

LGBT  
History  
Month  
October 2020



# LSU SVM CELEBRATES LGBTQ+ HISTORY MONTH

THIS MONTH, WE RECOGNIZE THE MANY WAYS THAT **LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL, AND TRANSGENDER** PEOPLE HAVE POSITIVELY SHAPED OUR SOCIETY.

**LGBTQ+ IDENTITIES** HAVE BEEN AROUND FOR AS LONG AS HUMANS HAVE, BUT HISTORY BOOKS TEND TO TURN A BLIND EYE OR DELIBERATELY ERASE LGBTQ+ PEOPLE'S EXISTENCE AND CONTRIBUTIONS.

FOR EXAMPLE, DID YOU KNOW THAT ONE OF MLK'S CLOSEST ADVISORS, *BAYARD RUSTIN*, WAS OPENLY GAY?

OR THAT MODERN DAY PRIDE CELEBRATIONS STARTED AS RIOTS LED BY A GROUP OF *TRANS WOMEN*?

**WANT TO GET INVOLVED WITH THE QUEER COMMUNITY AT LSU SVM?**

Reach out to our PrideVMC Representative, Max Veenema  
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**MORE INFORMATION @ [WWW.LGBTHISTORYMONTH.COM](http://WWW.LGBTHISTORYMONTH.COM)**

# On Friday, we will be passing out free stickers outside of Student Affairs.

(while supplies last)

Look out for information regarding LGBT Trivia later this month!



Contact [SVMDiversity@lsu.edu](mailto:SVMDiversity@lsu.edu) for more information.

