

# PRIDE MONTH

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## The Stonewall Riots started it all.

Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer (LGBTQ) Pride Month is currently celebrated each year in the month of June to honor the 1969 Stonewall Uprising in Manhattan.



## Marsha P. Johnson

Marsha P. Johnson was an activist, self-identified drag queen, performer, and survivor. She was a prominent figure in the Stonewall uprising. Her forthright nature and enduring strength led her to speak out against injustices. June 28, 1969, at the Stonewall Inn on Christopher Street, things turned violent after members of the LGBTQ community were harassed by the NYPD sixth precinct. Many eyewitnesses have identified Marsha as one of the main instigators of the uprising and thus, some have recognized her as the vanguard of the gay liberation movement in the United States.

## LGBTQIA+ issues in higher education

- What LGBTQIA+ services does your campus provide?
- Are your staff members trained to create a safe space for students?
- Do your admissions documents use inclusive language? i.e. asking for chosen name and pronouns



## There are lots of ways to learn more about LGBTQIA+ issues and stories

Pride is just one of them! You can continue championing LGBTQIA+ rights during LGBT History Month, International Transgender Day of Visibility, National Coming Out Day, and beyond!

### Watch

- Paris Is Burning
- The Death and Life of Marsha P. Johnson
- POSE
- Moonlight
- Two-Spirit:  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A4lBibGzUnE>

### Read

- [Help LGBTQ+ and Black Ukrainian Refugees](#)
- [Resource for LGBTQ+ Students](#)
- [Gender Neutral Pronouns](#)

### Listen

- [Making Gay History Podcast](#)
- [LGBTQ&A Podcast](#)
- [The Death and Life of Marsha P Johnson](#)