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Fact Guide

A guide to consistency and accuracy for all things Clemson University

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Please use the following facts, figures and statistics in your print, digital and video communications.

For additional information regarding admissions statistics, enrollment figures (Universitywide, by college and by degree program), student demographics, degrees awarded and more, visit the Clemson University Interactive Factbook produced by the Office of Institutional Research.

2022 Enrollment
- 22,566 Undergraduate students
- 5,900 Graduate students
- Total: 28,466 students
- 52% female, 48% male

Admissions Standards
We recommend that you complete the following courses in high school to be competitive for first-year admission:

- English .................................................. 4 credits
- Mathematics ................................. 4 credits
- Laboratory Science ......................... 3 credits
- Foreign Language (same language) ...... 3 credits *
- Social Sciences .............................. 2 credits
- U.S. History ......................................... 1 credit
- Fine Arts ............................................. 1 credit
- Physical Education/ROTC ................. 1 credit

Select majors may have additional requirements.

*Students who have completed fewer than three credits of the same foreign language are still encouraged to apply.

52,819 applied, 22,704 accepted
(43% acceptance rate)

4,588 enrolled
(20% yield rate)

SAT/ACT scores*
Middle 50% of SAT scores: 1230-1390
Middle 50% of ACT scores: 28-32

*for students who reported scores for admission review

(Sources: Office of Institutional Research, Undergraduate Admissions)
Enrollment Profiles, 2022-2023

Incoming First-Year Students, 2022

First-year applications received  
52,819

First-year accepted  
22,704

First-year students enrolled  
4,588

In-state applications received  
8,920

In-state accepted  
4,800

In-state enrolled  
2,406

Out-of-state applications received  
43,899

Out-of-state first-year students enrolled  
2,182

In-state percent of enrolled first-year students  
52%

Number of SC high schools represented  
274

Number of out-of-state high schools represented  
1,452

First-year students by residence  
• S.C. residents: 2,406  
• Out-of-state residents: 2,182

ACT Scores by percentile (Middle 50% range)  
28-32

SAT Scores by percentile (middle 50% range)  
1230-1390
Out-of-state first-year students, 2022. This year’s class represents 45 states, the District of Columbia and 23 foreign countries.

- New Jersey: 248
- New York: 202
- North Carolina: 196
- Georgia: 191
- Virginia: 142
- Pennsylvania: 130
- Massachusetts: 117
- Maryland: 110
- Florida: 106
- Connecticut: 89

First-year students by college

- College of Agricultural, Forestry and Life Sciences: 368
- College of Architecture, Arts and Humanities: 472
- College of Behavioral, Social and Health Sciences: 716
- Wilbur O. and Ann Powers College of Business: 931
- College of Education: 168
- College of Engineering, Computing and Applied Sciences: 1,211
- College of Science: 722

First-time, first-year students who were first-generation college students

624

Graduated in top 10% of class
54%

Graduated in top 20% of their class
80%

Graduated in the top half of their class
99%

First-year students enrolled in engineering
929

African American first-year students enrolled
252
Transfer students, 2022

Transfer applications
4,234

Transfer students accepted
2,466

Transfer students enrolled
1,622

Bridge Program Incoming First-year Students, 2022

Bridge program enrollment
1,023

Clemson University Honors College, Incoming First-year Students, 2022

Number of incoming enrolled first-year students
384

Average high school class rank
Top 6%

Average unweighted GPA
3.95

Average SAT score
1420
**Student Body – General Undergraduate, 2022**

Total student enrollment: graduate and undergraduate
28,466

Total undergraduate enrollment
22,566

Total grad school enrollment
5,900

Students from in state and those who have established residency
13,344

Students from out of state
9,222

Out-of-state undergraduate enrollment
- North Carolina: 1,082
- New Jersey: 1,011
- Georgia: 943
- New York: 762
- Virginia: 606
- Pennsylvania: 532
- Maryland: 513
- Massachusetts: 498
- Florida: 443
- Connecticut: 349

Percentage of undergraduate students from in state who have established residency
59%

Number of international undergraduate students
174

Number of international graduate students
1,480

Number of international students (undergrad + graduate)
1,654

Number of countries represented (undergraduate)
53

Number of countries represented (graduate)
78

Number of countries represented (undergrad + graduate)
99
Total enrollment by gender
• Female: 52.5%
• Male: 47.5%

Total non-degree-seeking undergraduates
99

Total degree-seeking undergraduates enrolled
22,467

Number of first-generation students in undergraduate student body (including first-time, first-year students)
3,459

Total undergraduates with part-time status
825

Total undergraduates with full-time status
21,741

Total bachelor’s degrees awarded December 2021, May 2022 and August 2022
5,023

Retention rate for Fall 2021 class
92.4%

Top undergraduate degrees by enrollment
1. Biological Sciences: 1,463
2. Computer Science: 1,030
3. Psychology: 997
4. Management: 984
5. Financial Management: 957
6. Nursing: 891
7. Marketing: 888
8. Mechanical Engineering: 847
10. Political Science: 447

Top undergraduate degrees by degrees awarded
1. Management
2. Psychology
3. Marketing
4. Biological Sciences
5. Financial Management
6. Mechanical Engineering
7. Nursing
8. Industrial Engineering
9. Computer Science
10. Civil Engineering
Total degrees awarded December 2021, May 2022 and August 2022
7,320

**Graduate School, 2022**

Total grad school enrollment
5,900

New enrollees
2,091

**Top states represented**
- South Carolina: 2,416
- North Carolina: 250
- Georgia: 226
- Virginia: 126
- Texas: 123

Countries represented
78

**Number of Ph.D.s awarded**
261

Graduate students by gender
- 3,063 female
- 2,837 male

Graduate degree-seeking students
5,595

Graduate non-degree-seeking students
305

Graduate students by residency
- 2,416 in state
- 3,484 out of state

**Full-time status**
3,293

**Part-time status**
2,607

**All graduate degrees awarded**
2,120
Tuition and Fees

Estimated Costs for 2022-2023

S.C. Resident Full Time (per year)
Tuition and Fees* .................................. $15,558
Room and Board (approximate) .......... $12,350
Books and Supplies (approximate)** .... $1,388
Total .................................................. $29,296

Nonresident Full Time (per year)
Tuition and Fees* ................................. $39,502
Room and Board (approximate) ........ $12,350
Books and Supplies (approximate)** ... $1,388
Total .................................................. $53,240

Other Expenses
Estimated personal/transportation .......... $5,386
Estimated computer cost** ................. $1,460

*Assumes health and other mandatory fees (required for all full-time students) and average lab fees. Major enrichment fees apply to some majors and can range up to $2,500.
**All students are required to own a laptop computer. For details, go to clemson.edu/laptop.

(Sources: Office of Institutional Research, Undergraduate Admissions)

University Rankings and Brags


- No. 1 Best Career Services
- No. 3 Everyone Plays Intramural Sports
- No. 2 Town-Gown Relations are Great
- No. 18 Happiest Students
- No. 9 Their Students Love These Colleges
- No. 4 Students Love Their School Teams
- No. 23 Best Athletic Facilities
- Best Southeastern
- Best Value Colleges
- No. 14 Top 20 Best Schools for Internships (Public Schools)
- No. 10 Top 20 Best Alumni Networks (Public Schools)
- No. 28 Top 50 Best Value Colleges (Public Schools)
U.S. News and World Report 2023, ranks us...
- No. 31 National Public University
- No. 52 Most Innovative Among National Universities
- No. 6 Average Alumni Giving Rate (among national public universities)
- No. 19 Schools with Great Co-Ops/Internships
- No. 66 Best Undergraduate Teaching
- No. 46 Undergraduate Research/Creative Projects
- No. 216 Best Value Schools
- No. 46 Best College for Veterans

Carnegie
R1 Classified as one of the nation’s most active research institutions, Carnegie Classification of Institutions of Higher Education

Money magazine...
- Rates Clemson 4 out of 5 stars for value on their Best Colleges in America 2023 list

Niche's 2023 Best College Rankings ranks us...
- No. 1 of 31 Best Colleges in South Carolina
- No. 1 of 31 Best Value Colleges in South Carolina
- No. 2 of 31 Colleges With the Best Academics in South Carolina
- No. 1 of 31 Colleges With the Best Professors in South Carolina
- No. 1 of 13 Top Public Universities in South Carolina
- No. 32 of 601 Top Public Universities in America

Best Value Schools ranks us...
No. 1 Best Value among colleges in South Carolina (2022)

Forbes ranks us...
- Named to the Forbes 2022 America’s Top Colleges list

INSIGHT Into Diversity magazine
Clemson University received the 2022 Higher Education Excellence in Diversity (HEED) Award from INSIGHT Into Diversity magazine, the oldest and largest diversity-focused publication in higher education. This is the sixth year in a row Clemson has been named a HEED Award recipient. Clemson was also named a Diversity Champion, scoring in the top tier of all HEED Award institutions.

SmartAsset has named us...
The No. 2 Best Value College in South Carolina (2022)

ENR Southeast...
Named the Andy Quattlebaum Outdoor Education Center a 2020 Best Project (best sports/entertainment)

Morning Consult 2022 ranks us...
No. 19 Most Trusted Universities (No. 3 Most Trusted Public University)
One of five Most Trusted Universities in the Southeast
Clemson by the Numbers (Academics)

Number of undergraduate majors
80+
(See Page 17 for a complete list of majors.)

Number of undergraduate minors
90+
(See Page 18 for a complete list of minors.)

Number of colleges
8
(See Page 17 for a complete list of colleges and their respective departments/schools.)
(See Page 18 for a complete list of colleges and their respective majors/degree programs.)

Graduate degree programs
130+
(See Page 23 for a complete list of graduate degree programs.)

Full-time instructional faculty, 2022
1,444

Part-time instructional faculty, 2022
377

87% of full-time instructional faculty with a Ph.D. or terminal degree (2022)

90.6% of instructional faculty are full time (2022)

16:1 student-to-faculty ratio (2022)

32.24% of classes have fewer than 20 students (2022)

27 median undergraduate class size (Fall 2021)

Ph.D.s awarded, 2022
261

Graduation rate
85.3% for the six-year rate for 2016 cohort

Retention rate
92.4% first-year retention rate for Fall 2021 class

Library
Clemson Libraries provides access to more than 3 million print and electronic books.

Creative Inquiry
More than 50,000 undergraduates have participated in Creative Inquiry since its start in 2005.
More than 400 CI projects are conducted each year, with 450 faculty mentors.

**Number of students studying abroad per year**
Nearly 1,300

Each year, Clemson awards financial aid in the form of grants, scholarships, loans and part-time employment to more than 20,000 students. (UG Only: 17,874; all: 20,125)

Eighty-three percent of entering first-year students received some type of financial aid in 2021-2022.

Forty-nine percent of first-year students received an institutional recruiting scholarship, Fall 2021.

Ninety-nine percent of first-time in-state students receive state scholarships.

A majority of Clemson’s graduates (52 percent) have no debt compared to the state (40 percent) and national (45 percent) averages.

The three-year default rate for Clemson borrowers entering repayment in FY2019 was 0.6%. This compares with the national cohort default rate of 2.3%.

In Fall 2021, in-state first-year students paid an average 36 percent of tuition and fees.

(Sources: Office of Institutional Research, Office of Financial Aid)

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**Clemson by the Numbers (Professional Development)**

Ninety-six percent of recent graduates are confident their resume shows marketable skills and experiences.

Ninety-three percent of recent graduates feel prepared to interview for jobs and further educational opportunities.

Eighty-seven percent of recent graduates say they have/had a strategy for landing a job upon graduation or gaining admission to graduate/professional schools.

Sixty-eight percent of graduates who completed a bachelor’s degree completed participation in one experiential education opportunity (co-op, internship, student teaching, nursing practicum, etc.). Fifty-nine percent completed two or more.

Ninety-seven percent of graduates are employed (full-time, part-time, service, Armed Forces), continuing education, planning to continue education or are not seeking
employment within six months of graduation.

Within an average of six months after graduation, 70 percent of recent graduates are employed full time (on average 30 or more hours per week).

Forty-four percent of recent graduates remain in South Carolina. The top four other U.S. states are North Carolina (11.25 percent), Georgia (6.24 percent), Florida (3.03 percent), Texas (2.84 percent) and Virginia (2.5 percent).

Eighty-four percent of co-op graduation candidates in May 2022 had already accepted a full-time position at a company or had been accepted into graduate school. Within a month after graduation, that figure grew to 88 percent.

Clemson has one of the largest voluntary co-op programs in the U.S. For the past 11 years, the Co-op Program has experienced record-setting growth.

Clemson JobLink had over 10,500 full-time job postings in 2021-2022.

CCPD had over 7,300 internships and fellowships posted with them in 2021-2022 and had over 900 assignments in the on-campus internship program (UPIC).

All the big accounting firms recruit at Clemson, and about half of Fortune 500 companies recruit here.

Students who do a co-op or internship are 20 percent more likely to have a full-time offer at graduation than their peers who do not.

About 20 percent of Clemson undergraduates go on to graduate or professional school.

About 75 percent of co-ops & interns receive full-time offers from their employers (and about half of these students accept such offers).

(Source: Center for Career and Professional Development Annual Report, 2021-2022)

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**Clemson by the Numbers (Research)**

Cumulative number of research proposal submissions in FY2022: 1,492

Proposal submission value in FY2022: $896M

This is an 18 percent increase from FY2021 and a 132 percent increase from FY2013.
Externally funded competitive research awards in FY2022: $157.6M
This is the third time in the past five years that externally funded competitive research awards have topped $150M.

Number of sponsored graduate research assistants in FY2022: 729

Number of postdoctoral fellows in FY2022: 117

Amount of externally funded competitive research expenditures in FY2022: $141.4M
This is a 24 percent increase from FY2021.

Amount of externally funded competitive research expenditures among the following innovation clusters in FY2022:

- Advanced Materials: $18.6M
- Cyberstructure & Big Data Science: $8.2M
- Energy, Transportation & Advanced Manufacturing: $27.7M
- Health Innovation: $26.3M
- Human Resilience: $14.8M
- Sustainable Environments: $26.8M
- Other: $19.6M

Amount of expenditures from funding sources in FY2022:

- Federal Government: $125.1M
- Foundations, Societies and Associations: $4.6M
- Industry/Other: $4.8M
- International: $0.5M
- Local government: $0.9M
- State government: $6.2M

Total R&D expenditures, which includes competitive external research awards, external research services, research gifts, institutional research support, state research support, etc.

Expenditures have increased 56 percent since 2013.

Since 2015, Clemson has received 74 major research awards of at least $2 million. The total value of these projects is $322 million. (Figures as of October 2022)

Clemson University awarded 172 STEM doctorates in August 2021, December 2021 and May 2022.

Clemson researchers were awarded nine patents in FY2022.

Number of NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Program awardees attending Clemson

Number of NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Program honorable mention recipients attending Clemson
• 2019: 3, 2020: 6, 2021: 5, 2022: 1

Number of NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Program awardees attending Clemson attending OTHER universities

Number of GRA (master’s and Ph.D.) appointees at least partly supported by Fund 19 and 20 projects (including Summer)

Total number of doctoral students supported through doctoral dissertation completion grant totals (2019-2022): 132

(Sources: Clemson University October 2022 Research Report, Clemson University Division of Research)

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**Clemson by the Numbers (Economic Impact)**

**Overall economic impact to the state (FY2021)**
• Including alumni:
  30,625 jobs, $4.4 billion in output

**Net impact on local government revenue statewide (FY2021)**
• $71.5 million (including alumni)

**Net impact on S.C. state government revenue (FY2021)**
• $177.7 million (including alumni)
• $28.7 million (net of state appropriations to the University, i.e. net “return” to state government)

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**Clemson by the Numbers (Student Life)**

The Clemson University campus is 1,400 acres.

According to the National Survey of Student Engagement (2016), 89 percent of our students say if they could do college all over again, they’d still choose Clemson.

**Number of on-campus dining options (doesn't include '55 Exchange)**
29

**Number of residence halls**
Number of on-campus apartment complexes
- 5
- All of Clemson’s 22 residence halls and five apartment complexes are within a 15-minute walk to class or downtown.

Number of on-campus Living-Learning Communities
- 15 (2023-2024)
- Our nationally recognized Living-Learning Communities are where undergraduates with common academic interests and life experiences share residence hall space, staff, programming and resources dedicated specifically to them.

Number of acres in the Clemson Experimental Forest
- 17,500
- The forest has nearly 50 miles of maintained roads and more than 100 miles of multiuse recreational trails.

Number of intramural sports offered 2023-2024
14

Number of club sports offered 2023-2024
33

Number of NCAA varsity sports, 2023-2024
21 (includes women’s lacrosse and women’s gymnastics)

Number of clubs and organizations offered
- 500+
- Fraternities and sororities, international groups, military organizations, religious groups, service clubs, sports teams, fitness programs, performing arts and more

Number of campus student media organizations
6

Number of fraternities for 2023-2024 academic year
28

Number of sororities for 2023-2024 academic year
20

Percentage of undergrads in Greek Life in Fall 2021
27%
Colleges – School/Departments, 2023-2024

College of Agriculture, Forestry and Life Sciences
- Department of Agricultural Sciences
- Department of Animal and Veterinary Sciences
- Department of Food, Nutrition and Packaging Sciences
- Department of Forestry and Environmental Conservation
- Department of Plant and Environmental Sciences

College of Architecture, Art and Construction
- School of Architecture
- Department of Art
- Nieri Family Department of Construction, Development and Planning

College of Arts and Humanities
- Department of English
- Department of History and Geography
- Department of Interdisciplinary Studies
- Department of Languages
- Department of Performing Arts
- Department of Philosophy and Religion

College of Behavioral, Social and Health Sciences
- Department of Communication
- School of Nursing
- Department of Parks, Recreation and Tourism Management
- Department of Political Science
- Department of Psychology
- Department of Public Health Sciences
- Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Criminal Justice

The Wilbur O. and Ann Powers College of Business
- School of Accountancy
- Department of Aerospace Studies
- John E. Walker Department of Economics
- Department of Financial Management
- Department of Graphic Communications
- Department of Management
- Department of Marketing
- Department of Military Leadership

College of Education
- Department of Education and Human Development
- Department of Educational and Organizational Leadership Development
- Department of Teaching and Learning

**College of Engineering, Computing and Applied Sciences**
- General Engineering Program
- School of Automotive and Mechanical Engineering (houses the Department of Automotive Engineering and Department of Mechanical Engineering)
- Department of Bioengineering
- Department of Chemical and Bimolecular Engineering
- School of Civil and Environmental Engineering and Earth Sciences (houses the Glenn Department of Civil Engineering and the Department of Environmental Engineering and Earth Sciences)
- School of Computing
- Holcombe Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering
- Department of Engineering and Science Education
- Department of Industrial Engineering
- Department of Materials Science and Engineering

**College of Science**
- Department of Biological Sciences
- Department of Chemistry
- Department of Genetics and Biochemistry
- School of Mathematical and Statistical Sciences
- Department of Physics and Astronomy

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**Colleges — Majors/degree programs, 2023-2024**

**College of Agriculture, Forestry and Life Sciences**
- Agribusiness
- Agricultural Education
- Agricultural Mechanization and Business
- Animal and Veterinary Sciences
- Environmental and Natural Resources
- Food Science and Human Nutrition
- Forest Resource Management
- Horticulture
- Packaging Science
- Plant and Environmental Sciences
- Pre-Veterinary Medicine*
- Turfgrass
- Wildlife and Fisheries Biology

**College of Architecture, Art and Construction**
- Architecture
- Art
- Construction Science and Management
- Landscape Architecture
- Visual Arts

College of Arts and Humanities
- English
- Global Black Studies
- History
- Language and International Business
- Language and International Health
- Modern Languages
  - American Sign Language
  - Chinese
  - French
  - German
  - Italian
  - Japanese
  - Spanish
- Performing Arts
- Philosophy
- Religious Studies
- Women’s Leadership
- World Cinema

College of Behavioral, Social and Health Sciences
- Anthropology
- Communication
- Criminal Justice
- Health Science
- Nursing
- Parks, Recreation and Tourism Management
- Political Science
- Psychology
- Sociology
- Sports Communication

The Wilbur O. and Ann Powers College of Business
- Accounting
- Economics
- Financial Management
- Graphic Communications
- Management
- Marketing

College of Engineering, Computing and Applied Sciences
- Bioengineering
- Biosystems Engineering
Chemical Engineering
Civil Engineering
Computer Engineering
Computer Information Systems
Computer Science
Electrical Engineering
Environmental Engineering
Geology
Industrial Engineering
Materials Science and Engineering
Mechanical Engineering

College of Education
- Early Childhood Education
- Elementary Education
- Human Capital Education and Development
- Mathematics Teaching
- Middle Level Education
- Modern Languages Education
- Science Teaching
- Secondary Education
- Special Education

College of Science
- Biochemistry
- Biological Sciences
- Chemistry
- Genetics
- Mathematical Sciences
- Microbiology
- Physics
- Pre-Pharmacy*
- Pre-Professional Health Studies*

*University pre-professional programs

Undergraduate Minors, 2023-2024

- Accounting
- Adult/Extension Education
- Aerospace Studies
- Agricultural Business Management
- Agricultural Mechanization and Business
• American Sign Language Studies
• Animal and Veterinary Sciences
• Anthropology
• Architecture
• Art
• Athletic Leadership
• Biochemistry
• Biological Sciences
• Brand Communications
• British and Irish Studies
• Business Administration
• Chemistry
• Chinese Studies
• Cluster – Engineering
• Cluster – Life Sciences
• Cluster – Physical Sciences
• Cluster – Social Sciences
• Communication Studies (General)
• Communication Studies (Sports)
• Community Development and City Planning
• Computer Science
• Construction Science and Management
• Creative Writing
• Criminal Justice
• Cybersecurity
• Dance
• Digital Production Arts
• East Asian Studies
• Economics
• Educational Interpreting
• Electrical Engineering
• Electrification of Transportation
• English
• Entomology
• Entrepreneurship
• Environmental Science and Policy
• Equine Industry
• Film Studies
• Financial Management
• Food Science
• Forest Products
• Forest Resource Management
• French Studies
• Gender, Sexuality and Women’s Studies
• Genetics
• Geography
• Geology
• German Studies
• Global Black Studies
• Global Politics
• Great Works
• Historic Preservation
• History
• Horticulture
• Human Resource Management
• International Engineering and Science
• Italian Studies
• Japanese Studies
• Landscape Architecture
• Legal Studies
• Management
• Management Information Systems
• Materials Science and Engineering
• Mathematical Sciences
• Microbiology
• Middle Eastern Studies
• Military Leadership
• Music
• Natural Resource Economics
• Nonprofit Leadership
• Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Sciences
• Packaging Science
• Park and Protected Area Management
• Philosophy
• Physics
• Plant and Environmental Sciences
• Plant Pathology
• Political and Legal Theory
• Political Science
• Precision Agriculture
• Professional Writing
• Psychology
• Public Policy
• Race, Ethnicity and Migration
• Religious Studies
• Russian Area Studies
• Sociology
• Spanish Studies
• Spanish-American Area Studies
• Sustainability
• Technical German
• Theatre
• Travel and Tourism
• Turfgrass
• Urban Forestry
• Wildlife and Fisheries Biology
• Women’s Leadership
• Youth Development Studies

Graduate Degree Programs by College
Academic Year 2023-2024

College of Agriculture, Forestry and Life Sciences

Agriculture, M.S. and Ph.D.
Agricultural Education, M.AgEd.
Animal and Veterinary Sciences, M.S. and Ph.D.
Agricultural and Applied Economics, M.S.
Entomology, M.S. and Ph.D.
Food, Nutrition and Culinary Sciences, M.S.
Food, Nutrition and Packaging Sciences, Ph.D.
Forest Resources, MFR, M.S. and Ph.D.
Packaging Science, M.S.
Plant and Environmental Sciences, M.S. and Ph.D.
Wildlife and Fisheries Biology, M.S. Ph.D., MWFR

College of Architecture, Art and Construction

Architecture, M.Arch. and M.S.
City and Regional Planning, MCRP
Construction Science and Management, MCSM and Ph.D.
Historic Preservation, M.S.
Landscape Architecture, MLA
Planning, Design and the Built Environment, Ph.D.
Real Estate Development, MRED
Resilient Urban Design, MRUD
Visual Arts, MFA

College of Arts and Humanities

Digital History, Ph.D.
English, M.A.
History, M.A.
Rhetorics, Communication and Information Design, Ph.D.

**College of Behavioral, Social and Health Sciences**

Applied Health Research and Evaluation, M.S. and Ph.D.
Applied Psychology, M.S.
Communication, M.S.
Healthcare Genetics and Genomics, Ph.D.
Human Factors Psychology, Ph.D.
Industrial/Organizational Psychology, Ph.D.
Nursing, M.S.
Nursing, DNP
Parks, Recreation and Tourism Management, M.S. and Ph.D.
Policy Studies, Ph.D.
Public Administration, MPA
Public Health, MPH
Social Science, M.S.
Youth Development Leadership, M.S.

**College of Education**

Athletic Leadership, M.S.
Counselor Education, M.Ed. and EdS
Educational Leadership, M.Ed., EdS and Ph.D.
Education Systems Improvement Science, EdD
Human Resource Development, MHRD
Learning Sciences, Ph.D.
Literacy, M.Ed.
Literacy, Language and Culture, Ph.D.
Middle Level Education, MAT
Secondary Education, MAT
Special Education, M.Ed. and Ph.D.
Student Affairs, M.Ed.
Teacher Residency, MAT, Bachelor-to-Graduate
Teaching and Learning, M.Ed. and Ph.D.

**College of Engineering, Computing and Applied Sciences**

Applied Computing, M.S.
Automotive Engineering, M.S. and Ph.D.
Bioengineering, M.S. and Ph.D.
Biomedical Data Science and Informatics, M.S. and Ph.D.
Biomedical Engineering, M.Eng.
Biosystems Engineering, M.S. and Ph.D.
Chemical Engineering, M.S. and Ph.D.
Civil Engineering, M.Eng., M.S. and Ph.D.
Computer Engineering, M.S. and Ph.D.
Computer Science, M.S. and Ph.D.
Digital Production Arts, MFA and M.S.
Electrical Engineering, M.Eng., M.S. and Ph.D.
Engineering and Science Education, Ph.D.
Environmental Engineering and Science, M.S.
Environmental Engineering and Earth Sciences, Ph.D.
Human-Centered Computing, Ph.D.
Hydrogeology, M.S.
Industrial Engineering, M.S., M.Eng., Ph.D.
Materials Science and Engineering, M.S. and Ph.D.
Mechanical Engineering, M.S. and Ph.D.
Medical Device Reprocessing, M.S.
Photonic Science and Technology, M.S. and Ph.D.
Resilient Systems, M.S.
Systems Engineering, M.Eng.

**College of Science**

Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, M.S. and Ph.D.
Biological Sciences, M.S. and Ph.D.
Chemistry, M.S. and Ph.D.
Data Science and Analytics, M.S.
Environmental Toxicology, M.S. and Ph.D.
Genetics, M.S. and Ph.D.
Mathematical Sciences, M.S. and Ph.D.
Medical Biophysics, M.S. and Ph.D.
Microbiology, M.S. and Ph.D.
Physics, M.S. and Ph.D.

**Wilbur O. and Ann Powers College of Business**

Accounting, MPAcc
Business Administration (Clemson MBA)
Business Administration, Ph.D.
Economics, M.A. and Ph.D.
Economic Analytics, M.S.
Executive Leadership, Ph.D.
Graphic Communications, M.S.
Marketing, M.S.
Clemson University

Clemson University (general)
One of the most productive public research universities in the nation, Clemson University attracts and powerfully unites students and faculty whose greatest desire is to make a difference in the lives of others. Ranked among the best national public universities by U.S. News & World Report, Clemson is dedicated to teaching, research and service. Our main campus, located in Upstate South Carolina, sits on 1,400 acres in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains, along the shores of Lake Hartwell. We have a presence in every South Carolina county through research facilities, economic development hubs and innovation campuses. Through the research, outreach and entrepreneurial projects led by our faculty and students, Clemson University is driving economic development and improving quality of life in South Carolina and beyond. For more information, go to clemson.edu or visit us on Facebook, Instagram or Twitter.

Clemson Elevate
Clemson Elevate is a strategic plan to propel Clemson’s success and further strengthen its reputation. Applying our guiding principles, criteria and analysis, Clemson will focus on three core strategic pillars, each backed by a series of initiatives and related metrics: delivering the No. 1 student experience in the nation, doubling research expenditures by 2035 and transforming lives statewide and beyond. Clemson Elevate also outlines key business and management actions that the University must use to meet aspirational goals. Implementation of Clemson Elevate will enhance Clemson’s delivery on its mission of learning, research and outreach and sustain its Carnegie R1 status.

Clemson location
Clemson University is located in Upstate South Carolina. Main campus sits on 1,400 acres in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains, along the shores of Lake Hartwell. Midway between Atlanta, Georgia, and Charlotte, North Carolina, Clemson offers students the convenience of a small town with easy access to the attractions found in major cities. In addition, the University has a presence in every South Carolina county through research facilities, economic development hubs and innovation campuses. For more information, go to clemson.edu or visit us on Facebook, Instagram or Twitter.

Clemson Family
The Clemson Family is how we describe our goal-oriented community drawn together by one common thread: the desire to use our gifts to build others up. Clemson students, faculty and staff are instantly plugged into a network of leaders and mentors in a variety of industries, all of whom are willing and interested in lending a hand to their fellow Tigers. See what’s new with the Clemson Family at clemson.edu, or visit us on Facebook, Instagram or Twitter.
Spirit and traditions
Join the Clemson Family, and you join a tradition of tremendous spirit. The heartfelt pride Clemson students, faculty, staff and alumni share is magnified every time they return to campus. Memories of afternoons spent playing on Bowman Field with friends, breakthroughs in challenging courses and Saturdays cheering on the Tigers in Death Valley are among the many moments you’ll cherish long after graduation. Get a glimpse of the Clemson Spirit on our Instagram.

Land-grant mission
Clemson University fulfills its land-grant mission to be “a high seminary of learning” to develop “the main material resources of the State” for the people of South Carolina by attracting world-class researchers, building state-of-the-art facilities and providing scholarships for in-state students. United in the pursuit of this vision, Clemson and its strategic partners collaborate to move South Carolina’s people and industries forward.

Military heritage
Clemson’s proud tradition of military excellence dates back to its founding as a military school for cadets seeking the highest academic excellence. In 1916, ROTC was instituted under the National Defense Act, and in 1917 the entire senior class enlisted in World War I. To date, more than 10,000 Clemson men and women have served in the U.S. armed forces. We are humbled by their courage, grateful for their sacrifice and committed to serving them well as they earn their degree or begin a new career on campus.

Division of Undergraduate Studies
The Division of Undergraduate Studies exists to promote the academic success of all Clemson University undergraduate students using a variety of support services, strategies and programs. clemson.edu/undergraduate-studies

Academic Success Center
Located at the heart of campus near the Cooper Library and Watt Family Innovation Center, the ASC helps students significantly improve their grades and maintain their academic scholarships through a better understanding of difficult class material. The free services available here include Peer-Assisted Learning, academic coaching and tutoring. Students also seek out the ASC for success strategy workshops and quiet study group areas. clemson.edu/asc

Center for Career and Professional Development
The Center for Career and Professional Development matches students’ talents and interests with internships, networking opportunities and real-world experiences — all designed to help them land that first job, pursue graduate programs and more. This includes career workshops, on-campus interviewing, experiential education opportunities (co-op program and internship programs) and others. The Center is located in a state-of-the-art facility on the third floor of the Hendrix Student Center. The Center was created through the merger of the Cooperative Education Program and The Michelin Career Center. In addition, the UPIC Program was created to manage and facilitate our extensive on-
campus internship and cooperative education program. career.sites.clemson.edu. // At the Center for Career and Professional Development you’ll find a variety of partnerships designed to empower and employ students, such as the University Professional and Internship Co-op (UPIC) program, which provides access to paid internships on campus. This is also where you can take a career assessment, perfect your resume and practice mock interviews. career.sites.clemson.edu

UPIC / Center for Career and Professional Development
The UPIC program offers more than 900 paid, on-campus internships to students working alongside faculty and staff in their field of interest. career.sites.clemson.edu/internship_programs/UPIC_program/students

The Office of Teaching Effectiveness and Innovation
The Office of Teaching Effectiveness and Innovation (OTEI) is, first and foremost, a safe haven for all members of the Clemson University teaching community to come to discuss any issues related to teaching, career development, faculty review preparation and teaching-related scholarship. OTEI aims to provide instructors, departments and colleges with training and resources that will enhance their teaching methods and positively influence student outcomes. clemson.edu/otei

The Rutland Institute of Ethics
The programs and activities of the Rutland Institute are multidisciplinary and seek to benefit the campus and the community. Campus activities focus on students, faculty and staff. Community programs are designed to reach the entire community, with special attention directed to the business, education and professional sectors. The principal academic partner of the Rutland Institute is the Clemson University Department of Philosophy & Religion. clemson.edu/ethics

Student Accessibility Services
Aligned with Clemson University’s commitment to diversity, SAS envisions a welcoming campus that is readily usable and accessible by students with varied characteristics, strengths and challenges. With mentors and coaches, the University and SAS strive to provide access that is proactive, sustainable, equitable and inclusive to the widest population possible. clemson.edu/academics/studentaccess

FIRST Program
The FIRST Program helps ensure success for students who are the first in their family to attend college by offering a variety of opportunities and resources, from academic support to social activities. New first-year and transfer students are invited to apply, and participation continues throughout a student’s time at Clemson. clemson.edu/academics/programs/first

Bridge and Transfer Student Services
The Bridge Program is an innovative transfer program that allows accepted students to enroll in Tri-County Technical College for their first year and start their coursework at Clemson University during the following fall semester. Community living is one of the most important experiences for a first-year college student. That’s why Bridge students live on
Academics — Undergraduate

Academics - general
Clemson students enter degree programs that connect their personal goals with professional opportunities. Through rigorous academics and excellent academic support, Clemson students master the concepts they need to understand and gain the skills required to successfully enter 21st-century workplaces and communities. Explore our majors on clemson.edu/degrees.

Academics - general
Internationally recognized faculty members, top-tier students and abundant opportunities for meaningful research in both undergraduate and graduate degree programs confirm that Clemson University is the “high seminary of learning” its founder hoped for. At Clemson, a diverse group of researchers are driven by a shared purpose: using their unique gifts to create lasting impact and discover solutions for the world’s most pressing issues. Learn more at clemson.edu.

Academics - research (undergraduate)
Each year, more than 4,600 undergraduate students at Clemson work together with peers, graduate students and faculty mentors on research projects that ignite their interests. From mass timber to microbe diversity in coastal ecosystems and even genetics, Clemson students dive into research projects across a variety of disciplines as early as the first year.

Academics - research (graduate)
Clemson University connects graduate and postdoctoral students with industry partners, government officials and state-of-the-art facilities to conduct research that solves the world’s pressing problems and moves industry forward. Clemson graduate students are provided with exclusive academic resources, personalized mentorship and the opportunity to share their passion with undergraduate students. When you choose to research at Clemson, you become a powerful contributor to the Clemson Family, the state of South Carolina and the world.

College of Agriculture, Forestry and Life Sciences
The College of Agriculture, Forestry and Life Sciences conducts game-changing research designed to enhance quality of life, improve health, sustain the environment and stimulate the economy. Curricula explores plant, animal, human, molecular and packaging sciences and builds upon Clemson’s world-class academic, research and extension activities to produce scientific discoveries of global significance and graduates prepared to be leaders in their chosen fields. clemson.edu/cafls

College of Architecture, Art and Construction
The College of Architecture, Art and Construction prepares students to transform, enhance and sustain the physical world. The college fosters theoretical understanding of design combined with practical knowledge, technical skills and a global mindset. Our faculty engage students with hands-on, experiential learning techniques to position them for academic and professional advancement. Supported by the cutting-edge built environment of Lee Hall, the outdoor Experiential Learning Yard and the globe-spanning Fluid Campus®, students learn how to translate their education into lifelong success. The college carries forward more than a century of excellence in design and building education at Clemson. [clemson.edu/caac](http://clemson.edu/caac)

**College of Arts and Humanities**

The College of Arts and Humanities is centered on exploring and understanding the human condition. It encourages students to engage with culture, history, literature, performance and the intersections of differing fields of study. Students learn the skills to make a living while also being confronted with the question of how to make a life. Through expert pedagogy in supportive environments, students are trained to think deeply, write effectively, express their thoughts with confidence and interact respectfully with others. The College of Arts and Humanities is where Clemson students prepare to meet the world. [clemson.edu/cah](http://clemson.edu/cah)

**College of Behavioral, Social and Health Sciences**

The College of Behavioral, Social and Health Sciences (CBSHS) is a 21st-century land-grant college that combines work in seven disciplines — communication; nursing; parks, recreation and tourism management; political science; psychology; public health sciences; and sociology, anthropology and criminal justice — to further its mission of “building people and communities” in South Carolina and beyond. [clemson.edu/cbshs](http://clemson.edu/cbshs)

**The Wilbur O. and Ann Powers College of Business**

The Wilbur O. and Ann Powers College of Business transforms students into leaders, entrepreneurs and innovators who are prepared to flourish within the global marketplace of ideas. Through immersive education, research and outreach programs that are globally competitive and committed to economic and social advancements, students become empowered, market-ready leaders, poised to shape the future. Education and research in the the Wilbur O. and Ann Powers College of Business is focused on human behavior and business practices in organizations, economies and societies. [clemson.edu/business](http://clemson.edu/business)

**College of Education**

The College of Education is committed to improving education, beginning at birth. With a focus on serving underperforming schools and underserved communities, the College has award-winning programs that train teachers, counselors and school leaders for P-12 schools; prepare counselors for community practice; train higher education student affairs leaders; and prepare training and development specialists for business and industry. There are 13 undergraduate teacher education programs leading to certification, from early childhood, elementary and secondary to agricultural and special education.

The College of Education also houses
- the nationally acclaimed Call Me MISTER® program,
- the Charles H. Houston Center for the Study of the Black Experience in Education
- and three S.C. Centers of Excellence — the Center of Excellence for Digital Media and Learning, the Center of Excellence for Innovation in Mathematics and Science and the
College of Engineering, Computing and Applied Sciences
The College of Engineering, Computing and Applied Sciences educates, creates and disseminates new knowledge, and engages students in critical thinking — thereby inspiring the innovations of tomorrow, leading to transformative economic development and broadening Clemson's impact as a land-grant university. The structure of the College encourages cross-disciplinary collaboration and provides experiential learning opportunities where students transfer academic knowledge from the classroom to hands-on application in everyday environments. [clemson.edu/cecas](http://clemson.edu/cecas)

College of Science
The College of Science pursues excellence in scientific discovery, learning and engagement that is both locally relevant and globally impactful. The life, physical and mathematical sciences converge to tackle some of tomorrow’s scientific challenges, and our faculty are preparing the next generation of leading scientists. The College of Science offers high-impact transformational experiences such as research, internships and study abroad to help prepare our graduates for top industries, graduate programs and health professions. [clemson.edu/science](http://clemson.edu/science)

Admissions
With 80+ undergraduate degree programs to choose from in eight colleges, 500+ clubs and organizations and limitless undergraduate research opportunities available through the Creative Inquiry undergraduate research program, students are sure to find a path to pursue their passion here. Learn more about applying to Clemson by visiting our Admissions page. [clemson.edu/admissions](http://clemson.edu/admissions)

Office of Global Engagement
Clemson Abroad
Each year, hundreds of Clemson students expand their horizons by studying abroad. You can live, work and study in numerous locations around the globe through faculty-led, third-party and exchange programs. Students in a variety of majors have opportunities at the Archbold Center in Dominica; the Daniel Center in Genoa, Italy; the Clemson University Brussels Center in Belgium; and numerous other locations around the globe. [clemson.edu/studyabroad](http://clemson.edu/studyabroad)

Watt Family Innovation Center
Creative Inquiry
This world-class undergraduate research program, housed in the Watt Family Innovation Center, is open to every Clemson student and gives students hands-on experiences that often inform their future career paths. Faculty mentors lead team-based investigations where students take the lead on innovative discoveries that help them stand out when applying to jobs and graduate schools. At the end of a CI, it’s not uncommon for students
to find themselves traveling internationally or presenting their findings at national conferences. [clemson.edu/ci](clemson.edu/ci)

**Watt Family Innovation Center**
This state-of-the-art environment for teaching and research hallows students to develop virtual and augmented reality applications in the Immersive Space; take ideas from concept to prototype using 3D printers in the Makerspace; and receive instant feedback from professional business mentors through the Design & Entrepreneurship Network. [clemson.edu/centers-institutes/watt](clemson.edu/centers-institutes/watt)

**Clemson University Honors College**

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**Student Affairs**

**Clubs/organizations**
There are more than 500 student clubs and organizations on campus from fraternities and sororities to international groups, military organizations, religious, service, sports, fitness, performing arts and much more. [clemson.campuslabs.com/engage](clemson.campuslabs.com/engage)

**Fraternity and Sorority Life**
Clemson Greek life represents about 24 percent of the student population and offers a wide range of opportunities for personal growth through 29 fraternities and 20 sororities. [clemson.edu/campus-life/fraternity-sorority-life](clemson.edu/campus-life/fraternity-sorority-life)

**Campus Life**
A walk across Clemson’s campus transports visitors from rolling hills to Death Valley and just beyond to Lake Hartwell. The sound of the carillon bells ringing greets those within earshot of Tillman Hall, and often, the sight of an orange and purple sunset signals the end of a day spent in Clemson. Get a glimpse of campus life on our Instagram.

**Housing & Dining**
**Living on campus**
All of Clemson’s 22 residence halls and five apartment complexes are within a 15-minute walk to class or downtown. Be sure to check out our 15 nationally recognized Living-Learning Communities, where undergraduates with common academic interests and life experiences share residence hall space, staff, programming and resources dedicated specifically to them. [housing.clemson.edu](http://housing.clemson.edu)

**First-year housing**
Take a virtual tour of first-year communities located across campus. Choices include suite-style living in the center of campus, traditional high-rises on the Bryan Mall and the new Douthit Hills East Neighborhood. [housing.clemson.edu](http://housing.clemson.edu)

**Douthit Hills**
Home to seven residence halls for first-year students, sophomores and upperclassmen, the Douthit Hills community is divided into East and West neighborhoods, and tucked between them is the Hub, where a variety of dining options, the campus bookstore, fitness center and open and inviting gathering spaces live. [housing.clemson.edu/douthit-hills-east](http://housing.clemson.edu/douthit-hills-east)

**Athletics**

**Athletics programs**
As a member of the Atlantic Coast Conference, Clemson boasts 21 NCAA athletic teams. Admission to regular-season events played on campus is included in University fees for full-time students, including football, basketball, soccer, baseball, cross-country, track and field, golf, volleyball, tennis and rowing. [clemsontigers.com](http://clemsontigers.com)

**Alumni**

**In-state alumni**
South Carolina is home to 99,592 alumni who live, work and contribute to the economic well-being of our region.
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