President: Paul Toh, paultoh2@illinois.edu

Purpose: To grow as disciples of Christ through intensive Bible study, worship, and fellowship.

REGISTERED STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

In addition to the faith communities, campus ministries and community organizations previously listed in this directory, students may also form their own religious organization and register them with the University. Sometimes these RSO's are independent and sometimes they are affiliated with an RWA organization. Inclusion in this directory in no way implies any form of endorsement by the RWA. The most up to date listing can be found at <http://www.union.uiuc.edu/involvementRSO.htm>

[Adventist Christian Fellowship](#)

President: Emelinda Escobar, escobar3@illinois.edu

Purpose: The purpose of Adventist Christian Fellowship is to provide students at the University of Illinois with resources by which they may integrate faith and higher education.

[All Souls Presbyterian Church Campus Ministry](#)

President: James Frost, jfrost@illinois.edu

Purpose: Campus ministry for All Souls Presbyterian Church

[Alpha Nu Omega, Inc.](#)

President: Olugbemiga Adekunle, oadekunl@illinois.edu

Purpose: To present a Christian alternative to students and faculty on college campuses, to minister to the needs of the whole person (spirit, soul, and body), and to promote an attitude of academic excellence among its members.

[Atheists, Agnostics, and Freethinkers](#)

President: Ashley Carter, acarter4@illinois.edu

Purpose: Our mission is to organize, unite, and serve students on this campus who promote the ideals of scientific rationality, secularism, and human based ethics. We also aim to educate the public and our own community about the value of reason, science, critical thinking, skepticism, and openness to new ideas. We seek to improve the community through practical means as well by organizing blood drives and volunteering trips, activities traditionally dominated by religious organizations.

[Baptist Student Foundation Campus Ministry](#)

President: Rebekah Hendrix, rhendri3@illinois.edu

Purpose: Providing fellowship for students and friends of the University Baptist Church and the BSF Housing Ministry.

[Brothers And Sisters In Christ](#)

President: Aaron Hanks, ahanks2@illinois.edu

Purpose: Showing God's love through our actions by sharing Christ, teaching students, and serving others.

[Buddhist Club](#)

President: Denise Sampson, dsampso2@illinois.edu

Purpose: 1) To clear misconceptions in Buddhism 2) To educate the teaching of true Buddhism 3) To provide the environment for the buddhist to practice and enhance their understanding of Buddhism.

[Buddhists for World Peace](#)

President: Kaori Sato, kdsato2@illinois.edu

Purpose: Based on Nichiren Buddhism (Soka Gakkai International), we promote world peace through education, culture, dialogue, and friendship.

[Building Bridges: An LGBT and Allies Christian Group](#)

President: Nick Koberstein, koberst1@illinois.edu

Purpose: To provide an open, accepting, affirming, safe space for people who identify as LGBT and Allies. We aim to foster personal growth in ourselves, our relationship with God and our community through honestly discussing the spiritual aspect of God, sharing personal experiences, and promoting social interaction.

Christian Reformed Church of North America Hessel Park Christian Reformed Church

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Our mission: To be a welcoming community that incorporates and nurtures people in the Christian faith, and to integrate our Christian faith into all areas of life – social, political, academic, and personal – that we may faithfully proclaim the gospel and lovingly serve God, his kingdom and our neighbor.

www.hpcrc.org

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Illini for Christ**

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A group of Christians experiencing God's grace and encouraging each other to live in His love, through Bible study, prayer and service.

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Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints
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Welcoming everyone, we hold the centrality of scripture recognizing each person has the freedom and responsibility to study God's word and apply it to daily life. We are a diverse community of worship, fellowship, service, and prayer, searching together to better love God and the world through Jesus Christ.

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***We are a campus congregation serving students, faculty,
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Our purpose: having real relationships with God and with each other, and having a real impact on campus!

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Unitarian Universalist
**Unitarian Universalist Church
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We are a Welcoming Congregation. Our mission: Build community. Seek inspiration. Promote justice. Find peace.

www.uuc-urbana.org

United Church of Christ
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The UCC Campus Ministry is an Open and Affirming, Just Peace ministry which subscribes to the 8 tenants of Progressive Christianity.

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We embody a tradition of service to the campus community by providing progressive programs focused on Unitarian Universalist spirituality, social justice, and cultural diversity. With the Red Herring Vegetarian Restaurant and Coffeehouse and a variety of community events, Channing-Murray is a resource for those who strive to create a better world.

www.channingmurray.org

Interdenominational
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A place for students to share lives and spread the good news about the Lord Jesus Christ. ICCF consists of three language groups: Mandarin, Cantonese, and English. We meet together regularly for Bible studies, worship, prayer and fellowship.

<http://www.champaignccc.org/iccfl>

Interdenominational
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Helping students encounter and know Jesus Christ so they can make Him known among their friends.

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Interdenominational
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Graduate school in religious studies, offering Masters degrees in divinity and religion. An interdenominational seminary exploring the Christian Faith within the Protestant, Catholic tradition.

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Interfaith
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www.uiuc.edu/ro/iff

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St. John's Catholic Newman Center exists to radiate Christ through His Church by living in relationship with the students of the U of I and Parkland College. SJCNC is composed of 3 entities: Newman Hall – our dormitory for 600 students, St. John's Chapel – dedicated to the spiritual needs & development of students, faculty & staff, and the Institute of Catholic Thought – devoted to the study and research of Catholicism.

www.sjcnc.org

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A growing student-run organization that seeks to build a global community through our faiths.

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Interfaith
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Since 1873, the YMCA at the University of Illinois has served as a place for meaningful dialogue and interaction between students, faculty, staff, and community members. With a dynamic, cooperative, and interfaith setting, the YMCA facilitates partnerships between diverse groups of individuals and creates a welcoming environment for people of all backgrounds.

www.universityymca.org

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Your center for Jewish Life on Campus, welcoming students in a warm and non-judgmental environment, for all your Jewish needs, creating a vibrant Jewish Community.

www.JewishUIUC.org

Jewish
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CUJF fosters Jewish life at home and abroad and supports humanitarian activities worldwide. Local activities include annual campaign, community calendar, volunteer opportunities, Holocaust education, refugee resettlement, emergency assistance, leadership development, arts and culture, seniors program, Israel education, internships in social work and other human service fields.

www.shalomcu.org

Presbyterian Church USA
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To worship in the traditional manner of Friends waiting silently in worship for occasional spoken ministry.

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***Seeking to unite the generations and the nations around
Christ and his kingdom.***

Champaign-urbanapca.org

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Jewish
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www.illinihillel.org

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Lutheran- ELCA
St. Andrews Lutheran Campus Center

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An ELCA Lutheran community of faith practicing our life of faith through worship, hospitality, service and fun!

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www.prairenet.org/universitylutheran

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Christ-centered worship, biblical teaching, loving community & opportunities to serve within & outside the church

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The Orthodox Christian Fellowship (OCF) is the official ministry to Orthodox Christians under SCOBA, and is open to all on the UIUC campus.

www.OrthodoxAlumni.com

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Non-Denominational Christian
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*Community with these core values: (BRIDE) Biblical,
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Muslim / Islam
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*MAS-UC works to educate, organize, and empower the
Muslim community to be active, contributing citizens who
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change.*

www.masurbana-champaign.org

Muslim / Islam

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A social group for Muslim students on campus, and a tool by which non-Muslims on campus learn about Islam and its beauty.

www.msaiuc.org

Muslim/Islam

Central Illinois Mosque and Islamic Center (CIMIC)

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Kingdom workers trained to take the Gospel into all the nations, who would in turn produce more workers.

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