



It starts at the
ARCH



MISERICORDIA
UNIVERSITY

BEGIN YOUR JOURNEY TO THE ARCH

At Misericordia University, we want you to be more than your major. We provide an environment where you can grow and learn more about what makes you unique as an individual.

More personal
attention & support

More faculty
engagement

More quality
programs

More fun
activities

More
opportunities
to achieve
success!

More career
preparation

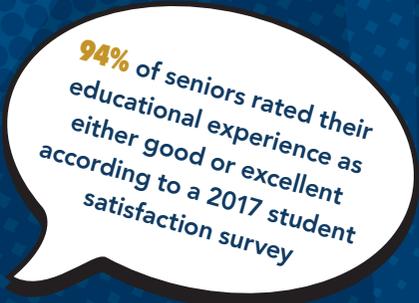
BE EMPOWERED TO ACHIEVE

Misericordia University offers all of the resources and advantages of a university while delivering the one-on-one attention and support of a small, private institution so that you can focus on what is most important - achieving your goals.

At Misericordia, students can expect a compelling experience and an education interwoven with the values that originally guided the Sisters of Mercy to establish Misericordia in 1924 — values that are relevant today and shared throughout the campus community. These values are represented within our charisms: mercy, service, hospitality, and justice.

MISERICORDIA AT A GLANCE

- Founded in 1924 by the Religious Sisters of Mercy
- Located on 115 acres in suburban Dallas, Pennsylvania; within 2 hours of New York City and Philadelphia; readily accessible to international airport
- Total enrollment of 2,764; 1,898 full-time students
- 11:1 Student-Faculty Ratio
- More than 40 clubs and organizations
- 99% of freshman receive financial aid
- 24 states represented
- Average class size — 19 students
- 25 Division III sports for men and women



94% of seniors rated their educational experience as either good or excellent according to a 2017 student satisfaction survey

MAJORS

56 academic programs on the graduate and undergraduate levels offered through three colleges: College of Arts & Sciences, College of Business, and College of Health Science & Education

ACCOUNTING

BIOCHEMISTRY

BIOLOGY*

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

CHEMISTRY*

CLINICAL LABORATORY
SCIENCE

COMPUTER SCIENCE

DIAGNOSTIC MEDICAL
SONOGRAPHY

EDUCATION:
EARLY CHILDHOOD &
SPECIAL EDUCATION
MIDDLE LEVEL

ENGLISH*

GOVERNMENT, LAW AND
NATIONAL SECURITY

HEALTH CARE MANAGEMENT

HEALTH SCIENCE:
EXERCISE SCIENCE
MEDICAL SCIENCE
PATIENT NAVIGATION

HISTORY*

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

MASS COMMUNICATIONS
AND DESIGN

MATHEMATICS*

MEDICAL AND HEALTH
HUMANITIES

MEDICAL IMAGING

NURSING

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

PHILOSOPHY

PHYSICAL THERAPY

PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

PSYCHOLOGY

SOCIAL WORK

SPEECH-LANGUAGE
PATHOLOGY

SPORT MANAGEMENT

STATISTICS

* Also available as Secondary Education

SUPPORT WHEN YOU NEED IT

As a Misericordia student, you will benefit from the small class sizes and a support system that is always there when you need it. You will have opportunities that are not typically available to students at the larger institutions.

Misericordia provides "trail guides" to help students navigate the new terrain. These are the dedicated, experienced employees who offer the tools and services you need for your college journey so that you can reach your goals.

STUDENT SERVICES

- The Insalaco Center for Career Development
- The Health and Wellness Center
- The Student Success Center
- The Writing Center

Misericordia will help you develop the skills you need to be successful inside and outside the classroom.



Did you know that the Writing Center is open **47** hours a week? Last year, our writing tutors held more than **1600 sessions**.

In **2016-17**, the Student Success Center held **2872** Tutoring Sessions, **364** Academic Coaching Sessions, and Peer Academic Learners (PALS) held **245** meetings.

SO, WHAT MAKES US DIFFERENT?

Misericordia was founded as, and continues to be, a broad-based liberal arts and pre-professional studies university.

So, what does it mean to be educated in the liberal arts? To answer that question simply, it means that you are well-rounded.

It means having the skills to be an effective communicator, having a sense of social responsibility, and possessing the ability to think critically and adapt to a variety of different situations.

This gives our students a distinct advantage over graduates from other institutions and makes them more competitive in their chosen careers.



DON'T JUST SURVIVE THRIVE!



At Misericordia University, faculty aren't just showing-up to lecture and hand-out tests; rather, they take a personal interest in you. They work side-by-side with you, conducting research and experiments, mentoring you and preparing you for your future, actively engaged in your learning.



You will receive the sincere attention and support from faculty and staff who make it their personal goal to ensure that you are poised to achieve greatness. We have the quality and the experience to know what it takes to make-it professionally. The fact is, our students get the jobs because of the foundation and preparation they are receiving at Misericordia.



At Misericordia, **1** out of every **3** students have worked with a faculty member on a research project by their senior year

OUR FOCUS IS YOUR FUTURE

Misericordia gives new meaning to the word "confidence" by providing hands-on opportunities and personalized attention that prepares students for success. Our Guaranteed Placement Program (GPP) through the Insalaco Center for Career Development will also back that up by offering students a paid internship in their field if they are not employed or in graduate school within six months of graduation*.

Because four out of five Misericordia students participate in an internship, field work, or a clinical experience before they graduate, they know exactly what to expect. This is what makes our students stand-out from the rest of the competition and get the jobs.

From internships and practica to research and study abroad opportunities, more than half of our students have completed one or more professional experiences by their senior year.

**Terms and conditions apply*

DID YOU KNOW THAT MISERICORDIA UNIVERSITY HOLDS 2 JOB FAIRS EACH ACADEMIC YEAR?



MISERICORDIA COORDINATED **118** INTERNSHIPS WITH **60**
DIFFERENT EMPLOYERS AND PROFESSIONAL SITES BETWEEN
THE SUMMER '17 AND SPRING '18 SEMESTERS

IN A **2017** SURVEY, **96%** OF SENIORS INDICATED THAT THEY
ACQUIRED JOB OR WORK-RELATED KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
AT MISERICORDIA

BUILDING FUTURES SINCE 1924

[Arch: a curved symmetrical structure spanning an opening and typically supporting the weight of a bridge, roof, or wall above it.]

Like the arch, Misericordia not only provides structure and support, but also opens-up a pathway to opportunity and achievement for our students.



“My interest in service is not something that’s a hobby for me, but is a lifestyle and something I can’t live without. I know whatever my end goal is I want to serve my community, whether that’s locally or abroad.”

~ DONNA CASTELBLANCO '14



“I knew that smaller classes would allow me to get to know my professors and help me stand out when I applied to med school. Doing research since my sophomore year, I feel I have gained confidence in the research process, and in working with equipment and analyzing data.”

~ GIOVANNI BAIAMONTE '18

ATHLETICS SPORTS FOR MEN

BASEBALL

BASKETBALL

CROSS COUNTRY

FOOTBALL

GOLF

INDOOR TRACK
AND FIELD

LACROSSE

SOCCER

SWIMMING

TENNIS

TRACK AND FIELD

VOLLEYBALL





ATHLETICS

SPORTS FOR WOMEN

BASKETBALL

CHEERLEADING

CROSS COUNTRY

FIELD HOCKEY

GOLF

INDOOR TRACK
AND FIELD

LACROSSE

SOCCER

SOFTBALL

SWIMMING

TENNIS

TRACK AND FIELD

VOLLEYBALL



WE ARE TURNING HEADS

According to The Princeton Review,* Misericordia University has been recognized as one of the top colleges and universities in the northeastern United States. The University is one of 229 institutions of higher education The Princeton Review has recommended in its Best in the Northeast section of its website feature, 2018 Best Colleges Region by Region.

It's not just The Princeton Review that is taking notice. Misericordia is turning heads in other national publications too.

LIST OF OTHER ACCOLADES

2018 U.S. News and World Report

Best Regional Universities North

Best Value

Best Colleges for Veterans



2018 MONEY Magazine's Best Colleges list - the second highest ranked college or university in Luzerne and Lackawanna counties **

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KNOW A GOOD VALUE WHEN YOU SEE IT

As a small, private institution, Misericordia delivers many benefits to its students.

We want you to take advantage of every opportunity available to afford the best education possible. Through a combination of grants and scholarships, students can significantly decrease their student debt and maximize their future potential.

- Merit Award
- Achievement Award
- McAuley Award
- Legacy Award
- Sr. Mary Glennon '62 (full-tuition) Scholarships
- Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship
- 120 Endowed Scholarships



99% of our students
receive some form of
financial aid

ADD MISERICORDIA TO YOUR PLAYLIST

What if you were able to customize your educational experience much like how you choose your favorite songs for your playlist?

From major and course options to sports and activities, Misericordia gives you so many opportunities to find your “best fit” and express yourself.

Turn up the volume on your future success by adding Misericordia to your playlist!



Our students love us: **90%** of non-graduating students choose to return to Misericordia, a rate much higher than the national average

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NOW FOR TOMORROW