

Bachelor Degree Programs for Nontraditional Students

The following colleges offer bachelor degree programs designed for non-traditional and returning adult students. Degree options include programs with shorter duration, distance learning, credit for life experience and more. Students may take 60-90 credit hours at Harper College, depending on the transfer institution, before enrolling in one of these programs. Please check with a Student Development counselor or advisor to discuss the possibilities.

This packet contains information for the following colleges and universities:

- Argosy University (TA)
- Ashford University
- Benedictine University
- Columbia College of Missouri (TA)
- Concordia University
- DePaul University
- DeVry University
- Dominican University
- Eastern Illinois University (FT)
- Elmhurst University
- Franklin University
- Governors State University (TA)
- Illinois Institute of Art
- Illinois Institute of Technology
- Indiana Wesleyan University (TA)
- Judson University
- Kaplan University
- Kendall College (TA)
- Lewis University (TA)
- Loyola University
- National-Louis University (TA)
- North Central College
- North Park University
- Northeastern Illinois University
- Northern Illinois University (TA)
- Northwestern University – School of Professional Studies
- Northwood University (FT)
- Olivet-Nazarene University (TA)
- Rasmussen College (FT)
- Regis University (TA)
- Robert Morris University (FT)
- Roosevelt University (FT)
- Shimer College
- Southern Illinois University (TA)
- Strayer University (FT)
- Trinity International University
- University of Illinois at Springfield (TA)
- University of Phoenix
- University of St. Francis (TA)
- University of Wisconsin Platteville
- Western Illinois University (TA)

(FT) - Specific transfer agreements for students in Harper College's Fast Track program

(TA) – Transfer agreement(s) for nontraditional student programs

Argosy University

www.argosy.edu

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Campus

Schaumburg Campus, 999 N. Plaza Drive, Schaumburg, IL 60173

Program

Bachelor of Arts in Psychology (BA)

Concentrations

In the BA in Psychology degree program, you may choose a concentration in:

- Advanced Studies in Psychology
- Criminal Justice
- Human Services
- Organizational Psychology
- Substance Abuse
- Child and Adolescent Studies

Format

This dynamic program is built around flexible online and in-residence accelerated classes intended to help you complete your degree rapidly.

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (BS)

Concentrations

In the BS in Business Administration degree program, you may select a concentration in the following areas:

- Accounting
- Finance
- Healthcare Management
- Human Resource Management
- International Business
- Marketing
- Organizational Management

Format

This applied, competency-oriented program combines flexible online and in-residence classes in multiple formats intended to encourage you to move through the program at a pace that best suits your needs.

Ashford University

www.ashford.edu

Contact

800-877-1179

Programs

- Accounting
- Business Economics
- Communication Studies
- Education & Public Policy
- Entrepreneurship
- Health Care Administration
- History
- Human Resources Management
- Journalism & Mass Communication
- Operations Management & Analysis
- Political Science & Government
- Psychology
- Service Management
- Social Science w/Education Concentration
- Sports & Recreation Management
- Applied Behavioral Science
- Business Information Systems
- Early Childhood Education
- English
- Environmental Studies
- Health Care Studies
- Homeland Security & Emergency Management
- Business Administration
- Child Development
- Early Childhood Ed Admin
- English Lang Learners
- Finance
- Health & Human Services
- International Business
- Law Enforcement Admin
- Organizational Mgmt
- Project Management
- Public Relations & Mkt
- Social Science
- Sociology
- Supply Chain Management

Format

- Ashford offers flexible online course available 24 hours a day.
- Students can transfer up to 90 approved lower-division credits.

For Harper College specific transfer agreements go to:

<http://www.ashford.edu/online/transferability.php>

Benedictine University

www.ben.edu

Contact

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Campus

Lisle

Courses offered in the following locations: Arlington Heights, Bellwood, Bolingbrook Crystal Lake, Elgin, Highland Park, Naperville, Tinley Park and Vernon Hills.

Programs

Bachelor of Arts in Management

Bachelor of Arts in Psychology

Bachelor of Arts in Organizational Leadership

Bachelor of Business Administration in Management and Organizational Behavior

Bachelor of Business Administration in Business and Economics

Human Resource Management Certificate

Sales and Sales Management Certificate

Format

- The program is accelerated, allowing a student to enroll in classes like a full-time student but at a part-time rate.
- The student is able to complete a number of courses by the end of a semester but focus on 1 or 2 classes at a time. The program is self-paced so it is up to you to determine the pace of your program.
- Classes meet ONE night a week, you take ONE course at a time and degree completion can take as little as 6 months to 2 years. Classes are 5-9 weeks in length.

Columbia College of Missouri

Columbia College of Missouri – Crystal Lake and Elgin Campuses

www.cccis.edu/crystallake

www.ccis.edu/elgin

Contact

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Campus

Crystal Lake – 446 North Route 31, Crystal Lake, IL 60012

Elgin – 1700 Spartan Drive, Elgin, 60123-7191

Programs

In-seat (4 hours) and hybrid (3 hours with 1 hour online)

- BA or BS/Business Administration
 - Majors available: Accounting, Entrepreneurship, Finance, Human Resource Management, International Business, Marketing, Management.
- BA/Criminal Justice Administration
- BA/Human Services
- BA/Psychology
- Bachelor of General Studies

Online

- 23 available

Format

On-campus courses are offered evenings and on weekends (Saturday only). Online courses can be taken at anytime from anywhere. Both formats are done in eight week sessions six times a year (August, October, January, March, May and July). To be a full-time student at Columbia College students need to take two classes a sessions (6 hours) or twelve classes a year (36 hours). Students can take up to three classes a sessions (9 hours) or eighteen classes a year (54 hours).

Admission Requirements:

Columbia College admits traditional and nontraditional students on an open admission basis.

Concordia University Chicago

<http://gradschool.cuchicago.edu/academics/accelerated-bachelors-degree-completion/>

Contact

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Campus

Concordia University Chicago

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River Forest, IL 60305

Programs

Accelerated Degree Completion Program for Adults in:

BA, Health Care Management (Dual Degree)

BA, Organizational Management (Dual Degree)

BA, Sports and Recreation Management

BS, Management Information Systems

Format

Our online, on campus, and blended delivery modes are designed to fit the needs of busy individuals. Both formats foster valuable relationships and support networks that can add value throughout your career. The major coursework can be completed within 16 months and each major course is 5 weeks long. Our advisors can create a specialized program plan to accommodate the needs of each individual student.

DePaul University – Adult Enrollment Center

www.depaul.edu/aec

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Campuses

Loop Campus

O'Hare Campus

Naperville Campus

Oak Forest Campus

Distance Education – online

Programs

- Bachelor of Arts with an individualized focus area
- Bachelor of Arts at a Distance
- Bachelor of Arts in Computing (joint with the College of Computing and Digital Media)
- Bachelor of Arts in General Business (joint with the College of Commerce)
- Bachelor of Arts in Early Childhood Education (joint with the School of Education)

Students plan their own focus area (which is like a major). They don't have to follow pre-determined focus areas. Credit may be given for work/life experiences. Courses offered online and on campus. Scholarships and Financial Aid

Format

Classes meet once a week, evenings, Saturdays and on-line.

Admission Requirements

Age 24 or older

DeVry University

www.devry.edu

773-929-8500

Transfer Guide link: <https://www.devry.edu/admissions/transfer-students/illinois-community-college-transfers.html>

Campuses and Centers

Addison Campus, Chicago Campus, Tinley Park Campus, Chicago Loop, Chicago O'Hare, Downers Grove, Elgin, Gurnee, Lincolnshire, Merrillville IN, Naperville, Schaumburg, Milwaukee, WI, Waukesha, WI, and Online.

Programs

- College of Business & Management
 - Business Administration – Concentrations in Accounting, Business Information Systems, Finance, Health Services Management, Hospitality Management, Human Resource Management, Operations Management, Project Management, Sales and Marketing, Security Management, Small Business Management and Entrepreneurship and Technical Communications, Sustainability Management.
 - Management – Degree Completion Program
 - Technical Management – Degree Completion Program
- College of Media Arts & Technology
 - Multimedia Design & Development
- College of Engineering & Information Sciences
 - Biomedical Engineering Technology
 - Computer Engineering Technology
 - Computer Information Systems – Tracks in Computer Forensics, Database Management, Enterprise Computing, Health Information Systems, Information Systems Security, Systems Analysis, Web Development, and Web Game Programming
 - Electronics Engineering Technology
 - Renewable Energy Track
 - Game & Simulation Programming
 - Network & Communications Management
- College of Liberal Arts & Sciences
 - Justice Administration – *Tracks in Digital Forensics, Corrections, Policing, or Emergency Management*
 - Liberal Studies

Dominican University

<http://www.dom.edu>

<http://continuingstudies.dom.edu/>

Contact

(708) 714-9125

Programs

- Bachelor of Arts in Human Services
- Bachelor of Arts in Legal Studies

Format

- Online and weekday evening classes
- Hybrid format (both online and on-campus) options
- Small, highly interactive classes

Eastern Illinois University

School of Continuing Education

<http://www.eiu.edu/bgs/>

Contact

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Program

Bachelor of Arts in General Studies

Format

- Offered at Harper, online, Grayslake- University Center at College of Lake County
- The program is a nontraditional approach to obtaining a fully accredited Bachelor of Arts degree
- Students may attend classes at several locations throughout the state of Illinois or completely online
- Designed for the adult who has family and/or career responsibilities
- A maximum of 78 community college credits may be applied toward meeting degree requirements, not including credit earned through remedial courses

Admission Requirements

- It is recommended that a prospective student have 60 semester hours of earned college credit at the time of application and a minimum of a 2.0 GPA.

Additional Programs available online

- Bachelor of Arts in Communication in Organizations
- Bachelor of Arts in Psychology
- Bachelor of Science in Organizational and Professional Development

Elmhurst College

www.elmhurst.edu

www.elmhurst.edu/adult

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Adult Admission Counselor

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Campus

190 Prospect Avenue

Cureton Hall, north entrance, 1st floor

Elmhurst, IL 60126

Programs

Elmhurst Management Program (Business Administration)

Information Technology

Applied Psychology

Format

Courses are conveniently scheduled in the evenings or online, and our generous credit-transfer policies help you earn your degree efficiently.

Admission Requirements

To begin major courses in a degree completion program, you must have at least 30 semester hours of credit with a minimum cumulative grade-point average of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale, including:

- Two courses in English composition and rhetoric
- One math course (college algebra or higher-level course)
- Introduction to Psychology (with a grade of 'C' or better; NOTE: This course is required for pre-clinical psychology applicants only)

If you do not have 30 semester hours of credit, you can still be admitted to Elmhurst College and complete the 30 hours at the College as part of your non-major coursework. Please contact your academic advisor to plan your courses accordingly.

Franklin University

alliance.franklin.edu/go/harpercollege

Contact

admissions@franklin.edu
614.797.4700

Campus

Main Campus is in Columbus, Ohio. (Franklin's Community College Alliance is available in over 270 Community and Technical Colleges in 33 states)

Programs

Accounting, Allied Healthcare Management, Applied Management, Applied Psychology, Business Administration, Business Economics, Business Forensics, Communications, Computer Science, Criminal Justice Administration, Cyber Security, Emergency Management & Homeland Security, Energy Management, Entrepreneurship, Financial Management, Financial Planning, Forensic Accounting, Healthcare Information Systems Management, Healthcare Management, Human Resources Management, Information Systems, Information Systems Auditing, Information Technology, Interactive Media Design, Logistics Management, Management & Leadership, Marketing, Nursing, Operations & Supply Chain Management, Public Administration, Public Relations, Public Safety Management & Leadership, Risk Management & Insurance, Social Sciences, Web Development

Special Features

Students complete up to 3 years of coursework at Harper College while finishing a minimum of 40 semester hours with Franklin University on-line. No out-of-state tuition!

Format

On-line

Admission Requirements

An Associate's Degree or 60 transferable semester credit hours from a Regionally Accredited Institution.

Governors State University

www.govst.edu

Contact

708.534.1640

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Campus

University Park, IL

Programs

Interdisciplinary Studies

Business and Applied Science

Program Benefits:

- Maximum transferrable credit
- Distance learning
 - Online
 - Correspondence
 - Televised
 - Video
- Flexible course schedules
- Nontraditional credit options
 - Credit for learning gained from life experience
 - Military
 - Proficiency testing
 - Credit approved by American Council on Education (ACE)
- Minors in Psychology and Business Administration offered in distance format
- Transfer in up to 80 lower division semester hours

Admission Requirements:

- 60 lower level semester hours necessary to be fully admitted
 - Conditional admittance with 45 lower level semester credit hours
 - 60 semester hour requirement must be met within one year of admittance
- 2.0 (on a scale of 4.0) GPA required
- Application fee non-refundable

The Illinois Institute of Art - Schaumburg

www.artinstitutes.edu/schaumburg

Programs

Advertising
Audio Production
Digital Filmmaking & Video Production
Digital Photography
Fashion Design
Fashion Marketing & Management
Game Art & Design
Graphic Design
Hospitality Management
Interior Design
Media Arts & Animation
Visual Effects & Motion Graphics
Web Design & Interactive Media

Format

Days, evenings, weekends, and online
Eight (8) academic starts per year

Admission Requirements

Varies by program. Please contact us for details.

Illinois Institute of Technology

www.iit.edu

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Campus

Rice Campus – located at 201 East Loop Road in Wheaton.

Most courses meet in the evening.

Main Campus – located at 31st Street and I-94.

IIT Online – IIT enables students to remotely participate in on-campus classes through two distinct modes: live television and the Internet (using streaming audio & video).

Programs

Aerospace Engineering

Architectural Engineering

Chemical Engineering*

Civil Engineering

Computer Engineering*

Computer Science

Electrical Engineering*

Industrial Technology and Management*

Information Technology and Management*

Mechanical Engineering*

Metallurgical & Materials Engineering

*May be completed in their entirety on an evening basis

Format

Most courses meet in the evenings and many are available on Saturdays.

Indiana Wesleyan University

<http://www.indwes.edu/Academics/CAPS/>

Contact

866-IWU-4-YOU

Indiana Wesleyan University offers a variety of degree programs to accelerate your personal growth and equip you to change the world in which you live. Many of these programs are available at Education Centers and learning sites throughout Indiana, Kentucky and Ohio, as well as online.

The following degree programs are offered to adult students at Indiana Wesleyan University.

BUSINESS

- Accounting
- Business Administration
- Business Information Systems
- Management
- Marketing

COMPUTER

- Business Information Systems

COUNSELING

- Addictions Counseling

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

- Criminal Justice

LIBERAL ARTS

- General Studies

NURSING

- Nursing

PSYCHOLOGY & SOCIAL WORK

- Human Services

THEOLOGY & MINISTRY

- Biblical Studies

Judson University – The Center for Adult Professional Studies

www.JudsonForAdults.com

Contact

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Campuses

Elgin and Rockford, near Interstate 90 at both locations

Programs

Applied Psychology (BA)

Business Administration (BA)

Human Services (BA)

Organizational Leadership (BA)

Format

The adult professional program offers a comprehensive program for adult learners to complete a Bachelor of Arts degree. Many students complete a bachelor degree in the programs offered by the division in as few as 24 months by attending classes one evening per week and an occasional half-day Saturday. Students may earn the additional credits they need to meet graduation requirements through a variety of flexible options and formats.

Degree-seeking students are enrolled in a learning community/program. Before joining a program, every student completes LDB101 - Principles of Adult Learning, a course designed to introduce or re-introduce adult students to learning in an accelerated, higher education setting. Each course is taught by Judson University faculty. All options are offered on the Elgin campus and the branch campus in Rockford. There is also an online delivery option.

Kendall College

www.kendall.edu

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Campus

900 N. North Branch St.
Chicago, IL 60642
(1 mile west of Michigan Ave.)

Program

- BA Business (concentrations include Culinary Entrepreneurship and International Business)
- BA Culinary Arts
- AAS Culinary Arts (including an Accelerated program for those who already have a Bachelors degree)
- AAS Baking & Pastry
- BA Early Childhood Education (including Illinois Professional Educator Licensure or as standalone)
- BA Hospitality Management (concentrations in Beverage Management, Hotel Management, Restaurant Management, Events Planning Management, Sustainability Management or Asset Management)

Format

Classes meet during the day, evenings, online/weekend (depending on program)

Admission Requirement

The following is required for admission to Kendall College:

- Official high school transcript with graduation date and unweighted final GPA of at least 2.0 on a four-point scale, or
- Official documentation of passing GED scores, or
- Official college transcript with at least 12 earned semester credits or 18 earned quarter credits (with cumulative GPA of at least 2.0.)
- ACT score of 18; SAT three-part score of 1350 for applicants who graduated from high school within five years of the intended start date. Students who did not take the ACT exam may be required to take a placement exam prior to admission to determine appropriate course placement.
- Personal Statement
- Interview with an Enrollment Advisor

Lewis University

www.lewisu.edu

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Campuses

Romeoville, Oak Brook, Hickory Hills, Tinley Park, Shorewood, Chicago

Programs

Business - Business Administration (also available online), Information Security and Risk Management (also available online), Information Technology Management (also available online), Management, Social Media Marketing

Arts and Science – Aviation Maintenance Management (BS or Certificate), Computer Science (online only), Criminal/Social Justice (also available online), Human Resource Management, Organizational Leadership (also available online), Paralegal Studies, Psychology

Nursing and Health Professions – Healthcare Leadership, BSN Degree Completion, Bachelor's to BSN

Professional Studies and Continuing Education – Professional Studies (online only)

Special Features

- Discounted tuition for adult learners to make earning your degree affordable
- Lewis partners with numerous employers for tuition discounts
- Convenient campus locations offer accelerated course options in day, evening, online and blended formats - whatever works to help you balance work, family and education
- Small, adult-only classrooms provide the ideal learning environment to learn with and from your peers
- Earn up to 30 credit hours for your college-level learning developed through prior work and personal experiences through our Prior Learning Assessment

Loyola University Chicago

www.luc.edu/scps

Contact

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musher1@luc.edu

Campuses

Loyola's Water Tower Campus in downtown Chicago, Lakeshore in Rogers Park or Vernon Hills, IL

Programs

Applied Criminal Justice Leadership (BA)

Applied Psychology (BA)

Applied Studies (BA)

Information Technology (BA)

Management (BA)

Paralegal Studies (BA)

Social Work (BSW)

Format

- Our evening courses are held in downtown Chicago on the Water Tower campus from 6-9pm.
- Our Saturday morning courses are held in two locations: downtown Chicago on the Water Tower campus and at the Cuneo Mansion & Gardens in Vernon Hills. These courses are blended, consisting of 4 face-to-face meetings on alternating Saturdays and 4 asynchronous online elements
- Fully online classes can consist of synchronous and asynchronous sessions. Synchronous courses meet live online at a designated date and time with teachers presenting via video or audio and students participating either via chat or audio. Asynchronous means there is independent coursework to complete within a certain time frame but students are not required to be online at a specific day or time.

Harper College Transfer Guides

<http://www.luc.edu/adult-education/flexible-degree-program/transfer-credit/transferguides/harpercollege/>

National Louis University

www.nl.edu

888.658.8632 x5151

admissions@nl.edu

Campuses

Wheeling, Elgin, Skokie, Lisle and Chicago

Programs

Business Administrations (BA), Management (BS)*, Management Information Systems (BA)*, Communications, Applied Communications (BA), Early Childhood Education (BA), Early Childhood Practice – non-licensure (BA), Elementary Education (BA), Special Education (BA), Health Care Leadership (BS), Human Services (BA), Applied Behavioral Sciences (BA), Criminal Justice (BA)*, Psychology (BA), Social Science (BA)

* also available online

Format

On-campus, online, evening and weekends

North Central College

www.northcentralcollege.edu

Contact

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Programs

Accounting, Computer Science, Entrepreneurship, Finance, Human Resource Management, Management, Marketing, Psychology

Format

You can complete a bachelor's degree in select areas of study exclusively in the evenings. Evening classes meet once or twice per week:

- Once per week or "Jumbo" classes meet 6:30 - 10:00 p.m., Monday through Thursday evenings.
- Twice per week classes meet 6:30 - 8:20 p.m., Monday and Wednesday or Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

Classes meeting only once a week as a "Jumbo" have First Assignments that must be completed by the student before the first class.

Admission Requirements

- To be competitive for admission, a 2.5 transferable grade-point average is preferred.
- If you have not earned 27 transferable semester hours, your high school transcript and ACT/SAT scores will also be required.
- You must not have been dismissed for any reason from your last institution attended.

North Park University

School of Professional Studies

Bachelor's Completion Program

<https://www.northpark.edu/academics/colleges-and-schools/school-of-professional-studies/school-of-professional-studies-undergraduate/>

Contact

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Campus

Chicago, and the University Center of Lake County in Grayslake

Programs

- Business Administration *
- Counseling Psychology
- Criminal Justice
- Management Information Systems*
- Nonprofit Management*
- Organizational Management and Leadership*

*available fully online

Format

School of Professional Studies is designed for students who have to balance the demands of work, family, and school. The application process is easy and classes start every two months. We offer evening and weekend classes at two different campus locations—or online, with coursework you complete on your own schedule. Both campuses have parking and are convenient to public transportation.

Admission Requirements

2.0 gpa and at least 12 transferable credits.

A completed application and official transcripts from all universities attended must be submitted. Prospective students may ask to have their unofficial transcripts evaluated.

Northeastern Illinois University

www.neiu.edu

<http://www.neiu.edu/academics/nontraditional-degree-programs>

Contact

773-442-6030

NDP@neiu.edu

Campus:

5500 N. St. Louis Ave.

Chicago, IL 60625

Programs

Bachelor of Arts in Interdisciplinary Studies (BAIS)

University Without Walls (UWW)

Program Information

The Bachelor of Arts in Interdisciplinary Studies (BAIS) major has a unique structure and flexibility that features a generous transfer of credit policy. BAIS offers a variety of options for completing graduation requirements

The University Without Walls (UWW) Program is a competency-based degree program that leads to a Bachelor of Arts or a Bachelor of Science degree. UWW recognizes learning that occurs outside of the traditional classroom. Students work with an academic advisor, a community advisor and the UWW advisor to design an individualized curriculum.

Graduation is based on demonstrated competencies, rather than credit hours completed.

Format

Both programs offer:

- Generous transfer credit policies
- Flexibility and choices
- Holistic advising
- Academic rigor
- Graduate school preparation
- Options to demonstrate experiential learning

Prospective students are required to attend a Prospective Student Meeting or call 773-442-6030 to discuss their interests and program requirements.

<http://www.neiu.edu/academics/nontraditional-degree-programs/prospective-student-meetings>

Northern Illinois University

Contact

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NIU Campus Locations DeKalb, Hoffman Estates, Naperville, and Rockford
NIU Online www.niu.edu/ora/

Programs

Applied Management

- Bachelor of Science in Applied Management – Instructional Technology, Training & Evaluation
 - Online
- Bachelor of Science in Applied Management – Public Safety
 - Harper College

Business

- Bachelor of Science in Business Administration
 - Hoffman Estates
 - Evening program
- Bachelor of Science in Marketing
 - Online

Engineering

- Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering
 - Rock Valley College
- Bachelor of Science in Technology with an emphasis in Applied Manufacturing Technology
 - Online

General Studies

- Bachelor of General Studies in Liberal Arts & Sciences
 - Hoffman Estates
 - Naperville
 - Rockford

Nursing

- RN to BSN Completion
 - Online

Political Science

- Bachelor of Arts in Political Science
 - Online

Northwestern University - School of Professional Studies

www.sps.northwestern.edu

Contact

SPS Office of Admissions

312-503-2576

studysps@northwestern.edu

Programs

SPS programs lead to one of three bachelor's degrees: the bachelor of philosophy (BPhil); the bachelor of science in general studies (BSGS); the bachelor of philosophy in communication.

Majors include:

Anthropology, Art History, Biological Sciences, Communication Studies, Communication Systems, Economics, English and American Literature, English Major Writing, History, Information Systems, Leadership and Organization Behavior, Mathematics, Organization Behavior, Organization Behavior – Business Leadership, Political Science, Psychology, Radio/Television/Film, Sociology

Format

Finish your undergraduate degree in part-time bachelor's programs that offer the academic rigor of Northwestern University, tailored for the busy schedules of adults returning to school. Each program carries its own set of requirements, so you can select an academic path that suits your needs. Courses are scheduled on weekday evenings and Saturdays on Northwestern's Evanston and Chicago campuses. Certain courses are offered online or in a hybrid format that combines online activities with classroom instruction.

Information Session

SPS hosts Information Sessions throughout the year in order to provide prospective students with information related to specific academic programs.

- Each session lasts 45 minutes to an hour and includes time for questions and answers.
- Registration is mandatory for online Information Sessions and is recommended, but not required, for on-campus events.
- All online information session registrants will receive a recording of the live session even if they do not attend.
- Attending an Information Session is not required to apply to any SPS program.

<http://sps.northwestern.edu/main/information-sessions.php>

Northwood University

www.northwood.edu

800-622-9000

Programs

Bachelor of Business Administration

Available Majors:

- Accounting
- Aftermarket Management
- Automotive Marketing & Management
- Computer Information Management
- Entertainment and Sports Management
- Entrepreneurship
- Finance
- Franchising
- Health Care Management
- International Business
- Management
- Marketing
- Operations & Supply Chain Management

Format

- Night courses (on- or off-campus)
- Weekend courses (on- or off-campus)
- Online courses
- On-campus daytime classes
- Limited credit by examination, such as the CLEP general and subject exams
- Hybrid/blended combination of online and face-to-face

Olivet Nazarene University-School of Graduate and Continuing Studies

www.olivet.edu

Contact

877-465-4838

Sgcs4help@olivet.edu

Programs

- Bachelor of Applied Science in Management
 - Designed specifically for working adult students who possess work experience in a vocational or technical field and have an Associate of Applied Science degree or comparable educational credentials in an applied science or technical field.
 - Designed to build upon vocational/technical foundations and work experience in order to further personal and professional career objectives.
 - Will transfer up to 82 hours of an A.S. or A.A.S. degree and apply them as elective credit.
 - Accelerated online
- Bachelor of Business Administration
 - Designed for students looking to complete a bachelor's degree in Business
 - Accelerated online

Format

Online

Rasmussen College

www.rasmussen.edu

Contact

630-366-2800

Rasmussen College and Harper College have partnered to develop an innovative Dual Degree Program. As a Harper College student or graduate, you can earn your Associate's degree at Harper College and continue your education to earn a Bachelor's degree at Rasmussen College.

Program

- Minimized time to graduation—our seamless transfer policies help you complete your Bachelor's degree in as little as 18 months*
- Affordable tuition—Affordable, locked-in tuition—exclusively priced at \$260 per credit*
- My Degree Plan—a customized course roadmap from enrollment to graduation with joint advising by a Harper College counselor and a Rasmussen College student advisor
- Scholarship opportunities—apply for a \$2,000 Graduation Scholarship

To be considered for the Dual Degree Program, you must meet the following requirements:

- Successful completion of at least 12 semester college-level credit hours at Harper College
- Good academic standing at Harper College

Upon enrollment and acceptance into the Dual Degree Program, you are required to maintain satisfactory academic progress as defined in the Rasmussen College catalog.

For current Harper College students, you must apply to the Dual Degree Program after you successfully complete at least 12 semester college-level credit courses. This program is also available for alumni who have successfully completed an Associate's degree.

Rasmussen offers programs in:

- Accelerated Business Management
- Accelerated Business Systems Analysis
- Accelerated CJ Leadership & Management
- Accelerated Early Childhood Education Leadership
- Accelerated Entrepreneurship
- Accelerated Finance
- Accelerated HR and Organizational Leadership
- Accelerated International Business
- Accelerated Marketing
- Accounting
- Business Management
- Client Services/Corrections
- Computer Science
- Criminal Justice
- Criminal Offenders
- Cyber Security
- Digital Design and Animation
- Game and Simulation Programming
- Health Information Management
- Healthcare Management
- Homeland Security
- Human Resources
- Information Technology
- Information Technology Management
- Internet Marketing
- Investigation / Law Enforcement
- RN to BSN

Regis University

www.regis.edu

Contact

800-568-8932

studentservices@regis.edu

Campus

3333 Regis Blvd.

Denver, Co. 80221

Programs

Communication, Elementary Education, Liberal Arts, Social Science, Applied Psychology, Computer Information Systems, Computer Networking, Computer Science, Criminology, Health Information Management, Accounting, Business Administration, Finance, Health Care Administration, Human Resources Management, marketing, Information Technology

Format

Online and accelerated

Robert Morris University

www.robertmorris.edu

Contact

Daisy Ramirez - MBA

Admissions Counselor

847-718-6700

dramirez@robertmorris.edu

Main Campus

Chicago

401 South State Street

Chicago, IL 60605

Branch Campuses

Arlington Heights, Chicago, DuPage, Elgin, Lake County, Orland Park, Peoria, Springfield, and Schaumburg

Programs

Accounting, Applied Health Studies, Architectural Technology, Business, Computer Networking, Culinary, Exercise & Sports Studies, Graphic Design, Law Enforcement, Paralegal, Psychology

Format

Full-time adult evening students attend two nights a week

Roosevelt University

www.roosevelt.edu

applyRU@roosevelt.edu

1 877-APPLY RU

Contact

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Transfer Admission Counselor

847-619-8442

kryza@roosevelt.edu

Program

- Criminal Justice
 - Online, Schaumburg, Chicago
- Interdisciplinary Studies
 - Online, Schaumburg, Chicago
- Organizational Communication
 - Online
- Organizational Leadership
 - Online, Schaumburg
- Paralegal Studies
 - Chicago, Schaumburg
- Psychology
 - Online, Schaumburg, Chicago
- Strategic Management
 - Online
- Sustainability Studies
 - Online, Chicago

Format

The adult degree completion program features 8-week long classes, five start dates per year, an interdisciplinary approach to general education, and a focus on immediately applicable skills which can be used in the workplace. Online courses also available.

Shimer College

The Great Books College of Chicago

www.shimer.edu

Contact

Amy Pritts

312-235-3500 or (800)215-7173

c.park@shimer.edu

Campus

Chicago IL on the IIT Campus

3424 S State Street 60616

Degree Program(s):

Weekend Program for adults, BA or BS in Social Science, Natural Science, Humanities and Liberal Studies

Special Features (optional): Shimer students read the classics, from Plato and Aristotle to Albert Einstein and Virginia Woolf. Original sources by literary and academic greats combine with discussion based classes to prepare students for anything.

Format

In the weekend program classes meet once every three weeks for 15 weekends a year (September through May).

Admission Requirements

Application form, writing sample, transcripts and an interview.

Southern Illinois University – Carbondale

www.siu.edu

Contact

Programs (online)

- Accounting
- Business Administration
- Dental Hygiene Education and Management
- Electrical Engineering Technology
- Health Care Management
- Industrial Management and Applied Engineering
- Information Systems Technologies
- Mortuary Science and Funeral Service
- Public Safety Management
- Radiology Management/Education
- Technical Resource Management

The SIUC College of Business online undergraduate degree completion programs are designed for students who have completed the required general and core coursework requirements. This includes students transferring from community colleges and other universities, as well as returning students looking to complete the remaining portion of their bachelor's degree.

- The program is 100% online (with the possible exception of proctored examinations).
- Consists of 60 credit-hours of coursework, covering each of the core areas of the business curriculum.
- The program will be divided into 10 “content areas,” each consisting of two, 3 credit-hour courses each.
- Each content area will be delivered within a single semester, divided into two eight week courses, with one week in between.
- Typically, the program should take 24 months to complete, over six academic terms. However, it can be completed in a minimum 18 months, and a maximum of 36.

The Degree Options – Business Administration or Accounting

Students in this program will earn a bachelor's degree in business administration or accounting. As these are degree completion programs, to be admitted students must have completed 60 credit hours, including all pre-requisite courses required by the College of Business.

Program Costs and Financial Aid

Tuition rates are the same for our online students as they are for those enrolled in our traditional, on-campus programs. We offer in-state tuition rates to residents of Indiana, Missouri, Tennessee, Arkansas, and Kentucky.

Strayer University

www.strayer.edu

Programs

- Bachelor of Business Administration
- Bachelor of Science in Accounting
- Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice
- Bachelor of Science in Economics
- Bachelor of Science in Information Systems
- Bachelor of Science in Information Technology

Format

Choose from evening and weekend courses, on campus or online

Trinity International University

REACH Adult Undergraduate Program

www.reach.tiu.edu

Contact

Jordan Brant, Director of REACH Admissions

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jbrant@tiu.edu

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Campuses

Deerfield Campus – Main Campus

South Chicago Campus – South Chicago Regional Center

Programs

Accelerated face-to-face in Deerfield

- Business Administration
- Christian Ministries
- Criminal Justice
- General Business
- Liberal Arts
- Nonprofit Administration
- Organizational Leadership
- Psychology

Online Programs

- Business
- Christian Ministries
- Criminal Justice
- Psychology

University of Illinois at Springfield

www.uis.edu

Contact

<http://www.uis.edu/online/>

217-206-4847

admissions@uis.edu

Programs

Business Administration (BBA)

Computer Science (BS)

Information Systems Security (BS)

English (BA)

Health Care Informatics (BS)

History (BA)

Liberal Studies (BA)

Management Information Systems (BS)

Mathematics (BA)

Philosophy (BA)

Political Science (BA)

Psychology (BA)

Format

Online

University of Phoenix Online

<http://www.phoenix.edu/>

Campus

Online via the Internet *or* Deerfield, The Loop, Schaumburg, Warrenville

Programs

BS Business/Accounting
BS Business/Administration
BS Business/Finance
BS Business/Management
BS Business/Marketing
BS Business/Retail Management
BS Business/Public Administration
BS Criminal Justice Administration
BS Management
BS Business/e-Business
BS Business/Information Systems
BS Information Technology
BS Health Administration
BS Human Services Management
BS Nursing

Format

- 100% Online – log on any time of the day or night 24/7. Classes start every month.
- Earn your online degree in just 2 to 3 years.
- Apply all or most of your community college credits toward your bachelor's degree.
- Classes are offered one at a time, for 5-6 weeks, so you can focus on each subject.

University of St. Francis

www.stfrancis.edu

Contact

800-735-7500

Campus

500 Wilcox Street
Joliet, IL 60435

Program

Bachelor of Science in Health Care Leadership

- An online accelerated adult degree completion program, is for those students who have completed an associate's degree, have health care certification, registration or licensure, who are currently employed in supporting health care roles, or who wish to seek a supportive position in health care. It provides students with an opportunity to enrich their knowledge and skills in the fast-growing field of health care.

Admission Requirements

The following are required for admission into the Health Care Leadership Program:

- A minimum of 64 semester hours of transfer credit or an associate's degree
- A minimum 2.0 cumulative G.P.A.
- Completion of the admission application process
- A maximum of 80 semester hours will transfer from any community college

A total of 128 semester hours is required to earn a bachelor's degree with a minimum of 32 semester hours taken through USF. The number of semester hours needed to complete the program depends on the number of transferable credits towards the degree and credit earned through the Prior Learning Assessment Program for college-level learning experienced outside the traditional classroom (if applicable).

University of Wisconsin – Platteville

www.uwplatt.edu

Contact

Distance Learning Center

608.342.1468

800.362.5460

disted@uwplatt.edu

Programs

- Business Administration
- Criminal Justice

Format

Students can complete entire degree online. Campus visits are not required although students will be invited to participate in the graduation ceremony on-campus.

Additional Information

An associate's degree (AA or AS) from an Illinois community college satisfies all UW-Platteville general education requirements.

Western Illinois University

www.wiu.edu/ses

Contact

School of Distance Learning, International Studies, and Outreach Office

309/298-1929

BGS@wiu.edu

Campuses

Macomb

1 University Circle, Macomb, IL 61455

WIU-QC

3561 60th Street, Moline, IL 61265

Program

Bachelor of Arts in General Studies

Format

The BGS degree is a highly individualized, flexible, non-majored undergraduate degree, which may be completed fully online by students who are place-bound due to work and/or family responsibilities; on-campus; or a combination of both formats.