



SAINT STATS

2023-2024



FOUNDED

The **University of St. Francis** is a private, Catholic university founded in 1920 by the Sisters of St. Francis of Mary Immaculate (the "Joliet Franciscans").

LOCATION

USF's quaint, residential campus is located in **Joliet, Illinois**, just 35 miles southwest of Chicago. The main campus is situated in the historic Cathedral Area, and is connected to USF's St. Bonaventure and St. Clare campuses by a convenient shuttle service. Joliet is easily accessible by major interstates (I-55 & I-80), by rail, and by air through Chicago's Midway and O'Hare Airports. USF also operates a small campus in **Albuquerque, New Mexico**, which is home to the USF Physician Assistant program.

USF

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Stats based on data from the previous year.

ATHLETICS

WOMEN'S



MEN'S



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ATHLETES

413

CUMULATIVE GPA
3.31

MEMBER OF
NAIA, CCAC, Mid-States

SCHOOL COLORS
BROWN & GOLD

NICKNAME
Fighting Saints

MASCOT
Bernie the St. Bernard



CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS

38 Student Clubs & Organizations

19 Academic Honor Societies

2 Greek Organizations:
Alpha Phi sorority & Alpha Psi Lambda fraternity

SERVICE & PEER SUPPORT

Academic Tutors, COBHA Servant Leaders, Multicultural Assistants, Peer Ministers, Resident Assistants, Saints Ambassadors

MUSIC ENSEMBLES

INSTRUMENTAL: Band of Saints pep band, DARA OS (electronic), Jazz Combo, Joliet Symphony Orchestra
VOCAL: Claritas Master Chorale

STUDENT MEDIA

The Encounter student magazine, WCSF Radio (88.7 FM), WCSF-TV

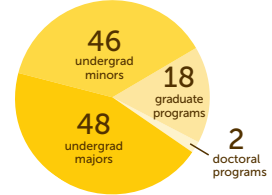
FACULTY

FULL-TIME **83**
PART-TIME **215**

75% have a terminal degree.



ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

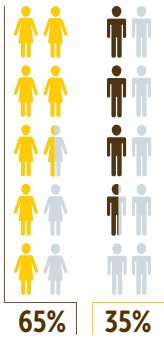


Plus 33 credit-bearing certificates.

TOTAL ENROLLMENT

3,185

1,084 Undergrad full-time
54 Undergrad part-time
1,879 Graduate/Doctoral
168 Adult Undergraduate



52%

of first-year students are **FIRST-GEN**

CAUCASIAN 47%
HISPANIC 32%
AFRICAN AMERICAN 10%
OTHER or UNKNOWN 8%
ASIAN 4%

25% and 36% of undergrads of first-years **LIVE ON CAMPUS**

THE UNIVERSITY OF ST. FRANCIS IS A DESIGNATED **HISPANIC-SERVING INSTITUTION**

ACCREDITATIONS

THE UNIVERSITY

» Accredited by Higher Learning Commission (hlcommission.org)
» Authorized to operate by Illinois Board of Higher Education (ilbhe.org)



THE FOUR COLLEGES

» Accreditation Council for Business Schools & Programs
» Illinois State Board of Education
» Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education
» Plus numerous program-specific accreditations.

CLASS SIZE

Average class size: **13.1**

91% have 25 or less
83% have 20 or less
60% have 15 or less
5% have 30 or more

STUDENT PROFILES



FIRST-YEAR **2,091** TRANSFER **1,378**

47

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

APPLICATIONS FOR ADMISSION	2,091	1,378
ADMITTED	1,172	569
ENROLLED	214	236
AVERAGE GPA	3.60 (H.S.)	3.23
AVERAGE SAT/ACT	1120/24	---

USF offers business degrees and art courses to students in **China, the Czech Republic and Vietnam**. USF students can also explore several **study abroad** opportunities.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS COME TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ST. FRANCIS FROM 23 COUNTRIES:



CAREER SUCCESS



The Career Success Center offers students and alumni resume reviews, mock interviews, strength assessments, internship help, career and internship fairs, and more.

TECHNOLOGY



USF offers online learning delivery and support, universal wi-fi across all campuses, and 100% of classrooms are multimedia classrooms.

ALUMNI

54,000+ in 50 states & 27 countries.



1,200+ students and alumni in the Student-Alumni Mentoring program (SAM).

SCHOLARSHIPS

There are over **100** scholarship and grant opportunities for students. Annual scholarships for first-years **up to full tuition/transfers up to \$13,000**. Annual Phi Theta Kappa scholarships **up to \$15,000**. **Over \$60,000** was awarded to students through donor-funded scholarships.



MISSION & FAITH

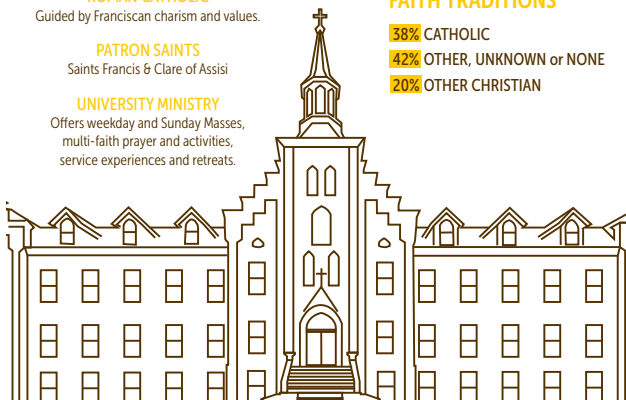
ROMAN CATHOLIC
Guided by Franciscan charism and values.

PATRON SAINTS
Saints Francis & Clare of Assisi

UNIVERSITY MINISTRY
Offers weekday and Sunday Masses, multi-faith prayer and activities, service experiences and retreats.

FAITH TRADITIONS

58% CATHOLIC
42% OTHER, UNKNOWN or NONE
20% OTHER CHRISTIAN



FINANCIAL AID >>> 98%

of full-time undergraduate students received financial assistance.

\$22M

USF scholarships and grants awarded to undergraduates.

\$21M

Undergraduate assistance from federal, state and other sources

FIRST-YEARS

AVERAGE ASSISTANCE PACKAGE
\$28,434 residents | \$24,209 commuters

TRANSFERS

AVERAGE ASSISTANCE PACKAGE
\$25,294 residents | \$18,393 commuters

TUITION & HOUSING COSTS

\$37,000

per year for tuition.

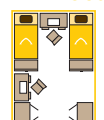
\$420-\$799

per credit hour for adult undergraduate, graduate and doctoral programs.

451 BEDS

in single and double rooms, suites, and apartments in three residence halls. Residences in Marian Hall and Motherhouse are air-conditioned. All halls offer wireless and wired Internet in rooms and free, coinless laundry. Meal plans provided to those living on campus.

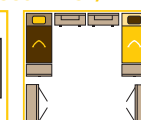
HOUSING FEES (DOUBLE OCCUPANCY)



MARIAN HALL: \$11,980



MOTHERHOUSE: \$12,160



TOWER HALL: \$11,160

SOCIAL MEDIA



FACEBOOK

USF Official: /StFrancis
Alumni: /alumniUSF
Athletics: /USFFightingSaints



INSTAGRAM

USF Official: /uofstfrancis
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Student Life: /usfdean
Student Activities: /usf_sab



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SAINTS CENTRAL

Students can download the university's **Saints Central app** by Suitable to find out more about what's happening on campus!

STUDENT MEDIA

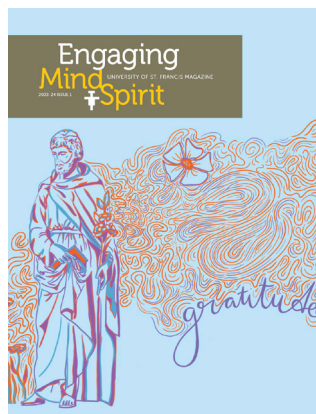


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PUBLICATIONS



COMMUNITY IMPACT NEWSLETTER

A quarterly newsletter that demonstrates the positive impact USF has on the local community and beyond.

USF HEADLINES

Join USF for Ambassador Day on October 17th



Ambassador Day at the University of St. Francis is a special opportunity for community leaders, elected officials and university partners to become more engaged in the university's mission and further understand the importance of USF within our community. During the event, attendees hear the State of the University Address by USF President Arvid C. Johnson, Ph.D. while enjoying a wonderful breakfast.

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UNDERGRADUATE MAJORS

Accounting & Business Analysis (BBA)

Art & Design (B.A.)

- Graphic Design
- Photography
- Studio Art

Biochemistry (B.S.)

- Pre-Dental
- Pre-Medicine
- Pre-Optometry
- Pre-Pharmacy

Biology (B.S.)

- Pre-Athletic Training
- Pre-Dental
- Pre-Medicine
- Pre-Occupational Therapy
- Pre-Optometry
- Pre-Pharmacy
- Pre-Physical Therapy
- Pre-Physician Assistant
- Pre-Veterinary Medicine

Biology with Biology/Science Concentration and Professional Educator License—Secondary Education (B.S.)

Business Analytics (B.S.)

Communication & Media Arts (B.A.)

- Advertising & Marketing
- Audio
- Journalism & Public Communication
- Media Studies
- Video
- Visual Communication

Computer Science (B.S.)

Criminal & Social Justice (B.A.)

- Forensics
- Language & Cultural Diversity
- Law & Politics
- Leadership
- Psychology
- Social Work

Digital Audio Recording Arts (B.S.)

- Audio Engineer
- Computer Science
- Music Industry Entrepreneur
- Recording Artist
- User Generated Content

Digital Humanities (B.A.)

Economics (BBA)

Elementary Education (B.A.)

English (B.A.)

- Comparative Literature
- English Literature
- Writing

English with English/Language Arts Concentration and Professional Educator License—Secondary Education (B.A.)

Entrepreneurship (BBA)

Finance (BBA)

- Banking & Credit Analysis
- Entrepreneurial & Small Business Finance
- Financial Planning
- General Financial Management

Health Care Management (BBA)

History (B.A.)

- European History
- Non-Western
- United States
- Optional: International Relations

History with History/Social Science Concentration and Professional Educator License—Secondary Education (B.A.)

Individualized Major (B.A.)

Industrial & Organizational Psychology (B.A.)

Information Technology (B.S.)

Information Technology & Network Specialist (B.S.)

International Business (BBA)

Liberal Studies (B.A.)

Marketing (BBA)

Mathematics (B.S.)

- Actuarial Science
- Data Science
- Mathematical Sciences

Mathematics & Computer Science (B.S.)

Mathematics with Professional Educator License—Secondary Education (B.S.)

Medical Laboratory Science (B.S.)

Middle Grades Education (B.A.)

- General Science
- Language Arts
- Mathematics
- Social Science

Nuclear Medicine Technology (B.S.)

Nursing (BSN)

Political Science (B.A.)

- American Politics
- Pre-Law
- Public Policy

Psychology (B.A.)

Radiation Therapy (B.S.)

Radiography (B.S.)

Recreation & Sport Management (B.A.)

- Community Recreation & Park Resources
- Recreation Therapy
- Sport Operations Management

Secondary Education

The major is obtained in the teaching field of study; see Biology, English, History and Mathematics with Professional Educator License majors listed under College of Arts & Sciences.

Social Work (BSW)

Special Education (B.A.)

Optional elementary endorsement is available.

Substance Abuse Counseling (B.A.)

Supply Chain Management (BBA)

Theology (B.A.)

- Pastoral Ministry
- Teaching Ministry

Values-Based Management (BBA)

Visual Arts with Professional Educator License (B.A.)

Web Application Development (B.S.)

UNDERGRADUATE MINORS

- Accounting
- Art & Design
- Art & Design - Photography
- Biology
- Business
- Business Analytics
- Chemistry
- Communication & Media Arts
- Computer Science
- Criminal & Social Justice
- Cybersecurity & Crime
- Data Science
- Digital Audio Recording Arts
- Economics
- Entrepreneurship
- Environmental Science
- Environmental Studies
- Finance
- Fine Arts History
- Foreign Language
- Franciscan Service
- Gerontology
- History
- Industrial & Organizational Psychology
- Information Technology
- International Business
- International Studies
- Leadership Studies
- Literature
- Marketing
- Mathematics
- Music
- Philosophy
- Political Science
- Psychology
- Recreation Therapy
- Social Work
- Spanish Bi-Literacy
- Sport Communication
- Sport Marketing
- Supply Chain Management
- TESOL (Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages)
- Theology
- User Generated Content
- Values-Based Management
- Writing
- Youth Development

ADULT UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS

Business Administration (B.S.)

Health Care Management (B.S.)

Nursing BSN Completion (BSN)

POST-BACCALAUREATE & CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

- » Graduate Programs
- » Doctoral Programs
- » Undergraduate, Graduate & Post-Graduate Certificate Programs

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