How to Apply

The Living-Learning Community application is part of the University at Albany’s housing application process and will be available to you when you apply for housing through MyUAlbany as of May 1, 2017.

- Select the L-LC you would like to join from the list.
- Select your intended major (including “undecided”), so that the staff in Student Engagement can be sure the preferred L-LC will be a good fit for you.
- Tell us why you would like to be a member of the L-LC you have chosen and how you can contribute to that particular community.

Students who are selected to be members of their chosen L-LC will be notified via University at Albany e-mail beginning late June.

Questions about the L-LCs can be directed to Student Engagement at studentengagement@albany.edu.

General questions about housing and roommate assignments can be directed to the Department of Residential Life at reslife@albany.edu.

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WORLD OF ZOMBIES

“Zombie movies and literature not only create interesting storylines of a plausible catastrophe, but they put the human race under a microscope.”

- Participant of the Zombie Film Festival

Learn Where You Live
World of Zombies

The World of Zombies is designed for incoming freshmen who share an interest in the walking dead! Students in this Living-Learning Community live and take classes with other freshmen, exploring why the idea of a post-apocalyptic world appeals to so many in today’s culture.

Some activities may include:

- Helping to organize the Zombie Film Festival at the Madison Theater in October
- Attending lectures from visiting professors on the history of Zombies and monsters
- Zombie movie nights and Walking Dead marathons
- Exploring the campus and their interests through a zombie lens

The World of Zombies is open to all majors.

Living

As a member of the World of Zombies, you will live with other incoming freshmen who share your interest in this film and literary genre.

Learning

You will take one or two of your classes together in the fall and spring semesters of your freshman year and attend co-curricular events together as a community.

Community

As a member of an L-LC, you will have a built-in community of friends from the start!

Friends: Study and socialize with fellow L-LC members. Tackle those first-year courses with your friends by forming study groups where you live!

World Ambassadors: “Learn the ropes” from peers selected from last year’s most engaged L-LC students.

Community Assistant: Meet weekly with an upper-class/graduate student to plan or attend social, academic, and community service events.

Lead Faculty Member: Get to know a member of the faculty outside of the classroom at weekly lunches or dinners in your own dining hall!

Academic Advisor: Each L-LC has its own Academic Advisor to help you plan your pathway to success.

Leadership Opportunities: Become a World Representative. Go on to assume a campus-wide leadership role.

Recent national studies have shown that living-learning communities positively impact student success!

Responsibilities of L-LC Members

- Register for the designated L-LC classes
- Attend lunch or dinner with the faculty mentor and weekly L-LC meetings and/or activities with the Community Assistant
- Participate in All World Events with the other L-LCs (typically two per semester)
- Participate in at least one community service project with your L-LC each semester
- Be a vital and engaged member of your L-LC and of the University at Albany community

For more information about the World of Zombies, including classes and activities, or to learn more about the responsibilities of being in an L-LC, please visit our website.

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