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Friends of the LGBT* Center,

Happy New Year! We hope that you all are enjoying a smooth transition into the new semester. Please take a look at some of our beginning of the year announcements for Safe Zone Ally training and events, as well as information about the **two LGBTQ scholarships** available. Stay on the lookout for more information to come about our upcoming events, such as the full calendar for LGBT(ea) Times!

A graphic with a dark blue background and a light blue horizontal band across the middle. At the top, a large white circle contains the text "APPLY FOR AN LGBTQ+ SCHOLARSHIP!" in bold white letters. Below the circle, the text "Applications due Jan. 15" is written in white. The graphic is divided into two columns by a vertical line. The left column is titled "LGBTQIA MERIT SCHOLARSHIP \$500+" and lists eligibility criteria. The right column is titled "RAINBOW FUND SCHOLARSHIP \$1,000+" and lists its eligibility criteria. At the bottom, a white rounded rectangle contains the URL "lgbt.uni.edu/scholarships".

APPLY FOR AN LGBTQ+ SCHOLARSHIP!
Applications due Jan. 15

LGBTQIA MERIT SCHOLARSHIP \$500+
ELIGIBILITY

- sophomore-senior
- 2.5 GPA or higher
- active in or identify with LGBTQ+ community
- member of UNI PROUD
- essay required

RAINBOW FUND SCHOLARSHIP \$1,000+
ELIGIBILITY

- sophomore-senior
- 2.5 GPA or higher
- active in or identify with LGBTQ+ community
- essay required

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[LGBTQIA Merit Scholarship](#) | [Rainbow Fund Scholarship](#)

JOIN US FOR AN OPEN FORUM TO DISCUSS LGBTQ+ ON-CAMPUS HOUSING

Tuesday, January 16th

7:00PM-9:00PM

Maucker Union

Central Ballroom AB

Light refreshments
will be provided.



Northern Iowa Student Government, UNI PROUD, and Northern Iowa Feminists are hosting an open forum on LGBTQ+ on-campus housing. NISG has formed a task force to propose an LGBTQ+ Living Learning Community here on UNI's campus and they want to hear what an ideal living community looks like to our students. If you are a person with a disability who requires an accommodation in order to participate in this program, please contact Emmett Cory at emmett@uni.edu.

Sign up for our
Safe Zone Ally
dates at
[lgbt.uni.edu/
safe-zone](http://lgbt.uni.edu/safe-zone)



PHASE ONE DATES

January 29, 1-2:30 PM

February 6, 3:30-5 PM

March 5, 9:30-11 AM

April 4, 12:30-2 PM

PHASE TWO DATES

January 29, 3-5 PM

February 8, 3-5 PM

March 7, 9:30-11:30 AM

April 4, 3-5 PM

locations are on our website

looking for support?

DIRECT SUPPORT FROM STAFF
QUEER PEER MENTORING
STUDENT GENDER SUPPORT GROUP
REFERRALS TO ON & OFF-CAMPUS RESOURCES

e-mail lgbt@uni.edu to get started!

Other Announcements

- The first LGBT(ea) Time of the year is a Q&A discussion with students talking about their experiences with LGBTQ+ identities and disabilities. It will take place January 22nd at 2 PM in the LGBT* Center.
- Student Wellness Services now offers Wellness Coaching, which is a free and confidential service available to UNI students that provides opportunities to explore personal strengths and apply them to goals. For more information or to sign up, visit [this website](#).
- One Iowa is hosting a Speakers Bureau Training on January 20th at 10 AM at Threehouse, [2422 College Street](#). To register for free, visit [this website](#).
- If you are a student and interested in attending One Iowa's upcoming 6th Annual LGBTQ Health & Wellness Conference on February 24th in Des Moines, please e-mail us for more information! The LGBT* Center may sponsor attendance if there are enough students interested.

Stay connected with the UNI LGBT* Center



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