

Special Interest House Application

2022-2023

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Important:

- **Legacy Houses:**
 - Special Interest House Advisers listed on the Legacy House [list](#) will be sent a **Housing Application Code**. This code should be given to the group leader. The code will give the group access to complete the Special Interest House Application.
 - **PATH Credit:**
 - Groups currently living in SIH Legacy houses must have an average of 8 PATH credit/person.
 - Groups planning to live in the house for 2022-2023 must have an average of 8 PATH credit/person.
- There is no revision period for applications. Once you submit your application it will either be approved or denied. Groups should share their application with their Adviser.
- General interest groups will be assigned based on their PATH credit and the preferences identified in their application.

Timeline

December 10, 2021	Last day to earn PATH credit
January 14, 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Groups interested in becoming a Legacy House, please review the Application for Legacy House information and submit a proposal to housing@udayton.edu.
January 17, 2022	Special Interest Housing Application Opens <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Special Interest Housing application opens on myHousing Portal: myhousing.udayton.edu/starrezportalx- Legacy House Advisers will have an access code for group leader to use to complete the Special Interest House application- General Special Interest Housing groups will complete the application. If the group is approved, the group will be assigned to a property based on their PATH credit.
January 28, 2022	All applications must be completed and submitted online by 4:30 pm.
February 24, 2022	Groups will be informed of their Special Interest Housing assignment.
March 1, 2022	Groups must accept or decline their housing assignment.

Application Information

We recommend writing out your responses on a document prior to the application dates. Share a copy of your application with your adviser for review and feedback. When the portal myhousing.udayton.edu/starrezportalx opens on January 17, copy/paste your answers into the housing application.

GROUP NAME:

Your group name should reflect your group name, year, and group leader name.

Examples: Beta Theta Pi 2022 Christina Smith, Faith Vocation & Leadership 2022 Christina Smith

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP INTENT & PURPOSE:

Statement of Intent & Purpose: Describe the theme or purpose of your Special Interest group in 3 sentences or less.

University of Dayton Commitment to Community: Describe how your group's interests align with one or more of the **three principles** of the University of Dayton's Commitment to Community in 3 sentences or less.

SMART Goal:

Each Special Interest House will ***develop one SMART goal***. The SMART goal will connect the group's purpose with one of the three [HRL Learning Goals: Authorship, Interculturalism, or Community Living](#).

SMART goals are Specific, Measurable, Attainable, Realistic, and Timely. Your group will be required to complete the SMART goal in the Fall and Spring. Groups will present their goal and their work towards their goal in their district Community Building Meeting or community connected event.

SMART GOAL:

- **SMART GOAL:** State your SMART goal
- **HRL Learning Goals:** Identify which of the HRL Learning Goals you have chosen.
- **Describe how your goal connects to the HRL Learning Goal and your group purpose:** Describe why you chose the HRL Learning Goal and how it relates to your group's intent and purpose in 3 sentences or less.
- **Commitment to Community:** Identify which of the C2C Principles or Habits you have chosen.
- **Describe how your goal connects with the Commitment to Community and your group your purpose:** Describe why you chose the C2C Principle or Habit and how it relates to your group's intent and purpose in 3 sentences or less.
- **Achieve:**
 - Describe what you are hoping your group and others in your community will learn from your work on this goal.
 - Describe how you will know you have met your goal.
 - What might you need to do differently to accomplish your goal in the spring?

Online Resources:

[University of Dayton Commitment to Community](#)

[Vision for Residential Learning](#): Housing and Residence Life Learning Goals

Writing SMART Goals Online Workshop: For more information on how to write effective SMART goals, please view the [online learning workshop on SMART goals](#).

ADVISER:

Adviser Name: Please provide the name for your University employed adviser.

Adviser Phone Number: Please provide the University phone number for your adviser.

Adviser Email Address: Please provide the University email address for your adviser.

Role of the Adviser: Advisers are integral to the success of your house. Describe the role your adviser(s) will play in your Special Interest house.

Communication: Identify the methods and frequency with which your group will communicate with your adviser.