



MIAMI UNIVERSITY

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# Report Card

2018-2019

For parents, taxpayers, alumni,  
the governor, and legislators



Miami University and the State of Ohio have enjoyed a successful partnership for 209 years.

Miami's vision is to provide the best undergraduate experience in the nation, enhanced by superior, select graduate programs. Experiential learning prepares students to lead in companies and communities.

We are a residential university with faculty who are dedicated to learning and discovery. On the Oxford campus, Miami offers bachelor's degrees in 122 areas of study. Graduate students choose from more than 60 master's degree and 12 doctoral degree programs. Seventeen bachelor's degrees and 13 associate degrees are offered at Miami's regional locations.

Our relationships with local and distant communities include more than 220,000 passionate and successful alumni involved around the world - nearly half of whom live in Ohio.



**First-year class stats, fall 2017**

Average ACT .....	28.3
Average GPA.....	3.76
Non-residents .....	42.5%
Domestic students of color.....	16.8%
First-generation.....	15.2%
International students .....	8.4%



**17-to-1**

Miami's student-to-faculty ratio



**65%**

of courses have fewer than 30 students.



from all our campuses took **online Miami courses** in 2016-2017, an option enhancing course access and availability.



Miami's 2018 graduation success rate for **student-athletes** is

**94%**

The graduation success rate is percentage of eligible-to-graduate student-athletes who graduate within six years.



Our four-year graduation rate ranks

**17th**

among public universities in the U.S. and

**1st**

among publics in Ohio.

Miami's **six-year graduation** rate is

**78%,**

including 73% for African-American students and 69% for Hispanic students.

Our **six-year** rate is **32nd highest** among **public universities nationwide.**

The international student graduation rate is 67%.



Miami's hometown, **Oxford, Ohio,**

is annually among the

**best college towns in the country,**

according to **WalletHub,**

a website that ranks 280 college cities based on 23 metrics, including quality of higher education, crime rates, cost of living, low brain drain, and highest number of students per capita.

Employers conduct



as many **on-campus interviews** at Miami as compared to peer institutions.



Among Ohio public universities, Miami graduated the highest percentage and the

**2nd**  
**highest number of undergraduate students in the “hard sciences”**

(biological sciences, physical sciences and mathematics) over the last five years.

Each year, more than

**2,000**  
**undergraduates work with professors on funded research,**

many starting in their freshman year.



Miami is one of 11 Ohio colleges and universities sharing a five-year \$3.5 million **National Science Foundation grant to help increase under-represented student success**

in science, technology, engineering, and mathematic (STEM) disciplines.

Approximately

**69%**  
of Miami seniors are involved in **internships, field-work or co-ops.**



With 46.3% of undergraduate students earning credit abroad by the time they graduate.

**55%**  
**of students study away or abroad.**

Includes students on internships, non-credit and Service-Learning programs, international students who study in a third country, and all other overseas programs completed by graduate and undergraduate students.



In addition to our Luxembourg campus, Miami offers **more than**

**350**  
**co-sponsored study abroad programs** that permit scholarship transfer.



Approximately

**5,000**  
**Miami students volunteered** during the 2017-2018 academic year, clocking **40,000 hours.**

Miami offers **public service immersion opportunities** at the local, state and federal levels through its Urban Teaching Cohort, Center for Community Engagement in Cincinnati's Over-the-Rhine neighborhood, Government Relations Network and the Center for Public Management and Regional Affairs.

**Other immersion opportunities** include Digital Innovation centers in Cincinnati and San Francisco, the Inside Washington and Inside Hollywood programs, and the Wilks and Lockheed Martin leadership institutes.

## National Measures of Quality and Value

Per *U.S. News & World Report*  
2019, Miami is

**#3**

**for undergraduate teaching nationwide,**  
in good company with  
Princeton and Dartmouth.  
(short listed every year since 2009.)

Miami's Entrepreneurship program  
is ranked

**9th**

among public universities and  
**18th overall** by  
*The Princeton Review* as one of the  
**Top Schools for Undergraduate Entrepreneurship** for 2018.  
(Miami's 10th year in a row on the list.)



Payscale.com 2018 ranks Miami **1st in Ohio** and **43rd in the nation** among public universities for midcareer salary potential, with a median income of \$104,600.

*Kiplinger's Personal Finance*  
magazine listed Miami among the  
**top 50 "Best Values in Public Colleges"**  
for 2018.

*U.S. News & World Report* ranks  
Miami 41st among  
**"Best Colleges for Veterans."**

## Return on Investment



Miami is one of  
the nation's  
**"Colleges That Pay You Back,"**  
per *The Princeton Review* 2018.  
(Based on 40 data points  
from academics to  
cost, financial aid,  
graduation rates, alumni  
salaries, and more.)



More than  
**97.3%**  
of 2016-2017  
Miami graduates  
were employed  
or furthering their  
education by fall 2017  
(per surveys and  
national data)



In 2016-2017,  
**1,730 employers**  
recruited Miami  
students and placed  
**6,479 internship  
and job postings,**  
many for multiple  
openings, on  
the university's  
electronic job board.



**79.4%**  
of undergrads  
accepted to  
**medical school**  
with at least 3.40  
science and overall  
G.P.A., 50th percentile  
score on MCAT.

**96%**

acceptance rate of  
Miami seniors into  
**law school**



compared to an 86%  
national average

*U.S. News & World Report*  
says  
Miami is the

**#1**  
**most efficient school**  
**among top national universities**  
when comparing  
spending and  
educational quality.

### Affordability at Miami is enhanced because

- Students can carry a double major or minor (nearly 50% do).
- Students pay **no extra tuition** beyond 12 credit hours per semester.
- More than 60% of academic programs offer **pathways for completion in three years**.

Factoring in financial aid (scholarships, grants and all sources),

# 14%

**of Ohio students pay no tuition and fees and an additional 15% pay less than \$5,000 in tuition and fees to attend Miami's Oxford campus.**

# 66%

**of the fall 2017 freshman class received a scholarship or grant**

from Miami University. Miami offers merit scholarship packages for top students, recognizing academic ambition and accomplishment.



In Miami's ongoing Lean initiative to reduce costs and maximize efficiency, we have gained more than

# \$71 million

in additional or new revenues or cost reductions while reinvesting in critical strategic priorities and building academic quality.

Miami continues to **invest in building and infrastructure improvements** that reduce our energy consumption and carbon footprint.

Recent projects include:

- Western Geothermal Plant expansion
- Ongoing renovations of residence halls following LEED Silver guidelines
- Focused LED lighting replacements
- Aggressive retro-commissioning of existing spaces.

Miami's energy footprint has been reduced 36% and our carbon footprint has been reduced 33% compared to a baseline fiscal year of 2008.

### Cost of Degree in four years for an Ohio Resident

Ohio students who apply to Miami also often apply to other high-caliber private and public universities. With Miami's high four-year graduation rate, Ohio students attending Miami can save anywhere from \$53,664 to \$143,996 on average four-year tuition costs, based on today's out-of-state institutions' rates.

Miami:	\$61,512
Purdue:	\$115,176
Illinois:	\$126,672
Indiana:	\$139,384
W&M:	\$181,088
Michigan:	\$205,508

## Miami's Positive Impact in Ohio

Miami is the largest employer in Butler County.

The overall impact of Miami University on the local business community during 2016-2017 amounted to **\$2.3 billion** in added income, combining the impacts of operations spending, research spending, construction spending and student, visitor and alumni spending – **more than 28 times greater than the state's \$81.8 million investment in the university.**

Also, the \$2.3 billion in combined spending is estimated to support 31,473 Ohio jobs.

### Facts at-a-glance

**Affiliation:** Miami is an Ohio public university.

**History:** Founded in 1809, Miami's name reflects the history of the Native American tribe who once lived in the Miami Valley region of Ohio. Miami maintains strong ties with the Miami Tribe, now located in Oklahoma, and with the Myaamia Center, a cultural and research center, in Oxford.

**Location:** Oxford, Ohio (35 miles northwest of Cincinnati). Miami's Oxford campus encompasses 2,138 acres and includes 188 buildings.

**Enrollment:** (fall 2017) 17,147 undergraduates and 2,553 graduate students in Oxford. Regional campuses in Hamilton, Middletown, and West Chester enroll 5,000 students combined. About 200 students per year leave Oxford to study at Miami's **Luxembourg campus** for a semester or year.

**Cost:** First-time in-state Oxford students enrolling in fall 2018 pay \$15,378 tuition and general fees, an amount frozen for four years by the Miami Tuition Promise. Since 2016, Miami's Tuition Promise freezes a cohort's tuition and fees for four years for in-state and out-of-state students (classes entering in 2016 and 2017 pay a different amount, also frozen).

New out-of-state students in fall 2018 pay \$34,895 in tuition and fees, frozen for four years.

Room and board cost for incoming students in 2018 is \$13,860 (weighted average, options vary) and will not rise within students' four-year experience.

Tuition at the regional campuses is among the **lowest regional campus tuitions** in the state.

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