

**University of Missouri - Columbia**

Columbia, MO

The University of Missouri - Columbia, founded in 1839, is a comprehensive, public institution. Affectionately known as "Mizzou," the university offers a general education core consisting of two nine-hour clusters of coursework outside the major. Freshmen Interest Groups (FIGS) and residence hall-based learning communities bring together students with similar interests. The university's 1,377-acre campus is located in Columbia, 33 miles north of Jefferson City.

 Website: [missouri.edu/](http://missouri.edu/)


Public



Co-ed

**22,616**

 Undergraduate  
 Students

**(53.1%)**  12,010 Women

**(46.9%)**  10,606 Men

**7,430**

 Graduate  
 Students

**Admission**

Entrance Difficulty	<b>Moderately difficult</b>
Overall Admission Rate	<b>81% of 20,015 applicants were admitted</b>
Early Action Offered	<b>No</b>
Early Decision Offered	<b>No</b>
Regular Admission Deadline	<b>Rolling</b>

**Qualifications of Enrolled Freshmen**

Average GPA	<b>Not reported</b>
SAT Math	<b>560-680 range of middle 50%</b>
SAT EBRW	<b>560-660 range of middle 50%</b>
ACT Composite	<b>23-29 range of middle 50%</b>

**Money Matters**

Cost of Attendance	<b>In-state: \$26,923 Out-of-state: \$44,794</b>
Tuition and Fees	<b>In-state: \$10,477 Out-of-state: \$28,348</b>
Room and Board	<b>\$10,310</b>
Average Percent of Need Met	<b>66%</b>
Average Freshman Award	<b>\$14,100</b>
Average Indebtedness of 2019 Graduates	<b>\$28,003</b>


**Academics**

Academic Calendar System	Semester
General Education/Core Curriculum	<b>Required for most or all students</b>
Full-Time Faculty Teaching Undergraduates	<b>1,216</b>
Regular Class Size	<b>2-9 students: 19% of classes</b> <b>10-19 students: 27% of classes</b> <b>20-29 students: 24% of classes</b> <b>30-39 students: 11% of classes</b> <b>40-49 students: 4% of classes</b> <b>50-99 students: 8% of classes</b> <b>Over 100 students: 7% of classes</b>


**Campus Life**

Columbia Population	<b>115,276</b>
Nearest Metropolitan Area	<b>Not reported</b>
Freshman Housing Guarantee	<b>Freshmen are guaranteed housing</b>
Students in College Housing	
Athletic Conferences	<b>NCAA Division I</b>
Mascot	<b>Tiger</b>
Sororities	<b>31% of women participate</b>
Fraternities	<b>24% of men participate</b>


**Students**

Ethnicity of Students from U.S.	<b>0.2% American Indian/Alaskan Native</b> <b>2.7% Asian</b> <b>7.3% Black/African-American</b> <b>4.8% Hispanic/Latino</b> <b>4.2% Multi-race (not Hispanic/Latino)</b> <b>0.1% Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander</b> <b>79.5% White</b> <b>0.9% Unknown</b>
International Students	<b>2.2% from 47 countries</b>
First-Year Students Returning	<b>88.0%</b>
Students Graduating Within 4 Years	<b>48.2%</b>
Graduates Offered Full-Time Employment Within 6 Months	<b>64%</b>
Graduates Pursuing Advanced Study Directly	<b>Not reported</b>