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## **ROLE OF THE STATE REGENTS**



Oklahoma's constitutional state system of higher education was created in 1941 by a vote of the people. The State Regents fulfill a variety of responsibilities, including prescribing academic standards for higher education, determining functions and courses of study at state colleges and universities, and granting degrees. The State Regents allocate funding for each public college and university, establish tuition and fees within limits set by the Oklahoma Legislature, and manage numerous scholarships and special programs.

The State Regents operate OneNet, the state's advanced research and education network, and the Oklahoma College Assistance

Program, which provides important college access, financial literacy and student loan default prevention programs and services that support students and the financial aid community.

Although the State Regents are the coordinating board of control for all institutions in the Oklahoma state system of higher education, governing boards of regents and boards of trustees are responsible for the operation of each state system institution and higher education program.

Work continues to implement *Blueprint 2030: Innovating and Elevating Oklahoma Higher Education for Tomorrow's Workforce*, the State Regents' strategic plan launched in February 2023. *Blueprint 2030* reflects four fundamental goals:

- producing workforce-ready graduates
- · growing the student pipeline
- focusing on student success
- · improving system efficiency and effectiveness

*Blueprint 2030* is leading Oklahoma higher education toward a brighter future, focusing our efforts to align academic offerings with state workforce needs, increase degree completion, and effectively, efficiently leverage system resources.

The State Regents remain committed to increasing college degree completion in high-demand fields to meet Oklahoma's growing workforce needs for engineers, computer scientists, teachers, nurses, and other vital professionals.

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Jack Sherry, 2023-24 Chair

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# **HIGHER EDUCATION UPDATE**



As Chancellor of our state system of higher education, I remain focused on two objectives: expanding workforce development efforts and creating paths to a better life for Oklahomans. Our public colleges and universities collaborate with elected officials and other state agencies to develop an educated, engaged workforce prepared to meet Oklahoma's current and future employment needs, particularly in the areas of teacher education, health care, engineering, computer science, and other STEM fields.

Looking back on 2023, there have been several highlights for public higher education. In May 2023, Tulsa resident Mitch Adwon was sworn in as a State Regent. Adwon, who replaced State Regent Emeritus Joseph L. Parker Jr., is serving a nine-year term expiring in May 2032. We also recently welcomed Tulsa resident Ken Levit, who was appointed to replace State Regent Emeritus Ann Holloway. Levit will serve a nine-year term expiring in May 2033.

In February 2023, the State Regents approved *Blueprint 2030: Innovating and Elevating Oklahoma Higher Education for Tomorrow's Workforce*, a strategic plan that reflects our commitment to leading a responsive, forward-thinking, and data-driven state system of higher education. Our work on the bold strategies outlined in *Blueprint 2030* is progressing quickly, with many key goals already achieved.

Recently, the State Regents allocated \$19.9 million in additional state appropriations for FY25. We thank the Legislature and Governor for this investment in Oklahoma's future, as well as a substantial investment to meet deferred maintenance needs at our colleges and universities. Targeted investments directly align with priorities in *Blueprint 2030*, including workforce development initiatives in high-demand fields and financial aid and scholarships to incentivize college degree completion.

Our latest employment outcomes report shows that 96% of Oklahomans who graduate from a state system college or university remain and work in the state one year after graduation, and more than 86% of Oklahomans who earn a bachelor's degree still live and work in the state five years later. These individuals are helping to meet Oklahoma's current and future workforce needs in numerous fields, including health professions, education, engineering, computer science, and business.

UpskillOK, the State Regents' micro-credentials initiative, continues to grow steadily, with over 350 micro-credential programs for students and employees across the state offered by our public colleges and universities in partnership with more than 120 businesses. Through UpskillOK, businesses collaborate with our campuses to build custom training and professional development programs for employees, including stackable credentials that lead to valued industry certifications and, in some cases, to degrees.

The State Regents' Oklahoma Free Speech Committee hosted the first statewide training for campus personnel in April. The committee was formed following passage of HB 3543 in 2022 to review campus free speech policies and complaints of free speech violations, examine free speech training provided by individual institutions, and develop or identify free speech training required every two years for college deans, department heads, and campus personnel responsible for creating free speech policies or handling free speech complaints.

In early 2023, we became the first state system in the nation to convene a statewide committee to study the impact of artificial intelligence on higher education. The committee, which includes nearly 40 members representing 17 colleges and universities, will soon launch an AI resource directory to facilitate sharing of best practices in AI governance, operations and pedagogy.

Six Oklahoma public colleges and universities received inaugural grants in May 2023 through the Oklahoma Hunger-Free Campus Act pilot program, a joint effort supported by legislative funding and executed by the State Regents in partnership with the Regional Food Bank of Oklahoma. The program leverages more sustainable solutions to address basic food needs on campuses, raises awareness of services currently offered on campuses that address basic food needs, and cultivates strategic partnerships at the local, state, and national levels to address food insecurity among students.

In August 2023, the National Science Foundation (NSF) awarded the State Regents and OneNet a \$1,179,147 Campus Cyberinfrastructure grant to connect five additional campuses to the OneOklahoma Friction Free Network (OFFN), generating campus-level cyberinfrastructure improvements for science applications and research projects. Previous NSF awards connected 21 Oklahoma research and regional universities to OFFN.

In September 2023, American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) program grant fund allocations in the amount of \$4.9 million were approved to support implementation of accelerated teacher certification programs at two universities. This will strengthen the state's teacher education pipeline by certifying new teachers in high-demand geographic areas and fields.

In October 2023, the State Regents' Online Consortium of Oklahoma received a 2023 Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education Cooperative for Educational Technologies Outstanding Work Award, which recognizes exceptional efforts by member institutions and organizations in applying innovative solutions to address a challenging educational need. OCO works collaboratively with 26 member institutions to facilitate online learning excellence across Oklahoma and supports the activities of the 100-plus-member Council for Online Learning Excellence (COLE), which promotes professional development, learning equity, and student success pathways in online education.

I am proud to serve the great state of Oklahoma in producing the workforce of our future.

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Chancellor Allison D. Garrett



## **CAMPUS RANKINGS**



#### UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

Ranked #1 in atmospheric science and meteorology research expenditures in the nation by <a href="mailto:ncses.nsf.gov">ncses.nsf.gov</a>



#### OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY

Ranked #1 on "2024 Colleges with the Best Academics in Oklahoma" list by niche.com



### ROGERS STATE UNIVERSITY

Ranked #1 on "Least Expensive Online MBAs" list by poetsandquants.com



#### SOUTHFASTERN OKI AHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY

Ranked #1 on "Best Value Colleges in Oklahoma in 2023-24" list by research.com



#### LANGSTON UNIVERSITY

Ranked #1 on "Top 38 Historically Black Colleges and Universities 2024" list by bestvalueschools.org



#### CARL ALBERT STATE COLLEGE

Ranked #1 on "Best RN Program in Oklahoma" list by registerednursing.org



#### NORTHEASTERN OKLAHOMA A&M COLLEGE

Ranked #1 on "Highest Paid Associate Degree Health/Medical Prep Programs Graduates in the Southwest Region" list by collegefactual.com



### TULSA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Ranked #1 on "Best Health Professions Associate Degree Schools in Oklahoma" list by collegefactual.com



#### MURRAY STATE COLLEGE

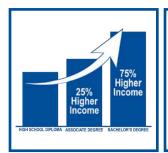
Ranked #5 on "Best Online Child Development Degrees for 2024" list by edumed.org



### NORTHWESTERN OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY

Ranked #9 on "Most Affordable Online Nursing Programs" list by bestcolleges.com

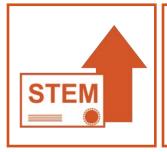
## STATE SYSTEM FAST FACTS



Associate and bachelor's degree holders earn a median income 25% and 75% higher, respectively, than those with only a high school diploma.



Data from the National Center for Education Statistics show Oklahoma universities have the 8th-lowest cost of attendance in the nation.



The number of engineering degrees and certificates conferred by state system institutions increased 43.1% over the last decade, and STEM degrees increased 19.2% at all levels.



Our students learn here, earn here — **96%** of Oklahomans who graduate from a state system college or university remain and work in the state one year after graduation.



Data show Oklahoma state system institutions generate an average return on investment of nearly \$870,000 per graduate over a career lifetime.



Of Oklahoma's 100 critical occupations, the **top 29** highest-paying jobs require an associate degree or higher, and all of the **top 10** require a bachelor's degree or higher.



Oklahoma has the highest transfer-out rate in the nation, a measure of first-time-entering students attending community colleges who transfer to a four-year institution within six years.

## **AFFORDABILITY**

## COMPARING UNDERGRADUATE TUITION & MANDATORY FEES WITH PEER INSTITUTIONS

Tier	FY23 Oklahoma Average	FY23 Peer Average	Oklahoma Comparison to Peer Average (%)
Research Universities	\$9,277	\$13,818	-32.9%
Regional Universities	\$7,380	\$8,786	-16%
Community Colleges	\$4,714	\$6,948	-32.2%

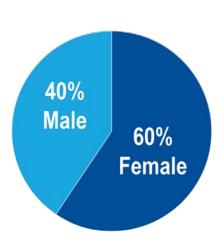
The Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education establish tuition and mandatory fees within limits prescribed by the Legislature. At the research institutions, resident undergraduate tuition and mandatory fees must be below average resident tuition and mandatory fee rates charged at public institutions in the Big 12 Conference. At the regional universities and community colleges, resident undergraduate tuition and mandatory fee rates must be below average tuition and mandatory fee rates charged at like-type institutions in surrounding and other states.

Source: OSRHE, FY 2023-24 Tuition Impact Analysis Report; national data for four-year and two-year institutions, College Board "Trends in College Pricing," October 2023

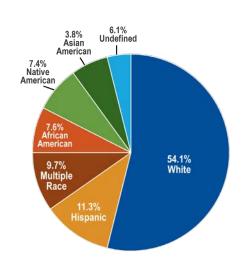
## **ENROLLMENT**

## 2022-23 OKLAHOMA PUBLIC INSTITUTION DEMOGRAPHICS

Source: OSRHE UDS, 2022-23 Annual Headcount Enrollment









\*NCES Digest of Education Statistics, Table 303.10: https://nces.ed.gov/programs/digest/d20/tables/dt20\_303.10.asp

### 2022-23 POPULAR FIELDS OF STUDY



# BUSINESS 29,406 **STUDENTS ENROLLED**



HEALTH PROFESSIONS 27,370 STUDENTS ENROLLED



ENGINEERING 12,734 **STUDENTS ENROLLED** 



EDUCATION
11,495 STUDENTS ENROLLED



COMPUTER SCIENCE 7,174 STUDENTS ENROLLED

Source: OSRHE UDS, Student Enrollment 2022-23

## **OUTCOMES**

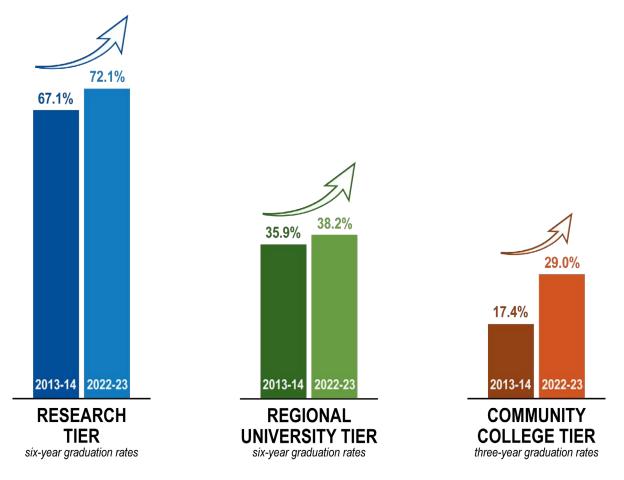
#### STUDENT RETENTION RATES

Over the last 10 years, student retention rates have increased slightly at research and two-year institutions, and declined slightly at regional universities. Overall, student retention rates have increased by 4% across the state system.

#### GRADUATION RATES FOR NEW OKLAHOMA FRESHMEN

Over the last 10 years, graduation rates have increased at all institutional tiers. Degree and certificate production at our public colleges and universities increased 5.8% over the last decade.

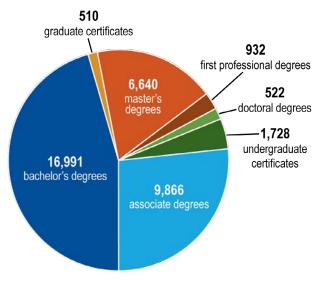
Many students who transfer from a community college to a university do so without completing an associate degree prior to transfer. Oklahoma has the highest transfer-out rate in the nation, a measure of first-time-entering students attending community colleges who transfer to a four-year institution within six years, and the fifth-highest rate of transfer-out students who earn a bachelor's degree within six years.



Source: OSRHE UDS, Full-Time, Degree-Seeking Cohort

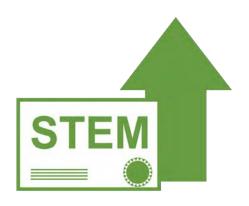
# **WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT**

#### 2022-23 DEGREES CONFERRED



Total 37,189 degrees and certificates conferred

Source: OSRHE UDS, Degrees Conferred 2022-23



The number of engineering degrees and certificates conferred by state system institutions increased 43.1% over the last decade, and STEM degrees increased 19.2% at all levels.

#### OKLAHOMA'S 100 CRITICAL OCCUPATIONS (2021-30)



#### More than half of

Oklahoma's 100 critical occupations require an associate degree or higher.



The top 29 highest-paying critical occupations require an associate degree or higher.



All of the top 10 highest-paying critical occupations require a bachelor's degree or higher.



8 of the top 10 critical occupations with the highest growth require an associate degree or higher.

Source: Oklahoma Works

# **KEY INITIATIVES**

### HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

#### **OKLAHOMA'S PROMISE**

Oklahoma's Promise is recognized as one of America's best college access programs and is considered a model that combines emphases on academic preparation and financial support for college. Over 14,000 students received Oklahoma's Promise scholarships in the last academic year.



#### **GEAR UP**

Oklahoma GEAR UP (Gaining Early Awareness and Readiness for Undergraduate Programs) is the fourth consecutive federally funded grant program administered by the State Regents. GEAR UP is designed to prepare middle and high school students for college success through direct student support services, including college campus tours, ACT preparation and testing, college exploration courses, one-on-one guidance from school specialists, and Oklahoma's Promise and FAFSA completion assistance.



#### CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT

The concurrent enrollment program allows outstanding juniors and seniors to earn college credit while still in high school, which strengthens student preparation, reduces family college costs, and decreases the time required to complete a degree. More than 16,000 students enrolled in concurrent courses, generating over 161,000 credit hours in the last academic year.



#### OKLAHOMA TEACHER CONNECTION

Through collaborative partnerships and strategically focused efforts, the Oklahoma Teacher Connection (OTC) supports initiatives and programs designed to recruit, retain and place teachers in Oklahoma classrooms. Supporting PK-12 and higher education, in addition to professional development opportunities, OTC has directly impacted over 57,000 educators and students through professional development, curriculum, policy, scholarships and incentive programs.



#### OKCOLLEGESTART.ORG

The state's web-based college and career planning portal has nearly 130,000 active accounts across the state and offers extensive information and tools to help students, parents and adult learners prepare, plan and pay for college. OKcollegestart serves as an ICAP administration platform for K-12 educators and features robust career planning resources, including career profiles that outline higher education requirements and expected salaries.



#### INSPIRED TO TEACH

Inspired to Teach allows eligible students who declare teacher education as a college major to receive a scholarship during undergraduate matriculation and an incentive award for committing to teach five consecutive years in an Oklahoma public school, for a total of up to \$25,500 in scholarships and employment incentives.



# **KEY INITIATIVES**

#### **ADULT LEARNERS**

#### **REACH HIGHER**

Through the Reach Higher program, 26 institutions offer specialized advising and support systems to help adult students return to college and complete degrees that lead to employment in Oklahoma's critical occupations. Reach Higher also offers financial support through scholarships available to eligible adult students in Oklahoma with \$1.2 million awarded to adult learners in fall 2023 and spring 2024. More than 11,000 degrees have been awarded through Reach Higher since 2007.



ShowWhatYouKnowOK.org is a dedicated website that empowers students to determine how previously earned college credit, licenses, certifications, military training, advanced standing scores, and knowledge gained through other learning experiences can be applied toward a college degree.

#### **UPSKILLOK**

UpskillOK, the State Regents' microcredentials initiative, continues to build a statewide framework of more than 300 microcredential programs, 24 public colleges and universities and over 100 industry partners. Micro-credentials help individuals adapt and succeed, equipping both students pursuing a degree and current degree-holders with specific career skillsets, competencies, and knowledge that can be readily transferred to fill critical workforce needs. More than 5,000 micro-credentials have been awarded since the first program launched in May 2022.



















# INSTITUTIONAL **HIGHLIGHTS**

NOTE: All enrollment figures listed in pp. 14-19 reflect the institution's headcount enrollment.



#### CAMERON UNIVERSITY www.cameron.edu

#### **4,153** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Health Professions
- Business Management, Administration
- Education
- Psychology

#### **Distinctions**

- Recognized as a Military Friendly® school
- Ethics team won regional championship, qualified for national APPE Intercollegiate Ethics Bowl
- Business programs received 10-year reaffirmation by Accreditation Council for Business Schools & **Programs**

CAMERON UNIVERSITY



President John M. McArthur

#### CARL ALBERT STATE COLLEGE

www.carlalbert.edu

#### **2,242** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Liberal Árts/General Studies
- Health Professions
- Business Management, Administration
- Family, Consumer Sciences
- Education

#### **Distinctions**

- · Opened The Harbor, an on-campus mental health and wellness center for students
- Esports team secured third place in fall 2023 NJCAAE Contender Series National Championship
- Hosted first ever on-campus National Women's Wrestling Duals



#### CONNORS STATE COLLEGE www.connorsstate.edu

#### **2,307** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Liberal Árts/General Studies
- Health Professions
- Agriculture

President

Jay Falkner

- Business Management, Administration
- Biological Sciences



- Ranked #2 in degree production among Oklahoma's rural two-year colleges
- Began Classroom to Clinicals Program, allowing concurrent students to work toward RN
- Awarded nearly \$4 million collaborative NASNTI Grant to increase academic success, career preparation and mental health counseling for students





President Ron Ramming





## EAST CENTRAL UNIVERSITY

www.ecok.edu

#### **4,015** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Education
- Parks/Recreation/Fitness
- Business Management, Administration
- Psychology

President Wendell L. Godwin

#### **Distinctions**

- 100% teacher certification assessment pass rate
- 100% acceptance rate into law school
- 75% acceptance rate into medical school

## EASTERN OKLAHOMA STATE COLLEGE

www.eosc.edu

#### **1,543** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Health Professions
- Business Management, Administration
- Agriculture
- Education



Janet Wansick

#### **Distinctions**

- · National Championships awarded to meats iudging team
- Awarded \$4 million NASNTI grant with Connors State College
- · Launch of online LPN to RN program



# LANGSTON UNIVERSITY

#### **2,102** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Health Professions
- Education
- Business Management, Administration
- Psychology

**Distinctions** 

professions

Liberal Arts/General Studies

President Ruth Ray Jackson

## **2,867** enrolled in 2022-23

MURRAY STATE COLLEGE

## Top Majors in 2022-23

- Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Health Professions

www.mscok.edu

- Business Management, Administration
- Education
- Agriculture



#### **Distinctions**

- First independent, legislatively created state college in Oklahoma to offer a bachelor's degree
- The first and only bachelor's degree in gunsmithing in America
- Received a Climate SMART Grant in partnership with the Chickasaw Nation



Building in Tulsa, supporting nursing and health



#### NORTHEASTERN OKLAHOMA A&M COLLEGE

www.neo.edu

#### **2,127** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Health Professions
- Education
- Psychology
- Business Management, Administration



Kyle J. Stafford

President

Bo Hannaford

#### President

#### www.nsuok.edu

#### **8,108** enrolled in 2022-23

NORTHEASTERN STATE UNIVERSITY

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Education
- Business Management, Administration
- Health Professions
- Psychology

Rodney Hanley

President

Mautra Jones

#### Distinctions

- Only college of optometry in the state; one of only 24 in the nation
- · Listed as a Military Friendly® school by Silver Designation
- Enrolled more Native American students than any other university in the U.S.

# NORTHEASTERN

#### NORTHERN OKLAHOMA COLLEGE

www.noc.edu

#### **4,859** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Business Management, Administration
- · Health Professions
- Education
- Social Sciences

President Diana Watkins

#### Distinctions

- · Partnered with Northwestern Oklahoma State University to offer a fast-track course of study for elementary education degree
- Tonkawa livestock judging team won the national championship in 2023
- 100% nursing exam pass rate



#### Distinctions

- Free traditional dorm room scholarship for Oklahoma's Promise recipients
- Offer seven high-demand STEM and critical occupation associate degree programs
  • Over 600 residential students from 31 states and
- 11 countries

#### NORTHWESTERN OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY

www.nwosu.edu

#### **2,179** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Education
- Business Management, Administration
- Health Professions
- Psychology

#### **Distinctions**

- Raised nearly \$1 million toward renovation of Herod Hall, the second oldest campus building where key administrative offices and auditorium are housed
- 2023 two-month end-of-year giving campaign was the most successful to date, totaling nearly \$160,000
- Student athlete named First Team All-American, Great American Conference Athlete of the Year and Central Region Player of the Year for basketball



#### OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

www.occc.edu

#### **16,514** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Health Professions
- Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Business Management, Administration
- · Computer, Information Sciences
- Psychology

#### **Distinctions**

- · Leader in micro-credentials in Oklahoma, currently offering more than 50
- · Partnering with the Mexican consulate in OKC to operate the Educational Guidance Window
- Cyber information/security program designated as a Center of Academic Excellence in Cybersecurity by the National Security Agency



#### OKLAHOMA PANHANDLE STATE UNIVERSITY

www.opsu.edu

#### **1,568** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Health Professions
- Business Management, Administration
- · Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Agriculture
- Parks/Recreation/Fitness



President Julie Dinger

#### **Distinctions**

- · Student named national collegiate champion for Division 4 skeet shooting
- Head women's rodeo coach named Coach of the Year for the Central Plains Rodeo Region for third consecutive year
- · Student won first place at the American Cured Meat Championship in the University Cured Specialty Product category



NHANDLE STATE



#### OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY

www.okstate.edu

#### **38,867** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Business Management, Administration
- Engineering
- Agriculture
- Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Biological Sciences

#### **Distinctions**

- Historic freshman enrollment and largest university system enrollment in Oklahoma
- Improving access to workforce development education through OSU Polytech
- Home to the nation's first tribally affiliated medical school, OSU College of Osteopathic Medicine at the Cherokee Nation



#### REDLANDS COMMUNITY COLLEGE

www.redlandscc.edu

#### **2,183** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies
- Health Professions
- Business Management, Administration
- Agriculture



President Jena Marr

President

Jeanie Webb

#### **Distinctions**

- Phi Theta Kappa chapter selected as Most Distinguished Chapter among over 1,200 chapters internationally
- Livestock Judging Team named Junior College Intercollegiate Team of the Year, with four members named All-Americans
- 12-time national-qualifying academic team invited to the Intercollegiate Championship Tournament



# ROGERS STATE UNIVERSITY www.rsu.edu

#### **3,918** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Business Management, Administration
- · Health Professions
- Social Sciences
- Biological Sciences

President

Kayse Shrum

President Larry Rice

## Larry R

#### **Distinctions**

- First class of chemical engineering students began in fall 2023
- First cohort of nursing students at the St. Francis Hospital extended campus began in Jan. 2024
- The Foundation exceeded \$1 million in annual student scholarships awarded in 2023



#### ROSE STATE COLLEGE

www.rose.edu

#### **8,807** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Health Professions
- Business Management, Administration
- Protective services
- Social Sciences

#### **Distinctions**

- Offering RSC's first Bachelor of Applied Technology in Cybersecurity, pending HLC accreditation
- Received 2023-24 Military Friendly® designation
- Partnered with the OKC Air Logistics Complex at Tinker Air Force Base to advance STEM education, enhance additive manufacturing instruction

**ROSE STATE COLLEGE** 



# SEMINOLE STATE COLLEGE www.sscok.edu

#### **1,955** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Biological Sciences
- Business Management, Administration
- Health Professions
- Education

#### **Distinctions**

- Physical therapist assistant program graduates achieved 100% licensure pass rate, job placement rate for two consecutive years
- Construction nearing completion for a new campus wellness center
- Partnering with local high schools to help students graduate high school and earn an associate degree



#### SOUTHEASTERN OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY

#### www.se.edu

#### **7,152** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Education
- Business Management, Administration
- Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Parks/Recreation/Fitness
- Engineering



President Thomas W. Newsom

#### **Distinctions**

- The fastest growing university in Oklahoma, reaching record enrollment in 2023-24
- Expanding workforce opportunities through partnerships with local, state, federal, tribal agencies
- Student body includes 50% first-generation students and 28% students of Native American descent, with 82% receiving financial aid



## SOUTHWESTERN OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY

#### www.swosu.edu

#### **5,879** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Health Professions
- Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies
- Business Management, Administration
- · Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Education

#### **Distinctions**

- Ranked #33 Top Public University in the West by U.S. News and World Report 2024
- Ranked #128 in the nation for Best Online Bachelor's Program by U.S. News and World Report 2024
- Ranked #61 in Safest College Campuses in America by Niche 2024



President

Lana Reynolds

President Diana Lovell

#### TULSA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

#### www.tulsacc.edu

#### **20,119** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Liberal Árts/General Studies
- Health Professions
- Business Management, Administration
- Social Sciences
- Engineering

President Leigh B. Goodson

#### Distinctions

- Largest Oklahoma community college; grants the most associate degrees and certificates in the state
- Serves more Oklahomans than any other college or university in the state
- Tulsa Achieves scholarship pays tuition/fees for eligible graduating seniors living in Tulsa County









## UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL OKLAHOMA

www.uco.edu

**14,393** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Business Management, Administration
- Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Education
- Health Professions
- Psychology

President

Todd G. Lamb

President

Kayla Hale

#### **Distinctions**

- Opened on-campus makerspace and crime scene house to support STEM programs
- · Received \$2.45 million in ARPA grant funding to support 120 teachers to complete master's degrees
- · Launched doctorate in forensic science, the first doctoral degree in school history



#### UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA www.ou.edu

#### **35,434** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- · Business Management, Administration
- Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Engineering
- Communications
- Biological Sciences

Joseph Harroz Jr.

President

**Chad Wiginton** 

#### **Distinctions**

- Enrolled the largest, most diverse freshman class in OU's history
- Second year to be ranked among top 8% of research universities nationally for research expenditures
- With NCI renewal, OU Health Stephenson Cancer Center remains Oklahoma's only NCI-designated cancer center



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#### UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE & ARTS OF OKLAHOMA www.usao.edu

#### **944** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Business Management. Administration
- Visual & Performing Arts
- Education
- Parks/Recreation/Fitness

#### Distinctions

- · Ranked in the Top 20 of Top Public Schools by U.S. News and World Report 2024
- Awarded a five-year, \$1.9 million U.S. Department of Education NASNTI grant
- 19% increase in STEM majors since 2020



#### WESTERN OKLAHOMA STATE COLLEGE

#### www.wosc.edu

#### **1,665** enrolled in 2022-23

#### Top Majors in 2022-23

- Liberal Arts/General Studies
- Health Professions
- Business Management, Administration
- Education
- Agriculture

#### Distinctions

- Open Educational Resources initiative allows access to course materials for 27 courses, saving students \$81,623 for the spring 2023 semester
- Rural Utilities Service grant for partnerships with rural schools and concurrent students
- Eight time NJCAA College World Series qualifiers and 45 College National Finals Rodeo qualifiers





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