Academic Excellence

Outstanding graduates

Outstanding faculty and staff accomplishments
Serving Montana and the United States for over 120 years

- Liberal arts & sciences
- Graduate study
- Professional education & training
- Groundbreaking research
- Cultural outreach
- Service to professions & society
- Interdisciplinary and international emphases
Doctoral Research University

Programs from:
Workforce certificates
to
Doctoral degrees
9 Colleges and Schools

- Humanities & Sciences
- Forestry & Conservation
- Health Professions & Biomedical Sciences
- Law
- Journalism
- Visual & Performing Arts
- Education & Human Sciences
- Business Administration
- Missoula College
Some Focus Areas

Health Professions
Environment
Culture & Arts
Business and Entrepreneurship*
Education*

* across the entire University
Values support UM’s mission

• Leadership
• Engagement
• Diversity
• Sustainability
Core Themes / Strategic Issues

- Partnering for Student Success
- Education for the Global Century
- Discovery and Creativity to Serve Montana and the World
- Dynamic Learning Environment
- Planning-Assessment Continuum
Enrollment Highlights

2015:

• Largest entering class in 3 years
• Record Davidson Honors College enrollment
• New student International enrollment up 40% from 2014
Programmatic Highlights

- 37 Udall Scholars
- Wildlife Biology Program annually in top 3 in U.S.
- J-School rated #9 in the nation
- Ranking in 2014 US News and World Report’s top 200 national universities
- Ranking in top 2.8% of Center for University World Rankings (22,000 universities)
- #1 for per capita productivity of faculty in both Ecology and Conservation Biology
Extensive Collaboration

- MUS initiatives
- Montana Tribal Colleges
- Other Rocky Mountain and Pacific Northwest universities

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Extensive Collaboration

• UM Partners in Unique Consortia:
  • MINERVA Project (Astronomy): partners are Cal Tech, Penn State, Harvard, Univ. of New South Wales
  • Rocky Mountain Cooperative Ecosystem Studies Unit (Environment) UM is host with university members in 6 states and 1 Canadian province
  • International partnerships on every continent
UM Accreditation

- NWCCU
  - Favorable Year 3 Report
- Sample Disciplines
  - Business
  - Forestry
  - Education
  - Law
  - Communicative Sciences & Disorders
  - Pharmacy
  - Music