



WHERE IN
THE WORLD WILL

WONDER

TAKE YOU?

University of Portland
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Who we are.

At University of Portland, discoveries are waiting to be made. We call it purposeful thinking.

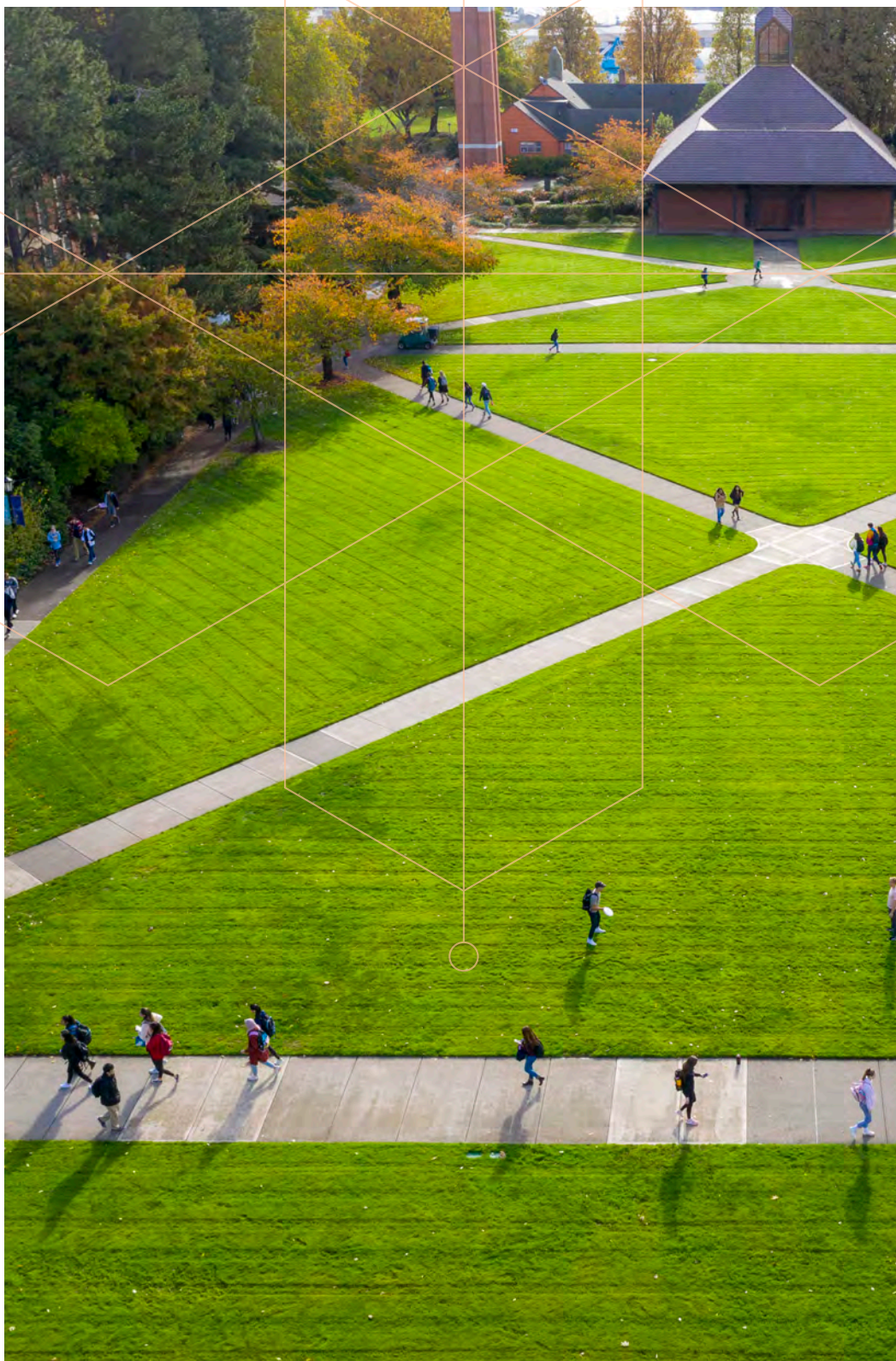
It starts with what inspires you. As a comprehensive Catholic university that is grounded in the liberal arts, we embrace a culture of curiosity. The topics that captivate your imagination can become the subjects you study and stepping stones for your career. Our focused and rigorous programs will prepare you to lead in your field, and our dedicated professors will provide guidance and support. You'll become part of a close-knit community where you live campus life to the fullest, joining activities and events that can either be a few steps away from your residence hall, a quick ride to downtown Portland, or even a day trip to the Oregon Coast or Mt. Hood, both of which are less than two hours away.

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STUDENT-FACULTY RATIO

3,970

STUDENTS FROM 47 U.S. STATES,
6 U.S. TERRITORIES, & 40 COUNTRIES



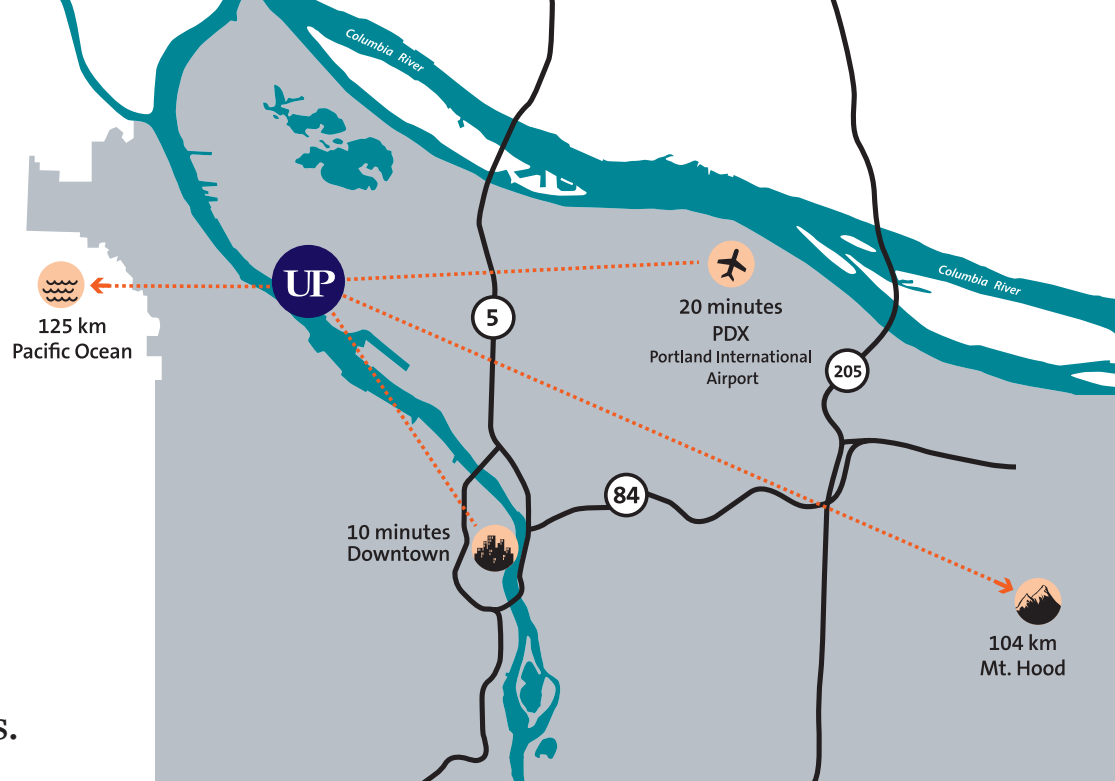
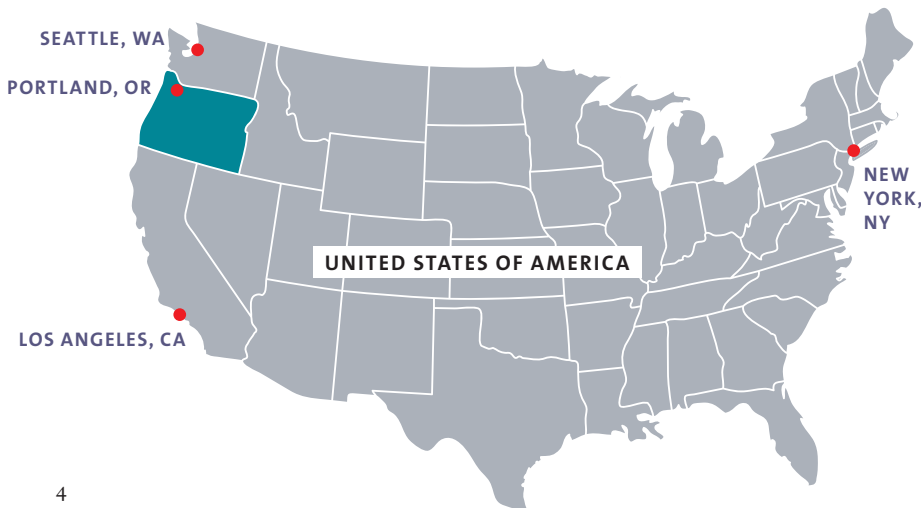


Where we are.

Where you live will shape your experiences.

It expands your horizons beyond campus.

Our campus is located in a safe and quiet neighborhood only minutes from a wide range of activities, from music venues, restaurants, art galleries, and shops to leafy parks, recreation areas, and sports arenas. The city is also home to an array of businesses, providing opportunities for internships and volunteer experiences. And it's easy to get there—buses are available right from campus, and the city is serviced by companies like Lyft and Uber. What about our weather? We have warm, dry summers and mild, damp winters. But to enjoy everything our city and state offers, do bring a rain jacket!



What separates us from the rest?

#3 on *Forbes* 2019 list for “best places for business and careers”

104 km to Mt. Hood, which offers skiing, snowboarding, and hiking

125 km to the Pacific Ocean, where public, sandy beaches stretch for miles along the Oregon Coast

94 cm of rain annually, which is less than Atlanta, Boston, New York, and Seattle

2,064 ha public park, which is one of the largest urban forests in the U.S.

#1 for sustainability among “America’s Greenest Cities” *Travel & Leisure* (2019)

#4 in the list of best coffee cities in America *WalletHub* (2019)

THE CITY OF PORTLAND IS IN THE STATE OF OREGON, AND IS PROUDLY PART OF THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST REGION OF THE UNITED STATES.

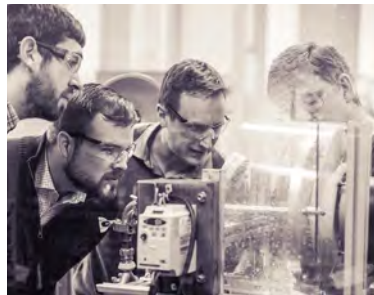


What you learn.

Building your career begins now with programs and places to support you.

All of our academic programs fall under the College of Arts and Sciences or one of our four schools: the Pamplin School of Business, the School of Education, the School of Nursing, and the Shiley School of Engineering. At University of Portland, every academic program is grounded in a liberal arts core curriculum that provides a knowledge base and multiple lenses to address enduring questions of human concern, solve complex problems, and make effective, ethical decisions. Think of the University core curriculum as a compass that will guide you through your educational experience at UP and life after graduation. Our professional schools and programs offer flexibility in shaping your academic future. Whether you choose to add a minor or even pursue two different majors, that final plan is yours to shape. And our graduate students find that all of our programs of study emphasize not only technical knowledge and skills, but also leadership, ethics, and a global perspective.

Our classes average less than 30 students, which makes it easier to get to know your classmates and professors. These smaller classes also allow you to take advantage of many resources, including state-of-the-art labs, undergraduate research opportunities, music and theater productions, events and lectures, as well as the dozens of classrooms, study lounges, auditorium, and faculty offices in Dundon-Berchtold Hall, newly opened in 2019.



HOW WE STACK UP

BY THE NUMBERS

#1 IN OREGON FOR BEST VALUE AMONG
PRIVATE UNIVERSITIES
according to *Kiplinger's Personal Finance* 2019

26 CONSECUTIVE YEARS AS A
TOP TEN REGIONAL UNIVERSITY
by *U.S. News & World Report* 2021

45% OF INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS
EARN MERIT SCHOLARSHIP

#18 IN THE U.S. AS A "TOP 25 STEM
COLLEGE" IN 2018 by *Forbes.com*



Joining a community



APPROXIMATELY

100

STUDENT-RUN CLUBS

3

DINING FACILITIES
ON CAMPUS

Live campus life to the fullest and make connections that will last a lifetime.

We see the UP community as an opportunity, a place where a broad range of bright minds from varying backgrounds can share their personal experiences and perspectives. By living in one of our 10 residence halls, you'll find it easy to meet new people and be right in the middle of things with 2,200 other students. There's also the option of living nearby in the neighborhood; UP owns approximately 30 off-campus houses that can be rented.

You'll also be able to connect with those whose interests are similar to yours. We have approximately 100 student-run clubs, faith-sharing groups, and volunteer programs. There are many ways for you to stay healthy—our Beauchamp Recreation and Wellness Center offers an abundance of free classes and is home to a climbing wall, indoor track, and exercise machines. Our dining facilities include all sorts of food options, from soups and salads to pizza and sandwiches, as well as vegan, vegetarian, and “grab and go” options too.

Learn more at up.edu/discover-studentlife

APPLYING TO UP

We're here to help.

Our International Student Services staff can answer your questions. We're also here to help after you arrive. The International Students Services office is centrally located on campus and our staff assist more than 150 students from around the globe. The office is located next to the Diversity Center, which is a place you can access for group activities and find friendly faces. We can also answer your questions—whether they are about connecting with like-minded students, adjusting to life in Portland, or immigration issues and work authorization.

And to help you navigate the steps to becoming a UP student, we've put together a step-by-step action plan to follow.

Learn more at up.edu/intl-admissions

International Admissions Process

- ▶ **SUBMIT APPLICATION MATERIALS.** Contact our office with questions or check your application status online.
- ▶ **ONCE ALL APPLICATION MATERIALS ARE RECEIVED**, your application is evaluated for admission (3-4 weeks).
- ▶ **ADMISSION DECISION & SCHOLARSHIP LETTERS** are sent to applicant.
- ▶ **FINANCIAL SUPPORT DOCUMENTS ARE REQUESTED** of admitted students.
- ▶ **INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SERVICES CONFIRMS FINANCIAL SUPPORT DOCUMENTS** and sends immigration documents to admitted students.
- ▶ **CONFIRM YOUR ENROLLMENT** at University of Portland.
- ▶ **LOGIN TO UP STUDENT PORTAL (*PILOTSUP*)**.
- ▶ **APPLY FOR HOUSING** after confirming enrollment.
- ▶ **APPLY FOR STUDENT VISA** or begin **SEVIS** transfer, if already in U.S.
- ▶ **ALL NEW INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS REGISTER** for International Student Orientation.
- ▶ **ARRIVE IN PORTLAND** for International Student Orientation (1 week prior to first day of class).
- ▶ **BEGIN CLASSES AT UNIVERSITY OF PORTLAND!**

Undergraduate Application and Admissions

FIRST-YEAR INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- First-Year Application—apply online: up.edu/admissions/apply
- \$50 application fee
- Official secondary school transcripts or school leaving exam reports in the original language with an English translation
- Counselor or teacher recommendation
- Essay
- Official university transcripts (if applicable)
- SAT or ACT optional (only required of NCAA student-athletes)



TRANSFER INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Transfer Application—apply online: up.edu/admissions/apply
- \$50 application fee
- Official university transcripts sent from issuing institution
- Official secondary school transcripts (if less than a year of university coursework completed)
- Nursing and engineering programs have additional prerequisite requirements for admission eligibility; please contact intl-adm@up.edu for more information.*



UNDERGRADUATE APPLICATION DEADLINES

<div>JAN 15</div> <div>Recommended deadline for first-year students.</div>	<div>APR 1</div> <div>Summer term deadline for transfer applications.</div>	<div>JUN 1</div> <div>Fall term deadline for first-year and transfer applications.</div>	<div>NOV 15</div> <div>Spring term deadline for first-year and transfer applications.</div>
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**Note to transfer nursing applicants: The next available transfer cohort will start Summer 2023. Application deadline is April 4, 2022.*

UNDERGRADUATE ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

- Non-native English speakers must provide proof of English language competency. University of Portland accepts the following exams and scores:
- TOEFL (iBT): 71 or TOEFL (PBT): 525
 - IELTS: 6.5
 - SAT (EBRW): 550
 - IB English Foreign Language A & B Exam: 4 or better
 - GCE or IGCSE English Exam: C or better
 - US college-level writing & composition: C or better
 - Duolingo English Test: 105

APPLYING TO UP

Graduate Application and Admissions

GRADUATE INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

Graduate applications are processed by the Graduate School and requirements vary by program. For program-specific application requirements go to the Graduate School website: up.edu/graduate.

GRADUATE APPLICATION DEADLINES
(unless otherwise noted by program)



Fall term deadline



Spring term deadline



Summer term deadline



University Stats

FOUNDED 1901

MISSION
Catholic university guided by the Congregation of Holy Cross

STUDENT BODY
3,970 undergraduate and graduate students from 47 U.S. states, 6 U.S. territories, and 40 countries

FACULTY 252 professors; 11:1 student-faculty ratio

CAMPUS SIZE 60.7 hectares

LOCATION
Adjacent to the Willamette River, minutes from downtown Portland



250+

PROFESSORS

2.45M

METRO AREA POPULATION



Portland Stats

POPULATION
2.45 million in metro area.

TEMPERATURE
Summer average 24C (75F)
Winter average 4C (39F)

WEATHER
Warm, dry summers; mild, damp winters.
Average rainfall is 94 cm (37 in) per year.





Estimated Costs

UNDERGRADUATE TUITION

\$49,424 annually

GRADUATE TUITION

varies by program

STANDARD ROOM AND BOARD

\$14,608

AVERAGE EXPENSES (BOOKS, TRAVEL, ETC.)

\$3,000

ESTIMATED PROFESSIONAL TUITION

\$1,200

HEALTH INSURANCE

\$2,900*

AVERAGE INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

\$9,500

**International students have many options regarding health insurance which may reduce cost.*



International Scholarships

Merit awards are based on academic grades and strength of program for international first-year and transfer students. These awards range from \$8,000-\$11,000 per academic year. Graduate student awards range from \$1,000-\$3,000, depending on the program. No separate application is required.

Student Visas

All admitted international students are asked to submit the following:

- Immigration Information and International Student Declaration of Finances
- Copy of Passport

Once received, the Office of International Student Services will mail you an I-20 (students seeking F-1 status) or a DS-2109 (Exchange Visitors seeking J-1 status). You will need to contact the U.S. Embassy or Consulate in your country to arrange an interview and obtain either the F-1 Visa or J-1 Visa.

Programs of Study 2021-2022

UNDERGRADUATE

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Applied Mathematics
Biochemistry (*option in Chemistry*)
Biology
Chemistry
Communication
Economics
English
Environmental Ethics & Policy
Environmental Science
French Studies
Gender, Women, & Sexuality Studies
German Studies
History
Mathematics
Music
Organizational Communication
Philosophy
Physics
Political Science & Global Affairs
Psychology
Social Work
Sociology/Criminology Track
Spanish
Theater
Theology

PAMPLIN SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Accounting / 4 + 1 (BBA & MBA)
Economics
Finance
Marketing
Operations & Technology Management

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Elementary Education / 3 + 1 Pathway
Secondary Education / 3 + 1 Pathway

SHILEY SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

Civil Engineering
Computer Science
Electrical Engineering
Mechanical Engineering

SCHOOL OF NURSING

Integrative Health & Wellness
Nursing*

PRE-PROFESSIONAL RESOURCES

Pre-Dentistry
Pre-Law
Pre-Medicine
Pre-Occupational Therapy
Pre-Optometry
Pre-Pharmacy
Pre-Physical Therapy
Pre-Physician Assistant
Pre-Veterinary Medicine

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GRADUATE

BUSINESS

Business Administration (M.B.A.)
Finance (M.S.)
Nonprofit Management (M.B.A.)
Operations & Technology
Management (M.S.)

COMMUNICATION

Communication (M.A.)
Management Communication (M.S.)

EDUCATION

Master of Arts in Teaching (M.A.T.)
Master of Education (M.Ed.)
Master of Arts in Education (M.A.)
Master of Arts in Higher Education
and Student Affairs (M.A.H.E.S.A.)
Doctor of Education (Ed.D.)

ENGINEERING

Engineering (M.E.)
Biomedical Engineering (M.S.)

NURSING

Doctor of Nursing Practice (D.N.P.)



Take the next step with
University of Portland.

LEARN MORE

Visit up.edu/iss

SCHEDULE A VISIT

Email intl-adm@up.edu

Contact us with any questions.

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We acknowledge the land on which we sit and which we occupy at University of Portland. "The Portland Metro area rests on traditional village sites of the Multnomah, Wasco, Cowlitz, Kathlamet, Clackamas, Bands of Chinook, Tualatin, Kalapuya, Molalla, and many other tribes who made their homes along the Columbia River creating communities and summer encampments to harvest and use the plentiful natural resources of the area" (Portland Indian Leaders Roundtable, 2018). We take this opportunity to thank the original caretakers of this land.

