

Duquesne University

Pittsburgh, PA

Duquesne University was founded in 1878 by the priests and brothers of the Congregation of the Holy Ghost, the Spiritans, and is still a church-affiliated university. Duquesne carries on a more-than-century-old tradition of providing a unique liberal and professional education with an emphasis on moral values, a dedication to quality teaching and a commitment to service. Today, Duquesne University serves more than 9,700 undergraduate and graduate students, offering more than 150 programs on the bachelor's, master's and doctoral levels in its nine schools. Attesting to the excellence of a Duquesne education are its selection as one of the top 10 Catholic Universities in the United States by "U.S. News and World Report" and its listing as one of "Money" magazine's 150 Best Buys in American Higher Education. Duquesne is listed as "very competitive" by "Barron's Profiles of American Colleges." Duquesne Programs are offered through the College of Liberal Arts and the Schools of Business Administration, Education, Health Sciences, Music, Natural and Environmental Sciences, Nursing and Pharmacy. Its 43-acre campus overlooks downtown Pittsburgh.

Website: www.duq.edu/



Private



Co-ed

6,013

Undergraduate
Students

(63.6%)  3,822 Women

(36.4%)  2,191 Men



3,261

Graduate
Students

Admission

Entrance Difficulty	Moderately difficult
Overall Admission Rate	72% of 7,505 applicants were admitted
Early Action Offered	Yes
Early Decision Offered	No
Regular Admission Deadline	December 1

Qualifications of Enrolled Freshmen

Average GPA	3.76
SAT Math	560-640 range of middle 50%
SAT EBRW	613 average 580-640 range of middle 50%
ACT Composite	27 average 24-29 range of middle 50%

Money Matters

Cost of Attendance	\$56,680
Tuition and Fees	\$39,992
Room and Board	\$13,088
Average Percent of Need Met	77%
Average Freshman Award	\$26,632
Average Indebtedness of 2018 Graduates	\$44,228


Academics

Academic Calendar System	Semester
General Education/Core Curriculum	Required for most or all students
Full-Time Faculty Teaching Undergraduates	505
Regular Class Size	2-9 students: 12% of classes 10-19 students: 29% of classes 20-29 students: 26% of classes 30-39 students: 20% of classes 40-49 students: 4% of classes 50-99 students: 5% of classes Over 100 students: 3% of classes


Campus Life

Pittsburgh Population	306,211
Nearest Metropolitan Area	Pittsburgh
Freshman Housing Guarantee	Freshmen are guaranteed housing
Students in College Housing	60% of all students
Athletic Conferences	NCAA Division I
Mascot	Duke the Bear
Sororities	24% of women participate
Fraternities	17% of men participate


Students

Ethnicity of Students from U.S.	0.1% American Indian/Alaskan Native 3.5% Asian 5.4% Black/African-American 3.8% Hispanic/Latino 3.3% Multi-race (not Hispanic/Latino) 0.1% Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander 82.9% White 1.0% Unknown
International Students	2.9% from 44 countries
First-Year Students Returning	84.0%
Students Graduating Within 4 Years	67.9%
Graduates Offered Full-Time Employment Within 6 Months	57%
Graduates Pursuing Advanced Study Directly	29.0%