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## UNDERGRADUATE CATALOG

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## Visiting The University

Prospective students and other interested persons are invited to visit the University campuses. Most University offices receive visitors from 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Prospective freshmen are encouraged to attend USF PREVIEW. This program, held on the Tampa Campus, is designed to acquaint participants with USF admission, financial aid, housing, annual costs, academics and student life. USF PREVIEW information is available from the Office of Admissions in Tampa.

The Tampa Campus of the University is located on Fowler Avenue (State Road 582) approximately two miles east of Interstate 275 and Nebraska Avenue (U.S. Route 41) and seven miles north of Interstate 4 off I-75.

The other campuses of the University are located in the places noted below.

## Communicating With The University

Communications regarding the services and programs listed below should be directed by letter or by phone to the appropriate office on the Tampa, St. Petersburg, Lakeland, or Sarasota campuses. Mailing addresses and general telephone numbers for the campuses are given on the previous page. The offices listed below (on the Tampa Campus unless otherwise indicated) may be dialed direct at the telephone numbers shown.

<b>Academic Advising (for Undeclared and Undecided Students)</b>		<b>Health Services (Student)</b>	
Academic Advising, SVC 2011	974-2645	Health Center, SHS 101	974-2331
<a href="http://webasa.admin.usf.edu/advising/adv.htm">http://webasa.admin.usf.edu/advising/adv.htm</a>		<a href="http://www.shs.usf.edu/">http://www.shs.usf.edu/</a>	
<b>Academic Advising (for upperclassmen)</b>		<b>Honors Program - University-wide</b>	
Arts & Sciences, SOC 102	974-2503	Office of the Director, CPR 273	974-3087
<a href="http://www.cas.usf.edu/">http://www.cas.usf.edu/</a>		<a href="http://www.usf.edu/~honors/">http://www.usf.edu/~honors/</a>	
Business Admin., BSN 1406	974-4290	<b>Housing: Campus Residence Halls</b>	
<a href="http://www.coba.usf.edu/">http://www.coba.usf.edu/</a>		Office of Residence Life, RAR 229	974-2761
Education, EDU 309	974-2458	Office of Housing, RAR 229	974-4310
<a href="http://www.coedu.usf.edu/">http://www.coedu.usf.edu/</a>		<a href="http://www.housing.usf.edu/">http://www.housing.usf.edu/</a>	
Engineering, ENG 104	974-2684	<b>Housing: Off-Campus</b>	
<a href="http://www.eng.usf.edu/">http://www.eng.usf.edu/</a>		Student Government Office, CTR 203	974-3749
Fine Arts, FAH 120	974-3660	<a href="http://131.247.44.225/sg/">http://131.247.44.225/sg/</a>	
<a href="http://www.arts.usf.edu/">http://www.arts.usf.edu/</a>		<b>International Student and Scholar Services</b>	
Nursing, MDN 1004	974-9305	Office of the Advisor, CTR 259	974-5102
<a href="http://www.med.usf.edu/PUBAFF/hsc/nursing1.html">http://www.med.usf.edu/PUBAFF/hsc/nursing1.html</a>		<a href="http://ctr.usf.edu/iss/">http://ctr.usf.edu/iss/</a>	
Pre-Medical, SCA 306	974-2674	<b>Library Resources</b>	
<b>Academic Services for Students with Disabilities</b>		Tampa Campus: Office of the Director of Libraries, LIB 207	(813)974-2721
Coordinator, SVC 1133	(voice)974-4309	<a href="http://www.lib.usf.edu/">http://www.lib.usf.edu/</a>	
	(TDD)974-5651	St. Petersburg Campus: Office of the University Librarian	(813)553-3401
		<a href="http://www.nelson.usf.edu/">http://www.nelson.usf.edu/</a>	
<a href="http://webasa.admin.usf.edu/sds/dss.htm">http://webasa.admin.usf.edu/sds/dss.htm</a>		Sarasota Campus: Office of the Librarian	(941)359-4300
<b>Adult and Transfer Student Services</b>		<a href="http://www.sarasota.usf.edu/Library/">http://www.sarasota.usf.edu/Library/</a>	
Office of the Director, SVC 1001	974-6444	Lakeland Campus: PCC/USF Library	(941)297-1042
<a href="http://www.rmit.usf.edu/enroll/atss/">http://www.rmit.usf.edu/enroll/atss/</a>		<b>Minority Student Advising</b>	
<b>Applications and Admissions</b>		Center for Academic Advising, SVC 2011	974-2645
Office of Admissions, SVC 1036	974-3350	<a href="http://webasa.admin.usf.edu/advising/adv.htm">http://webasa.admin.usf.edu/advising/adv.htm</a>	
<a href="http://www.rmit.usf.edu/enroll/admiss/admiss.htm">http://www.rmit.usf.edu/enroll/admiss/admiss.htm</a>		<b>Orientation</b>	
<a href="mailto:bullseye@admin.usf.edu">bullseye@admin.usf.edu</a>		Office of the Director, SVC 1037	974-3060
New College		<a href="http://www.rmit.usf.edu/enroll/orient/orient.htm">http://www.rmit.usf.edu/enroll/orient/orient.htm</a>	
<a href="http://www.newcollege.usf.edu/">http://www.newcollege.usf.edu/</a>		<b>PACE</b>	
Office of Admissions (Sarasota)	359-4269	MGZ 144	974-3218
<b>Athletics (Intercollegiate)</b>		<a href="http://www.conted.usf.edu/sce/pace.htm">http://www.conted.usf.edu/sce/pace.htm</a>	
Director of Athletics, PED 214	974-2125	<b>Parking and Traffic Services</b>	
<a href="http://www.rmit.usf.edu/athletics/go_bulls.htm">http://www.rmit.usf.edu/athletics/go_bulls.htm</a>		Parking Services, UPB 002	974-3990
<b>Bachelor of Independent Studies Program</b>		<a href="http://usfweb.usf.edu/parking_services/">http://usfweb.usf.edu/parking_services/</a>	
External Degree Program, HMS 443	974-4058	<b>Pre-Admission Advising for Prospective Freshman, International, Mature, Minority, and Transfer Students</b>	
<a href="http://www.cas.usf.edu/bis/index.html">http://www.cas.usf.edu/bis/index.html</a>		Office of Admissions, SVC 1036	974-3350
<b>Career Development</b>		<a href="http://www.rmit.usf.edu/enroll/admiss/admiss.htm">http://www.rmit.usf.edu/enroll/admiss/admiss.htm</a>	
Counseling Center for Human Development, SVC 2124	974-2831	<a href="mailto:bullseye@admin.usf.edu">bullseye@admin.usf.edu</a>	
<a href="http://www.rmit.usf.edu/counsel/">http://www.rmit.usf.edu/counsel/</a>		<b>Reading Study Skills</b>	
<b>Career Center</b>		Counseling Center for Human Development, SVC 2124	974-2831
Cooperative Education Program, SVC 2088	974-2171	<a href="http://www.rmit.usf.edu/counsel/">http://www.rmit.usf.edu/counsel/</a>	
Career/Job Search Assistance, SVC 2088	974-2171	<b>Records, Registration</b>	
<a href="http://www.career.usf.edu/">http://www.career.usf.edu/</a>		Office of the Registrar, SVC 1034	974-2000
<b>College Level Examination Program (CLEP tests)</b>		<a href="http://www.rmit.usf.edu/enroll/regist/regist.htm">http://www.rmit.usf.edu/enroll/regist/regist.htm</a>	
Office of Evaluation and Testing Services, SVC 2054	974-2741	<a href="mailto:regquest@admin.usf.edu">regquest@admin.usf.edu</a>	
<a href="http://www.ugs.usf.edu/et/clep.htm">http://www.ugs.usf.edu/et/clep.htm</a>		<b>Speakers Bureau</b>	
<b>Community College and Transfer Students</b>		Media Relations and Publications, ADM 264	974-4014
Adult and Transfer Student Services, SVC 1001	974-6444	<b>Student Affairs</b>	
<a href="http://www.rmit.usf.edu/enroll/atss/">http://www.rmit.usf.edu/enroll/atss/</a>		Office of the Vice President, ADM 151	974-2151
<b>Continuing Education Courses and Conferences</b>		<b>Transcripts USF</b>	
Continuing Education, MGZ 144	974-2403	Office of the Registrar, SVC 1034	974-2000
Division of Conferences and Institutes, MHH 116	974-5731	<a href="http://www.rmit.usf.edu/enroll/regist/transcpt.htm">http://www.rmit.usf.edu/enroll/regist/transcpt.htm</a>	
English Language Institute, CPR 107	974-3433	<b>Tuition Waiver For Senior Citizens</b>	
<a href="http://www.conted.usf.edu/">http://www.conted.usf.edu/</a>		Division of Lifelong Learning, MGZ 144	974-2403
<b>Counseling</b>		<a href="http://www.conted.usf.edu/sce/ll.htm">http://www.conted.usf.edu/sce/ll.htm</a>	
Counseling Center for Human Development, SVC 2124	974-2831	<b>Transfer (Undergraduate) Student Problems</b>	
<a href="http://www.rmit.usf.edu/counsel/">http://www.rmit.usf.edu/counsel/</a>		Adult and Transfer Student Services, SVC 1001	974-6444
<b>Educational Outreach</b>		<a href="http://www.rmit.usf.edu/enroll/atss/">http://www.rmit.usf.edu/enroll/atss/</a>	
Office of the Dean, MHH 116	974-8057	<b>Undergraduate Studies</b>	
<a href="http://www.outreach.edu/">http://www.outreach.edu/</a>		Office of the Dean, SVC 2002	974-4051
<b>Financial Assistance (scholarships, loans, employment)</b>		<a href="http://www.ugs.usf.edu/ugs.htm">http://www.ugs.usf.edu/ugs.htm</a>	
Office of Financial Aid, SVC 1102	974-4700	<a href="mailto:WebCat@admin.usf.edu">WebCat@admin.usf.edu</a>	
<a href="http://usfweb.usf.edu/enroll/finaid/finaid.htm">http://usfweb.usf.edu/enroll/finaid/finaid.htm</a>		<b>University Experience Program</b>	974-4183
<b>Graduate Studies</b>		Office of the Coordinator, SVC 2014	
Office of the Dean, FAO 126	974-2846	<a href="http://webasa.admin.usf.edu/advising/univ_exp/default.htm">http://webasa.admin.usf.edu/advising/univ_exp/default.htm</a>	
<a href="http://www.grad.usf.edu/">http://www.grad.usf.edu/</a>		<b>University Police</b>	
		Emergencies	911
		UPB 002	974-2628
		<b>Veterans Services</b>	
		Office of Veterans Services, SVC 2127	974-2291

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# List of Degree Programs and Common Prerequisites

Accounting [BA] - B.A./B.S. - <i>Limited Access</i>	163	Electrical Engineering [EN] - B.S. - <i>Limited Access</i>	201
Common Prerequisites	161	Common Prerequisites	202
Africana Studies [AS] - B.A.	73	Elementary Education [ED] - B.A./B.S.	176
No Common Prerequisites	74	Common Prerequisites	177
American Studies [AS] - B.A.	92	English [AS] - B.A.	84
No Common Prerequisites	93	(Option 1: English and American Literature, Option 2: Creative Writing: Fiction, Poetry, Option 3: Professional and Technical Writing)	
Anthropology/Applied Anthropology [AS] - B.A.	74	Common Prerequisites	85
Common Prerequisites	75	English Education [ED] - B.A./B.S.	177
Art [FA] - B.A.	218	Common Prerequisites	177
(Art History and Art Studio)		Environmental Science and Policy [AS] - B.S.	85
Common Prerequisites	219	No Common Prerequisites	85
Art Education [FA] - B.A./B.S.	219	Finance [BA] - B.A./B.S. - <i>Limited Access</i>	163
Common Prerequisites	219	Common Prerequisites	161
Behavior Disorders [ED] - B.A./B.S.	181	Foreign Language Education [ED] - B.A./B.S.	178
Common Prerequisites	181	(French, German, Italian, Spanish, Russian)	
Biology [AS] - B.S.	76	Common Prerequisites	178
Common Prerequisites	77	French [AS] - B.A.	94
Business and Office Education [ED] - B.A./B.S.	175	Common Prerequisites	95
Common Prerequisites	175	General Business Administration [BA]	
Chemical Engineering [EN] - B.S. - <i>Limited Access</i>	196	- B.A./B.S. - <i>Limited Access</i>	162
Common Prerequisites	196	Common Prerequisites	161
Chemistry [AS] - B.A./B.S.	77	Geography [AS] - B.A.	85
Common Prerequisites	79	(Option 1: Environmental Studies, Option 2: Urban Studies, Option 3: General Geography)	
Civil Engineering [EN] - B.S. - <i>Limited Access</i>	197	Common Prerequisites	86
Common Prerequisites	198	Geology [AS] - B.A./B.S.	86
Civil Engineering [EN] - B.S. - <i>Limited Access</i>	198	Common Prerequisites	87
(Environmental Engineering)		German [AS] - B.A.	94
Common Prerequisites	198	Common Prerequisites	95
Classics [AS] - B.A.	94	Gerontology [AS] - B.A./B.S.	87
Common Prerequisites	94	Common Prerequisites	88
Communication (Speech) [AS] - B.A.	80	History [AS] - B.A.	91
Common Prerequisites	80	Common Prerequisites	91
Computer Engineering [EN] - B.S. - <i>Limited Access</i>	200	Humanities [AS] - B.A.	91
Common Prerequisites	200	No Common Prerequisites	91
Computer Science [EN] - B.S. - <i>Limited Access</i>	199	Industrial Engineering [EN] - B.S. - <i>Limited Access</i>	202
Common Prerequisites	199	Common Prerequisites	203
Criminology [AS] - B.A.	82	Industrial-Technical Education [ED] - B.A./B.S.	175
No Common Prerequisites	81	(Technology Education)	
Dance Performance [FA] - B.F.A.	220	Common Prerequisites	175
(Ballet and Modern)		Information Systems [EN] - B.S. - <i>Limited Access</i>	201
Common Prerequisites	222	Common Prerequisites	201
Dance Studies [FA] - B.A.	221	Interdisciplinary Natural Science [AS] - B.A.	92
Common Prerequisites	222	No Common Prerequisites	93
Dance Education [FA] - B.S.	221	Interdisciplinary Social Sciences [AS] - B.A.	80
Common Prerequisites	222	(Speech, Language, Hearing Science, [ISH]; American Sign Language, [ISA]; Educational Interpreter Training [ISI])	
Early Childhood Education [ED] - B.A./B.S.	174	No Common Prerequisites	82
Common Prerequisites	175	Interdisciplinary Social Sciences [AS] - B.A.	93
Economics [AS] - B.A.	83	No Common Prerequisites	93
Common Prerequisites	83		
Economics [BA]- B.A./B.S. - <i>Limited Access</i>	163		
Common Prerequisites	161		

Interdisciplinary Studies [AS] - B.I.S. No Common Prerequisites	75 76	Pre-Law Emphasis [AS] - B.A. Common Prerequisites	90 90
International Studies [AS] - B.A. Common Prerequisites	88 89	Pre-Medical Emphasis [AS] - B.A. No Common Prerequisites	71 73
Italian [AS] - B.A. Common Prerequisites	94 95	Psychology [AS] - B.A. Common Prerequisites	102 102
Liberal Arts and Sciences [NC] - B.A. - <i>Limited Access</i> No Common Prerequisites	242	Religious Studies [AS] - B.A. No Common Prerequisites	103 103
Liberal Studies [AS] - B.A. - <i>Limited Access</i> Common Prerequisites	95 95	Russian [AS] - B.A. Common Prerequisites	94 95
Management [BA] - B.A./B.S. - <i>Limited Access</i> Common Prerequisites	164 161	Science Education [ED] - B.A./B.S. (Biology, Chemistry, Physics) Common Prerequisites	179 179
Management Information Systems [BA] - B.A./B.S. - <i>Limited Access</i> Common Prerequisites	164 161	Social Science Education [ED] - B.A./B.S. Common Prerequisites	179 179
Marketing [BA] - B.A./B.S. Common Prerequisites	165 161	Social Work [AS] - B.S.W. - <i>Limited Access</i> Common Prerequisites	104 104
Mass Communications [AS] - B.A. - <i>Limited Access</i> (Advertising, Journalism, Public Relations, Telecommunications) Common Prerequisites	96 97	Sociology [AS] - B.A. Common Prerequisites	105 106
Mathematics [AS] - B.A. Common Prerequisites	97 99	Spanish [AS] - B.A. Common Prerequisites	94 95
Mathematics [AS] - B.A. - <i>Limited Access</i> (Accelerated BA/MA Program) Common Prerequisites	99 99	Specific Learning Disabilities [ED] - B.A./B.S. Common Prerequisites	181 181
Mathematics Education [ED] - B.A./B.S. Common Prerequisites	178 178	Technology Education [ED] - B.A./B.S. Common Prerequisites	175 176
Mechanical Engineering [EN] - B.S. - <i>Limited Access</i> Common Prerequisites	203 204	Theatre [FA] - B.A./B.F.A.: Acting/Directing, Design/Performance, Education Common Prerequisites	226 228
Medical Technology [AS] - B.S. Common Prerequisites	99 100	Women's Studies [AS] - B.A. No Common Prerequisites	106 107
Mental Retardation [ED] - B.A./B.S. Common Prerequisites	181 181		
Microbiology [AS] - B.S. Common Prerequisites	76 77		
Music [FA] - B.M. (Performance, Composition, Jazz Studies) Common Prerequisites	224 225		
Music Education [FA] - B.A./B.S. (General (K-12), Instrumental (K-12), Vocal (K-12)) Common Prerequisites	225 226		
Nursing, Basic [NU] - B.S. - <i>Limited Access</i> Common Prerequisites	245 245		
Nursing, Registered [NU] - B.S. - <i>Limited Access</i> Common Prerequisites	245 245		
Philosophy [AS] - B.A. No Common Prerequisites	100 101		
Physical Education [ED] - B.A./B.S. (Elementary (K-8), Secondary (6-12), Wellness Leadership) Common Prerequisites	180 181	[AS] = College of Arts and Sciences [BA] = College of Business Administration [ED] = College of Education [EN] = College of Engineering [FA] = College of Fine Arts [NC] = New College [NU] = College of Nursing	
Physics [AS] - B.A./B.S. Common Prerequisites	101 101		
Political Science [AS] - B.A. Common Prerequisites	89 90		

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## ACADEMIC CALENDAR FOR UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS

### FALL SEMESTER, 1999

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March 1	<i>Monday</i>	Application Deadline Date for international applicants to apply for admission and submit all required credentials and supporting documents
June 1	<i>Tuesday</i>	Priority processing date for undergraduate and former students returning to apply for admission (except international applicants)
August 23	<i>Monday</i>	Classes begin
August 27	<i>Friday</i>	Last day to withdraw/drop and receive full refund of registration fees
August 27	<i>Friday</i>	Last day to add courses
August 27	<i>Friday</i>	Last day for late registration
August 27	<i>Friday</i>	Last day to pay fees
September 3	<i>Friday</i>	CLAST Registration Deadline
September 6	<i>Monday</i>	Labor Day Holiday
September 10	<i>Friday</i>	Rosh Hashanah
September 17	<i>Friday</i>	Graduation Application Deadline
September 20	<i>Monday</i>	Yom Kippur
October 2	<i>Saturday</i>	CLAST Administration Day
October 15	<i>Friday</i>	Honors Convocation (Classes cancelled 2:00-5:00 p.m.)
October 22	<i>Friday</i>	Last day to drop or withdraw from courses without academic penalty
November 11	<i>Thursday</i>	Veteran's Day Holiday
November 25-26	<i>Thursday-Friday</i>	Thanksgiving Holidays
December 3	<i>Friday</i>	Classes End
December 4-10	<i>Saturday-Friday</i>	Final Examinations
December 12	<i>Sunday</i>	Commencement (Tampa)
December 13	<i>Monday</i>	Commencement (St. Petersburg)
December 14	<i>Tuesday</i>	Commencement (Sarasota)

### SPRING SEMESTER, 2000

August 2	<i>Monday</i>	Application Deadline Date for international applicants to apply for admission and submit all required credentials and supporting documents
October 18	<i>Monday</i>	Priority processing date for undergraduate and former students returning to apply for admission (except international applicants)
January 10	<i>Monday</i>	Classes begin
January 14	<i>Friday</i>	Last day to withdraw/drop and receive full refund of registration fees
January 14	<i>Friday</i>	Last day to add courses
January 14	<i>Friday</i>	Last day for late registration
January 14	<i>Friday</i>	Last day to pay fees
January 17	<i>Monday</i>	Martin Luther King Holiday
January 21	<i>Friday</i>	CLAST Registration Deadline
February 4	<i>Friday</i>	Graduation Application Deadline
February 19	<i>Saturday</i>	CLAST Administration Day
March 10	<i>Friday</i>	Last day to drop or withdraw from courses without academic penalty
March 13-17	<i>Monday-Friday</i>	Spring Semester Break
April 28	<i>Friday</i>	Classes End
April 29-May 5	<i>Saturday-Friday</i>	Final Examinations
May 5	<i>Friday</i>	Commencement (Sarasota)
May 6	<i>Saturday</i>	Commencement (Tampa)
May 7	<i>Sunday</i>	Commencement (St. Petersburg)

**SUMMER TERM, 2000**

**SESSION A**

**(First Six-week Session)**

January 3	<i>Monday</i>	Application Deadline Date for international applicants to apply for admission and submit all required credentials and supporting documents
April 3	<i>Monday</i>	Priority processing date for undergraduate and former students returning to apply for admission (except for international applicants)
May 12	<i>Friday</i>	CLAST Registration Deadline
May 15	<i>Monday</i>	Classes begin
May 19	<i>Friday</i>	Last day to withdraw/drop and receive full refund of registration fees
May 19	<i>Friday</i>	Last day to add courses
May 19	<i>Friday</i>	Last day for late registration
May 19	<i>Friday</i>	Last day to pay fees
May 29	<i>Monday</i>	Memorial Day Holiday
June 2	<i>Friday</i>	Last day to drop or withdraw from courses without academic penalty
June 3	<i>Saturday</i>	CLAST Administration Day
June 9	<i>Friday</i>	Graduation Application Deadline
June 23	<i>Friday</i>	Last day of classes
June 26-30	<i>Monday-Friday</i>	Summer Break between Session A and Session B
August 12	<i>Saturday</i>	Summer Commencement (Tampa)

**SESSION B**

**(Second Six-week Session)**

January 3	<i>Monday</i>	Application Deadline Date for international applicants to apply for admission and submit all required credentials and supporting documents
April 3	<i>Monday</i>	Priority processing date for undergraduate and former students returning to apply for admission (except for international applicants)
June 9	<i>Friday</i>	Graduation Application Deadline
July 3	<i>Monday</i>	Classes begin
July 4	<i>Tuesday</i>	Independence Day Holiday
July 10	<i>Monday</i>	Last day to withdraw/drop and receive full refund of registration fees
July 10	<i>Monday</i>	Last day to add courses
July 10	<i>Monday</i>	Last day for late registration
July 10	<i>Monday</i>	Last day to pay fees
July 21	<i>Friday</i>	Last day to drop or withdraw from courses without academic penalty
August 11	<i>Friday</i>	Last day of classes
August 12	<i>Saturday</i>	Summer Commencement (Tampa)

**SESSION C**

**(Ten-week Session)**

January 3	<i>Monday</i>	Application Deadline Date for international applicants to apply for admission and submit all required credentials and supporting documents
April 3	<i>Monday</i>	Priority processing date for undergraduate and former students returning to apply for admission (except for international applicants)
May 12	<i>Friday</i>	CLAST Registration Deadline
May 15	<i>Monday</i>	Classes begin
May 19	<i>Friday</i>	Last day to withdraw/drop and receive full refund of registration fees
May 19	<i>Friday</i>	Last day to add courses
May 19	<i>Friday</i>	Last day for late registration
May 19	<i>Friday</i>	Last day to pay fees
May 29	<i>Monday</i>	Memorial Day Holiday
June 9	<i>Friday</i>	Graduation Application Deadline
June 3	<i>Saturday</i>	CLAST Administration Day
June 23	<i>Friday</i>	Last day to drop or withdraw from courses without academic penalty
July 4	<i>Tuesday</i>	Independence Day Holiday
July 21	<i>Friday</i>	Last day of classes
August 12	<i>Saturday</i>	Summer Commencement (Tampa)

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## DEGREES\* OFFERED AT THE UNIVERSITY

### Undergraduate Degrees

Bachelor of Arts  
 Bachelor of Engineering Technology  
 Bachelor of Fine Arts  
 Bachelor of Independent Studies  
 Bachelor of Music  
 Bachelor of Science  
 Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering  
 Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering  
 Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering  
 Bachelor of Science in Computer Science  
 Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering  
 Bachelor of Science in Engineering  
 Bachelor of Science in Engineering Science  
 Bachelor of Science in Industrial Engineering  
 Bachelor of Science in Information Systems  
 Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering  
 Bachelor of Social Work

B.A.  
 B.E.T.  
 B.F.A.  
 B.I.S.  
 B.M.  
 B.S.  
 B.S.C.H.  
 B.S.C.E.  
 B.S.C.P.  
 B.S.C.S.  
 B.S.E.E.  
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 B.S.I.E.  
 B.S.I.S.  
 B.S.M.E.  
 B.S.W.

Master of Health Administration M.H.A.  
 Master of Industrial Engineering M.I.E.  
 Master of Liberal Arts M.L.A.  
 Master of Mechanical Engineering M.M.E.  
 Master of Music M.M.  
 Master of Public Administration M.P.A.  
 Master of Public Health M.P.H.  
 Master of Science M.S.  
 Master of Science in Chemical Engineering M.S.C.H.  
 Master of Science in Civil Engineering M.S.C.E.  
 Master of Science in Computer Engineering M.S.C.P.  
 Master of Science in Computer Science M.S.C.S.  
 Master of Science in Electrical Engineering M.S.E.E.  
 Master of Science in Engineering M.S.E.  
 Master of Science in Engineering Management M.S.E.M.  
 Master of Science in Engineering Science M.S.E.S.  
 Master of Science in Environmental Engineering M.S.E.V.  
 Master of Science in Industrial Engineering M.S.I.E.  
 Master of Science in Information Systems M.S.I.S.  
 Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering M.S.M.E.  
 Master of Science in Medical Sciences M.S.M.S.  
 Master of Science in Public Health M.S.P.H.  
 Master of Social Work M.S.W.

### Graduate Degrees

Master of Accountancy M.Acc.  
 Master of Architecture M.Arch.  
 Master of Arts M.A.  
 Master of Business Administration M.B.A.  
 Master of Chemical Engineering M.C.H.E.  
 Master of Civil Engineering M.C.E.  
 Master of Computer Science M.C.S.  
 Master of Education M.Ed.  
 Master of Electrical Engineering M.E.E.  
 Master of Engineering M.E.  
 Master of Environmental Engineering M.E.V.E.  
 Master of Fine Arts M.F.A.

### Advanced Graduate Degrees

Education Specialist Ed.S.  
 Doctor of Education Ed.D.  
 Doctor of Philosophy Ph.D.

### Professional Degree

Doctor of Medicine M.D.  
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