UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT WILMINGTON

http://www.uncw.edu/

Brief Description

A comprehensive university offering programs at the baccalaureate, master's, and doctoral levels. Master's programs are offered in computer science, social work, education, marine biology, business administration, accounting, history, English, creative writing, math, teaching, geology, biology, chemistry, nursing, instructional technology, liberal studies, marine sciences, public administration, and psychology. A doctoral program in marine biology is offered. Instructional programs are organized into a college of arts and sciences, and three professional schools (business, education, and nursing). The university is committed to equality of opportunity and to achieving greater diversity of students, faculty, and staff in all areas of the university community.

History

Established as a two-year institution in 1947 under direction of the New Hanover County Board of Education. Accredited as a junior college in 1952. Became part of the North Carolina Community College System in 1958. Became a public senior college in 1963. Merged into the University of North Carolina in 1969.

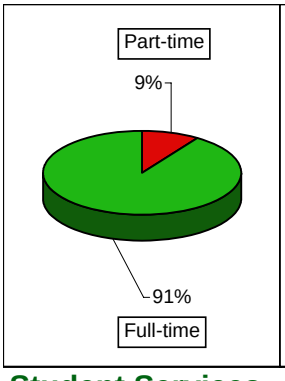
Location

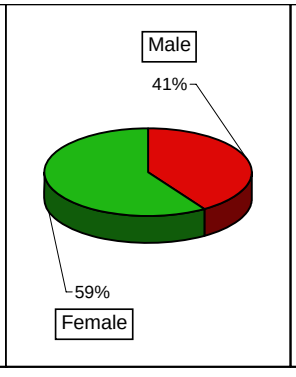
UNC-W is located in Wilmington, an historic port city in the southeastern region of the state. Equidistant between the Cape Fear River and the Atlantic Ocean, campus buildings of modified Georgian architecture are nestled among moss-laden oaks and towering pines.

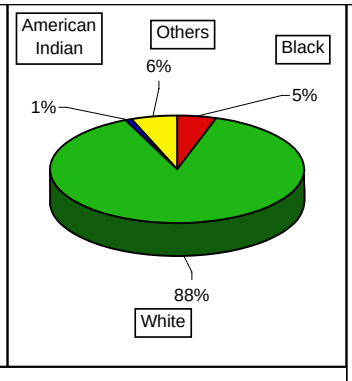
Academic Calendar 2006-2007

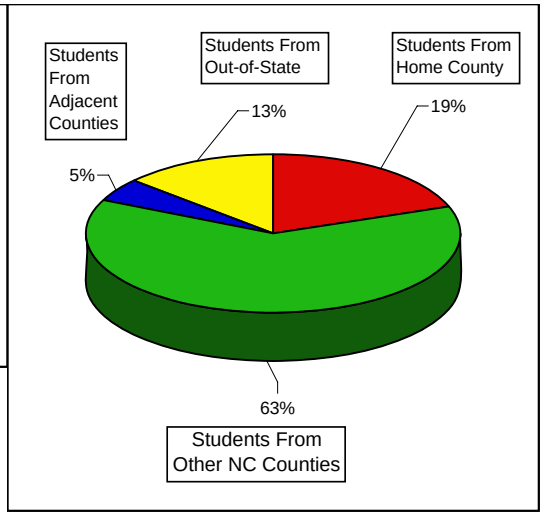
Class Periods				Vacations/Holidays		
Fall Term	Spring Term	Summer Terms	Commencement	Fall Break	Winter Break	Spring Break
8/23-12/15	1/10-5/9	5/17-6/19, 6/26-7/27	12/16, 5/12	10/9-10/10	12/18-1/4	3/5-3/9

Total Enrollment Fall 2005: 11,839
Undergraduate Enrollment Fall 2005: 10,723 (reference for pie charts)









Student Services

Alumni Affairs	Food Service	Intramural & Recreation	Sororities: 13
Career Planning	Disabled Student Serv	Minority Student Services	Student Activities
Counseling	Health Services	Orientation	Student Center
Cultural Programs	Housing	Religious Affairs	Student Records
Discipline/Judiciary	Intercollegiate Athletics	Research	Testing
Fraternities: 13	International Students	Security	Veterans

Est. Annual Student Costs 2006-2007

Tuition	in-state	$2,221
	out-of-state	$12,156
Required Fees		$1,861
Room	(double occupancy)	$4,187
Board	(full meal plan)	$2,590
Books		$1,000
Other Expenses	in-state	$2,000
	out-of-state	$2,000
Total Student Budget		
	in-state	$13,859
	out-of-state	$23,794

Student Financial Aid 2005-2006 (est.)

% of Freshmen Receiving Any Aid	**54%**
% of Freshmen Receiving Any Need-Based Aid	**30%**
% of Full-Time Undergrad. Students Receiving Pell Grants	**21%**

Scholarship Programs: Numerous scholarships and other forms of financial aid available; consult campus catalog and contact Financial Aid Office.

Priority Application Filing Date: Considered on a rolling basis
Earliest Date of Award Notification: March 1
Latest Date of Award Notification: May 1 (if application filed by March 1)

Note: Dates given above are approximate. Actual dates may vary from year to year. Consult campus catalog.

Dir. of Financial Aid & Veterans Services: Ms. Emily Bliss
Telephone Number: 910-962-3177

Freshman Class Profile Fall 2005*

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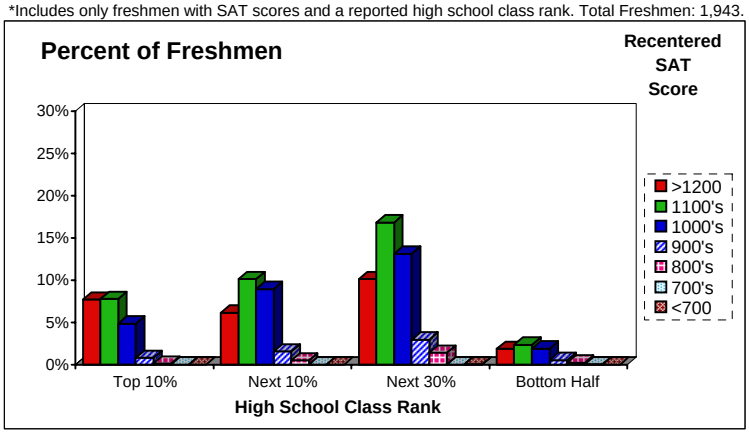
Number of Freshmen:

High School Class Rank	Combined Recentered SAT Score: 1200 or more	1100-1199	1000-1099	900-999	800-899	700-799	<700	Total
Top 10%	124	125	78	13	2	0	0	342
Next 10%	99	163	144	25	8	0	0	439
Next 30%	163	271	211	48	23	0	1	717
Bottom Half	30	38	31	9	4	1	0	113
Total	416	597	464	95	37	1	1	1,611

*Includes only freshmen with SAT scores and a reported high school class rank. Total Freshmen: 1,943.



Bachelor's Degree Programs Offered 2004-2005

Bachelor's Degrees Conferred: 2,206

Discipline Area	Specific Majors (Number of Bachelor's Degrees Conferred)
Agriculture, Ag Operations	
Architecture	
Area, Ethnic Studies	
Biological Sciences	Biology/Biological Sciences(111), Marine Biology & Biological Oceanography(73)
Business, Mgmt., Mktg.	Business Admin & Mgmt(130), Accounting(69), Business/Managerial Economics(15), Finance, General(117), Management Information Systems(34), Marketing/Marketing Management(159)
Communication, Journ.	
Computer & Info Science	Computer Science(36)
Education	Emotional Disturbances(5), Mental Retardation(5), Specific LD(7), Elementary(174), Jr.High(13),Kindergarten(10),English(18),Math(8),Music(3),PE Teaching & Coaching(16), Biology(3), Chemistry(0), French(0), History(6), Physics(0), Spanish(3), Other(0)
Engineering	(2+2 program with NCA&T, NCSU, and UNC-C)
Engineering Technologies	
English Language & Lit	English Language & Lit(107), Creative Writing(24), Speech & Rhetorical Studies(164)
Family & Consumer Sci.	
Foreign Languages, Lit.	French Language & Literature(5), Spanish Language & Literature(26)
Health Professions	Athletic Training(10),Clinical Lab Sci(1),Nursing(59),Therapeutic Recreation(18),Other(0)
History	History,General(46)
Liberal Arts & Sciences	
Mathematics & Statistics	Mathematics, General(10), Statistics, General(2)
Natural Resources	Environmental Studies(23), Environmental Science(13)
Parks, Rec., Leisure & Fit	Parks, Rec & Leisure Facilities Mgmt(32), Health & Physical Education, General(47)
Philosophy & Religious St	Philosophy & Religious Studies, Other(16)
Physical Sciences	Chemistry, General(40), Geology/Earth Science(8), Physics, General(4)
Psychology	Psychology, General(159)
Public Admin & Social Ser	Social Work(41)
Security & Protective Serv	Criminal Justice/Safety Studies(98)
Social Sciences	Anthropology(18), Economics, General(3), Geography(19), Political Science & Government(45), Sociology(33)
Visual & Performing Arts	Drama & Dramatics/Theatre Arts(22), Cinematography & Film/Video Production(55), Fine/Studio Arts(29), Art History, Criticism & Conservation(4), Music, General(6), Music Performance, General(4)

Admission Information

Director of Admissions: **Dr. Terrence Curran**
Telephone Number: **910-962-3876**
Courses required beyond minimum requirement: **None**
Application Fee: **$45**
Earliest date for application to be considered for fall term: **November 1**
Latest date for application to be considered for fall term: **February 1**
Earliest date letters of decision for fall admission are expected to be sent out: **December 1**
Latest date letters of decision for fall admission are expected to be sent out: **April 1**

Note: Dates given above are approximate. Actual dates may vary from year to year. Consult campus catalog.

Accreditation

Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, Commission on Colleges

Facilities

Campus Space 661 acres
Residence Halls 8 residence halls, 19 on-campus apartments, and 7 suite buildings
Special Features Nature Preserve, Beach Proximity

Rates of Retention, Graduation, and Persistence for Fall First-Time Full-Time Freshmen

Retention Rate for Fall 2004 Freshmen:

Freshman to Sophomore	83.2%

Graduation Rates for Fall 1999 Freshmen:

After 4 Years	40.7%
After 5 Years	60.7%
After 6 Years*	63.5%

Persistence Rates for Fall 1999 Freshmen (Graduated or Still Enrolled):

After 4 Years	65.2%
After 5 Years	64.8%
After 6 Years	65.2%

*As required by the Student Right to Know and Campus Security Act of 1990.

Full-Time Faculty Fall 2005

With Doctorate or First Professional Degree	411
Total	493