

MISSOURI

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CURIOSITY DRIVES DISCOVERY

**Do you get excited about big questions?
So do we.**

We're not satisfied by just solving problems — our curious nature drives us to get to the heart of what matters — and explore the ways our work can make the world a better place.

At Mizzou, you're a student — and a leader, a visionary, a doer. You will join a community that relentlessly rises to the occasion, fueled by passion and a whole lot of heart.

This unstoppable spirit is part of the Missouri Method, our trailblazing approach to hands-on learning that has kept Mizzou at the forefront of experimental education for nearly 200 years. Join us at Mizzou and we'll help you discover what truly drives you.

YOUR JOURNEY STARTS HERE

Take your first steps:

→ [YOUBELONGHERE.MISSOURI.EDU](https://youbelonghere.missouri.edu)





MIZZOU LIFE

From sharing in campus traditions to connecting with fellow Tigers, living at Mizzou means classes, study groups and events are right outside your door.

Our Residential Life team provides everything you need for an exceptional home base. With 24/7 support from our live-in professional staff and convenient amenities, you'll have everything you need to settle in quickly and start exploring campus.



Live well, eat well.

Campus dining has convenient options, so you can choose whatever you're craving. From burgers to bowls, pizza to salads, and fruit to ice cream, you'll find something for every appetite. With grab and go and all-you-care-to-eat dining halls, there's an option for every schedule.

Check out your home away from home:
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TURN CURIOSITY INTO COMMUNITY



Stronger starts here.

Connecting with others is a huge part of the Tiger experience. Discover over 600 clubs and organizations to find one that speaks to you. Whether it's swing dancing, kayaking or joining a fraternity or sorority, there's something for you on campus. Teach local kids ballet or laugh loud at a comedy show. At Mizzou, you can take advantage of exciting experiences you'll remember for years to come.

Wellness unlimited.

Wellness is important, from taking a break after a tough study session to having fun with a basketball game with your roommate. MizzouRec is our massive indoor 300,000 square feet of recreational paradise. We're talking climbing wall, lazy river, 100 cardio machines, and three functional fitness spaces. There's also an indoor track, basketball courts, pickleball courts, and dumbbells from 2.5 to 150 pounds—and so much more!



CHOOSE A SUBJECT.

We'll help you get ahead.

Your path forward is wide open. Mizzou has 300+ degree programs and many professional options. If you don't find exactly what you're looking for, you can customize your own degree program.

Connect with world-renowned faculty and top-notch courses. You'll have amazing mentors by your side, providing expert guidance and pointing you in the direction you want to go.

Join a Freshman Interest Group, a small group of students who share similar academic interests, to make social and professional connections

in your first semester. As a FIG member, you'll be enrolled in four in-demand classes, giving you a built-in study group and the opportunity to benefit from a faculty/staff leader and peer advisor.

Within any program, you'll sharpen your career skills through the Missouri Method, our signature approach to hands-on learning born in our legendary School of Journalism. It's one reason our grads are ready to conquer the global stage, with diverse interests and even more diverse resumes.



95%

of Mizzou grads find successful career outcomes within six months of graduating.



\$5

Billion global
economic footprint

362,500+

Alumni around
the world

91%

Retention rate

18:1

Student-to-Faculty
Ratio

26

Average
ACT score

#13

Best college
for Future Leaders
– *Time Magazine*

1 of 38

Public universities
in the prestigious
Association
of American
Universities

18

Division I athletic
teams

31,000+

Students



THE POWER TO CHOOSE

Keep your options open.

Every school and college at Mizzou offers an “Undeclared” option for incoming Tigers who have a general idea of their interest area. Or you can apply as an “Exploring” student in the Discovery Center for the broadest look at options. Our academic advisors are here to help you navigate course options and find the degree program that fits you.

Accountancy
Agribusiness Management
Agricultural Education
Communications and Leadership
Teacher Certification
Agricultural Systems Technology
Agriculture
Ancient Mediterranean Studies
Animal Sciences
Anthropology
Architectural Studies
Architectural Studies
Interior Design
Art
(Some tracks include graphic design and photography)
Art History
Biochemistry
Biological Sciences
Business Administration
Finance and Banking — Real Estate
International Business (Finance, Management, Marketing)
Management
Marketing
Chemistry
Clinical and Diagnostic Sciences
Clinical Laboratory Science

Diagnostic Medical
Ultrasound
Nuclear Medicine
Radiography
Respiratory Therapy
Communication
Constitutional Democracy
Data Science
Digital Storytelling
Economics
Education — Early Childhood
Education — Elementary
Education — Middle School
Language Arts
Mathematics
Science
Social Studies
Education — Secondary
Biology
Chemistry
Earth Science
Language Arts
Mathematics
Physics
Social Studies
Education — Special Education
Education — World Languages
Education — Music
Educational Studies
Educational Games & Sim Design
Educational Leadership
Engineering — Biological
Engineering — Biomedical

Engineering — Chemical
Biochemical
Environmental
Materials
Engineering — Civil
Engineering — Computer
Engineering — Computer Science
Engineering — Electrical
Engineering — Information Technology
Engineering — Industrial
Engineering — Mechanical
English
Environmental Sciences
Atmosphere
Land and Soil
Outreach and Education
Water
Film Studies
Film Production
Food Science and Nutrition
General Studies
Geography
Human, Regional and Cultural Geography
Geographic Information Systems
Physical and Environmental Geography
Geological Sciences
German
Graphic Design

Health Science
Health and Wellness
Leadership and Policy
Pre-Professional (Some tracks include pre-pharmacy, pre-optometry, etc)
Rehabilitation Science

History
Public History
Hospitality Management
Conference and Event Management
Food and Beverage Management
Lodging Management
Sport Venue Management

Human Development and Family Science
Child Development and Education
Child Life
Family and Lifespan Development

Information Technology
Interdisciplinary
Black Studies
Environmental Studies
Peace Studies
Women's and Gender Studies

International Studies
East Asian Studies
Environmental Studies
European Studies
International Business
Latin American Studies
Peace Studies
South Asian Studies

Journalism
(Some tracks include broadcast, documentary, photojournalism, sports, social media, and strategic communication)

Linguistics
Mathematics
Actuarial Science and Mathematical Finance

Microbiology
Music
Composition
Music Education
Music History
Music Theory
Performance

Natural Resource Science and Management
Fisheries and Wildlife Sciences
Forest Resources
Human Dimensions
Terrestrial Ecosystems

Nursing
Nutrition and Exercise Physiology
Human Physiology and Translational Sciences
Nutrition and Foods/ Dietetics
Physical Activity, Nutrition and Human Performance

Occupational Therapy (Pre-Professional)
Occupational Therapy Assistant
Parks, Recreation and Sport
Natural Resource Recreation Management
Recreation Administration
Sport Management
Tourism Development

Personal Financial Planning
Financial Counseling
Personal Financial Management Services
Personal Financial Planning

Philosophy
Physical Therapy (Pre-Professional)
Physics
Astronomy
Biological Physics
Materials Science
Plant Sciences
Breeding, Biology and Biotechnology

Crop Management
Horticultural Science and Design
Political Science
Psychology
Public Health
Public Administration and Policy
Religious Studies
Romance Languages
French
Spanish
Russian
Social Work
Sociology
Speech, Language and Hearing Sciences
Statistics
Textile and Apparel Management
Theatre
Design/Technical
Performance
Writing for Performance
Professional Tracks
Pre-law
Pre-medicine
Pre-veterinary medicine
Pre-dental

Many degree programs have concentrations or tracks, which are collections of courses leading to a more focused program of study.

Admission to Mizzou does not guarantee acceptance into the separate schools, colleges or programs within the university.

Some degrees here might not be listed by official name or may be listed differently in other publications.

Explore all your options: → MAJORS.MISSOURI.EDU



TIGERS IN THE WILD

Go beyond the Columns.

Mizzou Study Abroad allows you to gain a global perspective while still working towards your degree and to build career-defining professional skills that make your résumé pop after graduation. Pick up a new language and take advantage of experiential learning opportunities while you're at it. Programs last a few weeks up to a whole academic year.

Start here. Go anywhere.



1 in 5
Mizzou undergraduates studies abroad

120+
Academic programs are represented abroad

50+
Programs abroad offer internships, research or service learning opportunities

An aerial photograph of a university campus. The sky is bright blue with scattered white clouds. In the foreground, there are lush green trees and a large green lawn. The middle ground is filled with various university buildings, including a prominent red brick building with a white portico and a large white dome topped with a spire. To the left, there is a tall, Gothic-style stone tower. The background shows more campus buildings and a distant horizon line.

**YOUR SUCCESS
STORY**

**CONTINUES
HERE**

THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE COMO

Welcome to the center of everything.

Columbia is a vibrant city in the middle of Missouri, ranked among the best college towns in the nation. Our city attracts world-class talent — and we don't just mean Mizzou students. Discover annual events like the True/False Film Fest and Unbound Book Festival and the outdoor concert series, Ninth Street Summerfest.

Explore our botanic garden, check out the year-round farmers market, hit the trails with over 60 miles of scenic trails and snag some unique finds at Art in the Park.

TOP 25

Best College Towns and Cities

— *Travel + Leisure Magazine*



10

Places to grab pizza within five blocks of campus

18

Art, film and music festivals

60+

Miles of trails

128,555

Population

200+

Restaurants

125

Miles to Kansas City or St. Louis



75

Parks

19

Live music venues



16

Museums and galleries

25

Coffee shops





M-I-Z Z-O-U!

Tigers roar louder.

Picture this: 71,000 Mizzou fans in a sea of black and gold, chanting “M-I-Z” as our Tigers dominate the Southeastern Conference (SEC). The roar at Memorial Stadium reaches a fever pitch and there you are, in the middle of it all.

Our teams bring their A-game every season, whether it’s football on Faurot Field, wrestling and volleyball at the Hearnes Center, or softball in front of a sold out crowd.

But Mizzou excellence doesn’t stop at athletics — our Tigers never back down. And trust us, we’ll make sure you hear all about it.





YOUR PLACE IS HERE



HOME SWEET HOMECOMING



We invented it.

In 1911, Mizzou alumni returned to campus in support of a fierce football rivalry. It was the nation's first homecoming. Now, with more than 362,500 Mizzou alumni around the globe, our Homecoming celebration is among the most spectacular in the country.

Homecoming is still a football game — and a city-wide celebration of what it means to be a Tiger. Campus and CoMo are decked out in black and gold, featuring can't-miss events like a talent show, tailgating and community service opportunities, including one of the nation's largest blood drives.

Out-of-state? We'll help you save.

You can start the process to become a Missouri resident as early as your freshman year and enjoy in-state tuition, saving you over \$20,000 a year.

It takes about a year and you'll need to do some paperwork along the way, but our residency experts will help you every step of the way.

MISSOURI RESIDENCY BASICS

- Live in Missouri for 12 consecutive months (August–August)
- Obtain a Missouri driver's license
- Register to vote in Missouri
- Get a job in Missouri earning at least \$3,000 of taxable income per year
- The student cannot be claimed as a dependent on a federal income tax return in another state

See what's required: → [RESIDENCY.MISSOURI.EDU](https://residency.missouri.edu)

WORLD-CLASS VALUE

Mizzou is a launchpad for future leaders, setting new standards of success every day. We provide our students the support they need to thrive — starting with making education affordable. Recognized by U.S. News & World Report as the #1 Best Value Among Midwest Flagships, Mizzou ensures you get the best bang for your buck. From the moment you're admitted, you'll be eligible for automatic, competitive and general scholarships, along with other financial aid options.

Maximize your dollars.

College is an investment and a degree comes with big rewards — potentially up to \$1.2M more in earnings throughout your career. Staying on top of the aid process and filing your FAFSA by Mizzou's priority deadline is one step toward financial success in college.

Find your scholarships.

Check out the automatic, competitive and general scholarships available at Mizzou. Apply for admission and meet all scholarship deadlines to make sure you get the most out of your options.

Scholarships and more FOR MISSOURIANS AND NONRESIDENTS

Automatic Scholarships

Apply for admission, submit your transcript and your test scores (unless applying test-optional) to be considered for a range of scholarships.

Competitive Scholarships

Some scholarships are based on your academic achievement, while others are tied to specific departments and programs. You might need to submit extra materials and keep an eye on varying deadlines.

General Scholarships

Scholarships of differing amounts are based on a range of factors. After applying for admission, log into your Application Status Page to check on your application.

Need-Based Aid*

File the FAFSA by the priority deadline to qualify for the maximum aid available to you and your family.

Grants*

Like scholarships, but mostly based on financial need. The best part? You don't have to pay them back.

Loans*

The FAFSA is required to qualify for federal loans. Mizzou also offers access to parent loans and a friendly team to help you find the best options.

*These require FAFSA information. File the FAFSA even if you think your family's income is too high or you are not expecting to receive aid.

Make your money go further:

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This is your journey, too.

When your Tiger passes through the Columns at Tiger Walk your role in their life changes, but your partnership with us in this exciting new chapter is just beginning. The Mizzou Families community keeps you connected and informed — offering guidance for navigating your role as coach and cheerleader. Every one of our faculty and staff members is dedicated to ensuring

students confidently step out of their comfort zone and into the future they see for themselves.

There are plenty of opportunities to stay involved — join us for Family Weekend and Homecoming, send care packages from The Mizzou Store and help them navigate new experiences like internships or study abroad.



MIZZOU MADE

**Major companies seek major talent.
That means you.**

A Mizzou education sets you up for success in the real world. Within six months of graduation, more than 95% of our grads are either working, serving in public service or the military, or continuing their education — a rate that eclipses

most public universities. In addition, over 11,500 job recruiters partner with Mizzou each year, allowing you to access on-campus career-specific job fairs and internship opportunities, empowering your future after graduation.



1987
JOHN ANDERSON
MU PROFESSOR AND FORMER
ESPN SPORTS ANCHOR



2014
JOEY GREENSTEIN
PROGRAMMING PRODUCER,
SNAP INC.



2016
CARA HARTWIG
VICE PRESIDENT, TPG
GROWTH, RISE AND TPG
NEXT CAPITAL FORMATION



2016
KYLE HOLTZMAN
BUSINESS LEAD, GOOGLE



2008
KAMARA JONES
ACTING ASSISTANT
SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC
AFFAIRS, US HHS



1995
GINA LAMB
DEPUTY EDITOR, SPECIAL
SECTIONS THE NEW YORK TIMES



2005
GREG MILLER
GAMING PERSONALITY
AND CEO OF KINDA FUNNY



2012
KAM PHILLIPS
FOUNDER, DREAM OUTSIDE
THE BOX, A NONPROFIT
ORGANIZATION FOR YOUTH



1983
JAMES WHITE
RETIRED CEO, JAMBA JUICE



BECOME A TIGER.

Apply for admission:

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SUBMIT AN ONLINE APPLICATION

Rolling admission means you will receive a decision about two weeks after we receive your completed application and \$55 application fee. Choose whether you want your application to be reviewed with or without a test score.

Apply by
November 15
to allow
time to meet
scholarship
deadlines.

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SEND HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT

MU Office of Admissions
230 Jesse Hall
Columbia, MO 65211

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SEND OFFICIAL TEST SCORES

Send your scores to Mizzou directly from ACT (code: 2382) or the College Board if you took the SAT (code: 6875)

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