

MASSACHUSETTS COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

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MISSION

MCLA promotes excellence in learning and teaching, innovative scholarship, intellectual creativity, public service, applied knowledge, and active and responsible citizenship. MCLA prepares its graduates to be practical problem solvers and engaged, resilient global citizens.

HUMANITIES EXPERTISE

MCLA actively endeavor to recruit and retain diverse students, faculty, and staff. While fostering meaningful dialogue both in and out of the classroom in order to encourage critical awareness and respect for similarities and differences. MCLA's inclusive education and informed pedagogy reflect and draw from the knowledge and empowerment of all individuals and the diverse groups that make up our college community. While critically addressing the dynamics of inequality, exposing ways in which privilege and oppression are produced and maintained over time in society.

CONTACT

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HUMANITIES RESOURCES & PROJECTS

PROGRAMS

- Campus Conversation on Race: The goal of the dialogues is to bring about intimate discussions and awareness on race unity or any other social issue that arise on campuses across America.
- Women's Center: Provide workshops and educational activities and programs to support students' critical thinking, understanding of social change options and methods and personal empowerment
- Multicultural Resource Center: encourages cross-cultural relations, student empowerment, and leadership especially for ALANA, international, and veteran students. Connecting students with successful peers, faculty, and community members helps students envision and realize their goals.
- Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Task Force:
 MCLA strives to integrate topics of diversity
 in the curricular, co-curricular, residential,
 and work life of the MCLA community. In so
 doing, MCLA works towards collaboration
 and purposeful engagement to achieve social
 justice on campus and in the wider
 community.

EVENTS

Upcoming events such as art openings, workshops, and lectures are available online

RESOURCES & EXISTING COLLABORATIONS

Community Collaborations: include
 Berkshire Compact for Education, Berkshire
 STEM pipeline, Berkshire Cultural Resource
 Center, and the Berkshire Environmental
 Resource Center