

University of Illinois



Robert A. Easter
President

With an annual enrollment of more than 77,000 students, the University of Illinois educates more students each year than any other college or university in the state. Students attend classes at three main campuses in Urbana, Chicago and Springfield, and at branches of the Chicago-based College of Medicine in Peoria, Rockford and Urbana.

The University of Illinois graduates more than 20,000 students in 600 degree programs annually. The three campuses of the university offer a diversity of programs that lead to baccalaureate, graduate and professional degrees, as well as various certificates. The university offers professional programs through the colleges of dentistry, law, medicine, pharmacy and veterinary medicine. The U of I is one of

only four universities in the nation with a school of public health and five health-sciences colleges: applied health sciences, dentistry, medicine, nursing and pharmacy.

The U of I is committed to making positive change through research. Each campus has unique research strengths: Urbana-Champaign with its science, agriculture, engineering, computer science, library science, humanities and interdisciplinary endeavors; Chicago with its medical, health professions and urban research; and Springfield with its public policy, political studies and media programs.

The president of the U of I oversees the three campuses and university administration. Governance is provided by a 12-member Board of Trustees comprised of nine trustees appointed by the Governor and three students, one from each campus and elected by their peers. The Governor is an ex-officio member of the board.

University administration provides centralized administrative services vital to supporting the primary missions of the institution: instruction, research, public service and economic development. Among the services and resources provided by university administrative units to the campuses are academic affairs; business and financial services; planning and auditing; research; health affairs; information technology; facilities planning; human resources; ethics administration; legal counsel; and university and government relations.

Among the units reporting to university administration is the Institute of Government and Public Affairs, a nonpartisan public policy research organization with research staff on all three U of I campuses. The University of Illinois Hospital and Health Sciences System is comprised of a 495-bed hospital, an outpatient facility and numerous specialty clinics to provide patient care to those who need it most.

U of I senior staff help develop strategies and solutions to educational challenges that are best addressed across the U of I campuses. They convey to government, corporate and civic leaders, as well as to alumni and other stakeholders, the variety and excellence of research and academic endeavors at the university.

U of I administration and the University of Illinois Foundation work together to promote opportunities that benefit the university and its campuses. The foundation raises funds and accepts gifts on behalf of the institution. The University of Illinois Alumni Association provides programming and services that develop and maintain alumni connections with the university, its campuses and each other. The university has more than 652,000 living alumni.

Across its three campuses and in administrative offices, the U of I employs approximately 24,000 faculty and staff. The university provides an annual direct and indirect economic impact in the state of \$13 billion and creates 150,000 jobs.

Admission to the U of I is determined by each campus, with admissions professionals coordinating the application process. Extensive websites provide detailed information about criteria for admission, required documents and timelines for decisions. Financial aid of more than \$1.3 billion assisted U of I students in 2010–11.

The University of Illinois is proud of its campuses and the learning and discovery that take place every day. The university is equally proud of what it contributes to the prosperity and quality of life for Illinoisans across the state.

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The University of Illinois awards more than 20,000 undergraduate, graduate and professional degrees annually at its three campuses: 12,000 from Urbana-Champaign; 6,800 from Chicago; and 1,300 from Springfield.

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign



Phyllis Wise
Chancellor

As the state's premier land-grant university, the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign is dedicated to its tradition of excellence and innovation in education, research and public engagement. It is both an economic engine for the state and the place where more than 1,800 faculty members lead more than 45,000 undergraduate, graduate and professional students in the process of discovery and scholarship.

More than 35,000 apply to attend the Urbana campus each year, with about 7,000 enrolling each fall. Undergraduates choose from more than 150 different programs of study, within 10 academic communities. Undergraduates make up three-quarters of the student population, about 80 percent of which are Illinois residents. The rest of the undergraduate class brings students from all 50 states and more than 100 other countries. The university's graduate programs award more than 2,100 masters, professional and doctoral degrees each year.

The U of I at Urbana-Champaign has one of the top study-abroad programs among major research institutions in the United States. The university consistently ranks among the top 15 universities in the nation in key areas of internationalization, according to the Institute for International Education's *Open Doors* report. The university had the most international students among all public institutions in 2012, and has become a prime destination for research and scholarship in the world.

Faculty members often collaborate with other top scholars from around the world and across disciplines. Many Illinois faculty members are world-renowned scholars who have been recognized with honors such as Guggenheim Fellowships, Tony Awards, MacArthur "genius" Awards, and memberships in the nation's elite academies of arts and sciences. Thirteen Nobel Laureates have served on the faculty. In 2003, the U of I at Urbana-Champaign became only the third American public university, and the 11th institution in the world, ever to have two Nobel Prizes (in different fields) awarded to members of its faculty in the same year. Professor Anthony Leggett was awarded the Nobel Prize in Physics and Professor Paul Lauterbur was awarded the Nobel Prize in Medicine/Physiology. Also in 2003, Professor Carl Woese won the Crafoord Prize, the Nobel equivalent for biology. Eleven Urbana-Champaign campus alumni and three graduates of University High School also have been awarded Nobel Prizes.

Campus resources include one of the world's largest public university libraries, with more than 13 million volumes. The university is also home to one of the nation's best performing arts facilities — the Krannert Center for the Performing Arts — as well as world-class research facilities, including the National Center for Supercomputing Applications, the Beckman Institute for Advanced Science and Technology, and the Siebel Center for Computer Science. Among the university's newest facilities is the cutting-edge Institute for Genomic Biology.

The Urbana-Champaign campus serves the state with excellent educational opportunities through both degree programs and continuing education. Research conducted on the campus seeks to respond to the state's critical issues, and the campus prides itself on meaningful engagement with the people of Illinois. Public broadcasting facilities associated with the campus — WILL-AM/FM/TV and the UI-7 cable service — reach millions

of viewers and listeners with entertaining and educational programming. More than 2.5 million people participate annually in University of Illinois Extension programs for farmers, families, businesses and communities, including nearly 300,000 young participants in 4-H. Each month, U of I Extension Web pages draw more than 10 million page views, and people in more than 200 countries access the Extension's Web-based information.

The U of I at Urbana-Champaign continues to build on a tradition of collaboration and innovation, hard work and practicality, accessibility and the highest standards of scholarship. It is a place where opportunities abound and dreams are realized for thousands of students each year.

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The Grainger Engineering Library is a favorite place to study on the Urbana-Champaign campus. It provides access to one of the world's largest academic library collections, as well as comfortable surroundings with plenty of natural light.

University of Illinois at Chicago



Paula Allen-Meares
Chancellor

The University of Illinois at Chicago is a major research university located in the heart of a great American and global city. With 27,500 students, UIC is Chicago's largest university and one of the nation's most ethnically diverse. Students benefit from an elite faculty of renowned scholars, researchers, artists and clinicians with ties to the corporate, civic and cultural institutions of the Chicago metropolitan area.

Through teaching, research, clinical practice and outreach, UIC is focused on eliminating disparities in health, education and economic opportunity. An institution of growing international stature, UIC has annual research expenditures of \$380 million. Its 15 colleges include the nation's largest college of medicine and six other health-sciences colleges, whose students together comprise the nation's most diverse comprehensive health-sciences center. College of Medicine programs at Peoria, Rockford and Urbana provide residents across the state with access to professional education and clinical services. UIC is Illinois' principal educator of physicians, dentists, pharmacists, nurses and other health professionals, and its hospital and clinics are a major provider of health care to underserved communities.

Community engagement is a centerpiece of UIC's urban mission. UIC College Prep high school, located near the campus, helps to prepare future leaders. The university is a major source of teachers for Chicago public schools, and a partnership project prepares elementary teachers to work in high-poverty, predominantly minority communities. In every college, UIC faculty, students and staff work with neighborhood, foundation and government partners on a wide range of projects to improve the quality of life in metropolitan areas around the world. The UIC Urban Forum is an international gathering that brings leaders from more than 100 cities and local governments to Chicago each year for discussion of innovative ideas about the future of cities.

To foster innovation and spur economic development, the university supports technology transfer of its intellectual property and commercialization of new discoveries through a variety of partnerships. At the large end of the scale, UIC is part of a new \$120 million U.S. Department of Energy research center, led by Argonne National Laboratory and a UIC faculty physicist, that will work with other universities, national labs and corporate partners to develop more powerful, lower-cost batteries. On a smaller scale, the campus provides both proof-of-concept and equity-investment funding to help its faculty and student researchers and entrepreneurs transform new knowledge into useful products and services that benefit society. The campus operates an incubator laboratory in the Chicago Technology Park that is one of the oldest and largest biotech incubators in the nation, and recently partnered with the state to open a new health technology innovation hub nearby.

With more than 100 buildings on 240 acres, UIC is home to everything from state-of-the-art research facilities like the Electronic Visualization Laboratory, to the historic Jane Addams Hull-House Museum, to new student residence halls and recreation centers. A longstanding commitment to sustainability is reflected on its campus with more than 5,000 trees, geothermal energy systems and newly renovated LEED-certified buildings.

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Lincoln, Grant and Douglas Halls (foreground), three newly renovated classroom buildings on the University of Illinois at Chicago campus, were remodeled for energy efficiency and sustainability as well as the latest in learning technology.

University of Illinois at Springfield



Susan J. Koch
Chancellor

Students at the University of Illinois at Springfield benefit from the campus' focus on teaching and small class sizes. The public, liberal arts university — located in the state's capital — is known for its commitment to community outreach, its ever-expanding online programs and its tradition of educating public servants and leaders.

UIS became a comprehensive four-year university in fall 2001, when freshmen enrolled for the first time, and has been growing ever since. There are now more than 5,000 students (both on- and off-campus) enrolled at UIS at the undergraduate and graduate levels in 23 bachelor's and 20 master's degree programs, and one doctoral program in public administration. More than 60 percent of the students are taking at least one

online course in the university's nationally known online education program that offers 16 degree programs fully online.

Campus life at UIS has blossomed thanks to the energy and diversity of its students of all ages, including nearly 300 international students. The university now has more than 85 student clubs and organizations and holds more than 300 activities and events each year. The university has a variety of cultural options because of the Sangamon Auditorium and the Visual Arts Gallery, which bring the campus and the community together.

The university's recreation and athletic center also provide students a wide range of extracurricular options. UIS provides modern residence halls and apartments that are home to around 1,000 students. As a member of the Great Lakes Valley Conference in NCAA Division II, UIS has 11 sports teams, including volleyball, basketball, soccer, baseball, softball, golf and tennis.

Located in the state capital, UIS gives students opportunities to learn and work in the living laboratory of state government, regardless of major. Public affairs programs, internships and research projects are primary ways in which students gain experience and develop leadership skills.

The UIS Center for State Policy and Leadership is instrumental in carrying out the university's unique public affairs focus by identifying and addressing issues of state and national public policy, and promoting governmental effectiveness and civic engagement. The center is comprised of the Graduate Public Service Internship Program; Institute for Legal, Legislative and Policy Studies; *Illinois Issues* magazine; WUIS/WIPA public radio; Office of Electronic Media; Survey Research Office; and the Papers of Abraham Lincoln.

Brookens Library has a collection of more than 500,000 volumes, as well as cooperative relationships with the library of the Southern Illinois University School of Medicine, the Illinois State Library and special agency libraries within the community. Students also have electronic access to more than 40 other academic libraries in Illinois.

The University of Illinois at Springfield is realizing its vision of being a premier small public university offering innovative, high-quality liberal arts education, public affairs activities and professional programs dedicated to academic excellence, enriching individual lives and making a difference in the world. With its emphasis on civic engagement and collaborative learning, UIS strives to prepare its students for the challenges of a complex global world.

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Students enjoy the University of Illinois at Springfield campus, which encompasses about 750 acres southeast of the capital city.