CAN ONE University MAKE AN IMPACT?

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University of Wyoming
Established in 1886 as a land-grant university, the University of Wyoming has since grown into a nationally recognized research institution which includes accomplished faculty and world-class facilities on a picturesque campus. UW provides a unique learning environment with more than 200 areas of study, 250 student organizations and one of the nation’s most extensive study abroad programs. UW’s 13,929 students hail from all 50 states and 94 countries.

Cowboy Ethics - In March 2010, Wyoming became the first state to adopt an official state code of ethics. The symbolic measure spells out ten ethics derived from the “Code of the West” outlined in a book by author and retired Wall Street investor James Owen. The University of Wyoming and the Center for Cowboy Ethics and Leadership have joined forces to offer a leadership curriculum using the Code of the West as the organizing concept.

To learn more visit uwyo.edu/uw/cowboy-ethics.
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The Wyoming Union, also known as the living room of campus, provides services and programs for students outside the classroom. It is a place to relax, eat, socialize with friends, participate in activities, shop and much more! Enjoy a wide array of food and snacks with friends from Panda Express, Snowy Range Creamery, S’Pokes Pizza, Pita Pit, Rolling Mill, the Gardens and CJ’s. The Wyoming Student Union is also your source for campus event tickets and the place to purchase textbooks or the latest brown and gold attire at the University Store.

Nestled between two mountain ranges in southeastern Wyoming, UW offers varied academic and lifestyle opportunities including year-round cultural and recreational activities. UW is located in Laramie, a town of more than 30,000 with a unique blend of sophistication and western hospitality. UW offers more than 200 areas of study, a small student to faculty ratio, and renowned faculty. As a nationally recognized research institution, UW’s global impact begins at our very own doorstep with innovative undergraduate and graduate research opportunities. UW provides an environment for success.

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> uwyostore.com

Technology

The University of Wyoming is committed to providing access and support to technology in all areas of campus. The majority of campus buildings offer wireless connectivity and staffed computer labs with a high-speed data network. Adaptive technology is available to ensure accessibility for students with disabilities. Students having problems with their personal computers or mobile devices can obtain assistance at the IT Service center.

> uwyo.edu/infotech/services
The residence halls provide a needed transitional environment for students. There is freedom for the residents, but the rules and policies allow those freedoms to not be at the cost of other residents.

**Residence Halls**

- All rooms are furnished and include cable television, Internet connections, 24-hour keyed entry and extensive security.
- The nationally recognized Washakie Dining Center is centrally located between the residence halls — a wide variety of delicious and nutritious cuisine is only a few steps away.
- Residential Freshman Interest Groups (FIGs) are specialty floors composed of students sharing similar academic or social interests.
- Free tutoring is available at the Student Learning Center.
- Computer assistance is close at hand in the Washakie Center computer lab.

Early application is essential for all housing facilities, especially if you intend to room with a friend or live in a specialty community. Single-occupancy rooms are available for upperclassmen. First-year students are required to live in the residence halls during their initial two semesters. Exceptions exist for students with special circumstances.

**Active Bodies for Engaged Minds**

Exercise your body with a full range of fitness and sport opportunities offered by Campus Recreation. Students can take advantage of a wide variety of cardio and weight training equipment, indoor track, swimming pool, group fitness classes, and indoor courts for basketball, volleyball and badminton. Students can also get involved in our nearly 50 intramural sport offerings or complete regionally as a member of one of our 25 club sport teams.

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**Explore Activities, Clubs & Organizations**

Establishing connections, making lifelong friendships, learning a new sport and expressing your political, spiritual or personal beliefs all enrich your life as a student. Get involved in one of more than 250 Recognized Student Organizations (RSOs). Attend or help coordinate events sponsored by the Student Activities Council, Concerts & Convocations, Friday Night Fever and more. Connect with other students at the resource centers: Multicultural Resource Center, Rainbow Resource Center or the Women’s Center. Every action you take during your time at UW will provide lifelong learning experiences and create lasting memories. Get involved!

**Multicultural Affairs**

UW’s commitment to diversity is exemplified through Multicultural Affairs and its various programs, which provide academic and social support to ethnic minorities and all students interested in diversity. Academic success is encouraged through programming, consisting of the Discover Excellence and Continuing Excellence workship series, a tutoring program, scholarship opportunities and individual meetings with staff. Socially, students connect with more than 20 culturally diverse recognized student organizations, as well as the Multicultural Student Leadership Initiative. The Multicultural Resource Center provides a welcoming space for studying and for meeting students from diverse backgrounds. Center resources such as the computer lab, multicultural library and special programs are available to all students. UW’s diversity events include town hall meetings, Friday morning Muffins for Motivation and the Multicultural Affairs speaker series.

**Women’s Center and Rainbow Resource Center**

These two student centers offer leadership development programs and opportunities; a safe & welcoming space for students to gather; connections to student organizations; support for Women in Mathematics, Science & Engineering (WiMSE); and monthly events for women as well as the LGBT community and allies.

**Diversity on Campus**

Diversity at UW means learning more about other members of our community from different backgrounds. The Dean of Students Office works to help students learn about the similarities and differences that exist in our academic community with the goal of preparing students for their lives in a culturally pluralistic society.
UW students regularly step out into their communities, the country and the world to volunteer and make a difference in people’s lives. The UW Center for Service, Leadership & Community Engagement (SLCE) is a one-stop-shop for students who want to get involved and make a difference in the community while honing their leadership skills.

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national outdoor leadership school

UW students can receive up to 16 hours of UW credit for courses offered through the National Outdoor Leadership School (NOLS), the leader in wilderness education!
What you do, not just what you say, has the greatest impact on who you will become, and to be able to say you did a job well done will require big dreams and tough choices.
Experience the passion of NCAA Division I-A college sports and take part in the tradition and pride of Wyoming Athletics. Cheer on the Cowboys and Cowgirls as they compete against regional rivals and national powers in the Mountain West Conference. Students are the backbone of Wyoming’s home advantage and receive exclusive seating benefits by taking part in The Stampede.

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international programs

Make international study an integral part of your degree program, regardless of your major or your second language skills. Spend a full academic year, a semester or a summer abroad earning UW credits. Students may use their financial aid and additional scholarships to finance their education abroad. Here are just some examples of the many opportunities that await!

• Join UW faculty on one of our field courses abroad! Spend your winter break in India or the Galapagos Islands; a week on a service-learning project in Honduras; your summer break studying the Holocaust in Europe, Shakespeare in London and Italy, or participating in an archeology field school in Croatia; or study intensive Spanish, Mandarin, French or Russian in the countries of their origin!
• Spend a summer, semester or year on exchange with one of our many international exchange partner universities – you can study everything from business and engineering in Germany or Guatemala, to agricultural systems in France, to biology and chemistry in China.
• Study across the globe – from Sweden to Chile to Ghana – through a nationally ranked, UW-sanctioned program provider.

UW partners with more than 400 exchange sites or study abroad programs, allowing students to go almost anywhere in the world and study in English or in a foreign language. UW’s International Programs Office can tailor your academic interest in studying abroad around your personal experience, major, skills or needs.

international program quick facts

• UW serves an international population of 800 students, 100 scholars and more than 200 dependents.
• UW has grown its Study Abroad program by nearly 1,000 percent since early 2000.
• UW’s strategic international partners include Australia, China, France, Germany, Guatemala, Nepal and Russia.
• UW Study Abroad offers more than $200,000 in annually awarded scholarships, with 70 exchange partners and 140 locations available.
• China, Nepal, India, Saudi Arabia and Canada provide the greatest amount of international students studying at UW.
• Recognized by Forbes magazine as the nation’s 11th best college value for 2013
• Ranked by Princeton Review’s 2012 Guide to 322 Green Colleges
• Recognized as a national university in US News Best Colleges 2013 by US News World Report
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• 200+ areas of study
• Average undergraduate class size: 29 students
• Student to faculty ratio: 14:1
• Faculty holding the highest degree in their field: 83%
• 92% of classes are taught by faculty. Only 8% of classes are taught by graduate assistants
• UW offers 400+ exchange sites

• 13,929 students
• Undergraduate on-campus enrollment: 8,611
• Nonresident enrollment: 27%
• Minority student enrollment: 9%
• Average high school GPA for entering freshmen: 3.48
• Male: 52%, Female: 48%

• NCAA Division I-A college sports
• 45 intramural sports
• 21 Club Sports
• 250 Clubs and Organizations
In addition to traditional career fields like production agriculture, animal and veterinary sciences, wildlife habitat management and farm and ranch management, our degrees can also lead to stimulating careers in advertising, banking, plant and animal breeding/genetics, nutrition and dietetics, ecosystem restoration/reclamation, medicine, environmental consulting, child and family services, international agriculture, economics, forensic science, interior design, journalism, forestry, textiles and merchandising, turf management, geographic information systems and much more!

• Facilities include state-of-the-art teaching and research labs, field environments, plus an indoor livestock-teaching arena.

• Our faculty have been recognized nationally for both teaching and research.

• Free tutoring for College of Agriculture & Natural Resources students.

• A variety of clubs, organizations, competitive teams, professional societies and an agriculture-related fraternity and sorority.

• Excellent scholarship opportunities.

• Hands-on experience and enhanced research opportunities, including international experiences.

• Top College of Business students can take a stock trading course in our state-of-the-art trading room where students manage a real seven-figure portfolio.

• Want to own your own business? Each year the college hosts an annual entrepreneurship competition where students compete for approximately $30,000 in cash and services for their prospective business ventures.

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The new $54 million College of Business building features behavioral and multi-media labs, an executive boardroom, interview rooms, a variety of classrooms and many other amenities including high-definition playback and projection systems in each classroom, a video production and editing facility, video conferencing capabilities, financial data feeds, a wall-to-wall stock ticker in our atrium and much more.

college of arts and sciences

A&S offers more than 50 majors and 60 minors, as well as seven interdisciplinary programs. By studying the arts, literature, philosophy, math, sciences, languages and politics, you will prepare for "complete living" and acquire the communication, writing and analytical skills for whatever path your career takes.

• Faculty members emphasize field study, internships and individual research projects.

• A&S offers exciting opportunities to enhance global perspectives through exchange programs and study abroad.

• Programs in geology, archaeology, botany and geography take advantage of Wyoming’s unique environment.

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• Many A&S programs offer scholarships for talent, ability and academic pursuit. Scholarships are combinable with UW’s general academic scholarships for entering students.

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The College of Education offers 17 different bachelor’s degree programs, leading to teacher licensure. Hands-on experiences in real classrooms are emphasized throughout our students’ academic careers. When combined with our outstanding faculty, partnerships with Wyoming public schools and UW’s on-campus Lab School, students experience a supportive environment within which they can hone their skills as exemplary future educators.

- Full implementation of the Education Teacher Performance Assessment, a national summative measure of readiness to enter the profession.
- Continuously accredited by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education since 1954.
- Field experiences in partner school sites across Wyoming and in Denver Public Schools.
- Professional education courses with small class sizes provide frequent feedback and opportunities to interact with faculty, master teachers and peers.
- The Office of Teacher Education provides 1:1 advising, academic success programs, note and test taking help and support for state licensure processes.
- Our spring career fair brings educational hiring representatives to campus from school districts within Wyoming and more than 25 states and U.S. territories.
- More than $225,000 in scholarships are awarded each year to College of Education students.
- All second-year education students earn concurrent majors in education and their specific discipline, allowing them to develop high levels of expertise in both content and pedagogy.
- A new minor in Early Childhood Education allows elementary education students to earn an endorsement to their initial teaching license.
- A faculty committed to preparing the next generation of teachers dedicated to supporting learning for all children.
- A strong history of high expectations for our students, with well qualified graduates and satisfaction among hiring districts.

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The College of Engineering and Applied Science

Work with the latest high-tech equipment as you design water purification equipment for a remote mountain village, manufacture assistive devices for the disabled incorporating advanced composite materials, create new types of robots, synthesize complex cancer fighting drugs, design energy-efficient buildings, develop new energy options, write sophisticated computer programs and research ways of combating and preventing pollution.

- Power Groups allow freshmen to select common course schedules with students of similar interests.
- Free tutoring to all students within the college.
- Extensive undergraduate research opportunities.
- UW engineering seniors consistently score above the national average on their first licensing exam.
- The International Engineering Program enables students to study and work abroad.
- The Energy Systems Engineering program trains future engineers to address the country’s foremost challenges: to achieve energy independence and meet the growing demand for energy, while at the same time addressing critical environmental concerns.

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The College of Health Sciences

Our challenging programs lead to careers in pharmacy, nursing, social work, kinesiology and health promotion, physical education teaching, communication disorders (speech-language pathology and audiology) and dental hygiene. You’ll receive a superior education, precise and personal advising and the valuable experience of practicum and internships. Our Preprofessional Health Advising Office assists all UW students wishing to attend professional schools in dentistry, medicine, occupational therapy, optometry, physical therapy, physician’s assistant study, and other health care professions.

- Speech-language pathologists enjoy 100% job placement in medical and educational settings.
- The nursing program uses active and team-based learning in one of the country’s most high-tech simulation centers, equipping our graduates with the tools for clinical judgment necessary for safe patient care.
- School of Pharmacy faculty and students provide direct care to patients 20,000 times per year.
- Our dental hygiene program offers a variety of degree options, including a bachelor’s degree.
- Over half of all kinesiology and health graduates continue on for graduate placement in a physical and occupational therapy program, medical, physician’s assistant, chiropractic, dentistry and optometry school each year.
- Social work students are educated in cutting edge techniques partially through role plays conducted in observation rooms and in their practicum settings with real-time instructor feedback.

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To talk about the future will provide less than acting upon your dreams and intentions, so rather than say what you will become, go out and pursue more, do more and live more!
college of law

An excellent faculty of approximately 21 full-time professors and lecturers instructs a student body of about 225. The limited size of the student body and favorable student-faculty ratio creates an atmosphere of friendliness and informality. Small classes, personalized instruction, opportunities for hands-on experience and a diverse curriculum are strong traditions. Our alumni include not only leading private practitioners, but federal judges, business executives, former governors, state and federal legislators and a former United Nations Ambassador.

• The UW Law program has been an American Bar Association (ABA) approved law school since 1923.
• The Career Services Office provides planning, placement, and counseling services for students, alumni, and employers seeking to recruit UW students.
• Four legal clinics, three practicums, a rural law center and diverse internship and externship opportunities give UW Law students ample opportunity to apply their legal skills.

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distance learning outreach school

The Outreach School is dedicated to reaching students who may not be able to travel to Laramie to continue their education. More than 35 degree and certificate/endorsement programs, including nine bachelor’s degree programs, are available to students through an extensive network of learning technologies, including online classes, video conferencing and audio teleconferencing. Eleven Outreach Regional Centers are located throughout Wyoming with academic coordinators and office support staff to help students complete their education. In addition, students seeking a small campus experience can attend the University of Wyoming/Casper College Center. Students who have completed their associate’s degree through a Wyoming community college will find it easy to transfer credits to the University of Wyoming. Small classes, of the student body and favorable student-faculty ratio creates an atmosphere of friendliness and informality. Small classes, personalized instruction, opportunities for hands-on experience and a diverse curriculum are strong traditions. Our alumni include not only leading private practitioners, but federal judges, business executives, former governors, state and federal legislators and a former United Nations Ambassador.

Implementation of the Higher Education Act and current state authorization regulations has affected the admission of out-of-state students in UW’s distance education programs. At this time students from the following states: Arkansas, Iowa, Kansas, Massachusetts, Minnesota and Tennessee will not be admitted into UW distance education programs. This policy is to comply with regulations in these states.

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haub school of environment and natural resources (ENR)

Natural resource challenges— ranging from local freshwater supply to global energy generation, from sustainable food production to wildlife habitat conservation and much more— promise to intensify in the coming decades. Prepare to become a leader in addressing complex environmental issues with a degree from the Haub School of Environment and Natural Resources.

Haub School students are part of a unique community. They bring expertise from concurrent majors in any of UW’s seven colleges to the ENR classroom and apply problem-solving skills and critical thinking to build real-world solutions. Haub School students interact with classmates from fields as diverse as policy, science, cultural studies, sociology, economics, art and business as they dig into environmental questions. In addition, opportunities to study and work abroad, learn in the field and complete a professional internship mean the Haub School better prepares you for a meaningful professional career.

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school of energy resources (SER)

The School of Energy Resources is addressing the complex energy needs of our future. Seeking to advance energy-related science, technology and economics through world-class research, SER is preparing students to work in fields integral to our nation’s energy economy. SER students earn a bachelor’s degree in energy resource management and development—an interdisciplinary program that combines engineering, science, business, law and natural resources studies. The core curriculum builds broad understanding of the energy enterprise and individual program options establish discipline-specific training in fossil fuels, renewable energy, energy law, water and air management or professional land management (Landman). This challenging, rigorous and rewarding program develops real-world entrepreneurial problem solvers and innovative project managers. Collaborative skills that are integrated in the curriculum position graduates for competitive success in the 21st century global energy industry. These include internships at leading companies, opportunities to interact with industry professionals, study abroad exchanges and undergraduate research experiences.

The University of Wyoming now has one of the nation’s largest computing resources dedicated to research and education with the National Center for Atmospheric Research-Wyoming Supercomputing Center and enhancements to the Advanced Research Computing Center.

Recognized UW faculty increase knowledge of the natural world through development of large-scale, multidisciplinary models designed to simulate nature’s complex systems. Students will access these computing resources as they address problems of importance to Wyoming, the nation and beyond through enhanced modeling and visualization courses in Bioscience, Computer Science and Mathematics, Engineering and Earth Systems Science, plus computationally intensive undergraduate research projects and summer internships.

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Remember that failure will give you some measure of how far you have journeyed. Through failure one learns that some things in life aren’t worth keeping, while other things, like honor, will never be for sale.

Hands-on learning encourages collaborative and individual problem solving through practical real-world experiences, enabling students to become self-sufficient learners. Working one-on-one with faculty and mentors, students obtain skills that will help transition them from an academic to a professional environment. UW offers exceptional opportunities for hands-on projects including field research, undergraduate internships and team projects.

A teacher’s job is to open a door to new ideas. Whether the student passes through the door or passes by the door depends, to a large degree, on how much interest is generated on the other side. My goal has been to generate interest, push some to higher levels and bring along those who are lagging.

Charles Dolan
Winner of the 2013 John P. Elbogen Lifetime Teaching Award

As a student, you will encounter success, obstacles, challenges and victories. The Division of Student Affairs, along with UW faculty and staff, will be right there with you throughout your education. All the support you need to become a successful student and earn a degree is available, regardless of your particular circumstance, academic background, disability or situation.

The Division of Student Affairs contributes to the learning, success, wellness and overall development of our students so that they become informed and contributing citizens of your community, state, nation and world. UW offers the appropriate support for your journey!

hands-on learning, mentoring and real-world experiences
The Honors Program provides students exciting challenges and engaging experiences to reach beyond the classroom. Students have a multitude of opportunities to excel and embark on intellectual and international travel with other students who want the best from their college education. In small innovative classes, you will discuss new ideas and great books, exploring topics like HIV/AIDS, nanotechnology, race and racism and the music and culture of Bali. Through Honors, you will grow intellectually, learn with other top students, prepare for solid careers and graduate school or develop your hidden talents and abilities.

Benefits include:
- Priority course registration — Register for the classes you want when you want them.
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- Study abroad experiences including honors classes taking you to Japan, Ecuador, England and Italy.
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Steve Farbok
MBA Director, College of Business

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**2013/14 undergraduate yearly costs**

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*Tuition and fees based on 15 credits per semester.
**Double occupancy room with an unlimited meal plan.

"I feel like you need to be involved in something on your campus to really get the full college experience. You don’t learn life lessons sitting in a classroom, which means you’re not getting your full money’s worth if you just attend class. You need to become a part of the UW campus to really get all that you can out of college."

Lacy Hooker

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