



**INTERNATIONAL
PROGRAMS**

**BECOME
YOUR
BEST SELF**



OVERVIEW

FAST FACTS

Founded: 1865

Enrollment: 6,000 (approx.)

International Students: 150 (approx.)
from 30 countries

Campus: Urban, 64.75 hectares

Faculty: 550

Student to faculty ratio: 12/1

Average undergraduate class size: 20

Students: 37% male / 63% female

Washburn University has more than 150 years of tradition in providing a private school education at a public school price. With approximately 150 international students from 30 countries, Washburn provides opportunities for you to participate in more than 200 organizations, National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Division II Athletics, sports clubs, social activities, internships, on-campus jobs, volunteer programs and beyond.

Washburn is located in Topeka, capital city of Kansas – the heartland of the United States. Topeka has a population of 130,000 with many convenient dining, shopping and recreation options, and is also the educational, industrial, trade and medical center of Kansas.

Washburn’s campus provides a safe and nurturing atmosphere. Residence halls are secured by access cards, and the Washburn University police department has officers on campus 24 hours a day to assist our students and ensure safety.



**Ranked in the Top 25
Most Dynamic Universities
in the U.S. – Asian Correspondent**

**Top ranked public master’s
level university in Kansas –
America’s Best Colleges,
U.S. News and World Report**





APPLICATION

PROCESS FOR NEW INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

ALL applicants must submit the following:

1. International Online Application for Admission
2. USD \$70 non-refundable application/processing fee
3. iBTTOEFL, IELTS or DuoLingo English Test (DET) score report if applying for full admission
4. Original financial supporting documents (i.e., current bank statement)
5. Signed and completed Financial Disclaimer form
6. Original high school transcripts. If a student has completed university-level course credit, a course-by-course evaluation by ECE or WES is required

Transfer students (from other universities located in the U.S.) must also submit:

7. A copy of your current I-20 form (pages 1 and 2) or DS-2019 form
8. A copy of your current F-1 or J-1 visa and passport ID page
9. Official transcripts sent by your current U.S. university to Washburn

Graduate students must first be admitted to the university through the Office of International Programs. For more details regarding the graduate program application process, please contact the graduate department directly. In addition to Nos. 1-6 above, master's students must submit the following:

10. LSAT (for law) score
11. Two or three letters of recommendation
12. English proficiency test scores (iBTTOEFL/IELTS/DuoLingo), as required
13. Course-by-course evaluation of foreign transcripts by ECE or WES

Intensive English*

Students can also enroll in the IEP. This program is designed to assist international students in improving their English skills. Learn more about the Intensive English Program at washburn.edu/academics/international-programs.

All items that apply to an applicant must be received before an admission decision can be made.

** Intensive English applicants are not required to submit transcripts.*

“Washburn is all about self-growth and professional development. With excellent faculty, staff and immense opportunity to be involved in student organizations and activities, I feel my investment of time and effort has come to a fruitful outcome. At Washburn, I can assure everyone that you’ll never get lost among the crowd, and you’ll always find someone helping you to achieve your personal and professional goals.”

NAGENDRA DHAMALA
Nepal • Computer Information Sciences

TUITION AND FEES

Estimated costs for one academic year (9 months) based on 2023-2024 tuition rates:

	UNDERGRADUATE	GRADUATE
Tuition*	\$18,048	\$16,812
Living expenses	\$9,500	\$9,500
Health insurance	\$2,200 (12 mo.)	\$2,200 (12 mo.)
Books	\$1,000	\$1,000
ESTIMATED TOTALS	\$30,748	\$29,512

*Tuition rates are based on traditional coursework, and typically increase 3-4% each academic year. Rates are based on 12 credit hours (generally 4 courses) for undergraduate students and 9 credit hours (generally 3 courses) for graduate students.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships are available for highly qualified international students. Contact the Office of International Programs, along with your specific department and organizations, about scholarships that may apply to you. Office of International Programs scholarships are usually one-time awards per academic year after completing one year at WU. Departmental scholarships vary, but are usually from \$500 to \$2,000 per academic year.

For graduate scholarship opportunities, please contact the graduate program directly.



“Every person at Washburn is very kind and friendly to you. It makes you feel comfortable and pushes you up toward big academic success. But, the best thing here is you may find a lifelong best friend, as I did. You will never regret choosing this college.”

JUNNOSUKE SAITO
Japan
Communication Studies



ACADEMICS

BIG OPPORTUNITIES SMALL ENOUGH TO KNOW ENOUGH YOUR NAME



Washburn offers a quality education in more than 200 areas of study, with a 12:1 student-to-faculty ratio that provides the individual attention you need to reach your goals.

School of Business

Washburn's School of Business holds accreditation from Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB)-International, an elite accreditation that only the top 5 percent of business schools in the world achieve. This, plus access to the latest resources and technology, makes Washburn business graduates some of the most prepared and knowledgeable in their field.



College of Arts & Sciences

With specialized programs from Pre-Engineering to Pre-Law and beyond, this department prepares students with the critical thinking skills and zeal for learning to help them succeed both in and out of the classroom.



School of Applied Studies

This school consists of the following on-campus departments: Allied Health, Criminal Justice & Legal Studies, Human Services and Social Work. It is accredited by 10 external agencies and places more than 500 students into internship experiences throughout the state each academic year.



School of Law

Washburn University School of Law offers a curriculum that combines classroom instruction with real-world skills and experience. Washburn ranks 15th in the nation for legal analysis, research and writing, per the 2018 edition of U.S. News & World Report, making it a great environment for students seeking a well-rounded and comprehensive legal education.

School of Nursing

Washburn's School of Nursing offers undergraduate degrees in nursing, and all of the programs are approved by both state and national credentialing organizations. The excellence of these programs shows in the skill and care of our exceptional nursing students.



STUDENT LIFE:

ORGANIZATIONS, RECREATION, HOUSING AND DINING



Residential Living

Washburn has five residential facilities, from residence halls to apartment complexes, where you'll have easy access to your classrooms, events and activities – allowing you to easily make new friends and be part of the community.

Recreation and Wellness

Your tuition covers access to our Student Recreation and Wellness Center, where you can take exercise classes, join sports teams or use fitness equipment to work out and stay fit.

Student Activities

Washburn has more than 130 student clubs and organizations for you to explore, get connected and discover your potential.

Dining

Not only does Washburn have four unique dining locations, but each of them is committed to providing wholesome food options, with fair trade, sustainable and reduced-antibiotic foods that support a healthier student body and a healthier world.

“Washburn was a great experience for me. The campus is really beautiful, and there’s lots of fun activities to do, and you get to meet new people. The International Student Office is incredible. They are always open to help and take care of you. I am always thankful for them.”

ANDREA ALMADA

BECA, Paraguay • Business and Hospitality Management

ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES DEGREE PROGRAMS

CREATIVE & PERFORMING ARTS

Art (BA)
Studio Art
Art History
Art (BFA)
General
Art (with concentrations in):
Art History
Ceramics and Sculpture
Graphic Design and Electronic Art
Painting and Drawing
Photography
Printmaking
Art with Teacher Licensure
Mass Media (BA)
Advertising
Contemporary Journalism
Public Relations
Film and Video
Applied Mass Media (Minor only)
Music (BA)
Music Education (BM)
General
Preschool-Grade 12 Education
Music Performance (BM)
Brass, Strings, Percussion, Guitar &
Woodwinds
Piano or Organ
Voice
Theatre (BA)

HUMANITIES

Communication (BA)
English (BA)
Literature
Writing
Secondary Education
Humanities & Creative Performing Arts (AA)
Modern Languages (BA)
French
German
Spanish
Preschool-Grade 12 Education
Philosophy (BA)
Religious Studies (BA)

NATURAL SCIENCES & MATHEMATICS

Biology (BA)
Biology
Environmental Biology
Biology (BS)
Biology
Biology, Secondary Education Specialization
Environmental Biology
Molecular Biology and Biotechnology

Chemistry (BA)
Chemistry
Biochemistry
Secondary Education
Chemistry (BS)
Chemistry
Biochemistry
Forensic Chemical Sciences
Secondary Education
Computational Physics (BS)
Computer Information
Science (BS, BA, AA)
Forensics Concentration (BA)
General Science (BS)
Laboratory Science (AA)
Mathematics (BA, BS)
Natural Science & Mathematics (AA)
Physics (BA, BS)
Physics
Physics (AS)
Engineering-Physics

SOCIAL SCIENCES

Anthropology (BA)
Anthropology, Forensics Concentration (BS)
Economics (BA)
History (BA)
Secondary Education
Political Science (BA)
Public Administration (BPA)
Psychology (BA, MA)
Sociology (BA)

EDUCATION & KINESIOLOGY

Early Childhood Education (AA)
Elementary Education (BEEd)
English for Speakers of Other Languages
Physical Education (BEEd)
P-12 Teaching Emphasis (BEEd)
Kinesiology (BA)
Sport Management (BA)
Health & Fitness Promotion (BA)
Exercise & Rehabilitation Science (BS)

INTERDISCIPLINARY PROGRAMS

Integrated Studies (BIS)
Individualized Studies
Administrative Communication
Liberal Arts Program
Web Technology Utilization
Liberal Studies (ALS)

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS DEGREE PROGRAMS

Accountancy (MAcc 30-hour Flexible
Program; MAcc 3+2 Program)
Accounting (BBA)
Business Administration (MBA)
Economics (BA, BBA)
Entrepreneurship
Finance (BBA)
General Business (BBA)
International Business (BBA)
Management (BBA)
Marketing (BBA)
Dual Juris Doctorate/MBA Degree
Dual Juris Doctorate/MAcc Degree

SCHOOL OF LAW DEGREE PROGRAMS

Juris Doctor
LL.M. in Global Legal Studies

SCHOOL OF NURSING DEGREE PROGRAMS

Nursing (BSN)

SCHOOL OF APPLIED STUDIES DEGREE PROGRAMS

ALLIED HEALTH

Medical Laboratory Science (BHS)
Occupational Therapy Assistant (AS)
Physical Therapist Assistant (AS)
Radiologic Technology (AS)
Respiratory Therapy (AS)

CRIMINAL JUSTICE & LEGAL STUDIES

Criminal Justice (AA, BSCJ)
Corrections (BSCJ)
Forensic Investigation (BSCJ)
Law Enforcement (BSCJ)
Security Administration (BSCJ)
Legal Studies (AA, BLS)

SOCIAL WORK

Social Work (BSW, MSW)
Dual Juris Doctorate/MSW Degree

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