

2023-2024 PROFILE

At Fairleigh Dickinson University, our admissions staff members look forward to partnering with you this coming year. We are here to help in any way as you guide your students through their college search and successful transition to college.



CAMPUSES

Florham Campus: Madison, New Jersey (35 miles west of New York City)

Metropolitan Campus: Teaneck, New Jersey

(6 miles west of New York City)

Vancouver Campus: Downtown Vancouver, British Columbia

Wroxton College: Oxfordshire, England

(70 miles northwest of London)

ACADEMICS

- 100+ majors and concentrations
- 4+1 combined bachelor's/master's degrees
- FDU's 3+4 Pharmacy program (BS/PharmD)
- A robust pre-professional studies program
- "Exploring" tracks for undecided students
- **Go for 4** initiative to help students complete their degree in four years a significant savings of time and money

FDU FACTS & FIGURES

Enrollment: 4,423 undergraduates and 2,675 graduate students at our Florham and Metropolitan campuses

Affiliation: Private, non-sectarian

Student/Faculty Ratio: 11:1

Average Class Size: 16 students

Freshmen Living on Campus: 70% (Florham); 37% (Metro)

Campus Life: 100+ active student organizations and clubs

44 NCAA Athletic Teams: Division I Knights (Metro)

Division III Devils (Florham)



RECOGNITIONS

Read what others say about FDU — from U.S. News & World Report to Forbes — at fdu.edu/rankings.

NOTABLE INITIATIVES

Hispanic Center: Our new Hispanic Center provides academic, cultural and social resources to our growing number of students of Hispanic heritage. It includes FDU's nationally recognized Latino Promise and HACER programs designed to help students successfully transition to college and persist in their studies. **fdu.edu/hispanic**

Royal Shakespeare Company at Wroxton College, Oxfordshire: FDU is the only American university to offer a study abroad program that gives theater majors and others the opportunity to train at the RSC while living and taking classes at FDU's Wroxton College campus in England. fdu.edu/rsc

Honors Academy: This program brings 10 scholarship recipients from each campus together to explore topics of global concern through study, guest lectures and travel. **fdu.edu/honorsacademy**

LD Support: FDU offers a nationally recognized program of structured academic support, advisement and counseling for students with language-based learning differences (like dyslexia) — at no additional fee. **fdu.edu/LD**

Meet Our New President



Just 24 years after graduating from FDU, Michael Avaltroni, PhD, is now guiding his alma mater's future as its ninth president. Not long after earning his master's and doctoral degrees in chemistry at Princeton University, Dr. Avaltroni returned to FDU as a faculty member, then became department chair before assuming the leadership of FDU's School of Pharmacy and Health Sciences. In 2022, he became university provost and senior vice president for academic affairs. His presidency will focus a renewed emphasis on putting students first, with a special commitment to assuring access and opportunity to all students. You can read his posts on today's challenging educational environment for students (and other topics!) on LinkedIn.

NOTEWORTHY UPDATES

University-Wide Arts & Sciences Reorganization

FDU's Maxwell Becton College of Arts & Sciences now offers comprehensive degree programs on the Florham, Metropolitan and FDU Vancouver campuses through five schools of study: Arts; Humanities; Interdisciplinary Studies; Sciences, Mathematics and Computer Science; and Social Sciences and History.

Note: Mathematics and computer science majors on FDU's Metropolitan Campus will enroll in the Gildart Haase School of Computer Science and Engineering.

New R&D Lab

Funded by the Heart Foundations, a new research and development lab will be completed by Fall 2024 at FDU's Lee Gildart and Oswald Haase School of Computer Sciences and Engineering (GHSCSE). The new R&D lab will complement the School's 18 other labs with an emphasis on interdisciplinary and externally-funded research.

Behavioral Health

As part of an increased focus on student health and wellbeing, FDU will be working with telehealth partners like UWill to connect students with experienced mental health professionals.

Center for Empathy Research and Training

FDU's new Center for Empathy Research and Training (CERT), based in the School of Psychology and Counseling, is rooted in the belief that empathy is the antidote to anger and aggression. Its empathy training services are now available to members of the FDU community as well as schools, districts and area businesses.

Social Media Concentration

Beginning in Fall 2024, new concentration in social media will be offered for majors in FDU's B.A. in Communication program on both New Jersey campuses. It's designed to prepare students for growing career opportunities in social media management, content creation and technology.

APPLYING TO FDU

FDU follows rolling admissions and accepts applications for admission throughout the year as space permits.

- Students interested in enrolling in Fall 2024 should apply by **December 1**.
- Apply online at **fdu.edu/go** using the Common Application.
- High school transcripts are required and can be mailed to the Office of Admissions or emailed to **myapp@fdu.edu**.
- Standardized tests, letters of recommendation and essays are welcomed, but optional. (NOTE: Test scores are required for a few accelerated and partnership programs.)

School Codes: Florham Campus

SAT Code: 2262 SAT Code: 2263 ACT Code: 2552 ACT Code: 2552

University FAFSA Code: 002607

BENEFITS FOR STUDENTS WHO APPLY TO FDU BY DECEMBER 1 Students can apply at fdu.edu/go for these valuable benefits:

Metropolitan Campus

- \$50 application fee is waived
- Automatic consideration for up to \$25,000 in scholarships (in addition to other aid)
- Get an accelerated admission decision

AFFORDABILITY & ACCESSIBILITY AT FDU

97% — Nearly every FDU student receives scholarship and/or need-based aid

Up to \$25,000 — Annually renewable merit scholarships

\$66+ Million — Annual FDU-funded need and scholarship aid

FDU Advantage — Up to full tuition coverage for New Jersey's highest need students (**fdu.edu/advantage**)



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