ABOUT PENN STATE

University Structure

Campuses

Penn State has more than twenty campuses across Pennsylvania that serve students and communities through teaching, research, and service. Through its network of undergraduate campuses and World Campus, Penn State provides students the opportunity to begin and complete a Penn State degree at one campus, transition to complete a degree at another campus or complete a program completely online—this is the hallmark of Penn State’s unique one University concept.

The University Park campus, the administrative and research hub of the University is the largest of Penn State’s campuses. Across Pennsylvania, Penn State campuses play a critical role in the land-grant mission of the University, by providing access and opportunity—a commitment that remains at the core of each campus’s mission. In addition to providing the first two years of more than 160 Penn State majors, campuses confer some 5,000 Penn State degrees annually to students who complete their academic programs at a Penn State campus.

MORE INFORMATION ABOUT PENN STATE CAMPUSES (http://bulletins.psu.edu/undergraduate/campuses/)

Colleges

Penn State’s majors are divided among academic colleges, which are the units from which students receive their degrees. Examples of colleges are Arts and Architecture, Eberly College of Science, and Education, among others. In addition to the 12 academic colleges at the University Park campus, Penn State has six academic colleges across Pennsylvania that allow students to finish their degrees at a campus other than University Park.

With the exception of a few specialized programs, students interested in majors offered by the above academic colleges can start their education at any Penn State campus and then transition to University Park following their second year to complete their degree as part of the 2+2 Plan.

In addition, the Pennsylvania College of Technology in Williamsport offers enrollments in selected degree programs.

For a list of academic colleges, enrollment units, and special academic programs visit the Undergraduate Bulletin Colleges (http://bulletins.psu.edu/undergraduate/colleges/) page.

Academic Colleges at Campuses

Six Penn State colleges, located throughout the state, offer majors that are typically completed at campuses other than University Park. These colleges are:

• Abington College, at the Penn State Abington campus
• Altoona College, at the Penn State Altoona campus
• Behrend College, at the Penn State Erie campus
• Berks College, at the Penn State Berks campus
• Capital College, at the Penn State Harrisburg campus
• University College, is comprised of the following 14 campuses:
  • Penn State Beaver
  • Penn State Brandywine
  • Penn State DuBois
• Penn State Fayette, The Eberly Campus
• Penn State Greater Allegheny
• Penn State Hazleton
• Penn State Lehigh Valley
• Penn State Mont Alto
• Penn State New Kensington
• Penn State Schuylkill
• Penn State Shenango
• Penn State Wilkes-Barre
• Penn State Scranton
• Penn State York

Students interested in majors offered by these colleges can typically start at one campus and finish at another through the 2+2 plan, or they can choose to stay at one campus for all four years if their campus of choice offers the major they want. To see the specific majors available at each campus, search majors by campus.