Have some time between events?

Want to enjoy a bit of the UAlbany campus?

Take our 5-Stop Valking Tour

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1. Walk through the beautiful atrium of the new library and meet Minerva goddess of wisdom and symbol of the University. Minerva has resided at the University since the late 1880's when it was called the New York State Normal College.

2. Head to the Campus Center,

open Monday through Friday 8-5pm. While you're there visit the bookstore, open weekdays 9-4pm. Pick up a book or UAlbany t-shirt-there's lots of great stuff there! Use the tear-off coupon for a 10% discount on any UAlbany imprinted merchandise. Offer good through August 22, 2003. Please pardon our appearance - we're undergoing some renovations!

3. Go upstairs and take a stroll around the podium. We call it podiating. Gold

Built in the late 1960's the University campus was designed by the famous architect Edward Durrell Stone and is an iconic example of late-20th century modernism. What's a podium? It's 13 academic buildings on a common platform connected by a continuous roof and lower level corridors. If you're there around the half-hour you'll hear the sounds of the carillon – that's the cylindrical tower emerging from the main fountain. Feel free to dip your toes in the fountain and cool off!

4. Visit the University Art Museum,

and enjoy the works of 17 regional artists selected for this year's Mohawk Hudson Juried Exhibition. The museum's interior, also designed by E.D. Stone, has three galleries, over 9,000 square feet of exhibition space for six to eight changing exhibitions a year. Museum hours are Tuesday through Friday 10-5 and Saturday, noon to 4pm.

5. Stop by the lobby of the Performing Arts Center and pick up an Admissions viewbook or sign up to take a student-guided campus tour. Information sessions are weekdays at 10am and noon, and tours follows.



