2018-2019 Involvement Opportunities

St. Kate’s has many clubs and organizations to cater to your interests - whether you are interested in politics, dance, professional interests, hobbies, volunteer activities, or anything at all - we have an experience ready for you. To get involved in any of these organizations, attend the annual Activities Fair in September or contact the Student Center and Activities Office to get connected with clubs and organizations.

Student Center and Activities, 270 Coeur de Catherine, 651.690.6210, studentcenter@stkate.edu

Governing Boards

The Senate | senate@stkate.edu
The Senate is the student governing body for the College for Women (CFW) at St. Kate’s. The main goal of The Senate is to provide a voice for CFW students, to provide opportunities for dialogue between students and the administration, and to enhance the student experience. They hold weekly meetings during the academic year; find them on Tuesday’s from noon-1pm.

Graduate Student Advisory Board (GSAB) | gsab@stkate.edu
The GSAB consist of two voting student representatives from each of the Graduate Programs offered at St. Kate’s and as many non-voting members who participate in GSAB initiatives. The GSAB meets monthly during the academic year on the St. Paul campus to represent graduate student voices, plan activities, address common questions, and network.

College for Adults (CFA) Advisory Board | cfastudentboard@stkate.edu
This Board is a team of undergraduate students that act as a liaison between the College for Adults (St. Paul campus) students and the university. The board strives to enhance the CFA student experience and builds their work around three core components: communicate, advocate, and celebrate.

Minneapolis Advisory Board (MAB) | mab@stkate.edu
This Board is a team of Minneapolis students that act as a liaison between the College for Adult (Minneapolis) students and the administration. MAB promotes an environment which balances the diverse interests and priorities of students.

Residence Hall Association (RHA) | rha@stkate.edu
RHA acts as a voice for resident students and focuses on programming within the residence halls.

Leadership Opportunities

Social Events and Experiences for Katies (SEEK) | seek@stkate.edu
SEEK sponsors day brightener events, hosts free movies, sponsors musical events, speakers, and coordinates off-campus trips. Each year, SEEK hosts Charity Ball, Dew Drop Bop and Handcrafted Holidays. For more information about SEEK or learn how to get involved, email skat@stkate.edu or call 651.690.6041.

LEAD Team | leadteam@stkate.edu
The LEAD Team is a collaborative team of students who work together to create leadership awareness and provide leadership training for other students on campus. For more information on how to get involved in the LEAD Team contact leadteam@stkate.edu
Ariston | ariston@stkate.edu
Ariston, a Greek word meaning the best of the best, is the annual student art and literary publication of the University. For more information about Ariston, contact Susan Welch, Literary advisor.

The Wheel | wheel@stkate.edu
The Wheel is the student news site of the St. Catherine University. It is a monthly, online news site accessible at www.stkateswheel.com. Contact The Wheel at wheel@stkate.edu.

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African Student Association (ASA) | asa@stkate.edu
ASA provides current students with a forum for ideas and common interests. The main goal is to allow students to organize social and cultural events that pertain to African culture.

American Sign Language (ASL) Social Club | aslsocialclub@stkate.edu
The ASL Social Club provides an environment that challenges participants to become successful and comfortable with interactions using ASL.

Asian Women’s Association (AWA) | awa@stkate.edu
The St. Catherine University Asian Women’s Association represents the interests of Asian students on campus, educates and promotes awareness of Asian cultures, issues and perspectives to the university community; and builds a supportive network for Asian students. Contact AWA at asianclub@stkate.edu.

Biology Club | bioclub@stkate.edu
Open to all students, the Biology Club is a group of students interested in biology and activities related to biology. Email bioclub@stkate.edu for more information.

Black Student Association (BSA) | bsa@stkate.edu
The Black Student Association unites all black students on campus and provides an environment to discuss issues affecting black students at the University and the entire community at large.

Catholic Katies | catholicclub@stkate.edu
The Catholic Club provides a forum for students to explore, strengthen, and celebrate their Catholic identities and/ or spirituality by offering appropriate programming and opportunities to connect with other Catholics and those interested in Catholicism.

Chemistry Club | chemclub@stkate.edu
The Chemistry Club stimulates interest in chemistry as a profession for St. Kate students, provides opportunities to speak with professionals in science and offers community outreach to public schools.

Clay Club | clayclub@stkate.edu
The Clay Club reaches out to St. Kate’s by providing access to clay activities on campus, reaching out to the arts community at large, providing a venue for inviting visiting artists to share their experiences and offering a venue to use clay as a vehicle to support community service projects.

Colleges Against Cancer (CAC) | cac@stkate.edu
Colleges Against Cancer is a collaboration of students dedicated to fighting cancer, volunteering for the American Cancer Society and supporting programs of the American Cancer Society such as Relay for Life.
Clubs and Organizations

Communication Studies Club | communicationstudies@stkate.edu
This organization exists to unite, educate and empower communications majors, minors and those students still looking for that perfect fit.

CRU | cru@stkate.edu
CRU works to form a community of believers on the campus through outreach and establishing personal relationships with others by helping them connect faith with life through Christian fellowship.

Economics Club of St. Kate’s | econclub@stkate.edu
The Economics Club is established to provide a center for our St. Kate’s Economics community that enriches learning and excitement for students while showcasing the talent in the Economics Department. Our mission is to develop students’ academic skills, promote the Economics program at St. Kate’s, and provide a space for students to connect.

Fashion Association | fashionassociation@stkate.edu
The Fashion Association provides members with opportunities to develop the qualities of leadership and cooperation through work within the department including planning and implementing the annual fashion show, Katwalk.

Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) | fca@stkate.edu
FCA enriches the community by encouraging support and serving others on campus. In and outside of an academic context FCA holds high standards to strive to excel in every area of life, with knowledge of God’s Word and application through characteristics of integrity, serving, teamwork, and excellence.

First Generation Scholars League (FGSL) | fgsl@stkate.edu
The First Generation Scholars League’s purpose is to spread awareness and provide additional support for first generation students at St. Catherine University.

Food Justice Coalition | foodjustice@stkate.edu
To educate and organize for a just food community through educating the campus about how animals are treated and how to make more compassionate food choices.

History Club | no email address
The purpose of the History Club is to provide an organization in which students at the University may gather to act upon, study, and discuss common interest in history.

Honors Program Student Organization (HPSO) | hpso@stkate.edu
HPSO offers students in the honors program the opportunity to attend honors seminars, work independently on major projects and get to know other students with similar interests and abilities.

Katie Buddies | katiebuddies@stkate.edu
Katie Buddies pairs people with intellectual disabilities in one-to-one friendships with SCU students. Katie Buddies has hosted hayrides, trips to Chuck-E-Cheese, fundraisers, parties, and attended plays with their buddy.

Katie's Entrepreneurship Organization (KEO) | keo@stkate.edu
The mission of the Katie’s Entrepreneurship Organization is to inspire and empower women as future business professionals through leadership, creativity, and community involvement.
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<td>**Latinx Student Association (LSA)</td>
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<td>LSA provides a system of support for Latina students, brings greater awareness of issues concerning Latina students and offers service to the broader Latina/o community of the Twin Cities.</td>
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<td>**Love Your Melon St. Catherine University Campus Crew</td>
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<td>The purpose of Love Your Melon St. Catherine University Campus Crew shall be to help give a hat to every child battling cancer in America, fund childhood cancer research initiatives and provide immediate support for children and their families through the sales of Love Your Melon products.</td>
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<td>MSA provides a community of support, services, activities events, and interaction to all Muslim students attending St. Kate’s.</td>
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<td>NAMI at St. Kate’s works to de-stigmatize mental health disorders by promoting open, enlightened discussion of mental health and to create a better life for all who suffer. This organization fights the stigma around mental health disorders, and educates, enlightens, and empowers all young adults to ensure their own mental health.</td>
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<td>**Nutrition, Exercise &amp; Sport Science Club (NEXSS)</td>
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<td>The Nutrition Exercise &amp; Sport Science Club provides opportunities and experience to students interested in Exercise and Sport Science (NEXSS) through speakers and extracurricular activities.</td>
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<td>Nurses of Color provides support and a safe space for nursing students of color and empower future nurses to be leaders in addressing healthcare disparities.</td>
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<td>People Respecting Identity Differences and Equality diminishes fears and dispels myths associated with homosexuality as a form of sexual orientation or identity by promoting knowledge, familiarity, and understanding of gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender issues.</td>
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<td>**Physical Therapy Club (PT Club)</td>
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<td>This organization works to inform the St. Kate’s community about the field of physical therapy. The organization informs its members of the various disciplines in the field and the education/experience required for admission into a physical therapy program via discussion and guest speakers.</td>
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<td>The Public Health Club is for Public Health majors and others who are interested in public health issues. It provides opportunities for students to grow to be activists in the public health field. Students work to increase awareness and education of issues on campus.</td>
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<td>**Respiratory Care Club</td>
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<td>The Respiratory Care Club strives to provide a supportive network of those associated with the Respiratory Care program. Not only will we further our education outside of the classroom, but we develop a dynamic set of professional and leadership skills through being actively involved in the community.</td>
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SHE Pab: Voices of Hmong Women | shepab@stkate.edu
The mission of this club is to promote Hmong culture, language, arts and history. The purpose of this organization is to enhance cultural awareness through community service, events and collaborations.

Social Dance Club | socialdanceclub@stkate.edu
The Social Dance Club promotes swing dancing as a physical and social outlet for St. Kate’s students by facilitating access to dance lessons and varied dance events in the Twin Cities.

Sociology Club | sociologyclub@stkate.edu
The purpose of this club is to build community awareness of sociological principles, raise awareness for social justice movements, and provide learning opportunities for students interested in sociology.

Southeast Asian Students Association (SEASA) | seasa@stkate.edu
St. Catherine University’s Southeast Asian Student Association (SEASA) aims to unite and empower the Southeast Asian community on campus to spread awareness, understanding, and appreciation of the cultures of Southeast Asia to all students.

Spanish Club | spanishclub@stkate.edu
The Spanish Club provides opportunities to facilitate growth of Spanish speaking abilities, expand knowledge of Spanish speaking countries and cultures and get involved in Latin communities through activities and volunteering.

Student Nursing Association (SNA) | sna@stkate.edu
SNA promotes campus and community awareness of nursing students as members of the health care team. SNA has organized and run a blood drive and hosts social events for nursing students.

Students Who Are Parents (SWAP) | swap@stkate.edu
SWAP provides a resource point and informal support for students who are parents. Members of the group learn about both University and community resources that can address their specific needs.

Theology Club | theologyclub@stkate.edu
The Theology Club promotes education and dialogue among women of all faiths and backgrounds and promotes discussion of relevant questions and issues of faith, spirituality and religion in our world today.

Thespians Unite | theater@stkate.edu
Thespians Unite fosters community among students interested in theater, exposes students to theatrical culture beyond the collegiate level and furthers the theater skills of its members.

Triathlon Club | triathlonclub@stkate.edu
The Triathlon Club aims to provide an introduction to the world of triathlons and create a student community to train and work out with on campus. This organization is open to all levels of fitness and experience.

Volunteers in Action (VIA) | via@stkate.edu
VIA is a group of students constituted to volunteer their time and energy to assist social service agencies throughout the Twin Cities in various volunteer opportunities

Women in Mathematics, Engineering, and Science (WiMSE) | wimse@stkate.edu
The intent of WiMSE is to provide a safe place in which students can explore the various applications of their knowledge of mathematics. As such, the goals of this club include: making St. Kate’s students aware of possible career opportunities, helping them to find ways in which they can pursue those opportunities, and having fun.
Graduate Student Clubs and Organizations

American Library Association (ALA) Student Chapter
The American Library Association focuses on national issues in library and information science. ALA also actively promotes involvement in professional activities, exchanges ideas and information about trends, issues, and opportunities in the profession.

Physicians Assistant Student Society
PA Student Society is for students interested in the career field of a Physician Assistant. This organization creates different opportunities for students interested in the PA field.

Progressive Librarians Guild (PLG)
PLG serves as an open forum for the discussion of progressive issues affecting librarianship. In addition, PLG is concerned with trends and issues related to professional ethics. The organization also strives to increase awareness of national and local issues in library and information science.

Student Archivists Association (SAA)
SAA assists students interested in the archives gain professional experience in preserving and identifying records of enduring value. Opportunities include creating awareness of the archives field through panel discussions, outreach activities, networking opportunities, and a community partnership program to assist members in gaining experience preserving archives.

Chartering a New Club

If you are unable to find an organization on campus that matches your interests, Student Center and Activities is happy to help you start your own organization. New charters are always welcome to begin completing the paperwork at any time during the year. New charter paperwork is only accepted at the beginning of each academic year.

To begin the chartering process of a new club, please contact the Student Center & Activities Office at studentcenter@stkate.edu or visit us in the Cœur de Catherine, Room 270.
Student Center and Activities Office (SCA)

1. A department within St. Catherine University that specializes in connecting students with education, social, and leadership opportunities.

2. The home for student organizations and clubs, student government, leadership opportunities, campus activities, an overflowing candy bowl, and fun people!

The areas we work with include:

- Activities Fair
- The Pulse
- Family & Friends Day
- Orientation
- Leadership Conference
- Clubs and Organizations
- Dew Drop Bop
- Commencement
- Honors & Awards Ceremony
- Info Center
- …and much more!

Our staff also advises organizations such as the SEEK Team (Social Events and Experience for Katies), LEAD Team, Senate, Graduate Student Advisory Board, and the CFA Bachelor’s Board.

We would love to hear from you! The SCA Office is located next to the Information Center in the Coeur de Catherine (CdC 270).

Visit us online at www.stkate.edu/students/sca, email studentcenter@stkate.edu, or call 651.690.6210.

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