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**ABOUT ATU**

*Everything that is great was once small.*

When Arkansas Tech University was established in 1909, our mission was simple: educate the rural youth of our state. When we held our first day of class on Oct. 26, 1910, nine faculty members taught 186 students.

Today, ATU serves nearly 12,000 students. Our students come from every county in Arkansas, more than 40 states, and dozens of countries around the globe to learn the lessons provided by our dedicated, caring faculty.

You are at the beginning of your own educational journey—a journey that will take you far from home. You will encounter unfamiliar surroundings. You will learn new cultural traditions. A new you will begin to emerge.

Arkansas Tech University is here to ensure that you grow academically and personally. The quality of our programs is assured by the accreditation that our institution has maintained for nearly 70 years. The quality of your student experience is reinforced by a campus culture that welcomes and values your presence.

Arkansas Tech University was once small. Now we are great. Join us, and make our university even stronger by sharing your culture with us and participating in an educational adventure with one goal: supporting your pursuit of a college degree.
YOU ARE WELCOME HERE

Arkansas Tech University has the caring, supportive learning environment you need to achieve your goal.

Here you will find a wide-representation of students from dozens of countries around the globe. You will also discover American students eager to learn more about your culture and excited to help you make the transition to life in the United States.

This cultural exchange takes place throughout the academic year at a wide variety of international-themed events including the Light the Night Festival, the International Fashion Show, Chinese New Year and the Holi Festival of Colors.

There are also volunteer opportunities for our international students to connect with Arkansas Tech alumni and friends in the surrounding community of Russellville.

The ATU Department of International Student Services will be here to help you every step of the way. When your Arkansas Tech journey is complete, you will have more than a degree. You will have a lifetime of memories, a new set of friends from varied backgrounds and the skills necessary to succeed in your career and your life.

Let’s achieve your goals together at Arkansas Tech University.
LIST OF MAJORS

ASSOCIATE DEGREES (RUSSELLVILLE CAMPUS)

- Business Administration
- Criminal Justice
- Cybersecurity
- Early Childhood Education
- Ozark-Ouachita Studies
- General Education
- Information Technology
- Nuclear Technology

BACHELOR'S DEGREES

- Accounting & Economics
  - Accounting
  - Economics & Finance
- Agriculture
  - Agriculture Business
  - Animal Science Option
  - Feed Mill Management Option
  - Horticulture Option
  - Pre-Veterinary Option
  - Public Relations Option
- Agriculture for Teacher Licensure
- Art
  - Art for Teacher Licensure
  - Fine Arts (BA)
  - Fine Arts (BFA)
  - Game & Interactive Media Design
  - Graphic Design
- Behavioral Sciences
  - Criminal Justice & Criminology
  - Cultural & Geospatial Studies
  - Psychology
  - Rehabilitation Science
  - Sociology
- Biological Sciences
  - Biology
  - Biomedical
  - General
  - Environmental Science
  - Fisheries & Wildlife Science
  - Health Information Management
  - Life Science for Teacher Licensure
- Communication & Journalism
  - Communication
    - Speech Option
    - Speech for Teacher Licensure
    - Theatre Option
  - Journalism
    - Broadcast Option
    - Print Option
    - Public Relations Option
- Computer & Information Science
  - Computer Science
  - Computer Science for Teacher Licensure
  - Cybersecurity
  - Information Systems
  - Information Technology
  - Curriculum & Instruction
    - Elementary Education
    - Middle Level Education
      - English/Language Arts
      - Mathematics
      - Social Studies
      - Science
    - Secondary Education
      - Agriculture
      - Art
      - Business
      - Chemistry
      - Computer Science
      - Creative Writing
      - English
      - Mathematics
      - Music
      - Keyboard Instrumental Music
      - Keyboard Vocal Music
      - Vocal Music
      - Life Science
      - Physics
      - Social Studies
      - Speech
      - Spanish Language with Concentration in Spanish
- Electrical Engineering
  - Computer Engineering
  - Electrical Engineering
    - Electrical Engineering for Non-Engineering Majors
    - Biomedical Option
  - Emergency Management
- English & World Languages
  - Creative Writing
  - Creative Writing for Teacher Licensure
  - English
  - English for Teacher Licensure
  - World Language - Spanish
  - World Language with Concentration in Spanish for Teacher Licensure
- Health & Physical Education
  - Health & Physical Education for Teacher Licensure (Teaching & Coaching)
  - Wellness Science Program

MASTER'S DEGREES

- History & Political Science
  - Geospatial Studies
  - History
  - International Studies
  - Political Science
  - Public History
  - Social Studies for Teacher Licensure
- Management & Marketing
  - Business Data Analytics
  - Business Education for Teacher Licensure
  - Management
    - Business Management Track
    - Human Resource Management Track
  - Entrepreneurship Track
  - Marketing
    - Digital Marketing Track
    - Marketing Strategy Track
- Mathematics
  - Applied Statistics
  - Actuarial Science
  - Data Science
  - Mathematics
  - Mathematics for Teacher Licensure
- Mechanical Engineering
- Music
  - Music
  - Music for Teacher Licensure
  - Instrumental Music Option
  - Keyboard Instrumental Music
  - Keyboard Vocal Music
  - Vocal Music
- Mathematics for Teacher Licensure
- Master of Business Administration (MBA) (online only)
- Master of Engineering (ME)
  - Mechanical Engineering
  - Applied Statistics
  - Actuarial Science
  - Data Science
  - Mathematics
  - Mathematics for Teacher Licensure
  - Teacher Licensure
- Master of Science in Information Technology (MIS)
  - Information Technology
  - Computer-Based Instructional Technology
  - Emergency Management & Homeland Security
  - College Student Personnel
  - Fisheries & Wildlife Science
  - Applied Sociology
  - Psychology
  - Strength & Conditioning Studies
  - Health Informatics (online only)

NURSING

- BSN Pre-Licensure Program
- LPN to BSN Program
- RN to BSN Program
- Parks, Recreation, & Hospitality Administration
  - Hospitality Administration
    - Event Management Emphasis
    - Foodservice Management Emphasis
    - Lodging Management Emphasis
  - Recreation & Park Administration
    - Interpretation Emphasis
    - Natural Resource Emphasis
    - Recreation Sport Management Emphasis
    - Therapeutic Recreation Emphasis
- Physical Science
  - Chemistry
  - Biochemistry Option
  - Environmental Option
  - General Option
  - Professional Option
  - Chemistry Education
  - Engineering Physics
  - Geology
  - Environmental Option
  - Petroleum Option
  - Professional Option
  - Nuclear Physics
  - Physical Science
  - Physics
  - Physics Education
  - Master of Arts (MAI)
  - Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)
  - Multi-Media Journalism
  - History
  - English with Teaching English as a Second Language (TESLI) Option
  - English
  - Master of Liberal Arts (MLA)
  - Communications
  - Fine Arts
  - Social Sciences
PRACTICAL OPPORTUNITIES

Interdisciplinary
With numerous opportunities to study away and abroad, our students are eager for new experiences.

College of Business
Students have the opportunity to travel to New York City to attend conferences where they learn from leaders in the industry.

College of Education
Thinking beyond traditional boundaries allowed for a collaboration that is building stronger leaders within the ATU student population.

College of Arts & Humanities
A drive to share their passion for jazz led one group of ATU music students to travel all the way to Europe.

College of Engineering & Applied Sciences
How do you make a vehicle achieve a fuel efficiency of 993 miles per gallon? A little ingenuity, and a lot of perseverance.

College of Natural & Health Sciences
Our Fisheries & Wildlife Science program is collaborating with the Arkansas Game & Fish Commission to direct conservation efforts by studying the sauger population in the Arkansas River.

College of eTech
Advisors dedicated and trained to serve online students go above and beyond to help ATU students thrive regardless of their physical location.

bit.ly/ATUabroad
bit.ly/ATUwallstreet
bit.ly/ATUinnovates
bit.ly/ATUleadership
bit.ly/ATUjazz
bit.ly/ATUfish
online.atu.edu
**COST OF ATTENDANCE**

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*Some charges are estimated and subject to change as necessary.

**SCHOLARSHIPS**

**International Excellence Scholarship**

An award of $4,500 per semester for up to eight semesters or until the completion of an undergraduate degree, whichever comes first. This scholarship must be used on the main campus in Russellville. Scholarships are awarded for consecutive fall and spring terms only and do not cover summer terms.

**REQUIREMENTS:** Graduating high school senior with a minimum 3.25 cumulative high school GPA. Recipients are required to live on campus. Depending on the country of origin, this scholarship may be taxable.

**DEADLINE:** All freshman academic scholarships are awarded on a competitive basis. A scholarship file must be complete and received in the ISS on or before March 31 for Fall semesters, or September 30 for Spring semesters. A completed scholarship application file includes an application for international undergraduate admission, an application for scholarship, current high school transcript with GPA, and two letters of recommendation.

**International Transfer Scholarship**

An award of $2,550 per semester for up to eight semesters or until the completion of an undergraduate degree, whichever comes first. This scholarship must be used on the main campus in Russellville. Scholarships are awarded for consecutive fall and spring terms only and do not cover summer terms.

**REQUIREMENTS:** Must have completed 24 transferable semester hours at an accredited college or university with a minimum 2.5 GPA. Recipients are required to live on campus. Depending on the country of origin, this scholarship may be taxable.

**DEADLINE:** All transfer academic scholarships are awarded on a competitive basis. A scholarship file must be complete and received in the ISS on or before March 31 for Fall semesters, or September 30 for Spring semesters. A completed scholarship application file includes an application for international undergraduate admission, an application for scholarship, current college or university transcript, and two letters of recommendation.

**Graduate Out of State Tuition Fee Waiver**

The Out of State Tuition Fee Waiver allows an eligible student to receive a discount of 50% on the total tuition costs per semester.

**REQUIREMENTS:** Applicants must be candidates to the Master of Mechanical Engineering, Master of Engineering with Electrical Engineering, Master of Science in Information Technology, or Master of Science in Emergency Management and Homeland Security.

**Graduate Assistantship**

Graduate assistantships are designed to support students in their pursuit of master’s degrees at Arkansas Tech University.

**REQUIREMENTS:** Contracted students work on campus to receive a tuition waiver for up to 18 graduate credit hours a year and a monthly stipend.
GET INVOLVED

No one makes it to graduation day without a few challenges.
Tenacity is required. Good news is, at ATU, you’ll bond with students, faculty and staff who share your interests and those with vastly different experiences. When that happens, you become part of the family atmosphere that students point to as their favorite aspect of Arkansas Tech. Approachable, accepting and helpful...they are more than words here; they describe who we are.

ATU ORGANIZATIONS

- Campus Environmental Coalition
- Student Government Association
- Residence Hall Association
- Presidential Leadership Cabinet
- Special Olympics
- Student Alumni Association
- Student Activities Board
- Rotoract Club
- eSports

Do you have a competitive spirit? Be a part of an Intramural team, compete in Club Sports digitally go head to head in eSports, engage in Debate or test your business savvy with Enactus.

145+ student organizations
Home is where you feel comfortable. Home is where you feel accepted. Home is where you feel safe. ATU residence halls provide all that and so much more. From move-in day forward, the amenities, educational programs and social activities in your residence hall will transform your neighbors into friends and your friends into the support network you need to pursue your goals.

**Instant Connections**
Each hall offers unique events just for its residents. Get ready for Midnight Breakfast, Mario Kart Game Nights, Battle of the Halls and much more!

**Hall Styles**
Choose suite style bath, private bath, private community bath or community bath. Share your living space with one friend or three. Choose a building close to our athletic fields, close to your classroom or right next to Baz-Tech.

**Live & Learn**
Students in a living learning community share a similar focus with other residents. This means specialized hall programs, dedicated study spaces and networking opportunities.

**Amenities**
Every residence hall includes free wifi, wired connections for TV and gaming, IPTV and laundry facilities.

Scan this QR code for a more detailed look at individual residence halls:

thirteen halls to choose from

locations to eat on campus - check out the next page to see what will fuel your appetite.

Featuring Slim Chickens & We Proudly Serve Starbucks
Russellville Community

Connected Community
Venturing off campus is easy with quarterly Downtown Art Walks, community pep rallies, Downtown Fall Fest, Balloons Over RussVegas and more. Also, to fulfill your philanthropic side, there’s never a shortage of service opportunities across the River Valley.

Charming Campus
With thousands of trees to shade our multiple hammocking groves, your study breaks will never be boring. Plus, you’ll be surrounded by a mix of new & old architecture - including nationally registered historic buildings.

Great Outdoors
Enjoy over 150 miles of multi-use trails (some within multiple Arkansas State Parks) and countless waterways all within roughly an hour of campus. Plus, we offer free outdoor equipment rentals so you can experience firsthand why Arkansas is “The Natural State.”

In between classes hang your hammock, kick off a sand volleyball match or play video games in the lobby.

1500+ activities annually
SUCCESSFUL ALUMNI

ATU ALUMNI ARE STEPPING UP & STANDING OUT IN THEIR FIELDS - IN ARKANSAS AND BEYOND.

RACHEL MOUSER
Career: Senior Policy Analyst, The Cadmus Group
Working In: Washington, D.C.
About: Provides policy insight that influences national emergency management legislation

LUKE BRADSHAW
Career: CEO of Bravis
Working In: Bentonville, AR
About: Started his own multi-million-dollar business that provides marketing solutions to Fortune 500 Companies

KEVIN HERN
Career: CFO of McDonald's
Working In: Tulsa, OK
About: Represents Oklahoma in the U.S. Congress and owns 10 McDonald's restaurants

ANDREA MARTIN
Career: Superintendent of Greenland School District
Working In: Greenland, AR
About: Served as president of a state organization that improves education curriculum and teaching

ZACH HARRIS
Career: Gastroenterology Fellow at Wake Forrest Baptist Medical Center
Working In: Winston-Salem, NC
About: Took a nontraditional route to becoming a doctor - studying his passion of emergency management prior to medical school

CORY COX
Career: Chief of Staff for Arkansas Attorney General
Working In: Little Rock, AR
About: Protects Arkansans by helping create legislation that makes sure businesses treat people fairly

JESSE WILSON
Career: Creative Director at Paramount Pictures
Working In: Los Angeles, CA
About: Transforms kids with childhood diseases into superheroes with his non-profit, For the Win Project

ADENA WHITE
Career: Director of Communications for the Conway Chamber of Commerce
Working In: Conway, AR
About: First African-American to serve as president of the Arkansas chapter of the Public Relations Society of America

*PRO-TIP*
These are your People, your Family AND your Future Network
CAMPUS SUPPORT

Car won’t start? Need a ride on campus after dark? Want to learn self-defense? The ATU Department of Public Safety is here for you. Our officers are your best allies when you need a helping hand.

PUBLIC SAFETY

ATU offers educational programs to help students avoid common pitfalls that can derail their academic and personal success. After all, the best way to be healthy is to stay healthy.

WELLNESS

Resumé workshops, professional attire seminars, information about internships, career fairs and on-campus interviews with potential employers... these are just a few of the tools that Norman Career Services utilizes to prepare ATU students for their careers.

INTERVIEW READY

TUTORING

Nervous about a particular class? No one can be more sympathetic than a fellow student. That’s why ATU recruits peer tutors who are knowledgeable in their subjects and supportive during tough times. We make it through our challenges together... even if the challenge is College Algebra.

HEALTH

Personal wellness is a key aspect of success in college. ATU has invested in a compassionate staff of health care professionals and counselors who stand ready to support you and provide you with access to appropriate resources.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SERVICES

The ATU Office of International Admissions will walk you through the entire admission process. And once you’re on campus, the ATU Department of International Student Services will offer special programs and help make sure your college experience is great. From admission to graduation, ATU will be there every step of the way.
TIMELINE & ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Here is where you begin your personalized ATU journey. We have the supportive and empowering learning environment. You have the tenacity and passion necessary to succeed. Let’s get together and create the transformative experiences that will impact you for the rest of your life.

STEP ONE
■ COMPLETE ADMISSION APPLICATION.
  › The application will be reviewed and a decision will be sent to you.

STEP TWO
■ RECEIVE ADMISSION PACKET.
  › If admitted, an I-20 for international students or a DS-2019 for international exchange students will be issued and sent along with the admission packet.

STEP THREE
■ SECURE A STUDENT VISA.
  › Use the I-20/DS-2019 to set an interview appointment at a U.S. Embassy or Consulate to request a student visa.

STEP FOUR
■ CONFIRM ATTENDANCE.
  › Once the visa is secured, fill out the Confirmation of Attendance form and send it to Arkansas Tech University.
  › Make travel and housing arrangements.
  › This must be done prior to the beginning of classes.

STEP FIVE
■ ARRIVE AT ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY.

STEP SIX
■ ATTEND INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ORIENTATION.
  › Your academic advising appointment will be scheduled during the orientation session.

Application Deadlines:
- Spring semester: November 1
- Summer I Semester for University Admission: April 1
- Summer I Semester for English Language Institute: March 1
- Fall semester: June 1
  › Be sure to allow enough time for your visa interview. Wait times vary. Check the US Embassy website in your home country for more information.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

The online application can be accessed at http://www.atu.edu/imsso/admission.php. It is very important that you read the directions on each page carefully. Remember, after you successfully submit your online application, you must submit the following:
- $50 Application Fee: Applicants applying for a graduate degree program are also required to submit the $40 graduate application fee.
- Official Academic Records
- English Proficiency Scores
- Copy of your Valid Passport
- Other Supporting Documents

Academic Records
Students must submit corresponding documentation

Freshman applicants: Documented completion of secondary education equivalent to U.S. High School degree. Documentation should include grades/marks as well as certificate/diploma showing completion.

Transfer applicants: Official transcripts from all colleges/universities where you have been officially registered. Students seeking transfer credit for work done at a foreign institution must complete a credential evaluation through a company authorized by Arkansas Tech and must submit catalog/course descriptions from the transfer institution.

Graduate applicants: Evidence of completion of a four-year bachelor’s degree program. Documents should include grade/mark sheets as well as certification/diploma showing completion of degree. If a consolidated mark sheet is available, please send as well. Official transcripts should be submitted from all colleges/universities where the student was registered.

**NOTE: Valid test scores cannot be older than two years from the time of application.

Exit Exam
All applicants must complete the ACT, SAT or ACCUPLACER exam. Students who have not completed the ACT or SAT may take the ACCUPLACER exam on campus upon arrival and after admission to assist in advisement and course placement. However, if ACT or SAT scores are available, please provide this documentation along with the application for admission. Students with more than 24 semester hours of earned college-level credit are not required to take an entrance exam.

Evidence of Sufficient Financial Support
Undergraduate and Graduate Students, please refer to our website for additional information on costs and fees. Applicants must provide certified evidence of the source and amount of funding that will be utilized to support educational expenses. Documents must be official and issued within the six months previous to the time of application. Please refer to our website for additional amounts to be included for each dependent.

Passport
Please provide a photocopy of your current passport as well as any previous visas to the U.S. and an I-94 card if available.

For additional information on the application and admission process, please go to http://www.atu.edu/imsso/admission.php.