



CAMPUS PROFILE

2014-2015



John Carroll
UNIVERSITY

FOR MORE THAN 125 YEARS, *John Carroll University*

has focused on graduating students with intellect and character in the Jesuit tradition of educational excellence. Located 10 miles east of Cleveland in the beautiful, safe suburb of University Heights, our 64-acre residential campus is easy to navigate and is home to state-of-the-art facilities.

At John Carroll, students receive a high-quality education that prepares them for life through a focus on practical liberal arts, ethics, and spiritual strength in an environment that cares for them as individuals – in and out of the classroom. We offer a wide array of majors, minors, and other academic concentrations that enrich our students and add depth and flexibility to their studies.

While we are proud of our consistent presence among “best colleges” and “best values” rankings by national publications, we choose to celebrate the success of our graduates and the contributions they make to society. Admission, therefore, is selective and focused on maintaining our excellent success rates for student retention and graduation in four years.



WHAT'S NEW AT JCU?

New Academic Programs Launched

Students in our **healthcare information technology** major develop software to improve healthcare by collaborating on professional projects with industry leaders. **The Mike Cleary Program in Sports Studies** focuses on the planning, implementation, and leadership of sports programs, connecting students with job shadowing and internship experiences. Our new **professional healthcare preparation** minor and certificate program emphasizes healthcare communication, ethics, management, and compassionate care.

Integrated Curriculum Coming in Fall 2015

First-year students entering in the fall of 2015 will be the first to experience some exciting changes in our core curriculum. Rather than requiring a rigid set of courses that resembles a to-do list, our curriculum will integrate disciplines to prepare students for the real world. For example, our new integrated and linked courses will challenge students to make connections across their studies and develop skills valued by employers and graduate schools.

Blue Streak Athletics has Outstanding Year

Blue Streak athletic teams turned in one of their best all-around years in school history. Baseball, women's basketball, women's soccer, and women's cross country claimed Ohio Athletic Conference (OAC) conference titles, while men's lacrosse finished its inaugural season with an appearance in the OAC Championship. Five coaches earned postseason honors, including first-year Head Football Coach Tom Arth '03, who led the Blue Streaks to the NCAA playoffs.

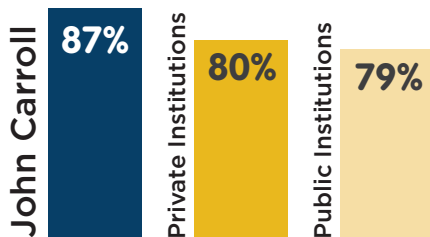


OUR STUDENTS

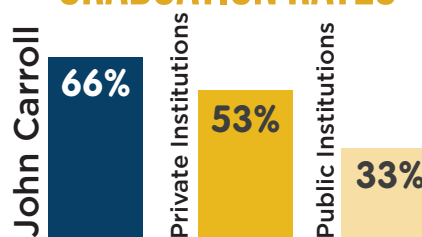
Fall 2014 enrollment

RETENTION RATES

(Freshmen returning for sophomore year)



FOUR-YEAR GRADUATION RATES



52

MALE/FEMALE

RATIO



48

FULL-TIME UNDERGRADUATE

3,020

GRADUATE

561

LEGACY STUDENTS

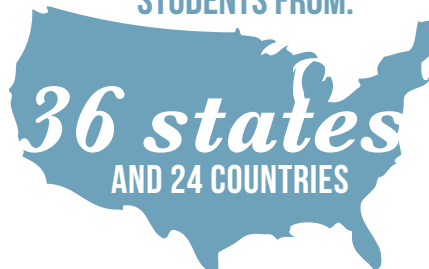
6%

OF STUDENTS HAVE A PARENT THAT ATTENDED JCU

20%

OF STUDENTS HAVE AT LEAST ONE JCU ALUM IN THEIR EXTENDED FAMILY

STUDENTS FROM:



RACE

86.7% White • 4.1% Black/African American • 3.3% Hispanic
2.2% Non-Resident Alien • 2.0% Multi-racial
1.6% Asian • 0.1% American Indian or Alaska Native

FIRST GENERATION STUDENTS 15.6%



CAMPUS LIFE

APPROXIMATELY
90%

OF FRESHMEN AND SOPHOMORES
LIVE ON CAMPUS.



ALL ENTERING STUDENTS NOT COMMUTING FROM
HOME ARE REQUIRED TO LIVE ON CAMPUS DURING
THEIR FIRST TWO YEARS.

NCAA DIVISION III VARSITY ATHLETICS

(MEMBER OF OHIO ATHLETIC CONFERENCE)

(MEN ONLY) BASEBALL, FOOTBALL, WRESTLING

(WOMEN ONLY) SOFTBALL, VOLLEYBALL

(MEN/WOMEN) BASKETBALL, CROSS COUNTRY, GOLF,
INDOOR TRACK & FIELD, OUTDOOR TRACK & FIELD,
LACROSSE, SOCCER, SWIMMING & DIVING, TENNIS

CLUB SPORTS

(MEN ONLY) ICE HOCKEY, RUGBY

(WOMEN ONLY) BASKETBALL, FIELD HOCKEY

(MEN/WOMEN) ROWING, SAILING,
ULTIMATE FRISBEE, VOLLEYBALL



JCU.EDU/ATHLETICS

NEARLY
100

RECOGNIZED STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

INCLUDING STUDENT UNION, ACADEMIC CLUBS AND
HONOR SOCIETIES, CULTURAL ORGANIZATIONS,
NATIONAL FRATERNITIES/SORORITIES, WJCU 88.7 FM
RADIO, AND THE CARROLL NEWS.

MORE THAN
100,000
HOURS

OF SERVICE PERFORMED BY OUR STUDENTS TO
THE LOCAL, NATIONAL, AND GLOBAL COMMUNITIES
THROUGH SERVICE LEARNING, IMMERSION
EXPERIENCES, AND MORE. JCU.EDU/SERVICE

ACADEMIC ENVIRONMENT



25 STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS

TAKE MANY OF OUR STUDENTS AROUND THE GLOBE FOR SEMESTER, SUMMER, OR ALTERNATE BREAK TRIPS.

HONORS PROGRAM

FOR STUDENTS OF HIGH ABILITY.

PROGRAM OFFERS FLEXIBLE COURSE OF STUDY, INCLUDING SEMINARS, HONORS COURSES, AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS TO EXPAND AND AMPLIFY THE EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE.



TO APPLY GO TO JCU.EDU/HONORS

41%

OF THE CLASS OF 2014 GRADUATED WITH MORE THAN ONE MAJOR

185

FULL-TIME TEACHING FACULTY
98% WITH HIGHEST DEGREE IN FIELD

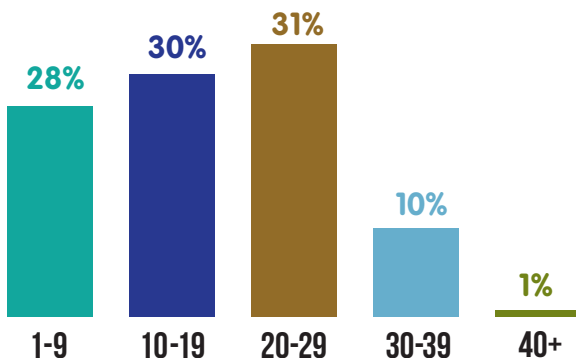
FACULTY SERVE AS ACADEMIC ADVISORS TO UNDERGRADUATES.

CLASS SIZE



% OF CLASSES TAUGHT

NUMBER OF STUDENTS

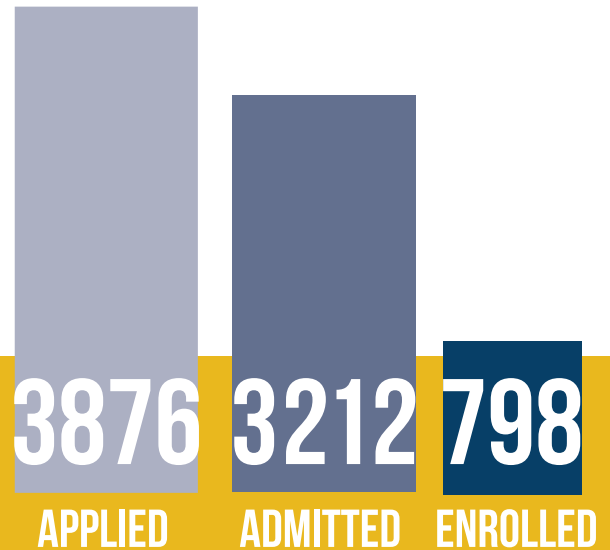


Accountancy	Communication & Theatre Arts: Visual Media	French: General	Philosophy: History of Philosophy	Psychological Science: Mental Health Services
Art History	Computer Information Systems	Healthcare Information Technology	Philosophy: Philosophy, Law, & Politics	Self-Designed Major
Biochemistry	Computer Science	History	Physical Education	Sociology & Criminology
Biology	East Asian Studies	Human Resource Management	Physics	Sociology & Criminology: Criminology
Cell & Molecular Biology	Economics	Humanities	Political Science	Sociology & Criminology: Cultural Diversity
Chemistry: Comprehensive	Education: Adolescent/ Young Adult	Interdisciplinary Physics	Political Science: Global & Foreign Area Studies	Sociology & Criminology: Human Service, Health, & Social Justice
Chemistry: General	Education: Early Childhood	International Business with Language & Culture	Political Science: Law & Society	Spanish
Classics: Classical Languages	Education: Middle Childhood	Logistics	Political Science: Methods & Spatial Data Analysis	Sports Studies: Sports & Athletic Administration
Classics: Classical Studies	Education: Multi-Age	Management	Psychological Science	Sports Studies: Coaching & Recreation
Communication & Theatre Arts	Engineering Physics	Marketing	Psychological Science: Child & Family Studies	Sports Studies: Sports & Wellness for Diverse Populations
Communication & Theatre Arts: Integrated Marketing	English: Creative Writing	Mathematics	Psychological Science: Eating Disorders	Teaching Mathematics
Communication & Theatre Arts: Journalism	English: Literature	Peace, Justice, & Human Rights	Psychological Science: Forensic Psychology	Theology & Religious Studies
Communication & Theatre Arts: Persuasive & Relational Communication	English: Professional Writing	Philosophy	Psychological Science: Industrial/Organizational Psychology	Women's & Gender Studies
Communication & Theatre Arts: Theatre	Environmental Science	Philosophy: Critical Social Philosophy		World Literature
	Exercise Science	Philosophy: Health, Ethics, & Science		
	Finance			
	French: French Studies			

Africana Studies	East Asian Studies	Healthcare Information Technology	Neuroscience	Public Administration & Policy Studies
Aging Studies	Economics	History	Peace, Justice, & Human Rights	Sociology & Criminology
Art History	Engineering Physics	Humanities	Philosophy	Spanish
Biology	English	International Studies	Physical Education & Exercise Science	Statistics
Business	Entrepreneurship	Italian Studies	Physics	Theatre Arts
Catholic Studies	Environmental Studies	Latin	Political Communication	Theology & Religious Studies
Chemistry	Foreign Affairs	Latin American & Latino Studies	Political Science	United States Politics
Classical Studies	Forensic Behavioral Science	Leadership Development	Population & Public Health	Women's & Gender Studies
Communication	French	Mathematics	Professional Healthcare Preparation	
Computer Science	German	Mathematics & Economics	Psychological Science	
Creative Writing	Greek	Modern European Studies		

APPLICATION PROCESS

- 1) Submit The Common Application (with essay) at commonapp.org. JCU is a Common Application exclusive user and only accepts The Common Application.
- 2) Have your high school send us your official documents:
 - Transcript
 - Common Application School Report
 - Teacher evaluation/recommendation (optional)
- 3) Request from the College Board and/or ACT to have your standardized test scores sent to us electronically (if not on your HS transcript):
 - College Board (SAT): JCU's school code is **1342**
 - ACT: JCU's school code is **3282**



CLASS OF 2018

AVERAGE GPA

3.51

SAT Middle 50% Range

- Critical Reading: 500-600
- Mathematics: 510-610
- Writing: 480-590

ACT Middle 50% Range

- Composite: 22-27

Note: either SAT or ACT is accepted; JCU looks at highest subcomponent scores in its application and scholarship review process.

Enrollment Timeline

PRIOR TO DECEMBER

- Utilize Net Price Calculator
- Register with The Common Application online
- Send us test scores (SAT and/or ACT)
- Visit campus

DECEMBER

- Early Action/Priority Scholarship admission application deadline **(Dec. 1)**
- First round of admission decisions released third week of December

JANUARY

- FAFSA is available to be filed at fafsa.gov **(Jan. 1)**
- Admission decisions for rolling admission applicants released every 7-10 days
- Application deadline for Mission-based Scholarship Programs **(Jan. 15)**
- Application deadline for Honors Program **(Jan. 15)**

- Rolling admission application process begins
- Get to know your enrollment manager

FEBRUARY

- Financial Aid awards sent to families

MARCH

- Contact your enrollment manager with questions

APRIL

- Visit campus
- Stay in contact with your enrollment manager

MAY

- National Candidates Reply Date **(May 1)**

YOUR ENROLLMENT MANAGER

John Carroll's model is distinctive in that you have one point of contact, a cross-trained enrollment professional who plays a significant role in admission, scholarship, and financial aid review. This individual is your personal liaison to the enrollment process and can answer many of your questions without forcing you to navigate a maze of other campus offices. Be sure to stay in touch with your enrollment manager throughout the process.

Meet your enrollment manager at go.jcu.edu/admstaff.

MERIT SCHOLARSHIPS

MS

Magis Scholarship

\$22,500 to \$25,000

GPA: A- | ACT: 30 | SAT: 1340

\$17,500 to \$22,500

GPA: B+ | ACT: 25 | SAT: 1150

PS

Presidential
Scholarship

US

University
Scholarship

\$12,500 to \$17,500

GPA: B | ACT: 21 | SAT: 1000

\$10,000

Students not eligible for the above scholarships will be considered for this award which emphasizes strong work ethic, leadership and commitment to service.

IA

Ignatian Award

Mission-Based Scholarships

ARRUPE SCHOLARS PROGRAM FOR SOCIAL ACTION

\$5,000 scholarship per year

Awarded to 20 students who demonstrate a strong commitment to community service and social justice issues. Separate scholarship application is required.

sites.jcu.edu/arrupe

LEADERSHIP SCHOLARS PROGRAM

\$5,000 scholarship per year

Awarded to 20 students who have the greatest potential to have an impact on the John Carroll community and the world around them. Separate scholarship application is required.

sites.jcu.edu/lsp

Additional scholarships for transfer and international students can be found at jcu.edu/aid.

Minimum criteria for consideration is listed for each scholarship level.

All applicants for admission are reviewed for these awards (no separate application required).

Listed scholarship values are annual amounts that automatically renew for a total of four years.

JCU AFFORDABILITY



Costs for 2014-2015

Tuition	\$34,600
Room & Board*	\$10,500
Student Activity Fee	\$400
Student Health & Wellness Fee	\$300
Student Technology Fee	\$500
Orientation Fee (first year only)	\$325
Total Resident Cost	\$46,300

**Amount for a standard double room and standard meal plan; amounts may vary for different options and preferences.*

Average Student Expenses (annually)

Books and Supplies	\$1,000
Personal Expenses	\$640
Transportation	\$2,150

Our full, updated cost information can be found at jcu.edu/tuition.

Financial Planning

You will have the option to receive a personalized JCU Financial Planning brochure when you complete our net price calculator (NPC) online at jcu.studentaidcalculator.com. This will help your family look beyond the listed tuition and fees to better understand the actual costs of attending John Carroll and the value of a JCU degree.

Financial Assistance

Finances play an important role in choosing a college for many families, so it is important to understand that there may be additional assistance available beyond the merit scholarship offerings listed. By filing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), we are able to review your financial situation and potentially offer additional institutional grant assistance, federal or state aid, loans, and/or student employment opportunities. We encourage filing online at fafsa.gov between January 1 and February 15 to maximize the student's award.

- Student and one parent can apply for a Federal PIN to electronically sign the FAFSA at pin.ed.gov
- JCU FAFSA Code: **003050**



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