

YOUR TRANSFER GUIDE



NOW ENTERING
**PILOT
COUNTRY**

**UNIVERSITY
OF PORTLAND**

150 ACRES OF CAMPUS

10 RESIDENCE HALLS

11 MILES TO PDX AIRPORT!
65+ cities + 8+ countries with direct flights

10-MINUTE DRIVE TO downtown Portland

2,200 STUDENTS LIVE ON CAMPUS
be there in 5! i'll get us some coffee ☺
meet at the library?

100+ Student-run Clubs!

SIXTEEN DIVISION I TEAMS

0.9 MILES to the NEAREST GROCERY STORE (NEW SEASONS)

1.6 MILES TO THE NEAREST MOVIE THEATER
MCMENAMINS (+ THEY HAVE TATER TOTS)

AVG. PRECIPITATION 43"
4" LESS THAN NYC!

DOZENS OF INTRAMURAL TEAMS

2 miles to the BEST PHOTO-OP in PORTLAND
CATHEDRAL PARK

85 MILES TO SEA STARS + CRASHING WAVES AT CANNON BEACH

sixty miles to MT. HOOD + A 10-MONTH SKI SEASON

BY the NUMBERS

INTIMATE CLASSES. INNOVATIVE PROGRAMS.

You've proven yourself to be intellectually curious, hardworking, and committed to your future. You bring experiences and perspectives that will enrich any community you join. You offer so much as a transfer student, what can University of Portland offer you?

For starters, small classes driven by subject matter that addresses the most pressing issues of our time. Professors who really know you and help you realize your goals. A never-ending list of internships and jobs throughout the Portland area where you can put your learning into action. Service and justice work that ignites your fire to make change.

Earning your degree at University of Portland is one of the best investments you can make. UP is consistently ranked as one of the top schools in Oregon for providing graduates with the most return for the price of their education. And when you graduate, you'll join a vast network of engaged alumni who are leaders in their fields and proud to connect with fellow Pilots.

NO MATTER WHERE YOU STARTED ON YOUR COLLEGE JOURNEY, FINISH WITH US ON THE BLUFF.

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YEARS AS A TOP-10 UNIVERSITY
(U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT)

WHO CAN TRANSFER?

If you enrolled in a college or university after high school graduation, whether or not you have completed a term, you are eligible to apply for a transfer to UP.

WE MAKE IT EASY

Our dedicated transfer team will help you make a smooth transition with a degree path and financial plan that works best for you.

GRADUATE ON TIME

On average, students who transfer to UP with at least 30 transferable semester credits (45 quarter credits) graduate in just under 5 semesters.

FOUNDED IN **1901**



UP IS AFFORDABLE

You'll be automatically considered for our transfer scholarships based on your college academic records. Scholarships range from **\$14,000 - \$28,000** per academic year and results come within four weeks of acceptance to UP.



PHI THETA KAPPA
HONOR SOCIETY

PHI THETA KAPPA SCHOLARSHIPS

Members of Phi Theta Kappa (two-year honor society) are eligible for PTK Scholarships, worth **\$3,000** per academic year. No separate application is required, only proof of membership.

MILITARY SCHOLARSHIPS

UP accepts qualifying veteran benefits and participates in the Yellow Ribbon Program. UP is also home to Army and Air/Space Force ROTC detachments, each of which offer scholarships that can be combined with financial aid packages and institutional and outside scholarships.

Learn more: up.edu/finaid/other-aid



TUITION, HOUSING & MEALS

For the 2023-2024 academic year, tuition is \$54,400, average on-campus housing (standard room) is \$11,136, and food (meal plan 2) is \$5,400. Costs for 2024-2025 are set in the spring of 2024.

NEARLY 100%
OF STUDENTS RECEIVE SOME TYPE
OF FINANCIAL AID OR SCHOLARSHIP



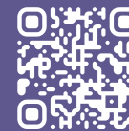
FINANCIAL AID

Merit scholarships are determined at the time of admission and students are notified at the time of acceptance. Additionally, more aid is available through the Financial Aid Office by filing a FAFSA. Financial aid considers a student's individual and family financial situation, academic excellence, and unique talents. Start the application process early to take full advantage of available opportunities. Our financial aid office is ready to help. We offer telephone appointments with financial aid counselors during regular business hours (9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday-Friday). To schedule, contact the Office of Financial Aid at finaid@up.edu or 503.943.7311.

HIGHER ED PAYS OFF: EARNINGS INCREASE AND UNEMPLOYMENT DECREASES WITH EVERY EDUCATION LEVEL ATTAINED. WORKERS WITH A BACHELOR'S DEGREE EARN AN AVERAGE OF \$500 MORE PER WEEK AND HAVE NEARLY HALF THE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE OF THOSE WITHOUT. (U.S. BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS, 2022)

FINANCIAL AID TIMELINE

DECEMBER



FAFSA available for the coming aid year (tentative).

studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid

FEBRUARY 15

Priority FAFSA receipt deadline in the Office of Financial Aid for maximum consideration. You may still submit the FAFSA after this date. **UP's unique FAFSA code is 003224.**

FEBRUARY 15

Early bird deadline for Oregon Office of Student Access and Completion (OSAC) scholarships (for Oregon residents).

LOAN AND WORK PROGRAMS

Federal Direct Loans

Loan amount varies. Subsidized loans are based on financial need. Unsubsidized loans are available to all, regardless of need.

Federal Plus Loan

Parents of dependent undergraduate students may borrow up to the cost of attendance (minus other types of financial aid).

Employment Programs

Federal Work-Study is awarded based on eligibility. Students not awarded assistance can still apply for on-campus jobs.



up.edu/finaid

Find out more about aid options at UP and other important deadlines.

FIVE SCHOOLS, ONE MISSION

University of Portland is anchored by the College of Arts and Sciences, with four professional schools offering targeted pathways toward careers in business, engineering, health care, and education. Students are admitted directly into the schools in their area of study, no waiting necessary!

Although distinctly different, each is guided by our Holy Cross mission to be a liberal arts university that “promotes ethical reflection and prepares people who respond to the needs of the world and its human family.”

ONE OF THE BEST COLLEGES IN AMERICA

(MONEY MAGAZINE, 2023)

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

The largest school at University of Portland, CAS offers degrees in the humanities, natural sciences, performing arts, social sciences, and interdisciplinary fields. Outside the classroom, CAS offers field work, research with faculty, fellowships, and internships that put theory into practice. CAS graduates go on to become doctors, lawyers, and professors, among countless other careers.

SCHOOL OF NURSING & HEALTH INNOVATIONS

The largest nursing school in Oregon, SONHI is home to the first and only fully accredited, state-of-the-art simulated health center in the state. In addition to the BSN degree, SONHI offers a bachelor’s in Integrative Health and Wellness, leading to careers in public health policy, preventative health education, physical therapy, and much more.



PAMPLIN SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Classes in this AACSB-accredited school are steeped in real-world experiences, applied business ethics, and opportunities to work with our partners in the business community, including Adidas, Nike, Intel, and the

Portland Trail Blazers. Students develop an entrepreneurial mindset, as well as the communication, problem-solving, and leadership skills to manage organizations.

SHILEY SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

In this ABET-accredited school, coursework and projects integrate theory, analysis, and design while emphasizing social impact, teamwork, experimentation, and innovation through hands-on projects such as electric vehicle design competition teams, research with faculty, and internships with community partners like Daimler Truck North America.

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Education is a matter of justice, which is why students are prepared to educate all learners through deep field experience in partnerships with more than 100 schools. The 3+1 master of teaching degree, one of the first of its kind in the Pacific Northwest, allows students to graduate with a bachelor’s and master’s degree in four years.

#2 IN REGIONAL UNIVERSITIES WEST (U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT, 2023-24)

TOP TEN REASONS

TO FINISH YOUR DEGREE ON THE BLUFF

1 SMALL CLASSES = PERSONAL CONNECTIONS

At UP, you won't be just another face in a lecture hall. Our engaged professors will know your name and offer advice and support—whether it's helping with an assignment or discussing potential career paths.

IN THE PAST 5 YEARS, MORE THAN 75% OF STUDENTS COMPLETED SOME TYPE OF FOR-CREDIT EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING OPPORTUNITY.

2 REAL-WORLD EXPERIENCE

Lessons from a textbook look different when applied to real life. That's why hands-on work is woven into the UP curriculum for all majors.

Co-author published research with faculty, conduct the UP Orchestra, intern with our industry partners in the Portland metro area. Our smaller size means undergraduates can take advantage of resources and opportunities large public schools typically reserve for grad students.



Find out how UP's pre-professional advising programs help students get into top graduate schools. college.up.edu/preprofessional-index

3 ALL ARE WELCOME

People of all faiths, backgrounds, and identities form our supportive and inclusive community. You'll learn from multiple perspectives and make connections that will last a lifetime.

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT BODY

- 3,352 full-time undergraduate students from 47 states and territories, 28 countries
- 70.5% of students from outside Oregon
- 28% identify as first generation
- 50.1% self-report as historically underrepresented

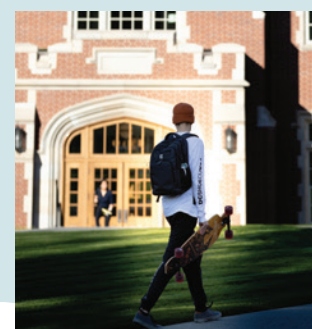
TRANSFER STUDENT BODY

- 74% from OR, WA, & CA
- 14% from other countries
- 42% self-report as historically underrepresented
- 29% are first-generation
- 21% Pell Grant-eligible

ON AVERAGE, STUDENTS WHO ATTEND UP EARN 39% MORE INCOME THAN STUDENTS FROM OTHER OREGON UNIVERSITIES.

Data from U.S. Department of Education College Scorecard

"I transferred from a larger university to UP because I wanted a more personalized experience where I had opportunities to get involved on campus and be in community with other students. I also fell in love with the campus and knew this would be a great environment for learning." — **Mackenzie T. '25, Political Science & Global Affairs, minors in Economics & Constitutional Studies, Salem, OR**



4 SO MUCH TO DO

- Join one of over 100 student-run clubs.
- Serve in student government or journalism.
- Rent our outdoor equipment and go kayaking or camping.
- Take a guided trip with our Outdoor Pursuits Program.
- Work out in our state-of-the-art Beauchamp Recreation and Wellness Center.

ATHLETICS

Club, intramural, recreational, and 16 NCAA Division I sports (men's baseball, basketball, cross country, soccer, tennis, indoor and outdoor track and field; women's basketball, cross country, rowing, soccer, tennis, indoor and outdoor track and field, volleyball, and beach volleyball).

Our women's rowing team's new boathouse on the Willamette River, one of the only on-campus college boathouses on the West Coast, includes an environmental studies lab and is the latest addition to our 35-acre Franz Campus expansion.

IN THE 2022-23 SEASON,

THE MEN'S AND WOMEN'S SOCCER, AND WOMEN'S BASKETBALL TEAMS MADE THE NCAA POSTSEASON AND PILOT BASEBALL MADE THE WCC TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONSHIP.

5 COMMITMENT TO SERVICE AND JUSTICE

Grow your skills and understanding through a wide range of internships, immersions, and service projects coordinated by our Moreau Center for Service and Justice.



Learn more about the opportunities available through the Moreau Center for Service and Justice. up.edu/moreaucenter

6 60 YEARS OF GLOBAL EDUCATION

Students who study abroad develop valuable perspectives and professional skills, so we intentionally design our programs to give all majors the opportunity to complete required coursework abroad.

Fall and spring semester locations include Austria, Australia, France, England, Ireland, Spain, and Italy (UP financial aid applies). Locations vary for summer programs and short-term, faculty-led programs but could include Ecuador, Malawi, Japan, and the Dominican Republic.

7 ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND INNOVATION

Your learning will inspire big ideas, and UP offers the tools to pursue them:

- Ideate, collaborate, and create in our new Shiley-Marcos Center for Design and Innovation, home to 45,000 square feet of makerspaces, innovation labs, workshops, and art and digital design studios.
- Apply for Entrepreneur Scholars, one of the nation's top entrepreneurship programs, blending classroom instruction with domestic and international trips to work with world-class entrepreneurs. Several of UP's E-Scholars have made the Forbes 30 Under 30 list.

PORTLAND IS #1
BEST FOODIE CITY IN AMERICA
(WALLETHUB, 2022)



8 WE SUPPORT YOU

Get help from an academic counselor, faculty librarian, or peer tutor. Attend workshops at the Career Education Center. Join special programs for first-generation and international students. Find mental health support from the Health Center or Campus Ministry. Your college journey is uniquely yours, but you'll never have to go it alone.

9 LIVE AT THE HEART OF IT ALL

Stay in one of our 10 residence halls and you'll be close to everything—classrooms, the library, and places to eat, study, and work out. Our dining halls—Bauccio Commons and the Pilot House pub—offer from-scratch food by Bon Appétit Management Company, a leader in sustainable food sourcing founded by UP alum Fedele Bauccio '64. The seasonal menus change daily and at least 25% of ingredients are locally sourced, from craft beers to tofu!

More than 2,200 students live on campus

10 SMALL TOWN VIBE, BIG CITY FUN

Just minutes from campus you'll find:

- Music venues large and small
- Restaurants and food carts for every craving
- Indie shops of all types
- Pro sports teams to cheer on
- Hundreds of internships and jobs in a wide range of industries
- And countless miles of hiking and biking paths

"I'm so glad I transferred to UP. I've always wanted to see the world, and UP has made it possible for me to realize this dream through an array of programs. As of now, I have had the privilege of visiting Vietnam, New York, Colorado, and London, to name just a few—some of which were at no cost to me through scholarships offered by the school." — **Adrian U. '24, Marketing, minor in Entrepreneurship, E-Scholar, Gardena, CA**



Take a closer look inside our residence halls. up.edu/virtualvisit/tours/residence-halls

150-ACRE

CAMPUS CLOSE TO NEIGHBORHOOD SHOPS AND RESTAURANTS

PORTLAND

ONE OF 20

BEST PLACES TO TRAVEL IN THE U.S.
(FORBES, 2023)



We ♥ UP!

PLANNING YOUR TRANSFER

Interested in continuing your studies at UP? Our counselors will help you every step of the way. Just schedule an in-person, virtual, or phone meeting to get started.

Our transfer team can assist with transcript evaluations to help you find out how your courses will transfer. In addition, they'll help you plan your current college curriculum for maximum transfer of credit and a timely graduation. You can also discuss financial aid and other opportunities that await you at UP.



up.edu/admissions/visit/tour-and-info



TRANSFER APPLICATION CHECKLIST

- Application for admission (up.edu/admissions/apply. Click on "Transfer Non-Nursing" or "Transfer Nursing")
- Official college transcript(s)
- SAT or ACT scores (optional) and official final high school transcript (for applicants with fewer than 26 college semester hours or 39 college quarter hours)
- Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). You can't be considered for full financial aid without one.



TRANSFER APPLICATION TIMELINE (NON-NURSING)*

SEPTEMBER 1

Applications for admission accepted

DECEMBER 1

Regular Decision deadline for spring transfer applications. Classes begin mid-January

JUNE 1

Regular Decision deadline for fall transfer applications

AUGUST 1

Final deadline for fall transfer applications

SUMMER APPLICANTS (NON-NURSING)

Completed applications should be received no later than two weeks prior to the start of the summer session. The first summer session begins in mid-May. The second session starts the end of June.

**Integrative Health and Wellness majors apply on the Transfer Application Timeline (Non-Nursing)*

TRANSFER NURSING INFORMATION

- Transfer nursing applicants are only accepted into the junior year. All prerequisites must be completed (see nursing.up.edu/bsn-transfer) prior to starting the nursing program.
- Nursing applications for May 2025 entry are available September 1, 2023. The deadline for application and document submission is April 4, 2024. Contact our nursing transfer counselor at transfERNURSING@up.edu or 503.943.7211 with any questions regarding our nursing program.



nursing.up.edu/bsn-transfer



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STUDENT/FACULTY RATIO

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STUDENTS, AVERAGE
CLASS SIZE

100%
OF CLASSES TAUGHT BY
FACULTY MEMBERS, NOT
GRADUATE STUDENTS

PROGRAMS OF STUDY

To find out more, visit up.edu/exploreacademics

- MAJOR
- MINOR
- PRE-PROFESSIONAL RESOURCES

COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES	
Arts Administration (BS)	●
Biochemistry (BS)	●
Biology (BA, BS)	●●
Chemistry (BS)	●●
Communication (BA)	●●
Constitutional Studies	●
Economics (BA)	●●
English (BA)	●●
Environmental Ethics & Policy (BA)	●●
Environmental Science (BS)	●●
Ethnic Studies	●
Exercise Science	●
Fine Arts	●
French	●
French Studies (BA)	●
Gender, Women & Sexuality Studies (BA)	●●
German	●
Hellenic Studies	●
History (BA)	●●
Mathematics (BA, BS)	●●
Mathematics, Applied (BS)	●
Medical Spanish	●
Music (BA)	●●
Neuroscience Studies	●
Organizational Communication (BS)	●
Philosophy (BA)	●●
Physics (BA, BS)	●●
Political Science & Global Affairs (BA)	●●
Psychology (BA)	●●
Social Justice	●
Social Work (BA)	●
Sociology (BA)	●●
Sociology/Criminology Track (BA)	●
Spanish (BA)	●●
Theater (BA)	●●
Theology (BA)	●●
Writing	●
SCHOOL OF NURSING & HEALTH INNOVATIONS	
Integrative Health & Wellness (BS)	●●
Nursing (BSN)	●

PAMPLIN SCHOOL OF BUSINESS	
Accounting / 4 + 1 (BBA & MBA)	●
Business Administration	●
Economics (BBA)	●●
Entrepreneurship	●
Finance (BBA)	●
Global Business	●
Marketing (BBA)	●
Operations & Technology Management (BBA)	●
Sustainability	●
SCHOOL OF EDUCATION	
Education	●
Elementary Education / 3 + 1 Pathway (BAEd & MAT)	●
Secondary Education / 3 + 1 Pathway (BSSE & MAT)	●
SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING	
Civil Engineering (BSCE)	●
Computer Engineering	●
Computer Science (BSCS)	●●
Electrical Engineering (BSEE)	●
Environmental Engineering	●
Innovation	●
Mechanical Engineering (BSME)	●
4 + 1 Biomedical Engineering (BS & M-BME)	●
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	●

**FIND OUT WHY SOME
3,500 STUDENTS
CALL UNIVERSITY OF
PORTLAND THEIR HOME
AWAY FROM HOME**

University
of Portland 

“There is a place on campus that overlooks the bridge that is almost breathtaking when you walk there during sunset.” —**Cindy W.**

“UP is the perfect size. It’s big enough to offer some really cool and diverse areas of research with faculty, but small enough that I could participate as early as my first year without competition from grad students.” —**Will M.**

“One reason I love Portland so much is because of all the transportation we have access to. You could go without a car all four years and have no trouble getting around.” —**Santiago F.**

“Even though it was not directly related to my major, my Social Work and Social Justice class changed my life.” —**Audrey H.**

“I owe my budding career to the Career Education Center. They’ve been so supportive and helped me get an internship every summer leading to a job right out of college!” —**Samone W.**



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