## NORTH CAROLINA CENTRAL UNIVERSITY

http://www.nccu.edu/

### **Brief Description**

This comprehensive university offers undergraduate and graduate programs leading to the baccalaureate and master's degrees in its College of Arts and Sciences, the Schools of Business, Education, and Library and Information Sciences, as well as the first professional degree in the School of Law. The Graduate School coordinates graduate admissions and enrollment, and the University College coordinates Summer School, Extension, Distance Education, and Degree and Nondegree Credit programs and courses. Continuing its commitment to equal opportunity, North Carolina Central University (NCCU) vigorously recruits, and strives to enroll a larger number of white and other minority students.

# History

Founded by Dr. James E. Shepard in 1909 and chartered as the National Religious Training School and Chautauqua to train community leaders. It operated as a private, non-sectarian institution from 1910 until 1923 when it became the state-supported Durham Normal School. In 1925, it became the nation's first state-supported liberal arts college for black people and was accredited as an "A" class institution in 1937. Renamed North Carolina Central University in 1969 and became a constituent institution of the University of North Carolina System in 1972.

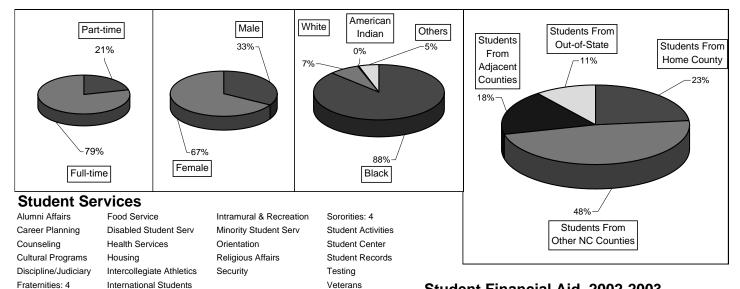
#### Location

Durham is one of the three cities anchoring the internationally renowned Research Triangle Park. More than 198,400 residents live in the city, which has a highly diversified economy. Highlights of Durham economy include medical innovation and high technology.

## Academic Calendar (2003-2004)

Class Periods			Vacations/Holidays			
Fall Term	Spring Term	Summer Terms	Commencement	Fall Break	Winter Break	Spring Break
8/25-12/13	1/5-4/28	5/11-6/16, 6/22-7/26	12/12, 5/1	10/20	12/14-1/4	3/8-3/12

## **Undergraduate Enrollment (Fall 2003):**



## Est. Annual Student Costs (2003-2004)

Tuition	in-state	\$1,653		
	out-of-state	\$11,022		
Required Fees		\$1,149		
Room	(double occupancy)	\$2,464		
Board	(full meal plan)	\$1,847		
Books		\$1,000		
Other Expenses	in-state	\$2,211		
•	out-of-state	\$2,214		
Total Student B	udget			
	in-state	\$10,324		
out-of-state		\$19,696		

## Student Financial Aid, 2002-2003

% of Freshmen Receiving Any Aid
93.0%
% of Freshmen Receiving Any Need-Based Aid
81.0%

% of Full-Time Undergrad. Students Receiving Pell Grants

Pell Grants 70.3%

Scholarship Programs: Numerous scholarships and other forms of financial aid available; consult campus

financial aid available; consult campus catalog and contact Financial Aid Office.

Priority Application Filing Date:March 15Earliest Date of Award Notification:April 1Latest Date of Award Notification:Throughout the year

Note: Dates given above are approximate. Actual dates may vary

from year to year. Consult campus catalog.

**Director of Student Financial Aid:** Mrs. Sharon Oliver Telephone Number: 919-530-5313

### Freshman Class Profile (Fall 2003)\*

<b>Number of Freshme</b>	n:							
	Combined Recentered SAT Score							
High School	1200	1100-	1000-	900-	800-	700-	<700	Total
Class Rank	or more	1199	1099	999	899	799		
Top 10%	4	8	4	8	11	3	0	38
Next 10%	1	6	6	12	20	9	0	54
Next 30%	4	8	13	55	105	97	24	306
Bottom Half	0	12	20	54	132	161	58	437
Total	9	34	43	129	268	270	82	835

Percent of Fres	hmen			Recentered SAT Score
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### **Bachelor's Degree Programs Offered (2002-2003)**

Bachelor's Degrees Conferred: 604

Discipline Area Specific Majors (Number of Bachelor's Degrees Conferred)

Agricultural Bus./Sci.

Conservation & Ren. Environmental Science/Studies(1)

Architecture

Area, Ethnic Studies

Biological Sciences Biology, General(31)

Business Mgmt. Business Admin & Mgmt, Gen(93), Accounting(28), Hospitality/Admin Mgmt(7)

Communications

Computer & Info Sci Computer Science(14)

Education Elementary(32), Jr. High(3), Pre-Elementary(4), Art(3), English(4), Health(9), Home Ec(0), Math(1), Music(5), Physical Ed Teaching & Coaching(0), Biology(0), Chemistry(0), Drama & Dance(1), French(0), History(1), Physics(0), Spanish(1)

Engineering

Visual & Perf Arts Drama/Theater Arts, Gen(10), Art, Gen(13), Music, Gen(6),

Music, General Performance(1)

Foreign Lang & Lit French Language & Literature(1), Spanish Language & Literature(4)

Health Professions Nursing(47), Public Health Ed & Promotion(10)

Home Economics Home Economics, General(37)

Multi/Interdis. Studies

English Lang./Philosophy English Language & Literature, General(20)

Liberal Arts & Sci

Mathematics Mathematics(6)

Physical Sciences Chemistry, General(4), Physics, General(0)

Psychology Psychology, General(28)

Parks, Rec. & Leisure Parks, Rec, & Leisure Facilities Mgmt(9), Health & Phys Ed(10), Athletic Training(4)

Protective Serv/Pub.Admin Criminal Justice Studies(52), Social Work(22)

Social Sciences/History Geography(1), History, Gen(20), Political Science, Gen(52), Sociology(9)

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#### **Admission Information**

Director of Admissions: Ms. Jocelyn L. Foy
Telephone Number: 919-530-6298

Courses required beyond minimum requirement:

None \$30

Application Fee:
Earliest date for application to be considered for fall

term: September 1

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Latest date for application to be considered for fall term:

August 1

Earliest date letters of decision for fall admission are

expected to be sent out: October 15

Latest date letters of decision for fall admission are

expected to be sent out: August 1

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

#### **Advanced Placement Accepted**

Information on Advanced Placement credit granted appears in Appendix A.

#### **Facilities**

Campus Space over 115 acres

Residence Halls 1 men's, 6 coed, 3 women's dorms Special Features Ultra-modern Biomedical/Biotech

> Research Inst., New School of Educ. Bldg., Central library with over 498,000 vols., and the Leroy T. Walker Physical Education & Recreation Complex, an enhanced Sports complex.

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

#### Retention Rate for Fall 2002 Freshmen:

Freshman to Sophomore 78.2%

#### Graduation Rates for Fall 1997 Freshmen:

After 4 Years 28.4%
After 5 Years 43.0%
After 6 Years\* 48.7%

# Persistence Rates for Fall 1997 Freshmen

(Graduated or Still Enrolled):

After 4 Years 57.0%
After 5 Years 55.3%
After 6 Years 54.5%

#### Full-Time Faculty (Fall 2003)

With Doctorate or First Professional Degree 192

Total 250

<sup>\*</sup>As required by the Student Right to Know and Campus Security Act of 1990.