

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT SUPPORT RESOURCE CARD



Student Support and Advocacy

PMA STUDENT PROGRAMS OFFICE

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The SPO provides overall student support and advocacy for the Division. We are here for your personal wellbeing, put on programs, consult on challenging situations, help you navigate sensitive conversations with faculty, etc. If you need support in these areas, or are unsure about who to seek out, contact us.



Department Concerns

EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

Astronomy: Andrew Howard, ahoward@caltech.edu

Math: Tom Graber, graber@caltech.edu

Physics: David Hsieh, dhsieh@caltech.edu

The Executive Officer oversees the administration and affairs of your department. You may seek EOs out for individual support and for option-wide concerns.



Academic Advising

UNDERGRADUATE DEANS' OFFICE

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YOUR FACULTY OPTION ADVISER

UNDERGRADUATE OPTION REPRESENTATIVES

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Math: Elena Mantovan, mantovan@caltech.edu

Physics: Jason Alicea, aliceaj@caltech.edu

The UG Deans are available to discuss academic concerns, personal well-being, community issues, or plans after Caltech. Your option adviser can provide guidance on courses, research opportunities, and career planning. The UG Option Rep is available to address questions about academic policy, substitutions for option requirements, and leads on research (i.e., who is doing research related your interest) for SURF, work-study, or other opportunities.



Discrimination and Harassment

EQUITY AND TITLE IX OFFICE

<https://titleix.caltech.edu/>

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Equity & Title IX addresses issues of unlawful discrimination and harassment on the basis of race, national origin, ethnicity, sex, pregnancy, gender, gender identity, gender expression, sexual orientation, and other individual characteristics protected by federal and state law. Unlawful discrimination and harassment encompass racial harassment, sexual and gender-based harassment, and sexual misconduct. *You may always go to Nam Ung or your EO for confidential guidance.*



Peer Support and Involvement

Undergraduate Student Advisory Board: Nam & Belen

Gender Minorities and Women* in PMA (GWiPMA): Katelyn Horstman (khorstma@astro.caltech.edu) & Isabel Sands (isands@caltech.edu)

Math Club: Brian Yang (bbyang@caltech.edu)

Physics Club: Nachiket Bhanushali (nbhanush@caltech.edu) & Vibha Padmanabhan (vibha@caltech.edu)

PMA houses a number of student organizations that provide programming, education, and engagement.

Are you still unsure? Contact a member of the Student Programs Office listed above.



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