**Admissions**

**Requirements**
Graduation from secondary school required; GED accepted. General college-preparatory program required. 4 units of English, 4 units of mathematics, 3 units of lab science, and 3 units of social studies required. 2 units of foreign language and 1 unit of core courses as prescribed by Ohio Core recommended. Completion of Ohio core curriculum, minimum 2.0 GPA, and minimum composite ACT score of 15 (combined SAT Reasoning score of 740) recommended. Audition required of music, dance, and theatre program applicants. SAT Reasoning or ACT required. No policy for SAT or ACT writing component. TOEFL required of international applicants. Campus visit recommended. Admission may be deferred up to one year. Application fee $30 (may be waived in cases of financial need), nonrefundable.

**Basis for Candidate Selection**

**Academic:** Secondary school record and standardized test scores very important. Class rank important. Recommendations considered.

**Non-academic:** State residence considered.

**Admissions Procedure**
Normal sequence: No application deadline. Notification of admission is sent on a rolling basis beginning August 1. Reply is required by May 1 or within four weeks if notified thereafter. $150 room deposit, refundable if withdrawn before May 1.

Transfers: Transfer students are accepted. In fall 2016, 1,522 transfer applications were received, 1,384 were accepted. Application deadline is August 1 for fall; December 1 for spring. Minimum nine semester hours required to apply as a transfer. College transcript required. Minimum 2.0 college GPA required. Lowest course grade accepted is “D.” At least 15 semester hours must be completed at the school to earn an associate degree; 30 to earn a bachelor’s degree. Students who have completed the Ohio Transfer Module have completed the general education requirements for the school.

International Students: 463 degree-seeking undergraduate students enrolled, 63 countries represented. Minimum 61 TOEFL (70 Internet-based) score required. Separate application required. Application deadline is May 15 for fall.

Learning Disabled Students: Child Study Team report, diagnostic test, and personal interview required. Specific support program available. Untimed standardized tests accepted. Lowest grade average accepted is “D.” Lighter course load and additional time to complete degree permitted.

Placement Options: Credit may be granted for CLEP subject exams, DANTES exams, military experience, life experience, Excelsior College credit by Examination, and International Baccalaureate. Credit and placement may be granted for challenge exams.

**Freshman Class Profile**
For fall 2016, 95% of 5,897 applicants were offered admission. 41% of those accepted matriculated.

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**FINANCIAL**

**Expenses**
Tuition (2017-18): $8,730 per year (state residents), $17,608 (out-of-state).
(Tuition includes fees. Room and board figures are estimated.)

**Financial Aid**
Needs analysis based on federal methodology. FAFSA: Priority filing date is December 1. Notification of awards begins February 1. In 2016, the average aid package of full-time undergraduates with financial need was $10,444;
\$10,440 for full-time freshmen. 2% of students receiving financial aid participated in Federal Work-Study Program. 70% of 2016 graduates incurred an average debt of \$30,790. Of full-time undergraduates receiving need-based financial aid, an average of 58% of need was met.

Scholarships and Grants

Need-based Federal Pell, SEOG, state, college/university, private, Federal Nursing, Choose Ohio First, and UNCF scholarships/grants. Non-need-based state, academic merit, creative arts/performance, special achievements/activities, special characteristics, athletic, underrepresented populations, and ROTC scholarships/grants. Individual scholarship/grant packages range up to \$49,214 (undergraduates); \$225 to \$45,101 (freshmen). On average, 162 non-need-based athletic scholarships are awarded with an average amount of \$10,594. In 2016, \$37,487,753 in need-based scholarshippingrants and \$9,756,342 in non-need-based scholarships/grants was awarded. 4% of all gift aid was awarded to out-of-state students.

Student Employment

14% of full-time undergraduates work on campus during school year. Institutional employment. Students may expect to earn an average of \$8 an hour. Off-campus part-time employment opportunities rated “excellent.”

ACADEMIC

Accreditation

 Accredited by NCACS; professionally by AACSB, ABET, APA, CAHME, CAATE, CACREP, CCNE, NASM, NCATE, NEHSPAC, and NLN.

Instructional Faculty

Full-time: 357 men, 295 women; part-time: 212 men, 246 women. FTE Student-Faculty ratio: 17 to 1.

Degree Offerings


Mayors Leading to Bachelor’s Degree


Academic Requirements

Core curriculum required. Minimum 2.0 GPA must be maintained. Minimum 2.0 GPA required for graduation.

Academic Programs


Facilities


Academic Experience

66% of freshmen return for their sophomore year. Average GPA of freshmen after first year is 2.7 on a 4.0 scale. 36% of freshmen graduate within six years. The most popular majors among recent graduates were organizational leadership, nursing, and mechanical engineering. 85% of graduates are employed in major field within six months.

Guidance Facilities/Student Services

Remedial learning services. Non-remedial tutoring. Placement service. Health service. Women’s center. Day care. Health insurance. Many career, counseling, international, LD, and handicapped student services. 100% of campus is accessible to the physically handicapped.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Athletics

Intercollegiate baseball, basketball, cross-country, diving, golf, soccer, swimming, tennis for men. Intercollegiate basketball, cross-country, soccer, softball, swimming, tennis, track and field (indoor/outdoor), volleyball for women. Many men’s and women’s club and intramural/recreational sports. 2% of students participate in intercollegiate sports. 8% of students participate in intramural sports. Member of Horizon League (Division I).

Student Activities and Organizations

Student government, newspaper (Guardian, published weekly), literary magazine, radio station, television station. 13 honor societies. Many religious, minority, and international student groups. Music, theatre, political, service, and special-interest groups. A total of 237 registered organizations. 11 fraternities; 12 sororities. 4% of men join a fraternity and 7% of women join a sorority.

GENERAL

Housing

Students may live on or off campus. Coed and Honors dormitories; student and institutional apartments; married student and disabled student housing; STEM Living Learning communities. 20% of all undergraduates (54% of all freshmen) live in school-owned-operated-affiliated housing.

Regulations and Policies

Alcohol prohibited on campus. Class attendance policies set by individual instructors. Hazing and smoking prohibited. All students may have cars on campus; 63% of students have cars.

Environment/Transportation

557-acre, suburban campus in Dayton (population: 140,489); branch campus in Celina (211 acres). Served by air and bus. Public transportation serves campus.

Calendar

Semester system; classes begin in late August, early January, and May. Three summer sessions, one of 11 weeks and two of seven weeks each. Orientation for new students held in May, June, July, and August.