

University of Illinois System



Timothy L. Killeen
President

With an annual enrollment of nearly 86,000 students, the University of Illinois (U of I) System educates more students each year than any other college or university in the state. Students attend classes at three main universities: Urbana-Champaign, Chicago and Springfield. There are also regional campuses in Peoria and Rockford that are home to branches of several UIC health sciences colleges.

The University of Illinois System graduates more than 22,000 students in 600 degree programs annually. The universities of the system offer a range of programs that lead to baccalaureate, graduate and professional degrees, and certificates. The system 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 System is committed to making a positive impact through research. Each university 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. Each university also has strong liberal arts, humanities, fine arts and business programs.

The president of the U of I System oversees all universities and system 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 university who is elected by their peers. The Governor is an ex-officio member of the board.

System 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 system administrative units to the universities are academic affairs, business and financial services, auditing, budgeting, ethics and compliance, university and government relations, research, health affairs, information technology, facilities planning, human resources and legal counsel.

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

University senior staff members 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 System administration and the University of Illinois Foundation work together to promote opportunities that benefit the universities and campuses. The foundation raises funds and accepts gifts on behalf of the institution. The University of Illinois Alumni Alliance provides programming and services that develop and maintain alumni connections with the system, the three universities, the regional campuses and each other. The U of I System has more than 740,000 living alumni.

Across the campuses and in administrative offices, U of I employs about 25,000 faculty and staff. The U of I System provides an annual direct and indirect economic impact to the state of \$17.5 billion.

Admission to the U of I is determined by each university, 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 \$1.5 billion assisted U of I students in 2016-2017, the most recent year for which numbers are available.

The U of I System is proud of its three universities and the learning and discovery that take place every day. The system is equally proud of what it contributes to the prosperity and quality of lives for thousands of Illinoisans across the state.

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University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign



Robert J. Jones
Chancellor

As the state's land-grant university, the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign has been dedicated to being a national leader of excellence and innovation in education, research and public engagement for 150 years. It is both an economic engine for the state, with an estimated annual impact of \$8.9 billion (2017 data), and the venue where more than 1,900 tenure-track faculty members lead nearly 45,000 undergraduate, graduate and professional students in the process of discovery and education.

More than 38,000 individuals apply to attend the Urbana campus each year and about 7,500 enroll each fall. Undergraduates choose from more than 150 programs in 10 colleges. Nearly 80 percent of the undergraduate class (roughly 25,000 individuals each year) are Illinois residents.

Impressively, about 20 percent of each freshman class consists of students who are the first generation of their family to attend college. The remainder of the undergraduate class hosts students from all 50 states and more than 100 other countries.

The U of I at Urbana-Champaign maintains 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 campus had the second-highest international enrollment among all public institutions in 2018 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 faculty members are world-renowned scholars who have been recognized with honors, such as Guggenheim Fellowships, Tony Awards and MacArthur "genius" Awards, and memberships in the nation's elite academies of arts and sciences. The university has had 13 Nobel Laureates serve 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, to have two Nobel Prizes (in different fields) awarded to faculty members 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. Urbana-Champaign campus alumni have been awarded 11 Nobel Prizes, and three graduates of University High School also have been awarded Nobel Prizes. Since 2014, faculty members have been honored with a MacArthur Fellowship, a National Medal of Science, two Humboldt Awards and the Wallace Stevens Award from the Academy of American Poets.

Campus resources include one of the world's largest public university libraries, with more than 14 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, the Siebel Center for Computer Science and the Carl R. Woese Institute for Genetic Biology. Among the university's newest facilities is the cutting-edge Carl R. Woese Institute for Genomic Biology. In 2018, the university welcomed the inaugural class of a new medical college built at the intersection of engineering and medicine, the Carle Illinois College of Medicine.

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 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 webpages draw more than 6 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, as well as accessibility and the highest standards of scholarship. It is a place where opportunities abound and dreams are realized for thousands of students each year.

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign Administration

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The Illini Union anchors the north end of the quad — the physical and emotional heart of the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

University of Illinois at Chicago



Michael D. Amiridis
Chancellor

The University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC) is a major research university located in the heart of a great American and global city. With 31,000 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 \$327 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. 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. The university is a major source of teachers for Chicago public schools, and a partnership project prepares elementary teachers to work in impoverished, 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 a gathering of scholars, public intellectuals, policymakers and elected officials to discuss, analyze and propose pragmatic and innovative solutions that will enhance the lives of city dwellers around the globe.

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 works 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, student researchers and entrepreneurs transform new knowledge into useful products and services that benefit society. At UIC's Innovation Center, students and faculty work in a multidisciplinary hub of education and development that bridges academic research and real-world instruction with forward-thinking corporations.

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 long-standing commitment to sustainability is reflected on its campus with more than 3,800 trees, geothermal energy systems and newly renovated LEED-certified buildings.

University of Illinois at Chicago Administration

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With over 31,000 students, the University of Illinois at Chicago is the city's largest university. UIC is home to 15 colleges, state-of-the-art research facilities, a comprehensive health sciences center and the historic Jane Addams Hull-House Museum.

University of Illinois at Springfield



Susan J. Koch
Chancellor

Students at the University of Illinois at Springfield (UIS) benefit from the campus' focus on education and commitment to small class sizes. The public, liberal arts university — located in the state's capital — is known for its resolution 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 the fall 2001, when freshmen enrolled for the first time, and has been growing ever since. There are now more than 4,500 students (both on- and off-campus) enrolled at UIS at the undergraduate and graduate levels in 31 bachelor's and 20 master's degree programs and one doctoral program in public administration. More than 65 percent of students are taking at least one online course in the university's nationally recognized online education program that offers 23 online degree programs.

Campus life at UIS has blossomed thanks to the energy and diversity of its students of all ages, including nearly 500 international students. The university has more than 80 student clubs and organizations and holds more than 300 activities and events each year. The university has a variety of cultural opportunities because of the Sangamon Auditorium and the Visual Arts Gallery, which bring the campus and local community together. The UIS Student Union opened in January 2018 and is now the center for students' social and organizational activities.

The university's Recreation and Athletic Center also provides students with a wide range of extracurricular options. UIS provides modern residence halls and apartments that are home to nearly 1,000 students. As a member of the Great Lakes Valley Conference in NCAA Division II, UIS has 15 sports teams including volleyball, basketball, soccer, baseball, track and field, softball, golf, cross country 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 by 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; and Survey Research Office.

The university's Brookens Library hosts a collection of more than 650,000 volumes and 100 databases of full-text and indexed information. Students and faculty also have access to the collections of more than 85 academic and special libraries in Illinois.

The University of Illinois at Springfield is realizing its vision of being a premier small public university that offers an 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.

University of Illinois at Springfield Administration

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“The Young Lawyer,” a life-size statue of Abraham Lincoln sculpted by renowned artist George Lundeen, was unveiled on the UIS campus in May 2016.