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Time	From -> To	Message
Apr 01, 17:59:44	TulaneRula -> Everyone	Hello all, my name is Rula and I am one of the admissions counselors. So excited to talk to y'all today. Apr-01 at 05:59:44 pm
Apr 01, 18:00:08	TulaneJalin -> Everyone	Hello everyone, my name is Jalin Carter, I am a Senior Admission Counselor and a Tulane Alum. I look forward to speaking with you all tonight! Apr-01 at 06:00:08 pm
Apr 01, 18:00:43	TulaneRep -> Everyone	Hello! My name is Vanessa L. Johnson, and I am a Tulane alumna, Freeman BSM '95. Apr-01 at 06:00:43 pm
Apr 01, 18:00:54	TulaneSierra -> Everyone	Hi everyone! I am the Assistant Director and Diversity and Access Coordinator in Tulane Admission. I work with students from the state of NY, as well as underrepresented students. I graduated from Tulane School of Public Health with my Master of Public Health in 2019! I am excited to chat with all of you tonight! Apr-01 at 06:00:54 pm
Apr 01, 18:01:01	TulanePaula -> Everyone	Hello Everyone, My name is Paula Boone and I am the Associate Director of the Center for Academic Equity. I partner with people across campus to ensure that every student has access to all the opportunities that Tulane has available. Apr-01 at 06:01:01 pm
Apr 01, 18:01:20	TulaneRep -> Everyone	Hey everyone. My name is Zharia Jeffries. I am a Tulane Alum, Class of 2019. Excited to talk with ya'll and answer any questions. Apr-01 at 06:01:20 pm
Apr 01, 18:02:43	TulaneRep -> Everyone	Good evening everyone I'm Sienna Abdulahad, the Director for the Office of Multicultural Affairs Apr-01 at 06:02:43 pm
Apr 01, 18:02:59	TulaneRep -> Everyone	Hi everyone, my name is Petey Peterson and my pronouns are: they/them/their. I have the privilege of serving as the Director for the Office for Gender and Sexual Diversity (OGSD) at Tulane University. We serve and support all students, faculty, staff and alumni of diverse gender identities, gender expressions, sexual orientations and romantic orientations. Apr-01 at 06:02:59 pm
Apr 01, 18:03:00	TulaneTrejon -> Everyone	Hello Everyone! My name is Trejon Shelton. I am current junior at Tulane University from the Los Angeles Area studying International Relations with a minor in Chinese and Management. I am also a junior counselor in the Admission Office. Super excited to chat with you all and answer any of your questions! Apr-01 at 06:03:00 pm
Apr 01, 18:07:04	ronni -> TulaneRula	Hi, I am Ronni Johnson from Charlotte, NC just wondering what support is available to students of color at Tulane. Apr-01 at 06:05:13 pm
	TulaneRula -> ronni	Hello Ronni, I am happy to answer your questions. There

		is the "O" as well as the Center for Academic Equity! You can learn about both here: https://academic-equity.tulane.edu/ and here: https://intercultural.tulane.edu/ ; Apr-01 at 06:07:04 pm
Apr 01, 18:07:18	Dessie -> TulaneSierra	Will Tulane still require SATACT for class of 2021 admissions? Apr-01 at 06:04:48 pm
	TulaneSierra -> Dessie	Hi Dessie, as of right now Tulane will still require the SAT or ACT. If that changes we will be sure to let all applicants know. Apr-01 at 06:07:17 pm
Apr 01, 18:07:54	ronni -> TulanePaula	Hi, I am Ronni Johnson from Charlotte, NC just wondering what support is available to students of color at Tulane. Apr-01 at 06:05:13 pm
	TulanePaula -> ronni	Hello Ronni. Students of color have access to many different support services and systems on Tulane's campus. The Center for Academic Equity offers a summer bridge program open to students who identify as people of color. We also invite students to participate in a scholarship search program that allows students to apply for additional tuition and enrichment dollars. The Center for Intercultural life hosts multicultural organizations that celebrate student identity and offer leadership opportunities. Apr-01 at 06:07:54 pm
Apr 01, 18:07:57	ronni -> TulaneRep	Hi, I am Ronni Johnson from Charlotte, NC just wondering what support is available to students of color at Tulane. Apr-01 at 06:05:13 pm
	TulaneRep -> ronni	We offer a great deal of support for students of color that starts before you get to campus. We have a peer mentor program that connects students who share your interests as well as your identities. We also host regular programming that centers students of color on campus and now...virtually. Apr-01 at 06:07:57 pm
Apr 01, 18:09:00	ronni -> TulaneJalin	Hi, I am Ronni Johnson from Charlotte, NC just wondering what support is available to students of color at Tulane. Apr-01 at 06:05:13 pm
	TulaneJalin -> ronni	Hello Ronni, there are various means of support including affinity groups, (i.e. BSU) the Carolyn Barber-Pierre Center for Intercultural Life, and the Center for Academic Equity. https://intercultural.tulane.edu/ https://academic-equity.tulane.edu/ ; Apr-01 at 06:08:59 pm
Apr 01, 18:09:32	ronni -> TulaneRep	Hi, I am Ronni Johnson from Charlotte, NC just wondering what support is available to students of color at Tulane. Apr-01 at 06:05:13 pm
	TulaneRep -> ronni	The Office of Multicultural Affairs offers support to students of color at Tulane. The Carolyn Barber Pierre Center for Intercultural Life provides educational, social, and cultural opportunities for the campus community, such as Multicultural Student Orientation, Multicultural Leadership Retreat, Diversity Convocation, Audre Lorde Days, and Fall Harvest Fest Dinner, along with speakers, events and workshops for various cultural celebrations. Apr-01 at 06:09:31 pm
Apr 01, 18:11:51	ronni -> TulaneCarolyn	Hi, I am Ronni Johnson from Charlotte, NC just wondering what support is available to students of color at Tulane. Apr-01 at 06:05:13 pm

	TulaneCarolyn -> ronni	Throughout the year, we provide educational, social, and cultural opportunities for the campus community, such as Multicultural Student Orientation, Multicultural Leadership Retreat, Diversity Convocation, Audre Lorde Days, and Fall Harvest Fest Dinner, along with speakers, events and workshops for various cultural celebrations. Partnering with other university departments, community organizations, and student organizations, the Office of Multicultural Affairs works to serve students in ways that contribute directly to their ability to thrive in and outside the classroom. Apr-01 at 06:11:50 pm
Apr 01, 18:12:44	ronni -> TulaneRep	Hi, I am Ronni Johnson from Charlotte, NC just wondering what support is available to students of color at Tulane. Apr-01 at 06:05:13 pm
	TulaneRep -> ronni	Hi Ronni we also have several student organizations and programs through Office for Gender & Sexual Diversity that support LGBTQA+ students of color. We have a Black Queer Collective organization and Coalition for queer and trans people of color. Apr-01 at 06:12:44 pm
Apr 01, 18:13:48	ronni -> TulaneRep	Hi, I am Ronni Johnson from Charlotte, NC just wondering what support is available to students of color at Tulane. Apr-01 at 06:05:13 pm
	TulaneRep -> ronni	Hi Ronni. I'm Zharia. I am a recent graduate of Tulane, Class of 2019. The one major source that I used for support as a woman of color was The Office of Multicultural Affairs. I was a Communications major and I did not have very many classes with professors or students of color, but I could walk in 'The O' and feel a sense of community for sure. Once I made myself known and started going to events like Wednesday's at the O(weekly meals for members of The O from local restaurants around New Orleans), I was made aware of multiple other opportunities that I could take advantage of as a student of color. From freshman year to senior year they had me covered with whatever I needed. Apr-01 at 06:13:48 pm
Apr 01, 18:13:56	Dessie -> TulaneJalin	Does Tulane accept AP scores? Apr-01 at 06:09:18 pm
	TulaneJalin -> Dessie	Hello Dessie, In most cases, if you receive a 4 or 5 on an AP exam you will receive credit for the corresponding class at Tulane. Apr-01 at 06:13:56 pm
Apr 01, 18:14:32	Risbelle -> TulaneRep	How is the diversity at Tulane? Apr-01 at 06:11:42 pm
	TulaneRep -> Risbelle	Hi Risbelle, from OGSD's perspective from the Fall 2019 incoming class we had 146 incoming students self identify as LGBTQA+ on their admissions application and we know that there are many more students who may identify as LGBTQA+ but did not feel comfortable answering that demographic question. The LGBTQA+ community is continuing to grow and build community across students, faculty, staff, alumni and the New Orleans LGBTQA+ community. Apr-01 at 06:14:32 pm
Apr 01, 18:15:12	ronni -> TulaneJalin	Thanks so much! Will this chat be available to us after it has ended? Apr-01 at 06:11:46 pm
	TulaneJalin -> ronni	Hello Ronni, we can definitely make the chat available! Apr-01 at 06:15:12 pm

Apr 01, 18:15:43	Risbelle -> TulaneRep	How is the diversity at Tulane? Apr-01 at 06:11:42 pm
	TulaneRep -> Risbelle	Both Tulane and the city of New Orleans is very diverse. Almost one-third of entering students this past year identified as a student of color or an international student. Apr-01 at 06:15:43 pm
Apr 01, 18:16:20	Risbelle -> TulaneRep	How is the diversity at Tulane? Apr-01 at 06:11:42 pm
	TulaneRep -> Risbelle	Tulane is constantly working to recruit and retain a diverse group of students. Each year we are seeing an increase in diversity on campus. About 30% of the undergraduate population is made up of students of color Apr-01 at 06:16:20 pm
Apr 01, 18:16:24	Shaan -> TulaneRula	Hi, I am Shaan Arora from Columbus, Oh and I was wondering what the population of Indian students is at tulane? Apr-01 at 06:09:00 pm
	TulaneRula -> Shaan	Hey Shaan, thank you so much for joining us tonight. The Indian population at Tulane specifically we do not have stats on but we do have information on students of color generally, and there is that information here and there is also an Indian Student Association as well  https://registrar.tulane.edu/enrollment-profiles and here:  https://tulane.campuslabs.com/engage/organization/india-association-of-tulane-university ;Apr-01 at 06:16:24 pm
Apr 01, 18:16:32	Renee -> TulaneJalin	When will students receive the information for the scholarship search? Apr-01 at 06:13:04 pm
	TulaneJalin -> Renee	Hello Renee, our various scholarship applications are due in mid to late Fall, here is more information:  https://admission.tulane.edu/tuition-aid/merit-scholarships ;Apr-01 at 06:16:31 pm
Apr 01, 18:17:21	Alaya -> TulaneSierra	Hi all, my name's Alaya. I was wondering how admitted students should go about advocating for a better financial aid package. Also, how does TU take outside scholarships into account? Apr-01 at 06:11:16 pm
	TulaneSierra -> Alaya	Hi Alaya, admitted students can email both their financial aid counselor and admission counselor to discuss their financial aid package. However, we do not do financial aid package appeals unless something has significantly changed in the family income. At that point the financial aid office will evaluate on a case by case basis. Merit aid comes from the admission office and need based aid (aid money based on your family income) is handled by the financial aid office. We will take outside scholarships and add those to your overall financial aid package.  https://admission.tulane.edu/tuition-aid ;Apr-01 at 06:17:21 pm
Apr 01, 18:18:25	justice_crawford -> TulaneSierra	Does Tulane accept IB Scores? Apr-01 at 06:14:23 pm
	TulaneSierra -> justice_crawford	Hi Justice, Tulane does accept IB scores. You can find more information here about AP and IB credits  https://admission.tulane.edu/academics/earning-college-credit/ap-ib-exams ;Apr-01 at 06:18:25 pm
Apr 01, 18:18:42	Parker -> TulaneJalin	In what ways is Tulane looking to expand diversity of the student body in the next upcoming years? Apr-01 at 06:13:27 pm

	TulaneJalin -> Parker	Hello Parker, at Tulane it is our mission to make our campus look more like the world around us. We accomplish this by working with community based organizations, our multicultural fly-in programs, our application workshops, and various other programs we host. Apr-01 at 06:18:42 pm
Apr 01, 18:19:16	justice_crawford -> TulaneSierra	When will applications for admission for Fall 2021 open? Apr-01 at 06:17:10 pm
	TulaneSierra -> justice_crawford	Hi Justice, Tulane is on the CommonApp and we have our own Tulane application, both open Aug 1st. Apr-01 at 06:19:15 pm
Apr 01, 18:20:52	ronni -> TulaneJalin	What are some activities you would recommend for first-year students of color that could help them engage with their respective communities? Apr-01 at 06:17:02 pm
	TulaneJalin -> ronni	I would recommend familiarizing yourself with Center for Intercultural Life, the Center for Academic Equity, attending the activities expo at the beginning of each semester and joining affinity groups that are connected to your identities. Apr-01 at 06:20:52 pm
Apr 01, 18:22:44	Parker -> TulaneRep	Is it true that New Orleans as a city is very welcoming of LGBTQA+ community? Is there any worry to go out into the city expressing your sexuality? Apr-01 at 06:16:02 pm
	TulaneRep -> Parker	Hi Parker, New Orleans does have a very large and active LGBTQA+ community. There are several ways to connect and get involved in the LGBTQA+ community in New Orleans. There is the New Orleans LGBTQA+ Community Center, there is a LGBTQA+ history tour that our LGBTQA+ student organizations organize a group of Tulane students going on. This link can give you a good insight into what LGBTQ life is like in New Orleans: https://www.neworleans.com/things-to-do/lgbt/ We partner with many of the LGBTQA+ organizations in the city to connect students too. We encourage students to always be aware that any space can become an unsafe space and to always navigate new spaces with a buddy/friend and let folks know where you are going and go as a group. Apr-01 at 06:22:44 pm
Apr 01, 18:23:29	Rodger -> TulanePaula	I read online about the Center for Academic Equity. I'll be the first in my family to go to school. Can you tell me what they do to help people like me? Apr-01 at 06:19:38 pm
	TulanePaula -> Rodger	Hello Rodger, Congratulations on being the first in your family to attend college. I am also a former first-gen student! Tulane has a proud community of students, faculty, and staff who shared that identity and are working to support current students. CAE offers the Summer Experience bridge program free of cost which offers 8 credits during the summer before your first year, a mentoring program for the first semester, first-gen meet-ups which provide information about campus and external resources over dinners together, an opportunity to gain additional tuition and enrichment dollars through scholarship search, a first

		gen emergency fund, and so much more! Let me know if you have specifics about how we can support your journey at Tulane. Apr-01 at 06:23:29 pm
Apr 01, 18:25:43	Indigo_Emanuel -> TulaneRep	Hello! My name is Indigo and I wanted to know if there were any RLC's (Residential Learning Communities) geared towards black students. Thank you! Apr-01 at 06:22:03 pm
	TulaneRep -> Indigo_Emanuel	Hi Indigo. We offer an RLC called Kaleidoscope that is for students seeking to live in an inclusive community focused on social justice issues. It's the most diverse RLC on campus. Here's more info  https://intercultural.tulane.edu/content/kaleidoscope-residential-learning-community ; Apr-01 at 06:25:43 pm
Apr 01, 18:25:46	mesha_:) -> TulaneJalin	are there any greek houses that are based solely on cultures ? Apr-01 at 06:23:37 pm
	TulaneJalin -> mesha_:)	Hello Mesha, we have some divine 9 organizations on campus including Alpha Phi Alpha, Alpha Kappa Alpha, and Delta Sigma Theta Apr-01 at 06:25:46 pm
Apr 01, 18:27:34	Kim -> TulaneTregon	Hi Everyone. My name is Kim. My son is interested in pursuing his education at Tulane. Could you tell me, why is Tulane a good place to study business? Apr-01 at 06:04:41 pm
	TulaneTregon -> Kim	Hi Kim. Being a current student at Tulane minoring in Management I can say that our Business School is one of the top in the country. Our recently built facility, Goldring Woldenberg Hall, houses the A.B. Freeman School of Business and includes a career planning office, state of the art study rooms, lecture halls, classrooms, a library, computer labs, and a \$2.5 million "trading" center. Several companies come to campus to interview business students, and there are networking events throughout the year in New York, New Orleans, Washington DC, Houston, and other cities around the country. We offer 5 Business majors include Management, Marketing, Finance, Legal Studies in Business, and various Master programs. Let me know if you have any other questions or concerns! Apr-01 at 06:27:34 pm
Apr 01, 18:27:35	TulaneRep -> Everyone	You can stay up to date with OGSD via our instagram  @ogsdtulane Apr-01 at 06:27:34 pm
Apr 01, 18:27:39	Dessie -> TulaneRula	Is Tulane competitive to get into? Apr-01 at 06:23:41 pm
	TulaneRula -> Dessie	Hello Dessie, Tulane is a selective university and our process is comprehensive as well, we consider all parts of your application:  https://admission.tulane.edu/apply , stay in contact with your admission counselor as well! Apr-01 at 06:27:39 pm
Apr 01, 18:28:18	mesha_:) -> TulaneJalin	also I have a question about the summer school. I am a spring admit and I want to catch up on credits. I wanted to know is it easy to make friends if I do go in the summer. Apr-01 at 06:24:57 pm
	TulaneJalin -> mesha_:)	Hello Mesha, you will definitely have the opportunity to

		meet and attend classes with current students if you take classes over the Summer. Apr-01 at 06:28:18 pm
Apr 01, 18:30:07	Rodger -> TulaneRula	What opportunities does Tulane offer students to visit campus? Apr-01 at 06:26:48 pm
	TulaneRula -> Rodger	Hello Rodger, students have the opportunity to visit campus for tours and right now we have virtual events you can access here: https://admission.tulane.edu/virtual-visiting ; Apr-01 at 06:30:07 pm
Apr 01, 18:30:19	Risbelle -> TulaneJalin	How can you express your deep interest in Tulane without having to apply early decision? Apr-01 at 06:26:35 pm
	TulaneJalin -> Risbelle	Hello Risbelle, there will be many opportunities over the Fall to demonstrate your interest. Visiting campus, attending your high school visit, applying to our Fall fly-in, and attending a Tulane information session in your area are great ways to show your interest. Apr-01 at 06:30:19 pm
Apr 01, 18:31:02	Risbelle -> TulaneSierra	How can you express deep interest in Tulane which out having to apply early decision? Apr-01 at 06:23:06 pm
	TulaneSierra -> Risbelle	Hi Risbelle, there are many ways you can demonstrate interest without applying ED. You can visit campus, attend an info session in your region, maybe an admission counselor visits your high school- attend that session, apply early action, complete the "optional" question on our application, participate in online chats and virtual sessions we are having https://admission.tulane.edu/virtual-visiting , and also checkout our directors Blog about demonstrated interest http://tuadmissionjeff.blogspot.com/ ; Apr-01 at 06:31:01 pm
Apr 01, 18:32:22	Rodger -> TulanePaula	College is expensive. I'm not sure I can afford it. What resources do you have to help students pay? Apr-01 at 06:27:53 pm
	TulanePaula -> Rodger	The Center for Academic Equity offers access to the Resource Lending Library which allows students to check out course-based learning tools they need to be successful. You can simply check out a textbook, calculator, etc. and return it at the end of the semester in good condition. The Undergraduate Student Government has a resource room with textbooks available to students in the library. Academic Learning and Tutoring offers all the textbooks for courses for which they offer tutoring. There are lots of ways for students to manage expenses associated with college supplies. Apr-01 at 06:32:21 pm
Apr 01, 18:32:31	Rodger -> TulaneSierra	I read Director Jeff Schiffman's blog about showing interest. How do I do that if I don't live in New Orleans? Do you visit me? I live in Chicago. Apr-01 at 06:29:28 pm
	TulaneSierra -> Rodger	Hi Rodger! Hope you are well in Chicago! there are many ways you can demonstrate interest without applying ED. You can visit campus, attend an info session in your region, maybe an admission counselor visits your high school- attend that session, apply early action, complete the "optional" question on our application, participate in online chats and virtual sessions we are having https://admission.tulane.edu/virtual-visiting , and also I would encourage you to reach out to your admission

		counselor Keith Stanford, 📧 https://admission.tulane.edu/meet-us ; Apr-01 at 06:32:31 pm
Apr 01, 18:33:52	Rodger -> TulaneJalin	Jalin it says in you attended Tulane. Why did you choose to come? Did you play rugby in high school? Apr-01 at 06:31:17 pm
	TulaneJalin -> Rodger	Hello Rodger, I was looking for a school outside of my comfort zone in an exciting city, and I was especially drawn to the academic flexibility. I mainly played football and ran track but would practice with my local rugby team so I knew I wanted to play in college. Apr-01 at 06:33:52 pm
Apr 01, 18:35:17	Maya -> TulaneCarolyn	Are non-students of color and faculty discriminatory against students of colors in class, clubs, etc. Apr-01 at 06:15:38 pm
	TulaneCarolyn -> Maya	Maya Like many institutions, there are some faculty who will say things to students of color and other underrepresented groups that are insensitive, offensive and/or even racist, but the institution has policies and procedures to address these issues. Students also have the ability to report these concerns to the university officials who will respond and take appropriate actions. Apr-01 at 06:35:17 pm
Apr 01, 18:36:13	Rodger -> TulaneSierra	What types of housing options are on-campus? Apr-01 at 06:33:54 pm
	TulaneSierra -> Rodger	Hi Rodger! We have a variety of housing options on campus. You can learn more about our housing options here 📧 https://housing.tulane.edu/housing-options ; Apr-01 at 06:36:13 pm
Apr 01, 18:36:38	Rodger -> TulaneJalin	I really want to go away to college, but my parents are more worried about me getting a job. Can you tell me how Tulane will help me get a job afterwards? Apr-01 at 06:32:39 pm
	TulaneJalin -> Rodger	Hello Rodger, Tulane provides a multitude of opportunities to start your job and internship search, we have career advisers on campus who will help you with your resume, interview skills, and applications. 📧 https://hiretulanegrads.tulane.edu/ ; Apr-01 at 06:36:38 pm
Apr 01, 18:37:28	Rodger -> TulaneTrejon	Do students go in the city? Is Tulane safe? Is it like TV? Apr-01 at 06:26:14 pm
	TulaneTrejon -> Rodger	Hi Rodger. Student do love to explore the city as the city does holds endless opportunities. Students love to do activities such as: go try different restaurants, go to the various festivals the city has to offer, and listen to live music. I would say most students tend to stay in Uptown New Orleans which is where our campus is situated. Making sure you have a group is always most important. Tulane is a very safe campus. We have our own police department known as TUPD that includes approximately 100 full- time commissioned police officers. TUPD patrols our campus, including a 1-mile radius in every direction, 24 hours a day and 365 days a year. We have more than 80 blue light emergency systems around campus, you must sign into residence halls with a student ID, and officers will safely escort you to your next location 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Tulane has a Gold

		Zone Shuttle service that runs from 6 PM to 3 AM and is also a safe escort option available to all students. Apr-01 at 06:37:28 pm
Apr 01, 18:37:29	mesha_:) -> TulaneRep	As a business major, what are some good clubs to join my freshman year? Apr-01 at 06:29:20 pm
	TulaneRep -> mesha_:)	Here is a listing of some of the student organizations at Freeman, https://freeman.tulane.edu/graduate-student-organizations . However, my advice would really depend on your interests and/or major. Apr-01 at 06:37:29 pm
Apr 01, 18:41:46	Indigo_Emanuel -> TulaneRep	Hello! My name is Indigo and I wanted to know if there were any RLC's (Residential Learning Communities) geared towards black students. Thank you! Apr-01 at 06:22:03 pm
	TulaneRep -> Indigo_Emanuel	<p>The RLC options are listed below, but they don't include a RLC geared specifically towards black students.</p> <p>Changemaker The Changemaker RLC inspires students to attain a changemaker mindset using tools such as empathy, optimism, questioning, and observation. Residents will develop their changemaking toolkit and apply those tools to understand problems on campus and in their own communities.</p> <p>Current CURRENT provides a place for first-year women to cultivate their interest in STEM fields- to energize their current- as they forge meaningful connections with one another and with faculty, staff, and alumnae.</p> <p>Health Wave The Health Wave RLC is a communal living opportunity focused on self-care, wellness, and public health. Students are encouraged to take care of themselves and their communities.</p> <p>Honors The Honors RLC embraces the ideal of scholarly engagement as a goal for all high-achieving students. Students are immersed in a collaborative, intellectual, and close-knit social community with a focus on academic enrichment and excellence.</p> <p>Kaleidoscope The Kaleidoscope experience is intended to apply a multidimensional model for developing cultural competence through dialogue and cultural trips. Our goal is to help students become critical thinkers who understand their attitudes, develop knowledge, and acquire skills through a comprehensive analysis of personal experiences, cultural perspectives, social interaction, and institutional systems in our society.</p> <p>Spark The Spark RLC brings together first-year women living in Josephine Louise hall to build and engage in creative, intellectual, and social justice communities at Tulane, in New Orleans, and beyond. Students engage in gender-</p>

		<p>focused programming and opportunities provided by the Newcomb Institute.</p> <p>Squad The Squad RLC is a leadership and teamwork community that explores how to be a Tulanian as understood through the lens of school pride. Through collaboration with the Athletics Department, students will have access to exclusive athletic events and guest speakers.</p> <p>Third Coast The Third Coast RLC convenes students who are curious about New Orleans and the Gulf South region to engage in dynamic place-based learning, inspired by the notion that the more students understand about where they are, they more they can participate in our community. Apr-01 at 06:41:46 pm</p>
Apr 01, 18:41:58	Rodger -> TulaneRula	If I want to go into the city, does Tulane have buses that take you? Apr-01 at 06:40:26 pm
	TulaneRula -> Rodger	Hey Rodger, yes! There are transportation opportunities here https://shuttles.tulane.edu/ ; Apr-01 at 06:41:58 pm
Apr 01, 18:42:07	Dessie -> TulaneSierra	I want to pursue a career in medicine, however I'm undecided about my major, and will I get shadowing hours from other medical professions? Apr-01 at 06:33:45 pm
	TulaneSierra -> Dessie	Hi Dessie, We have premed advisors that work with students who are interested in pursuing medicine. They will help you academically but can also help you find opportunities to shadow/volunteer/and do research. We also have our career center and pre med groups. I would advise you check out our pre-health advising page. https://advising.tulane.edu/pre-health/path ; Apr-01 at 06:42:07 pm
Apr 01, 18:42:12	Celeste -> TulaneJalin	I recently read an article about how one of tulane's fraternities turned one of their annual traditions into a message of hate towards the latinx/hispanic community. i was wondering how does tulane handle situations like these and protect its students of color from such acts? Apr-01 at 06:37:05 pm
	TulaneJalin -> Celeste	These incidents are taken extremely seriously by the Tulane administration. In fact, the Center for Academic was created as a result of a student organization sending list of demands to our administration. Our administration strives to make our campus a welcoming place for all of our students and is always willing to address student concerns. Apr-01 at 06:42:11 pm
Apr 01, 18:42:41	Parker -> TulaneTrejon	Hi!! I was wondering how does Tulane interact and embrace the New Orleans culture? Apr-01 at 06:12:18 pm
	TulaneTrejon -> Parker	Hi Parker! There are endless ways in which Tulane and it's student body embrace the New Orleans city and culture. I would suggest checking out this link that does an amazing job of thoroughly answering your question. https://tulane.edu/life-tulane ; Apr-01 at 06:42:41 pm
Apr 01, 18:43:16	Eman -> TulaneJalin	Is Tulane's Black Student Union an active club? I could only find events on their Instagram from the first semester,

		and I'd like to know if they're active during the second semester too. Apr-01 at 06:39:08 pm
	TulaneJalin -> Eman	Hello Eman, our BSU is an active organization on campus and is a great way to connect with the Black community on campus. Apr-01 at 06:43:16 pm
Apr 01, 18:43:17	Catherine -> TulaneCarolyn	Hello, my name is Catherine and I live in Mexico. I cross the border every day to study in California. Are there many Latinos/Latinas in Tulane? Apr-01 at 06:21:35 pm
	TulaneCarolyn -> Catherine	Catherine- Hispanic/ Latino/a students represent about 8.25 % of the Tulane student population - (both Undergraduate and graduate/professional students. Apr-01 at 06:43:17 pm
Apr 01, 18:44:14	Rodger -> TulaneRep	I want to study medicine, but I'm not sure what to major in. How competitive is the pre-med program? Can I still take classes in psychology? Apr-01 at 06:39:53 pm
	TulaneRep -> Rodger	Hi Rodger. You can major in anything and pursue a pre-health/pre-med track at Tulane. They will just recommend certain courses that will meet most medical school requirements and you will have access to a pre-health advisor who is amazing! You can definitely still take psychology. Here is some additional information.  https://advising.tulane.edu/pre-health/majors ;Apr-01 at 06:44:13 pm
Apr 01, 18:45:01	Rodger -> TulaneJalin	Are faculty approachable at Tulane? How do you find someone to work with? Apr-01 at 06:41:59 pm
	TulaneJalin -> Rodger	Hello Rdoger, because our average class size is 23, our professors are very easy to approach and they usually hold office hours 2-3 times a week. Apr-01 at 06:45:01 pm
Apr 01, 18:47:17	ronni -> TulaneTrejon	Would you say students feel safe on campus and that they won't be targeted because of their differences? Apr-01 at 06:12:58 pm
	TulaneTrejon -> ronni	Hi Ronni. Being an African-American male on campus I have never felt targeted by our police department (TUPD) when walking on or coming back to campus. Our campus life is very safe and comforting. TUPD patrols our campus, including a 1-mile radius in every direction, 24 hours a day and 365 days a year. We have more than 80 blue light emergency systems around campus, you must sign into residence halls with a student ID, and officers will safely escort you to your next location 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Apr-01 at 06:47:17 pm
Apr 01, 18:47:23	Risbelle -> TulaneRula	What do they look for in an applicant? Apr-01 at 06:44:22 pm
	TulaneRula -> Risbelle	Hello Risbelle, Tulane looks your application with your transcript in the context of your school, your scores, your personal essay, and your activities. We will have junior nights for tips and tricks you can learn about here:  https://admission.tulane.edu/virtual-visiting ;Apr-01 at 06:47:23 pm
Apr 01, 18:49:54	Rodger -> TulaneJalin	I like to be active, but I don't want to play varsity sports? What types of options are there? Apr-01 at 06:45:30 pm
	TulaneJalin -> Rodger	Hey Rodger, I recommend you consider club sports, club

		sports are a fun way to stay active, as they usually practice 2-3 times a week and play on the weekends. They also offer a community in the sense that most club sports hold social events in some manner, and there is often local travel involved. Intramural sports are also a great way to meet people on your freshman floor and play once a week in a casual environment. Apr-01 at 06:49:54 pm
Apr 01, 18:50:50	Celeste -> TulaneCarolyn	hello! i was wondering if there are any clubs or student associations based around latinx/hispanic culture? Apr-01 at 06:26:48 pm
	TulaneCarolyn -> Celeste	Celeste We have several Latin/Hispanic student orgs- GENTE is our undergraduate Latinx student organization. The organization is committed to contributing activities and events to the larger Tulane community in order to increase awareness of significant issues facing the Latinx community on and off campus. GENTE works to build a more interactive and aware environment on Tulane's campus. We accomplish this by planning, partnering and co-sponsoring events that hold a theme about issues that Hispanic people face or related subjects. GENTE plans several major events during the year to raise awareness about and celebrate our cultures. Apr-01 at 06:50:50 pm
Apr 01, 18:51:10	Rodger -> TulaneRula	Is Tulane a "political" campus? Apr-01 at 06:48:37 pm
	TulaneRula -> Rodger	Hello Rodger, Tulane is an active campus when it comes to civic engagement, students are involved in a number of different ways, and student government is also active: https://usg.tulane.edu/ ; Apr-01 at 06:51:10 pm
Apr 01, 18:52:17	Rodger -> TulaneSierra	Do a lot of students go to graduate school? Can I stay at Tulane? Apr-01 at 06:47:58 pm
	TulaneSierra -> Rodger	Hi Rodger, about 20% of student go to grad school. You can absolutely stay at Tulane, we have various 4+1 programs, a law school, a med school and PhD programs Apr-01 at 06:52:17 pm
Apr 01, 18:53:32	Rodger -> TulaneRula	I tried to visit campus, but at the moment there aren't any opportunities right now. How do you suggest I see campus? Apr-01 at 06:52:40 pm
	TulaneRula -> Rodger	Hello Rodger, at the moment, we are doing virtual visits and tours you can learn about here https://admission.tulane.edu/virtual-visiting ; Apr-01 at 06:53:32 pm
Apr 01, 18:54:01	Kallie -> TulaneCarolyn	Does Tulane have any groups, dorms, or events that are focused towards Native American culture? Apr-01 at 06:42:24 pm
	TulaneCarolyn -> Kallie	Kallie- We are currently working with a number of students to launch the first Indigenous student organization this fall. Apr-01 at 06:54:01 pm
Apr 01, 18:54:27	Ann -> TulaneJalin	I am coming from a school that is 96% students of color what's the best way for me to get connected and involved on campus? Apr-01 at 06:51:54 pm
	TulaneJalin -> Ann	Hello Ann, I recommend you attend the activities expos that we hold at the beginning of every semester. 200+ clubs and organizations will be there and you can find something of interest to you! Apr-01 at 06:54:26 pm

Apr 01, 18:56:39	MattM -> TulaneTrejon	Hi my name is Matt, I'm interested in majoring in business. How many companies come to Tulane to recruit for jobs in the Northeast and the West coast and what percentage of your business graduates wind up working in these locations? Apr-01 at 06:31:34 pm
	TulaneTrejon -> MattM	Hey Matt. While I don't have a specific number, having been to a few of the business networking events since lots of our student body comes from the West coast and Northeast, there are a lot of companies from those areas. Several companies come to campus to interview business students, and there are networking events throughout the year in New York, New Orleans, Washington DC, Houston, and other cities around the country. Apr-01 at 06:56:39 pm
Apr 01, 19:00:30	TulaneSierra -> Everyone	Hello! Just wanted to let everyone know we have 30 mins left in the chat. Please feel free to ask as many questions as you'd like, about any topic! Apr-01 at 07:00:30 pm
	Abby -> TulaneRula	I am interested in art and economics, is there a way to study both? Apr-01 at 07:01:23 pm
Apr 01, 19:02:32	TulaneRula -> Abby	Hello Abby, there most definitely is, and you can consider our altman program as well here: https://admission.tulane.edu/academics/majors-minors ; Apr-01 at 07:02:32 pm
	Abby -> TulaneRula	What do I need to submit in addition to the application? Apr-01 at 06:58:45 pm
Apr 01, 19:03:22	TulaneRula -> Abby	Hello Abby, your transcript, personal essay, test scores, letter of recs and make sure to attend one of our tips and tricks junior nights: you can learn about here: https://admission.tulane.edu/virtual-visiting ; Apr-01 at 07:03:22 pm
	Jaime -> TulaneTrejon	Hi, my name is Jaime. I'm from Miami. I want to ask about the Hispanic population at Tulane and if there are any organizations that support it. Apr-01 at 06:37:34 pm
Apr 01, 19:03:45	TulaneTrejon -> Jaime	Hi Jamie! GENTE is our main LatinX community organization on campus. It is a thriving and active organization on campus that many of my friends and peers are in. GENTE hosts a variety of events throughout the academic year. Check out this link to learn more about the organization! https://tulane.campuslabs.com/engage/organization/tulane-university-gente ; Apr-01 at 07:03:45 pm
	Rodger -> TulaneCarolyn	How has Tulane changed over the past 10 years? Apr-01 at 06:36:42 pm
Apr 01, 19:04:43	TulaneCarolyn -> Rodger	Rodger - I've seen a lot of change at Tulane during my tenure, but I will say that in the last five to six years under the new administration led by President Fitts, there have been several strategic measures taken to increase the diversity of our student, faculty and staff populations, to diversity our curriculum and to create a more welcoming and inclusive campus. We are not there yet, but have made great strides and will continue to work diligently address these issues. Apr-01 at 07:04:42 pm
Apr 01, 19:05:01	Rodger -> TulaneJalin	What criteria does Tulane use to admit students? Apr-01 at 06:58:26 pm

	TulaneJalin -> Rodger	Hello Rodger, we look at GPA, test scores, resume, letters of recommendation, and writing samples (personal statement, "optional" Why Tulane essay). Tulane also tracks demonstrated interest, or how often a student engages with the university when given the opportunity in their home region or in New Orleans. Apr-01 at 07:05:01 pm
Apr 01, 19:06:06	Rodger -> TulaneRula	Does Tulane accept IB classes? Can I test out of some of the required classes? Apr-01 at 07:00:45 pm
	TulaneRula -> Rodger	Hello Rodger, Tulane does accept IB classes and you can use the scores for some classes you can learn about here: https://admission.tulane.edu/academics/earning-college-credit ; Apr-01 at 07:06:05 pm
Apr 01, 19:06:43	kiki -> TulaneSierra	I'm going to a small charter school and my graduating class will probably be about 25 students. What's it like at a school that is this big? Apr-01 at 06:58:54 pm
	TulaneSierra -> kiki	Hey kiki! We have a variety of support for students who need some help transitioning from a small high school to a larger school. But Tulane is a nice balance, it is around 7500 undergrad students, our average class size is 23 students and our student to faculty ratio is 8:1, so we still feel small and have the resources to allow students to have small classroom experiences. Apr-01 at 07:06:43 pm
Apr 01, 19:07:25	Indigo_Emanuel -> TulaneTrejon	Hello. I had a question about the School of Professional Advancement. Would I be able to take the Information Technology major (or any major for that matter) at that school as an incoming freshman? Thank you. Apr-01 at 06:31:00 pm
	TulaneTrejon -> Indigo_Emanuel	Yes you would be! Check out this link to learned more about SOPA (School of Professional Advancement) https://sopa.tulane.edu ; Apr-01 at 07:07:25 pm
Apr 01, 19:07:27	Eman -> TulaneJalin	what are the mental health resources like at Tulane? Apr-01 at 07:00:28 pm
	TulaneJalin -> Eman	Hey Eman, we have a counseling and professional services center on campus that gives a student ~12~ sessions a semester and connects students with mental health professionals in the city of New Orleans. https://campushealth.tulane.edu/caps ; Apr-01 at 07:07:27 pm
Apr 01, 19:08:58	Rodger -> TulaneJalin	Does Tulane have a maker space? If so do you have to pay to use it? What equipment, etc? Apr-01 at 07:02:00 pm
	TulaneJalin -> Rodger	Hey Rodger, I am actually a member of the MakerSpace on campus! It is free to use for Tulane students and has 3D printers, laser cutters, a CNC mill, water jet cutter, and many other woodworking and metal shop staples. Apr-01 at 07:08:58 pm
Apr 01, 19:12:37	Maya -> TulaneCarolyn	Are non-students of color and faculty discriminatory against students of color specifically black students in class, clubs. Apr-01 at 06:34:04 pm
	TulaneCarolyn -> Maya	Maya- Like many institutions , there will always be faculty and staff who will say things to students of color or other underrepresented groups that are insensitive, offensive and even racist. The institution values diversity and has specific policies and procedures to address these concerns. Students can report these incidents through our

		bias reporting system known as the Concerns Report that goes directly to university officials who will respond and take appropriate actions. Apr-01 at 07:12:37 pm
Apr 01, 19:12:50	Abby -> TulaneSierra	Do students eat on campus often? Is the food good? Apr-01 at 07:09:04 pm
	TulaneSierra -> Abby	Hi Abby! Students do eat on campus often. We have a brand new 2 story dining hall called The Commons, its an all you can eat buffet, the stations change daily and it's really good! But students also can eat in our LBC food court, we have several PJ coffee shops on campus as well as a small store. But if you're the type of student that likes to cook, there are kitchens in all of our dining halls, where you can make your own delicious food! Apr-01 at 07:12:50 pm
Apr 01, 19:15:31	Ann -> TulaneTrejon	What is it like to be a student of color on campus? Apr-01 at 06:49:13 pm
	TulaneTrejon -> Ann	Hi Ann to answer both of your questions... Being an African American male from Los Angeles and coming to Tulane, I can acknowledge there are some improvements needed on campus regarding diversity in the student body. As you probably already know Tulane is a PWI (Predominantly White Institution), as are most colleges and universities in America. So yes (talking from experience) there will be times where you could be the only person of color in your class. But that is ok. Do not let that stop you from pursuing your pathways to success and navigating campus. I can proudly say that one of the reasons I came to Tulane was because I felt like the Tulane community and Admission office really cared about the issue of Diversity and were taking initiatives to combat the lack of it on our campus. A big part of why I work in Admissions is to assist in recruiting more students of color and underrepresented communities to Tulane. Diversity is something that is changing on college campuses everywhere. Tulane has made leaps and bounds in terms of our diversity recruitment over the past few years, but we are not done yet. New Orleans is such a diverse community of individuals and we want our campus to reflect that as well. We aim to improve all kinds of diversity, meaning that we want our university admission process to reflect the changing pool of prospective students. Now more than ever before we are welcoming students of color, first generation college students, gender non-conforming students, and more. Our students of color on campus are very connected and we have a lot of support systems. There are tons of diversity-related offices and organizations on campus. The Office of Multicultural Affairs (OMA) and the Office for Gender and Sexual Diversity (OGSD), known together as The "O", serves as the hub of diverse cultural, social, and intellectual life at Tulane University. We want to create an academic community with an array of viewpoints, experiences, and cultures. Tulane's Center for Academic Equity is also a great resource that serves all self-identified underrepresented or non-traditional students. Apr-01 at 07:15:31 pm

Apr 01, 19:15:57	TulaneSierra -> Everyone	There is 15 more minutes to ask your questions! Apr-01 at 07:15:57 pm
Apr 01, 19:16:25	Rodger -> TulaneJalin	How do students get a job on-campus? What is work study and do you have to have it to get a job? Apr-01 at 07:06:20 pm
	TulaneJalin -> Rodger	Many offices on campus, from housing to campus recreation hire current students with or without work study. Work study is a federal program that allots federal funds to pay students who work on campus. Work study, if allotted, will show up in your financial aid package. Apr-01 at 07:16:25 pm
Apr 01, 19:16:35	William -> TulaneRula	Hi, my name is William. I'm from Florida. What is the Latinx/Hispanic community like in the broader New Orleans area? Apr-01 at 07:05:25 pm
	TulaneRula -> William	Hello William, New Orleans has a sizeable Latinx community and it is pretty engaged as well. There are a number of different ways to get involved with the community you can learn about here and these student organizations are involved in the community as well: https://intercultural.tulane.edu/ ; Apr-01 at 07:16:35 pm
Apr 01, 19:17:55	kiki -> TulaneTrejon	I'm really interested in research. Is that something I can do, or do I have to wait till I graduate? Apr-01 at 06:59:33 pm
	TulaneTrejon -> kiki	Hi Kiki! Check out this link to learn more about research at Tulane, which is very popular amongst our student body. https://tulane.edu/research-tulane ; Apr-01 at 07:17:55 pm
Apr 01, 19:19:52	Catherine -> TulaneRula	What percentage of students graduate in 4 years at Tulane University? In average, how long does it take for Tulane students to graduate? Apr-01 at 07:12:45 pm
	TulaneRula -> Catherine	Hello Catherine, most Tulane students graduate within 4 years and our retention rate from year to year is right here and you can learn about resources as well: https://www.collegefactual.com/colleges/tulane-university-of-louisiana/academic-life/graduation-and-retention/ ; Apr-01 at 07:19:52 pm
Apr 01, 19:21:17	Renee -> TulaneCarolyn	I am a parent that submitted a question regarding the racial demographics early on this chat and my question has been overlooked. What are the racial demographics breakdown of Tulane? I would particularly like to know the percentage of Asian, African American, and Latino students. Thank you in advance for your response. Apr-01 at 07:06:58 pm
	TulaneCarolyn -> Renee	Renee The racial demographics of our student body are as follows : (Per Registrar Office- of both undergraduate, graduate and professional students)- Asians- 6.34%, Blacks or African Americans- 9.04%, Hispanic/Latino/a- 8.24%, Biracial/Multiracial- 3.95%, Native Americans- 0.24% Apr-01 at 07:21:17 pm
Apr 01, 19:22:41	Abby -> TulaneRula	Can you tell me about Tulane's computer science program? Do they teach programming? Apr-01 at 07:14:43 pm
	TulaneRula -> Abby	Hello Abby, Tulane's computer science program does

		teach programming as it is essential to computer science and there will also be an event for our STEM students as well https://sse.tulane.edu/cs ; Apr-01 at 07:22:41 pm
Apr 01, 19:22:50	Rodger -> TulaneJalin	Where do students go if they get sick? Is it expensive to get help? Apr-01 at 07:16:49 pm
	TulaneJalin -> Rodger	Hey Rodger, we have a health center on campus that students can use as a pharmacy and go if they are feeling ill. Students have the option of using the Tulane provided insurance or their personal insurance upon enrollment. https://campushealth.tulane.edu/ ; Apr-01 at 07:22:50 pm
Apr 01, 19:23:13	TulaneRula -> Everyone	It was so nice talking to yall tonight, I hope you're staying healthy and safe. Thank you for spending your evening with us! Apr-01 at 07:23:13 pm
Apr 01, 19:23:37	Rodger -> TulaneSierra	If I struggle with my academics what resources are there to help me? What if I have an IEP? Apr-01 at 07:14:50 pm
	TulaneSierra -> Rodger	Hi Rodger! We have a variety of service to support students academically. Our Office of Student success provides anything from academic advising, tutoring, to success coaching. There is also the Center for Academic Equity, who provides academic support and exploration to students of color, first generation college students, DACA and undocumented, college track and Posse students . But our Goldman Center for Student Accessibility supports students who had an IEP in high school Apr-01 at 07:23:37 pm
Apr 01, 19:23:49	Abby -> TulaneCarolyn	Is there an organization for Caribbean students? Apr-01 at 07:04:03 pm
	TulaneCarolyn -> Abby	Abby - We currently do not have a Caribbean student org, but if you find nine or more students interested once you get here, we can help you get one started. Thanks! Apr-01 at 07:23:49 pm
Apr 01, 19:24:02	TulaneRep -> Everyone	If you would like to know more about the Office for Gender & Sexual Diversity visit: https://intercultural.tulane.edu/ogsd or follow us on instagram at https://www.instagram.com/ogsdtulane/ . You can also email me at ppeterson@tulane.edu . Great chatting with everyone! Apr-01 at 07:24:02 pm
Apr 01, 19:24:29	TulaneJalin -> Everyone	Good evening to you all! It has been a pleasure chatting with everyone and remember to stay inside and be safe! Feel free to email me with any additional questions at jcarte11@tulane.edu Apr-01 at 07:24:29 pm
Apr 01, 19:24:30	Abby -> TulaneSierra	Is chemistry a popular study at Tulane? Apr-01 at 07:20:15 pm
	TulaneSierra -> Abby	Hi Abby! Chemistry is a popular major! Apr-01 at 07:24:30 pm
Apr 01, 19:24:40	TulanePaula -> Everyone	Thank you for taking the time out of your schedule to chat with us. You can find more information about the center for academic equity at https://academic-equity.tulane.edu/ . You can also email me at pbooke@tulane.edu . Be well! Apr-01 at 07:24:40 pm
Apr 01, 19:27:38	Rodger -> TulaneTrejon	How Louisiana is Tulane? I'm coming from far away and

		want to experience Tulane and Louisiana, but also don't want to be overwhelmed by a single place Apr-01 at 06:23:34 pm
	TulaneTrejon -> Rodger	Hi Rodger! Check out this link to learn more about the ways in which Tulane and New Orleans are intertwined. We like to say that when you arrive to campus, you'll realize that Tulane is as much a part of New Orleans as New Orleans is a part of Tulane. https://tulane.edu/life-tulane ; Apr-01 at 07:27:38 pm
Apr 01, 19:28:25	TulaneTrejon -> Everyone	Thank you guys for all your amazing questions! Have a great night. Take care. Apr-01 at 07:28:25 pm
Apr 01, 19:28:46	TulaneSierra -> Everyone	It was great chatting with all of you tonight. I hope all of you have a great night, stay safe and healthy!! I would encourage all of you to check out our other virtual events for the month of April, admission.tulane.edu . If you ever have more questions you can reach out to me at scason@tulane.edu Apr-01 at 07:28:45 pm