

## DIRECTIONS

**From Admissions (Cohen Hall),** turn left, then left again and go up the stairs. Turn right, passing the red LOVE statue on your right, then cross Locust Walk and on your left you will see The ARCH. (For ramp access to Locust Walk from Admissions, turn left, then turn right. Ascend the ramp to Locust Walk and turn left, passing the LOVE statue on your left. The ARCH is on your right, across the first "intersection" at 36th & Locust.) The ARCH is home to La Casa Latina, Makuu, and PAACH. Once inside, go down the stairs on your left, or ask at the desk for the elevator. **1 From the ARCH,** turn right on to Locust Walk, then proceed to 3643, the Penn Women's Center, on your right. **2 From the PWC,** turn right and continue on Locust Walk, crossing the 38th St. Bridge. When you get to 39th, turn diagonally to your left and cross the courtyard. Look for the rainbow flag on your right and you have arrived at the LGBT Center. **3 From the LGBT Center,** go back the way you came, then turn left at 39th. Cross Walnut St. and turn right on Chestnut St. to walk east to 3708 Chestnut St., The Greenfield Intercultural Center, which will be on your right. **4 From the GIC,** turn right onto Chestnut St., right on 36th St. and across Locust Walk to return to Cohen Hall.



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EXPLORE OUR

# CULTURAL R-E-S-O-U-R-C-E CENTERS

ON A  
SELF-GUIDED  
TOUR!

BECAUSE UNIVERSITY LIFE INCLUDES YOU.

YOU

Philadelphia occupies the traditional homelands of the Lenni-Lenape. Penn acknowledges and expresses gratitude to the indigenous people of this land, past and present, for the opportunity to live and learn on Lenapehoking, land of the Lenape.



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Penn's six **Cultural Resource Centers** encourage students to discover and celebrate cultural identity across the curriculum and in daily life. They collaborate to nurture and enrich the education of Penn students of all backgrounds by facilitating meaningful connections across campus. As part of the University Life division, the centers provide a forum for anyone interested in testing ideas, asking tough questions, and initiating change. **Come on in. Learn about, and from, one another.**

## THE ARCH BUILDING

HOME TO LA CASA LATINA,  
MAKUU & PAACH



## 1 LA CASA LATINA

**The Center for Hispanic Excellence: La Casa Latina** promotes greater awareness of Latinx issues, culture, and identity at Penn. The Center works closely with the Penn community to offer a supportive environment where all students are welcome and engaged in programs, events, and dialogues that address important issues affecting Latinxs/Hispanics locally, nationally, and internationally. La Casa supports the Latinx Coalition, a student-run umbrella organization, and all of its constituent groups. The Center offers programs including mentorship to cultivate social and intellectual growth, Freshman Fuerza to build networks early in the student experience, and Latinx Heritage Month to educate and celebrate with the Penn campus at large.

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## 2 MAKUU

**Makuu Black Cultural Center** is a nexus of academic, professional, and personal growth for University of Pennsylvania students interested in Black culture and the African Diaspora. Through advising, leadership development, cultural and social programming, the Center expands student access to the University's resources. Makao Makuu means "home" or "headquarters" in Kiswahili, a language used in some East African countries. As the parent center of Umoja, the University of Pennsylvania's coalition of black student activity groups,

## 3 PAACH

**The Pan-Asian American Community House (PAACH)** is a hub of academic, personal, and professional growth for Penn community members interested in Asian American diaspora and culture. PAACH serves as a central resource for supporting East Asian, South Asian, Southeast Asian, and Pacific Islander American students and student organizations, including the Asian Pacific Student Coalition, Asian Pacific American Heritage Week and ASPIRE, a program serving Philadelphia high school students. PAACH offers co-curricular events focusing on Asian American research, culture, history, politics and social issues, and develops innovative programs for leadership development in collaboration with student and community groups, faculty and staff.

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## 4 PENN WOMEN'S CENTER

### The Penn Women's Center (PWC),

Penn's oldest resource center, works with students, staff, and faculty of all genders to promote gender equity on campus and beyond. PWC hosts events celebrating women artists, activists and academics as well as political and professional leaders. In partnership with student groups, PWC plays an advocacy role on issues such as reproductive justice, workplace equity, sexual violence, discrimination, and harassment. It also provides confidential options counseling open to all members of the Penn community. PWC offers a welcoming space in the heart of campus for students to study, relax, host events, or team up for civic engagement projects.

**3643 LOCUST WALK - 215.898.8611  
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## 5 LGBT CENTER

### The Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender (LGBT) Center,

one of the oldest and most active programs of its kind in the country, enriches the experience and fosters the success of Penn's lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender students and their allies. The Center provides a variety of services throughout the year for and concerning Penn's queer student, faculty and staff community. All are welcome. The LGBT Center assists faculty, staff, and alumni in their efforts to serve students, and increases the general Penn community's awareness, understanding, and acceptance of its sexual and gender minority members through outreach and education, supportive services for individuals and campus organizations, and advocacy for sensitive, inclusive University policies and practices.

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## GREENFIELD INTERCULTURAL CENTER 6

**The Albert M. Greenfield Intercultural Center (GIC)** was founded in 1984 to foster intercultural awareness and understanding. As an intercultural hub on campus we offer experiential courses,

innovative programs and individual coaching and advising for students. The Center also supports many diverse student organizations such as the United Minorities Council, Penn Disability Advocates, Check One? and Natives at Penn. In partnership with Penn First, we launched the First Generation Low-Income (FGLI) program to support students who are the first in the family to attend college, and/or come from low socioeconomic backgrounds. You might come to Penn and decide that you want to learn more about yourself or get to know a community with which you are unfamiliar. Or, you may just want to unwind between classes and engage with students who have different experiences from yours.

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To learn more about University Life at Penn including academic and career support, campus and community life, health and wellness, and resources for first generation students, visit [www.vpul.upenn.edu](http://www.vpul.upenn.edu).

See reverse for map and directions.