



The **University of Rochester** is one of America's leading private research universities. It consistently ranks among the top in federally financed science, engineering, medical, and other research. Along with this rigor, Rochester operates on a personal scale, creating exceptional opportunities for undergraduate research, close work with faculty, and interdisciplinary study. The unique Rochester Curriculum invites students to study what they love with focus and flexibility. Through individual and collaborative efforts, our students and faculty improve themselves, each other, and our shared learning environment in the process.

## STUDENT ENROLLMENT

ARTS, SCIENCES  
& ENGINEERING

**6,984**

UNIVERSITY-WIDE

**11,817**

**FULL TIME**

Undergraduate .....5,588  
Graduate.....1,322

**PART TIME**

Undergraduate ..... 26  
Graduate..... 48

**FULL TIME**

Undergraduate ..... 6,293  
Graduate..... 3,644

**PART TIME**

Undergraduate .....242  
Graduate..... 1,638

## STUDENT LIFE



**90%**

STUDENTS INVOLVED IN CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS: 300+



**21%**

STUDENTS PARTICIPATING IN GREEK LIFE

FRATERNITIES: 17  
SORORITIES: 17



**23**

NCAA DIVISION III TEAMS



**90%**

STUDENTS LIVING IN CAMPUS HOUSING

STUDENTS WITH DISCLOSED DISABILITIES: 6%



**77%**

STUDENTS INVOLVED IN UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH

## STUDENT OUTCOMES



**95%**

FIRST-YEAR RETENTION RATE



**79%**

4-YEAR GRADUATION RATE  
(Class of 2018)



**86%**

6-YEAR GRADUATION RATE  
(Class of 2016)



**39%**

GRADUATES PURSUING FURTHER STUDY  
(within one year of receiving their bachelor's)



**95%**

STUDENTS PARTICIPATING IN INTERNSHIPS

## Majors & Concentrations

|   |                                     |                          |                                 |
|---|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Accounting                                      | Data Science                        | Linguistics              | Environmental Engineering       |
| African & African-American Studies              | Digital Media Studies               | Marketing                | Environmental Geology           |
| American Sign Language                          | East Asian Studies                  | Mathematics              | Environmental Humanities        |
| American Studies                                | Ecology & Evolutionary Biology      | Mathematics & Statistics | Ethics                          |
| Anthropology                                    | Economics                           | Mechanical Engineering   | Greek                           |
| Applied Mathematics                             | Electrical & Computer Engineering   | Microbiology             | Health Psychology               |
| Archaeology, Technology & Historical Structures | Engineering Science                 | Molecular Genetics       | Hebrew                          |
| Art History                                     | English                             | Music                    | History of Philosophy           |
| Audio & Music Engineering                       | Entrepreneurship                    | Neuroscience             | Italian                         |
| Biochemistry                                    | Environmental Health                | Optical Engineering      | Jewish Studies                  |
| Bioethics                                       | Environmental Science               | Optics                   | Journalism                      |
| Biology   | Environmental Studies               | Philosophy               | Latin                           |
| Biomedical Engineering                          | Epidemiology                        | Physics                  | Latin American Studies          |
| Biomedical Signals & Imaging                    | Film & Media Studies                | Physics & Astronomy      | Legal Studies                   |
| Brain & Cognitive Sciences                      | Finance                             | Political Science        | Materials Science               |
| British & American Literature                   | Financial Economics                 | Psychology               | Medical Anthropology            |
| Business  | French                              | Religion                 | Medieval & Early Modern Studies |
| Business Analytics                              | Gender, Sexuality & Women's Studies | Russian                  | Movement Studies                |
| Cell & Developmental Biology                    | Geological Sciences                 | Russian Studies          | Music & Linguistics             |
| Chemical Engineering                            | Geomechanics                        | Spanish                  | Music Cognition                 |
| Chemistry                                       | German                              | Statistics               | Organizational Psychology       |
| Classics  | Health Policy                       | Studio Arts              | Philosophy of Science           |
| Comparative Literature                          | Health, Behavior & Society          | Theater                  | Psychology as a Natural Science |
| Computational Biology                           | History                             | <b>Minors</b>            | Psychology as a Social Science  |
| Computer Science                                | Interdepartmental Engineering       | Arabic                   | Research in Visual Science      |
| Creative Expression & Performance               | Interdepartmental Studies           | Astronomy                | Social & Emotional Development  |
| Creative Writing                                | International Relations             | Chinese                  | Sustainability                  |
| Dance Studies                                   | Japanese                            | Classical Civilization   | Visual Science                  |
|   | Language, Media & Communication     | Clinical Psychology      | Writing Studies                 |
|   |                                     | Dance                    |                                 |
|   |                                     | English Literature       |                                 |

## CLASS OF 2022 PROFILE

### First-Year Admission, Fall 2018

|                           |        |
|---------------------------|--------|
| Applied                   | 20,216 |
| Admitted                  | 5,957  |
| Enrolled                  | 1,387  |
| Acceptance rate           | 29%    |
| Enrolled Early Decision   | 33%    |
| First-generation students | 22%    |

### Enrollment by Gender

|            |     |
|------------|-----|
| Female     | 48% |
| Male       | 52% |
| Non-binary | <1% |

### Geographic Representation

|                       |     |
|-----------------------|-----|
| In state              | 27% |
| States represented    | 45  |
| Countries represented | 90  |

### Racial/Ethnic Backgrounds

|                                  |     |
|----------------------------------|-----|
| African American/Black           | 8%  |
| Asian American                   | 16% |
| Hispanic/Latino                  | 9%  |
| Multiracial                      | 5%  |
| Native American/Pacific Islander | <1% |
| White, non-Hispanic              | 57% |
| Unreported                       | 3%  |
| International                    | 34% |

### Academic Performance *Mid-50% range provided.*

|                                      |         |
|--------------------------------------|---------|
| SAT Evidence-Based Reading & Writing | 630-710 |
| SAT Math                             | 670-790 |
| ACT Composite                        | 29-33   |
| Average high school GPA              | 3.8     |
| Average IB score                     | 33      |

## TRANSFER ADMISSION (SPRING & FALL 2018)

|                                  |       |
|----------------------------------|-------|
| Applied                          | 1,362 |
| Admitted                         | 336   |
| Enrolled                         | 119   |
| Average GPA of enrolled students | 3.6   |

## ACADEMIC OPPORTUNITIES

### CERTIFICATES

The College currently offers certificate programs in Actuarial Studies, Biophysics, Biotechnology, Literary Translation Studies, Mathematical Modeling in Political Science & Economics, Medphysics, Polish & Central European Studies, and Stage Management.

### CITATIONS

The College offers citation programs in Community-Engaged Scholarship and Achievement in College Leadership. These programs allow students to develop leadership skills through academic study coupled with specific practical application.

### COMBINED DEGREE PROGRAMS

For students interested in medicine (REMS), engineering (GEAR), education (GRADE), or public health (HEAL), the College offers selective programs for exceptional undergraduates that guarantee admission to professional or graduate school upon completion of the bachelor's degree. Students interested in music (DDE) may gain admission to both the College and Eastman School of Music to pursue a BS/BA plus BM. Students interested in nursing (DDN) may gain admission to both the College and School of Nursing to pursue a BS/BA plus BSN. For details, visit [enrollment.rochester.edu/professional-degree-programs](http://enrollment.rochester.edu/professional-degree-programs).

### e5 PROGRAM

The e5 Program offers selected individuals a fifth year at Rochester to pursue internships, develop a business plan, or study entrepreneurial activity.

### STUDY ABROAD

More than 70 different Rochester-sponsored opportunities are available in over 35 countries.

### TAKE FIVE SCHOLARS PROGRAM

Students who wish to pursue broader academic interests can apply for this innovative Rochester program, which allows students to stay for a fifth year of study—tuition-free.

### UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH

Opportunities and financing are extensive at entrance, during the academic years, and in summers. All undergraduates have opportunities to do research on their own, in teams, or as part of faculty-directed projects. Students may submit their work to be published in our *Journal of Undergraduate Research*.

# ADMISSIONS & FINANCIAL AID DEADLINES

Due by 11:59 pm ET on deadline listed below.

| FIRST YEARS      | ADMISSIONS APPLICATION | CSS PROFILE (INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS) | CSS PROFILE | FAFSA  | ADMISSIONS NOTIFICATION |
|------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------|--------|-------------------------|
| Early Decision   | Nov 1                  | Nov 1                                | Dec 1       | Dec 1  | Dec 15                  |
| Regular Decision | Dec 1* / Jan 5         | Jan 5                                | Feb 15      | Feb 15 | Apr 1                   |
| <b>TRANSFERS</b> |                        |                                      |             |        |                         |
| Fall Term        | Mar 15*                | Mar 15                               | Mar 15      | Mar 15 | Apr 1                   |
| Spring Term      | Oct 1*                 | Oct 1                                | Oct 1       | Oct 1  | Nov 1                   |

\*Applications received prior to this date will be given the strongest consideration for admission and merit scholarships.

## APPLYING TO THE UNIVERSITY

The University of Rochester employs a holistic application review process to identify curious, capable, and engaged students. We seek to understand each applicant's academic ability, extracurricular engagement, and ethical character in order to determine their ability to improve both their campus and the world around them. We are a diverse institution that values equality of opportunity and honest, respectful examination of ideas. We seek young leaders who will celebrate and protect the values of our University and join us in making the world ever better.

Apply online through the Common Application or the Coalition for College Application. For details, visit [enrollment.rochester.edu/how-to-apply](http://enrollment.rochester.edu/how-to-apply).

## Testing Policy

Admission to the College of Arts, Sciences and Engineering is based on a holistic review process that includes a test-flexible philosophy. As we seek to enroll a diverse and talented class each year, our review procedures incorporate a variety of factors, including many kinds of academic records. A wide variety of test results can fulfill this requirement.

## Veterans and Military Families

The University of Rochester has been a participant in the Yellow Ribbon Program since 2009. Veterans, spouses, and dependents with 100% entitlement for Post-9/11 GI Bill will have tuition and mandatory fees paid through a combination of VA funding, Yellow Ribbon, and Rochester Pledge. At this time, the University is not limiting their number of Yellow Ribbon participants. All admitted students who are eligible automatically will qualify.

## FINANCIAL AID

We are committed to meeting the full demonstrated need of all students who earn admission to the College. Financial need can be a contributing factor in our admissions decisions about most international applicants and a small percentage of our US applicants. The Financial Aid Office is available to help you and your family afford the investment of a Rochester education through a combination of different aid programs tailored to meet your calculated need.

### Financial Facts

First-year students receiving any financial aid 74%

### Students receiving non-need based scholarships exceeding their calculated financial need:

First years 20%  
Transfers 7%

### For the 2017 graduating class:

Borrowed federal student loans 48%  
Average federal loan debt at graduation \$23,398

### Cost of attendance for 2018-19:

Tuition and fees \$53,926  
Room and board \$15,938

## CONTACT

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