HUMANITIES, SOCIAL SCIENCES, & EDUCATION

AT DREXEL UNIVERSITY





A NOTE FROM OUR SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT FOR ENROLLMENT MANAGEMENT

Do you think critically about human nature? Are you driven by your passion to understand people? Are you seeking an environment that has elevated standards for scholarship and research? If so, the humanities, social sciences, and education programs at Drexel University might be right for you. A Drexel education will allow you to explore these fields and enrich yourself with the skills, comprehension, and real-world application necessary to succeed within them.

Drexel is a premier comprehensive university that engages in the highest levels of research and has been preparing students through practical and experiential education for over 125 years. Our innovative model of learning pairs world-class academics with real-world experience, uniquely preparing students to thrive and excel in their fields.

Having served as a successful blueprint for experiential learning and career training since 1919, our cooperative education program (known as co-op) provides students with the opportunity for professional work before graduation. For 100 years, Drexel Dragons have experienced their chosen industries with the leaders of today and gained the necessary firsthand knowledge to become the leaders of tomorrow. Students leave our doors on graduation day with a full understanding of the path they have chosen.

This is a place that will allow you to develop your skills and encourage you to use them for the greater good. Utilizing academic and volunteer-based partnerships with our community, our students are among the most engaged students in the nation. They are not only making an impact on campus but also in the city of Philadelphia and around the world through academics, service, and leadership.

At Drexel, you can make your mark on the world. I encourage you to explore our humanities, social sciences, and education programs – along with everything else this great University has to offer you.

Sincerely,

Evelyn K. Thimba Senior Vice President for Enrollment Management Enrollment Management & Student Success

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Society is pushed forward by learning from the past in order to bring clarity to the future. The humanities are for those intrigued by the intricacies of cultural interaction and the touchstones of civilization. Those who work in these fields of study want to understand people and map out the human experience. Whether you desire to make an impact within the legal system, academia, a publishing company, or a classroom, a Drexel education will cater to your personal goals within industries that champion the humanities.

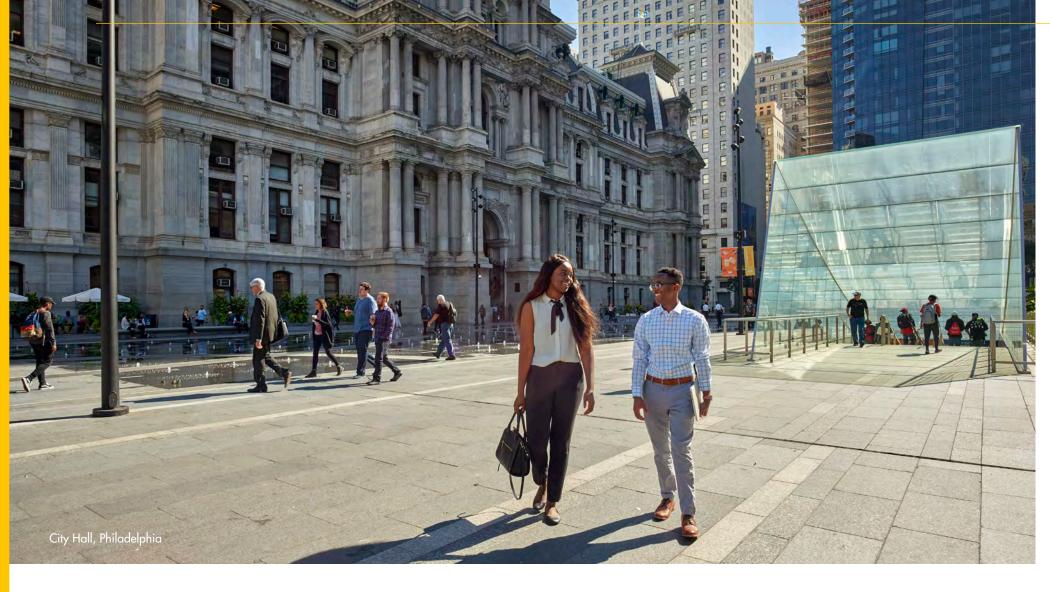
Through community-based learning, interdisciplinary study, and research opportunities, you'll take part in deconstructing the narrative of today's society. A Drexel education allows you to expand your cultural awareness; travel to exciting places such as Paris, Chile, and Africa through our study abroad program; and build a professional network that will set you up for success in your post-graduate career. Our cooperative education program (also known as co-op) will set you side-by-side with the thought leaders of today, collaborating with experts in your field and developing an impressive résumé — all before you graduate.

Through a unique combination of traditional learning and hands-on experience, you will have the privilege of analyzing complex human thought and relationships. The world won't wait, and neither should you. Learn more about our humanities programs at **drexel.edu/academics**.



MAJORS

- English
- Global Studies
- History
- Philosophy
- Philosophy, Politics, & Economics
- Undeclared –
 General Humanities and Social Studies
- Undeclared –
 First-Year Exploratory
 Studies (Humanities and Social Sciences)



SOCIAL SCIENCES

While the humanities serve to explore, document, and enrich who we are as individuals, the social sciences focus on solving and improving the challenges presented by modern societal interaction. By interpreting human behavior through the use of observation and empirical data, those who work in the social science fields improve society through social work, environmental organizations, policy think tanks, the government, and more — enhancing the lives of individuals and societies across the globe.

Whether your goal is to create new autism therapies, examine the effects of climate change on specific populations, or apply statistical results to advance criminal justice reform, Drexel provides the hands-on training that you need to change the world. Our innovative model of learning will allow you to strengthen and apply your classroom experience with real-world interactions, including direct access to doctors, patients, current political advocates, and more. A Drexel education means the opportunity to engage one-on-one with leading professionals in your field.

By the time you receive your degree, you'll have made your mark through experiences you won't find at any other university. Through Drexel's social sciences programs, you will use your newly honed skills to revolutionize how we interact with each other and the world at large. Learn more about our social sciences programs at drexel.edu/academics.



MAJORS

- Behavioral Health Counseling
- Communication
- Criminology and Justice Studies
- Economics
- Environmental Studies and Sustainability
- Philosophy, Politics & Economics
- Political Science
- Psychology
- Public Health
- Sociology
- Undeclared General Humanities and Social Sciences
- Undeclared First-Year Exploratory Studies (Humanities and Social Sciences)

EDUCATION



The humanities strive to understand the human experience and the social sciences utilize scientific findings to solve, navigate, and explore the way that society functions, but it is the educators of the world who steer the course of our future. Education has evolved throughout time, changing the ways we teach people to process and learn information. If you're passionate about shaping young minds into the innovators and leaders of tomorrow's world, a Drexel education can make that happen.

Drexel allows you to go beyond conventional training through both formal and informal approaches to learning. You'll have hands-on experience with students, developing instructional skills and practices that make for a dynamic and effective teacher. Our wide variety of programs are extraordinarily unique in that they require both student teaching and cooperative education experience directly related to your major area of concentration. You'll learn new approaches in pedagogical innovation, community partnership development, and more as you work with professionals both inside and outside of the classroom setting.

Your Drexel experience will allow you to discover and explore the forefront of education. By the time you graduate, you will have already built a résumé of real-world experience beyond student teaching that will set you apart from your peers. Learn more about our education programs at **drexel.edu/academics**.



MAJORS

- Elementary Education -Middle Level (Grades 4–8)
- · Mathematics & English
- · Mathematics & Science
- · Science & English
- -Pre-K-Grade 4 -Pre-K-Grade 4 & Special
- Education
- Non-Certification Program
- Secondary Education (Grades 7–12)
- -Biology
- Chemistry
- Earth & Space Science
- ⁻English
- ⁻General Science
- -Mathematics
- -Physics
- -Social Studies



WANT TO KNOW WHAT DREXEL IS REALLY LIKE?

GET A FIRSTHAND PERSPECTIVE

PaperClip is a collection of unique stories about Drexel experiences written by students. Learn more at **paperclip.drexel.edu**.

Our Admissions Blog gives you the insider's view of Drexel University. From tips about the admission process to a preview of life on campus and in Philly, you'll learn from those who know it best. Learn more at drexel.edu/undergrad/blog.





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COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

The College of Arts and Sciences challenges students to see beyond their own perspectives, enabling them to understand the problems of today to pioneer the solutions of tomorrow. With a diverse range of programs spanning the humanities, social sciences, and sciences, faculty and students drive positive change in areas such as cancer research, environmental sustainability, and disaster preparedness. The College provides a comprehensive, real-world education that empowers graduates to respond confidently to the world's most pressing issues — now and long into their future.

DORNSIFE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH

The Dornsife School of Public Health prepares ambitious students to fight for the health and human rights of the world's growing urban populations and use the insights and innovations to benefit communities of all types around the world. Dornsife prepares students with experience in and out of the classroom, research opportunities, and partnerships with local organizations to improve the health of populations.

SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS

The School of Economics is ranked among the best in the world for research on international trade, with leading faculty scholars in banking, monetary and fiscal policy, and industrial organization. Members of the faculty have published in the American Economic Review, RAND Journal of Economics, Review of Economics and Statistics, and more. Housed within the LeBow College of Business, the School of Economics is a well-established discipline in curricula and instrumental in business solutions.

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Our School of Education prepares high-quality teachers through a carefully designed blend of practice and research-based experiences. Students in our teacher education programs gain experience in classrooms starting in their first year, enabling them to graduate with extensive experience beyond that offered in most other teacher education programs.

For students interested in education but not becoming a certified teacher, the School of Education offers a BS in Education non-certification, designed to support civicminded students who would like to pursue careers connected to education in areas such as non-profits, learning technologies, etc.



COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

The College's diverse academic programs provide countless hands-on experiences across campus and beyond. Students collaborate across disciplines in labs, research facilities, and creative spaces, including:

- Academy of Natural Sciences of Drexel University, ranked by Best College Reviews as the #2 "Most Amazing Higher Ed Natural History Museum" in the country! The Academy offers students access to exciting research opportunities and more than 18 million specimens and archival collections.
- Drexel Publishing Group (DPG), a resource that comprises popular University literary publications such as 5027mac, Painted Bride Quarterly, and The 33rd.
- Drexel Writers Room, which brings together members of the Philadelphia and Drexel communities to explore writing as a tool for learning and a mode of creative expression.
- Joseph R. Lynch Observatory, home to a 16-inch Meade Schmidt-Cassegrain telescope, the largest in Philadelphia.
- Maya, Drexel's student-run undergraduate publication, featuring literature and artwork.
- Papadakis Integrated Sciences Building, a 130,000-squarefoot LEED Gold-certified facility with state-of-the-art teaching and research laboratories, classrooms, and North America's largest biowall.
- Weight, Eating and Lifestyle (WELL) Center, an interdisciplinary clinical research center that provides new behavioral and technological solutions for problems such as obesity, poor diet, sedentariness, and disordered eating.

DORNSIFE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Dornsife is located in Nesbitt Hall on our University City Campus. A few highlights include the School's nine research centers and programs, such as:

- The Urban Health Collaborative, which works to improve health in cities by increasing scientific knowledge and public awareness of health disparities and methods of improving health around the world.
- The Center for Firefighter Injury Research & Safety Trends, an initiative that supports the United States fire and emergency rescue service through data collection and analysis intended to improve the safety of service workers.

SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS

Located in Gerri C. LeBow Hall on the University City Campus, the School of Economics features resources for interdisciplinary experience, including:

- Drexel Solutions Institute, which fosters connections with industry to provide interdisciplinary learning projects, cutting-edge curricula, and valuable co-op opportunities.
- Dornsife Office for Experiential Learning, which provides practical opportunities for project-based learning and an understanding of business problem solving.
- Center for Business Analytics, which enables student participation in data-driven industry collaboration and the application of analytics across industries.
- Institute for Strategic Leadership, which provides a hands-on approach to understanding leadership trends and behaviors through experiential learning and real-world connections.
- Trading Lab, a technology lab with Bloomberg Terminals that is home to The Dragon Fund, a student-managed equity portfolio that oversees \$2.25 million.

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

As a practice-based school, the School of Education has many resources for students. A few highlights include:

- Field Placement Office, which connects students to strong mentor teachers and a wide variety of learning experiences at each stage of their professional development.
- Kappa Delta Pi International Education Honor Society and the Future Educators of Drexel are two student organizations that allow interactions and networking with fellow classmates through social and community education events.
- West Philadelphia Promise Neighborhood, a cradle-to-career program for children living in communities just beyond Drexel's University City campus. School of Education faculty and students lead education programs at seven schools in the neighborhood.



THIS IS DREXEL

ABOUT US

891 founded



our mascot is Mario the Dragon



the barcode was created here

Ranked in the TOP 100 UNIVERSITIES for Lifetime Earnings by Georgetown University's Center on Education and the Workforce in 2019

Drexel Rowing Team won six consecutive DAD **VAIL REGATTA** titles

First University to have a fully WIRELESS CAMPUS

Historic recordings by **DAVID BOWIE** are being restored in our Audio Archives

CONNECTIONS

ACADEMY OF NATURAL SCIENCES OF DREXEL UNIVERSITY

Home to President Thomas Jefferson's fossil collection

ExCITe CENTER

An incubator enabling transdisciplinary research, discovery, and mingling with research mentors

BARNEGAT BAY, NEW JERSEY

Students study animal life in this research center on the beach

Over

clubs, organizations, and intramural sports teams

8 Division I Teams

STUDENT LIFE

Over

fraternities & sororities

student-run radio station

PHILADELPHIA, PA IS OUR HOME

Home of the Philly

CHEESESTEAK

Over

250,000 college students



the Declaration of Independence was signed here



major Philly sports teams: Flyers, Phillies, Eagles, 76ers, and Union



COOPERATIVE EDUCATION

Founded in

1919

More than

Students have co-ops in

(+ Washington, D.C. &

UNIVERSITY CITY

The University's main campus

- Philadelphia, PA

CENTER CITY

Home of the College of Nursing and Health Professions

- Philadelphia, PA

QUEEN LANE

The University's main medical campus

East Falls, PA

DREXEL UNIVERSITY ONLINE

Everywhere

AROUND CAMPUS

residence halls

Drexel Recreation Center named one of Philly's

BEST GYMS

on-campus places to eat

Home of North America's largest

BIOWALL



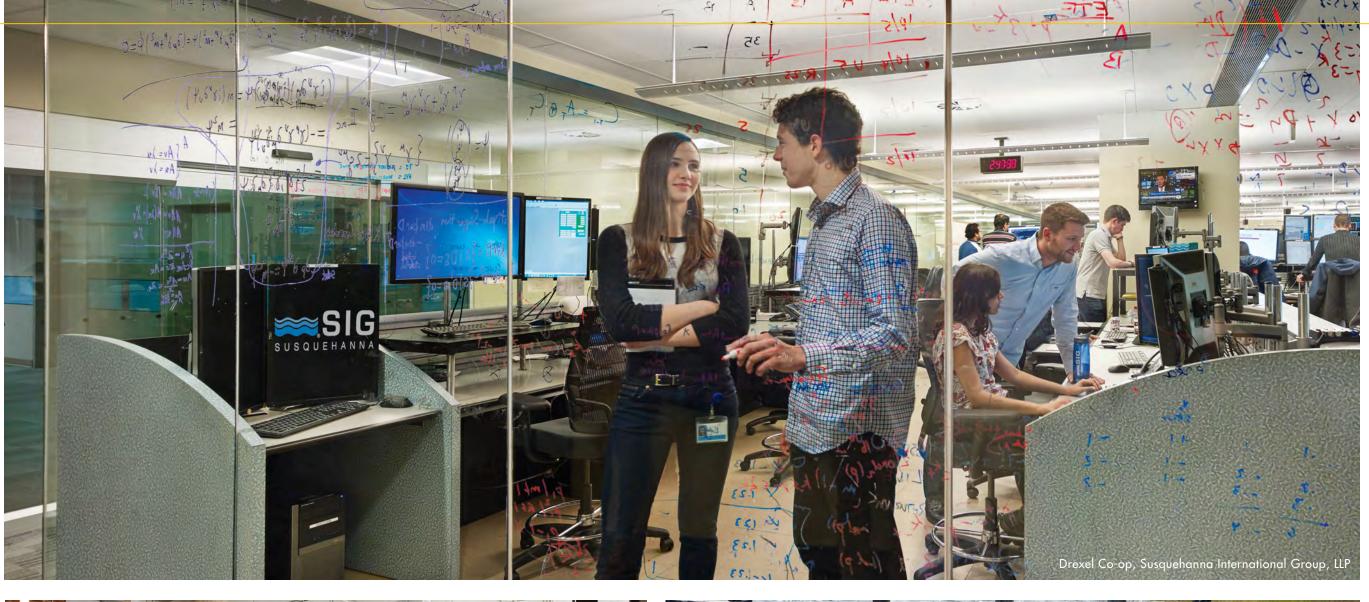
EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING

In 1891, A.J. Drexel founded this University with the dream to establish an institution that would fully prepare its students to excel in their future careers. To meet his vision, Drexel has developed a model of learning that takes students beyond the typical collegiate experience by combining world-class academics with real-world application. Our students are challenged to apply what they've learned in the classroom by working alongside mentors and industry professionals who push the boundaries of knowledge and achievement.

As a leading research institution, Drexel carries a long and storied history of innovation. Here, you'll not only assist faculty and staff with major projects, but you'll also have the opportunity to take the lead in your own studies — including graduate-level research during your first year — in our state-of-the-art facilities and labs. You will be encouraged to ask important questions and consider how the answers you find impact the world around us.

For over 100 years, our curriculum has also featured our cooperative education program, which enables students to test-drive different careers while learning side-by-side with the leaders of their respective field. Through Drexel Co-op, students can build an impressive résumé and gain up to 18 months of professional work experience in the United States and globally at Fortune 500 companies, nonprofits, startups, a variety of governmental agencies, and more. The majority of co-ops are paid and, of those that are paid, the median paid sixmonth co-op salary is more than \$18,000. Co-op will allow you to explore your options and narrow down your interests, ensuring you are on a fulfilling career path that meets your needs and expectations. With each experience, you'll gain a unique working perspective that can't be found in any textbook, allowing you to serve as a knowledgeable resource for fellow classmates and professors, as well as inform classroom instruction moving forward.

The Steinbright Career Development Center, one of the largest collegiate co-op and career services teams in the world, sets you up for success at Drexel from day one. Whether you're looking for potential co-op employers, research opportunities, or post-graduate endeavors, Steinbright connects you to Drexel's constantly growing network of employers and industry leaders while also building your résumé and interview skills through workshops and information sessions. Our unique combination of world-class career services and dedicated counseling professionals will help guide you to discover your interests and develop your professional tools.







ENHANCED OPPORTUNITIES

At Drexel, learning goes well beyond the traditional classroom. We encourage our students to pursue different opportunities, such as studying abroad, immersing themselves in the local community, and developing their own course of study.

Honors Program: At the Pennoni Honors College, the Honors Program serves as a catalyst for enhanced intellectual exploration. Composed of curious and active learners, this program offers exclusive access to Philadelphia events, advising and mentoring, dedicated housing, and a Living Learning Community, along with specialized opportunities to complete service and develop leadership skills. Honors students in this program are scholastic ambassadors at Drexel, raising their academic experience to the next level.

Civic Engagement: We believe in the importance of giving back to local communities — there are always opportunities to make an impact and serve the community here. Students can get involved on campus through Drexel's Lindy Center for Civic Engagement and the Dornsife Center for Neighborhood Partnerships during community-based learning courses and volunteering for community service. But our impact doesn't stop there; our dedication reaches out globally to improve the world around us.





Custom-Designed Major: The Custom-Designed program is suited for highly motivated students whose interdisciplinary curiosity and ambition cannot be satisfied by a traditional major. This path enables you to pursue an individualized course of study in place of an existing major, either by developing a plan with your advisor or by combining existing majors and minors to match your career goals. As a student in this unique program, you'll be advised by staff from the Honors College and mentored by a Drexel faculty member who has expertise in at least one of the areas in your course of study.

Global Opportunities: These options include study abroad, international co-op, and more. All Drexel students can take advantage of study abroad, which enables them to live and learn in another country while immersing themselves in the culture. Using our worldwide connections, you can choose from six continents and 65 countries! International co-op takes study abroad one step further; students not only live in another country, but also gain work experience as they test-drive a potential career. Students currently on international co-op are working in over 44 countries.



A CONNECTED COMMUNITY

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, is a revolutionary town founded on revolutionary thinking — much like the ambition Drexel students have for influencing change in the world. As the sixth largest city in the United States, the City of Brotherly Love is an extension of our campus and as a student here, you'll take full advantage of all it has to offer.

Philly culture is known for being as diverse as its many neighborhoods. From our University City Campus in the hub of Philadelphia's higher-learning community, it's easy to get to the stadiums in South Philly, take in some history in Old City, and enjoy the park in Rittenhouse Square. When you're not in classes, there is plenty to do, no matter how you like to spend your free time. Being in the fifth most walkable city in the country according to Walk Score has its perks: concerts, performances, restaurants, and athletic events are all easy to access.

Public transportation is just steps away from campus — it's easy to enjoy an authentic cheesesteak and then visit the famous Philadelphia Museum of Art. You will find that all areas of the city are interconnected by simple means of travel, and getting to historic sites around the city or connecting to various locations across the country is an easy task. Living in Philadelphia provides access to everything from farmers' markets in Lancaster County to ski and snowboarding locations in the Pocono Mountains to the best beaches in the Mid-Atlantic.



MAJORS

College of Arts and Sciences

- Biological Sciences
- Chemistry
- Communication
- Communication
- lournalism
- Public Relations
- Technical and Science Communication
- Criminology and Justice Studies
- English
- Literary Studies
- Writing
- Environmental Science
- Environmental Studies and Sustainability
- Geoscience
- Global Studies
- Global Business, Economics, and Development
- Global Health and Sustainability
- Global Justice and Human Rights
- Global Media, Arts, and Culture
- History
- Mathematics
- Philosophy
- Ethical Theory & Practice
- Philosophy & Law
- Philosophy, Technology, & Service
- Philosophy, Politics, and Economics
- Physics
- Political Science
- Psvchology
- Sociology
- Undeclared General Humanities and Social Sciences*
- Undeclared Science*

School of Biomedical Engineering, Science and Health Systems

• Biomedical Engineering

LeBow College of Business

- Accounting
- Business Analytics
- Business and Engineering
- Finance
- General Business
- International Business
- Legal Studies
- Management Information Systems

- Marketing
- Operations and Supply Chain Management
- Organizational Management
- Real Estate Management and Development
- Sport Business
- Technology and Innovation Management
- Undeclared Business*

College of Computing & Informatics

- Computer Science
- Computer Security
- Game Programming and Development
- Computing and Security Technology
- Data Science
- Information Systems
- Software Engineering
- Undeclared Computer and Information Sciences

School of Economics

Economics

School of Education

- Elementary Education
- Secondary Education
- Education, Non-Certification

College of Engineering

- Architectural Engineering
- Chemical Engineering
- Civil Engineering
- Computer Engineering

• Electrical Engineering

- Construction Management
- Engineering Technology
- Environmental Engineering
- Materials Science and Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Undeclared Engineering*

Close School of Entrepreneurship

- Entrepreneurship and Innovation
- Corporate Entrepreneurship
- Entrepreneurship and Innovation (Three-Year Option)*
- New Venture Creation
- Social Entrepreneurship

Pennoni Honors College

Custom-Designed Major

Westphal College of Media Arts & Design

- Animation & Visual Effects
- Architecture***
- Art History
- Dance
- Design & Merchandising
- Entertainment & Arts Management
- Fashion Design
- Film & Television
- Game Design & Production
- Graphic Design
- Interactive Digital Media
- Interior DesignMusic Industry*
- Business
- Recording Arts and Music Production
- Photography
- Product Design Screenwriting & Playwriting
- Virtual Reality & Immersive Media
- Undeclared Design*
- Undeclared Media*

College of Nursing and Health Professions

- Behavioral Health Counseling
- Culinary Arts and Science
- Culinary Science
- Food and Beverage Management
- Health Sciences
- Pre-Physician Assistant
- Pre-Physical TherapyHealth Services Administration
- Hospitality Management
- Nursing
- Nutrition and Foods

Goodwin College of Professional Studies

- First-Year Exploratory Studies
 Humanities and Social Sciences
- STEM
- General Studies****

Dornsife School of Public Health

• Public Health

Accelerated Degrees

- BS in Business/MBA
- BS in Computing and Security Technology/MBA
- BS in Culinary Arts and Science/MBA
- BS in Design and Merchandising/MBA
- BS in Entertainment and Arts Management/MBA
- BS in Hospitality Management/MBA
- BS in Information Systems/MBA
- BS in Music Industry/MBA
- BS in Sport Business/MBA
- BA/BS/MS in Communication
- BA/MS in Library and Information Science
- BS/MS in Accounting
- BS/MS in Biomedical Engineering
- BS/MS in Computing & Informatics
- BS/MS in Education
- BS/MS in Engineering
- BA in Philosophy/MS in Public Policy
- ullet BS/MS in Psychology
- BA/BS+MD Early Assurance Combined Program (Medicine)
- BA/BS/JD (Law)
- BS/DPT in Physical Therapy
- BS/MHS in Physician Assistant
- BS/MPH in Public Health

Note that transfer students cannot transfer directly into accelerated degree programs, but can speak with their advisors about doing so once they have enrolled at the University.

- * Not eligible for transfer students ** A second bachelor's degree program
- *** Available to transfers as a part-time program only. Not available to international students.
- **** Available to transfers only



FIRST-YEAR APPLICATION PROCESS

There is no typical Drexel student. Our students are ambitious, curious, complex, and bold. Candidates are selected based on their ability to thrive in our unique academic environment and make contributions to our diverse community. Through a contextual and holistic review process, we carefully consider each applicant, evaluating their personal qualities, academic journey, and intellectual promise.

Application Deadlines

Submitting your Application

First-year student applications are accepted through either the Common Application or the Coalition Application.

drexel.edu/admissions/apply

Standardized test scores

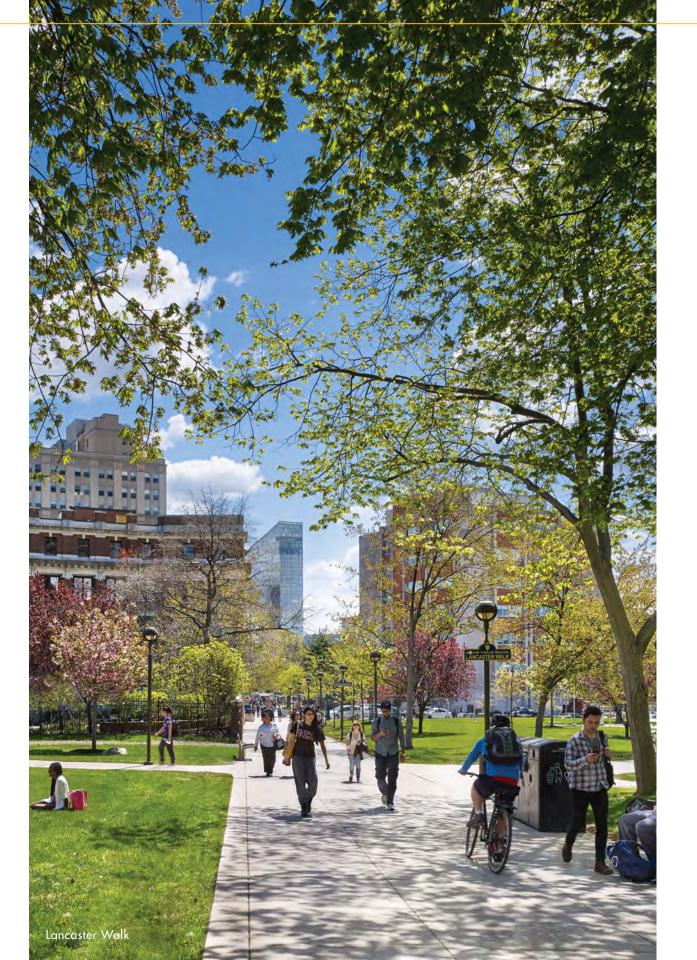
Drexel requires standardized test scores from all first-year applicants, but we offer some flexibility in which test(s) will fulfill that requirement. For non-native English speakers, there may be additional testing requirements.

drexel.edu/undergrad/apply/freshmen-instructions/standardized-tests

Financial Aid

Financial aid is available to domestic and international students in the form of merit scholarships and need-based grants. There are a few applications you should learn about to maximize the financial aid you are eligible for, such as the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and CSS Profile.

drexel.edu/undergrad/financing



TRANSFER APPLICATION PROCESS

There are many reasons you may consider transferring to Drexel, and as you make your transition, we'll be here to help you every step of the way. Drexel has a vibrant and active transfer community. Qualified applications are considered on a rolling basis through all terms. Applications must be received one month prior to the start of the term for which you are applying.

Application Deadlines

STARTING TERM	APPLICATION REVIEW BEGINS IN
Fall (September)	December
Winter (January)*	October
Spring (Late March/Early April)*	November
*Not all majors enroll in our off-terms	

Submitting your Application

Transfer students may submit applications through the Common Application or Drexel University's Admission Application.

drexel.edu/undergrad/apply/transfer

Financial Aid

Drexel offers competitive financial aid opportunities for transfer applicants. While students will be reviewed for scholarships during the admissions review process, we highly recommend filing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and CSS Profile as soon as possible to maximize their eligibility for support.

drexel.edu/undergrad/financing

VISIT

There are many different ways to visit Drexel University throughout the year, including Open Houses, daily visits, Transfer Tuesday and Thursday events, and more.

drexel.edu/admissions/visit

VIRTUAL TOUR

If you can't make it to campus, don't worry; our virtual tours will give you an insider's look into Drexel University. Whether you'd like to learn about restaurants in the area, what to do in University City, or even the best places to hear some local music, you can see it all through our virtual tours.

drexel.edu/virtual-tour

KEEP IN TOUCH

Our Office of Admissions is always here to help. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us:

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