The University of Notre Dame was founded in November 1842 by Rev. Edward F. Sorin, C.S.C., 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. Today, we seek to be an enlightening force for a world deeply in need. Our departments of theology and philosophy are regarded as among the finest in the world while faculty in all departments participate in our mission to ensure that Notre Dame’s Catholic character informs all of our endeavors. From legal scholars who study civil rights and religious liberty, to scientists and engineers who investigate environmental protection, to sociologists who examine religious and ethical practices, Notre Dame continues to be a place where the Church does its thinking.

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.
FALL 2019 ENROLLMENT
(all counts include dual-degree seekers)

8,748

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 to scientific knowledge. It has always stood for values in a world of facts. It has kept faith with Father Sorin’s vision.

nd.edu/academics/undergraduate-majors
Opening its doors in Jenkins Nanovic Halls in August 2017, the Donald R. Keough School of Global Affairs advances Notre Dame’s mission through its focus on integral human development—a holistic model for human flourishing and human dignity. The Keough School educates and trains students for skilled, effective, and ethical leadership in government, nongovernmental and civil society organizations, and the private sector. An office in Washington, D.C., enables the school to expand its presence in the global policy arena.

> keough.nd.edu
THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

Established in 1918, the Graduate School is composed of four divisions (engineering, humanities, science, and social sciences) and the Keough School of Global Affairs. It embraces 31 doctoral programs, 14 terminal master’s degree programs and eight professional master’s degree programs in and among 31 University departments, institutes, and programs. Of the approximately 2,300 degree-seeking students, 98 percent are full-time, 66 percent are pursuing a doctorate, 44 percent are women, and 29 percent are international students. Among U.S. students, 18 percent are from underrepresented groups. Prestigious multi-year fellowships are awarded to the top 10 percent of each incoming class. Approximately 97 percent of students in the Graduate School—both doctoral and non-professional master’s—receive full-tuition scholarships. Ninety-seven percent of recent graduates report that their current job aligns with their career goals.

> graduateschool.nd.edu

GRADUATE BUSINESS PROGRAMS

The mission of the Mendoza College of Business is to provide academically excellent degree programs centered on the vision of business as a powerful force for good in society. The college offers 11 graduate business degrees: Notre Dame MBA, Executive MBA, Executive MBA-Chicago, Master of Science in Accountancy, Master of Science in Business Analytics, Master of Science in Business Analytics-Chicago, Master of Science in Finance-Chicago, Master of Science in Management, Master of Nonprofit Administration, Executive Master of Nonprofit Administration, and the dual-degree Notre Dame MBA/Master of Science in Business Analytics. Mendoza also offers custom and open enrollment programs in executive education and nonprofit administration.

> mendoza.nd.edu

THE LAW SCHOOL

Notre Dame Law School offers eight programs of study in areas such as intellectual property, business law, environmental law, and public policy. The school’s international curriculum includes Notre Dame London Law Program as well as student exchange programs in China, Chile, Ireland, Switzerland, and Italy. Its extensive externship offerings include programs in the school’s Chicago and Washington, D.C., facilities. The Law 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 J.S.D. 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
Ansari Institute for Global Engagement with Religion
Center for Social Concerns
Eck Institute for Global Health
Institute for Educational Initiatives
Keough–Naughton Institute for Irish Studies
Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies
McGrath Institute for Church Life
Medieval Institute
Nanovic Institute for European Studies
Tantur Ecumenical Institute

UNIVERSITY RESEARCH CENTERS
ND Energy
NDnano—Center for Nano Science and Technology
Technology Ethics Center (ND-TEC)

COLLEGE INSTITUTES
Environmental Research Center (UNDERC)
Harper Cancer Research Institute
Institute for Flow Physics and Control
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Center for Mathematics
Center for Philosophy of Religion
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Magnetic Resonance Research Center
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Nanofabrication Facility
Navari Family Center for Digital Scholarship
The Writing Center
Twenty-five 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 65 fellowships from the National Endowment for the Humanities since 1999, more than for any other university in the nation over that time.

Notre Dame is rated among the nation’s top 25 institutions of higher learning in surveys conducted by U.S. News & World Report, Forbes, Niche, and others.

Notre Dame has been identified as one of the top 10 collegiate workplaces in the country in a survey by the Chronicle of Higher Education, the leading resource for higher education news and information.

Notre Dame’s Medieval Institute was the first in the United States, and the University also founded the first publication series dedicated specifically to medieval topics.

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The Mendoza College of Business

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NOTRE DAME RESEARCH

At Notre Dame, record-breaking research awards have paved the way for new discoveries, unlocked knowledge, and improved technologies. Notre Dame Research (NDR) is committed to supporting a culture of research, scholarship, and creative endeavor throughout campus, in order to be a repository for knowledge and a powerful means for doing good in the world.

In addition, NDR supports and encourages innovation in more than 20 world-class core facilities and resources, as well as in a number of key areas of research, including cancer, environmental change, global health, and many more. > research.nd.edu
$172.5 million in record-breaking research awards in FY20

#1 in the country for NEH Fellowships since 1999

GLOBAL FOOTPRINT

50 awards
41 locations totaling $20.6 million

CURRENT AWARDS BY SPONSOR

DOD 23%
DOE 14%
NSF 14%
NIH 11%
FDN 9%
Industry 6%
Other 3%
Other Federal 20%
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 1,550 international students from over 100 countries. About 78 percent of the undergraduates and 11 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 500 recognized student clubs and organizations. All undergraduate student organizations fall under the umbrella of the Student Union Board. A few highlighted 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

STUDY ABROAD OPPORTUNITIES
Notre Dame is among the top 10 in the nation for study abroad participation. Through Notre Dame International, 70 percent of Notre Dame undergraduates study abroad for academic credit in the following countries:

- Australia
- Brazil
- Chile
- China
- Denmark
- Ecuador
- Ethiopia
- France
- Germany
- Greece
- India
- Ireland
- Israel
- Italy
- Japan
- Jordan
- Kenya
- Mexico
- Morocco
- Poland
- Russia
- Rwanda
- Senegal
- Singapore
- South Africa
- South Korea
- Spain
- Switzerland
- United Kingdom

GLOBAL NETWORK
Notre Dame’s network of 11 Global Gateways and Centers aims to extend the global reach of the University’s research, scholarship, and programs; enhance students’ international education and experience; and provide a means for meaningful academic, cultural, and civic engagement.

Global Gateways and Centers are located in:
- Beijing, Dublin, Hong Kong, Jerusalem, Kylemore Abbey (western Ireland), London, Mexico City, Mumbai, Rome, Santiago, and São Paulo.
### First-Year Class Profile
(Class of 2024)

- 26% U.S. students of color
- 15% first generation and low socioeconomic
- 8% international, dual citizen, or U.S. citizen abroad

### Degrees Awarded
(summer/fall 2019, spring 2020)

- Bachelor’s: 2,223
- Master’s: 1,160
- Doctoral/Research: 239
- Doctoral/Professional: 201

### Intended Field of Study

- Architecture: 2%
- Business: 24%
- Science: 28%
- Liberal Arts and Social Science: 26%
- Engineering: 20%

### Geographic Distribution

- 14% West/Southwest
- 34% Midwest
- 22% South/Southeast
- 8% International/U.S. abroad

### Enrollment
(fall 2019)

- Undergraduate: 8,731
- Graduate School: 2,207
- Professional (Law, M.Div., Business, M.Ed.): 1,743
- Total: 12,681

admissions.nd.edu
More than 1,550 international students from over 100 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.

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

Notre Dame’s graduation rate of 96 percent annually ranks in the top 5 among research universities.

Notre Dame has one of the highest undergraduate residential concentrations of any national university, with 78 percent of its students living in 33 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.

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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, which houses four 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 or by email, phone, and chat.  
> library.nd.edu

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The press publishes 50 to 60 print and digital books annually, and has recently released books by notable intellectuals including Aleksandr Solzhenitsyn, Tomáš Halík, Remi Brague, and Pierre Manent, among others. Through reviews, scholarly citations, and translations, our books extend the reach and reputation of the University. Our student internship program is developing the next generation of publishing professionals.  
> undpress.nd.edu
UNIVERSITY ARCHIVES

A repository of inactive and historical University records and of manuscript collections documenting American Catholicism, the archives are housed in the Hesburgh Library. It contains more than 57,000 linear feet and 410 terabytes of materials, including administrative records, manuscript collections, photographs, audiovisual materials, digital files, microfilm, books, other printed matter, and artifacts.

> archives.nd.edu

FINE AND PERFORMING ARTS

Located immediately northwest of Notre Dame Stadium, the Snite Museum of Art contains more than 25,000 artworks. Exceptional holdings include the Kress Collection of Renaissance Art, the Jack and Alfrieda 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 six to eight temporary exhibitions each year. The museum serves more than 10,000 Notre Dame and area college students every academic year through programs and special tours.

> sniteartmuseum.nd.edu

ALUMNI

266 NOTRE DAME CLUBS

The University’s network of Notre Dame clubs—including over 40 international clubs—is the most extensive in higher education.

MORE THAN 36,800

alumni, parents, and friends volunteered in local communities via club events last year.

100,000 ALUMNI AND FRIENDS

subscribe to the Alumni Association’s Daily Gospel Reflections at faith.nd.edu.
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. The music department and Sacred Music Program are based in the new O’Neill Hall.

> 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 ND Cinema 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

Campus consists of 176 buildings with a replacement value in excess of $4 billion.

> facilities.nd.edu
Notre Dame undergraduates in the 2019-20 academic year received from the University more than $150 million of financial aid in the form of endowment-generated, need-based scholarships that do not require repayment. Nearly 50 percent of students received such assistance, with a median amount per student of approximately $38,000, which is about three-quarters the cost of tuition at Notre Dame.

The University of Notre Dame's operating budget for fiscal year 2020-21 is approximately $1.7 billion, and the market value of its endowment is approximately $12 billion. Two major sources of revenue accounting for just about 60 percent of the total are student tuition and fees, and auxiliary enterprises (including residence halls, dining facilities, athletics and the bookstore).

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

In 2019-20, the development office raised over $466 million in cash gifts to the University. Of this total, Notre Dame’s alumni contributed more than $250 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.

### FINANCES

**Annual Tuition and Fees (2020–21)**

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### 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.

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

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