South Side College and Career Catalyst Program

The South Side College and Career Catalyst program (C3) at the University of Chicago provides first generation, low-income, or underrepresented Chicago public high school students from the South Side with year-round college and career exploration activities and educational opportunities to prepare them for academic and career success. The program, led by the college and career readiness team at the University’s Office of Civic Engagement, carries on a proud legacy, building on college readiness programming the University of Chicago has offered to South Side Chicago public high school students for more than 50 years.

WHO WE SERVE
• 9th- to 12th-grade students
• Priority given to low-income or first-generation college students who live or attend a public high school, including charter schools, in one of the following South Side communities:
  - Douglas
  - Grand Boulevard
  - Greater Grand Crossing
  - Hyde Park
  - Kenwood
  - Oakland
  - South Shore
  - Washington Park
  - Woodlawn

FOR MORE INFORMATION
Questions about the C3 program? Email uccatalyst@uchicago.edu or call 773-702-8288.

Sign up for the Office of Civic Engagement’s mailing list at civicengagement.uchicago.edu for the latest on college and career readiness programming and events.