Student Life

Student and community life at the Divinity School revolves around Swift Hall, located on the beautiful main quadrangle, and home to our classrooms, administrative and faculty offices, common spaces, cloister garden, and our student-run coffee shop. Divinity School students are also part of the University of Chicago’s greater community of almost 9,000 graduate students and 600 postdocs; a community that extends from labs and classrooms in Hyde Park to global centers and alumni clubs around the world.

Run by and for our students, the Divinity Students Association contributes to social, academic, and professional life. The DSA funds academic clubs, events, and conferences; provides funding for students (for travel to conferences, for professional membership fees, and for professional development activities), and sponsors coffee hours and other social events.

For more information on student life from the student perspective, visit http://dsa.uchicago.edu.

Academic and professional support to UChicago graduate students is provided not only by the Divinity School but also by UChicago Grad (http://grad.uchicago.edu), which offers a wide range of services and resources. Visit their website for information on navigating life as a graduate student – housing, parenting resources, health and wellness services, getting around the city, spiritual life, and more. And once you’re here, UChicago Grad provides academic and professional support such as fellowship advising, career development, and writing support.

University policies regarding students appear in the Student Manual of University Policies, available online at www.uchicago.edu/docs/studentmanual/university. The Student Manual is the official statement of University policies and regulations, and expected standards of student conduct that are applicable to all students. More detailed policies specifically applicable to the Divinity School are available in the relevant sections of these Announcements.

Topics covered include:

• Student Health Insurance Requirement
• Quarterly Mandatory Fees
• Graduate Student Parent Policy
• Policy on Religious Accommodation
• Disability Accommodations
• University Disciplinary Systems
• Student Employment

And many more.
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- Times was used instead of Trajan.
- Times was used instead of Palatino.

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