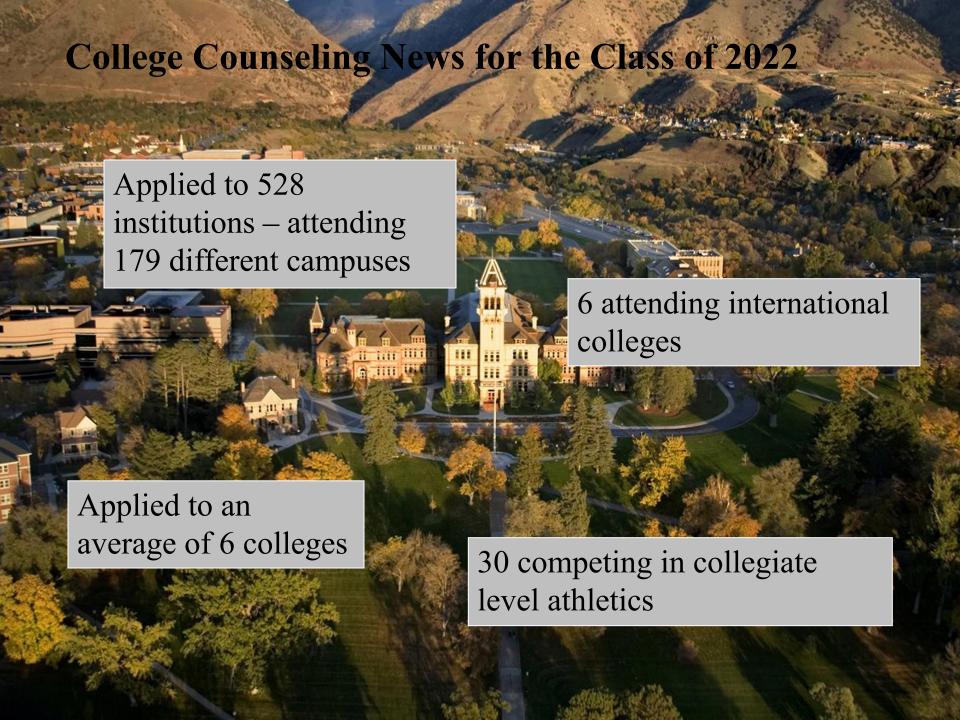
Junior College Night Demystifying the College Process



Who We Are/What We Do





More Applications=Better Chance

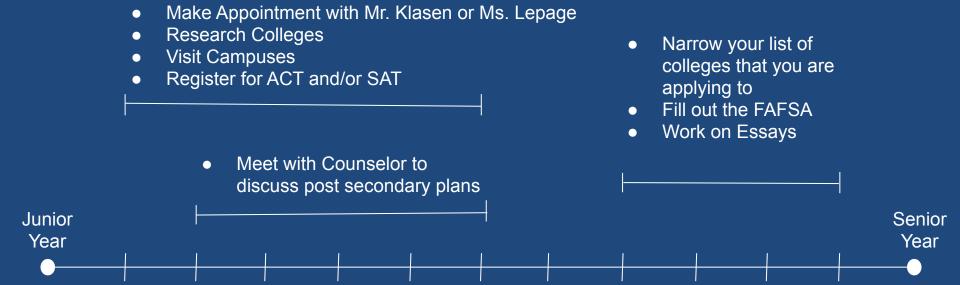


Top 10 Schools for the Class of 2022





"To-Do" Timeline





Jan

Feb

Mar

Apr



June

July

May



Nov

Oct

Sept

Aug

College Counseling Appointments

Our philosophy is to help guide our students in their journey to find the right fit. In guiding our students to find the right fit we value helping our students to find their voice.

College Appointments



Beginning in December of a student's junior year, students and parents may schedule appointments with one of our college counselors. Our counselors are also available for either first time meetings with Seniors or follow up meetings with students and parents for a more in depth discussion about a student's list of schools and finding the right fit for them.

Programs	and	Activities
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- Senior Information
- Senior Programs
- + Junior Programs
- + Sophomore Programs

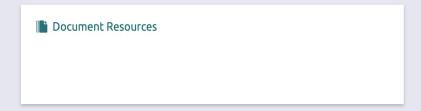
College Information

- + College Visits
- Community College
- + College Application Procedures
- + Senior College Counseling Appointments

College Counseling Appointments



Resources to get ready



From My School



PAGES

Your school has no new pages. Check back later.

UPDATES

Your school has no new updates. Check back later.



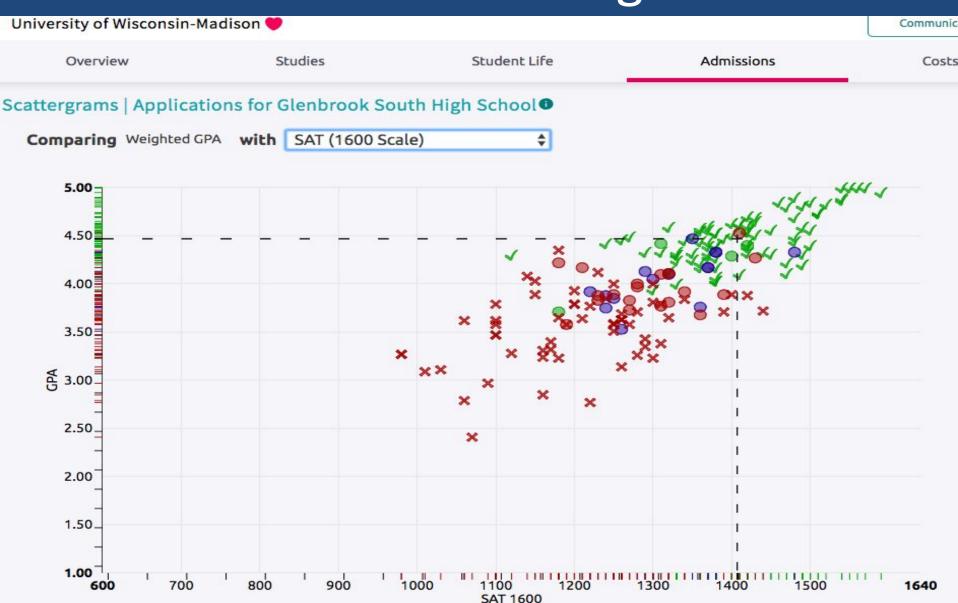
Upcoming Programs

- Junior Registration Meetings January
- Gap Fair at New Trier January 28 (12pm-3pm)
- College Colloquium Feb. 25 (10:00am-2:30pm)
- College Fair @ GBN April 13 (6:30pm-8:30pm)
- College Essay Writing Workshop June
- Common Application Workshop August
- Senior Individual Meetings September
- Senior College Night September
- Senior College Finance Night October
- FAFSA Completion Workshop October

Naviance Scattergram



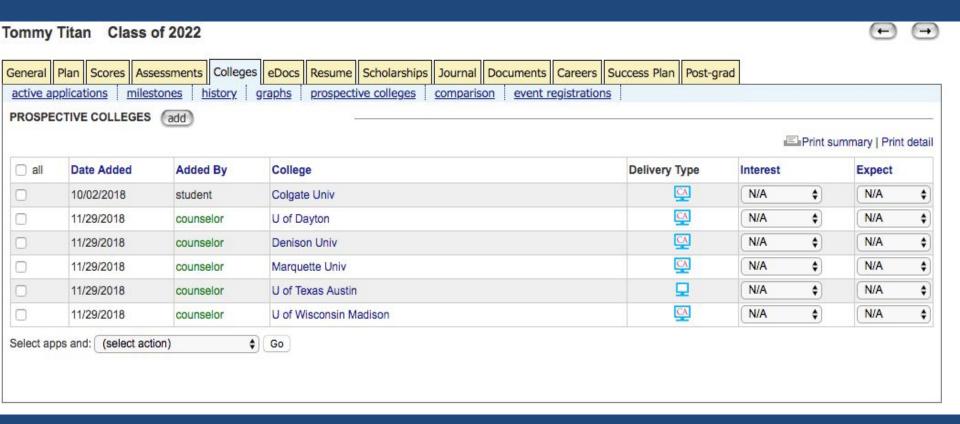
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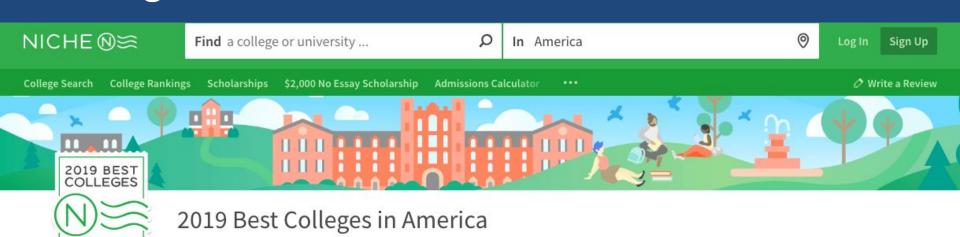


Naviance College List



Additional Online Resources

College ScoreCard
College Board -Big Future
College Niche
Compass Education Group
College Transitions -DataVerse



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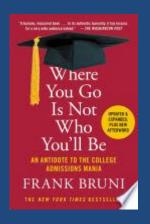


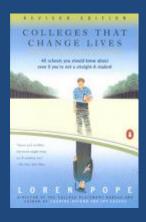
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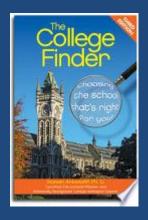
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Naviance
Fastweb.com
Cappex.com
Chegg.com
Goingmerry.com

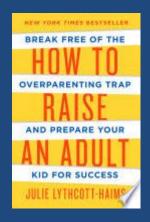


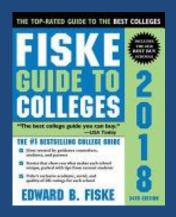
Favorite College Books

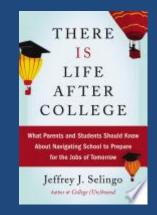












What Are Colleges Looking For?



NACAC Admission Trends Survey

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Factor	N	Considerable Importance	Moderate Importance	Limited Importance	No Importance
Grades in All Courses	220	74.5	15.0	5.5	5.0
Grades in College Prep Courses	220	73.2	16.8	5.9	4.1
Strength of Curriculum	219	62.1	21.9	8.7	7.3
Admission Test Scores (SAT, ACT)	221	45.7	37.1	12.2	5.0
Essay or Writing Sample	220	23.2	33.2	24.1	19.5
Student's Demonstrated Interest	218	16.1	23.9	28.0	32.1
Counselor Recommendation	218	15.1	40.4	26.6	17.9
Teacher Recommendation	219	14.2	40.2	26.5	19.2
Class Rank	220	9.1	29.1	34.1	27.7
Extracurricular Activities	219	6.4	42.9	32.0	18.7
Portfolio	219	6.4	11.9	26.9	54.8
Subject Test Scores (AP, IB)	219	5.5	18.3	35.2	41.1
Interview	219	5.5	16.4	28.3	49.8
Work	217	4.1	28.6	36.9	30.4
State Graduation Exam Scores	218	2.3	8.7	18.8	70.2
SAT II Scores	216	1.9	5.6	14.8	77.8

SOURCE: NACAC Admission Trends Survey, 2018-19.

Testing Information

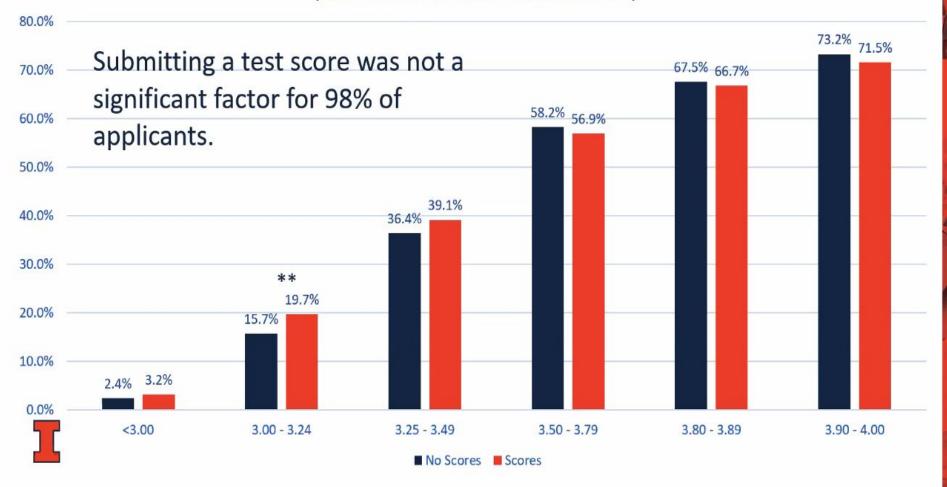
- Students may take the ACT or SAT more than once
- Colleges will take the best scores the student submits
- It is the student's responsibility to request official test scores from ACT/SAT
- Test optional/Self reporting scores



Test Optional

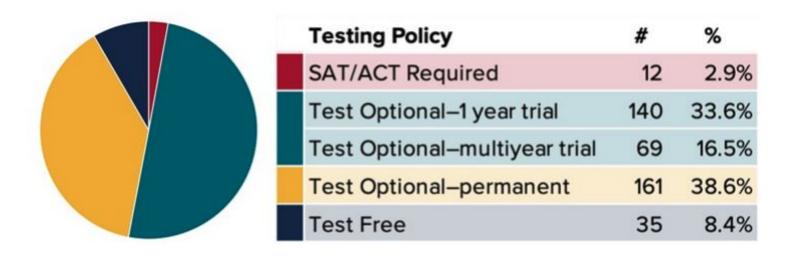
Applied TO: 44% Admitted TO: 40% Enrolled TO: 42%

UIUC <u>First Choice</u> Admit Rate by Core Academic GPA (Score Senders v. Non-Score Senders)



Mass Adoption of TO Class of 2021

Sample includes 416 US colleges and universities that are widely recognized nationally, including all institutions that are moderately to highly selective*



*Source: compassprep.com/college-profiles

Which Test Is Right For Your Student?



Testing Schedule





SAT®

- February 11
- April 15
- June 10*
- July 15
- September 9*
- October 21

- •March 11
- •April 12 (State Test)*
- •May 6
- •June 3*
- •August 26
- •October 1

*GBS is a test site

Test Prep

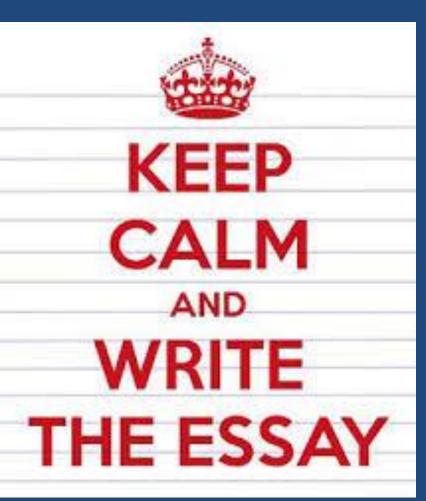
- Glenbrook Courses
 - SAT begins January 17
 - ACT begins February 2
- Khan Academy
 Free Online SAT Prep
- ACT Academy
 Free Online ACT Prep



The Essay

Beyond the Numbers and Statistics

- Sample of the student's writing
- Student steps off the page
- Insight into what makes you tick
- Essay writing workshop offered in June and the Senior English classes
- College Essay Tutors in TLC



Personal Statement and Supplemental Essays

The essay demonstrates your ability to write clearly and concisely on a selected topic and helps you distinguish yourself in your own voice. What do you want the readers of your application to know about you apart from courses, grades, and test scores? Choose the option that best helps you answer that question and write an essay of no more than 650 words, using the prompt to inspire and structure your response. Remember: 650 words is your limit, not your goal. Use the full range if you need it, but don't feel obligated to do so. (The application won't accept a response shorter than 250 words.)

- Some students have a background, identity, interest, or talent that is so meaningful they believe their application would be incomplete without it. If this sounds like you, then please share your story.
- The lessons we take from obstacles we encounter can be fundamental to later success. Recount a time when you faced a challenge, setback, or failure. How did it affect you, and what did you learn from the experience?
- Reflect on a time when you questioned or challenged a belief or idea. What prompted your thinking? What was the outcome?
- Reflect on something that someone has done for you that has made you happy or thankful in a surprising way. How has this gratitude affected or motivated you?
- Discuss an accomplishment, event, or realization that sparked a period of personal growth and a new understanding of yourself or others.
- Describe a topic, idea, or concept you find so engaging that it makes you lose all track of time. Why does it captivate you? What or who do you turn to when you want to learn more?
- Share an essay on any topic of your choice. It can be one you've already written, one that responds to a different prompt, or one of your own design.

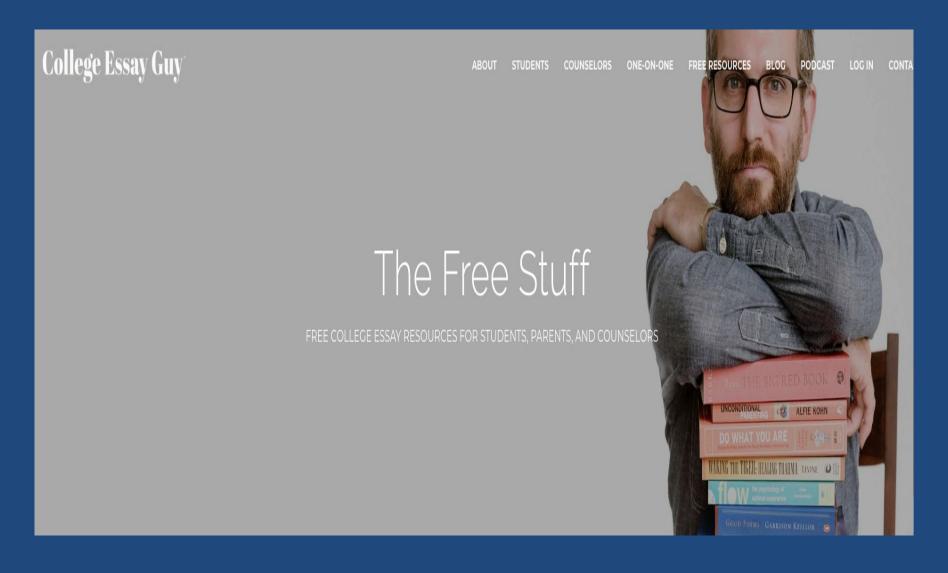
"Why Northwestern" Statement :

While other parts of your application give us a sense of who you are, we are also excited to hear more about how you see yourself engaging with the larger Northwestern community.

In 300 words or less, help us understand how you might engage specific resources, opportunities, and/or communities here. We are curious about *what* these specifics are, as well as *how* they may enrich your time at Northwestern and beyond.

Do you plan to complete the "Why Northwestern" Statement? (We strongly encourage a response, as your answer will help us connect the dots across your application to imagine what kind of college student you might become.)*

Everyone Likes Free



Teacher vs. Counselor Letters of Recommendation

- Teachers offer a perspective about student within the context of the class
- Counselors offer perspective from a more "global" viewpoint of what the student has contributed to GBS/community/work
- Student should ask teachers who "know" them well, not just teachers who "grade" them well
- Teacher recommendation should be from 1 of 5 academic subjects



Extracurricular Activities The Why vs. the What

"Colleges are much less concerned with what students do than why they do it. We're not wowed by the event but what it meant to you, what you learned about yourself."

Jim Bock, Swarthmore Dean of Admissions



Demonstrated Interest



COLORADO COLLEGE

FALL 2018	APPLICATIONS	ADMITS	ADMIT %	COMMITS	YIELD %
ED I Applications	705	246	34.9%	235*	96%
ED II Applications	467	56	12%	47*	84%
Combined ED I/ED II	1172	302	25.7%	282	93.4%
EA Applications	3487	640	18.3%	136	21.2%
RD Applications	3896	172	4.4%	38	22%
Other: Gap/Defer/WL		170	_	90	-
TOTAL Applications	8555	1284	15%	546	42.5%



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Is there an advantage/benefit to applying Early Decision?

Yes. Early Decision applicants are part of a much smaller pool of candidates. During the 2020-21 admission cycle, Boston College received 3,225 Early Decision applications (ED I and II combined). 39% of ED applicants were admitted, filling 48% of the Class of 2025. During Regular Decision, the remaining 52% of the class was filled from an applicant pool of nearly 37,000 applications. The admit rate for Regular Decision applicants was 17%.

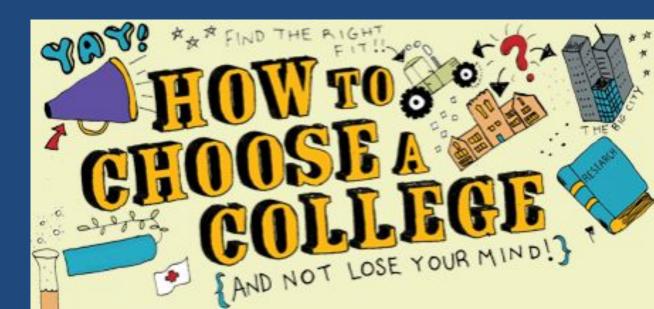
Because Early Decision attracts a small, but competitive pool of candidates, the acceptance rate is higher than at Regular Decision. Early Decision allows you to demonstrate your commitment to enroll at Boston College. It also enhances our ability to enroll students interested in the Jesuit, Catholic approach to education, personal growth, and service of others.

Institutional Priorities



The 5 P's: How to Choose a College

- Preference
- Place
- Program
- People
- Price



Preference

Size



Activities



Academic Fit



Athletics



Place

- Have a Family Discussion about Location
- In-state vs. Out-of-state, commuting vs. living on campus
- Urban, Suburban, Rural



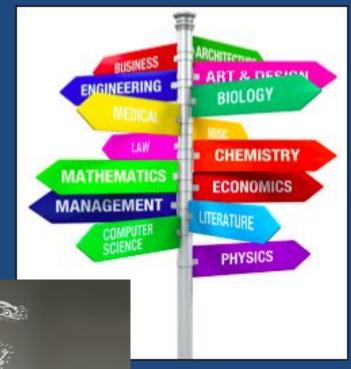






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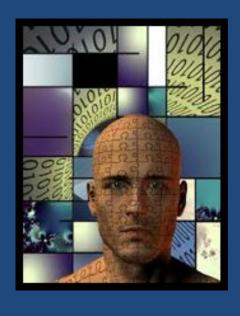
Common Question:
What do you want to major in?





Specialty Programs

Saint Louis University Medical Scholars
Program





Union College eight year Medical Program with Albany Medical College

Honors Programs



Barrett The Honors College

Arizona State University





Graduate **Outcomes**

2017-2018

Medical/Dental/Veterinary

University of California, San Francisco University of Michigan University of Arizona University of California Davis DVM Cornell University DVM Colorado State University DVM University of Pennsylvania DVM Harvard University DMD University of Colorado DDS University of Southern California DDS

Law

New York University **Duke University** Cornell University Georgetown University University of Texas, Austin Washington University University of Southern California Emory University Arizona State University University of Alabama

Graduate Programs

PhD in Biomedical Engineering at Johns Hopkins University

PhD in Genetics at Stanford University

PhD in Biology at Massachusetts Institute of Technology

PhD in Immunology at Columbia University

PhD in Political Science at University of Iowa

PhD in Pharmacology at Cambridge University

PhD in Bioengineering at Duke University

PhD in Computer Science at University of Virginia

PhD in Physics at University of California, San Diego

PhD in Bioinformatics at University of California, San Francisco

PhD in Chemical Oceanography at MIT/Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution

PhD in Structural Engineering at Arizona State University

MBA at Harvard University

MBA at Stanford University

MS in International Relations & Politics at University of Cambridge

MS in Science of Healthcare Delivery at Arizona State University

MCS in Computer Science Big Data Systems at Arizona State University

MS in Education at Northwestern University

MS in Media Arts & Sciences at Massachusetts Institute of Technology

MS in Aeronautics & Astronautics at Stanford University

MA in English at Arizona State University

MPA in Public Finance at Arizona State University

MPH in Public Health at Columbia University

MEd in Higher Education Administration at Pennsylvania State University

MMP in French Horn at University of Texas, Austin

MPP in Public Programs at George Washington University

MM in Music Performance at Boston Conservatory at Berklee

MA in Global Affairs & Management at Arizona State University

MA in Classical Archaeology at Brandeis University

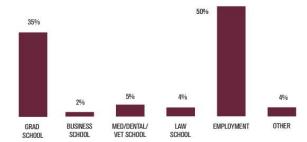
MA in Sustainability at Arizona State University

International Financial Law at London School of Economics

MTax in Taxation at Arizona State University

All lists are representative samples from this graduating class barretthonors.asu.edu/alumni





National Scholarships Awarded Spring 2018

2 NSEP BOREN 1 TRUMAN 1 GATES-CAMBRIDGE

21 FULBRIGHT

1 UDALL

3 FULBRIGHT SUMMER UK

1 MARSHALL

2 KILLAM

2 GOLDWATER

Employment

Industrial Engineer for The Walt Disney Company in Anaheim, CA Registered Nurse at the Mayo Clinic in Scottsdale, AZ

Software Development Engineer at Amazon in Seattle, WA

Credit Risk Analyst at Goldman Sachs in New York City, NY

Research Fellow at Babbitt Center for Land & Water Policy in Phoenix, AZ

Economics Teacher at Great China International in Chengdu, China

Real Estate Accountant at CBRE in Phoenix, AZ

2nd Lieutenant in the United States Marine Corps Mechanical Engineer at Microsoft in Seattle, WA

Procurement Analyst for Apple in Cupertino, CA

Founder of United Safety Technologies, LLC in Glendale, AZ

Behavioral Therapist at AFT Autism in Paris, France

Sponsorship Associate at US Green Building Council in Washington, D.C.

Aerospace Vehicle Designer & Mission Analyst at NASA Johnson Space Center in Houston, TX Publicity Coordinator at LAVIDGE in Phoenix, AZ

Supply Chain Analyst at Intel in Chandler, AZ

Executive Coordinator for Oxbridge Study Abroad Programs in New York City, NY

Senior Video Producer at The Arizona Republic in Phoenix, AZ

Sales Management Associate at PepsiCo Inc. in Portland, OR

Project Engineer at JE Dunn Construction in Tampa, FL

Leadership Consultant at Sigma Kappa Sorority in Carmel, IN

Landscape Designer at Waibel & Associates Landscape Architecture, LLC in Tempe, AZ

Reporter at Colorado Springs Independent in Colorado Springs, CO

Assistant Language Teacher at Himeji Department of Education in Himeji, Japan

Asset Manager at The Boeing Company in Mesa, AZ

Copyright & Content Developer at BigFish Creative Group in Scottsdale, AZ Management Consultant at PricewaterhouseCoopers in San Francisco, CA

Software Engineer at Raytheon in El Segundo, CA

Investment Banking Analyst at Goldman Sachs in Salt Lake City, UT

Supply Chain Analyst at Frito-Lay in Dallas, TX

Software Engineer at American Express in Phoenix, AZ

Math Teacher at Cesar Chavez High School in Laveen, AZ

Financial Analyst at Aetna in Hartford, CT

Account Manager at Procter & Gamble in Los Angeles, CA

People

Cultural and Geographic Diversity



Price

Net Price Calculator/FAFSA Estimator FAFSA: October 1 of Senior Year CSS Profile



2016-2017 Confirmation Page



■ Your confirmation page has been sent to you at the e-mail address: abc@fsa.gov

PRINT THIS PAGE

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Congratulations, Dependent! Your FAFSA was successfully submitted to Federal Student Aid.



Does your brother or sister need to complete a FAFSA? If so, you can transfer your parents' information into a new FAFSA. for your brother or sister to save time. Your parents will have to provide a signature again, but that's all.

- What Happens Next

- You will receive an e-mail version of this page.
- In 3-5 business days, you will receive an e-mail notifying you that your FAFSA was processed.
- Your FAFSA information will be made available to your school(s), and they will use it to determine the aid you may be eligible to receive.
- Your school(s) will contact you if they need more information or when they are ready to discuss your financial aid award.
- If you have questions about your financial aid package, contact your school(s).

School(s) on your FAFSA:

School Name	Graduation Rate	Retention Rate	<u>Transfer</u> <u>Rate</u>	Additional Information from College Navigator
UNIV OF ILLINOIS AT CHICAGO	60%	80%	NA	NA
ALABAMA AGROLTL & MECHL UNIV	35%	66%	NA	NA
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA	70%	86%	24%	NA
UNIV OF ILLINOIS @ URBANA- CHAMPAIGN	84%	93%	NA.	NA



Estimated Expected Family Contribution (EFC) = 002516 The EFC is a measure of how much you can contribute to the cost of your education. Schools use your EFC to determine your federal student aid eligibility.

The EFC is not how much aid you will receive or how much

Based on the eligibility criteria, you may be eligible for the following:

Pell Grant Estimate - \$3,225.00

Direct Stafford Loan Estimate - \$5,500.00 You may also be eligible to receive other federal,

Merit Scholarships

Moderately competitive schools will offer what is called merit scholarships for every student that fits certain criteria (GPA and test score).

Highly selective colleges will only offer a few scholarships based on merit, but many meet 100% of need based on FAFSA and CSS Profile.



Sample Financial Aid Package

Drake University

Office of Student Financial Planning

Your Financial Aid Awards

Student Name Student ID# December 3, 2018 Student Copy

Below please find your financial aid awards for the 2018-19 academic year. PLEASE REVIEW AND COMPLETE BOTH SIDES OF THIS AWARD NOTICE AND SIGN AND RETURN A COPY TO THE OFFICE OF STUDENT FINANCIAL PLANNING. IN ADDITION, BE CERTAIN THAT YOU READ AND RESPOND ACCORDINGLY TO ALL AWARD INSTRUCTIONS AND ACTIONS REQUESTED.

Step 1. Your Awards: Please read messages below as indicated (several awards cannot be processed without additional action). Circle Accept or Decline ONLY where this message exists. Please read the instructions for any award marked by asterisk (*,**,***, etc.) and complete all the steps as outlined in these instructions. For revisions following your initial award notice, the first message in Step 2 will indicate the basis for the revision.

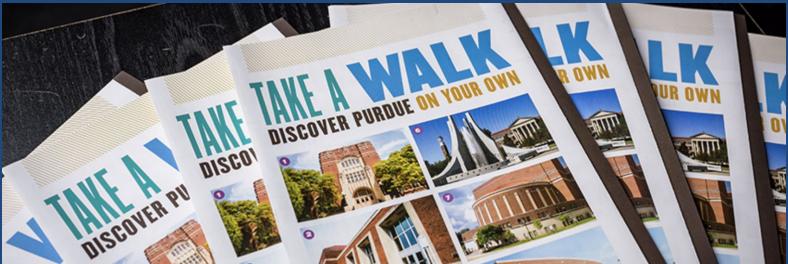
Award Description	Summer 2018	Fall 2018	Spring 2019	Total	Messages/Action
Presidential Scholar (Tuition)		10,500.00	10,500.00	\$21,000.00	Accept/Decline
Trustee Scholarship (Tuition)		1,500.00	1,500.00	\$3,000.00	Accept/Decline
Fine Arts Scholarship Music		4,500.00	4,500.00	\$9,000.00	Accept/Decline
TOTAL GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS				\$33,000.00	0.0004000000000000000000000000000000000
Federal Direct Unsubsidized Ln TOTAL FEDERAL STUDENT LOANS		2,750.00	2,750.00	\$5,500.00 \$5,500.00	See **
Federal PLUS or Private Loan TOTAL OTHER LOAN ELIGIBILITY		7,655.00	7,655.00	\$15,310.00 \$15,310.00	See ***

Graduating with Loans



Visiting College Campuses

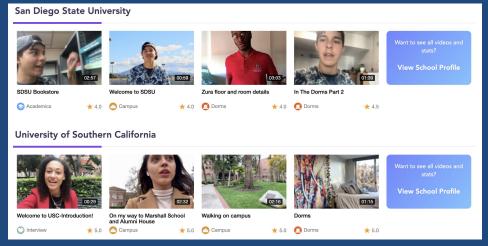




Virtual Tours



- college admissions websites
- youvisit.com
- campusreels.org



Campus Visit – Getting Started

- Large public University of Illinois, Northern Illinois
- Small private Lake Forest College, North Central College
- Urban Setting University of Illinois at Chicago,
 DePaul University
- Midsize Suburban Northwestern University, Bradley University

Campus Visits

Why?

- Campus style
- Student body
- Academics
- Social life

When?

- During the school year
- Campus visit program days
- Spring Break or Summer



Campus Visits

Who?

- Visit the Admission,
 Financial Aid and
 Placement offices
- Visit classes
- Speak to students other than the tour guide

What?

- Facilities
- Dorm rooms
- Community
- Campus literature
- Transportation



Special Visit Days and Special Virtual Info Sessions



VISIT PROGRAMS

With the fall semester in full swing, students have multiple opportunities to come see SLU for themselves!

Preview Days Oct. 6, Oct. 14 and Nov. 11

This event gives students the opportunity to introduce themselves to faculty, staff and current students. It also includes:

- Presentations on the application and admission process and financial aid
- · Panel discussion with current students
- Academic and information fair
 One-on-one with admission counselor
- Special presentation about studying Pre-Medicine at SLU
- Walking tour and a tour of our residence halls

Special business, engineering and aviation options are available on Oct. 6 Preview Day.

Apply
Visit
Majors
SLU.edu

DATES AND DEADLINES



Deadline for the Presidential Scholarship is Dec.1.



Deadline for the Martin Luther King Jr. Scholarship is Feb.1.



Many honors and scholars

Narrow Your Search



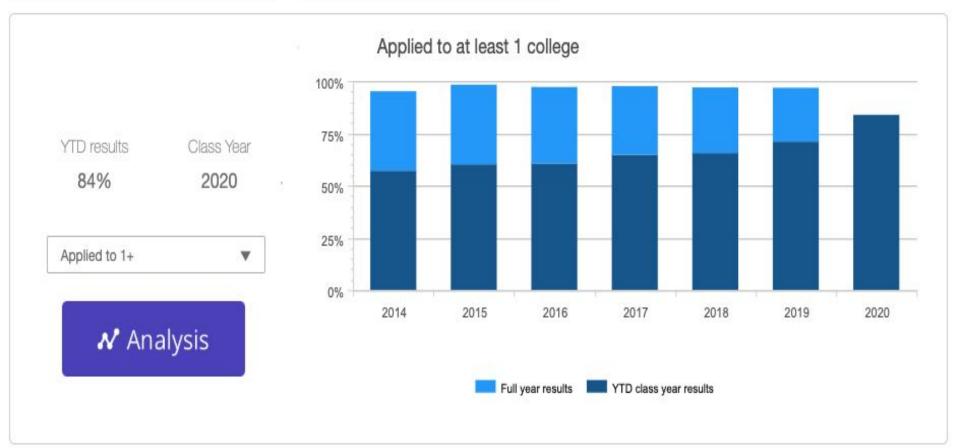
Application Management

Login/ Password	Type (EA,ED, RD, Priority	Application	required Date requested	Required	Counselor Rec required	Required	Target, Safety	Reach, Target, Safety Financial

Start Early

High School Outcomes

Alumni Outcomes



Communicate



