

Fast Facts

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Founded: March 8, 1888

President: Stan L. Albrecht
(Feb. 1, 2005-present)

Location/Profile:

Logan, Utah:

- Population: Logan— 47,660
Cache County — 109,022
- Elevation: 4,778 feet (Logan campus)
- Average summer highs: 85 degrees
- Average winter highs: 34 degrees
- Free public transportation for Logan campus, Logan city; Cache Valley
- 81 miles northeast of Salt Lake City
- 5 hours south of Yellowstone National Park
- 1 hour drive to four ski resorts
- 10 minute drive to Logan Canyon

Campus size:

- Main campus: 400 acres
- Statewide university-owned acreage: 7,000

Regional Campuses and Distance

Education (RCDE) and Extension:

- Branch Campuses: 3 (Brigham City, Tooele, Uintah Basin)
- Education Centers: 58 throughout Utah
- Extension Offices: 29 (all of Utah's counties)

Workforce:

- Faculty members: 863
- Full-time support staff: 2,612

Enrollment:

- Total: 23,925
- Full-time: 13,737
- Part-time: 10,188

Gender:

- Male: 11,154
- Female: 12,771

Student Representation:

- All 29 counties in Utah (16,953)
- All 50 states (3,275)
- 74 international countries (1,379)

Ages:

- Average undergraduate age: 22.3
- Average graduate age: 33.8

Academics:

- Undergraduate majors: 173
- Graduate degrees: 133 (95 master's; 38 doctoral)
- Student/faculty ratio: 17 to 1
- Average undergraduate class size: 20-29 students
- Faculty who teach undergraduates: 49.7%
- Faculty holding doctorate or terminal degrees: 76%
- Faculty who worked with undergraduates on a research project in the past two years: 63.5%
- Graduation success rate for student athletes: 82% — leads Western Athletic Conference
- Study abroad opportunities: 150 in 40 countries
- Students who study abroad each year: 350

Most Popular Majors:

- Biology
- Elementary Education
- Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering
- Business Administration
- Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Student Life:

- Student clubs: 200+
- Living in USU student housing (one or more semesters): 30%

Graduation Plans for the Class of 2008:

- Graduate or professional school: 30%
- Seek immediate employment: 59%
- Other/undecided: 11%

Alumni:

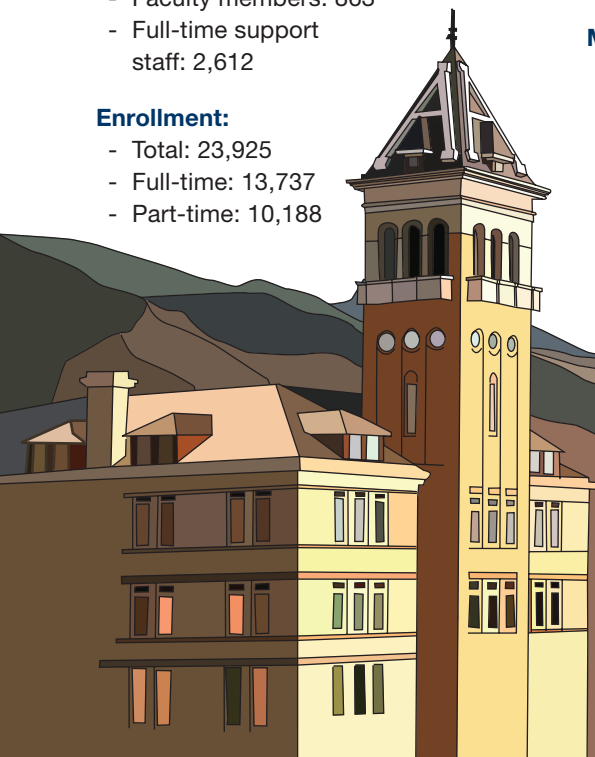
- Total: 108,000
- Location: all 50 states and in more than 100 countries
- Percent of alumni who said if they had to make the decision again, they would still attend USU: 90%
- Percent of alumni who said they would recommend USU to a friend or relative: 90%
- Percent who agreed USU had prepared them well for employment: 82%

Notable Alumni:

- Greg Carr, BS, History, '82, avid human rights activist and founder of the Greg C. Carr Foundation to support human rights, education and the arts
- Mary Louise Cleave, M.S., Biology, '75; PhD, Civil & Environmental Engineering, '80, NASA astronaut
- Charlie Denson, BS, Marketing, '78, President of Nike Brand
- Merlin Olsen, BS, Finance, '62, well-known athlete and media personality
- Harry Reid, BS, Political Science, '61, Democratic Senator of Nevada and the Democratic Leader in the United States Senate

Comprehensive Campaign:

- To date: \$225 million
- Goal: \$400 million by July 2012
- Total endowment: \$145 million



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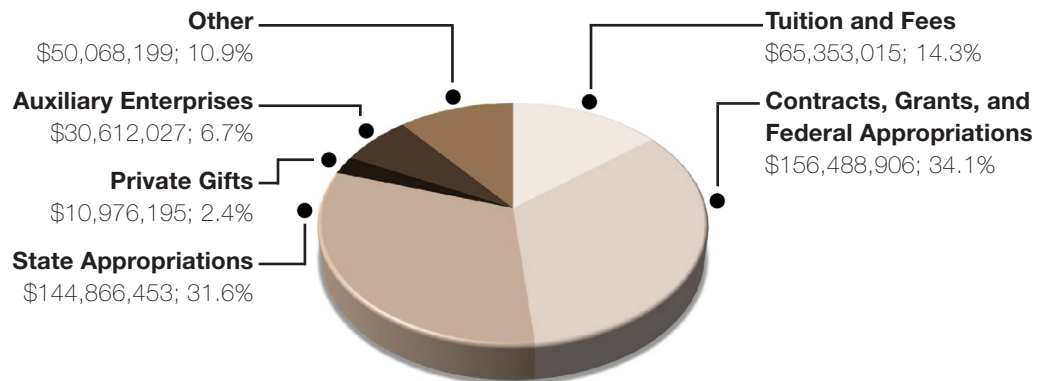
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Colleges:

- College of Agriculture
- Jon M. Huntsman School of Business
- Emma Eccles Jones College of Education and Human Services
- College of Engineering
- College of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences
- College of Natural Resources
- College of Science

Institutional funding:

Total: \$458,364,795



Varsity Sports (NCAA Division 1-A)

Western Athletic Conference:

- Mascot: "Big Blue" the Aggie bull
- Colors: Aggie Blue (navy) and white

Teams:

- Cross Country (men's and women's)
- Football (men's)
- Golf (men's)
- Gymnastics (women's)
- Basketball (men's and women's)
- Soccer (women's)
- Softball (women's)
- Tennis (men's and women's)
- Indoor Track and Field (men's and women's)
- Volleyball (women's)

Tuition and Expenses:

Costs:

	Semester:	Year:
Undergraduate resident tuition and fees (12 credits/year)	\$2,263	\$4,526
Undergraduate nonresident tuition and fees (12 credits/year)	\$6,442	\$12,884
Undergraduate international tuition and fees (12 credits/year)	\$6,793	\$13,586
Graduate resident tuition and fees (9 credits/year)	\$2,602	\$5,204
Graduate nonresident tuition and fees (9 credits/year)	\$8,155	\$16,310

Expenses:

	Semester:	Year:
Room and board	\$1,780	\$3,560
Books and supplies	\$428	\$856
Personal expenses	\$880	\$1,760

Note: Costs may vary based on your program of study and are subject to change. The figures provided are estimates. For current tuition rates, go to www.usu.edu/tuition.

National Rankings:

- 2nd in the nation in total research dollars received by a college: USU's College of Education and Human Services (*U.S. News and World Report: America's Best Graduate Schools, 2008 edition*)
- 26th in the nation overall against all graduate colleges of education (*U.S. News and World Report: America's Best Graduate Schools, 2008 edition*)
- 1st in the nation as the safest U.S. metropolitan area (*City Crime Rankings: Crime in Metropolitan America, 15th edition, Nov. 2008*)
- 1st among all national public universities for graduates with least debt (*U.S. News and World Report's America's Best Colleges, 2008 edition*)
- No. 12 on *Forbes Magazine's* "Best Small Places for Business and Careers," 2007
- One of top 10 "smartest schools" in nation for geeks (*Popular Science Magazine, Sept. 2008*)
- No. 7 in "25 Best Markets to Find a Job" on *MSN Career Builder (Oct. 2008)*

Admissions and Visitor Information:

- Undergraduate Admissions: USU Office of Undergraduate Admissions, Taggart Student Center, Room 102, 0160 Old Main Hill, Logan, UT 84322-0160; Toll Free: 800-488-8108 or Local: 435-797-1079, usu.edu/admissions.
- Graduate Admissions: USU School of Graduate Studies, Old Main, Room 164, 0900 Old Main Hill, Logan, UT 84322-0900; Phone: (435) 797-1189, usu.edu/graduateschool.
- Visitor Information Center: Located at entrance of Aggie Parking Terrace, 600 N. 700 East, Open 7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m., 435-797-6869 or e-mail usuparking@usu.edu.
- Athletics Ticket Office: Located on the west side of the Dee Glen Smith Spectrum, approximately 850 E. 900 North, Open Monday-Friday, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m., 435-797-0305 or toll free 1-888-878-2831.
- Caine School of the Arts Box Office: Located in the Chase Fine Arts Center, approximately 1110 E. 610 North, Open Monday-Friday, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m., or one hour prior to event, 435-797-8022, or online at boxoffice.usu.edu.