



WESTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

Haenicke Institute for Global Education

International Student
and Scholar Services



"The best part of my time at WMU was the strong sense of community built through a dedicated study group and the unwavering support of the faculty... A lasting memory is how we all worked together—students and professors alike—to ensure everyone succeeded. That spirit of collaboration and academic rigor defined my journey."

— Richard || WMU Graduate from Ghana
Applied Economics, 2025



No. 3

Best Metro Area in America for new college grads*

—Smart Asset, 2023

9 of 10

Broncos are employed quickly, working in their field in jobs they like*



94%

of graduates working full time have a job related to their degree*

Best College for Future Leaders

Top 4 in Michigan and top 125 in U.S.*

—TIME and Statista (2025)



Top 100

in the nation for five graduate programs*

—2025 U.S. News & World Report



93%

of graduates participated in Experience-Driven Learning*



Welcome to Western Michigan University

You're an individual who is truly unique. We celebrate the passions that drive you and the possibilities that inspire you. Here, a degree is a pursuit of purpose where education empowers you, well-being strengthens you and Experience-Driven Learning leads to a meaningful career. Western is the place to become your best self.



Apply to WMU

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Ready to become a Bronco? Scan the QR code for application requirements, tuition details and funding opportunities for international students.

WMU is a strong investment

At Western Michigan University, we believe a college education opens doors to a meaningful career and a life well lived. Here, students are empowered to live their best life with Experience-Driven Learning opportunities as early as their first semester.

Global Education Merit Scholarships

wmich.edu/international/financial-aid

WMU is proud of its deep and historic commitment to international student success and well-being. Our Global Education Merit Scholarship, valued up to \$10,000 per academic year, can be applied to your WMU tuition throughout the duration of your program. No additional scholarship application is necessary.

English Language Proficiency Requirements

Graduate	Undergraduate	Pathway
TOEFL: 80	TOEFL: 71	TOEFL: 52
IELTS: 6.5	IELTS: 6.0	IELTS: 5.5
PTE: 54	PTE: 48	PTE: 42
Duolingo: 105	Duolingo: 100	Duolingo: 85

UNDERGRADUATE MAJORS

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Arts & Sciences

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African American & African Studies
Anthropology
Applied Mathematics
Biochemistry +
Biology +
Biomedical Sciences +
Business-Oriented Chemistry
Chemistry + *
Communication Studies *
Community & Regional Planning
Criminal Justice Studies *
Data Science + *
Digital Media & Journalism +
Earth Science + *
Economics +
English: *
• Creative Writing
• Literature & Language
• Rhetoric & Writing
Environmental & Sustainability Studies +
Environmental Geography +
Environmental Geology +
Film, Video, & Media Studies
French
Freshwater Science & Sustainability +
Gender & Women's Studies
Geochemistry +
Geographic Information Science +
Geology +
Geophysics +
German
Global & International Studies
History *
Hydrogeology +
Integrated Science
Interpersonal Communication
Japanese
Latin
Mathematics + *
Philosophy
• Professional & Applied Ethics
Physics +
Political Science *
• American Public Policy
• International & Comparative Politics
• Public Law
Psychology *
Public & Nonprofit Administration
Public History *
Public Relations & Social Media
Management
Social Psychology +
Social Studies
Sociology *
Spanish
Statistics + *
Strategic Communication:
• Diversity & Inclusion
• Leadership & Teamwork
• Media & Technology
Sustainable Brewing +
Teaching & Learning
Mathematics
Tourism & Travel
Urban, Regional &
Environmental Planning +
World Religions & Cultures

Aviation

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Flight Science + #
Management & Operations +
Technical Operations +

Business

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Accountancy
Business Analytics +
Business Law
Computer Information Systems +
Digital Marketing
Economics: Business
Finance
Food Marketing
Human Resource Management
Integrated Business Administration
Leadership & Business Strategy
Marketing
Personal Financial Planning
Sales & Business Marketing
Supply Chain Management

Education & Human Development

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Child Development & Services*
Early Childhood
• General & Special Education & Lower
Elementary Education, Birth to 3
• General & Special Education,
Birth to Kindergarten
Education: Business Teaching, 6-12
Elementary Education
Event Management
Exercise Science *
Family and Consumer Sciences
Teacher Education *
Family Science and Services
Fashion Design and Development
Fashion Merchandising
Industrial Technology Education
Nutrition and Dietetics
Occupational Education Studies
Physical & Health Education
Teacher Education
Recreation Management
Special Education *
Sport Management
Teaching English to Speakers of
Other Languages*
• K-12; Elementary Ed PK- 3
Workforce Education and Development
Youth and Community Development

Engineering & Applied Sciences

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Aerospace Engineering + *
Chemical Engineering + *
Civil Engineering + *
Computer Engineering + *
Computer Science *
Construction Engineering +
Cybersecurity +
Electrical Engineering + *
Engineering Design Technology +
Engineering Management Technology +
Industrial & Entrepreneurial Engineering
Manufacturing Engineering Technology + *
Mechanical Engineering Automotive +
• Solid Mechanics/Structures
Paper Engineering +

Fine Arts

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Acting ^
Art ^
Art Education
• Art Education Secondary ^
Art History
Arts Administration ^
Dance ^
Graphic Design
Interior Architecture and Design ^
Kinetic Imaging ^
Multimedia Arts Technology ^
Music ^ *
• Composition ^
• Jazz Studies ^
• Performance:
• Instrumental ^
• Keyboard ^
• Vocal ^
Music Education:
• Choral/ General, Secondary ^
• Instrumental, Secondary ^
Music Theatre Performance ^
Music Therapy ^
Musical Arts ^
Product Design
Stage Management ^
Theatre Design and Technical Production ^

Health & Human Services

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Health Administration
Healthcare Services and
Rehabilitation Sciences
Healthcare Services and Sciences
• Clinical Practice in Health
• Physician Assistant Preparation
Nursing
Public Health
Social Work
Speech, Language and Hearing Services

+ STEM Program
Requires higher English proficiency
^ Additional requirements. See
department's website.
* Accelerated program option available.
Take up to 12-credit hours during your
undergraduate senior year, leading to a
master's degree in as few as five years.

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GRADUATE PROGRAMS

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100+
graduate degrees
and certificates

Arts & Sciences

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Anthropology, MA
Communication, MA*
Comparative Religion, MA*
Data Science, MS+ *
Economics, MA+
• Applied Economics, MA, PhD +*
English, MA, PhD*
• Professional Writing, MA
• Teaching, MA
• Creative Writing, MFA*
Geography, MS+*
• Geosciences, MS, PhD+
• Geographic Information Science Cert.
• Geospatial Applications of Unoccupied
Aircraft Systems (Uas) Cert. *
Hispanic Studies, MA*
History, MA, PhD, Cert.*
• Public History, MA*
• Cultural & Environmental Heritage
Management Cert.
• History of Monastic Movements Cert.
International Development
Administration, MIDA*
Mathematics, MA, PhD+*
• Applied and Computational
Mathematics, MS+
• Applied Statistics Cert.
• Statistics, MS, PhD+* Mathematics
Education, MA
• Statistics, MS+*
Medieval Studies, MA*
Philosophy, MA
Physics, MA, PhD+
Political Science, MA, PhD+*
Psychology, MA, PhD
• Behavioral Psychology, PhD
• Clinical Psychology, PhD
• Industrial Organizational, Behavior
Management, MA+>
Public Administration, MPA*
• Tribal Governance Cert.
Sciences, MA, MS, PhD, Cert
• Biological Sciences, MA, MS, PhD+*
• Biostatistics Cert.*
• Chemistry, MA, MS, PhD+*
• Climate Change Policy &
Management Cert.
• College Science Teaching Cert.
• Earth Science, MS+*
• Hydrogeology Cert.
• Science Education, MA, PhD
Sociology, MA, PhD*
• Criminal Justice Studies, MA*
Spanish, PhD
Spiritually, Culture, & Health, MA, Cert.

Aviation

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Aviation Administration Cert.

Business

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Accountancy, MS>
Business Administration, MBA>
Business Analytics, Cert.
Cybersecurity, MS, Cert.+
Finance, MS, Cert.+>
• Corporate Financial Planning &
Analysis, MS
• Data Analytics in Finance, MS
• Securities and Markets, MS
Financial Technology Cert.
Food Marketing Cert.
Supply Chain Management Cert.

Education & Human Development

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Counseling, MA, PhD, Cert.
• Counseling Psychology, MA, PhD, Cert.*
• Counselor Ed., MA, PhD
• Clinical Mental Health Counseling, MA
• Marriage, Couple, & Family Counseling, MA
• School Counseling, MA, Cert.
Education, MA, PhD, EdS, Cert.
• Early Childhood General &
Special Ed., MA, Cert.
• Early Childhood Ed., MA
• Education & Human Development, PhD
• Educational Leadership, MA, EdS, PhD
• Educational & Global Leadership, MA, Cert.
• Educational Foundations, MA
• Educational & Instructional
Technology, MA, Cert.
• Evidence-Based Reading Instruction
& Intervention, Cert.
• Higher Ed. & Student Affairs
Leadership, MA, Cert.

• K-12 Leadership, PhD
• Literacy Studies, MA
• Organizational Analysis Leadership, PhD
• Physical Ed., MA, Cert.
• PBIS Cert.
• Principal & Athletic Leadership, MA
• Principal Leadership, MA
• School Administrator, Cert.
• Special Ed., MA, EdD, Cert.*
• Teacher Development, Cert.
• Teaching, MA
• Elementary Ed., MA
• Secondary Ed., MA*
• TESOL, MA, Cert. #*
• Teaching, Learning &
Educational Studies, MA
• Curriculum & Instruction, MA
• Teacher Leader, MA
Evaluation, Measurement &
Research, MA, PhD+
• Evaluation, PhD, Cert.
• Mixed-Methods Research, Cert.
• Qualitative Research Methods, Cert.
Exercise Science, MS+*
Family & Consumer Sciences, MA*
• Child Life, MA
• Family Life Ed., MA
• Family Sciences and Services, MA
• Fashion Merchandising &
Apparel Design, MA
• Youth & Community
Development, MA, Cert.
Kinship Care, Cert.
Nutrition & Dietetics, MS
Organizational Change Leadership, MA, Cert.
Sports Management, MA
Sports Coaching, MA
Workforce Ed. & Development, MA, Cert. *

Engineering & Applied Sciences

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Aerospace Engineering, MS+>*
Chemical Engineering, MS, PhD+*
Civil Engineering, MS, PhD+>
Computer Engineering, MS+*
Computer Science, MS, PhD+*
Cybersecurity, MS, Cert.*
Electrical Engineering, MS+*
Electrical & Computer
Engineering, PhD+
Embedded System Design, Cert.
Engineering & Applied
Sciences, PhD+
Engineering Management, MS+
Industrial Engineering, MS, PhD+*
Manufacturing Engineering, MS+*
Mechanical Engineering, MS, PhD+>
Paper & Printing Science, MS, PhD+*
Renewable Power Systems, Cert.

Fine Arts

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Art Education, MA
Ceramics, MFA^
Music, MA^
• Composition, MM^
• Conducting, MM^
Performance, MM, Cert.^
Music Education, MM
Music Theater Performance, Cert.^
Music Therapy, MM^

Health & Human Services

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Alcohol & Drug Abuse Cert.
Assistive Technology for Individuals with
Blindness or Visual Impairment, Cert.
Holistic Health & Contemplative
Well-Being Cert.
Interdisciplinary Health Sciences, PhD
Nurse Educator Cert.
Occupational Therapy, OTD
Orientation & Mobility, MA, Cert.*
Physical Therapy, DPT
Physician Assistant, MSM
Public Health, MPH
Social Work, MSW
Teaching Children with Visual
Impairments, MA
Vision Rehabilitation Therapy, MA, Cert.*
Speech-Language Pathology, MA

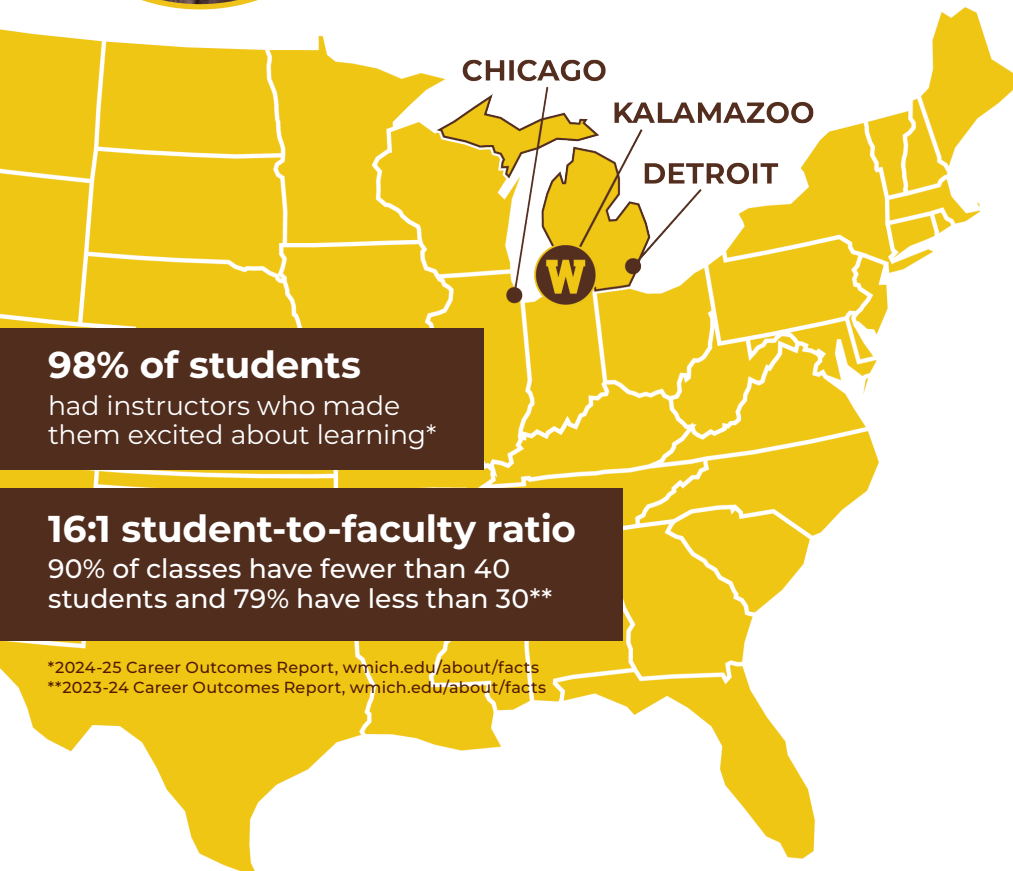
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— Elfriede || WMU Graduate from Indonesia Public Relations, 2025



98% of students

had instructors who made them excited about learning*

16:1 student-to-faculty ratio

90% of classes have fewer than 40 students and 79% have less than 30**

*2024-25 Career Outcomes Report, wmich.edu/about/facts

**2023-24 Career Outcomes Report, wmich.edu/about/facts



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Explore Kalamazoo

- Snag a ticket to a show at Miller Auditorium or at a downtown venue.
- Wander at Asylum Lake Preserve or many of the area lakes and parks.
- Soak up some sun at nearby Lake Michigan beaches.
- Gather for live music and local fun downtown during the summer and festivals.
- Cheer on the Broncos and experience WMU's vibrant campus spirit at a WMU Athletics game or event.

Get Involved

5,000+

concerts, plays, musicals and other campus events each year

NEARLY

400

student organizations with dozens of cultural groups including an International Student Council

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Club Sports

Badminton	Skating
Baseball	Ski/Snowboard
Basketball*	Soccer*
Dodgeball	Softball
Esports	Swim
Golf	Tennis
Ice Hockey**	Track & Field
Lacrosse*	Ultimate Frisbee
Powerlifting	Volleyball*
Rugby*	Wrestling
Sailing	

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*Men's and Women's

**D1 and D3