Finance / Facility

I. Tuition 2015-16
- In-state: $10,900 UG / $11,900 G
- Out-of-state: $28,444 UG / $31,288 G

II. Financial Aid
- Retention of Students With Life Scholarship (Fall 2013 to Fall 2014): 67%
- Percent of 2014 undergraduate class, who started as a first-time freshman, and borrowed money at anytime through any loan program: 52%

III. Library
- Number of Books
  - Physical………………….. 692,188
  - Digital/Electronic …….. 496,674
- 328 Electronic Databases

IV. Computer Facilities
- 750 Computers/Terminals on Campus For General Use.
- 80% of College Housing Units Wired For High Speed Internet Access

V. Housing
- Occupants In College Housing
  - Male…………………… 1,002
  - Female …………………… 2,235
  - Total ………………………3,237
- Normal Capacity For College Housing
  - Male…………………… 1,112
  - Female …………………… 2,262
  - Total ………………………3,374
- Room and Board (weighted average)
  - Housing ………………….. $7,140
  - Board (food) ……………. $3,076

Our Values

EDUCATIONAL EXCELLENCE that furthers intellectual, creative, ethical and social development through a broad range of programs centered on the liberal arts and sciences.

STUDENT-FOCUSED COMMUNITY that embraces mutual respect, collaboration and diversity for the welfare of the individual and the institution.

THE HISTORY, TRADITIONS AND ENVIRONMENT OF CHARLESTON AND THE LOWCOUNTRY that foster distinctive opportunities and relationships that advance our public mission in the city of Charleston, state of South Carolina, and the world.

Quick Facts
Fall 2015

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Student

I. Head Count
- All Levels - 11,531
- Undergraduate - 10,468
- Graduate - 1,063
- Gender (All Levels) - 64% F / 36% M

II. Diversity
- African American
  - All Levels ...................... 8%
  - Undergraduate .................. 8%
  - Graduate ........................ 9%
- Under Represented Minorities*
  - All Levels ...................... 18%
  - Undergraduate .................. 18%
  - Graduate ........................ 15%

III. Geographic Distribution
- Tuition Residency (Degree-Seeking UG)
  - In-state 65% / Out-of-state 35%
- Top 5 Counties (All Levels)
  - Charleston, Greenville, Berkley, Dorchester, York
- Top 5 States (All Levels, Excluding SC)
  - NJ 399, NC 375, NY 323, MD 306, VA 294
- Top 5 Countries (All Levels, Excluding US)
  - Germany, United Kingdom, Brazil, Canada, China
- 51 US States/Territories Rep. (All Levels)
- 62 Countries Rep. (All Levels)

IV. Residency (All Levels)
- 28% Living in Residence Halls
- 61% Living in Downtown Charleston

* Under represented minorities include American Indian/Alaskan Native, Asian, Black or African American, Hispanic/Latino, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander

Student Cont.

V. Clubs, Activities, Athletes
- 26 National Fraternities/Sororities
- 225 Clubs/Organizations on Campus
- Over 300 Student Athletes

VI. Alumni Fall 2014
- 55,948 Living Graduates
- 55,603 Graduates Since 1970
- 21,805 (39%) Graduates Living in the Charleston Area

Academics

I. Admissions
- Application Yield (Freshman)
  - 11,722 Total applications
  - 77% Admitted
  - 25% Enrolled
- Average Test Scores (Enrolled Freshman)
  - 1119 SAT
  - 25 ACT
- Honors College (Enrolled Freshman)
  - 204 Students

II. One Year Retention Rates
- All Freshman - 79%
- Transfers - 79%

III. Graduation Rates
- 4 Year - 56% (First-time, Full-time, DSF)**
- 6 Year - 68% (First-time, Full-time, DSF)

IV. Degrees Awarded (July 1 - June 31)
- Undergraduate - 2,507
- Graduate - 254

** DSF = Degree Seeking Freshman

Academics Cont.

V. Schools
1. The Arts
2. Business
3. Education, Health and Human Performance
4. Humanities and Social Sciences
5. Languages, Cultures, and World Affairs
6. Professional Studies
7. Sciences and Mathematics
- Top 5 Programs (Undergraduate)
  - Management & Marketing .................. 1,225
  - Biology ..................................... 921
  - Health & Human Performance ........... 803
  - Psychology ................................. 541
  - Teacher Education .......................... 523
- Top 5 Intended Majors (Freshman, % of class)
  - Biology ..................................... 13%
  - Business Administration .................. 13%
  - Psychology .................................. 7%
  - Marine Biology .............................. 5%
  - Communications ........................... 4%
- 59 Majors / 73 Minors Offered

Faculty / Staff

I. Faculty
- 548 Full-time / 367 Part-time
- Full-time: 55% Male / 45% Female
- Part-time: 45% Male / 55% Female
- Members of Minority Group (Full-time): 13%
- Members of Minority Group (Part-time): 9%
- Student to Faculty Ratio: 14.9 to 1
- Full-time With Terminal Degree: 90%
- Part-Time With Terminal Degree: 39%

II. Staff
- 1014 Full-time / 198 Part-time
- Members of Minority Group: 33% (Full-time)
- Members of Minority Group: 16% (Part-time)