WHAT ARE STUDENTS SAYING ABOUT DUQUESNE?

Based on a survey of freshmen in the class of 2016.
At Duquesne, helping every one of our students succeed is our most important goal and our founding principle. Each person who takes part in the Duquesne experience fulfills and expresses our commitment to students in a unique way. That’s why in these pages we have asked our students and alumni to tell you about Duquesne in their own words.

Choosing the right college is a major decision, and we promise to do everything we can to help you decide if Duquesne is right for you. We hope this booklet inspires you to learn more and to schedule a campus visit, where you can see for yourself how Duquesne is helping academically talented students like you achieve their dreams.

Visiting is one of the best ways to learn more about us. Campus visits can be scheduled year-round on weekdays and selected weekends.

WWW.DUQ.EDU/VISIT

to schedule your campus tour

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A Catholic University in the Spiritan Tradition
Duquesne University was founded by the Congregation of the Holy Spirit (the Spiritans) as a mission school for the children of Pittsburgh’s immigrant poor. From that humble beginning we have become one of the nation’s leading Catholic universities.

Duquesne is the nation’s only Spiritan university, and the values of the Spiritans remain a powerful force shaping who we are and inspiring us to achieve. First and foremost among those values is our mission: We serve God by serving students. That means everyone at Duquesne is here to make sure our students succeed, academically and throughout life.
We believe that a college education should be transformational, helping students to accomplish great things and live a life of purpose. That’s why moral and intellectual development through the liberal arts is at the heart of every one of our degree programs. Along with building ethical and intellectual skills for later success, this core liberal arts curriculum serves to introduce our students to a wide variety of subjects, so they can graduate with the richest possible academic experience.

We have a beautiful, self-contained campus, but we also teach students that they are part of a larger community. We encourage students to develop a willingness to help others, and a Duquesne education includes unique learning experiences combining community service with academics.

Diversity has always been fundamental in our history and essential for our mission. We annually educate more than 10,000 students from all cultural, socioeconomic and religious backgrounds, who come to us from across the nation and around the world.
**HISTORY**

The Spiritans (Congregation of the Holy Spirit), a Catholic missionary order, founded Duquesne in 1878 in rented rooms above a bakery in Pittsburgh’s historic Hill District neighborhood, just north of campus. In 1885 Spiritan priests and brothers constructed the current Administration Building, known now as “Old Main,” of wooden beams and handmade bricks.

The University is named for the Marquis Duquesne, the governor general (1752–1755) of New France, a portion of North America that included Western Pennsylvania and which was claimed as a colony of France.

Our motto, *Spiritus est qui vivificat*, is Latin for “It is the Spirit who gives life.”

**ALUMNI**

Our alumni form a large network—87,000 professionals who can be found in nearly every type of organization, across the nation and in other countries. Duquesne alumni are well organized, with chapters in major cities across the nation. The members of this tightly knit community often supply professional contacts and help both our students and our graduates begin and enhance their careers.

**Enrollment (fall 2012 semester)**

- **10,045 students**
  - 5,917 undergraduate
  - 3,571 graduate
  - 557 law
PITTSBURGH
Duquesne is centrally located in Pittsburgh—a fantastic location in which to live, learn and grow. The city is a superb “classroom” for off-campus learning and community service, and it has numerous cultural attractions as well as excellent shopping, parks, trails and other recreational opportunities.

A center of commerce and innovation for more than 250 years, Pittsburgh is a national leader in robotics, health care and green building technology as well as the home of global corporations and world-class universities. Offering the benefits of an urban lifestyle with small-town friendliness, Pittsburgh surprises visitors and rewards its residents every day. National Geographic put Pittsburgh on its Best of the World list of must-see destinations, and the Rand McNally Places Rated Almanac and other publications have called Pittsburgh one of America’s best places to live.

Visit www.duq.edu/pittsburgh to find out what makes our city a great place to learn, live and start a career.
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Within Duquesne University, there are 10 schools of study offering 80 undergraduate majors.

- A.J. Palumbo School of Business Administration
- Bayer School of Natural and Environmental Sciences
- Mary Pappert School of Music
- McAnulty College of Liberal Arts
- Mylan School of Pharmacy
- John G. Rangos Sr. School of Health Sciences
- School of Education
- School of Law
- School of Leadership and Professional Advancement
- School of Nursing

Additionally, beginning in the fall 2014 semester, we will be offering a new interdisciplinary major in biomedical engineering.

- 15:1 student-to-faculty ratio
- Average class size: 28 students
- Retention rate: 89 percent (fall 2012)

Ours is a proud tradition of learning and accomplishment that pays dividends for our graduates. Employers recognize the quality of a Duquesne degree, and our graduate school and professional placement rates are among the best in the nation.
HONORS COLLEGE
Duquesne University’s Honors College is dedicated to supporting and rewarding academic excellence. It is a diverse yet selective community, and Honors College student benefits include an enhanced track of the core curriculum, an outstanding peer group, a distinguished faculty and small classes. Students also enjoy early registration, a special Fellows Program and Honors College recognition on their transcripts.

Prospective students who meet the academic requirements of the Honors College will be recommended by the Office of Admissions and receive an invitation to join.

You can also apply at www.duq.edu/honors-college.

STUDY ABROAD
An increasing number of Duquesne students are taking advantage of study-abroad opportunities, particularly through our Italian campus in Rome. The ability to speak Italian is not required, and no matter what your major, you can earn credits toward your degree while taking courses from Duquesne faculty members.

Other international study options include Duquesne in Dublin, our study-abroad experience in Ireland, as well as semester-long programs in Africa, Asia, Europe and Latin America and shorter excursions arranged by individual schools.

Visit www.duq.edu/study-abroad for more information about the many study-abroad programs at Duquesne.

Princeton Review listed Duquesne in The Best 376 Colleges publication and placed us on its Best in the Northeast list.

The Chronicle of Higher Education placed Duquesne among the top 20 small universities in the nation for faculty research productivity.

The Importance of Service
Members of the Duquesne community share a commitment to serve. Our students not only volunteer for community service, they benefit in every field of study from coursework that combines community service with learning. More than 55 service-learning classes are offered each year, with 1,900 students participating. Groups served include children and youth, persons with disabilities, senior citizens, veterans and the homeless.

Learn more at www.duq.edu/service-learning.
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STUDENT LIFE

LIVING ON CAMPUS
Undergraduates and some graduate students live on campus in modern residence halls and apartments. These unique living arrangements encourage studying, working on common projects and socializing—activities that enhance your college experience and help you form friendships that can last a lifetime. Our Office of Residence Life includes a highly trained staff of live-in directors and assistants who take care of our students around the clock.

For more information about living on campus, visit www.duq.edu/residence-life.

COMMUTING
Most freshmen live on campus, but some choose to commute. The Office of Commuter Affairs supports these students with year-round programming, academic assistance and unique social events.

Learn more at www.duq.edu/commuter-affairs.

First-time visitors are struck by the beauty of Duquesne’s campus, a self-contained green space on a hilltop we call “Our Bluff,” which offers breathtaking views of Pittsburgh and its historic three rivers. Even better, the campus is easy to navigate and only minutes from the city’s cultural attractions and recreational activities. That makes our campus an ideal location for living, learning and launching a career.

Campus Numbers
• 45 buildings, including 7 residence halls, on approximately 50 acres
• About 3,900 students live on campus, including approximately 90 percent of freshmen and sophomores.
RECREATION CENTER
Duquesne’s Power Center (WWW.DUQ.EDU/POWER-CENTER) houses state-of-the-art exercise equipment and recreation facilities, and offers intramural sports, group fitness classes, and exceptional cardio- and weight-training equipment.

In addition, the Power Center is home to a Barnes & Noble bookstore with a Starbucks Café and Duquesne’s signature Red Ring restaurant, a full-service, casual dining spot with patio seating.

CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES
With more than 200 student organizations—and countless off-campus events—our students have many opportunities to pursue their interests and enrich their college experience. Duquesne has many ways to make college more fulfilling, including serving in student government, competing in intramural sports, producing campus media, joining fraternities and sororities, or taking part in theater productions, just to name a few.

And no matter the season, every weekend Duquesne students can enjoy activities in the great outdoors. The Center for Student Involvement organizes a variety of off-campus recreational programs at a significantly reduced cost. Students have enjoyed whitewater rafting, kayaking and canoeing, rock climbing, horseback riding, caving, downhill skiing and snowboarding, snow tubing, and paintball.

Visit WWW.DUQ.EDU/STUDENT-ACTIVITIES for a complete list of activities.

DINING
Duquesne’s campus has a number of eateries for students, including a newly renovated central dining facility. Along with a relaxed, contemporary decor, it features a revamped menu with fresh ingredients and made-to-order items. Students can choose from a variety of meal options, whether they reside on campus or commute.

For more about campus dining options, visit WWW.DUQ.EDU/DINING.
Duquesne offers plenty of opportunities for students to get involved with intercollegiate, club, intramural and recreational sports.

Intercollegiate Sports ([WWW.DUQ.EDU/ATHLETICS](WWW.DUQ.EDU/ATHLETICS))

**Men’s**
- Basketball
- Cross-Country
- Football
- Soccer
- Tennis
- Track and Field

**Women’s**
- Basketball
- Crew
- Cross-Country
- Indoor Track
- Lacrosse
- Track and Field
- Soccer
- Swimming
- Tennis
- Volleyball

**Club Sports**
- Crew
- Equestrian
- Golf
- Ice Hockey
- Roller Hockey
- Rugby

Intramural sports include basketball, flag football, ultimate Frisbee, dodgeball and more. All club sports are co-ed.

For a complete list of intramural sports, visit [WWW.DUQ.EDU/RECREATION](WWW.DUQ.EDU/RECREATION).
A SUSTAINABLE CAMPUS
Learning respect and appreciation for the world and its many gifts is a fundamental part of a Duquesne education, and our students learn and practice the stewardship of natural resources. A concern for stewardship is also evident in how we manage our campus. Through a combination of on-campus energy generation and renewable energy purchasing, Duquesne relies 100 percent on clean energy. Sustainable principles are a top consideration in how we choose to change and grow, and efforts to conserve are easily seen in the design and construction of our newest buildings and recent renovations.

Visit WWW.DUQ.EDU/SUSTAINABILITY to learn more.
“YOU CAN’T BEAT THE CLINICAL EXPERIENCES YOU GET AS A STUDENT NURSE AT DUQUESNE. YOU ARE RIGHT IN DOWNTOWN PITTSBURGH WITH ALL THE NEARBY HOSPITALS. I GOT EXPERIENCE IN EVERYTHING FROM SPINAL REHAB TO A BURN TRAUMA UNIT TO A TELEMETRY UNIT, AND DURING MY LAST SEMESTER, I FINISHED IN A MEDICAL INTENSIVE CARE UNIT. I GOT A REAL VARIETY OF CLINICAL EXPERIENCES IN THE FOUR YEARS I WAS HERE.”

Joshua Lovenduski, BSN
Class of 2013
After graduating, Josh joined the nursing staff at DuBois Regional Medical Center.
SCHOOL OF NURSING

A challenging yet immensely rewarding career, nursing offers high employability, a wealth of options, competitive salaries and personal satisfaction.

Our curriculum is designed to prepare nurses to excel in any health care environment. The basic program includes four years of study and is designed to provide students with the knowledge and skills needed to practice as professional nurse-generalists upon graduation.

We have a state-of-the-art nursing simulation lab and our clinical experiences have a low (8:1) student-to-faculty ratio, ensuring that you have the best possible preparation for your nursing career. Professional nursing courses include theory and practice in the nursing care of individuals, families and communities.

The School of Nursing undergraduate program leads to the degree of Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN). Upon the successful completion of this program of study, graduates are eligible and well prepared to take the NCLEX-RN examination for licensure as a registered nurse (RN).

Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN)

Second Degree BSN
An accelerated program for the non-nurse who already has a baccalaureate degree.

Starting this year, students in our BSN program will be using eBooks for all their nursing texts. The cost of the eBooks will be fully covered in the tuition. A substantial savings over printed texts, eBooks can be downloaded to your personal computer, tablet or smartphone, and are yours to keep.

WWW.DUQ.EDU/NURSING
We offer programs to prepare you for careers in environmental, biological and forensic sciences; physics; chemistry and biochemistry; and medicine. In addition, Duquesne University is the only university in the Pittsburgh region that enables students to earn a BS in Biology, Chemistry or Physics with an MS in Education in just five years.

The school’s laboratories have state-of-the-art equipment, and our research and community service programs offer unparalleled opportunities for additional learning. At Duquesne, students majoring in the sciences are encouraged to begin research projects as early as their freshman year, and our students are making real contributions by collaborating with their professors and with graduate students on nationally funded research projects in fields such as molecular genetics, developmental biology, biochemistry and synthetic chemistry.

Undergraduates also have the chance to take part in a 10-week summer research program, with seminars and community service projects that focus on sustainability and the environment, as well as training in the ethics of science. Students present their research at the end of the summer program, and they often are credited as co-authors on professors’ publications.

**Bachelor of Science (BS) degree programs unless indicated.**

Biochemistry (BS or BA)
Biology
Chemistry
Environmental Chemistry
Environmental Science
Forensic Science and Law (Master of Science. This is an entry-level master’s degree program that incorporates a bachelor’s degree in either Biochemistry or Biology.)

Physics/Binary Engineering
(BA in Physics/BS in Engineering. Offered in cooperation with Case Western Reserve University and the University of Pittsburgh.)

Physics (BS or BA)
Science (undecided)

**Dual-Degree Programs**

Students must apply through the Bayer School of Natural and Environmental Sciences for dual-degree programs.

BS Biochemistry/MS Biotechnology
BS Biology/MS Biotechnology
BS Chemistry/MS Biotechnology
BS Biology/MS Education
BS Chemistry/MS Education
BS Physics/MS Education
BS Biology/MS Environmental Science and Management
BS Chemistry/MS Environmental Science and Management
BS Environmental Science/MS Environmental Science and Management

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**Study Abroad Classes for Science Students**

*Exploring the Environment of China—focusing on environmental issues in the People’s Republic of China*

*The History of Science and the Influence of Religion—in Italy, Germany and Switzerland*
“WHEN I SAW THE RESEARCH GOING ON HERE, IT REALLY ATTRACTED ME TO THIS UNIVERSITY. STUDENTS GET TO DO HANDS-ON RESEARCH BEFORE THEY’RE IN GRADUATE SCHOOL. THE SUMMER BEFORE MY FRESHMAN YEAR, I CONTACTED MY RESEARCH ADVISER, AND WE STARTED TO MAKE PLANS FOR WHEN I GOT HERE. AS A FRESHMAN, I WAS ABLE TO DO MY OWN INDEPENDENT RESEARCH ON FRAGILE X SYNDROME.”

Sara Katrancha, BS
Hometown: Dunlo, Pa.
Class of 2013
Sara is currently a neuroscience doctoral student at Yale University.
Duquesne’s School of Health Sciences offers superior preparation for rewarding and fast-growing professions in health sciences.

Professionals who earn their health sciences degrees at Duquesne are among the most respected clinicians and educators in the profession. Our programs emphasize the scientific as well as the interpersonal aspects of health sciences, and students learn in state-of-the-art laboratories and campus facilities. The off-campus placement opportunities we offer students are at schools, clinics and hospitals that are among the best in the country.

All of the programs housed in the Rangos School are fully accredited. Graduates are rewarded with a 99 percent placement rate in all majors.

Athletic Training (BS)
Health Management Systems (BS)
Occupational Therapy (MS)
Physical Therapy (DPT)
Physician Assistant Studies (MPAS)
Speech-Language Pathology (MS)

Direct Entry to Graduate Study for the following programs:
Occupational Therapy
Physical Therapy
Physician Assistant Studies
Speech-Language Pathology

Study Abroad in China—annual short-term trips give health sciences students a close look at traditional Eastern medicine and modern health care in the People’s Republic of China, with time for sightseeing.
“ONE OF THE MAIN REASONS I CAME TO DUQUESNE IS THE NUMBER OF OPPORTUNITIES AND CLINICAL ROTATION SITES FOR STUDENTS IN THE ATHLETIC TRAINING PROGRAM. WE CAN GO TO HIGH SCHOOLS OR SPORTS MEDICINE AND PHYSICAL THERAPY CLINICS—AND WE HAVE THE CHANCE TO WORK WITH PROFESSIONAL SPORTS TEAMS OR THE PITTSBURGH BALLET. ANOTHER REASON IS THE PROFESSORS. IT’S GREAT LEARNING FROM THE BEST.”

Morgan Langton
Class of 2014
Athletic Training Major
“WHEN I VISITED DUQUESNE AS A HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT, I ENJOYED THE CAMPUS AND THE PEOPLE, AND NOW, FOUR YEARS LATER, I’M CERTAIN THAT I MADE THE RIGHT DECISION. I LOVE STUDying JOURNALISM AND MULTIMEDIA, BUT I ALSO LOVE TAKING OTHER LIBERAL ARTS CLASSES AS WELL. HERE I DON’T FEEL LIKE I HAVE TO GO TO CLASS—I FEEL LIKE I REALLY WANT TO GO TO CLASS, AND I REALLY WANT TO LEARN.”

Randall Coleman
Hometown: Pittsburgh, Pa.
Class of 2014
Journalism Major
The liberal arts college is the oldest school at the University and remains the heart of a Duquesne education. In the college, students study the humanities, media arts, mathematics, computer science and the social sciences.

Choosing any of the 33 majors and minors ensures that you will have the freedom to explore a world of ideas and learn about yourself in the process. You can also combine liberal arts study with other disciplines through double majors and dual-degree programs.

Learning Communities will help you grow as you engage with other students who have similar interests. You will live on the same floor of a residence hall, take a set of five classes together and participate in service-learning projects together. You get a real head start—a smooth transition—to college, and you will quickly find friends and study partners.

No matter what career or graduate school plans you may have, a liberal arts major will be excellent preparation that will give you the knowledge, experience and problem-solving skills to succeed.

Bachelor of Arts (BA) degree programs unless indicated

- Art History
- Classical Civilization
- Classical Greek
- Classical Languages
- Classical Latin
- Communication Studies
- Computer Science (BA or BS)
- Corporate Communication
- Digital Media Arts (optional concentrations in Multimedia and Web)
- Economics
- English (optional concentrations in Literary Studies, Writing and Film Studies)
- Forensic Humanities
- History
- Integrated Marketing Communication
- International Relations
- Liberal Arts (self-designed)
- Mathematics (BA or BS)
- Modern Languages
- Multiplatform Journalism
- Philosophy
- Political Science
- Psychology
- Public Relations and Advertising
- Rhetoric
- Sociology (optional concentrations in Criminal Justice or Social Justice and Policy)
- Spanish
- Theatre Arts
- Theology
- Women’s and Gender Studies
- Theology
- World Literature
- Liberal Arts (undecided)
Duquesne’s School of Business is known for producing ethical leaders, developing innovative courses and programs, attracting the highest caliber of students, and retaining exceptional professors who are known for their scholarly excellence and practical expertise.

Our undergraduate program offers 11 professional concentrations, allowing students to focus on an area of business that suits their interests and goals. Augmenting classroom learning, our Professional Development Program organizes networking events and offers practical coaching and other learning experiences to help ensure business success.

Our business faculty includes academics and executives who are internationally prepared and focused. Their combined expertise provides students with an ethically based understanding of world economies, diverse workforces and political climates.

Our downtown Pittsburgh location makes it convenient for students to pursue corporate internship opportunities all year long. Business students benefit from small classes and professors who are passionate about teaching and who bring skills honed in major corporations to the classroom.

When business students graduate from Duquesne, they are equipped with practical knowledge and skills, prepared for leadership and ready to make a difference in the world of business.

WWW.DUQ.EDU/BUSINESS
“DUQUESNE’S BUSINESS SCHOOL STRESSES PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM THROUGH ACTIVITIES LIKE NETWORKING EVENTS AND INTERNSHIPS. ONE OF MY TEACHERS MADE A PHONE CALL THAT HELPED ME GET AN INTERVIEW FOR AN INTERNSHIP WITH THE STEELERS, AND AT A SCHOOL-SPONSORED NETWORKING EVENT, I MET A DUQUESNE ALUM WHO TOLD ME ABOUT THE POSITION I HAVE NOW.”

Nicole Carfang
Hometown: Murrysville, Pa.
Class of 2013
Nicole is now employed by PNC’s ACCEL Retail Banking Development Program.
“AS A PERFORMANCE MAJOR, I CHOSE DUQUESNE BECAUSE MY TEACHERS HAVE LOTS OF STUDIO EXPERIENCE, AND THAT’S SOMETHING I’M INTERESTED IN. MUSIC STUDENTS HAVE A WIDE VARIETY OF CONCENTRATIONS, AND THE SCHOOL HAS RECITAL HALLS AND STUDIOS WITH GREAT RECORDING TECHNOLOGY IN THEM. I ALSO CHOSE DUQUESNE BECAUSE OF PITTSBURGH—THE CULTURAL DISTRICT HERE IS FABULOUS.”

Carrie Garrison
Hometown: Salem, Ore.
Class of 2016
Violin Performance Major
At Duquesne, we are educating the musical leaders of the twenty-first century through challenging music degree programs for the mind, heart and spirit. School of Music students learn from professors who are dedicated instructors as well as internationally renowned performers, composers, arrangers and master teachers.

Music students benefit from an enviable 4:1 student-to-faculty ratio, more than 60 practice and rehearsal spaces, three professional recording studios, 68 Steinway pianos (we are an All-Steinway School), a music technology lab, and a digital piano and computer lab. Lounges throughout the building offer comfortable places where students can relax and socialize.

Our distinguished faculty and talented students perform more than 200 concerts and recitals on campus every year, including numerous tours, broadcasts and recordings that reach a worldwide audience. Duquesne student ensembles are among the finest university-level performance experiences anywhere, playing in the city’s best venues, including Heinz Hall, home of the Pittsburgh Symphony, and the acclaimed Manchester Craftsmen’s Guild, an internationally known jazz venue.

Graduates of the Mary Pappert School of Music move on to the finest symphony orchestras as well as coveted professional music and teaching positions. They are recipients of countless awards and accolades for winning international competitions, Grammy nominations and distinguished honors for excellence in music education.

Mary Pappert School of Music

Student Ensembles
• Symphony Orchestra
• Wind Symphony and Symphony Band
• Jazz Ensembles
• Choral Ensemble

• Opera Workshop
• Guitar Ensembles (Jazz and Classic)
• Electronic Ensemble
• Percussion Ensemble

• Trombone Choir
• Tuba/Euphonium Ensemble
• Triano Woodwind Quintet
• DeBroff String Quartet
• Flute Choir
• Chamber Music

BM Performance
Concentrations in Classical, Jazz Guitar or Organ

BM with Elective Studies in Business*

BM Music Technology
Concentrations in Electronic Composition, Performance or Sound Recording

BS Music Education

BS Music Therapy

Post-Baccalaureate Certification
Music Education
Music Therapy

A music minor is also available.

*New program beginning Fall 2013

www.duq.edu
Our Leading Teacher Program is a nationally accredited, highly selective program for the brightest and most dedicated students. It is designed to ensure that when students graduate, they will be fully prepared for the challenges of a career in education.

The Leading Teacher Program stresses hands-on learning and the integration of technology into classroom environments. Students experience a variety of education field settings beginning in their freshman year and continuing throughout their program, helping put the concepts learned in class into practice. The program employs a cohort system that makes working and learning collaboratively a key part of learning to teach.

The School of Education offers a unique focus on understanding and gaining skills to address social justice issues, preparing teachers for the challenges and opportunities found working with diverse student populations, and for the critically important task of helping all children, regardless of socioeconomic background, to achieve ambitious learning goals.

At Duquesne, education majors gain the highest levels of competency to inspire young minds and change lives.

WWW.DUQ.EDU/EDUCATION
“I REALLY LIKE MY PROFESSORS. THEY CARE IF I’M LEARNING HOW TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THE CLASSROOM, AND THEY WANT TO HELP ME GET TO THE POINT WHERE I CAN. ANOTHER THING I REALLY LIKE ABOUT THE SCHOOL OF EDUCATION IS GETTING TO VISIT CLASSROOMS IN THE SECOND SEMESTER OF THE FRESHMAN YEAR. THAT EXPERIENCE WAS INVALUABLE BECAUSE IT REAFFIRMED THAT TEACHING WAS THE RIGHT CAREER FOR ME.”

Rachel Brown
Class of 2014
Early Childhood Education Major
“DUQUESNE IS A LOT DIFFERENT THAN OTHER UNIVERSITIES BECAUSE THE FACULTY AND STAFF ARE SO WELCOMING AND HELPFUL. HERE STUDENTS ARE NUMBER ONE, AND THAT’S WHAT I LOVE THE MOST. ON TOP OF THAT, THE SCHOOLING WE RECEIVE IS EXCEPTIONAL. WHEN IT COMES TIME FOR US TO GO ON OUR ROTATIONS OR INTERNSHIPS, WE ARE DEFINITELY READY. I WOULDN’T TRADE THE EXPERIENCE I’VE HAD HERE FOR ANYTHING.”

Anthony Elia
Hometown: Sewell, N.J.
Class of 2016
Doctor of Pharmacy Program
Today’s pharmacists are vital members of the health care team and key contributors to improving outcomes for patients and their communities. Pharmacists are among the most trusted of health care professionals—and the Mylan School of Pharmacy is one of the most respected schools of pharmacy in the country.

We offer a six-year Doctor of Pharmacy program that combines rigorous academics with challenging clinical experiences, preparing you for career opportunities in a broad range of professional settings, including community pharmacy practice, hospitals, pharmaceutical research, academia, government, and professional and trade organizations.

Our PharmD program has a two-four structure. As a prospective student of this program, you must first apply for two-year pre-professional pharmacy study. After you have completed this phase, you must apply for admission to the School of Pharmacy to enter the four-year professional phase. We give strong preference to students who start at Duquesne as freshmen in the pre-pharmacy program.

Students have plenty of opportunities for hands-on learning at more than 450 affiliated practice sites, and with a 100-percent job placement rate, pharmacy is the right prescription for a promising future.
BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING
A NEW INTERDISCIPLINARY MAJOR

Drawing on strengths in professional programs and a liberal arts education, Duquesne University will launch a new biomedical engineering program in the 2014 fall semester. The program will be the only engineering degree offered in Southwestern Pennsylvania at a top-tier Catholic research institution.

The cross-disciplinary curriculum will incorporate engineering, math, science and liberal arts coursework. Students will learn critical thinking, communication and management skills along with an understanding of the increasing importance of leadership and ethics in the engineering field.

This new program is designed to prepare graduates for job opportunities in manufacturing, research, health care and government as well as for medical and graduate schools. Career opportunities for biomedical engineers are growing. On a national level, the Occupational Outlook Handbook (U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics) indicates the field is growing much faster than average.

WWW.DUQ.EDU/ENGINEERING
SPECIAL PROGRAMS
In addition to one of the following programs, students must select a traditional undergraduate major.

Pre-Law
A University-wide program open to students in any major.
A humanities-based core curriculum develops oral and written communication skills while introducing fundamental societal issues. In addition, a wide variety of elective courses provides specialized knowledge, which better prepares pre-law students for the complex issues they will encounter in legal studies.

Accelerated 3/3 Law
Students in liberal arts or business may be eligible to participate in this accelerated 3/3 program, which allows them to earn a bachelor’s degree (BSBA or BA) and a JD degree in six years.

Pre-Medical Professions
A University-wide program open to students in any major.
Students seeking a career in medicine as well as dentistry, podiatry, optometry, and chiropractic or veterinary medicine will get the courses they need to meet their pre-professional requirements, plus a science-based liberal arts education, opportunities for research and hands-on experience in their chosen field.

Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC)
Air Force • Army • Navy
For more information, call 412.396.1709 (Air Force and Army) or 412.268.5109 (Navy).
The Duquesne admission process is easy—you can apply online. A complete application for admission includes:

- Completed online application
- $50 application fee (waived if you apply before Dec. 15)
- Official high school transcripts (with senior coursework included)
- Official SAT and/or ACT scores
- One letter of recommendation (recommendation form available online)
- Personal essay that explains your academic, professional and personal goals

More information, including the application checklist and deadlines, can be found at [WWW.DUQ.EDU/APPLY](http://WWW.DUQ.EDU/APPLY).

Each applicant is considered individually. We evaluate high school academic performance, standardized test scores, personal character and extracurricular activities. For most programs, a 3.0 cumulative GPA and 1,000 SAT (Math and Critical Reading) and/or 22 ACT minimums are required. Science (including all Health Sciences) programs require a higher GPA and test scores. In addition, leadership experience, community involvement, extracurricular activities and job shadowing are highly recommended for all majors, especially for Health Sciences programs.

Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form after Jan. 1. You can read and submit it at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov). (Duquesne University’s FAFSA code is 003258.)

Details and forms are available at [WWW.DUQ.EDU/FINANCIAL-AID](http://WWW.DUQ.EDU/FINANCIAL-AID).

### FINANCIAL AID AND SCHOLARSHIPS

- When you apply for admission, you are automatically considered for eligibility for academic scholarships.
- University-based aid and scholarships for undergraduate students exceed $54 million annually.
- Total aid from all sources exceeds $137 million annually.
- 99 percent of Duquesne freshmen receive some form of financial assistance.

### TRANSFER AND INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Special conditions apply. Learn more at [WWW.DUQ.EDU/TRANSFER](http://WWW.DUQ.EDU/TRANSFER) and [WWW.DUQ.EDU/INTERNATIONAL](http://WWW.DUQ.EDU/INTERNATIONAL), respectively.
TUITION, FEES, ROOM AND BOARD

Tuition varies by program. The figures below reflect the standard University Fee ($2,472) added to tuition. This combined cost covers fall and spring semesters for 12–18 credits per semester.

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<td>Doctor of Pharmacy – Traditional Day Pathway (Years 3–6)</td>
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Room and board (for combined fall and spring semesters):
- $10,632 double room
- $13,440 single room

This information applies to the 2013–2014 academic year only. The University reserves the right to change tuition, fees and other charges. Visit WWW.DUQ.EDU/TUITION for more details.

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We hope you’ll want to learn even more about our campus and programs as well as our students, faculty and staff—and especially our Spiritans—whose dedication, energy and spirit form the foundation of our welcoming, energetic and supportive community.

We invite you to visit Duquesne University. You can view our campus-visit options at www.duq.edu/visit or call us at 800.456.0590. We look forward to meeting you.