

LAMAR UNIVERSITY

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about our institution



Located in Beaumont, Texas, about 90 miles east of Houston, Lamar University is a public Doctoral Research University with more than 14,000 students enrolled in more than 100 undergraduate and graduate degree programs. Lamar University enjoys close ties across Southeast Texas, the state, the nation, and the world, which allows students to benefit from a variety of experiential learning opportunities.

Accreditation and Honors

Lamar University is accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools to award baccalaureate, master's, and doctorate degrees. Several LU colleges and departments have earned additional specialized accreditations in recognition of the quality of their programs. The College of Business is accredited by the AACSB. Programs in all five of the College of Engineering's disciplines, along with the Department of Computer Science, are ABET accredited. The College of Education and Human Development is accredited by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education.

Student Body

Lamar University has been recognized as one of the most ethnically and economically diverse universities in the country. Students develop personally and professionally through their involvement in the more than 100 student organizations on campus. These include professional, cultural, honor and service-oriented organizations, along with a network of 17 national fraternities and sororities. LU organizations allow for the cultivation of leadership skills in our students and help prepare them for their future careers.

academic programs

A member of the Texas State University System, Lamar University offers more than 100 bachelor's, master's and doctoral degree programs through its five academic colleges - Arts and Sciences, Business, Education and Human Development, Engineering, and Fine Arts and Communication. Students enjoy small class sizes, which foster strong relationships with faculty mentors and classmates. A variety of undergraduate and graduate research and cooperative education programs provide hands-on learning opportunities.

career services

Annual College of Business Career Week

Job Fairs

- Fall Job Fair
- Spring Career Fair
- Educators' Career Fair

Cardinal Career Invitationals

- Engineering and Technical Invitational
- Meet the Firms (Accounting)

On/Off-Campus Recruitment Efforts

On-Campus Interviewing

On-Campus Information Sessions

Professional Development Programs

- Passport Through Lamar
- Professional Workshops