



UNIVERSITY
OF
LOUISIANA
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Your University
of Choice

 UL Lafayette is included in the *The Best 371 Colleges*, a guide published by The Princeton Review.

 Undergraduates can choose from over 100 academic majors, options, and concentrations.

 UL Lafayette offers more than 150 campus-based clubs and organizations, plus a strong intramural sports program.

 UL Lafayette is home to over 16,000 students, including 1,500 graduate students.

 UL Lafayette's Honors Program has an enrollment of nearly 1,000 students.



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Something For Everyone

For over 100 years, the University of Louisiana at Lafayette has enjoyed a proud tradition of preparing students like you for the challenges of life and the ever-changing workplace. We offer strong academic programs and personal enrichment opportunities in a friendly, comfortable, student-centered environment. Students are taught, mentored, and advised by some of the brightest and most accomplished faculty members in the nation. A variety of learning environments are available, including classrooms, research laboratories, learning communities, and actual workplaces.

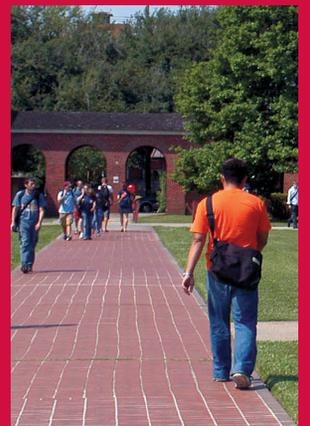
A wide range of cultural, recreational, and social activities are available both on and off campus. You can choose from among more than 150 campus organizations and clubs, attend Ragin' Cajun® athletic events, swim in our state-of-the-art Aquatic Center, attend a lecture or concert on campus, or spend a semester studying in another country. You'll have all of these opportunities and much more.

Living in a community that truly supports the university is another great benefit of being a UL Lafayette student. Lafayette has the distinctive charm of being a culturally sophisticated city with the intimate feel of a small town. From live music venues and art galleries to shopping malls, movie theatres, and restaurants, there are always great leisure-time activities for you to enjoy.

Best of all, UL Lafayette is affordable. With moderate tuition and fees, and extremely generous financial aid and scholarship programs, the actual "cost of attendance" is likely to be well below that of other colleges and universities you may be considering.

The Walk of Honor

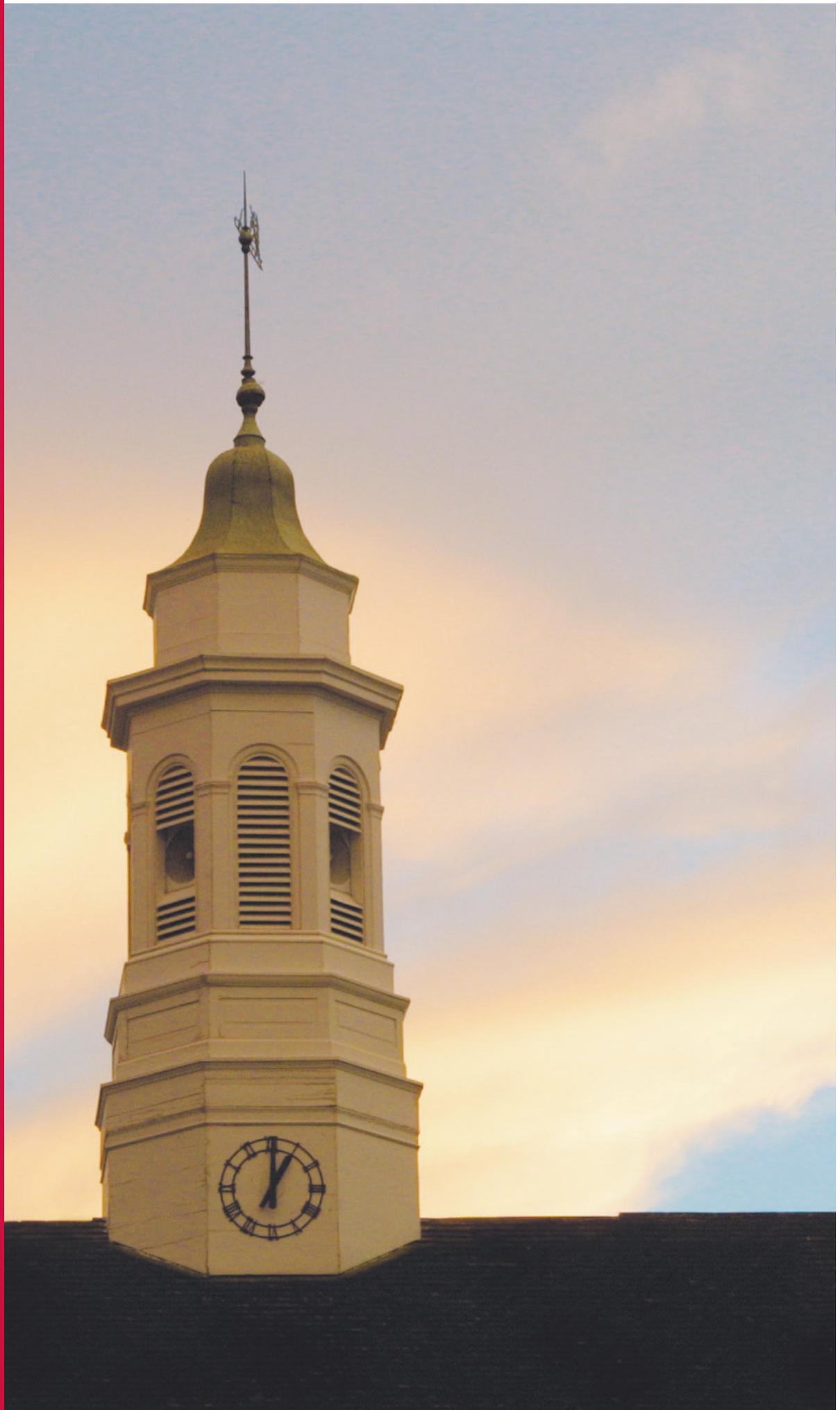
At UL Lafayette you are more than just a number. In fact, by the time you graduate, and forever after, everyone will know you were here. Brick by brick, the university honors each graduate on the Walk of Honor. Each graduate's name is permanently inscribed in a brick used to pave the beautiful covered walkways in the quadrangle. The Walk of Honor extends year after year with each graduating class, serving as a lasting tribute to Ragin' Cajun® alumni.





Get Wired Up

Literally thousands of computer workstations are located throughout campus. Each is equipped with the latest software for word processing, database management, web design, and graphic desktop publishing. Students also enjoy free Internet access on campus and at home, a personal e-mail account, and computer tutoring services.



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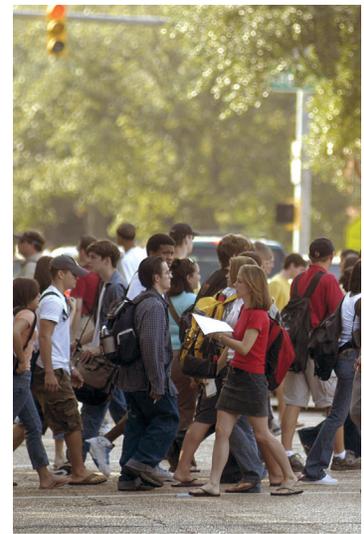
Excellence In Education

Excellent faculty, excellent programs, and excellent students combine to ensure you an education that will prepare you for graduate school or a career.

With more than 100 academic majors and concentrations there is sure to be a program of study to suit almost any interest. Students studying at UL Lafayette know that they are receiving a quality education because 100% of all programs eligible for individual accreditation are accredited. In addition, students in professional majors including nursing and education consistently achieve a 96-100% first-time pass rate on professional licensing exams.

UL Lafayette is noted for its world-class scholars, excellence in teaching, and cutting-edge research. Here are some examples: One of **Dr. Karl Hasenstein's** experiments, which focuses on how plants detect gravity, was aboard a NASA space shuttle. **Dr. Quincy Hilliard**, composer-in-residence at UL Lafayette, has written music for the Olympic Games. **Dr. Anita Hazelwood** is a fellow of the American Health Information Management Association. Only about 30 HIM professionals in the entire country have earned that designation.

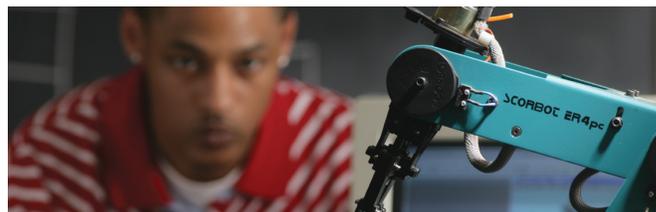
The work of these professors is outstanding, but they are not alone in their accomplishments. Our students distinguish themselves in national academic competitions, on professional licensing exams, and in community service.



WHO'S HIRING UL GRADUATES?

NASA, Boeing, LucasArts, Chevron, Intel, Disney, IBM, Texas Instruments, Microsoft, General Motors, Dow Chemical, and New York Life are just a few places you'll find UL Lafayette alumni. They are employed in positions of leadership in business, education, healthcare, research, and public service throughout the world. They are teachers, physicians, attorneys, artists, engineers, scientists, and professionals in almost every other field you can imagine.

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Living The Student Life

*Itching to write?
Join the staff of
the Vermilion,
UL Lafayette's
student newspaper,
or L'Acadien, the
student yearbook.*

Whether your interest in athletics means participating in intramurals, attending Ragin' Cajon sporting events, or just getting a good workout, you'll find what you're looking for. The Aquatic Center features a sand volleyball court, Olympic-size pool, whirlpool, and jacuzzi. Bourgeois Hall is UL Lafayette's own health club, featuring aerobics classes, basketball and racquetball courts, weight-room facilities, and an indoor track. It's free and open to all students...the perfect place to relieve stress, stay in shape, and join friends for a vigorous workout or a relaxing swim.

Ever been to a "dive in"? Enjoy an outdoor movie while swimming or relaxing in the jacuzzi at the Aquatic Center. Want to stay a little drier? Try Bayou Bijou, UL Lafayette's own on campus movie theater. Want a change of scenery? Houston, New Orleans, and the beaches of Alabama and Florida are all within driving distance.

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Celebration Of Culture

UL Lafayette's Ragin' Cajuns® carry on a proud tradition of celebrating life and having fun with a wide array of events that take place on campus and in the community. Every spring, students unwind during Lagniappe Week (lagniappe is French for "a little something extra"). This annual tradition features a pepper eating contest, canoe races, a campus-wide crawfish boil, live music, and The Lake Jump, a get-your-feet-wet campus tradition. This event is sponsored by the University Program Council (UPC), one of more than 150 campus organizations. Others include Greek letter fraternities and sororities, Student Government Association, professional and academic societies, Americorps, and other service-based clubs.

The Acadiana region boasts a festival nearly every weekend of the year. Over one million people attend Lafayette's largest festival, Mardi Gras. Another festival unique to Lafayette is the Festival International de Louisiane. This festival is an explosion of music, culture, food, art, and folklore which draws musicians and music fans from across the globe. Lafayette embraces local musicians at Downtown Alive!, an outdoor music concert held right in the heart of downtown Lafayette.

Throughout the year, students enjoy life in the community and on campus. Students living on campus are just a short walk from the library, classrooms, dining areas, and the Student Union. Residence halls feature reception areas, study rooms, microwaves, cable television, laundry rooms, local phone service with voice mail, Internet access, and computer labs.



Walk A Day In Our Shoes

Like all of Acadiana, UL Lafayette is known for its hospitality. We would love to have you schedule a personalized campus visit so we can prove it. We will customize your tour to fit your interests and answer all of your questions. You will have the option to meet admissions counselors, faculty members, and financial aid counselors. A student tour guide will lead you on a walking tour and introduce you to popular campus hot spots. You can also take a leisurely stroll around Cypress Lake (but please don't feed the alligators). To schedule a campus visit, e-mail us at campusvisit@louisiana.edu or call us at (337) 482-6495 or 800 752-6553.



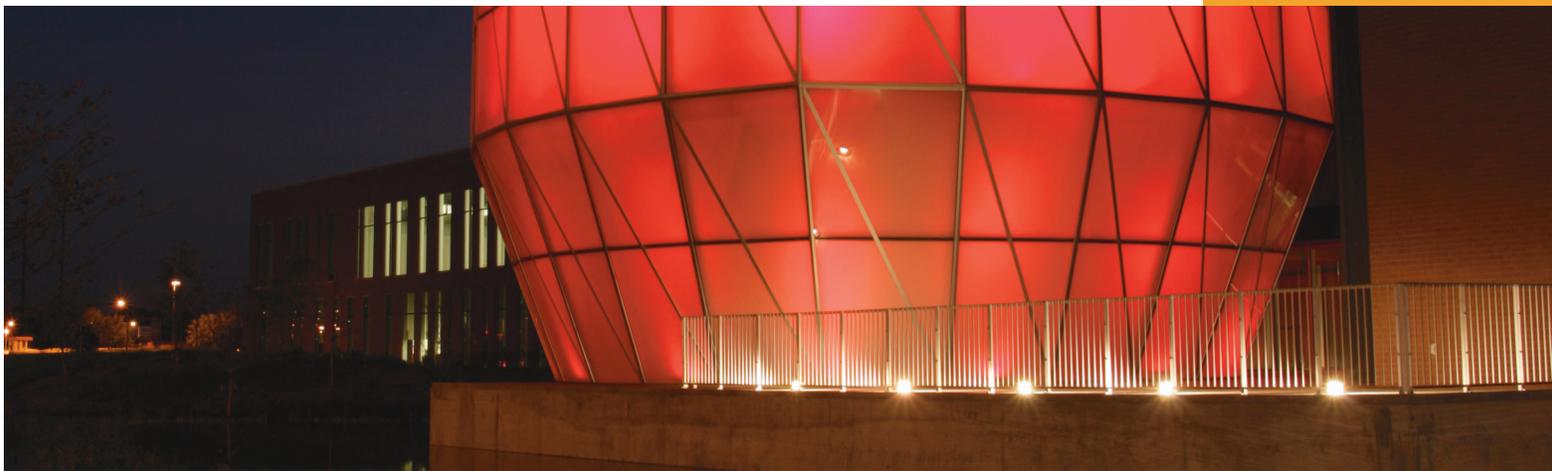


Lovin' Lafayette

Lafayette, the heart of Cajun Country, has the intimate feel of a small town, with the sophistication, culture, and amenities generally found only in much larger cities. Festivals abound year round, and Fat Tuesday revelers can enjoy the world's second largest Mardi Gras celebration right here in Lafayette. Other Lafayette favorites include the symphony orchestra, downtown's growing arts scene, world-class restaurants serving Cajun and Creole food, terrific shopping, multi-plex theatres, and venues for live music and dancing. *Utne Reader* magazine selected Lafayette as Louisiana's Most Enlightened Town, describing it as "a hearty celebration of Cajun music, food, culture and language...". We couldn't agree more.

Immerse yourself in another culture by studying abroad through UL France.





Opportunities ABOUND

Opportunities for learning and personal interaction are virtually limitless. There is no need to choose between personal attention and exceptional facilities and technology. At UL Lafayette, you can have it all. For example, the College of Nursing and Allied Health Professions is home to incredibly lifelike, computerized human patient simulators and uses virtual reality technology to give students realistic experience. Likewise, students in physics get hands-on training in the Louisiana Accelerator Center. The accelerator lab utilizes ion beams to advance the science of nanotechnology—technology used to build machines one-billionth the size of a computer chip.

UL Lafayette houses several centers of excellence. Some examples include the Center for Louisiana and Deep South Studies, Institute of Cognitive Science, Center for Advanced Computer Studies, and the Center for Cultural and Ecotourism. Each center of excellence attracts top faculty to the university and enables students to participate in advanced research.

Our priority is to create an educational setting that embraces technology. However, we know that an education is not complete without professors who care about students' well being. At UL Lafayette, our faculty members are willing to offer students one-on-one attention both in and out of the classroom. And, while there are a few large classes, the average class size here is only slightly larger than in many high schools.

Admission to UL Lafayette: A doorway to your future.

Apply online at www.louisiana.edu/apply. Admissions decisions will be made upon receipt of transcripts and test scores. Detailed admission requirements can be found at: <http://admissions.louisiana.edu/basics>.

Supporting Our Students

Take advantage of the services we provide to help ensure your overall academic and personal success and well-being.

We support you in your academic pursuits by offering academic workshops and free tutoring in the Learning Center.

Let the Career Services Center be your guide when you begin to seek part-time employment during school and full-time employment after graduation.

Feel secure knowing that a complete medical staff is ready to assist you with your health needs at the Student Health Center.

Live and study in an environment where you will feel safe knowing that assistance is just around the corner through our 24-hour on-call assistance program and escort van service.



Affordability- A pleasant surprise

Most people are pleasantly surprised when they discover the actual cost of attending UL Lafayette. With moderate tuition and fees, significantly lower than those of most comparable universities, and a generous financial aid and scholarship program, students find that a UL Lafayette education comes at an affordable price. In addition to need-based grants and loans, and our on- and off-campus work-study opportunities, a variety of scholarships are available to students. We offer academic, athletic, special-talent, transfer, and activity-related scholarships, and out-of-state tuition waivers to qualified students. Many scholarships have deadlines, so it is important to begin the process of applying for scholarships as soon as possible.

There are just a few things you need to know to successfully apply for financial aid and scholarships. The first is, don't believe all the myths. Get the facts from the start by contacting and staying in touch with our offices of Financial Aid and Scholarships. Second, complete and submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) as soon as possible. For the fastest results, apply online at www.fafsa.ed.gov.

Our Financial Aid and Scholarship counselors are eager to answer your questions, work with you to determine the kinds of aid for which you are eligible, explain what you must do to apply, and offer you assistance in completing your applications. All you need to do is contact them.

Visit <http://admissions.louisiana.edu/basics/> to view current costs.

Financing your education is easier than you think — there are many resources available.

*For more information, contact: Office of Financial Aid
(337) 482-6506
(option 0)
fnaid@louisiana.edu*

*Scholarship Office
(337) 482-6515
scholar@louisiana.edu*



A warm welcome awaits you at UL Lafayette.

We would be delighted to have you visit, tour our campus, and meet our students, faculty and admissions and financial aid counselors. There's no better way for us to get to know each other. Just call us at (337) 482-6495 or 800 752-6553 or e-mail us at campusvisit@louisiana.edu to schedule your visit.



List of Colleges and Majors

College of the Arts

Architectural Studies
Industrial Design
Interior Design
Fashion Design and Merchandising
Music with concentrations in Music Business, Composition, Instrumental, Jazz Studies, Music Media, Piano Pedagogy, Performance, Strings, Theory/Composition, Vocal
Performing Arts with emphasis in Theater or Dance
Visual Arts with emphasis in Art History, Ceramics, Computer Art and Animation, Drawing, Graphic Design, Media Art, Metalwork and Jewelry, Painting, Photography, Printmaking, Sculpture

College of Business Administration

Accounting
Management Information Systems
Economics
Finance
Insurance and Risk Management
Management
Professional Land and Resource Management
Marketing
Hospitality Management

College of Education

Art Education (grades K-12)
Athletic Training
Early Childhood Education (grades PK-3)
Elementary Education (grades 1-5)
Kinesiology (grades K-12, Teacher Certification Program)
Non-teaching concentrations are available in Exercise Science, Health Promotion and Wellness, Sports Management
Middle School Education (grades 4-8)
Secondary Education (grades 6-12) with concentrations in Agriculture, Biology, Business, Chemistry, Earth Science, English,

Family & Consumer Science, General Science, Industrial Arts, Mathematics, Modern Language (French, German, or Spanish), Physics, Social Studies, and Speech.
Special Education with concentrations in Early Intervention or Mild/Moderate Disabilities
Music Education (grades K-12, instrumental or vocal)

College of Engineering

Chemical Engineering
Civil Engineering
Electrical Engineering (Computer Engineering and Telecommunications options)
Industrial Technology
Mechanical Engineering
Petroleum Engineering

College of Liberal Arts

Anthropology
Child and Family Studies
Criminal Justice
English
History
Interpersonal and Public Communications
Mass Communication with concentrations in Broadcasting, Journalism, and Media Advertising
Modern Languages with concentrations in French, Francophone Studies and Spanish
Political Science with concentrations in Pre-Law and International Relations
Psychology
Public Relations
Sociology
Speech Pathology and Audiology

College of Nursing and Allied Health Professions

Nursing
Pre-Dental Hygiene
Dietetics

College of Sciences

Biology
Microbiology
Resource Biology & Biodiversity
Chemistry
Computer Science with concentrations in Cognitive Science, Information Technology, Scientific Computing, Computer Engineering, and Video Game Design.
Geology with concentrations in Environmental Geology and Petroleum Geology.
Health Information
Mathematics
Physics
Environmental and Sustainable Resources with concentrations in Natural Resources and Environmental Quality and Resource Conservation and Community Sustainability.
Sustainable Agriculture with concentrations in Agribusiness, Animal Science, Plant and Soil Science, and Horticulture/Landscape Management.
Pre-Veterinary
Pre-Medical Technology
Pre-Pharmacy

College of General Studies

Since students in this four-year program must participate in designing their own curricula, first-time freshmen must gain approval of the Dean in order to enroll in General Studies.

Undeclared Majors

The undeclared major is a temporary option for freshmen that have not yet decided on a particular major. Two colleges offer an undeclared major: Liberal Arts, and Sciences.



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