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the facts

» YOUR FACULTY

350 full-time, tenure-line faculty members

FACULTY MEMBERS, NOT GRADUATE STUDENTS, TEACH EVERY CLASS

average class size 20

9:1 STUDENT-FACULTY RATIO

3,500 undergraduates

94 percent of first-year students return as sophomores • 85 percent of students graduate within four years

100 graduate students

» YOUR PEERS

PROFESSOR JEFF LANGFORD
MATHEMATICS
Within nine months of graduation, 97% of the Class of 2013 reported being employed, enrolled in graduate school, both employed and in graduate school, volunteering or engaged in other opportunities. Only 3 percent were still seeking employment.
the class of 2018

- Average GPA: 3.60
- 2018 enrolled student scores:
  - SAT critical reading: 590-680 middle 50%
  - SAT writing: 620-720 middle 50%
  - SAT math: 610-700 middle 50%
  - ACT composite: 28-32 middle 50%

- Numbers as of July 25, 2014.

**APPLICANT AND ENROLLEE POOL**

- Applicants: 7,864
- Admitted: 2,416 (30.7% admittance rate)
- Enrolled: 941 (38.9% yield rate, admitted students who enrolled)

**ACADEMICS**
WE DARE YOU TO **LEARN** EVERYWHERE.

In classrooms, labs, the library, in the field, at events, in residence halls and through off-campus study, your Bucknell faculty will mentor you. You’ll have access to labs, high-end instrumentation, arts and performance facilities.

**CONNECT WITH PEOPLE AND CULTURES ACROSS THE COUNTRY AND AROUND THE WORLD.**

- Spend a semester or year off campus in one of Bucknell’s “in” programs in England, France, Ghana, Greece, Spain or Washington D.C., or in one of the 130 other approved programs in Africa, Asia, Australia, Europe and North and South America.
- Serve communities locally or as far away as Nicaragua or China.
- Get to know your peers who come from nearly all states and about 60 different countries.
PARTICIPATE IN STUDENT ACTIVITIES.

• Academic organizations, national honor societies and national professional societies
• Arts and entertainment
• Fraternities and sororities
• Intercollegiate athletics, club and intramural sports and recreation
• Leadership and student government
• Multicultural and diversity organizations
• Music, dance and theatre groups
• News media and publications
• Religious organizations
• Service organizations
• Special interest groups
**MAJORS, MINORS, LANGUAGES**

Choose from a broad range of over 50 majors and more than 65 minors that gives you the freedom to pursue your interests and combine fields.

### majors

**COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES**

- Undeclared Arts & Sciences
- Animal Behavior
- Anthropology
- Applied Mathematical Sciences
  - Applied Mathematics
  - Statistics
- Art (Studio Art)
- Art History
- Biology
- Cell Biology & Biochemistry
- Chemistry
- Classics & Ancient Mediterranean Studies
- Comparative Humanities
- Computer Science
- Early Childhood Education
- East Asian Studies
- Economics
- Education
  - Autism Studies
  - College Student Personnel
- Environmental Geosciences
- Environmental Science
- Environmental Studies
- French & Francophone Studies
- Geography
- Geology
- German Studies
- History
- Interdisciplinary Studies in Economics & Mathematics

### languages offered

- American Sign Language
- Arabic
- Chinese
- French
- ...
International Relations
  – Africa
  – Asia
  – Europe, Eurasia & Russia
  – Latin America & the Caribbean
  – Middle East
Italian Studies
Latin American Studies
Linguistics
Mathematics
  – General
  – Pure Mathematics
  – Statistics
Music — Bachelor of Arts
  – Critical & Cultural Studies
  – Contemporary Composition
  – Performance (Vocal or Instrumental)
Music — Bachelor of Music
  – Music Education
  – Performance (Vocal)
Neuroscience
Philosophy
Physics
  – Astrophysics
  – General
Political Science
Psychology
Religious Studies
Russian Studies
Sociology
Spanish
Theatre
Women’s & Gender Studies

SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT (cont.)
Managing for Sustainability
Markets, Innovation & Design

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING
Undeclared Engineering
Biomedical Engineering
Chemical Engineering
Civil Engineering
Computer Engineering
Computer Science & Engineering
Electrical Engineering
Environmental Engineering
Mechanical Engineering

FIVE-YEAR, DUAL-DEGREE PROGRAMS IN ENGINEERING
Bachelor of Science in Engineering & Bachelor of Management for Engineers
Bachelor of Science in Engineering & Bachelor of Arts in Languages

Languages Offered
  » American Sign Language
  » Arabic
  » Chinese
  » French
  » German
  » Greek
  » Hebrew
  » Italian
  » Japanese
  » Latin
  » Russian
  » Spanish

Geology
Geology – Engineering
Geology – Environmental
German Studies
Greek
History
International Relations
Italian Studies
Japanese
Jewish Studies
Latin
Latin American Studies
Legal Studies
Linguistics
Mathematics
  – Applied/Modeling
  – Statistics
Music
Peace Studies
Philosophy
Physics
Political Science
Political Science – American Politics
Political Science – Comparative Politics
Political Science – International Politics
Political Science – Political Theory
Psychology – Cognitive & Perceptual Sciences
Psychology – Neuropsychology
Public Policy
Race & Ethnicity Studies
Religious Studies
Russian
Russian – Area Studies
Social Justice
Sociology
Spanish
Theatre
Theatre – Acting & Directing
Theatre – Design & Technology
Translation Studies
Women’s & Gender Studies
WE DARE YOU TO **BUILD** YOUR FUTURE.

Take advantage of the many services offered by the Career Development Center.

- Mock interviews
- Networking events
- Internship and externship support
- Employer fairs
- Graduate school advising
- Graduate and professional school fairs

$48,506 was the mean starting salary for the Class of 2013.

BUCKNELL CAREER DEVELOPMENT CENTER DATA

According to the PayScale College ROI Report, Bucknell ranks **#4** among liberal arts colleges for mid-career salary.

96% of seniors say Bucknell has contributed “quite a bit” or “very much” to their ability to think critically and analytically.

The sources of all survey information can be found at bucknell.edu/ValueofBucknell.
Paul received his Masters of Philosophy in Archaeology at the University of Cambridge, is currently pursuing his doctorate in church history at the Catholic University of America and is the Chief Reviews Editor at *Hortulus: The Online Graduate Journal of Medieval Studies*.

Jean is a research associate at Covance, a pharmaceutical company.

Jermaine is an analyst at Goldman Sachs in London, United Kingdom.
tuition & aid

Comprehensive fee for students entering fall 2014:

- **Tuition**: $48,234
- **Activity Fee**: $264
- **Basic Double Room**: $6,848
- **Basic Board**: $4,794

**Total Comprehensive Fee**: $60,140

Your cost of attending Bucknell could be much lower, depending on your family's means. So apply for financial aid, and ask us for advice throughout the process.
undergraduate students receiving financial aid from Bucknell

about 52%
about 60%

undergraduate students receiving financial aid of some form

The average total need-based aid package (including grants and scholarships, loans and work-study) for a student in the Class of 2018 who demonstrates financial need is about $31,500

In addition to need-based financial aid, Bucknell offers limited merit scholarships:

» PRESIDENTIAL FELLOWSHIPS for students with exceptional academic records and an interest in undergraduate research

» B-WISE SCHOLARSHIPS for high-achieving women in engineering

» ARTS MERIT SCHOLARSHIPS for talented students in art, art history, music, theatre, dance, creative writing, film/media studies and English

» MATHEMATICS SCHOLARSHIPS for math students with superior academic performance

» DEAN’S SCHOLARSHIPS for academically strong applicants

» FIRST SCHOLARSHIPS for students who have participated in the FIRST Robotics competition

» CAMPUS ENRICHMENT SCHOLARSHIPS for those who bring intellectual and cultural diversity to campus

See more financial aid stats and info on how to apply for it at: bucknell.edu/FinancialAid
WE DARE YOU TO **TAKE** THE NEXT BIG STEP.

**VISIT:**

**A DAY IN THE LIFE** Are you a high school junior or senior who wants to see what a typical day at Bucknell is like? Attend a class, meet faculty, have lunch with a current student and take a personalized campus tour.

**PREVIEW SESSION** Learn about life at Bucknell, facts and stats, the application process and financial aid from one of our admissions counselors and then take a campus tour with a current student. You and your family are welcome and should plan on spending around two hours on campus.

**CAMPUS TOUR** Bucknell is beautiful and has exceptional facilities. Your guide will show you campus, share a student perspective and answer your questions about life inside and outside the classroom.

**LUNCH VISIT** Meet a current student for lunch at Bucknell’s main dining hall, Bostwick Cafeteria. You’ll eat, have a casual conversation and experience everyday student life.

**OPEN HOUSES** and **SPECIAL VISIT PROGRAMS**

To find out more and schedule a visit, see [bucknell.edu/visit](http://bucknell.edu/visit).

**WHAT IF I CAN’T VISIT CAMPUS?**

While we hope you can experience Bucknell in person, we understand that not everyone can visit. Explore opportunities, sign up for our mailing list and find out how to contact your regional admissions counselor at [bucknell.edu/admissions](http://bucknell.edu/admissions).
Bucknell’s beautiful 450-acre campus is located in the heart of scenic central Pennsylvania and is located within three hours by car from Baltimore, New York City, Philadelphia and Washington D.C.
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