

## What's the Latest at the UW Schools?

**UW-Eau Claire- Top Majors:** Nursing, Psychology, Elementary/Early Childhood/Special Education, Music (largest marching band in US for Div. III), Accounting, Biology, Business Administration, Kinesiology, Marketing, Criminal Justice. **Unique Programs:** Internships are abundant (1 in 4 students study abroad); Service Learning is large part of community. Other unique studies include these **Minors:** Information Systems Audit and Control, Entrepreneurship, Japanese, Environment, Society and Culture, Middle East Studies **Majors:** Geological Engineering, Athletic Training, Environmental Public Health, Chemistry with business emphasis, Liberal Studies, Materials Science.

- Undergraduate enrollment: 10,689 Student-to-Faculty ratio: 21 to 1 \*Official ACT score required

**UW-Green Bay- Top Majors:** Business Administration, Psychology (5 emphasis areas), Human Development, Human Biology, Accounting, English, Communication, Education, History, Computer Science, Environmental Science; **Newer Majors:** Engineering Technology (environmental, electrical, mechanical), **Unique Programs:** GPS – program targeted for first-generation students, “360 degrees of Learning” is a program that connects faculty and students with community, Division 1 athletics, great campus for students with mobility issues, many pre-professional programs in the science/health careers. Freshman will be involved with research with a faculty member; unique tunnel system between buildings, dorm rooms have private bathrooms.

- Undergraduate enrollment: 6,900 Student-to-Faculty ratio: 24 to 1 \*Official ACT score required

**UW-La Crosse- Top Majors:** Biology, Elementary Education, Psychology, Finance, Exercise & Sports Science **Other Majors:** Education, Physical Therapy, Physician Assistant, Athletic Training, Accounting, Radiation Therapy, Recreation and Sports Management **Unique Programs:** Archeology, Clinical Laboratory Science, Exercise and Sports Science, Community Health Education, Information Systems, Nuclear Medicine Technology, Public Administration, Radiation Therapy, Therapeutic Recreation, dual degree program with UW-Madison in chemistry/engineering, computer science/engineering, math/engineering. **New Minors:** Health Info Systems, Sustainable Business, Archeology. Ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> safest campus in the U.S.

- Undergraduate enrollment: 10,558 Student-to-Faculty ratio: 19 to 1 \*Official ACT score required

**UW-Madison-** ACT Plus Writing no longer required for admission. All applicants who have applied by Feb. 1<sup>st</sup> will receive equal consideration for admission. Apply by Nov. 1<sup>st</sup> for a response by end of January. If a student gets postponed for admission, he or she will be asked to provide more information via short-answer questions from UW-Madison. Engineering majors need to declare in initial application process, plus a secondary major. Nursing majors declare immediately as well. **New:** New resident halls, including a “Green House” option for environmentally conscious students. More students will have ability to be directly admitted to School of Business. Scholarships can be applied for as soon as application is submitted. Mid-Year grades need to be sent to Madison at semester.

- Undergraduate enrollment: 29,302 \*Official ACT score required

**UW-Milwaukee- Top Majors:** Nursing (largest program in the state), Education, Business, Management, Communication, Journalism, Film Studies (top 20 in the world), Visual Arts, Architecture (apply early). Auditions are required for dance & music programs **Newer Programs:** Piano Pedagogy and Collaborative Piano **Unique Programs:** American Sign Language Studies, Diagnostic Medical Sonography, Arts Technology; Graduate Programs - School of Public Health, School of Freshwater Sciences. PRIDE program for all freshmen. Top 50 ranking for LGBT friendly campuses in the U.S. 26% students of color, 49 of the 50 states represented, 80 different countries. Apply by January 1<sup>st</sup> for merit-based scholarships. Enough internships available for every student to complete TWO!

- Undergraduate enrollment: 23,108 Student-to-Faculty ratio: 20 to 1

**UW-Oshkosh- Top Majors:** Nursing (highest first-time pass rate for NCLEX in UW System, 96%), Business (9 majors) Elementary/Special Education, Human Services, Biology, Criminal Justice, Psychology, Computer Science, Fine Arts **Unique Programs:** Online Aviation Management Program, Athletic Training, Radio/TV/Film, Fire & Emergency Response Management Degree, Music Industry, Japanese Studies, Sustainability Management, Dual Major in Elementary and Special Education, Management Major, Interactive Web Management, Nurse Scholars Program, Business Scholars Program, Environmental Health, Radiologic Science (3+2 w/WI Technical Colleges) **New Programs:** Engineering Technology with three majors: Mechanical, Electrical, and Environmental, Public Relations (only in the UW System) Academic Excellence Scholars will be awarded additional scholarship money.

- Undergraduate enrollment: 13,629

**UW-Parkside- Top Majors:** Accounting, Applied Health Sciences (92% professional school acceptance rate), Biology, Business, Communication, Computer Science, Criminal Justice, Elementary Education, English, Nursing, Sports Management, Criminal Justice, Accounting **New programs:** Engineering Technology (Educator Licensure (10 different programs), Engineering, Marketing **Unique Programs:** Theater Arts – full audition, full theater company. Sports Management program where every student interns with major sports team. Five concentrations within the Communications major: Contemporary Media, Human Interaction, Organizational Communication, Public Relations, and Student Designed, Management Information Systems, Digital Arts (concentrations in graphic design, animation, or illustration). Largest percentage of first generation and multiracial students in the UW system. Only Division II school in state.

- Undergraduate enrollment: 4,800 Student-to-Faculty ratio: 18 to 1

**UW-Platteville- Top Majors:** Mechanical/Electrical/Civil Engineering, Criminal Justice, Animal Science, Agricultural Business, Education, Business Administration, Industrial Technology, Biology. 22 on ACT MATH gives direct admit to engineering classes. **Unique to UWP:** Sustainable and Renewable Energy Systems, Social Media (minor), Chemistry Criminalistics, Forensic Investigation Crime Scene Investigation House, Forensic Investigation Research Facility, Automated Fingerprint ID System all within the Criminal Justice Department. Fastest growing UW school. New School of Business established. February 1<sup>st</sup> deadline for New Freshman Scholarships (NFS). Ranked #1 on Return on Investment out of all Wisconsin college/public or private.

- Undergraduate enrollment: 8,000 Student-to-Faculty ratio: 25 to 1

**UW-River Falls- Top Majors:** Business administration, Animal Science, Biology, Psychology, Elementary Education. **New:** Data Science & Predictive Analytics, Agricultural Engineering, law enforcement (criminology was added in the fall of 2015), Computer Science, Business Professional Sales, Horticulture Fruit & Vegetable Sustainable Systems **Unique Majors:** Crop & Soil Major along with other Agricultural Science Majors have 100% placement rate upon graduation. Digital Film and TV Communications, Dairy Science, Agricultural Engineering Technology, Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages. Located 25 miles from the Twin Cities – which allows for many internship possibilities. A Pathways Program for domestic English language learners.

- Undergraduate enrollment: 6,185 Student-to-Faculty ratio: 20 to 1

**UW-Stevens Point- Top Majors:** Largest College of Natural Resources in North America. Business, Health Sciences, Biology, Art, Wildlife Ecology, Education, Pre-Professional Programs, Forestry, Health Science, Resource Management, Communication, Elementary Education, Musical Theatre, Performing Arts, Dance (very competitive) **New:** Chemical Engineering; **Unique Programs:** Paper Science & Engineering – 100% placement rate and \$70,000 starting salary. Interior Architecture (limited space for all three, apply early!) Clinical Lab Sciences, Medical Technology, Health Promotion, Communicative Disorders, Athletic Training, Auditions required to theater/dance Majors. Biology and Natural Resources Majors apply early.

- Undergraduate enrollment: 9,400 Student-to-Faculty ratio: 28 to 1

**UW-Stout- Top Majors:** Applied Science, Business Administration, Computer Engineering, Construction, Early Childhood Education, Engineering Technology, Hotel, Restaurant & Tourism Management, Human Development and Family Studies, Manufacturing Engineering, Psychology, Retail Merchandising Management **New Majors:** Mechanical Engineering, Digital Marketing Technology **Newer:** Environmental Science with concentrations in Aquatic Bio, Environmental Health, Land Resources, Plant Science Innovations **Unique Programs:** Real Estate Property Management, Plastics Engineering, Packaging, Supply Chain Management, Entertainment Design, Industrial Design, Interior Design. Graphic Design AND Game Design and Development both require portfolio. Laptops for all students, replaced after two years, and loaded with all necessary software for chosen majors. 27 majors not offered by any other UW System school.

- Undergraduate enrollment: 9,371. Student-to-Faculty ratio: 17 to 1

**UW-Superior- Top Majors:** Biology/Ecology, Psychology, Business, Education, Social Work, Visual Arts. **Unique Programs:** Art Therapy, Digital Cinema, Interactive Media, Forensic Chemistry, Aquatic Biology, Transportation/Logistics Management, Geographic Information Systems, Outdoor Recreation. Smallest Liberal Arts College but offers the option to take courses at nearby schools for no additional cost. **Newer Majors:** Forensic Chemistry major, Global Studies minor. Ranked #2 in International Students on campus, Ranked #4 in UW schools for amount of research conducted on/off campus. UW-Superior 95% career placement rate, scholarships are offered with admission acceptance by February 15<sup>th</sup>. Great school if a student is seeking public school with private school feel.

- Undergraduate enrollment: 2,600 Student-to-Faculty ratio: 16 to 1

**UW-Whitewater- Top Majors:** Entrepreneurship, Finance, Computer Science, Marketing, Biology, Elementary Education, Accounting, Art and Art Education, Special Education, Physical Education, Journalism, Media Arts and Game Development, Social work, Occupational and Environmental Safety and Health. **Unique Programs:** Marine Biology (travel to Australia), Corporate Health; Known nationally for working with students with disabilities. **New Major:** Master’s Degree – Social Work; **Newer Majors:** Japanese, Criminology, Film Studies, Environmental Science; 23 National Championships for Div. III athletics since 2007.

- Total enrollment: 12,034                      Student-to-Faculty ratio: 22 to 1

**Costs for the 2017-2018 Academic Year**

<b>School</b>	<b>Tuition &amp; Fees</b>	<b>Housing (per year)</b>	<b>Meal Plan (per year)</b>	<b>Books (per year)</b>	<b>ESTIMATED Total</b>
UW-Eau Claire*	\$8,816	\$4,436	\$3,070	Included	\$16,322
UW-Green Bay	\$7,878	\$4,020	\$2,790	\$800	\$15,488
UW-La Crosse*	\$9,219	\$3,750	\$2,456	Included	\$15,425
UW-Madison	\$10,534	\$8,060	\$2,782	\$1,200	\$22,576
UW-Milwaukee	\$9,493	\$5,990	\$4,006	\$800	\$20,289
UW-Oshkosh	\$7,588	\$7,792 (includes meal plan)		\$1,000	\$16,380
UW-Parkside	\$7,389	\$4,632	\$3,044	\$900	\$15,965
UW-Platteville*	\$7,543	\$3,970	\$3,190	Included	\$14,703
UW-River Falls*	\$8,014	\$4,136	\$2,390	Included	\$14,540
UWSP*	\$8,308	\$4,420	\$2,870	Included	\$15,598
UW-Stout*	\$9,457	\$6,744 (includes meal plan)		Included	\$16,201
UW-Superior	\$8,370	\$4,000	\$3,130	\$1,000	\$16,500
UW-Whitewater	\$7,680	\$7,204 (includes meal plan)		Included	\$14,884
UW-Wood County	\$5,137			Varies (textbook rental is available)	
MSTC	\$1,983			Varies (textbook rental is available for general studies)	

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School	Tuition & Fees	Housing (per year)	Meal Plan (per year)	Books (per year)	ESTIMATED Total
Alverno College	\$27,552	\$3,696	\$4600	\$1,000	\$36,848
Bellin College	\$22,781	None offered	None offered	\$1,000	Varies
Beloit College	\$48,706	\$4,790	\$3,646	\$1,000	\$58,142
Cardinal Stritch University	\$28,847	\$8,292 (includes meal plan)		\$1,000	\$38,139
Carroll University	\$31,144	\$5,180	\$2,311	\$1,000	\$39,635
Carthage College	\$41,950	\$11,600 (includes meal plan)		\$1,000	\$54,550
Columbia College of Nursing	\$28,900	None offered	None offered	\$1,000	Varies
Concordia University Wisconsin	\$28,330	\$10,530 (includes meal plan)		\$1,000	\$39,860
Edgewood College	\$28,500	\$10,494 (includes meal plan)		\$1,000	\$39,994
Lakeland University	\$27,760	\$4,224	\$4656	\$1,000	\$37,640
Lawrence University	\$46,101	\$4,989	\$5,043	\$1,000	\$57,133
Marian University	\$27,400	\$7,866 (includes meal plan)		\$900	\$36,166
Marquette University	\$39,900	\$11,890 (includes meal plan)		\$1,000	\$52,790
Medical College of Wisconsin	\$52,725	None offered	None offered	\$1,000	Varies
Milwaukee Institute of Art & Design	\$36,560	\$7,730	\$500 (minimum)	\$275	\$45,065
Milwaukee School of Engineering	\$39,430	\$5,718	\$3,384	\$3,200	\$51,732
Mount Mary University	\$28,940	\$9,570 (includes meal plan)		\$1,200	\$39,710
Northland University	\$35,157	\$4,233	\$4,942	\$1,000	\$44,332
Ripon College	\$41,535	\$4,314	\$4,087	\$750	\$50,686
St. Norbert College	\$36,593	\$5,077	\$4,783	\$1,000	\$47,453
Silver Lake College	\$27,360	\$3,500	\$3,700	\$1,000	\$35,560
Viterbo University	\$26,920	\$3,870	\$4,890	\$1,000	\$36,680
Wisconsin Lutheran College	\$29,140	\$10,210 (includes meal plan)		\$800	\$40,150

**\*Average Freshman financial aid package is \$25,420, leaving net tuition costs of just \$5,500!**

**\*Viterbo University offers an automatic \$10,000 to any Assumption student.**