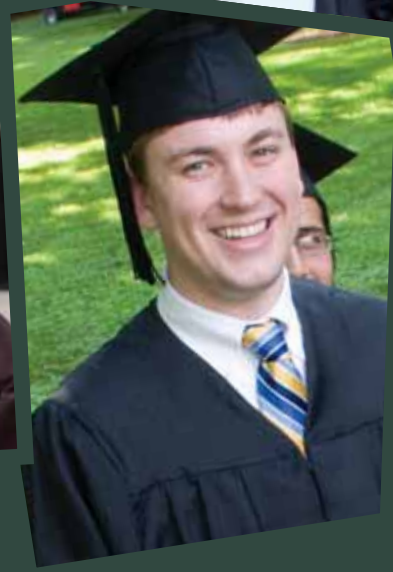




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Why Consider Independent Colleges and Universities?

Because of the small sizes of North Carolina’s 36 independent colleges and universities, a close-knit **family atmosphere** is present on our campuses. Most education is carried out in small classes by professors who are dedicated to undergraduate teaching. This atmosphere enables students to develop **close personal relationships with professors**—contacts that will be valuable to them as they enter the job market or apply to graduate school.

The liberal arts education that is the basis for academic programs at virtually all independent colleges provides a **solid foundation** for a lifetime of opportunities. While preparing young adults for their first job, this foundation also will enable them to adapt to the changes that will be taking place in the workforce during their lifetimes.

Much of a student’s education, especially that which helps develop **leadership skills**, comes through access to extracurricular programs like student government, service clubs, performing arts and religious groups, and inter-collegiate and intramural athletics. Because independent college students are not competing with thousands of other students for limited access to a particular activity, each individual can participate in a variety of these character-building programs.

Also, **unique educational opportunities** are available on every campus. Internships can provide practical work experience along with academic credits. Honors programs, independent studies and study abroad programs are other alternatives that can help a student create an academic program that best meets his or her needs.

On the financial side, while tuition may be higher at an independent college or university, significant amounts of scholarships and financial aid are available; other costs—room, board and books—are about the same. Different types of residential living options are available, providing students flexibility to meet their individual needs. Also, smaller classes and caring professors provide an environment in which students have access to the help they need to graduate in four years, often saving the cost of an extended education.

NORTH CAROLINA INDEPENDENT COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

COLLEGE	UNDERGRADUATE ENROLLMENT		
Barton	1,187	Co-ed	4-year
Belmont Abbey	1,734	Co-ed	4-year
Bennett	780	Women’s	4-year
Brevard	638	Co-ed	4-year
Cabarrus	518	Co-ed	4-year
Campbell	3,919	Co-ed	4-year
Catawba	1,292	Co-ed	4-year
Chowan	1,214	Co-ed	4-year
Davidson	1,742	Co-ed	4-year
Duke	6,506	Co-ed	4-year
Elon	5,032	Co-ed	4-year
Gardner-Webb	2,831	Co-ed	4-year
Greensboro	1,169	Co-ed	4-year
Guilford	2,732	Co-ed	4-year
High Point	4,000	Co-ed	4-year
Johnson C. Smith	1,331	Co-ed	4-year
Lees-McRae	894	Co-ed	4-year
Lenoir-Rhyne	1,837	Co-ed	4-year
Livingstone	1,156	Co-ed	4-year
Louisburg	649	Co-ed	2-year*
Mars Hill	955	Co-ed	4-year
Meredith	2,132	Women’s	4-year
Methodist	2,416	Co-ed	4-year
Montreat	1,079	Co-ed	4-year
Mount Olive	3,855	Co-ed	4-year
N.C. Wesleyan	1,405	Co-ed	4-year
Pfeiffer	1,050	Co-ed	4-year
Queens	1,975	Co-ed	4-year
St. Andrews	441	Co-ed	4-year
Saint Augustine’s	1,508	Co-ed	4-year
Salem	840	Women’s	4-year
Shaw	2,722	Co-ed	4-year
Wake Forest	4,657	Co-ed	4-year
Warren Wilson	924	Co-ed	4-year
William Peace	713	Co-ed	4-year
Wingate	2,373	Co-ed	4-year

* Two-year colleges offer strong transfer programs designed to prepare students for advanced standing in a four-year institution. At these colleges, students may complete their basic liberal arts curriculum (similar to courses required in the first two years of most four-year colleges) and they may enroll in courses to prepare them for their chosen major, should they decide to transfer to a four-year institution.

How Can a College Education be Made Affordable?

If cost were not an issue, selecting a college would be easy. A student would simply choose the one that offered the educational program, atmosphere and extracurricular activities that best meets his or her needs and goals. And in a sense, despite what you may have heard about financial aid, it still can be that easy.

The key point to remember is that the amount a family will be expected to contribute for college and the resulting eligibility for federal financial aid is determined by national standards that consider such factors as annual income, assets, debts, number of family members in college and other considerations.

It's important to keep in mind that the amount of federal financial aid eligibility and financial need changes according to the estimated expenses at each college, not by the amount a family is expected to pay. Therefore, more financial aid may be available for higher-cost colleges.

Grants, scholarships, loans and work opportunities, to the extent available, help cover the difference between what a family will be expected to contribute and the actual college costs. In some cases, a student may also be able to obtain additional loans to meet the family contribution.

GRANTS

- **North Carolina Financial Aid Grants**, *variable*
North Carolina resident students attending a North Carolina independent college or university who demonstrate financial need may be eligible for grants funded by the General Assembly.
- **Federal Pell Grants**, *up to \$5,550*
These grants are federally funded, and need is determined on the basis of a formula developed annually by the U.S. Department of Education and reviewed by Congress.
- **Federal Supplemental Education Opportunity Grants (SEOG)**, *up to \$4,000*
Funds provided by the federal government enable a college's financial aid office to award additional grants to students who have demonstrated exceptional financial need.

- **College Grants and Scholarships**, *variable*
Colleges and universities provide their own grant programs in addition to those offered by the state and federal governments. In addition to need-based grants, academic and athletic scholarships are provided by the institutions.
- **Local Scholarships**
Civic clubs and professional organizations award scholarships to students in their communities who demonstrate a commitment to the ideals of these groups.

LOANS

- Federal Perkins Loans**
 This program, funded by the federal government, provides loans at 5-percent interest to financially needy students. Loan amounts are determined by college financial aid officers. Interest accrual and payments on these loans are deferred until nine months after the student leaves college.
- Federal Stafford Student Loans/Federal Direct Student Loans (formerly Guaranteed Student Loans)**
 These loans are available for students who are accepted for enrollment in participating institutions. A student can qualify for federally paid interest to the extent of demonstrated need. Payments are deferred until six months after the student leaves college. Students without demonstrated need also may borrow money through this program; however, interest is not subsidized by the federal government. Borrowers are required to make interest payments only on a quarterly basis while in college or they may defer repayment of interest until after graduation.
- Parent Loans for Undergraduate Students (PLUS)**
 PLUS loans are federally insured loans. Through this program, parents may borrow to pay the total cost of a student's education less any financial aid for which the student may qualify. Interest begins to accrue on the date of the loan. Repayment begins approximately 60 days from the date of the loan.
- Institutional and Private Loans**
 Many colleges, universities and financial institutions have loan funds available to students in addition to those offered by state and federal agencies. Amounts, interest and repayment schedules vary.
- Payment Plans**
 Variable payment plans, which permit families to spread out tuition payments, are available at many institutions.

STUDENT EMPLOYMENT

- Federal Work-Study**
 These programs are administered by colleges with funds appropriated by the federal government and the college. Students with demonstrated need are given the opportunity to work at approved jobs.
- Part-Time Employment**
 Most institutions help students find jobs on and off campus. Students are selected for employment based on their qualifications. Need is generally not considered for this service.

SAMPLE FINANCIAL NEED ASSESSMENT

	<u>College A</u>	<u>College B</u>
Total Costs (including tuition and fees, room and board, books and miscellaneous expenses)	\$15,000	\$25,000
Family Contribution	<u>-\$5,000</u>	<u>-\$5,000</u>
Financial Need	\$10,000	\$20,000

Since the amount of need changes according to the estimated expenses at each college, more financial aid may be available for higher-cost colleges.

North Carolina Independent Colleges and Universities

INSTITUTIONAL PROFILES

BARTON COLLEGE

P.O. Box 5000, Wilson, North Carolina 27893 | Telephone: (252) 399-6317 or 1-800-345-4973 | Web site: www.barton.edu

Coeducational Four-Year College
Established 1902

Barton College is located in the heart of Wilson—a gracious, small, tree-covered city noted for its “Southern Hospitality.” Barton is part of Wilson’s events and celebrations. With a total city population of 45,000, many of Wilson’s artistic and cultural events take place on the Barton campus. Barton is also home of the 2007 NCAA Division II Mens’ Basketball National Champions.

The First Year Seminar, a major component of the year-long weekly Freshman Advising System, fosters the personal, social, intellectual and emotional development of the first-year college student. Taught by specially screened and selected freshman advisors, the required course creates a sense of community, provides a forum for learning skills, and enhances the decision-making process in various areas of the freshman’s life. The program has been recognized both on national and international levels. The college is divided into five schools. They are the School of Arts and Sciences, the School of Business, the School of Education, the School of Nursing, and the School of Social Work.

Director of Admissions: Amanda Metts
E-mail: enroll@barton.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total: 1,187
324 Men, 863 Women
997 N.C. Residents (including weekend college)
166 Out-of-State Students
462 On-Campus Students (full-time only) in 5 residence halls, 490 Commuters

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit official admissions application
Must have an official high school transcript forwarded
Submit either SAT or ACT score reports
Interview is recommended
No closing date for applications
Students admitted each term
Application fee: \$25; International Application fee: \$50
Commitment deposit: Nonrefundable \$200
Visitation: Monday through Friday 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m., selected Saturdays 9:00 a.m.-noon. Appointments strongly suggested.

Recommended High School Courses

13 academic units required from the areas of
English (4 units required)
Mathematics (3 college prep units required; Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II)
Natural Sciences (2 units required; at least 1 lab science required)
Social Studies (3 units required)
Foreign Languages (recommended)
CLEP program participant. CEEB advanced placement available.
AP program credit accepted, IB program credit accepted.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses
Tuition and Fees: \$22,982
Room and Board: \$7,632
Payment plan available.

Aid Officer: Bridget Ellis

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, N.C. Department of Public Instruction, N.C. Association of Colleges and Universities, National League for Nursing, N.C. Board of Nursing, National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education, Council on Social Work Education, Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs.

Calendar: Two regular-length semesters. Fall semester begins the last week of August, and Spring semester begins the second week of January. Summer session a 6-week session beginning the last week of June.

Faculty: 74 full-time, 49 part-time. 66% hold Doctorates and/or terminal degrees.

Class Size: Average—11; range from 8 to 35; average for science labs—16.

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S., B.F.A., B.L.S., B.S.N., B.S.W.

Special Programs: Academic honors program, dual majors and major-minor degrees, independent study and internships, study abroad, First Year Seminar for all freshmen, specialized degrees in Education of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing, Photography, Nursing, Criminal Justice and Criminology, Fitness Management, Recording Technology, Gerontology and Social Work.

General: 68% of freshman matriculants graduate; over 75% of recent graduates hold jobs in their chosen fields of study.

Library: 152,015 bound volumes; 355 current periodicals; 333,118 microfilm titles; 4,798 audiovisual units; 24,459 electronic books; 19,096 electronic subscriptions.

STUDENT LIFE

Barton offers opportunities for students to develop their interests in many academic disciplines. The college also provides options outside the classroom for students to engage themselves through various organizations, activities, athletics, cultural events and service projects. Residence hall life is an integral and vital part of the college experience where students form many interpersonal relationships. As a part of developing responsibility, all students, including freshmen, have self-regulating hours and are permitted to have automobiles on campus. All first-year students are required to live in residence halls, but students have other housing options, including co-ed facilities, upon completion of their freshman year.

Athletics: Men’s varsity programs in baseball, basketball, golf, soccer, cross country, track and field, and tennis. Women’s programs include soccer, basketball, softball, tennis, cross-country, track and field, and volleyball. Full intramural program.

Campus activities: Stage and Script (dramatic company), Student Professional Associations, Departmental Clubs, Greek Organizations, Student Government, Orchestra, Pep Band, Vocal Ensembles, Campus Fellowship and Spiritual Organizations, Campus Activities Board, The Collegiate (newspaper), Multicultural Groups, The Crucible (literary magazine), Honor Societies, Service Clubs, WEDT (television studio), Honors Program. Over 40 clubs and organizations.

BELMONT ABBEY COLLEGE

100 Belmont-Mt. Holly Road, Belmont, North Carolina 28012 | Telephone: (704) 461-6665 or 1-888-222-0110 | Web site: www.belmontabbeycollege.edu

Coeducational Four-Year Liberal Arts College
Established 1876

Outstanding features include cosmopolitan atmosphere resulting from large number of out-of-state students, friendly student body, and dedicated faculty whose primary concern is teaching. Each student is assigned a faculty advisor throughout his/her academic career. Our location is in a small town of 6,000 people, but we are only 10 minutes from Charlotte, the largest city in the Carolinas. We have the advantage of living in the suburbs, while maintaining easy access to the resources of a large city. You will find a campus that is physically beautiful, an atmosphere that is welcoming, and classes that stimulate students' minds and cultivate their spirits. Small class sizes with personal attention to help students succeed academically. The College community is characterized by academic strength, spiritual heritage, competitive athletics, and a vibrant campus life. Strong commitment to Catholic Benedictine traditions on which the College was founded.

Director of Admissions: Roger Jones
E-mail: admissions@bac.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total: 1,734
687 Men, 1047 Women
1,222 N.C. Residents, 468 Out-of-State Students, 44 Non-Resident Alien
714 On-Campus Students in 4 residence halls and special arrangements with 3 off-campus apartment complexes.
1,020 Commuters
22 countries and 38 states represented

ADMISSIONS

SAT preferred; ACT accepted
Interview recommended
Application closing dates: Rolling starting Sept. 1; International July 1
Students admitted each term
Students notified of admission
Rolling admission
Application fee: \$35, free online
\$400 room reservation fee. Nonrefundable deposit after May 1.
Tours: Mon.-Fri., 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 2:00 p.m.; Sat., 10:00 a.m.

Required High School Courses

4 units of English
3 units of Math
2 units of Science
2 units of History
2 units of Foreign Language
3 additional academic units
CLEP program participant
AP CREDIT:

<http://www.belmontabbeycollege.edu/admissions/transfer-of-credit.aspx>

FINANCIAL

2011-2012 Expenses
Tuition and Fees: \$27,753
Room and Board: \$10,528
Monthly payment plan available.

Aid Officer: Anne A. Stevens

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, N.C. Department of Public Instruction, American Benedictine Academy.

Calendar: The College is on a semester schedule, with classes beginning in late August and early January. The academic year ends in early May. Three summer sessions are offered: two 4-week sessions and one 8-week session.

Faculty: 72 full-time, 80 part-time. 68 % of full-time faculty hold Doctorates/terminal degrees.

Class Size: Average—17.

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S.

Special Programs: First-Year Symposium, Bradley Institute for the Study of Christian Culture, Abbey Honors Institute, Felix Hintemeyer Scholars, Study Abroad, independent study courses, ROTC (available through University of North Carolina at Charlotte), Charlotte Area Educational Consortium.

General: All students are encouraged to participate in an internship program and/or culminating senior research.

Library: 125,000 bound volumes.

STUDENT LIFE

All students may have cars on campus.

Athletics: Men's varsity programs in baseball, basketball, cross-country, golf, lacrosse, soccer, tennis, track & field, and wrestling. Women's varsity programs in basketball, cross-country, golf, lacrosse, soccer, softball, tennis, track & field, and volleyball. Full intramural program.

Campus activities: College Union Board, Baseball, Student Government Association, Commuter Council, Women's Basketball, Art at the Abbey, Greek Council, Nutrition advice & more at Health Services, Men's Cross Country, Abbey Players, Abbey Chorus, Abbey Pep Band, Delta Tau Delta, Peace & Justice Committee, Women's Soccer, RAD Training through Campus Safety & Police, Vespers, Women's Softball, Rowing Club, Mass, Men's Basketball, Men's Tennis, Abbey Cheerleaders, Fitness Center, Crusaders for Life, Leadership and Outdoor Program, Honorary Accounting Society, Agora (literary magazine), The Spire (yearbook), Library, Auxiliary Gym, Resident Assistants, Intramurals, Men's Soccer, Campus Ministry, Epsilon Sigma Alpha, Delta Epsilon Sigma, Zeta Delta Phi, Tau Kappa Delta, The Crusader (student newspaper), Orientation Leader, Wrestling, Faithful Daughters Household, Chess Team, Phi Kappa Theta, Women's Cross Country, Alpha Sigma Pi, Brothers in Christ, Sons of Mary Household, Lauds, Poetry Night, Community Service Program, Golf Team, The Other Movie Night Series, Beta Beta Beta, International Student Organization, Adoration Chapel, Association of Information Technology Professionals Student Chapter, Rotaract Club, The Abbey Trail, Women's Tennis, Super Bowl Party, Sigma Alpha, Kappa Delta Pi, Career Services, Circle K, Tutoring and Academic Assistance, St. Patrick's Day parade, Mid-Day Prayers, Student Ambassadors, Quilting Outreach, Legion of Mary, Guest Artist Series, Outdoor Basketball Court, Bradley Institute lectures and events, Open Mic Night, Presidential Ball.

BENNETT COLLEGE FOR WOMEN

900 East Washington Street, Greensboro, North Carolina 27401-3239 | Telephone: (336) 517-2100 or 1-800-413-5323 | Web site: www.bennett.edu

Four-Year Women's College
Established 1873

Bennett College, founded in 1873 as a coeducational institution and reorganized in 1926 as a women's college, is a member of the United Negro College Fund. Comprehensive academic advising and personal counseling services provide support systems to encourage success and promote excellence. Faculty and peer counselors work with students to create a program of study and campus activities best suited to the individual's interest, abilities and career goals. Within the college's three academic divisions—Humanities, Social Sciences and Education, Natural and Behavioral Sciences—the Bennett woman can concentrate in one major area, combine two or more majors for a specialized career goal or design a non-traditional program of study. The general education core of Bennett's liberal arts curriculum is designed to improve reading, writing and reasoning skills while inspiring each student to develop her own identity.

Director of Admissions: Jocelyn L. Biggs
E-mail: admiss@bennett.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total: 780 Women
37.7% In-State, 62.3% Out-of-State
229 In-State, 485 Out-of-State (full-time only)
65 In-State, 1 Out-of-State (part-time only)

ADMISSIONS

Optional SAT or ACT scores (required for scholarship consideration)
Official copy of High School Transcript
GPA of 2.4 and above
Written essay
Two letters of recommendation
Students admitted each term
Rolling admission
Notification of admission usually within two weeks of receipt of completed application
Application fee: \$30
Enrollment deposit due by May 1st
Visitation: By appointment

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English
3 units of Math
2 units of Lab Science
2 units of Social Studies
2 unit of Foreign Language
5 units of Academic Electives
17 units total, 13 in academic subjects
CLEP program participant. Advanced placement available through CEEB.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses
Tuition and Fees: \$21,970
Room and Board: \$6,976 (double occupancy)

Director of Financial Aid: Keisha Ragsdale

ACADEMIC - Dr. Esther Terry, Provost and Vice President of Academic Affairs

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, N.C. Department of Public Instruction, University Senate of the United Methodist Church, Council on Social Work Education, NCATE.

Calendar: The college is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in mid-August and early January. The academic year ends in early May

Faculty: 61 full-time, 20 part-time. 59% hold Doctorates.

Class Size: Average—18

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S., B.A.S. in Interdisciplinary Studies, B.S.W, B.F.A. Dual degree programs: Engineering (Mechanical and Electrical) Joint Degree with North Carolina A&T University, Collaborative Degree program with Howard University in Nursing, Pharm D 1, Law (St. John's University) Joint Degree.

Special Programs: Interdisciplinary studies, ROTC (through N.C. A&T University) and tutorial programs in all academic areas.

General: Approximately 43% of graduates pursue graduate and professional degrees.

Library: Over 90,020 volumes. Afro-American Women's Collection—Norris Wright Cuney Collection. Black Studies.

STUDENT LIFE - Ruth Dennis-Phillips, Director of Campus Life

Athletics: Competitive Basketball team. Recreation and Intramural Programs. NCAA Membership.

Campus activities: Over 50 clubs and organizations include the Student Government Association, Honor Societies, Sororities, Departmental Clubs, Residence Hall Councils, Choir, Drama, Newspaper, Service and Civic Organizations, Student Union Advisory Board.

BREVARD COLLEGE

Brevard, North Carolina 28712 | Telephone: (828) 884-8300 or 1-800-527-9090 | Web site: www.brevard.edu

Coeducational Four-Year Comprehensive Liberal Arts College
Established in 1853, Brevard College is the oldest college or university in western North Carolina

Located in the beautiful Blue Ridge Mountains of North Carolina, Brevard College is a four-year comprehensive liberal arts college affiliated with the United Methodist Church. Caring faculty and staff and a 11 to 1 student-faculty ratio allow students to be known, their interests and activities to be supported and their voices heard.

The college's First Year Experience (FYE) program orients new freshmen and transfer students toward academic and intellectual success through a special one-semester course. A faculty, staff and student team introduces students to an array of resources, including academic counseling, campus services and opportunities for social involvement, leadership and responsibility. The Forum also allows entering students to set goals and to develop strategies to meet those goals.

Brevard College has been ranked as a "Best Value" among comprehensive colleges in the South for the quality of its academic programs compared to net cost of attendance at the institution. Brevard College is also recognized among Southern Comprehensive Colleges for its high proportion of classes with fewer than 20 students. A range of majors including Fine Arts, Business and Organizational Leadership, Wilderness Leadership and Experiential Education, Environmental Studies, Music, Teacher Licensure, Theatre, Religion Studies and Integrated Studies is available to its diverse student population (from 33 states and 9 foreign countries).

The College provides a variety of opportunities for leadership and service in numerous co-curricular organizations, including an active student government association. It balances nationally competitive athletic programs with a range of intramural activities and outdoor leadership opportunities. Brevard College's programs in music and art afford talented students exceptional educational and performance opportunities and enliven arts on campus. Its outreach and academic internship programs directly involve students in real-world problem solving.

Vice President for Admissions and Financial Aid: Mathew Cox
E-mail: coxma@brevard.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total: 638
369 Men, 269 Women
329 N.C. Residents, 309 Out-of-State Students

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT or ACT scores
Interview recommended
Application closing dates: Rolling
Students admitted each term
Students notified of admission on rolling basis
Commitment deposit: \$200 by May 1.
Visitation: Anytime weekdays, weekends by appointment

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English
2 units of Foreign Language
3 units of Math
3 units of Science
2 units of Social Studies
CLEP program participant. Advanced placement through CEEB.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses
Tuition and Fees: \$22,700
Room and Board: \$8,000

Aid Officer: Beth Pocock

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, National Association of Schools of Music, University Senate of the United Methodist Church.

Calendar: The college is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in late August and mid-January. The academic year ends in early May.

Faculty: 55 full-time, 28 part-time. 45% hold Doctorates.

Class Size: Average—15; range from 4 to 40; average for science labs—16.

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S., B.M.

Special Programs: Honors Programs; the Institute for Women in Leadership; study at the Pisgah National Forest, the Great Smoky Mountains National Park, the Cradle of Forestry, regional museums and area orchestras; study abroad; internships; experiential studies; immersion semesters in wilderness leadership; interdisciplinary and environmental studies, including the Voice of the Rivers Expeditions; and Pisgah Forest Institute.

General: Bachelor degrees provide unique interdisciplinary academic programs with a strong liberal arts curriculum through over 40 fields of study.

Library: 57,000 volumes; 90,000 e-books; 4,110 A-V materials; 219 periodical subscriptions, with access to 25,000 electronic journals. Electronic resources include indexes, abstracts, full-text resources, and digital art images provided by the Appalachian College Association, Carolina Consortium, NC LIVE, SOLINET. Subject specific databases available for Business and Organizational Leadership, Ecology and Environmental Studies, Education and Psychology, Exercise Science and Wilderness Leadership, Fine Arts, Health Sciences, Humanities and Social Sciences.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Brevard College has a distinguished and successful history in intercollegiate athletics for both men and women. The Brevard College Tornados participate at the NCAA Division II level and play a full SAC schedule for all team sports. Intercollegiate programs for men and women include basketball, cross country, cycling, indoor and outdoor track and field, soccer and cheerleading. The College also fields teams in men's baseball, golf and football and in women's softball and volleyball. At Brevard College, athletic participation encompasses the entire student body. Events include soccer, indoor soccer, softball, flag football, disc golf, ultimate Frisbee, basketball, floor hockey, sand volleyball, ping pong, bowling and other sports in which students express interest. The Disc Golf Club competes with 5 other colleges in the Western Disc Golf Association.

Campus activities: Brevard College's student clubs and organizations reflect the energy and interests of a vibrant, involved, creative student body. Whether on campus, out in the rugged mountain trails, or in the surrounding communities, students are active in government, the newspaper, athletics, drama, musical productions, volunteer service, whitewater sports, hiking, mountain biking, rock climbing, concerts, special events and exploring the area. Campus organizations and clubs include Student Government Association (SGA), Outing Club (outdoor adventure program), Pastimes (history club), Fellowship of Christian Athletes, BC Recycles (campus-wide recycling club), Photography Club, Circle K (service organization), International Students' Association, Dimensions (math club), Campus Activities Board (student events and activities), Environmental Advocates, The Clarion (student newspaper), The Pertelote (campus yearbook), Chiaroscuro (literary magazine), Beta Beta Beta and Omicron Delta Kappa (academic achievement).

CABARRUS COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES

401 Medical Park Drive, Concord, NC 28025 | Telephone: (704) 403-1555 | Web site: www.cabarruscollege.edu

Coeducational four-year college affiliated with CMC-NorthEast
Established 1942

Cabarrus College offers the best in health sciences education with small classes, a student focused learning environment, and mentoring from exceptional faculty with real world experience. Our graduates have a record of scoring highly on national certification exams for all of our clinical programs. Since 1942, over 2,000 of our graduates have entered the healthcare field ready to make a difference in the lives of their patients.

Cabarrus College regularly hosts open house programs for prospective students to meet with program faculty and talk with representatives from admissions, financial aid, and transfer credit. A schedule is available online at www.cabarruscollege.edu.

Admission to Cabarrus College is competitive. To ensure consideration for admission the application and all required documentation should be submitted by March 1 for the fall semester and by October 1 for the spring semester. An application received after these dates will be reviewed on a space available basis for all programs.

Director of Admissions: Mark Ellison, Ed.D.
E-mail: admissions@cabarruscollege.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Undergraduate total: 518

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT or ACT scores
Two letters of recommendation
Students admitted for August and January enrollment
Fall deadline: March 1
Spring deadline: October 1
Application fee: \$50
Commitment deposit: requested within two weeks of acceptance: \$200

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English
2 units of Algebra
1 unit of Geometry
1 unit of Chemistry
1 unit of Biology

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses

Tuition:

16-12 Credit Hours \$5,225 per semester
11-7 Credit Hours \$3,640 per semester
Each additional credit hour above 16: \$330

Aid Officer: Valerie Richard

Phone: (704) 403-3507
E-mail: vrichard@cabarruscollege.edu

ACADEMIC

Accreditations: The Southern Association of Colleges and Schools; The National League for Nursing; The Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education; The Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education; and The Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs.

Calendar: The College is on a semester plan with classes beginning in mid-August and early January. The academic year ends in mid-May. Summer sessions are also scheduled.

Degrees Offered: Associate degrees in medical assistant, nursing, occupational therapy assistant, pharmacy technology, and surgical technology (diploma options also available for medical assistant and surgical technology); a general associate in science degree with two enrollment tracks (Pre-Professional and Pre-Nursing); bachelor of science degrees in health services leadership and management, medical imaging, and nursing (online RN to BSN).

STUDENT LIFE

Campus Activities: Association of Nursing Students, Christian Student Union, Student Occupational Therapy Association, Phi Theta Kappa International Honor Society, Medical Assistant Student Organization, Sigma Theta Tau, Baccalaureate Student Organization, Student Government Association, Surgical Technology Student Association.

CAMPBELL UNIVERSITY

P.O. Box 546, Buies Creek, North Carolina 27506 | Telephone: 1-800-334-4111 (ext. 1290) | Web site: www.campbell.edu

Coeducational Comprehensive University
Established 1887

Thirty-six buildings sit on 850 acres in Buies Creek. Academic buildings are the center of campus. There are eight women's residence halls and six men's as well as two apartment complexes.

Campbell University is in Harnett County, where North Carolina's coastal plain and Piedmont meet just east of the center of the state. It lies within one of the more progressive regions for education and research in the Southeast. Fayetteville and Raleigh are 30 miles away; within a half-hour's drive is the Research Triangle Park. Campbell's rural campus provides an excellent setting for academic and extracurricular pursuits. A small and close-knit community; Buies Creek personifies a tradition of Southern hospitality.

Presently, the university is divided into six different schools: The College of Arts and Sciences, The Lundy-Fetterman School of Business, The School of Education, The Norman Adrian Wiggins School of Law, The College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences and the Divinity School.

Assistant Vice President for Admissions: Jason D. Hall
E-mail: hallj@campbell.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total Enrollment: 3,919 (Main Campus)
1,402 Men, 1,498 Women (undergraduates)
16 residence halls (includes university apartments)

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT or ACT scores
Students admitted each term
Students notified of admission 10 to 14 days after required documentation received
Application fee: \$35
Commitment deposit: \$100 due 2 weeks after acceptance
All applicants must submit a high school transcript showing all work completed through the 11th grade. The transcript should also reflect cumulative GPA.
Visitation: 2011—Sep. 17, Oct. 8, Oct. 14 (Homeschool Visitation Day), Oct. 29, Nov. 11; 2012—Jan. 16, Feb. 20, Mar. 17, Mar. 31

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English
3 units of Math (recommended 4th unit)
2 units of Natural Science
2 units of Social Science
2 units of Foreign Language
CLEP program participant. Advanced placement available.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses
Tuition and Fees: \$23,720
Room and Board: \$8,300

Aid Officer: Michelle Day

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, N.C. Association of Colleges and Universities, American Bar Association, American Council on Pharmaceutical Education. Campbell's program of teacher education is accredited by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education and the N.C. Department of Public Instruction. Divinity School is accredited by Association of Theological Schools. PGA of America.

Calendar: The college is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in late August and early January. The academic year ends in early May. Summer sessions are scheduled.

Faculty: 215 full-time, 102 part-time. 88.4% hold Doctorates.

Class Size: 90% of classes less than 50; 54% of classes less than 20

Degrees Offered: A.A., B.A., B.S., B.B.A., B.A.S., B.H.S., B.S.W., M.A., M.B.A., M.E.D., M.DIV., M.S., M.S.A., M.T.W.I.M., J.D., PHARM.D., D.DIV., M.A.C.E., M.S.P.S. and M.S.C.R.

Special Programs: 3/2 MBA Program, Army ROTC, Trust and Wealth Management, Pharmacy, Pharmaceutical Science, Professional Golf Management, Divinity, Clinical Research and Physician Assistant.

General: Average age of freshman class—19. Average age of all undergraduates—21. Placement services annually help secure employment for 70% of recent graduates. 56% of the students who use the placement services obtain job offers prior to their graduation. Student/Faculty ratio is 20:1

Library: (Main Campus) 241,752 volumes; 22,085 periodicals. Interlibrary loan system. Online periodicals and databases. Laptops are available for borrowing. PC and Macintosh labs. 24-hour study area, learning commons, group study rooms, conference room with smart board and instruction room.

STUDENT LIFE

Students participate in university governance as members of university committees. All students are allowed to have automobiles on campus. Campus Activity Board plans campus social activities.

Athletics: NCAA Division I program. Big South Conference. Men's varsity programs in baseball, basketball, cheerleading, cross-country, football, golf, soccer, tennis, track and wrestling. Women's varsity programs in basketball, cheerleading, cross-country, golf, soccer, softball, tennis, track, volleyball, and swimming. Full intramural program with over 70% of the student body participating. Club sports offered in many sports.

Campus activities: Pop Concerts, Homecoming/Parents Weekend, Spring Fling, Dances, Staley Lectures, Popular Film Series, Fine Arts Series, Drama, Campus Clubs, Lecture Series.

CATAWBA COLLEGE

2300 West Innes Street, Salisbury, North Carolina 28144-2488 | Telephone: (704) 637-4402 or 1-800-CATAWBA | Web site: www.catawba.edu

Coeducational Four-Year College
Established 1851

Catawba College, a private, co-educational liberal arts institution, is committed to "providing students an education rich in personal attention that blends the knowledge and competencies of liberal studies with career preparation." Catawba's seal bears four words: Scholarship, Character, Culture, and Service. The College strives to develop these attributes in its students. Students are encouraged to broaden their cultural perspectives, to strengthen their character, to become responsible citizens with a carefully crafted sense of community, and to enrich human life through their knowledge and personal talents.

Vice President for Enrollment Management: Lois H. Williams
E-mail: lhwillia@catawba.edu

Faculty: 72 full-time with 79% holding a doctorate and 89% holding a terminal degree. 35 part-time and 29% holding a terminal degree.

Class Size: Average—15; range from 12 to 30; average for science labs—16.

ENROLLMENT

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S., B.F.A., B.A.E., M.Ed.

2010-11 Undergraduate Total: 1,292

594 men, 698 women undergraduates
1,064 N.C. Residents, 228 Out-of-State Students (includes evening program)
644 On-Campus Students in 14 residence halls
328 Commuters in the Day Program; 648 total commuters including 26
Teacher Certification students; 294 BBA (Evening) students, 38 Graduate students.

Majors: 48 majors with concentrations/specializations including: athletic training; biology; business administration (concentrations in accounting, economics, general management, information systems, marketing); chemistry; communication arts; education (elementary K-6; middle school 6-9 with specialization in language arts, mathematics, science, social studies; licensure in secondary subjects (9-12: biology, chemistry, comprehensive science, comprehensive social studies, English, mathematics); or special subjects (K-12: music, physical education)); English (concentrations in literature or writing); environmental education; environmental science; environmental studies; exercise science; history; mathematics; medical technology; music (concentrations in music business, music education, music performance, sacred music); musical theater; physical education; politics (concentrations in pre law, public administration); pre-health (dentistry, medicine, veterinary medicine); preministerial; pre-pharmacy; psychology; recreation; religion and philosophy (concentrations in Christian education, outdoor ministries); sociology; Spanish; sports management; sustainable business and community development; theater arts; theater arts administration; theater arts education; and therapeutic recreation.

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT-I or ACT scores
All freshmen and transfer applicants must submit an official high school transcript, essay, and recommendation form and/or letter of recommendation
Closing date for applications: rolling admission
Students admitted each term
Students admitted on rolling basis
Notification of admission within three weeks of completed application process
Application fee: \$25
Commitment deposit: \$250

Scholarships: Catawba offers academic scholarships and merit grants for students who have demonstrated strong academic achievement, leadership and character. Scholarships include our full-tuition First Family Scholarship, which is awarded through an invitation-only on campus competition. Other scholarship opportunities include those for performance (theater and music), a Teaching Scholars program, and athletic scholarships. Catawba also offers a strong merit-based program for transfer students.

Recommended High School Courses

Total of 16 units, including 12 in academic subjects
4 units of English
3 units of Science
2 units of Foreign Language recommended
3 units of Math (through Algebra II)
3 units of Social Science
CLEP program participant. Advanced placement and International Baccalaureate available.

Special Programs: Honors Program, Study Abroad opportunities, Internship Programs and Costa Rica Program.

FINANCIAL

Library: 300,000 volumes. Career counseling and placement services.

2011-12 Expenses

Tuition and Fees: \$25,130
Room and Board: \$8,700

STUDENT LIFE

Affiliation with NCAA Div II.

Director of Financial Aid: Melanie McCulloh

Athletics: Men's varsity programs in baseball, basketball, cross-country, football, golf, lacrosse, soccer, swimming and tennis. Women's varsity programs in basketball, cross-country, soccer, softball, swimming, tennis, volleyball golf and lacrosse (2011).

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education.

Campus activities: Academic Clubs, Community Service Organizations, Concerts, Bands, Student Government Organization, Literary Societies, Theatre Productions, Choral Groups, Intramural Activities and Christian Organizations. 41 clubs and organizations, 9 national honor societies.

Calendar: The college is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in late-August and early January. The academic year ends in late May. Summer sessions are scheduled.

CHOWAN UNIVERSITY

One University Place, Murfreesboro, North Carolina 27855 | Telephone: 1-888-4-CHOWAN | Web site: www.chowan.edu

Coeducational Four-Year University
Established 1848

Located in historic northeast North Carolina in the community of Murfreesboro, Chowan University is just over an hour drive to Virginia Beach, VA and to the Outer Banks of North Carolina. The Chowan University campus consists of 300 acres and includes a beautifully landscaped oval lawn and the historic McDowell Columns Building constructed in 1851.

Chowan University follows the time-honored tradition of smaller, church-related universities where one finds such advantages as a real sense of “belonging” to a university family, instruction based on Christian pre-suppositions, economy in tuition and boarding, and interest in the individual on the part of the faculty and administration. The Chowan University curricular emphasis on ethics provides opportunities for students to participate in discussions and activities that promote ethical inquiry, character formation, and ethical actions in their personal and professional lives.

Chowan University seeks to make intelligent use of the newest technology in the process of learning itself, by taking advantage of technology’s ability to facilitate student learning in significant ways and by enhancing student/teacher relationships and communication. This commitment to communication technology in a liberal arts setting demonstrates Chowan’s educational mission to integrate effective career preparation with a strong liberal arts education.

**Vice President of Enrollment Management
and Dean of Admissions: R. Chad Holt**

ENROLLMENT

2010-11: Total: 1,214

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT or ACT scores, a completed and signed application for admission, \$20 non-refundable application fee, and official high school transcript.

Campus visit is strongly recommended.

Students admitted each semester.

Notification of an admission decision and scholarship eligibility usually within 2 days of receipt of completed application file.

Commitment deposit: \$100, refundable before May 1 if the Admissions Office is notified in writing prior to this date.

Visitation: Check www.chowan.edu for CU Visit Day dates.

Campus visits and campus tours are available on Mon.-Fri., 9:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m. and on Sat. at 10:00 a.m.

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English

2 units of Algebra

1 unit of Geometry

2 units of Lab Science

2 units of Social Studies

7 units of other courses

CLEP program participant Advanced placement accepted

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses

Tuition, Fees, Room and Board: \$28,500

Approximately 80% receive need-based assistance.

Director of Financial Aid: Sharon Rose

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education, North Carolina Department of Public Instruction, National Association of Schools of Music.

Calendar: The University is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in late August and mid-January. The academic year ends in mid-May. One 6-week summer session is scheduled.

Faculty: 56 full-time, 28 part-time. 68% hold Doctorates.

Class Size: Average—25

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S., and M.Ed.

Special Programs: Honors College, Leadership Scholars Program, Graphic Communications, Pre-professional programs in most science fields, Graphic Design, Teacher Education, Psychology with Alcohol and Drug Studies, Physical Education with a Coaching Minor, Music with a Music Industry Track, Interdisciplinary Studies, Biology with an Allied Health Track, Biology with Environmental Biology Track, Chowan Undergraduate Research Conference, Theatre, Study Abroad, and School of Graduate Studies.

Library: 200,100 volumes. Counseling services and tutorial center

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: NCAA Div. II, Member of the Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association (CIAA). Men’s varsity programs in baseball, basketball, soccer, football, tennis and golf. Women’s varsity programs in cross country, lacrosse, basketball, soccer, softball, tennis, co-ed cheerleading, bowling, and volleyball. Full intramural program.

Campus activities: Mission Trips, Service Activities, Internships, Clubs and Organizations, Movies, Dances, Pep Band, Choir, Residence Hall Programs, Theatre@Chowan, University Committees, Student Government, Art Exhibits, Music Performances, International Travel Opportunities, Career Counseling, Religious Activities, Concerts, Fishing, Bicycling, Publications, Lectures, Undergraduate Research Conferences and Presentations, Honor Societies, Greek Organizations, and Intramural Sports.

DAVIDSON COLLEGE

P.O. Box 7156, Davidson, North Carolina 28035-7156 | Telephone: (704) 894-2230 | Web site: www.davidson.edu/admission

Coeducational Four-Year Liberal Arts College
Established 1837

Davidson College is designed for men and women seeking a vigorous and well-balanced undergraduate education. The campus, located on 665 acres in northern Mecklenburg County; has large expanses of lawn and woodland, towering trees, traditional architecture (even ivy on the walls) and an atmosphere of orderly purpose. There is always something going on: at the Alvarez College Union, with its steady stream of speakers, films and performers; at the modern, open-stack library, one of the finest in the South; on the athletic fields, where 80% of Davidson's students participate in intramural programs.

Davidson is 20 minutes from Charlotte and surrounding the campus is a close community, where students are actively involved in the life of the town. Participation in such areas as the town government and community development provide a unique part of the "Davidson experience." We strongly encourage you to visit the campus.

VP and Dean of Admission & Financial Aid: Christopher J. Gruber
E-mail: admission@davidson.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total: 1,742

873 Men, 869 Women

1,714 On-Campus Students in 21 residence halls

28 Off-Campus

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT or ACT scores
(SAT-II's and ACT w/ writing recommended)
Campus visit recommended

Closing date for applications: Jan. 2 for regular,

Nov. 15 and Jan 2 for early decision

Students generally admitted only to Fall term

Notification of admission: before April 1

Application fee: \$50

Commitment deposit: \$500 due May 1

Campus Visitation: Mon.-Fri., 9:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Saturdays in Spring and Fall

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English - required

4 units of Math

4 units of Natural Science

4 units of Social Studies or History

4 units of Foreign Language

College does not participate in CLEP program. Up to four AP and IB credits may be awarded.

AP CREDIT: <http://www3.davidson.edu/cms/x6836.xml>

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses

Tuition and Fees: \$38,866

Room and Board: \$10,857

Will meet 100% of demonstrated need through grants and student employment. Approximately 41% receive need-based assistance.

Aid Officer: Dave Gelinis, Director of Financial Aid

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education, American Chemical Society, N.C. Department of Public Instruction.

Calendar: The college is on a semester plan, from late August to early May.

Faculty: 168.3 full-time equivalent. 95% of full-time faculty holds Doctorates or terminal degrees.

Class Size: Fall 2010 Average—15; range from 5 to 40; average for science labs—12.

Degrees Offered: A.B., B.S.

Special Programs: Honors program, independent study, study abroad, Center for Interdisciplinary Studies, Dean Rusk Program for International Studies, double majors, minors and Academic concentrations available in 14 areas.

General: As of September 2010, the 5-year graduation rate for students entering in Fall of 2004 is 91%.

Library: Over 585,000 volumes (includes periodicals and government documents). Comprehensive career counseling and placement services through the Office of Career Services.

STUDENT LIFE

Students at the college sustain a strong and effective Honor System.

Athletics: Men's varsity programs in baseball, basketball, cross-country, football, golf, soccer, swimming and diving, tennis, track and field, and wrestling. Women's varsity programs in basketball, cross-country, field hockey, soccer, lacrosse, swimming and diving, tennis, track and field, and volleyball. Club sports include crew, fencing, men's lacrosse, men's rugby, sailing, soccer, tennis, water polo, cycling, running, triathlon, equestrian, and ultimate frisbee.

Campus activities: College Union Programs, Student Government, Publications, Fraternities and Eating Clubs, Habitat for Humanity, Music, Drama, Special Interest Clubs, Service Organizations, Lectures and Concerts, Films.

DUKE UNIVERSITY

2138 Campus Drive, Box 90586, Durham, North Carolina 27708-0586 | Telephone: (919) 684-3214 | Web site: www.duke.edu

Coeducational Major Research University
Established 1838

Duke enrolls a geographically diverse student body, with students coming from all over the country and the world. The uniquely beautiful campus spans some 9,350 acres of pine and hardwood forest in a combination of formal gardens and untouched woods. Duke's limited enrollment places it among the smallest of the nation's major universities, and students enjoy an academic community that maintains a commitment to individual education and an appreciation of academic and individual diversity.

Academic resources for research and intellectual advancement include extensive technological and scientific facilities, an internationally known faculty and a nationally ranked medical center. Cultural resources include the presence of professional dance, musical and theatrical groups, and an annual artist series which brings to the campus well-known orchestras, opera and ballet. The residential setting of Duke affords a wide variety of opportunities for intellectual, cultural and social sharing among faculty, students and the surrounding Durham community.

Dean of Admissions: Christoph Guttentag

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Undergraduate Total: 6,506

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT-I or ACT scores
If SAT-I is submitted, writing and 2 SAT-II tests are required.
Interview optional, but recommended
Application closing date: January 2
Early Decision application deadline: November 1 with notification by mid-December
Notification of admission: early-April. If candidate desires an alumni interview, Part 1 of application should be submitted by October 1 (Early Decision) or by December 1 (Regular Decision)
Application fee: \$75

Required High School Courses

16 year-long academic units, including 4 units of English.
Applicants to the School of Engineering also are required to have taken 4 units of math and at least 1 unit of physics or chemistry.
Engineering applicants must have taken calculus before they enroll.
University does not participate in CLEP. Advanced placement through CEEB or International Baccalaureate testing.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses

Tuition and Fees: \$41,938 for Trinity College and Pratt School of Engineering
Room and Board: \$11,967

Aid Officer: Alison Rabil (919-684-6225)

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, various regional, national and professional accreditations.

Calendar: The university is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in late August and early January. The academic year ends in early May. Two six-week summer sessions are scheduled.

Faculty: 3,138 total full-time faculty 770 of which are in Trinity College and the Pratt School of Engineering. 96% hold Doctorates .

Class Size: Average—less than 30; range from 1 to 250; average for science labs—18.

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S., B.S.E.

Special Programs: Program II (individualized programs); ROTC (Air Force/Navy/Army); Study Abroad; DukeEngage; Marine Science Program; Interdisciplinary Certificate Programs; Focus Programs for first-year students.

General: 95% of freshman graduate within 6 years of matriculation.

Library: Over 5 million volumes, over 17 million manuscripts. Full-time Director of Career Center.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Men have 13 varsity programs. Women have 13 varsity programs. Full intramural and club sports also available.

Campus activities: Musical and Arts Activities, Student Government, Cultural and Social Organizations, Interest Clubs, Language Clubs, Outing Clubs, Student Publications, Service Organizations, Sports Clubs.

ELON UNIVERSITY

2700 Campus Box, Elon, North Carolina 27244 | Telephone: (336) 278-3566 or 1-800-334-8448 | Web site: www.elon.edu

Coeducational Comprehensive University
Established 1889

Elon is a selective four-year coeducational residential university located in central North Carolina. A dynamic private comprehensive university known for excellent arts and sciences along with outstanding professional programs. Elon is distinguished by its size: large enough to offer the academic and extracurricular options of a university with small classes and personal attention.

Nationally recognized as a leader in engaged learning. Elon's premier programs include study abroad (Elon is ranked #1 in the nation among comparable institutions for the percentage of students who participate); an internship program (80% of students complete internships); service learning (Elon has been named to the President's Higher Education Community Service Honor Roll for the past four years); undergraduate research and leadership. Graduate programs offer master's degrees in business, interactive media and education, doctorate in physical therapy and a juris doctor from the Elon School of Law. Elon is also known for its beautiful campus. New facilities include the Lindner Hall home of Elon College, the College of Arts and Sciences, 60,000 square-foot Ernest A. Koury Business Center, the 82,000 square-foot Belk library, Colonnades dining hall, new student housing, and the new Gray and Spence Pavilions. Elon once again has been ranked in the top tier of southern colleges and universities - #2 among 118 by US News and World Report and among the top 10% of the nation's colleges and universities by the National Survey of Student Engagement. Kiplinger's ranked Elon among the nation's top 50 best value private universities.

Dean of Admissions: Greg L. Zaiser
E-mail: admissions@elon.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Undergraduate Total: 5,032
2,070 Men, 2,962 Women
1,369 N.C. Residents, 1,369 Out-of-State Students
On-Campus Students in 51 residence halls

ADMISSIONS

Early Decision (binding):
Application deadline - Nov. 1
Notification Date - Dec. 1
Enrollment Deposit Date - Jan. 10, non-refundable
Early Action (non-binding):
Application deadline - Nov. 10
Notification Date - Dec. 20
Enrollment Deposit Date - May 1
Final Freshman Deadline:
Application deadline - Jan. 10
Notification Date - Mar. 15
Enrollment Deposit Date - May 1
Fellows Scholarship Application Deadline: Jan. 10
All deadlines are postmark dates. All materials needed to complete your application must be postmarked by the stated deadline.
Application fee: \$50
Commitment deposit: \$300 for commuters, \$500 for boarders
Campus Open Houses: Seniors - Oct. 29, Nov. 12, 2011;
Juniors - Apr. 14, 2012
Campus Visits: Mon.-Fri., 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.; Sat. 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English
3 or more units of Math (Algebra I and II and Geometry are required)
3 or more units of Science (including at least one lab science)
3 or more units of Social Studies (including U.S. History)
2 or more units of Foreign Language (same language)
CLEP program participant/AP program participant.

AP CREDIT: <http://www.elon.edu/e-web/administration/registrar/advPlace.xhtml>

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses
Tuition and Fees: \$27,881
Room and Board: \$9,090
Approximately 60% receive financial assistance.

Academic, Fellows (Honors, Business, Arts and Sciences, Leadership, Communications, and National and NC Teaching Fellows) scholarships, engineering scholarships, fine arts, athletic, Pre-med, and ROTC scholarships available; Endowed scholarships for academically talented, high-need NC students.

Aid Officer: Mr. Patrick Murphy

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

Calendar: The university is on a 4-1-4 system, with classes beginning in late August. The academic year ends in mid-May. Summer session is scheduled.

Faculty: 358 full-time, 143 part-time. 86% hold Doctorates or Terminal Degrees

Class Size: Average—21

Degrees Offered: A.B., B.S., B.F.A., M.B.A., M.Ed., MA Interactive Media, MS in Physician Assistant Studies, Doctorate of Physical Therapy (DPT) and J.D. Elon University School of Law.

Special Programs: Presidential Merit Based Scholarships, Honors Fellows, Communications Fellows, National and North Carolina Teaching Fellows, Leadership Fellows, Elon College Arts and Sciences Fellows and Business Fellows, 3-2/Dual Degree Engineering program affiliated w/N.C. State University, Virginia Tech, NCA&T, Columbia University, University of Notre Dame, Georgia Tech, University of South Carolina, Penn State and Washington University at St. Louis. Independent study, study abroad, internships, undergraduate research, ROTC, pre-major advising. Tutorial service available to all students. Academic Advising Center. Career Services. Writing Center.

General: 78.2% of freshman matriculants graduate, 6 year rate.

Library: 278,268 volumes, 7,401 serial subscriptions, 21,000 government documents, 25,325 online journals, wireless environment with 120 computers and 60 laptops available for circulation.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: NCAA I Southern Conference. Men's varsity programs in baseball, basketball, cross-country, football, golf, soccer, and tennis. Women's varsity programs in basketball, cross-country, indoor/outdoor track and field, golf, soccer, softball, tennis and volleyball. Full intramural program and 21 club sports.

Campus activities: Musical and Art activities, Student Government, Service Organizations, Social Organizations, Special Interest Clubs, Newspaper, Radio Station, Cultural Events, Religious Life Groups – approximately 150 student-run organizations.

GARDNER-WEBB UNIVERSITY

Boiling Springs, North Carolina 28017 | Telephone: (704) 406-4498 or 1-800-253-6472 | Web site: www.gardner-webb.edu

Coeducational Four-Year University
Established 1905

Gardner-Webb is a fully accredited Baptist liberal arts university. It is of moderate size, with a good student-to-faculty ratio. Campus life is characterized by friendliness and genuine concern for the individual student.

The college is located in Boiling Springs, NC, a small town near Shelby and 50 miles west of Charlotte. It is in the western Piedmont area of North Carolina and within an hour's drive of the beautiful Blue Ridge Mountains. This area is part of a rapidly developing section of the nation.

Assistant VP of Undergraduate Admissions: Kristen Setzer
E-mail: ksetzer@gardner-webb.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Undergraduate Total: 2,831
985 Men, 1,846 Women
78% N.C. Residents, 22% Out-of-State Students
1,288 On-Campus Students in 10 residence halls and 9 apartment buildings

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT or ACT score reports
Interview recommended
Students admitted each term
Notification of admission on rolling basis
Application fee: \$40
Commitment deposit: requested within 30 days of acceptance; \$150 for resident student, \$50 for commuters. Refundable until May 1.
Visitation: Dawg Days – Open House Events; personal visits during work week, one Saturday per month

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English
2 units of Algebra
1 unit of Geometry
3 units of Natural Science
2 units of Social Studies
2 units of Foreign Language
4 units of electives
CLEP program participant. Advanced placement available.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses
Tuition and Fees: \$23,510
Room and Board: \$7,570

Aid Officer: Summer Nance (704-406-4243)

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission, National Association of Schools of Music, National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education, Association of Theological Schools, Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education Programs, Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs, Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs.

Calendar: The college is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in late August and early January. The academic year ends in mid-May. Summer sessions are scheduled.

Faculty: 147 full-time, 80% hold Doctorates.

Class Size: Average—25; range from 10 to 40; average for science labs—25.

Degrees Offered: A.D.N (RN), MSN, BSN, B.A., B.M., B.S., B.F.A., M.A., D.Min., D.N.P., Ed.D., M.Div., M.B.A., I.M.B.A., MAcc.

Special Programs: Degree program for the Deaf and Hearing Impaired, American Sign Language, Program for the Blind. Full-time Career Planning and Placement Officer.

General: At Gardner-Webb University we seek a higher ground in higher education; one that embraces faith and intellectual freedom, balances conviction with compassion and inspires in students a love of learning, service and leadership. We have great things in mind for our students and the world.

Library: 250,000+ volumes/ 700,000+ items, Internet Access, and NC LIVE.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Men's varsity programs in baseball, basketball, cross-country, football, golf, soccer, swimming, tennis, track and field and wrestling. Women's varsity programs in basketball, cross-country, golf, softball, soccer, swimming, track and field, tennis and volleyball. Full intramural program.

Campus activities: Student Government, Student Newspaper, Academic Clubs, Religious Activities/clubs, Radio Station, Art Shows, Movies, Guest Lecturers, Drama, Concerts/Dances, The Verge, Broyhill Outdoor Adventure Course.

GREENSBORO COLLEGE

815 West Market Street, Greensboro, North Carolina 27401-1875 | Telephone: 1-800-346-8226 | Web site: www.greensborocollege.edu

Coeducational Four-Year College
Established 1838

Greensboro College offers students a unique situation—a small college setting in a large university environment. With its emphasis on individual and personal attention for all students and the social and cultural advantages of a city of 270,000 people, Greensboro College provides an ideal atmosphere for living and learning.

Greensboro College is affiliated with the United Methodist Church and is centered on the liberal arts. Its mission provides ample opportunity for ethical and religious growth. The Ethics across the Curriculum Program ensures that all students are exposed to ethical questions in all the disciplines. Faculty and staff are committed to providing services, activities and opportunities for each student's intellectual and personal growth.

The academic curriculum is designed with writing-intensive courses in most disciplines. Greensboro students benefit from an academic advising program that assists students in their classes. The College's commitment to individual attention and instruction is exemplified by a student-faculty ratio of 14 to 1.

Co-curricular opportunities abound for Greensboro College students. The community service emphasis, co-curricular transcript availability, and the full complement of intramurals, clubs and organizations serve to round the student's experience.

Vice President for Enrollment Management: Colleen Murphy
E-mail: admissions@greensborocollege.edu

Faculty: 59 full-time, 62 part-time.

Class Size: Average—13

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.M.E., B.S., M.A., M.Ed.

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total: 1,169
538 Men, 631 Women
852 N.C. Residents, 317 Out-of-State Students, including international
471 On-Campus, 698 Commuters

Special Programs: Strong community service commitment among students. Computerized writing center; writing across the curriculum; ethics across the curriculum; leadership development emphasis; co-curricular transcript available to all students; Exploratory Studies - focused programming and advising for first year students who are undecided about majors or have multiple interests; Exploring Career and Life Directions - a course that helps students actively explore career interests through job shadowing, professional speakers, connecting with alumni and mini-internships; Internships - helping juniors and seniors have a deep learning experience in their academic and career field of interest; Career Transitions - a senior level course helping students to effectively move to either graduate school or their career of choice; Precis Program for new students; ROTC (through N.C. A&T); and Honors Degree Program focusing on international and diverse cultures.

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT or ACT scores
Interview recommended
No closing date for applications, financial aid priority given to those received before March 1.
Early action plan
Students admitted each term
Students admitted on rolling basis
Application fee: \$35
Commitment deposit: \$200
Visitation: Saturday visit days or by appointment

General: Career Development Center, Religious Life Program, Internships, Peer Tutorial Program, computer labs. Wireless access available across campus for the Internet, library and World Wide Web.

Library: 110,526 volumes. Area colleges are linked electronically, giving access to a total of 750,000 volumes.

Recommended High School Courses

Total of 15 units, including 12 in academic subjects
CLEP program participant. Advanced placement available through CEEB and departmental tests.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Men's varsity programs in baseball, basketball, cross-country, football, golf, lacrosse, soccer, swimming, and tennis. Women's varsity programs in basketball, cross-country, golf, lacrosse, soccer, tennis, volleyball and softball. Full intramural program.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses
Tuition and Fees: \$25,000
Room and Board: \$9,100
Students who apply for admission and are accepted before late December will receive priority in the financial aid process. This Early Action Plan is designed for students to receive early notification of financial aid possibilities.

Campus Activities: Clubs and organizations include: Alpha Chi, Alpha Kappa Omega, Alpha Xi Delta, American Marketing Association, Art Student League, Athletic Training Club, Baseball Club, Beta Beta Beta, Business Society, Campus Crusade for Christ, Cheerleaders, Chorale, Collegian (newspaper), Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Fine Arts Association, Gospel Choir, Hillel, Interclub Council, Intramural and Recreational Sports Club, La Asociacion de los Amigos del Idioma Castellano, Lyre (literary magazine), Marching Band, Math Club, Medical Careers Club, Music Educators Association, Physical Education Club, Pre-Health Society, Pre-Law Association, Pride Leaders, Pride Productions, Psychology Club, Show Choir, Sociology & Criminal Justice Club, Softball Club, Stage Band, Student Athlete Advisory Committee, Student Christian Fellowship, Student Ambassadors, Student Council for Exceptional Children, Student Government Association, Student Honors Organization, Student National Education Association, Students in Free Enterprise, Theatre, United African American Society.

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education, Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education (CAATE), National Association of Schools of Music (NASM)

Calendar: The College is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in late August and early January. The academic year ends in early May. Two summer sessions are scheduled.

GUILFORD COLLEGE

5800 West Friendly Avenue, Greensboro, North Carolina 27410 | Telephone: (336) 316-2100 or 1-800-992-7759 | Web site: www.guilford.edu

*Coeducational Four-Year College
Established 1837*

"Guilford is a place where people trust and like each other. It is a stimulating place where the teachers care, where they expect a lot, and where they provide encouragement as well as the challenge to get young people to do things they had no idea they could do."

*-Loren Pope
Former New York Times Education Editor
and author of *Colleges That Change Lives**

Vice President for Enrollment Services: Randy Doss
E-mail: admission@guilford.edu

Faculty: 121 full-time, 97 part-time.

Class Size: Average—16; range from 1 to 30; average for science labs—15.

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total: 2,732 (1,416 Traditional)
8% Male, 52% Female (Traditional)
42% N.C. Residents, 1% from other countries
77% On-Campus Students in 16 residence halls, houses and apartments
Campus is 100% wireless

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S., B.F.A., B.M.

Special Programs: Honors Program, independent study, off-campus seminars, 12 study abroad programs, interdisciplinary degree, forensic biology major, peace and conflict studies major, Quaker Leadership Scholars Program, Corella and Bertram Bonner Scholars Program (service learning) and The Center for Principled Problem Solving.

ADMISSIONS

Applicants can submit either SAT or ACT score reports or an academic portfolio of writing in lieu of standardized test scores.
Closing date for applications: Nov. 15, Jan. 15, Feb. 15
Students admitted each term
Early Action plan
Notification of admission on a modified rolling basis
Application fee: \$25, application fee waived when submitted on-line
Commitment deposit: \$400, due by May 1
Weekdays and weekend (during the academic year) visits by appointment

General: Offers 38 majors and 54 minors. Member of area college/university consortium, allowing students to take courses at seven other campuses without additional charge. Extensive internship and service learning programs. Facilities include a 65,000 square foot science center, newly remodeled athletic facilities and various campus housing options (traditional residence halls, apartment complexes and themed houses).

Library: 250,000 volumes, another 3 million items available through computerized loan program. Fully-equipped Media Center, nine-room art gallery, Friends Historical Collection.

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English
3 units of Math
3 unit of History
2 units of Science
2 units of Foreign Language
CLEP program participant. Advanced placement available.
Honors Program: 1300+ SAT (CR and M) recommended.

STUDENT LIFE

The college operates on an honor system.

Athletics: Men's varsity programs in baseball, basketball, cross-country, football, golf, lacrosse, soccer, tennis, and track and field. Women's varsity programs in basketball, cross-country, lacrosse, soccer, softball, swimming, tennis, track and field, and volleyball. Full intramural program.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses
Tuition and Fees: \$30,100
Room and Board: \$8,270

Campus activities: Art/Lecture Series, 45 Student Organizations, Campus Ministry, Radio Station WQFS-FM, Dances/Concerts, Revelers Theatre Group, Choir, Coffee House, Newspaper, Yearbook, Off-Campus Seminars, Quaker Concerns Group, Websterian Pre-Law Society, Project Community, Africana Community, H.U.G. (Hispanos Unidos de Guilford) and Ultimate Frisbee.

Aid Officer: Paul Coscia

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

Calendar: The college is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in late August and mid-January. The academic year ends in early May. Summer sessions are scheduled.

HIGH POINT UNIVERSITY

833 Montfieu Avenue, High Point, North Carolina 27262-3598 | Telephone: (336) 841-9216 or 1-800-345-6993 | Fax: (336) 888-6382 | Web site: www.highpoint.edu

Coeducational Four-Year University
Established 1924

At High Point University, every student receives an extraordinary education in an inspiring environment with caring people.

High Point University has begun an incredible path to excellence and has entered an exciting new era of achievement, academic excellence, and growth. More than \$500 million in new construction and campus improvements have now completed to enhance both student life and academic pursuits. New buildings now open or will open soon include the Phillips School of Business, Plato Wilson School of Commerce, Qubein School of Communications, School of Education, University Center with a sports grille, bakery, movie theatre, 5 star steak house and more; the new Steele Athletic Center; new stadiums and additional athletic fields; the new Slane Student Activities and Wellness Center that includes a full 2-story fitness center, student gym, raised running track, and an atrium with Starbucks®, Chick-fil-A™, and Subway®; five new private room student residence halls that include a total of 1500 new state-of-the-art rooms; and David Hayworth University Park with walking trails, ponds, and an incredible outdoor amphitheatre with a 15-foot waterfall and lots of green space. With its International Promenade, historic buildings, modern facilities, totally wireless campus, and well-manicured grounds, High Point looks and feels just like a top quality boutique university should. Located on 300 acres, the campus is spacious and open, yet you can walk from one end to the other in fewer than 10 minutes. If you live on campus, you will live in a residence hall that has been either recently built or recently renovated. All residence halls are air-conditioned, and students have access to free cable TV, free laundry service, and the Internet—both wired and wireless. High Point University has beautiful, big school facilities and academic buildings in a caring, small school environment. At High Point University, every student receives an extraordinary education in an inspiring environment with caring people.

2009 and 2010 America's Best Colleges, published by U.S. News and World Report, lists High Point University the #1 Up & Coming College in the South and in the top tier of the nation's liberal arts colleges and #3 out of 103 Baccalaureate colleges in the South and rising. The Peterson's publication Smart Parents Guide to College (1996), by Ernest Boyer, former president of the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, and his son, Paul, features High Point University. Forbes Magazine lists High Point in the top 7% of colleges in America. The University also is listed on The Templeton Foundation Honor Roll of Character-Building Colleges. Parade Magazine lists High Point University in the top 25 private schools in America.

Director of Admissions: Beth McCarthy
E-mail: admiss@highpoint.edu

Faculty: 186 full-time, 142 part-time. 77% hold Doctoral/terminal degrees.

Class Size: Average—18; student-faculty ratio: 16:1.

Degrees Offered: B.A.; B.S.; M.B.A.; M.A.; M.S.; M.Ed.; M.A.T.

Special Programs: Experiential learning program; ethics across the curriculum; honors program; independent study; individualized majors; writing fellows program; pre-professional advising (dentistry, engineering, forestry and environmental studies, graduate, law, medicine, pharmacy, physical therapy, physician's assistant, theology, veterinary sciences); study abroad programs in England, Scotland, Wales, Ireland, Germany, France, Spain, Italy, Canada, Mexico, Ecuador, China, Australia; President's Seminar on Life Skills as a required class taught by president Qubein that meets each week in the fall semester where he shares real life lessons and skills that lead to success.

General: Strong career development and internship programs. 17 public computer labs on campus; wireless internet throughout campus; academic services center with free tutoring.

Library: There are three libraries at High Point University; the Budd Campus Library, Smith Library and the University Center Learning Commons. In addition the campus also has two special book collections; the Bassett Furniture Library in Norton Hall and the Qubein School of Communication Collection. Smith Library and the University Center Learning Commons are both open 24/7 during the regular semester. Students have access to help in-person, by phone, online, via chat and text during all hours of operation. Because of a local area consortium, students have direct access to more than 5 million volumes, including 325,000 volumes in the Smith Library, 65,000 e-books and access to 37,000 online journal titles. Wireless access, 100 PCs and Macs in four different labs, free printing and media assistance with all of the elements of a small business center makes Smith Library the ultimate destination to finish projects and papers.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: NCAA athletic programs (Division I, Big South Conference) for men: baseball, basketball, cross-country, golf, lacrosse, soccer, indoor and outdoor track; and for women in basketball, cross-country, golf, lacrosse, soccer, indoor and outdoor track, volleyball. Club sports include: basketball, IHSA equestrian, women's field hockey, golf, lacrosse, soccer, swimming, tennis, volleyball, ultimate Frisbee. Intramural sports also are very popular.

Campus activities: More than 70 clubs and activities, including musical groups, national fraternities and sororities, professional and honors organizations, publications, radio station, religious organizations, service organizations, student government, special interest groups (multi-cultural groups, political groups, etc.), cultural enrichment series, major theatrical productions, outdoor activities club, campus activities team, and more!

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total: 4,000 Students (3,650 traditional undergraduates)

ADMISSIONS

Applicants must submit either SAT or ACT scores
Closing date for applications: March 15, 2011
Early Decision, Early Action and Regular Decision
Notification of admission on a deadline basis
Application fee: \$50
Enrollment deposit: \$500

Required High School Courses

4 units of English
3 units of math
3 units of science
3 units of history
2 units of a second language
6 units of electives
AP, International Baccalaureate, CLEP (General and Subject) and CEEB/SAT
II credit awarded based on test scores (see Undergraduate Bulletin).

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses

Comprehensive Fee*: \$37,800
*Covers tuition, fees, room and board (double occupancy), and much more!
Through a financial aid policy which awards more than \$26 million annually to students, the University seeks to assure that no student who is willing to study and work will be denied enrollment for financial reasons alone.

Aid Officer: Beth McCarthy

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: The Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools to award Bachelor's and Master's degrees; University Senate of The United Methodist Church; National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education; North Carolina State Department of Public Instruction; The Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs; The Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs; The Council for Interior Design.

Calendar: Semesters begin August (fall) and January (spring); optional May, June and July terms.

JOHNSON C. SMITH UNIVERSITY

100 Beatties Ford Road, Charlotte, North Carolina 28216 | Telephone: (704) 378-1010 or 1-800-782-7303 | Web site: www.jcsu.edu

Coeducational Four-Year University
Established 1867

Johnson C. Smith University is committed to academic excellence. Every student is encouraged to develop to his/her fullest potential. We focus on the development of the total person—physically, intellectually and spiritually.

Johnson C. Smith University is the first historically black college or university (HBCU) to become an IBM ThinkPad University. Community service is a requirement for graduation. Students now have the opportunity to travel abroad with JCSU's Go Global! Initiative. The program provides every JCSU freshman a free passport. Study abroad opportunities are available in locations such as Japan, Australia, Spain, Russia, Morocco, Mexico, Ireland, Israel, and Brazil.

All students participate in the Learning Across the Curriculum Program that culminates in a Senior Investigative Paper required for graduation. Extensive career development opportunities abound through co-op programs and internships with over 90 companies. A state-of-the-art library provides over 300 electronic data ports for Internet access. Our strong academic programs are complemented by social and cultural activities, clubs and student organizations that contribute to the personal and social growth of our students.

Interim Senior Associate Director: Dwight Sanchez

Faculty: 76% full-time, 31 part-time, 65% hold Doctorates or terminal degrees.

ENROLLMENT

Class Size: Average—18; range from 2 to 42; average for science labs —17. Student-faculty ratio is 12 to 1.

2010-11 Total: 1,331

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S., B.S.W.

ADMISSIONS

Special Programs: Metropolitan College for adult learners, Smith Initiative for Applied Research, ROTC (through University of North Carolina at Charlotte), Minority Biomedical Research Support, cooperative education, enrichment programs in Math and Science, Collaborative Learning Program in engineering.

Applicants must submit HS transcript
Students admitted each term
Deadline March 15 for fall
Applicants must submit SAT or ACT scores
Application fee: \$25
\$100 Matriculation fee and \$150 room reservation fee
Visitation: Call for appointment

General: 70% of freshman matriculates persist.

Library: 115,838 volumes. Career development center assists students seeking part-time, summer and permanent employment, internships and advanced study.

Required/Recommended High School Courses

STUDENT LIFE

4 units of English
3 units of Math
2 units of Science (1 must include a Lab)
2 units of Social Studies
2 Foreign Language
3 Academic Electives
The university does not participate in CLEP. Advanced placement available with scores of 3 or better.

Athletics: Men's varsity programs in basketball, football, golf, tennis, track and cross-country. Women's varsity programs in basketball, softball, tennis, track, cross-country, bowling and volleyball.

Campus activities: Social Fraternities and Sororities, Marching Band, Concert Band, Student Government Association, Religious Life, University Choir.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses
Tuition and Fees: \$17,368 Annual
Room and Board: \$6,762 Annual

Aid Officer: VACANT

Financial Aid Telephone: 1-888-457-3119; (704) 378-1035

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs, National Association for the Accreditation of Teacher Education, Council on Social Work Education.

Calendar: The college is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in mid August and early January. The academic year ends in early May. Summer sessions are scheduled.

LEES-MCRAE COLLEGE

P.O. Box 128, Banner Elk, North Carolina 28604 | Telephone: (800) 280-4562 or (828) 898-8723 | Web site: www.lmc.edu

Coeducational Four-Year College
Established 1900

Lees-McRae College is an engaged learning community where students are inspired to pursue excellence and make a difference in the world. We offer a challenging intellectual environment for every student in a setting that is rich in heritage and natural beauty with faculty and staff who nurture talents, inspire success, and prepare students for lives of meaning and purpose. Lees-McRae sits high in the Blue Ridge Mountains of western North Carolina in the town of Banner Elk. In fact, our campus has a higher elevation than any college east of the Rockies. What that means for our students is an incredible array of outdoor recreation: snowboarding, skiing, kayaking, mountain biking, fly-fishing, and hiking – they're all just minutes from campus. Lees-McRae College prides itself on meeting students where they are, then inspiring them to become something greater. This is true for students of all academic abilities. Student success clearly takes precedence at Lees-McRae. It's a commitment that shows all over campus. The College even has its own Division of Student Success, which offers First Year Experience, academic advising, tutoring, disability resources, a writing center, and much more.

The College's Honors Program challenges and engages highly motivated students, yet it retains the supportive environment. In every program, faculty are well known for their nurturing mentor relationships with students. A low student-teacher ratio enables them to give students the extra attention that so enriches the Lees-McRae educational experience. Presentation technology is available in several classrooms and the college has a wireless computer network system in all residence halls, classrooms, study areas and even outdoors.

E-mail: admissions@lmc.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total: 894

353 Men, 541 Women
559 N.C. Residents, 335 Out-of-State
687 On-Campus Students, 207 Off-Campus Students
481 Students in On-Campus Residence Halls

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT or ACT score reports as well as all transcripts
Interview is optional but highly recommended
Campus visits are encouraged; several open house dates are available throughout the year
Students admitted each semester
Notification of admission on rolling basis
Enrollment deposit: \$250, refunded until May 1.

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English
3 units of Math
2 units of Science
2 units of History
2 units of Foreign Language

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses

Tuition and Fees: \$22,164
Room and Board: \$7,800

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training; Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education; National Association of Schools of Theater; National Association for the Accreditation of Teacher Education through 6/11; then Teacher Education Accreditation Council (soon to be called Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation).

Calendar: The college is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in late August and mid-January. The academic year ends in mid-May. Summer sessions are scheduled. January Term is offered.

Faculty: 50 full-time, 33 part-time. 60% hold Doctorates.

Class Size: Average—15; range from 1 to 35. Average for science labs—20.
Student/faculty ratio—14:1; 60% of classes have less than 15 students.

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S.

Special Programs: Adult Learning / Extended Campus programs, Honors Program, Interdisciplinary Studies, Teacher Certification, Blue Ridge Wildlife Institute, Elk Valley Field Station, Home School Physical Education Program, Service Scholars Program, New Opportunity School for Women, Study Abroad, Stephenson Center for Appalachia, Staley Lecture Series, and Summer Theater.

Library: 90,000 volumes, access to 122,000 electronic resources, interlibrary loan services, career resources, Stirling Appalachian Collection, electronic journals, education curriculum center, college archives, honors library, and global education resources.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Lees-McRae College is a member of the Carolinas Conference for all sports except cycling, which competes in the Southeastern College Cycling Conference.

NCAA Division II and participates in men's intercollegiate basketball, cross country, cycling, golf, lacrosse, soccer, tennis, track and field and volleyball. Women participate in basketball, cross-country, cycling, lacrosse, soccer, softball, tennis, track and field and volleyball. The athletic facilities include indoor and outdoor tennis courts, 8-lane track, lighted lacrosse, soccer and track and field venue, volleyball and basketball courts, athletic training facilities, a large heated indoor pool, and varsity weight room. Over 3 miles of cycling trails.

Campus activities: Alpha Chi Honor Society, Hiking, Rock Climbing Club, Competition Climbing Club, Belly Dancing Club, International Club, Optimist Club, LMC Players, Equestrian Club, Search and Rescue Team, Backpacking Club, Bible Studies, Mission and Service Trips, Alternative Breaks, Dances, Camping, Music, Skiing, Snowboarding, Swimming, Cheerleading, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, KIBO Emerging Leaders, Student Government, Movie Nights, Fall Homecoming, Spring Fling, SAVE (Students Against a Vanishing Environment), Greek Life, CATCH (Campus After The Class Hours), Order of the Tower, Amnesty International, CATEARS (Peer Educators), Residence Hall Association, SPECTRUM, Student Athletic Advisory Committee (SACC), Students of All Races (SOAR), PAWS (Programming Activities With Students) and Student Ambassadors.

LENOIR-RHYNE UNIVERSITY

Enrollment Services, LRC Box 7227, Hickory, North Carolina 28603 | Telephone: (828) 328-7300 or (800) 277-5721 | Web site: www.lr.edu

Coeducational Four-Year University
Established 1891

Lenoir-Rhyne University is located in Hickory, a city of 40,000 residents. The area provides many cultural events, as well as winter and water sports. Student involvement in the Hickory community creates a unique relationship between the students of Lenoir-Rhyne and various community groups in Catawba County.

Director of Admissions: Karen Feezor
E-mail: admission@lr.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total: 1,837

ADMISSIONS

Accepts either SAT or ACT equally
Interview recommended
No closing date for applications
Students admitted each term
Notification of admission on rolling basis
Application fee: \$35
Commitment deposit: \$200, refundable until May 1

Required High School Courses

4 units of English
2 units of Algebra
1 unit of Geometry
1 unit of Lab Science
1 unit of U.S. History
2 units of Foreign Language
2 units of academic subjects
16 total units
CLEP program participant. Advanced placement available through AP testing.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses
Tuition and Fees: \$26,524
Room and Board: \$9,370

Aid Officer: Nick Jenkins

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges, American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education, N.C. Association of Colleges and Universities, Commission of Collegiate Nursing Education, Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education, and the Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs.

Calendar: The university is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in late August and early January. The academic year ends in early May. Summer sessions are scheduled.

Faculty: 93 full-time, 93 part-time. 83% of full-time Faculty hold Doctorates.
Class Size: Average—17; range from 1 to 40; average for science labs—15.

Degrees Offered: BA, BS, BM, MBA, MA Counseling, MA Language Development & Learning, MS Occupational Therapy, MS Athletic Training, MA Liberal Studies, Dietetics Internship (RD), Post-Baccalaureate Certificates in Accounting, Counseling from a Christian Perspective, Healthcare Administration, and Teacher Licensure.

Special Programs: NC Teaching Fellows Participant, honors, independent study, Washington Semester, study abroad, special services for hearing impaired students, Lineberger Center for Cultural and Educational Renewal, Broyhill Institute for Business Leadership, College Consortium for International Study, Thomas Reese Institute for the Conservation of Natural Resources.

General: 57% of freshman matriculants graduate.

Library: Over 150,000 volumes, over 10,000 periodical subscriptions with additional 10,000 titles available electronically NCLive, Interlibrary loan program, extensive DVD, video, and audio collection, and curriculum collection for teacher education.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Men's varsity programs in baseball, basketball, cross-country, football, golf, lacrosse, soccer, swimming, tennis, and track and field. Women's varsity programs in basketball, cross-country, golf, lacrosse, soccer, softball, swimming, tennis, track and field, and volleyball. Full intramural program.

Campus activities: Fraternities, Sororities, College Bowl, Theatre, Choir, Bands, Outing Clubs, Cheerleading, Dance Companies, Broyhill Leadership Institute, Radio/TV Studios, Christian Fellowship, Circle K, Program Board, Student Government, Homecoming, Publications, Honorary Fraternities, Center for Theological Studies, Habitat for Humanity, various religious organizations, Stage Combat Troupe, Model UN and Debate/Forensics.

LIVINGSTONE COLLEGE

701 West Monroe Street, Salisbury, North Carolina 28144 | Telephone: (704) 216- 6000, 1-800-835-3435 | Web site: www.livingstone.edu

Coeducational Four-Year College
Established 1879

Livingstone College is a private, coeducational, residential, church-related, and historically black college, located in the city of Salisbury, the county seat of Rowan County, North Carolina. The campus is within an hour's drive of two major metropolitan areas: Charlotte; and the Piedmont Triad of Greensboro, Winston-Salem, and High Point. Comprising four Divisions, namely the Division of Liberal Arts; Division of Mathematics and Sciences; Division of Business; and Division of Education, Social Work, and Psychology; the College offers the Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science, and Bachelor of Social Work degrees in about 21 major fields. Largely supported by the African Methodist Episcopal Zion (A.M.E.Z.) Church, it provides an education to approximately 1,156 students from over 20 states and several foreign countries.

For 130 years, Livingstone College has been providing academic operations that are entirely nonsectarian and open to men and women of potential, regardless of their race, religion, or national origin.

Associate Vice President for Admissions: Mr. Les Ferrier
E-mail: admissions@livingstone.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Undergraduate Total: 1,156

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT or ACT scores
Interview optional
Application closing date: Rolling admission
Students admitted each term
Notification of admission: 10 days after file is completed
Application fee: \$25 (non-refundable)
Housing deposit: \$200 non-refundable, due July 1
Campus Tours: Mon.-Fri., 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.; Sat. by appointment

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English
3 units of Mathematics
2 units of Natural Science
2 units of Social Studies
2 units of Foreign Language desired, but not required

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses
Tuition (12-18 hours): \$12,354
Mandatory Fees: \$2,004
Book Rental: \$300
Room and Board: \$6,342
TOTAL DIRECT COST: \$21,000

Aid Officer: Ms. Sheri Jefferson

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, Council on Social Work Education (CSWE), National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE)

Approved by:
The North Carolina Department of Public Instruction (NCDPI)

Calendar: Livingstone College is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in late August and mid-January. The academic year ends in mid-May.

Faculty: 59 full-time, 22 part-time. Approximately 58% hold Doctorates.

Class Size: Average—20; range from 8 to 55; Average for science labs — 25. Student-faculty ratio—17 to 1.

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S., B.S.W.

Special Programs: Evening and Weekend College, Bridge Program, Student Success Center, Internships and Student Support Services.

Library: 67,314 volumes.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Men's varsity programs in basketball, football, golf, and track/cross country. Women's varsity programs in basketball, bowling, tennis, track/cross country, softball, and volleyball. Comprehensive intramural program.

Campus activities: Fraternities, Sororities, Departmental Clubs, Marching Band, Student Government, Movies, Concert Choir, Jazz Ensemble, Campus Ministries, Gospel Choir, Honor Societies, Year Book Staff.

LOUISBURG COLLEGE

501 North Main Street, Louisburg, North Carolina 27549 | Telephone: (919) 496-2521 or 1-800-775-0208 | Web site: www.louisburg.edu

Coeducational Junior College

Chartered two years before George Washington became our nation's first president, Louisburg College is the oldest church-related two-year college in the United States. Located in a historic, small town 30 miles north of Raleigh, the College offers small classes, strong academic support services, and a comprehensive program of athletics, campus organizations, and activities. Students may select from programs which will enable them to transfer to four-year institutions in virtually any major area of study they choose. Graduates transfer to a wide range of four-year colleges and universities, with guaranteed acceptance to the public university system of North Carolina with the appropriate grade point averages and courses.

Vice President for Enrollment: Stephanie Buchanan Tolbert
E-mail: admissions@louisburg.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total: 452 Men, 194 Women
445 N.C. Residents, 201 Out-of-State Students
594 On-Campus Students in 6 residence halls
52 Commuters

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT or ACT scores
Interview is optional
No closing date for applications
Students admitted each term
Application fee: \$25
Commitment deposit: \$150
Visitation: (By appointment)
During school year: Mon.-Fri., 8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.;
Summer: Mon.-Thu., 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.; Fri., 8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English
3 units of Mathematics
3 units of Science
3 units of Social Studies
2 units of Foreign Language
CLEP program participant

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses
Tuition and Fees: \$14,336
Room and Board: \$8,752
Payment plans offered.
Ninety-two percent receive financial aid

Aid Officer: Vickie Fleming

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Louisburg College is accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools to award Associate Degrees. Louisburg College is also accredited by the University Senate of the United Methodist Church and by the North Carolina Board of Education.

Calendar: The college is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in late August and early January. The academic year ends in mid-May.

Faculty: 22 full-time, 45 part-time. 7.4% hold Doctorates.

Class Size: Average—20; range from 5 to 30; average for science labs—20.
Degrees Offered: A.A. General College, A.S. General Science, A.S. Business

Special Programs: Learning Partners (comprehensive program for learning disabled students), Summer Transition Program, Freshman Seminar, peer tutoring, math lab, writing skills center, science center, independent study in some departments.

General: 90% of graduates transfer to senior institutions.

Library: 50,000 volumes.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Men's varsity programs in baseball, basketball, football, golf, and soccer. Women's varsity programs in basketball, soccer, softball, volleyball. Full intramural program.

Campus activities: Concerts, Dances, Movies, Lecture Series, Newspaper, Magazine, Christian Life Council, Cheerleading, Literary Magazine, Honor Societies, Drama, Chorale and Ensemble, Student Government, Young Democrats' Club, Young Republicans' Club, WAVES, Peace Group, Spanish Club, African American Historical Society, Environmental Concerns Club, Residence Life Council, Phi Beta Lambda, Student Ambassadors, American Chemical Society.

MARS HILL COLLEGE

Office of Admissions, P.O. Box 370, Mars Hill, North Carolina 28754 | Telephone: (828) 689-1201 or 1-866-MHC-4-YOU | Web site: www.mhc.edu

Coeducational Four-Year College
Established 1856

Mars Hill College, an academic community rooted in the Christian faith, challenges and equips students to pursue intellectual, spiritual, and personal growth that is:

- grounded in a rigorous study of the Liberal Arts
- connected with the world of work, and
- committed to character development, to service, and to responsible citizenship in the community, the region, and the world.

Mars Hill College, the oldest educational institution in Western North Carolina, was founded in 1856. The college is located in one of the most beautiful regions of the United States, the beautiful Blue Ridge Mountains of North Carolina.

Mars Hill is just 18 miles from Asheville, recently named an "All American City" and one of the top 25 cultural cities in America. Asheville has the sophisticated attractions of a major metropolis, and is known for its quality arts, crafts and music offerings. The college is also just minutes from snow skiing, whitewater rafting, mountain biking, camping and hiking on the Blue Ridge Parkway.

Dean of Enrollment: Ed Hoffmeyer
E-mail: admissions@mhc.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total: 955
535 Men, 420 Women
557 N.C. Residents, 398 Out-of-State Students
756 On-Campus Students in 11 residence halls and apartments
199 Commuters

ADMISSIONS

College accepts SAT and ACT
Interview is optional, essay is optional
Students admitted each term
Notification of admission on rolling basis
Application fee: \$25
Commitment deposit: \$250
Campus visit is strongly recommended

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English
2 units of Algebra
1 unit of Geometry
2 units of Natural Science
2 units of History
2 units of Foreign Language
2 units of Social Studies
Electives to bring total to 20 units
CLEP program participant. Other forms of advanced placement available.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses
Tuition and Fees: \$21,997
Room and Board: \$7,632

Aid Officer: Amanda Randolph

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, N.C. Department of Public Instruction, N.C. Association of Colleges and Universities, National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education, National Association of Schools of Music, National Association of Schools of Theatre, Council on Social Work Education.

Calendar: The college is on a 4-4 plan, with classes beginning in late August. The academic year ends in mid-May. Summer sessions.

Faculty: 71 full-time, 76 part-time. 63% hold Doctorates, 70% hold terminal degrees.

Class Size: Average—12; range from 5 to 35; average for science labs—15.

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S., B.F.A., B.M., B.S.W.

Special Programs: Independent study, internships, foreign travel. All students are encouraged to participate in independent study projects and internships. Foreign study programs are offered in more than 100 countries through the International Student Exchange Program. Career advising, interdisciplinary programs in communications, international studies, business and liberal arts.

General: 40% of freshman matriculants graduate

Library: 90,000 volumes, campus network with free internet & e-mail, 138,000 e-books, over 50,000 serial subscriptions, over 500,000 microforms, media center with over 5,000 AV Materials.

STUDENT LIFE

Freshmen and sophomores are required to live on campus with exceptions made for married students and commuting students, living with parents. Alcohol is not permitted on campus.

Athletics: Men's varsity programs include baseball, basketball, lacrosse, track, cross-country, football, golf, soccer, swimming and tennis. Women's varsity programs include basketball, cross-country, golf, soccer, softball, swimming, tennis, track and volleyball. All teams are members of the South Atlantic Conference and compete in the NCAA Division II. Not part of the South Atlantic Conference is the men's and women's cycling teams.

Campus activities: Dances, Coffee House, Movies/Concerts, Religious Activities, Fraternities, Sororities, Professional Organizations, Student Government, Outdoor Recreation Activities, Intramural Sports, Service Learning Opportunities, Internships, Mission Trips.

MEREDITH COLLEGE

3800 Hillsborough Street, Raleigh, North Carolina 27607-5298 | Telephone: (919) 760-8581 or 1-800-MEREDITH | Web site: www.meredith.edu

Four-Year Women's College
Established 1891

Located on a 225-acre campus graced by grassy lawns, tall oaks and an amphitheater sloping down to meet a lake, Meredith College is situated amidst the excitement and activities of a capital city and the Research Triangle Park. The home of five colleges and universities, Raleigh bustles with professional and academic opportunities, cultural events, political activities and sports action. Meredith is a private comprehensive institution for women that continues to build upon the established liberal arts tradition while fostering in students integrity, independence, scholarship and personal growth. Meredith was the first women's college to adopt a campus-wide laptop program enhanced by a wireless network. All undergraduate students receive a laptop loaded with professional and educational software. An Undergraduate Research Program supports faculty/student partnerships in the pursuit of research and creative activity in all fields and disciplines. With more than 650 student leadership positions available, Meredith places strong emphasis on leadership and personal development opportunities for women. A special session of LeaderShape, a nationally recognized leadership development program, is offered exclusively for its own students. In a community of people caring for people, Meredith College is dedicated to civic engagement. Students, faculty and staff volunteer their time to Meredith Reads, a literacy program; Meals on Wheels, Habitat for Humanity; and a number of other service organizations both locally and far afield. In a close community of committed learners Meredith College strives to equip each student with knowledge, skills and values that will enrich future lives.

Director of Admissions: Jennifer Miller-Hogg
E-mail: admissions@meredith.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total: 2,132

1,774 Undergraduate Degree Women 271 Graduate Degree students
2,045 Total Degree Candidates
2,132 All Credit-Seeking Students
1,598 N.C. Residents; 229 Out-of-State students
1,006 On-campus undergraduates - 765 students in 7 residence halls; 241 in on-campus apartments

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT or ACT score reports
Interview not required
Recommended closing date for rolling admission: Feb. 15
Closing date for early decision: Oct. 30
Students admitted in Fall and Spring semesters
Notification of admission: Nov. 15 (early decision), admission on a rolling basis after November 1.
Application fee: \$40
Commitment deposit: \$100, due by Dec. 15 for early decision, May 1 for rolling admission.
Visitation: Visitation Days for Seniors; Visitation Day for Juniors: appointments for individual conferences and tours upon request.

Recommended High School Courses

A minimum of 16 overall academic units in grades 9-12, all in academic subjects. The program should include English (4 units), foreign language (2 units required), mathematics (3 units-Algebra I, Algebra II and geometry or a higher level course), science (3 units), history/social studies (3 units), and an elective. Preferably advanced placement through AP, IB, CLEP and college tests.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses

Tuition and Fees: \$27,720
Room and Board: \$7,950
Academic, Music, Interior Design and Art Scholarships. N.C. Teaching Fellows Scholarship. Paschal Scholarship (Engineering, Mathematics, Chemistry, Biology, Computer Science)

Aid Officer: Kevin Michaelsen

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB), National Association of Schools of Music (NASM), Council on Social Work Education, N.C. Department of Public Instruction, National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education, Council for Interior Design Accreditation (CIDA), Commission on Accreditation for Dietetics Education (CADE) of the American Dietetic Association. The

college is a member of the American Association of Colleges, American and N.C. Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, and the National Collegiate Athletic Association.

Calendar: The College is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in late August and early January. The academic year ends in mid-May. Summer sessions are scheduled.

Faculty: 124 full-time, 89 part-time. 91% full-time faculty hold Doctorates/Terminal Degrees

Class Size: Average—17 undergraduate; student-faculty ratio—11:1.

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S., B.Music, B.S.W., M.Ed., M.B.A., M. Science in Nutrition, M.A.T.

Special Programs: Meredith students can study abroad for a summer or a semester, choosing from offerings that span the globe. A faculty-led semester program in Italy allows students to experience the richness of daily Italian life. Meredith faculty also lead summer programs in Costa Rica, France, Iceland, Italy, Spain and the UK. Meredith students have studied abroad in over 35 countries. Internships and cooperative education. Honors Program, N.C. Teaching Fellows Program, independent and group study. Pre-advising programs in law, medicine, dentistry and veterinary medicine. Joint engineering program with NC State University. Cooperating Raleigh Colleges Consortium allows students to take courses at 4 other colleges and universities in Raleigh (N.C. State University, Peace College, Shaw University and Saint Augustine's College). Teacher licensure in special subject areas and B-K Licensure, elementary, middle and secondary grades. Placement and full career counseling program through Academic and Career Planning.

Library: Over 190,000 volumes, 16,000 microforms and over 3,000 newspaper and journal subscriptions with access to articles from more than 27,000 journals, magazines and newspapers online.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Women's varsity programs in basketball, cross-country, soccer, softball, tennis and volleyball. NCAA Division III. USA South Athletic Conference.

Campus activities: Student Government, Service Clubs, Special Interest Clubs, Choral and Instrumental Ensembles, Academic, Freshman and Leadership Honor Societies, Worship Services, Student Publications, Big Sister/Little Sister Program, Concerts, Meredith Dance Theatre, Meredith Performs, Religious Organizations, Guest Lecturers, Synchronized Swimming, Traditional Events (Comhuskin, Stunt, Spring Fling), Meredith International Association, Association for Cultural Awareness.

METHODIST UNIVERSITY

Fayetteville, North Carolina 28311-1420 | Telephone: (910) 630-7027 or 1-800-488-7110 | Web site: www.methodist.edu

Coeducational Four-Year University
Established 1956

Methodist University enrolls approximately 2,400 students from 41 states and 53 countries. These students are engaged in an active classroom environment, enrolled in over 70 majors and concentrations and 30+ minors, and active in almost 70 clubs and student organizations as well as 19 NCAA Division III athletic programs. Because of the academic rigor, a unique combination of liberal arts and career oriented academic programs and these diverse enrichment opportunities, Methodist University graduates are highly sought after and successful. Located in one of North Carolina's largest cities, Fayetteville, N.C., Methodist University is growing at a rapid rate yet remains one of the best values in higher education in the southeast.

Director of Admissions: Jamie Legg

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total: 2,416

1,273 Men, 1,143 Women

1,450 N.C. Residents, 966 Out-of-State Students

1,167 Resident Hall Students in 15 halls

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT or ACT scores

Interview recommended

No closing date for applications

Students admitted each term

Notification of admission on rolling basis

Application fee: \$25

Reservation fee: \$300 for residential students and \$100 for commuting students due 30 days after notification

Visitation: By appointment, Mon.-Fri. 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m., Sat. 9:00 a.m.-noon

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English

3 units of Math (minimum Algebra I, II & Geometry)

3 units of Science (one laboratory course required)

3 units of Social Science

2 units of Foreign Language

CLEP, AP and IB program participant.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses

Tuition and Fees: \$25,160

Room and Board: \$9,521

Director of Financial Aid: Bonnie J. Adamson

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, N.C.

Association of Colleges and Universities, the University Senate of the United

Methodist Church, Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs,

United States Professional Tennis Association, Professional Golfers Association of

America, Council on Social Work Education, National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education, Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs, Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education.

Calendar: The university is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in late August, mid-January. The academic year ends in early May. Summer sessions are scheduled.

Faculty: 139 full-time, 86 part-time. 65% hold Doctorates/Terminal Degree.

Class Size: Average—18; range from 1 to 50; average for science labs—20.

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S., B.S.N, B.S.W., B. Music, A.A., A.S., M.M.S., M.B.A., M.J.A., B.F.A.

Special Programs: Army ROTC, internships, Special Topics (independent and direct studies), PGA Golf Management (a business administration degree with concentration in golf), Tennis Management (a business administration degree with a concentration in tennis), Athletic Training, Sports Management, Art, Music Management, Physician Assistant program, Resort Management, Social Work, Graphic Design, Nursing.

Library: 106,651 bound volumes; 13,542 non-print items; 66,024 microfilms; 819 periodical subscriptions.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Men's varsity programs in baseball, basketball, cross-country, football, golf, soccer, tennis and track. Women's varsity programs in basketball, cross-country, golf, lacrosse, soccer, softball, tennis, track and volleyball. Full intramural program. Cheerleading for men and women is part of the Athletic Department. NCAA Division III.

Campus activities: Dances, Concerts, Movies, Musical Groups, Recreational Tournaments, Student Government, Student Union, Theatrical Groups, over 70 clubs and student organizations, Publications, Fall and Spring Flings.

MONTREAT COLLEGE

Montreat, North Carolina 28757 | Telephone: (828) 669-8011 or (800) 622-6968 | Web site: www.montreat.edu

Coeducational Four-Year College
Established 1916

Mission: Christ-centered, Student-focused, Service-driven Montreat College is a Christian liberal arts institution, located in the heart of the beautiful Blue Ridge Mountains of western North Carolina. The campus is surrounded by wooded hiking trails and mountain streams. The buildings on campus are made of beautiful stone. Its sense of Christian community is one of the most distinctive features of campus life. Montreat is a place where students can set themselves apart through an extraordinary range of leadership opportunities with special emphasis placed on the concept of servant leadership.

Director of Enrollment Development & Outreach: Tony Robinson
E-mail: admissions@montreat.edu

ENROLLMENT (including SPAS *)

2010-11 Total: 1,079

423 Men, 656 Women

892 N.C. Residents, 187 Out-of-State Students

1029 Full-time Students, 50 Part-time

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT or ACT scores

Interview required of some

No closing date for applications

Students admitted each term

Notification of admission on rolling basis

Application fee: \$30

Commitment deposit: \$100

Visitation: Open Door Thursdays and Open House events.

Required High School Courses

4 units of English

3 units of Math (including Algebra I, II, and Geometry)

3 units of Science

3 units of Social Science

1 unit of Foreign Language

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses

Tuition and Fees: \$23,164

Room and Board: \$7,346

93% receive financial aid; 87% is need-based.

Aid Officer: Carla Kaiser

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education, and the International Assembly for Collegiate Business Education.

Calendar: The college is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in mid-August and early January. The academic year ends in early May.

Faculty: 63 full-time, 84 part-time. 81% doctorate or terminal degrees.

Class Size: Average—12; range from 6 to 30; average for science labs —19.

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S., B.B.A., A.A., A.S., M.B.A., B.M., B.S.N., M.S.M.L., MA.Ed, M.S.E.E., B.S.M.

Special Programs: Honors courses; semesters in Latin America, Egypt, Russia, China, Oxford University (England), Australia, Nashville—Contemporary Music center, Focus on the Family Institute, Los Angeles—Film Studies Center, Summer Institute of Journalism (D.C.), Uganda, Amsterdam, Northern Ireland, Washington Journalism Center; Christian Ministries; Community Service Projects; Independent Study; Internships; 21-day Wilderness Journey; Worship Arts; Outdoor Education.

Library: More than 67,000 volumes on campus and access to almost 500,000 volumes through the Mountain College Library Network.

*SCHOOL OF PROFESSIONAL AND ADULT STUDENTS (SPAS)

The School of Professional and Adult Studies is designed especially for the adult learner who has completed some college work and who desires to finish a degree in an accelerated program while continuing to be fully involved in a current career. Permanent campus facilities are located in Charlotte, Asheville and Black Mountain. For more information call (800) 436-2777 (Charlotte), (800) 806-2777 (Asheville) or (828) 669-8012 (Black Mountain).

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Montreat belongs to the NAIA, Division II. Men's programs in baseball, basketball, cross-country, track, golf and soccer. Women's varsity programs in basketball, cross-country, track, golf, softball, soccer, and volleyball. There is an active intramurals program.

Campus activities: Student Government, Honor Society, Academic Clubs, Student Activities, Debate Team, International Club, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Dances, Movies, Camping, Hiking, Rock Climbing, Christian Fellowship, Student Publications, Canoeing, Concerts, Student Drama Productions, Trips, Tours, Mountain Biking, Skiing, Chorus, Ropes Course.

MOUNT OLIVE COLLEGE

634 Henderson Street, Mount Olive, North Carolina 28365 | Telephone: (919) 658-2502 or 1-800-653-0854 | Web site: www.moc.edu

Coeducational Four-Year College
Established 1951

Mount Olive College is a geographically distributed, liberal arts Christian college offering programs designed to meet the needs of a diverse student population. Founded in 1951 by the Original Free Will Baptist Church, today Mount Olive College enrolls more than 3,800 students annually at its seven locations.

With smaller classes, a nurturing environment, availability of faculty, and flexibility, Mount Olive College is an excellent choice for students who seek higher education on a first name basis. From its traditional campus located in small town Mount Olive, NC, the college provides an academic and cultural center for community residents and students alike.

Director of Admissions: Tim E. Woodard
E-mail: twoodard@moc.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total: 3,855
1257 Men, 2598 Women
95% NC Residents
(Including non-traditional enrollments across 7 NC locations)
5% Out-of-state students
818 Traditional Program student enrollments:
418 On-campus students in 5 residence halls and apartments
3,437 commuters
11% live on campus
652 MOC Evening College, Mount Olive
476 MOC at Goldsboro-Seymour Johnson AFB
158 MOC at Jacksonville
297 MOC at New Bern
414 MOC at Washington
364 MOC at Wilmington
676 MOC at Research Triangle Park

ADMISSIONS

SAT or ACT scores required
No closing date for applications
Students admitted each term
Notification of admission on rolling basis
Application fee: \$20
Commitment deposit: \$50.
Additional \$50 required to reserve residence hall space.
Visitation: Nov. 11, 2010; Jan. 17, 2011

Required High School Courses

High school graduate or equivalent
Satisfactory secondary school transcript
Acceptable recommendation(s)
CLEP program participant. Advanced placement available through AP.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses
Tuition and Fees: \$15,500
Room and Board: \$6,200

Scholarships: Honors, Merit, Leaders, Music, Athletics, Visual Communication, Science and Math, Education, Ministerial. Free Will Baptist tuition grants.

Director of Aid: Katrina Lee

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS)
Accreditation Council for Business Schools & Programs (ACBSP)

Calendar: The college is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in late August, early January and May (summer schedule).

Faculty: 81 full-time, 102 part-time. 88% of the full time faculty hold Doctorates or other terminal degrees.

Class Size: Average—26; range from 5-35; average for science labs—20

Degrees Offered: A.A., A.S., B.A., B.S., B.A.S.

Special Programs: Honors Program, Leaders Program, cooperative education, joint (high school/college) enrollment, early admissions program, evening program, Three Year Program

Library: 77,369 bound volumes, 444 current serials, 53,922 microfilm titles, and 6,283 audiovisual units.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Men's varsity programs in baseball, basketball, cross country, golf, soccer, tennis, track & field, and volleyball. Women's varsity programs in basketball, cross country, golf, soccer, softball, tennis, track & field, and volleyball. Full intramural program, including Lacrosse.

Campus activities: Alpha Chi, Art Club, Campus Activity Board, Collegiate FFA, Commuters' Organization, Criminal Justice Club, English Society, Environmental Awareness Club, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Fellowship of Christian Students, Free Will Baptist Fellowship, Henderson Science Club, International Club, Mount Olive College Political Forum, Mount Olive College Undergraduate Alumni Association, Pep Club, Phi Beta Lambda, Prospective Teachers' Association, Psi Chi, Psychology Club, Recreation Majors Club, Sigma Tau Delta-International English Honor Society, Students Against Destructive Decisions (SADD), Student Government Association, Students' Theological Fellowship, Transfer Students' Club, Volunteer Corps, College Choir, Mount Olive Community Ensemble, Piano Lessons, Voice Lessons.

NORTH CAROLINA WESLEYAN COLLEGE

3400 N. Wesleyan Blvd., Rocky Mount, North Carolina 27804 | Telephone: (252) 985-5200 or 1-800-488-6292 | Web site: www.ncwc.edu

Coeducational Four-Year College
Established 1956

North Carolina Wesleyan offers a distinctive personalized education that emphasizes vital skills and leadership training. The College promises attention to the individual and considers commitment to work and services as integral to a meaningful life.

Through the liberal arts foundation and co-curricular experience students explore questions of ethics, values, and integrity. Students enjoy a personalized learning experience where many faculty teach in an interactive setting. The Experiential Education Program combines classroom theory with practical work experience.

Vice President of Enrollment Management: William Allen, Jr.
E-mail: adm@ncwc.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total: 1,405

567 Men

838 Women

1146 N.C. Residents, 259 Out-of-State Students

509 On-Campus Students in 6 residence halls

896 Day Commuters (includes evening college on the main campus)

Including extension sites in RTP and Goldsboro

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT or ACT scores

Essay encouraged

Students admitted each term

Notification of admission on rolling basis

Application fee: \$45

Enrollment deposit: Residential \$200 (\$100 is housing deposit, commuter \$100) refundable to May 1

Visitation: Mon.-Fri. 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.; Sat. 9:00 a.m.-noon

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English

2 units of Social Studies

2 units of Foreign Language

3 units of Mathematics

2 units of Laboratory Science

3 units of electives

CLEP, Advanced Placement & IB Program participants

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Annual Expenses

Tuition and Fees: \$24,890

Room and Board: \$8,180

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools and National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education NCATE.

Calendar: The college is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in late August. The academic year ends in early May. Summer sessions are scheduled in adult degree program.

Faculty: 47 full-time, 137 part-time. More than 68% hold Doctorates.

Class Size: Average—14.

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S.

Special Programs: Pre-major advising, Wesleyan Advantage Program, internships, double majors, minors, independent study classes, honors program.

Library: Library collections include over 92,000 volumes, 2800 DVDs and audiovisual resources, and over 36,000 units of microfilm. The library also provides online access to over 25,500 magazines, newspapers, and journals and more than 30,600 electronic books. The library is an inviting place for students - a place that offers resources, technology, independent group study space.

STUDENT LIFE

Student life at North Carolina Wesleyan promotes and supports the development of students—intellectually, culturally, socially and spiritually. A community atmosphere fosters relationships and leadership by encouraging students to become involved in experiences outside of the classroom that enhance their learning. These include campus activities and community service. Residence halls are equipped with voice mail, cable TV and computer internet/data ports for each resident. Approximately 509 students live on the campus. Clubs and organizations include the Student Government Association, Campus Activities Board, Sororities and Fraternities, Theatre, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, International Heritage Society, Commuter Student Organization, Gospel Choir, Honor Societies Student Publications and a number of special interest groups, full intramural program.

Athletics: Men's varsity programs in baseball, basketball, football, golf, tennis, and soccer. Women's varsity programs in basketball, lacrosse, soccer, softball, tennis and volleyball. NCAA Division III.

Campus activities: Theatre, Gospel Choir, Wesleyan Choir, Greek System, Movies, Visiting Writers' Series, Student Government, Religious Activities, Publications, Subject Area Clubs, Honor Societies, Campus Activities Board, Leadership Series, Cheerleading.

PFEIFFER UNIVERSITY

Pfeiffer University Admission Office, Misenheimer, North Carolina 28109 | Telephone: (704) 463-3060 or 1-800-338-2060 | Web site: www.pfeiffer.edu

Coeducational Four-Year University
Established 1885

We are here to educate the next millennium's teachers, doctors, scientists, clergy, coaches, artists, law enforcement officers, business owners, and community leaders.

Through Pfeiffer's Servant Leadership Program, you will earn more than a college degree. Rigorous academic study joined by character development, volunteer efforts, and engaged learning will provide a portfolio of experience to help you be more effective in life, work and service. Pfeiffer University can empower you to make a difference.

The University has a 300-acre campus with buildings in attractive Georgian Colonial-style architecture. Charlotte, Greensboro and Winston-Salem are within easy driving distance. The Programming Activity Council's entertainment series is popular with students, as is the Student Center and a modern gym-swimming pool complex. The blending of these academic and non-academic activities creates a campus spirit with warm appeal.

Director of Admissions: Terry Jeffries
E-mail: admissions@pfeiffer.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Overall Total: 1,961
Traditional Undergraduate Total: 765
Adult Undergraduate Total: 285
Graduate Student Total: 911

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT or ACT scores
Interview is recommended, but optional
No closing date for applications
Students admitted each term
Notification of admission on rolling basis
Application fee: \$35
Commitment deposit: \$150
Visitation: Call the Admissions Office or check the website for upcoming events.

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English
3 units of Math
2 units of Science
2 units of Social Studies
2 units of Foreign Language strongly recommended
CLEP program participant. Advanced placement available.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses
Tuition and Fees: \$21,625
Room and Board: \$8,866

Aid Officer: Amy Brown

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, National Association of Schools of Music, National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education, Commission on Accreditation for Marriage and Family Therapy Education.

Calendar: The college is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in mid-August and mid-January. The academic year ends in early May. Summer sessions are scheduled.

Faculty: 81 full-time, 79 part-time. 73% hold terminal degrees.

Class Size: Average—14; range from 4 to 40; maximum for science labs—24.

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S., M.B.A., Masters in Christian Education, Masters in Health Administration, Master in Organizational Change and Leadership, MS in Elementary Education, MA in Practical Theology, Masters in Special Education.

Special Programs: Honors, directed study, independent study, ROTC, internships, study abroad, youth ministry, 3-2 Business Administration Program, Capitol Hill Internship Program.

General: 53% of freshman matriculants graduate.

Library: 132,471 volumes.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Men's varsity programs in baseball, basketball, cross-country, golf, lacrosse, soccer, swimming, tennis and volleyball. Women's varsity programs in basketball, cross-country, golf, lacrosse, soccer, softball, swimming, tennis and volleyball. Full intramural program. Club cycling team.

Campus activities: Dances, College Choirs & Bands, Concerts, Drama, Fine Arts, Publications, Student Government, Religious Activities, Falcon's Nest snack bar, Clubs, Mission Trips, Travel Abroad, Study Abroad.

QUEENS UNIVERSITY OF CHARLOTTE

1900 Selwyn Avenue, Charlotte, North Carolina 28274 | Telephone: (704) 337-2212 or 1-800-849-0202 | Web site: www.queens.edu

Coeducational Four-Year University
Established 1857

Queens University of Charlotte is located in Charlotte, the largest city in the Carolinas and one of the South's leading financial, business and cultural centers. Within Charlotte, Queens' 30-acre campus is situated in a quiet residential neighborhood called Myers Park, only ten minutes from uptown. Queens' dedication to the liberal arts provides a firm foundation in culture, character and critical thinking coupled with a strong career preparation program including career counseling and a required two-semester internship during the junior year. All full-time Queens students in good standing are entitled to a three-week study tour abroad. Cost is included as a part of the academic program. International internships and semester study abroad opportunities are available.

Director of Admissions: William Lee
E-mail: admissions@queens.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Overall Total: 2,524

1,614 traditional
361 adult undergraduate (evening and weekend)
549 graduate

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT or ACT score reports
Interview recommended
December 15 deadline for Presidential Scholarship consideration (full tuition scholarship)
No closing date for applications
Students admitted each term
Notification of admission on rolling basis
Application fee: \$40
Commitment deposit: \$300 due May 1 or within 30 days after acceptance if after May 1.
Campus Visits: Mon.–Fri. 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English
3 units or more of Math
2 units or more of Science (including 1 lab science)
2 units or more of History/Social Sciences
2 units or more of Foreign Language
CLEP program participant. Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate credit available.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses

Tuition and Fees: \$25,356
Room and Board: \$9,192
Aid awarded on first-come, first-served basis. Priority date is March 1.
Approximately 75% receive financial assistance. Academic, leadership, fine arts, community service and athletic scholarships available.

Aid Officer: Anita Elliott

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs, National Association of Schools of Music, National Association for Music Therapy, National Council for Accreditation for Teacher Education, North Carolina Department of Public Instruction, and National League for Nursing, Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business.

Calendar: The University is on a semester plan, from late August to early May. Summer sessions are scheduled (evening classes only).

Faculty: 109 full-time, 107 part-time. 78% of tenured faculty hold terminal degrees (College of Arts & Sciences only).

Class Size: Average—17; range from 8 to 25; Student:Faculty ratio—11:1.

Degrees Offered: A.S.N., B.A., B.S., B.S.N., M.A., M.A.T., M.B.A., M.Ed. (Literacy), M.F.A., M.S.N., M.S.A. (School Administration), E.M.B.A., M.O.C. (Masters Organizational Communication), M.S.E.D. (Masters of Science Executive Coaching) M.S.O.D. (Masters of Science Organization Development)

Special Programs: Core program in the Liberal Arts, interdisciplinary studies, required two-semester internship, international travel costs (included in academic program), honors and independent study.

General: 61% of freshman matriculants graduate.

Library: 164,000 volumes. Comprehensive career counseling and placement services, academic advising, personal counseling and health services.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: NCAA Division II. Conference Carolinas. Men's varsity programs in basketball, cross-country/track, golf, lacrosse, soccer, swimming and tennis. Women's varsity programs in basketball, cross country/track, golf, lacrosse, soccer, softball, swimming, tennis and volleyball.

Campus activities: Outdoor Adventure, Intramural, Volunteer, Connection Charlotte and Leadership programs, Homecoming, Family Weekend, Religious Life activities, Student Senate, College Union, Concert Choir and Community Orchestra. Two major dance weekends, five national sororities, two national fraternities, Inter Fraternity Council, Panhellenic Council, Order of Omega, Student Nursing Association, College Republicans, Students for Black Awareness, Campus Women's Organization, Cheerleading and Dance Group, Drum Line, Gospel Choir, Latin American Student Organization, Newspaper, Literary Magazine, Sports Marketing Association, Yearbook, Admissions Ambassadors, Resident Hall Association, International Student Club, Justinian Society (pre-law), Model United Nations; four honors organizations, several service organizations, and A Capella, Art, Biology, Dance, Drama, History, Martial Arts, Music Therapy, Photography, Psychology, Rowdy Royals, Swim, and Wrestling Clubs. [Listing is not comprehensive.]

ST. ANDREWS UNIVERSITY

1700 Dogwood Mile, Laurinburg, North Carolina 28352 | Telephone: (910) 277-5555 or 1-800-763-0198 | Fax: 1-910-277-5087 | Web site: www.sapc.edu

*Coeducational Liberal Arts and Sciences Four-Year University
Established 1896*

Colleges of Distinction. U.S. News & World Report, Best National Liberal Arts Colleges. Morgan Jones Science Complex, with a 20,000 square foot interdisciplinary laboratory with Biology and Chemistry; Computer Graphics Laboratory; Forensic Science and Psychology Laboratory; General honors program. Residence Hall rooms wired for the Internet. St. Andrews Press—First undergraduate literary press in the nation, Weekly Writers Forum. Scottish Pipe Band and Scottish Heritage Center. Six-time ANRC national Champion equestrian team. Electronic Fine Arts Center; including Artronics Graphics computer with animation component (art and music). Equestrian-related degrees, New Equestrian Riding Center with covered arenas, competitive arenas and boarding. Semester-long faculty-led programs in Italy: Brunnenburg Italy, China: Beijing, and Ecuador: University of Cuenca.

Vice President for Enrollment Management: Cynthia Robinson
E-mail: admissions@sapc.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total: 441
57% female, 43% male
From 33 states, 8 countries
23% minority
92% live on campus

ADMISSIONS

Either SAT or ACT scores accepted
On-line application option via Web site
Campus visit recommended (Weekdays and special Saturdays)
No closing date for applications
Notification of admission on rolling basis
Application fee: \$30
Commitment deposit: \$250

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English
3 units of Math
3 units of Natural Sciences
2 units of Social Studies
2 units of Foreign Language
2 units of Electives
AP credit granted for a score of 3 or higher

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses
Tuition and Fees: \$21,614
Comprehensive Fee including Room and Board: \$8,938

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

Calendar: Semester.

Faculty: 30 full-time, 34 part-time. 73% of full-time faculty hold Doctorate or other recognized terminal degree.

Student/Faculty ratio: 10 to 1

Class Size: Average—15; 78% of classes under 20

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S., B.F.A. in Creative Writing

Special Programs: Individually designed contract majors, demi-courses, internships, international study programs, guided independent study and mentored research opportunities. Pre-professional programs in medicine, and veterinary medicine. Degrees in equestrian related fields, forensic science.

Library: Personal Librarian assigned to each student to assist with research assignments and projects; 99,000 print volumes; 300+ periodical subscriptions; 44,000 electronic books; 1,000+ downloadable eAudiobooks; 50+ NC LIVE databases plus other electronic resources; OCLC interlibrary loan service; library web pages with recommended web sites for each program and Journal Finder and BlackBoard access; wireless connectivity; University Archives; Scottish Heritage Center; lounge area with hot beverages.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Men's varsity programs in baseball, basketball, cross-country, golf, lacrosse, soccer, and wrestling. Women's varsity programs in basketball, cross-country, golf, lacrosse, soccer, softball, and volleyball. Equestrian is coeducational intercollegiate sport (hunt seat, jumper, dressage, western). Men's and women's intramural sports each include: football, volleyball, basketball, racquetball, bowling and softball. Swimming pool, racquetball courts and weight room available.

Campus activities: Theatre, Theme Weekends, Black Student Union, Writers' Forum, Model U.N., Student Publications, Student Government, Honor Society, World Cultures Club, Business Club, Environmental Club, Film Society, Art Club, Christian Student Fellowship, Psychology Club, Lacrosse Club, Student Athletic Trainers Association, History Club, Pre-law Club, Pathways, Chemistry Club, Eco Action, Family & Friends, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Math Club, Psych Club, Writers Club, Highland Players, Anime Club, Ethics Bowl Club, Forensics Club, Lions club, Paint Ball Club, Social Dance Club.

SAINT AUGUSTINE'S COLLEGE

1315 Oakwood Avenue, Raleigh, North Carolina 27610 | Telephone: (919) 516-4012 or 800-948-1126 | FAX: (919) 516-5805 | Web site: www.st-aug.edu

Coeducational Four-Year College
Established 1867

*Saint Augustine's college is an undergraduate, coeducational, liberal arts institution affiliated with the Episcopal Church. Founded in 1867 to educate freed slaves, the College's mission has grown with the diversification of its student body; from an African American student base to one that is multi-national and multi-racial. Saint Augustine's College received national recognition from the Quality Education for Minorities Network for the preparation and graduation of students in mathematics, science and engineering. The College is consistently listed among the Top-Producing Institutions for African Americans in Mathematics and Statistics as ranked by *Diverse Issues in Higher Education Magazine*. Saint Augustine's College is committed to maintaining high academic standards and was recognized in 2009 by *U.S. News and World Report* as one of the Top Baccalaureate Colleges in the South.*

Saint Augustine's College will be the first HBCU in North Carolina to open a Confucius classroom in partnership with North Carolina State University's Confucius Institute and Hanabun/Confucius Institute Headquarters in China. Saint Augustine's College Forensic Science program is the first baccalaureate program in the state and one of only five in the nation. The College had the top NCAA Division II athletics program among historically black colleges and universities during the 2009-10 season. Acclaimed artist Synthia Saint James established a Fine Arts Institute at the College. Through the institute, Saint James will provide scholarships for the students who wish to pursue careers in the arts. The College's Real Estate Management and Development program is the first undergraduate real estate program in the state. The College was named to the President's Community Service Honor Roll for commitment to volunteering, service learning, and civic engagement. Athletically, the college competes in the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) at the Division II level. Saint Augustine's College is a member of the Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association (CIAA) Conference. During the 2010-11 season, the Falcon football team captured the 2010 Pioneer Bowl championship, becoming only the third CIAA team to win the title. Most notably, Saint Augustine's College teams were also recognized for having the highest GPA of 3.0 or higher during the 2010-11 academic year.

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total: 1,508

51% Men, 49% Women

52% N.C. Residents, 48% Out-of-State Students

97% Full-time, 3% Part-time

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT or ACT scores

Interview is optional

No closing date for applications

Students are admitted at each term

Admission is on a rolling basis

Application fee: \$25

Room Deposit: \$160

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English

3 units of Math (1 must be Algebra)

2 units of Science

2 units of Social Studies

10 units of Electives

College participates in CLEP program.

Advanced placement available.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses

Tuition and Fees: \$17,160

Room and Board: \$7,340

Financial Aid Director: Ms. Nadine Ford

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

Calendar: The College is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in mid-August and early January. The academic year ends in early May. Two summer sessions are offered.

Faculty: 80 (59%) full-time. 48(36%) hold Doctorates.

Class Size: Average—17; range from 1 to 35; average for science labs—21.

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S.

Special Programs: Academic Achievers Program, Christian Ministry Program (B.A.), Cisco Systems Certification, Gateway-Lifelong Learning Accelerated Adult Degree Program, Honors College, National Institute of Health-MARC U-STAR Program, Second-Chance Teacher Certification Program, National Science Foundation Alliance For Minority Participation Program, Center for Real Estate Management and Development, U.S. Army Reserve Officer Training Corps Program (ROTC), Reciprocal enrollment with four other colleges in Raleigh (Cooperating Raleigh College Consortium), TRIO Programs, ADA Services, Placement Services, First-Year Experience Program, Study Abroad Program

Library: 140,000 volumes. Plus accessible World News Proquest, NCLIVE and JSTOR.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Men's varsity programs include baseball, basketball, football, golf, tennis, indoor, outdoor, cross country, and track and field. Women's varsity programs include basketball, bowling, softball, tennis, indoor, outdoor, cross country, and track and field, and volleyball.

Campus Activities: Student Government Association, Student Leadership Program, Modeling Troupe, Jazz Ensemble, Orchestral and Marching Bands, Concert and Show Choirs, Academic Societies, Student Clubs, Debate Society, Cheerleaders Squad, Pep Club, Greek Letter Fraternities and Sororities, Academic Organizations, Honor Societies, Modeling Troupe, Residence Hall Associations, Social Organizations, and Special Interest Organizations.

SALEM COLLEGE

Winston-Salem, North Carolina 27101 | Telephone: 1 (800) 32-SALEM | Web site: www.salem.edu

Four-Year Women's College
Established 1772

Salem, a four-year liberal arts college for women, is known for excellent teaching and career preparation, a January Term that allows students to hold internships off campus, and its unique Salem Signature program, through which students examine their values, career goals and leadership styles along with broader social issues. Salem is one of the few colleges in the nation at which all students complete at least 30 hours of community service. Small classes, individual attention from professors, and close personal relationships among students are central to the Salem experience. A cherished honor code allows students to take exams unmonitored and self-scheduled. Founded in 1772, Salem is the oldest women's college in the nation by founding date.

Salem College's 67-acre campus is located in the Old Salem restoration area of Winston-Salem (population 230,000), only a 10-minute walk from downtown. Known as the "City of the Arts," Winston-Salem is a recognized cultural center of the Southeast.

Dean of Admissions and Financial Aid: Katherine Knapp Watts
E-mail: katherine.watts@salem.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Undergraduate Total: 840
619 N.C. Residents, 221 Out-of-State Students
385 On-Campus Students in 9 residence halls

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT or ACT scores
Interview recommended
Students admitted each term
Notification of admission on rolling basis
Application fee: \$30
Commitment deposit: \$250 by May 1

Required High School Courses

4 units of English
3 units of Math (Algebra I and II, Geometry)
3 units of Science
2 units of History
2 units of Foreign Language (same language)
4 elective subjects
CLEP program participant for continuing education students.
Advanced placement available through AP and IB.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses
Tuition and Fees: \$22,360
Room and Board: \$11,764

Aid Officer: Lori Lewis

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education, National Association of Schools of Music.

Calendar: The college is on a 4-1-4 system, with fall semester classes beginning in late August, a four-week January term, and a spring semester that ends in mid-May.

Faculty: 58 full-time, 42 part-time.

Class Size: Average—13; range from 3 to 35; average for science labs—12.

Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S., B.Music, B.S.B.A., M.Ed., MAT.

Special Programs: Honors, independent study, interdisciplinary majors, teacher licensure, January Program, Washington semester, Model United Nations, study abroad, cross-registration with Wake Forest University. Academic advising, career development, personal counseling and health services.

General: 70% of freshman matriculants graduate.

Library: 529,215 volumes, access to a four-college consortium of libraries.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Women's varsity Div. III programs in basketball, cross-country, soccer, swimming, tennis and volleyball. Membership in the Great South Conference. Club sports in field hockey, softball and equestrian.

Campus activities: Pierrette Players (Drama), CAB (Social Activities), Salem Dance Company, Choral Ensemble, IntersVarsity Christian Fellowship, International Club, Literary Magazine, Newspaper, Yearbook, Student Athletic Association, ONUA (multi-cultural awareness).

SHAW UNIVERSITY

118 E. South Street, Raleigh, North Carolina 27601 | Switchboard: (919) 546-8200 or 1-800-214-6683 | Fax: (919) 546-8271 | Web site: www.shawuniversity.edu

Coeducational Four-Year University
Established 1865

Shaw University is the oldest historically Black institution of higher learning in the South, and among the oldest in the nation. The main campus is located on the south edge of downtown Raleigh, adjacent to the Progress Energy Center for the Performing Arts and the Raleigh Civic and Convention Center. The Center for Adult and Professional Education (CAPE) allows students in nine cities across the state of North Carolina the opportunity to pursue an academic degree through flexible course scheduling, independent study, and credit for prior learning experiences.

The College of Arts and Sciences and College of Graduate and Professional Studies departments constitute a variety of academic offerings that are geared toward today's employment market. The University offers numerous degree programs leading to the Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science, or Associate of Arts degree. Shaw University currently offers the Master of Divinity degree, the Master of Religious Education degree and the Master of Science degree in Curriculum and Instruction. In 1993, the University made courses in ethics and values central to the general education of all its students. Together, these courses emphasize character development oriented towards human fulfillment and social justice.

Over 30 states and numerous foreign countries are represented in the student population. The faculty is comprised of highly skilled educators of multiracial and poly-cultural origin. The small student to teacher ratio provides an environment conducive to learning and promotes student development and achievement.

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total: 2,722

ADMISSIONS

SAT or ACT, minimum 2.0 HS GPA desired, GED considered
Early admission, early action
Interview considered
Students admitted each term
Closing/priority date for applications: July 30 (Fall); Nov. 30 (Spring)
Notification of admission on a rolling basis
Application fee: \$25 (\$40 for International students)
Visitation: Weekdays by appointment

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English
3 units of Mathematics
2 units of Social Sciences
2 units of Natural Sciences
9 units of Electives
CLEP program participant. Advanced placement available.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses
Tuition and Fees: \$11,696
Room and Board: \$7,200

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS); Association of Theological Schools in the United States and Canada (ATS); Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP); Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education (CAATE); Council on Social Work Education (CSWE); and, National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE). The Teacher Education Program is also approved by the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction. The Speech Pathology and Audiology Program is also endorsed by the National Academy of Pre-Professional Programs in Communicative Sciences and Disorders (NAPP).

Calendar: The university is on a semester plan, with fall classes beginning in late August; spring classes beginning in early January; and summer session(s) beginning in late May. The academic year ends after the summer session, usually in late July.

Faculty: 120 full-time, 120 part-time.

Class Size: Average—17; average for science labs—12.

Degrees Offered: A.A., B.A., B.S. Master of Divinity, Master of Science in Curriculum and Instruction, Master of Religious Education.

Special Programs: Cooperative Dentistry Program, Cooperative Pharmacy Program, Dual Degree Engineering Program, Honors College, U.S. Army and Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corp (ROTC).

Library: Approximately 108,700 volumes.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Intercollegiate sports (CIAA, NCAA Division II): Men's' basketball, baseball, football, track, cross-country and tennis. Women's' basketball, bowling, softball, tennis, track, cross-country and volleyball.

Campus activities: Band, choir, Shaw Players (drama group), fraternities, sororities, honor societies, recreational tournaments, WSHA radio station, cheerleading, service clubs, student government, academic clubs.

WAKE FOREST UNIVERSITY

Box 7305, Reynolda Station, Winston-Salem, North Carolina 27109 | Telephone: (336) 758-5201 | Web site: www.wfu.edu

Coeducational Comprehensive University
Established 1834

Located in northwest Winston-Salem, the 340-acre Wake Forest University campus is bordered by Reynolda Gardens, which has an additional 150 acres of walking trails and formal gardens. Most of Wake Forest's more than 30 buildings are constructed of Old Virginia brick in a modified Georgian style and are surrounded by majestic magnolia trees.

Winston-Salem, a city of 223,532, grew from a Moravian settlement that was founded in 1766. It offers a combination of rich cultural heritage and modern business and industrial activity.

Director of Admissions: Martha Allman

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Overall Total: 7,162
2010-11 Undergraduate Total: 4,657 (2,253 Men 2,404 Women)
70% of the undergraduates live in campus housing.

ADMISSIONS

SAT scores are optional
Interview is strongly recommended
Closing date for applications: Jan. 1 (December 1 for those wishing to be considered for merit based scholarships)
Students admitted each term
Early decision plan-Deadline November 15
Notification of admission: April 1
Application fee: \$50
Commitment deposit: \$500, due May 1
Early decision: \$500, due within two weeks of acceptance
Visitation: Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Group information sessions, tours and interviews by appointment

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English
4 units of Math
4 units of Science
4 units of Social Studies
4 units of Foreign Language
CLEP program participant. Advanced placement available.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses
Tuition and Fees: \$41,100
Room and Board: \$11,410

Aid Officer: William Wells

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, A.M.A. Council on Medical Education, American Bar Association, National Association for the Accreditation of Teacher Education, National Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business.

Calendar: The college is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in late August and mid-January. The academic year ends in mid-May. Summer sessions are scheduled.

Faculty: 505 full-time, 149 part-time. 92.3% of full-time faculty hold Doctorates or terminal degree (includes College of Arts and Sciences and Calloway School of Business).

Class Size: Average—21.4

Undergraduate Degrees Offered: B.A., B.S.

Special Programs: International study, honors, independent study, direct study, travel, interdisciplinary study, ROTC and study abroad. 5-year program to earn a B.S. and M.S. in accounting.

General: 88% of freshman matriculants graduate within 5 years.

Library: 2.1 million volumes, 2.2 million microforms, 443,347 E-books. Placement and career development services available to all students and alumni. Services include placement internships and experiential learning opportunities during the school year and summer.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Men's varsity programs in baseball, basketball, cross-country, football, golf, soccer, tennis and track and field. Women's varsity programs in basketball, cross-country, field hockey, golf, soccer, tennis, track and field, and volleyball.

Campus activities: Student Government, University Choir, Theatre, Debate, Student Union, Publications, Religious Activities, Intramural Program, Volunteer Service Corps, Fraternities, Sororities, WAKE Radio, WAKETV, campus newspaper, special interest groups, honorary and academic organizations.

WARREN WILSON COLLEGE

P.O. Box 9000, Asheville, North Carolina 28815-9000 | Telephone: (828) 298-3325 or 1-800-934-3536 | Web site: www.warren-wilson.edu

Coeducational Four-Year College
Established 1894

Warren Wilson College is located on 1,100 acres of farm and forest in the Blue Ridge Mountains near Asheville, western North Carolina's largest city. Nine hundred undergraduate students from 41 states and 25 foreign countries come here for a unique program of study, work and community service. All students are required to work 15 hours a week and perform 25 hours of service each year. The college provides an atmosphere for the development of each student as an individual.

Dean of Admission: Richard Blomgren
E-mail: admit@warren-wilson.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Overall Total: 924
40% Men, 60% Women

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT or ACT scores
Interview recommended
Students admitted each term
Notification of admission Feb. 1
Application fee: None
Commitment deposit: \$300

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English
3 units of Math
2 units of Lab Science
2 units of Social Studies
Advanced placement through AP and departmental testing.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses

Tuition and Fees: \$26,675
Room and Board: \$8,213
Work Credit: \$3,480 (all students must work)
Need-blind admissions policy.

Aid Officer: Kathy Pack

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education, N.C. Association of Colleges and Universities, Council on Social Work Education.

Calendar: The college is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in late August and mid-January. The academic year ends in mid-May.

Faculty: 61 full-time, 16 part-time. 93.4% of full-time faculty hold Doctorates or other terminal degrees.

Class Size: Average—12; range from 3 to 30; average for science labs—20.

Degrees Offered: B.A., M.F.A., B.S.

Special Programs: Independent study, interdisciplinary study, required travel abroad, international studies internships, 3:2 program in forestry at Duke University.

General: 57% of freshman matriculants graduate.

Library: 102,000 volumes. Full lifetime placement program.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Men's and Women's varsity programs in basketball, swimming, cross-country and soccer. Club sports in whitewater sports, softball and cross-country. Full intramural program.

Campus activities: Student Government, Outing Club, International Activities, Dance, Choir, Rock Climbing, Mountain Biking, Theatre, Religious Studies, Appalachian Traditions, Outward Bound.

WILLIAM PEACE UNIVERSITY

15 East Peace Street, Raleigh, North Carolina 27604 | Telephone: (919) 508-2214 FAX: (919) 508-2306 | Web site: www.peace.edu

Liberal Arts and Sciences College
Established 1857

William Peace University is a baccalaureate college of arts and sciences that challenges students to an adventure of intellectual and personal discovery; preparing students for graduate and lifelong learning, for meaningful careers and for ethical lives of purpose, leadership and service. The institution was founded in 1857 and named for founding benefactor William Peace, an elder of the First Presbyterian Church of Raleigh.

Peace University is located at 15 East Peace Street in historic downtown Raleigh, North Carolina. The State Capitol, Legislative Building, State Library, North Carolina Symphony, Marbles (a global learning center) and several museums (art, history and natural sciences) lie within a few blocks of the campus. As one of the cities in North Carolina's Research Triangle Park, the Raleigh location provides many opportunities for personal enrichment and professional development.

Facilities include 6 air-conditioned residence halls, an athletic field, six all-weather tennis courts and an indoor swimming pool. All residence and academic facilities have hard-wired and wireless access to both the campus network and the Internet. The newly-renovated library contains an active learning commons lab containing a mix of both PC-based and Apple-based systems. Apple-based desktops and laptops are available in biology and visual communication disciplines. Student research labs in chemistry, general biology and molecular and cellular biology are available. A recital hall in the music building, the Leggett Theater, and a dance studio are available for students in the fine arts. Flowe academic building features current and emerging technologies to support instruction in the communications media lab, global learning lab, psychology/anthropology lab, psychology observation room and business/human resources lab.

Peace University's size provides students with many leadership opportunities. The University has strong residence and spiritual life programs. The governance of student conduct is based upon the honor system, in which all individuals associated with the community have a responsibility for establishing, maintaining and fostering an understanding of academic and personal integrity.

Interim VP of Admissions: Ms. Shannon Handelsman
E-mail: admissions@peace.edu

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Total: 713

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT I or ACT scores
Interview recommended
No closing date for applications. Priority given to those received before April 15.
Students admitted each term
Students notified of admission on rolling basis
Application fee: \$25 (non-refundable)
Commitment Deposit: Deposit of \$150 preferred by May 1
Visitation: Campus visitation days for prospective students and their families are held throughout the academic year. Students are encouraged to tour campus, observe classes and meet students, faculty, staff and administrators.

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English
4 units of math (Algebra I and II, Geometry, Advanced Math)
3 units of Science (2 lab sciences)
3 units of Social Science
2 units of the same Foreign Language
College does participate in CLEP program. Advanced placement available through CEEB.

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses

Tuition and Fees: \$12,843 per semester
Room and Board: \$4,400 per semester
Cost per credit hour of part-time study: \$250 1-4 credit hours; \$460 5-8 credit hours; \$670 9-11 credit hours
Need-based financial aid includes Federal Work-Study opportunities, Federal Pell Grants, Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants. Loans are administered under the William D Ford Direct Loan Program. Academic, talent and outstanding citizenship scholarships are available for eligible students, including transfers.

Aid Officer: Angela Kirkley, Director of Financial Aid

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

Calendar: The college operates on a semester plan, with classes beginning in late August and early January. The academic year ends in early May.

Faculty: 43 full-time, 38 part-time. 84% hold Doctorates or terminal degrees.

Class Size: Average—14; range from 5-30; average for science labs—20.

Degrees Offered: B.A./B.S./B.F.A. A teacher licensure program is available.

Special Programs: All degree program requirements include , a four year writing curriculum taught by English faculty, 10 hours of "Empirical Reasoning" (mathematical and analytical competencies), 4 hours of "Ethical Reasoning" (first year experience and interdisciplinary ethics seminar), 15 hours of "Culture and Societal" thinking as well as 10 hours of "Professional Readiness" (public speaking, media literacy, personal finance, and an internship related to the major). ROTC is available through cooperative arrangements with other Raleigh colleges and universities.

Library: "The Lucy Cooper Finch Library contains more than 45,000 monograph titles, 300 print periodical titles, and 900 videos, all easily searched in the library's online catalog. The library also provides on and off campus access to 16 electronic research databases and over 20,000 E-Journals. Peace students and faculty can also take advantage of Interlibrary Loan borrowing and the consortial borrowing arrangement between the Cooperating Raleigh College libraries (NCSU, Meredith, Shaw, and St. Augustine's). The newly renovated facility features a Learning Commons with 17 PCs and 4 iMacs, a classroom equipped with an LCD projector and an ELMO document camera, three private study rooms for collaborative group work or viewing video reserves, and a Curriculum Materials Room."

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Intercollegiate tennis, basketball, softball, soccer, cross-country and volleyball (NCAA III).

Campus activities: Anthropology Club, Biology Club (Psi Lambda Epsilon Chapter of CASCAS), Campus Activities Board, Chamber Singers, The Chocolate Affair, College Choir, Comic Book and Anime Club, Commuter Student Association, College Democrats, Education Club, Green Team, Habitat for Humanity, Helping Hands (Community Service), History Club, Multicultural Student Association, Lotus (Yearbook), Omicron Delta Kappa (Leadership Honor Society), Phi Beta Lambda (Business Honor Society), Beta Beta Beta (Biology Honor Society), Sigma Tau Delta (English Honor Society), Psi Chi (Psychology Honor Society), Sigma Delta Pi (Spanish Honor Society), Alpha Chi National Honor Scholarship Society, Peace University Dance Company, Peace University Theatre, Peace Times (Newspaper), Prism (Literary Magazine), Psychology Club, College Republicans, Residence Hall Association, PACE (Peace Association of College Enhancement), Student Senate, Student Government Association, Spectrum, Step Team, Society of Human Resource Management, Student-Athlete Advisory Committee, Emerging Leaders, Senior Class Council, Junior Class Council, Sophomore Class Council, First Year Class Council, AIGA (American Institute of Graphic Arts), PACT (Peace and the Community Together)

WINGATE UNIVERSITY

Campus Box 3059, Wingate, North Carolina 28174 | Telephone: 1-800-755-5550 or (704) 233-8200 | Web site: www.wingate.edu

Coeducational Four-Year University
Established 1896

Founded in 1896, Wingate University is a private comprehensive university with more than 2,300 students on campuses in Wingate and Matthews, North Carolina. The University offers 32 undergraduate majors, 36 minors and career concentrations, numerous pre-professional programs, graduate degrees in business, accounting, physician assistant studies, sport administration, and doctorates in pharmacy and education. Wingate students gain the tools and support they need to excel in academics and apply that learning toward an extraordinary career and life.

The campus community offers in-class learning, out-of-class experiences, strong mentors, a competitive yet caring environment and rewarding community service opportunities for a complete educational experience.

Wingate student athletes compete in 19 NCAA Division II sports, and the University has won the South Atlantic Conference Echols Athletic Excellence Award for the past five years.

Director of Admissions: Lindsay Kreis

ENROLLMENT

2010-11 Overall Total: 2,373

1,111 Men, 1,262 Women

1,837 N.C. Residents, 536 Out-of-State Students

Undergraduate Total: 1,622

ADMISSIONS

Applicants submit either SAT or ACT score reports

Interview is recommended

Notification of admission on rolling basis

Students admitted each term

Application fee: \$30

Commitment deposit:

\$300 for residential students, \$200 for commuting students.

Recommended High School Courses

4 units of English

3 units of Math

2 units of Social Science

2 units of Natural Science

2 units of Foreign Language

Minimum of 13 units or G.E.D. equivalent

FINANCIAL

2011-12 Expenses

Tuition and Fees: \$22,180

Room and Board: \$8,770

Aid Officer: Teresa Williams

ACADEMIC

Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools; American Council on Pharmaceutical Education; Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education; Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs (BA and BS degrees in Accounting, Finance, Management, and Marketing; Master of Business Administration; new Master of Accounting degree program is completing the required ACBSP accreditation process); Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education; National Association of Schools of Music; National Association for Sport and Physical Education; and the North American Society for Sport Management National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (with conditions 2005-2006); North Carolina Department of Public Instruction

Calendar: The University is on a semester plan, with classes beginning in late August and early-January. Four-week summer sessions are scheduled in June and July.

Faculty: 120 full-time, 82 part-time. 92% hold Terminal Degrees.

Class Size: Average class size is 25; Most classes range from 10 to 40; Average for science labs—20.

Degrees Offered: Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Fine Arts, Bachelor of Liberal Studies, Bachelor of Music Education, Master of Accounting, Master of Arts in Education, Master of Arts in Teaching, Master of Business Administration, Master of Physician Assistant Studies, and Doctorate of Pharmacy.

Special Programs: Semester Abroad programs in 35 countries offering over 40 different subject areas. W' international (international study/travel experience offered during junior year of study with little additional cost except meals and personal expenses); 65% of Wingate graduates have been overseas through a Wingate sponsored program; ROTC (through UNC-Charlotte); research partnerships and symposium; Leadership Fellows.

Library: Ethel K. Smith Library holds over 100,000 volumes. Fully integrated on-line catalog and circulating system. NC LIVE (North Carolina's virtual periodical holdings library) available to all faculty, staff and students.

STUDENT LIFE

Athletics: Men's varsity programs in baseball, basketball, cross-country, football, golf, lacrosse, soccer, swimming, tennis and track & field. Women's varsity programs in basketball, cross-country, soccer, softball, swimming, tennis, volleyball, golf and track & field.

Campus activities: Four National Fraternities, Four National Sororities, Greek Impact, Order of Omega, Christian Student Union, Campus Outreach, Chi Rho, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Gospel Choir, Activities Programming Board, International Club, Junkyard Dawgs, KUP, College Republicans, Student Government Association, University and Community Assistance Network.

- Barton College, *Wilson*
- Belmont Abbey College, *Belmont*
- Bennett College for Women, *Greensboro*
- Brevard College, *Brevard*
- Cabarrus College of Health Sciences, *Concord*
- Campbell University, *Buies Creek*
- Catawba College, *Salisbury*
- Chowan University, *Murfreesboro*
- Davidson College, *Davidson*
- Duke University, *Durham*
- Elon University, *Elon*
- Gardner-Webb University, *Boiling Springs*
- Greensboro College, *Greensboro*
- Guilford College, *Greensboro*
- High Point University, *High Point*
- Johnson C. Smith University, *Charlotte*
- Lees-McRae College, *Banner Elk*
- Lenoir-Rhyne University, *Hickory*
- Livingstone College, *Salisbury*
- Louisburg College, *Louisburg*
- Mars Hill College, *Mars Hill*
- Meredith College, *Raleigh*
- Methodist University, *Fayetteville*
- Montreat College, *Montreat*
- Mount Olive College, *Mount Olive*
- N.C. Wesleyan College, *Rocky Mount*
- Pfeiffer University, *Misenheimer*
- Queens University of Charlotte, *Charlotte*
- St. Andrews University, *Laurinburg*
- Saint Augustine's College, *Raleigh*
- Salem College, *Winston-Salem*
- Shaw University, *Raleigh*
- Wake Forest University, *Winston-Salem*
- Warren Wilson College, *Asheville*
- William Peace University, *Raleigh*
- Wingate University, *Wingate*