HISTORY IN BRIEF

The University of Cincinnati, Ohio’s premier urban research university, traces its origins to 1819. In that year both Cincinnati College and the Medical College of Ohio were chartered. In 1870, the City of Cincinnati established the University of Cincinnati, which later absorbed the two predecessor institutions. In 1906, the University of Cincinnati created the first cooperative education program in the world. For many years, the University of Cincinnati was the second oldest and second largest municipal university in the country. In 1968, UC became a “municipally sponsored, state affiliated” institution, entering a transitional period culminating on July 1, 1977 when UC joined the university system of Ohio. Today, the University of Cincinnati is classified as a Research University (Very High Research Activity) by the Carnegie Commission, and is ranked as one of America’s top 30 public research universities by the National Science Foundation. U.S. News has ranked UC in the Top Tier of America’s Best Colleges; The Chronicle of Higher Education has called UC a “research heavyweight,” and UC has consistently been named a “green university” by Princeton Review. The New York Times, Forbes, Delta Sky and Travel + Leisure magazines have highlighted UC as one of the world’s most beautiful campuses. Most recently, the Sept. 13, 2015, New York Times Magazine contained an eight-page spread of images on the university’s architecture, calling the dramatic campus renovation of the past quarter century “the most ambitious campus-design program in the country.”

UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI FACULTY & ALUMNI

Among the historic faculty or alumni of the University of Cincinnati are found President and later Chief Justice William Howard Taft; Albert Sabin, developer of the oral polio vaccine; Nobel Peace Prize winner and U.S. Vice President Charles G. Dawes; Pulitzer Prize-winning cartoonist Walt Handelsman; Doris Twitchell Allen, founder of Children’s International Summer Village; astronaut Neil Armstrong; soprano Kathleen Battle; Cleveland Abbe, whose work at UC led to the National Weather Service; Eula Bingham, environmental scientist and head of OSHA; Marilyn Gaston, assistant surgeon general; author Thomas Berger (Little Big Man, Neighbors); prima ballerina Suzanne Farrell; sports greats Sandy Koufax, Kevin Youkilis, Oscar Robertson, Jack Twyman and Tony Trabert; architect Michael Graves and eco-architect Michael Reynolds; artists Tom Wesselmann and Gilbert Young; Tony Award winner Faith Prince; Douglas Dayton, who helped design Apple’s original mouse; and Louise McCarren Herring, the mother of credit unions. The number of living alumni of the University (2014) is counted at more than 270,000 with approximately half (more than 131,000) residing in the greater Cincinnati area.

MISSION STATEMENT

The University of Cincinnati serves the people of Ohio, the nation, and the world as a premier, public, urban research university dedicated to undergraduate, graduate, and professional education, experience-based learning, and research. We are committed to excellence and diversity in our students, faculty, staff, and all of our activities. We provide an inclusive environment where innovation and freedom of intellectual inquiry flourish. Through scholarship, service, partnerships, and leadership, we create opportunity, develop educated and engaged citizens, enhance the economy and enrich our University, city, state and global community.

LEADERSHIP

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- Santa J. Ono, President

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UC FIRSTS
- First program of cooperative education – Herman Schneider (1906)
- First oral polio vaccine – Albert Sabin
- First observations leading to the National Weather Service – Cleveland Abbe
- First antihistamine, Benadryl – George Rieveschl
- First heart-lung machine – Samuel Kaplan, Leland Clark and James Helmsworth
- First electronic organ – Winston Koch
- First use of YAG laser to remove brain tumor
- First bachelor’s degree program in nursing
- First emergency medicine residency program
- First safe anti-knock gasoline
- First degree program offered via satellite

UC’S COLLEGES
McMicken College of Arts & Sciences
College of Allied Health Sciences
Carl H. Lindner College of Business
UC Clermont College
College-Conservatory of Music
College of Design, Architecture, Art & Planning
College of Education, Criminal Justice, and Human Services
College of Engineering & Applied Science
College of Law
College of Medicine
College of Nursing
James L. Winkle College of Pharmacy
UC Blue Ash College
Graduate School

PROGRAMS OF STUDY (2015)
Associate (A.A., A.A.S., A.G.S., etc.) 74
Baccalaureate (B.S., B.A., BSW, etc.) 112
Master's (M.A., M.S., MBA, etc.) 111
Doctoral (Ph.D., D.Sc., etc.) 79
Professional (MD, JD) 3
Total 379

Certificates 167
Minors 69
Total 236

UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI LIBRARIES
13 Library locations
- Holdings: 4.4 million volumes; 1.4 million e-books.
- Ranked 78th among the Association of Research Libraries
- Use: 1.3 million annual visitors; 143,000 annual items circulated; 42,000 annual reference transactions.

STUDENT/FACULTY RATIO
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ENROLLMENT (2015-2016): 44,251
The University of Cincinnati attracts students from all 50 of the United States, and from 114 countries outside the U.S.

Full Time Students 31,592
  Undergraduate 26,089
  Graduate & Professional 5,503
Part-Time Students 12,659
  Undergraduate 7,129
  Graduate & Professional 5,530

Student Diversity
  African American 3,706  8.4%
  Asian 1,391  3.1%
  Hispanic 1,295  2.9%
Ohio Residents 34,803  78.6%
Male/Female 20,370/23,881  46%/54%
On-Campus Residents 5,238
Average age 24.3

TUITION & FEES (2015-16)
Ohio Resident, undergraduate, per year $11,000
Out of State, undergraduate, per year $26,334
Ohio Resident, graduate, per year $14,468
Out of State, graduate, per year $26,210
Room & Board, per year $10,750-$13,050, depending on room type

PERSONNEL DATA (September 2015)
(includes affiliates and volunteers)
  Faculty Full Time 2,767
  Faculty Part Time 3,801
  Staff Full Time 3,251
  Staff Part Time 505
  Total (Without students) 10,324
  Student Workers and Graduate Assistants 6,868
  Grand Total 17,192

ANNUAL PAYROLL
Calendar Year 2014 $559,236,523.40

ANNUAL BUDGET (2014-2015)
  General Funds $629.7 million
  Restricted Funds $293.6 million
  Designated Funds $126.4 million
  Auxiliaries $124.3 million
  Total $1.17 billion

ENDOWMENT (March 31, 2015)
$1.2 billion

ANNUAL GIVING (FY15)
$140,422,175

EXTERNAL GRANTS & CONTRACTS (FY14)
$390 million (including affiliates)
ECONOMIC IMPACT (2006)
According to “The Future Starts Here: The Role of Research Universities in Ohio's Economy,” (Appleseed, 2006) the University of Cincinnati is estimated to have an annual impact of $1.52 Billion on the economy of the State of Ohio, thereby generating $11.71 for every dollar invested by the State of Ohio.

ECONOMIC IMPACT: Medical Center & Affiliates (2003)
The UC Medical Center, based on 2002 data, calculates an economic impact of $3.59 billion, and projects an economic impact by 2006 of $4.19 billion. The Medical Center's $3.59 billion impact on the Tri-State comprises $1.56 billion direct impact and $2.03 billion indirect impact. The Medical Center provides 16,268 full-time equivalent jobs in the Tri-State (up from 14,746 in 1999), making the Medical Center the largest employer in Greater Cincinnati. The "ripple effect" of that direct employment generates a total of nearly 42,000 jobs in Ohio and more than 50,000 jobs in the Tri-State that are directly or indirectly related to the operations of the Medical Center.

NEW BUILDINGS, GREEN SPACES AND MAJOR RENOVATIONS SINCE 1992
Vera Clement Edwards Center, Engineering Research Center, Library Plaza, Aronoff Center for Design and Art, French Hall addition, Cardiovascular Research Center, Sigma Sigma Commons, College-Conservatory of Music, Albert H. Vontz Center for Molecular Studies, University Hall, Kingsgate Conference Center, Hastings and William French Building renovation, Science and Allied Health Building, Eden Avenue Garage addition, Campus Green, University Commons, Clermont College Educational Services Building, Clermont College Student Services Building, Center Hill Campus (Large Scale Test Facility, Combustion Research Lab, Leather Industries Research Building, Erosion Test Facility), Clermont College Facilities Management Building, Braunstein Hall renovation, Schneider Residence Hall, Turner Residence Hall, University Pavilion, Central Utility Plant, University Pavilion, Tangeman University Center expansion and renovation, College of Applied Science Classroom Building, Steger Student Life Center, Mews Garden, MainStreet open space, Schott Stadium, Gettler Stadium, Calhoun Street Garage, Clermont College Activities Center, Campus Recreation Center, Raymond Walters College Veterinary Technology Building, Van Wormer Library renovation, Varsity Village Garage, MRI Center, Trabert-Talbert Tennis Center, Lindner Center, Clermont College West Woods Academic Center, Eden Quad greenspace, CARE/Crawley, Morgens Hall, Nippert Stadium.

Ongoing/upcoming projects: Medical Sciences Building expansion and renovation, Teachers College/Dyer Hall renovation, Scioto Hall renovation, Radiation Safety Building, Health Professionals Building, Wherry Hall.

More details at: uc.edu/content/dam/uc/about/docs/UC Construction Projects_web.pdf

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RANKINGS BY EXTERNAL SOURCES

Academic Ranking of World Universities (2015)
The influential Academic Ranking of World Universities, published by Shanghai Jiao tong University, ranks the University of Cincinnati among the top 300 of more than 1,200 ranked worldwide.

Barron’s Profiles of American Colleges (2011)
The University of Cincinnati is ranked as “Competitive +.”

Bloomberg BusinessWeek (2014)
In recent rankings, Bloomberg Businessweek placed UC's MBA program at No. 47 nationally (No. 23 among public institutions). Bloomberg Businessweek recruiters ranked UC's MBA No. 21 in the nation (No. 8 among public programs). The University of Cincinnati’s undergraduate business program was ranked at 84th among all schools and 36th among public business schools.

Business Insider (2013)
Business Insider surveyed art directors, product designers and others who obtained a design education and placed UC's College of Design, Architecture, Art, and Planning number 3 on a list of design schools best suited to landing a job. In fact, UC is the top-ranked public university on this prestigious list.

DesignIntelligence (2015)
For the 16th straight year, UC was ranked among the best design and architecture programs in the nation. UC's undergraduate industrial design program was ranked No. 1 in the country, while the undergraduate interior design program was ranked No. 6. UC's graduate design program was ranked No. 9 nationally, while the graduate architecture program was ranked No. 18.

Higher Education Excellence in Diversity Award (2015)
The University of Cincinnati was among the recipients in September 2015 of the Higher Education Excellence in Diversity award from INSIGHT INTO DIVERSITY magazine, the oldest and largest diversity-focused publication in higher education.

International Student Barometer (2015)
The International Student Barometer, an annual survey of nearly 165,000 international students attending 290 global institutions, gives UC high marks. In the latest International Student Barometer (ISB), ranks in the top three worldwide as the most welcoming and also in personal banking services and sports facilities and in the top 10 for Academic Program organization and campus buildings. UC placed 9th overall among national peers.

The Leiden Ranking (2015)
The Centre for Science and Technology Studies (CWTS), Leiden University, has developed a new ranking system entirely based on its own bibliometric indicators. This web-publication is the first in a series of rankings. The work focuses on all universities worldwide with more than 700 Web of Science indexed publications per year. UC ranks 191st in the world in the number of publications, 81st in the United States.

The Times Higher Education supplement, emphasizing research universities, ranks the University of Cincinnati 276-300th among all the universities in the world.

NACUBO Endowment Ranking (2013)
UC’s 2013 endowment of $1.183 billion ranks 80th among colleges and universities in the United States and Canada.

The 2015 rankings of the nation's top master's degree programs in urban planning were recently released, and the University of Cincinnati's graduate planning program was ranked No. 17th in the nation and No. 4 in the Midwest region.

University of Cincinnati is ranked by the Princeton Review among the top schools in the United States.

University of Cincinnati College of Business is ranked among the top schools in the country.

The Princeton Review today named the University of Cincinnati among the nation's best “green” schools – leading in environmental practices and in preparing the next generation of green professionals.

Research: National Science Foundation (2013)
The National Science Foundation, based on Federally Financed Research & Development Expenditures ranks UC as 46th in the U.S. and 30th among public universities.

Research: Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching (2013)
The university is also classified as a "Very High Research Activity" university by the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, placing the university among 108 research-intensive universities (73 of these are public institutions) to receive the classification.

SCImago Research Group (2011-2012)
The SCImago Research Group’s Institutions Rankings World Report 2010 ranks the University of Cincinnati 203th in the world out of 3,290 institutions. UC is ranked 70th among 581 North American institutions in this report that combines four global indicators revealing performance, institutions’ ability to generate scientific knowledge and to achieve international visibility.
Faculty Scholarly Productivity Index (2007)
Nine University of Cincinnati programs are ranked among the Top 10 programs of their type in the United States. UC programs ranked among the Top 10 are:

- Biological Sciences 2nd in the U.S.
- Classics & Classical Literatures 3rd in the U.S.
- Criminology and Justice Studies 6th in the U.S.
- Ecology 6th in the U.S.
- Environmental Engineering 6th in the U.S.
- Physiology 7th in the U.S.
- Biomedical Sciences 9th in the U.S.
- Special Education 9th in the U.S.
- Toxicology 10th in the U.S.

U.S. News & World Report Rankings
(2016 or most recent previous ranking)
The University of Cincinnati is ranked 140th among the top tier of U.S. universities, and 71st among top public institutions as well as 115th among best colleges for veterans.

Rankings of specific colleges and programs
- Cooperative Education 4th in the U.S.
- Pharmacy 32nd in the U.S.
- Medicine 40th in the U.S.
- Business: Part-time MBA 46th in the U.S.
- Nursing (Graduate) 54th in the U.S.
- Business: Full-time MBA 70th in the U.S.
- Education (Graduate) 76th in the U.S.
- Engineering 81st in the U.S.
- Law 82nd in the U.S.

Music and Arts Programs
- Opera/Voice 3rd in the U.S.
- Musical Conducting 5th in the U.S.
- Music 6th in the U.S.
- Industrial Design 6th in the U.S.
- Music Composition 9th in the U.S.
- Orchestra/Symphony 9th in the U.S.
- Drama 37th in the U.S.
- Creative Writing 46th in the U.S.
- Master of Fine Arts 62nd in the U.S.

Science and Engineering Programs
- Paleontology 6th in the U.S.
- Environmental Engineering 20th in the U.S.
- Aerospace Engineering 31st in the U.S.
- Civil Engineering 48th in the U.S.
- Mechanical Engineering 60th in the U.S.

Medical and Human Service Programs
- Criminal Justice (Graduate) 3rd in the U.S.
- Pediatrics 3rd in the U.S.
- Speech and Language Pathology 35th in the U.S.
- Audiology 37th in the U.S.
- Otolaryngology 43rd in the U.S.
- Primary Care 78th in the U.S.
- Physical Therapy (Graduate) 99th in the U.S.

More rankings: magazine.uc.edu/editors_picks/rankings