

Black Resource Center

April 2023 Newsletter



The Black Resource Center (BRC), located in Gleeson Library 234, will be open during library business hours. Come by to study, take a breather between classes, and connect with fellow Black students!

Stay engaged with BASE! Follow us on **Facebook**, **Instagram**, and **Twitter**. If you have comments, questions, ideas for programming, or would like to feature your event in our newsletter, please contact us at base@usfca.edu or **(415) 422-2503**.

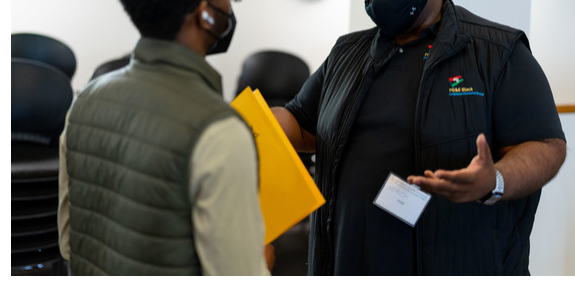
April 2023 Events

Your Career Brand & Recruiter Secrets: Career Services Workshop

April 4 | 5–6 p.m.
Fromm Hall, Rm 115

Join us for an in-depth workshop with Career Services on how to improve your networking on LinkedIn and to unlock "secrets and myths" recruiters are looking for on your resume, cover letter, and overall brand.

Food will be provided.



[RSVP Here »](#)

Senior Sit-Down

April 11 | 4–6 p.m.
Cultural Center

Are you graduating soon? Join Dr. Rice from CAPS, Amir Woods - CASA Academic Success Coach, and BASE Staff for a roundtable, open discussion on life after graduation. Food will be provided.



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New Public Health Major: Presentation and Q&A with Dr. Grinshteyn

April 11 | 5–6 p.m.
LS 104 Getty Study

Join Dr. Erin Grinshteyn, Associate Professor and Associate Dean at the School of Nursing and Health Professions, for a presentation followed by a Q&A regarding the new Public Health Major launching in Fall 2023. This program is open to all continuing undergraduate students who have an interest in the new Public Health major.

Refreshments will be provided.

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Past to Present: USF Black History

April 19 | 6–8 p.m.
Cultural Center, UC 4th Floor

Join us for an immersive panel discussion featuring Black Faculty, Staff, and members of the Black Alumni Society about Black History and the Black Experience at USF over time. Learn about the timeline of black excellence, captured through videography, and goals for the future.

Food will be provided.



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University Resources & Deadlines

Center for Academic and Student Achievement (CASA)

The Center for Academic and Student Achievement (CASA) is your home for compassionate academic and personal support that promotes holistic student development. Each USF undergraduate student is assigned to an academic success coach. You can find out who your coach is in your **Student Hub** under "My Success Team." You may **make an appointment** with your coach, or you can visit any coach during their regular **drop-in hours** without an appointment.

Last Day to Withdraw: Monday, April 10

Monday, April 10 is the **LAST DAY TO WITHDRAW** from a class for undergraduate students. Have questions? Make an appointment with your major adviser or reach out to your **Academic Success Coach** for general assistance. Each USF undergraduate student is assigned to a Success Coach. You can find out who your Academic Success Coach is in your **Student Hub**, under "**My Success Team**".

You may **make an appointment** with your coach, or you can visit any coach during their regular **drop-in hours** without an appointment. Don't hesitate to ask an available Academic Success Coach your questions during Drop-Ins.

NOTE: Withdrawing from a course will result in a 'W' on your academic record. This just indicates that you withdrew from your course(s) after our Census Date.

Continued Registration for Fall 2023

Fall 2023 registration for continuing students will begin on Monday, April 17. CASA will be offering registration assistance drop-in hours to all undergraduate students between Monday, April 17–Thursday, April 20, during the hours of 10 a.m.–4 p.m. at the University Center, 3rd floor. If you need help with any of the following, take advantage of our drop-in hours:

- Navigating USF's online registration system
- Explanation of registration errors/messages/terms
- Explanation of registration policies and procedures (for closed courses and/or + courses that have a waitlist, prerequisites, etc.)
- Registration tips and advice

NOTE: All questions about your course schedule or major program should be directed to your major adviser/department.

[Meet with your CASA Coach »](#)

Learning, Writing, and Speaking Centers

The LWSC offers academic assistance to all students. Services are available at no additional cost to USF students and include subject-specific tutoring, writing assistance, and communications-related support.

[Request an Appointment »](#)



End of the Year Ceremonies

The Cultural Centers are hosting ceremonies that center around cultural identities and backgrounds that students hold. Each recognition program takes place in May. Faculty, staff, and guests can **register to attend** by Friday, May 5.

2023 Vizuri Kabisa (Black Grad) Award Nomination Form

Vizuri Kabisa is Swahili for "excellence." Vizuri Kabisa is a recognition event that honors the academic and leadership achievements of graduating students who identify as Black, African, African American, and multiracial.

[Submit your nomination »](#)

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