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University of Missouri

- Tradition:
 - Established in 1839
 - First Public University west of the Mississippi River
- Reputation (for high caliber education and research)
- Missouri's only public member of the prestigious Association of American Universities (AAU)
- Over 30,000 students with 2,000 international students from over 100 countries

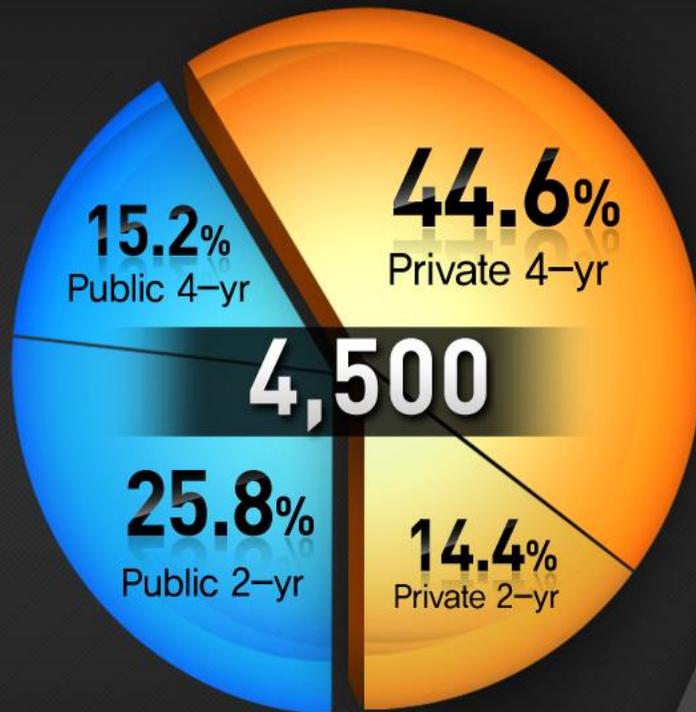


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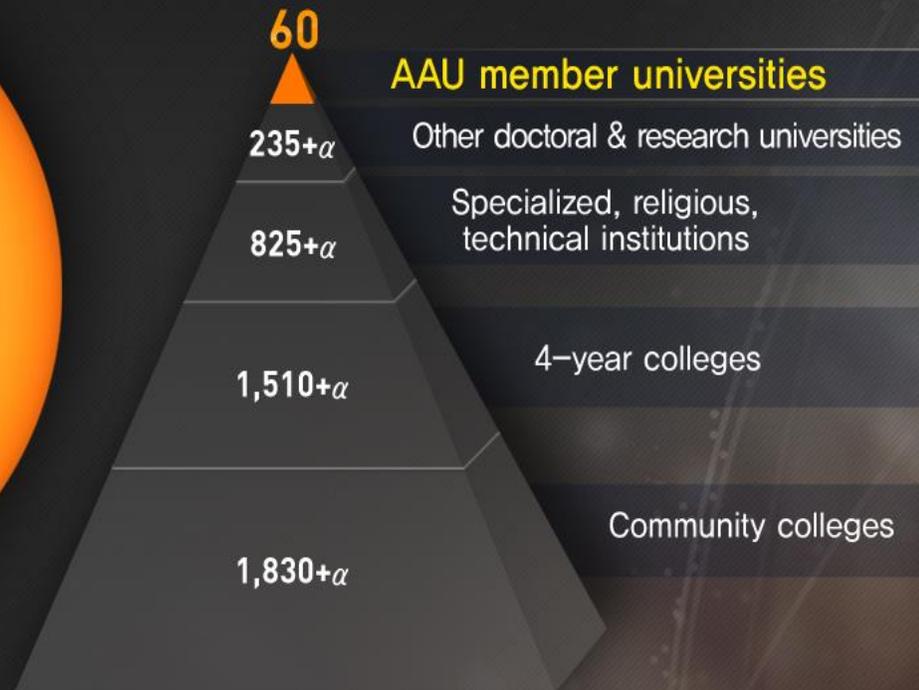
03. U.S. Colleges & Universities



Universities in the U.S.



U.S. University & College Pyramid



- The University of Missouri is among 60 (34 public) U.S. universities in AAU (Association of American Universities)



02. AAU Member Universities – Private



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| Boston University | Cornell University | Northwestern University | University of Rochester |
| Brandeis University | Duke University | Princeton University | University of Southern California |
| Brown University | Emory University | Rice University | Vanderbilt University |
| California Institute of Technology | Harvard University | Stanford University | Washington University in St. Louis |
| Carnegie Mellon University | The Johns Hopkins University | Tulane University | Yale University |
| Case Western Reserve University | Massachusetts Institute of Technology | The University of Chicago | |
| Columbia University | New York University | University of Pennsylvania | |

03. AAU Member Universities – Public



Georgia Institute of Technology
Indiana University
Iowa State University
Michigan State University
The Ohio State University
The Pennsylvania State University
Purdue University
Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey
Stony Brook University–State University of New York
Texas A&M University
University at Buffalo, The State University of New York
The University of Arizona

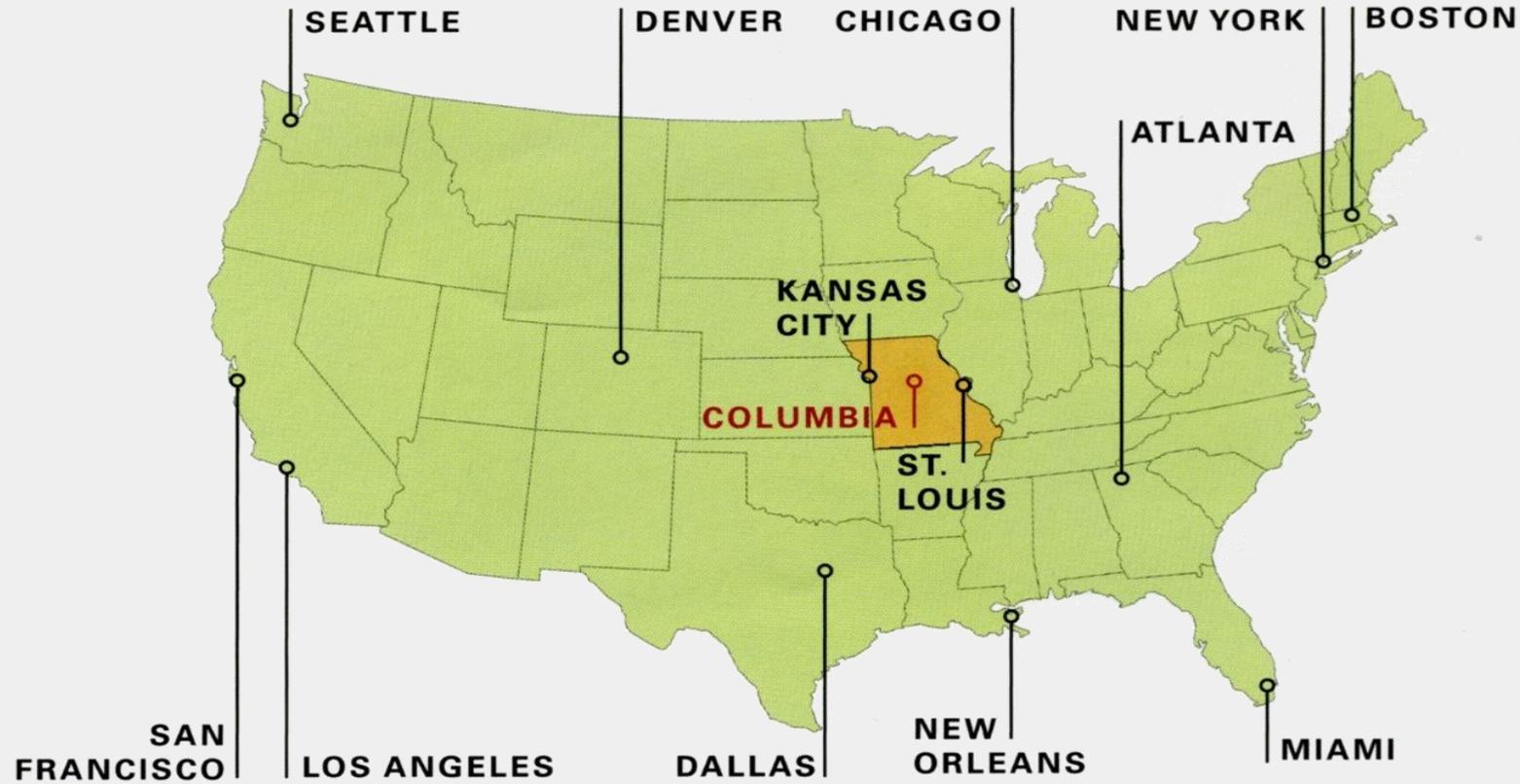
University of California, Davis
University of California, Berkeley
University of California, Irvine
University of California, Los Angeles
University of California, San Diego
University of California, Santa Barbara
University of Colorado Boulder
University of Florida
University of Illinois at Urbana– Champaign
The University of Iowa
The University of Kansas
University of Maryland at College Park

University of Michigan
University of Minnesota, Twin Cities
University of Missouri, Columbia
The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
University of Oregon
University of Pittsburgh
The University of Texas at Austin
University of Virginia
University of Washington
The University of Wisconsin–Madison



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Where is the University of Missouri?



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Columbia, Missouri

- 4th largest city in Missouri
- Annually ranked as one of the best places to live in the United States
- Over 67 outdoor parks and trails
- Safe and fun downtown full of unique shops, music venues & regular community events
- Excellent public school system (with ELL education) and Public Library
- Columbia Public Schools (CPS)
 - About 19,000 students
 - Advance Placement – Better than state, national, international peers
 - ACT – Better than state and national peers



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Truman School of Government and Public Affairs

- Established in 2000
- 150 Students (50 Government officials, 40 Internationals)
- 9 Korean Officials in MPA program and 4 Koreans in Ph.D. program
- 40 Faculty Members



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1+1 MPA Program



- 1 year at KDI School (6 credit hours transferred to MU) and 1 year at TSPA (24 Credit hours) = 30 Credit hours > Dual Degree in MPA
- Major Courses:
 - Public and Nonprofit Management
 - Research Methods & Inquiry in Public Affairs I, II
 - Public Policy Processes and Strategies
 - Democracy, and the Public Service



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Admission Process



- Online application and application fee payment for Graduate School
- Send other materials to Graduate School (transcripts, 3 recommendation letters, official financial support letter, TOEFL score, resume, statement of interest)
- Go to Truman School application website (<https://truman.missouri.edu/current-students/apply-mpa-program>)
- Send the application materials by September 1st
- Truman School will admit applicants by September 30th
- Graduate School will admit applications by October 15th
- Visa Type is J-1 Student Visa and MU will issue DS-2019 form
- Departure for Missouri: December 20 – December 31
- Truman school will start orientation and classes around January 15th
- TOEFL 80 (minimum; with no section score below 17), IELTS 6.5 (with no section score below 6), Pearson Test (59), Cambridge (180), Duolingo (105)
- Conditional admission if score (sub score) is below the requirement



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Student Life

- 24 credit hours = \$30,500
- Administration fee = \$2,000
- The largest collections in the state: more than 3 million volumes and almost 7 million microforms are in Ellis, Engineering, Geology, Health Sciences, Journalism, Law, mathematical Sciences and Veterinary Medicine libraries.
- The No. 1 university facility in the country: \$50 million complex - Mizzou Student Recreation Complex (Sports, September 2005)



MU Mascot "Truman"



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The Diversity



- More than 300 degree programs
- As **one of only six** public universities in the U.S. with medicine, veterinary medicine and law all on **ONE** campus
- Students from every county in Missouri, every state in the nation
- 1,500 international students from over 100 countries in the world (2021 Spring)
- 31,000 students (100 Korean students)



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GLOBAL LEADERSHIP PROGRAM (NON- DEGREE PROGRAM)

By the Asian Affairs Center &
Missouri International Training Institute
University of Missouri - Columbia



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Global Leadership Program (GLP)

PROGRAM COMPONENTS

- Morning Talk
- GLP Courses
- Global Leadership Seminars
- Professional Site Visits
- Research (guidance and support)
- Internships at government agencies, NGOs or Businesses
- Accent Modification and Pronunciation (AMP) Program
- Language Partner Program
- 3 ~ 6 credit hours at Truman School of Public Affairs (optional)



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GLP Program Components

Morning Talk

- M-Th, 8:30 - 9:10 a.m.
- Focus on current issues in the US and the World
- GLP director and AAC instructors lead the discussion
- Keep up with major global affairs and world issues and understand different perspectives



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GLP Program Components

GLP Courses

- Four 7-week and one 4-week Special Topics Courses (MW, TR, 9:15AM – 10:30 AM, 10:45 AM - 12PM)
- Jan 26 – Mar 17 (1st Session)
- Apr 4 – May 19 (2nd Session)
- May 19-20: Final Presentations and Graduation
- June 7 – Jun 23 (Summer Institute)
- Aug 16 – Sep 30 (Fall 1st Session)
- Oct 5 – Nov 20 (Fall 2nd Session)
- Nov 20 – Final Presentations and Graduation



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GLP Program Components

Global Leadership Seminars

- Topics related to global leadership
- Guest speakers from higher education, government, and business sectors



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GLP Program Components

Professional & Cultural Site Visits

- Local governments: Columbia, Jefferson City, Branson, Springfield
- Metropolitan Areas: St. Louis, Kansas City
- Companies: Boeing, Anheuser-Busch, Emerson Electric, Monsanto, Hallmark, Purina, etc.
- Cultural Sites: Amish, Hannibal, Hermann, Booneville, etc.



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GLP Program Components

Research

- World-class university library and resources for research
- Collaborate with MU Faculty
- Public Affairs, American Government, Law, Economics and Business
- Research Topics



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GLP Program Components

Accent Modification & Pronunciation (AMP) Program

- In collaboration with MU Dept. of Speech, Language and Hearing Sciences
- Pronunciation Clinic
- Once a week for about 50 minutes
- Two scholars per clinical specialist / graduate student



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GLP Program Components

Language Partner Program

- Great way of making American friends
- Excellent way to learn about American culture, history, local attractions, etc.
- Find people of similar interests but with different backgrounds and experience



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GLP Program Components

Spouses Program

- English and cultural enhancement program
- Twice a week
- In-class instruction coupled with visits to local cultural attractions and hangouts
- Instructors: Ms. Kathy Noble



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Program Fee and Other Important Information

- \$14,000 per year
 - Plus \$4,000 (optional out-of-state field Trip + 1:1 language training)
- University course registration is extra (about \$3,000 per course)
 - Post Baccalaureate Application (iBT TOEFL 80)
 - Immunization and TB Test (extra)
 - <http://gradstudies.missouri.edu/admissions/eligibility-process/non-degree-applicants/>



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TOEFL

Test Type	Total Score	Reading	Listening	Speaking	Writing
TOEFL Internet- based	80	17	17	17	17
TOEFL Paper- based	550	52	52	N/A	52
IELTS Academic	6.5	6	6	6	6



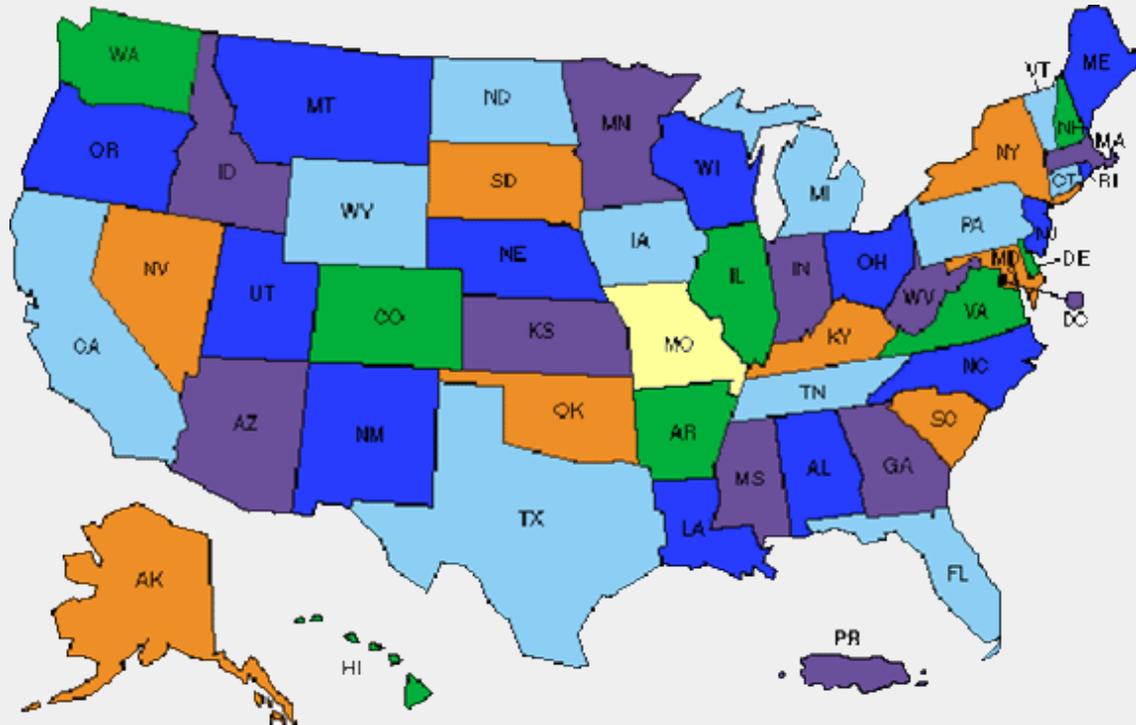
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WELCOME TO COLUMBIA, MISSOURI:

A safe, clean,
dynamic community
in the Heartland of
America



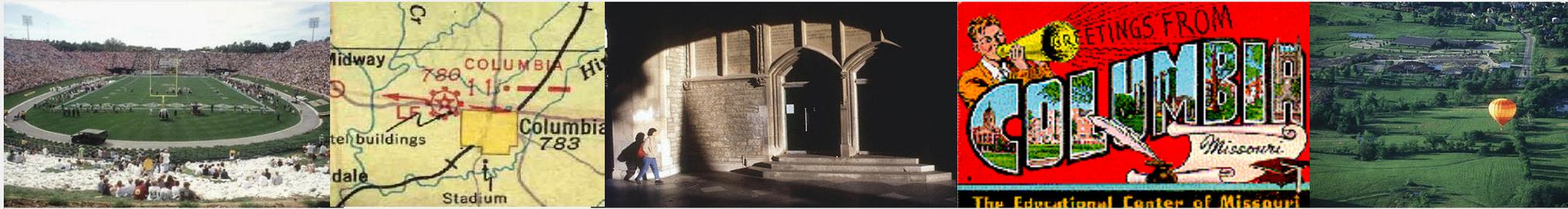
Columbia, a small city with a population of 120,000, is equidistant between Saint Louis on the East and Kansas City on the West in Missouri.



Columbia provides a wonderful, welcoming atmosphere for students and adults alike. Education is a valued part of living in this friendly community. International visitors have access to a number of recreational and cultural programs.



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Columbia is home to:

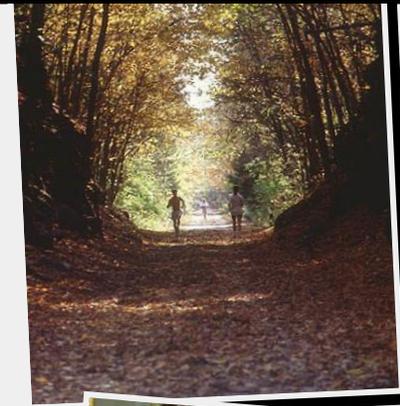
- A thriving health care industry. It has the second highest number of doctors per capita of any community in the United States.
- Three colleges and universities, including the University of Missouri:
 - MU is a highly respected institution and includes programs (Journalism, Human and Environmental Sciences, and Agriculture) which are ranked at or near the top of all American universities.
 - Stephens College is one of the few remaining women's colleges in the United States.
 - Columbia College caters to students preferring a small private school.
- An effective local government with many quality of living benefits: Columbia has been named of the top communities in the U.S. because of its many resources and low, reasonable cost of living.



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Living in Columbia



Money magazine, Men's Journal and MSN.com have all called Columbia, MO, one of America's best places to live because of its excellent quality of life.

- School Districts = South & West
- Pre-School, K-12
- West Region (Paxton Keeley, Fairview, Russell, Smithton, West, Hickman)
- South Region (Rockbridge, Millcreek, Gentry, Jefferson, Rockbridge)
- Living cost = 100 US Average, 89 Columbia, 170 San Diego, 190 New York, 218 SF



Living and Education for children

Typical Monthly Expense: \$2,500 - \$3,000
+ tutoring, travel, shopping, etc.

- Rent:
 - 3 bed room duplex (\$750-\$1200)
 - 2 bed room Apartment (\$650-\$850)
- Utility (electricity, gas, water, cable, Internet): \$ 300
- Food: \$1,000
- Auto: Insurance, Gasoline, Parking: \$300
- Phone: \$100



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We look forward to welcoming you to MIZZOU!



A place to
reach your goals



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