The University of Notre Dame was founded in November 1842 by Edward F. Sorin, a priest of the Congregation of Holy Cross, a French missionary order. It is located adjacent to South Bend, Indiana, the center of a metropolitan area with a population of more than 300,000. Chartered by the state of Indiana in 1844, the University was governed by the Holy Cross priests until 1967, when governance was transferred to a two-tiered, mixed board of lay and religious trustees and fellows.

Notre Dame has grown from the vision of Father Sorin, who sought to establish a great Catholic university in America, and has remained faithful to both its religious and intellectual traditions. Over the years, Notre Dame has been a place where the Catholic Church could do its thinking. The first national study of Catholic elementary and secondary education was done at Notre Dame, as was the most extensive study of Catholic parish life and a landmark historical study of the Hispanic Catholic community in the United States.

One of America’s leading undergraduate teaching institutions, Notre Dame also has been at the forefront in research and scholarship. The aerodynamics of glider flight, the transmission of wireless messages, and the formulae for synthetic rubber were pioneered at the University. Today researchers are achieving breakthroughs in astrophysics, radiation chemistry, environmental sciences, tropical disease transmission, peace studies, cancer, robotics, and nanoelectronics.
Notre Dame always has been heavily residential, with about four in five undergraduates living on campus. Students come to Notre Dame to learn not only how to think but also how to live, and often the experiences alumni carry from residence hall communities at Notre Dame remain vivid over a lifetime. The University always has attracted scholars who are interested in teaching and scholarship, men and women who know that a Notre Dame education is more than what is taught in classrooms and laboratories.

Notre Dame has a unique spirit. It is traditional, yet open to change. It is dedicated to religious belief no less than scientific knowledge. It has always stood for values in a world of facts. It has kept faith with Father Sorin’s vision.

FALL 2015 ENROLLMENT
(all counts include dual-degree seekers)

8,547

Undergraduate Studies
Bachelor’s degree programs

nd.edu/academics/undergraduate-majors
Twenty-four Notre Dame faculty members, including current President Rev. John I. Jenkins, C.S.C., have been elected to the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, the nation’s leading learned academy.

Faculty in the College of Arts and Letters have earned 57 fellowships from the National Endowment for the Humanities since 1999, more than for any other university in the nation over that time.

Notre Dame established the first programs in law, engineering, and architecture at an American Catholic institution of higher learning.

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ACADEMIC UNITS

THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

Established in 1918, the Graduate School has evolved into four divisions (engineering, humanities, science, and social sciences). It embraces 26 doctoral, nine terminal master’s degree programs and six professional master’s degree programs in and among 30 University departments, institutes, and programs. Of the approximately 2,300 degree-seeking Graduate School students, 98 percent are full time, 72 percent are pursuing a doctorate, 41 percent are women, and 26 percent are international students. Among U.S. students, 15 percent are from underrepresented groups. Prestigious multi-year fellowships are awarded to the top 15 percent of each incoming class. Approximately 97 percent of students in the Graduate School—both doctoral and master’s—receive full-tuition scholarships. Over the last decade, more than 90 percent of Ph.D. recipients have gone on to research-related (or degree-related) occupations.

> graduateschool.nd.edu

GRADUATE BUSINESS PROGRAMS

The mission of the Mendoza College of Business is to provide academically excellent programs that are centered on a vision of business as a powerful force for good. Mendoza offers seven graduate business degrees: The Notre Dame MBA program offers both a one- and two-year format. The Master of Science in Management is an intensive, pre-experience one-year program for non-business majors. The Executive MBA for working professionals is offered on campus and in Chicago. The Master of Science in Finance and the Master of Science in Business Analytics, both intended for working professionals, also are offered in Chicago. Additional Mendoza programs include the top-ranked Master of Science in Accountancy, Master of Nonprofit Administration, and a wide range of executive programs.

> mendoza.nd.edu

THE LAW SCHOOL

The Notre Dame Law School offers seven programs of study in law and policy, such as intellectual property, business law, environmental and constitutional, and an international curriculum that includes the school’s London Law Centre and student exchange programs in China, Chile, Ireland, Switzerland, and Italy. Its extensive externship offerings include a program in the school’s Chicago and Washington, D.C., facilities. The school offers several dual degrees, including a J.D./MBA, J.D./M.A. in English and J.D./Master of Engineering. Post-J.D. programs include an LL.M. that may be pursued either in South Bend or in London, and an LL.M. and a JSD in International Human Rights Law.

> law.nd.edu

OTHER PROFESSIONAL PROGRAMS

The master of education degree is offered through the University’s Alliance for Catholic Education, and the Department of Theology offers the master of divinity degree (M.Div.).
UNIVERSITY INSTITUTES
Center for Social Concerns
Eck Institute for Global Health
Institute for Church Life
Institute for Educational Initiatives
Joint Institute for Nuclear Astrophysics-Center for the Evolution of the Elements (JINA-CEE)
Kellogg Institute for International Studies
Keough–Naughton Institute for Irish Studies
Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies
Medieval Institute
Nanovic Institute for European Studies
Notre Dame Radiation Laboratory
Tantur Ecumenical Institute
W. M. Keck Center for Transgene Research

UNIVERSITY RESEARCH CENTERS
Boler–Parseghian Center for Rare and Neglected Diseases
Center for Civil and Human Rights
Center for Theology, Science, and Human Flourishing
Interdisciplinary Center for Network Science and Applications
ND Energy
Notre Dame Institute for Advanced Study

COLLEGE INSTITUTES
Environmental Research Center (UNDERC)
Harper Cancer Research Institute
Institute for Flow Physics and Control
Institute for Latino Studies
Liu Institute for Asia and Asian Studies
Midwest Institute for Nanoelectronics Discovery
NDnano–Center for Nano Science and Technology
Wireless Institute

COLLEGE CENTERS
Center for Accounting Research and Education (CARE)
Center for Astrophysics (CANDU)
Center for Environmental Science and Technology
Center for Ethics and Culture
Center for Ethics and Religious Values in Business
Center for Mathematics
Center for Microfluidics and Medical Diagnostics
Center for Philosophy of Religion
Center for Research on Educational Opportunity
Center for Stem Cells and Regenerative Medicine
Center for STEM Education
Center for the Study of Financial Regulation
Center for the Study of Religion and Society
Center for the Study of Social Movements
Cushwa Center for the Study of American Catholicism

ACADEMIC SUPPORT UNITS
Center for Creative Computing
Center for Digital Scholarship
Center for Research Computing
Center for Social Research
Center for the Study of Languages and Cultures
Flatley Center for Undergraduate Scholarly Engagement
Institute for Scholarship in the Liberal Arts
Kaneb Center for Teaching and Learning
Notre Dame Integrated Imaging Facility
The Writing Center

Eugene D. Fanning Center for Business Communication
Gigot Center for Entrepreneurship
Institute for Structure and Nuclear Astrophysics (ISNAP)
Institute for Theoretical Sciences
Interdisciplinary Center for the Study of Biocomplexity
John J. Reilly Center for Science, Technology and Values
Notre Dame Deloitte Center for Ethical Leadership
QuarkNet Center
Rooney Center for the Study of American Democracy
Ruth M. Hillebrand Center for Compassionate Care in Medicine
Warren Family Research Center for Drug Discovery and Development
William J. Shaw Center for Children and Families
In 1893, 10 years before the Wright brothers’ first flight, Notre Dame engineering professor Albert Zahm organized the first International Aeronautic Congress in Chicago. Based upon experiments on campus, he presented a paper that proposed the first modern method for launching airplanes and manually controlling them in flight by using rotating wing parts to balance the aircraft laterally and a double tail to control pitching and side-to-side movement.
RESEARCH FUNDING

In fiscal year 2016, research expenditures from external sources and research awards to Notre Dame each approached $130 million. Research expenditures from all sources continue to grow as Notre Dame pursues its strategic goal of becoming a pre-eminent Catholic research institution. Approximately 57 percent of the funding was awarded by the federal government for research, facilities and equipment, and educational and service programs. Awards from industrial sponsors represented approximately 14 percent of the total awards for fiscal year 2016, with 29 percent being sponsored by foundation and other sponsors.

92% Terminal degrees and doctorates (full-time instructional faculty)

293/10 Administrative, professional specialists, librarians, and research fellows (full-time/part-time)

1,126/179 Instructional faculty (full-time/part-time)

Student-faculty ratio: 10:1

Beginning in 1907, Notre Dame priest and professor Rev. Julius Nieuwland, C.S.C., conducted research that 25 years later led to the discovery of the formulae for synthetic rubber. Produced commercially by the DuPont Company under the brand name Neoprene, the highly elastic material is used for products ranging from water-faucet washers to gasoline-pump hoses to the adhesive strips on disposable diapers.

Hsueh-Chia Chang, Bayer Professor of Engineering; director, Center for Microfluidics and Medical Diagnostics, helped pioneer the field of biomicrofluidics—a multidisciplinary field that applies microfluidics’ understanding of how to control and manipulate small volumes of fluid to the study of human health. He is developing easy-to-operate, handheld devices that can rapidly detect such things as pathogens in blood, toxins in food and water, and even track invasive species as they threaten crops and ecosystems.
STUDENT LIFE

Notre Dame is one of a handful of truly international universities, with a student body drawn from all 50 states and more than 1,100 international students from nearly 90 countries. About 80 percent of the undergraduates and 18 percent of advanced students live on campus, and more than 80 percent are active in service learning and community volunteer activities. There are no social fraternities or sororities at Notre Dame—the residence halls are the focus of social, religious, and intramural athletic activities.

ACHIEVEMENTS

In laboratories, studios, theaters, libraries, and institutes on campus and around the world, Notre Dame students are engaged in a wide array of research, scholarly, and creative projects. They are selected to the leading academic honor societies and have received such prestigious awards as Rhodes, Fulbright, Marshall, and Truman Scholarships and fellowships from the Goldwater, Mellon, and National Science Foundations.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

Social, cultural, intellectual, recreational, and governance programs are coordinated and sponsored by more than 430 recognized student clubs and organizations. All undergraduate student organizations fall under the umbrella of the Student Union. The major undergraduate groups are the Hall Presidents’ Council, Class Councils, Student Union Board, Club Coordination Council, and Student Government. The major graduate organizations are Graduate Student Union, Student Bar Association, Master’s of Science in Accountancy Association, and the MBA Association. > sao.nd.edu

GLOBAL GATEWAYS

Notre Dame's network of five Global Gateways are centers for academic and cultural exchange. They bring together scholars, students, and leaders from universities, governments, business, and communities to discuss, discover, and debate issues of topical and enduring relevance. Notre Dame Global Gateways are located in:

- Beijing
- Dublin
- Jerusalem
- London
- Rome
- Mexico
- Morocco
- Russia
- Rwanda
- Senegal
- Singapore
- South Africa
- South Korea
- Spain
- Switzerland
- United Kingdom

INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION AND RESEARCH

STUDY ABROAD OPPORTUNITIES

Through Notre Dame International, more than half of Notre Dame undergraduates study abroad for academic credit in the following countries:

- Australia
- Brazil
- Chile
- China
- Denmark
- Ecuador
- France
- Germany
- Greece
- Hungary
- Ireland
- Israel
- Italy
- Japan
- Jordan
- Korea
- Spain
- Switzerland
- United Kingdom
2015 STUDENT FACTS

First-Year Class Profile
(Class of 2020)

48% top 1% in high school class
64% top 2%
94% top 10%
80% Catholic
32% U.S. students of color or international citizens
22% children of ND alumni
10% first generation

52%/48% male/female

Degrees Awarded
(summer/fall 2015, spring 2016)

2,135
Baccalaureate

216
Doctoral/Research

1,058
Master's

172
Doctoral/Professional

Geographic Distribution

19% West/Southwest
36% Midwest
24% East
14% South
7% Outside of U.S.

National Test Scores

SAT
1510
(Median)

ACT
34
(Median)

8,462
Undergraduate

2,130
Graduate School

1,700
Professional
(Law, M.Div, Business, M.Ed.)

12,292
Total

admissions.nd.edu
More than 1,100 international students from nearly 90 countries attend Notre Dame. Additionally, Notre Dame hosts more than 350 international scholars each year in various academic departments. > international.nd.edu

RESERVE OFFICERS’ TRAINING CORPS PROGRAMS (ROTC)

Four branches of the military (Army, Navy, Marines, and Air Force) are represented on campus.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS AND SCHOLARS

Notre Dame has one of the highest undergraduate residential concentrations of any national university, with 80 percent of its students living in 30 residence halls. About 40 Holy Cross religious and some 15 men and women of other religious communities continue to live and provide a pastoral presence in the halls.

OLDEST COLLEGE MARCHING BAND

The Notre Dame Marching Band was founded in 1843 and is the oldest college marching band still in existence.

OLDEST COLLEGE PUBLICATION

Scholastic, the University’s student magazine, is the oldest college publication in the country.

2ND MOST ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS

Fighting Irish athletics programs have produced the second most Academic All-Americans among Division I-A colleges and universities.

97%

Notre Dame’s graduation rate of 97 percent annually ranks in the top 5 among research universities.

98%

Notre Dame’s 98 percent retention rate between the freshman and sophomore years is among the highest in the country, thanks in large part to the University’s unique First Year of Studies Program.

STUDENT STATISTICS
The Office of Information Technologies (OIT) develops innovative solutions and provides reliable technology services in support of Notre Dame’s students, faculty, and staff. OIT services range from enhancing the classroom experience through technology to managing the campus technology infrastructure, from supporting research activities to providing solutions that enable the administrative campus teams. > oit.nd.edu

The Hesburgh Libraries is a diverse system featuring the flagship Hesburgh Library that houses three centers and specialty libraries along with eight branch libraries and specialty centers located throughout the Notre Dame campus. The Libraries are home to nearly 200 faculty and staff with on-site visits from over 1 million patrons annually. On-site and online visitors have access to more than 3.5 million print volumes and nearly 3.5 million electronic volumes.

In an effort to further its core mission of “connecting people to knowledge,” the Libraries offer a vast array of expertise, services, resources, and spaces to ensure the academic success of the campus community. Subject, digital, and academic outreach librarians offer research assistance and are available face-to-face, by email, phone, and chat. > library.nd.edu

The University of Notre Dame Press is the largest Catholic university press in the world, with over 1,000 books in print and 50 new titles annually. The press publishes scholarship in print and digital formats in several fields, including theology, philosophy, ethics, medieval and early modern studies, religious history, Irish studies, and Latin American studies. The press also publishes short fiction, poetry, and books of interest to general readers.

The press has hundreds of e-books available in the most popular formats, including Kindle, Nook, Kobo, and Apple iBooks. Digital editions are also available to libraries and their patrons through a variety of wholesalers and distributors. > undpress.nd.edu
Repository of inactive and historical University records and of manuscript collections documenting American Catholicism, the Archives is housed in the Hesburgh Library and an off-site facility. It contains more than 41,000 linear feet of materials, including administrative records, manuscript collections, photographs, audiovisual materials, digital files, microfilm, books, other printed matter, and artifacts. > archives.nd.edu

The University's network of more than 270 Notre Dame clubs—including 50 international clubs—is the most extensive in higher education.

Located immediately northwest of Notre Dame Stadium, the Snite Museum of Art contains more than 28,000 artworks. Exceptional holdings include the Jack and Alfrida Feddersen Collection of Rembrandt Etchings, the Noah L. and Muriel Butkin Collection of 19th-Century French Art, the John D. Reilly Collection of Old Master Drawings, the Janos Scholz Collection of 19th-Century European Photographs, the collection of Mestrovic Sculptures, the George Rickey Sculpture Archive, and the Virginia A. Marten Collection of Decorative Arts. Other collection strengths include Mesoamerican art, 20th-century art, Native American art, African art, Old Master paintings, and decorative and design arts. The museum also presents 10 to 12 special exhibitions each year. > sniteartmuseum.nd.edu

With graduates renowned for their loyalty and generosity, Notre Dame annually ranks among the top five universities in percentage of undergraduate alumni who contribute.

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The Department of Music features an annual series of musical performances by guest artists, faculty members, music students, and student groups, including the Glee Club, Chorale, Symphony Orchestra, Brass Ensemble, Jazz Band, and Concert Band. Other groups on campus include the Folk Choir, Coro Primavera de Nuestra Señora, Handbell Choir, Celebration Choir, and the Voices of Faith.

> music.nd.edu

The Department of Film, Television, and Theatre offers numerous events, among them a series of plays each academic year that are performed at the University’s Marie P. DeBartolo Center for the Performing Arts. Other events include the NDCinema film series, the annual Student Film Festival, and Shakespeare at Notre Dame, which includes the Notre Dame Shakespeare Festival, guest lectures by leading Shakespearean actors, and performances by the Notre Dame-based Actors From The London Stage.

> ftt.nd.edu

**CAMPUS AND PHYSICAL FACILITIES**

The campus consists of 174 buildings on 1,261 acres, with a total replacement of property value of $3.3 billion.

> architect.nd.edu
ATHLETICS

MEN’S
Baseball
Basketball
Cross Country
Fencing
Football
Golf
Ice Hockey

WOMEN’S
Basketball
Cross Country
Fencing
Golf
Lacrosse
Rowing
Soccer

Lacrosse
Soccer
Swimming and Diving
Tennis
Indoor Track and Field
Outdoor Track and Field

Softball
Swimming and Diving
Tennis
Indoor Track and Field
Outdoor Track and Field
Volleyball

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FINANCES
Annual Tuition and Fees (2016–17)

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<td>Room and board charges average (undergrad)</td>
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Nearly three-quarters [70%] of the undergraduate student body receive some form of financial aid, which in the academic year 2014–15 totaled more than $224 million from all sources—scholarships, athletic grants-in-aid, loans, campus work, and ROTC awards.

Eighty-nine percent of the graduate students received graduate and research assistantships, fellowships, scholarships, loans, and grants-in-aid totaling more than $178 million in 2014–15. > financialaid.nd.edu

BUDGET/ENDOWMENT/INCOME

Notre Dame’s operating budget for fiscal year 2016–17 is just over $1.6 billion, and the market value of its endowment is in excess of $10 billion. Two major sources of revenue accounting for a combined 59 percent of the total are student tuition and fees, and auxiliary enterprises (including residence halls, dining facilities, athletics, and the bookstore). A third source of revenue is generated by the University’s endowment pool.

DEVELOPMENT

The University has had a successful development program since it established a formal fundraising office in 1947.

In 2015–16, the development office raised nearly $389 million in cash gifts to the University. Of this total, Notre Dame’s alumni contributed more than $213 million to their alma mater; their level of participation is among the best in American higher education. Other important sources of gift income include foundations, corporations, and non-alumni parents and friends. For information on support programs, contact Louis M. Nanni, vice president for University Relations, 405 Main Building, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN 46556-5602; (574) 631-6122.

> supporting.nd.edu

GENERAL INFORMATION

TOURS

Tens of thousands of visitors annually tour the scenic Notre Dame campus. The University’s Eck Notre Dame Visitors Center offers a regular schedule of tours weekdays throughout the year. Call (574) 631-5726 for more information. > my.nd.edu/tours

For specially designed tours for prospective students and their parents, contact the Office of Undergraduate Admissions at (574) 631-7505.

> admissions.nd.edu/visits

More info: nd.edu
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