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STATE UNIVERSITIES IN ILLINOIS

AT-A-GLANCE

The following At-A-Glance charts present comparative admission, cost, curricula and other relevant information about the state universities.

Eastern Illinois University · University of Illinois Chicago · Northern Illinois University · Western Illinois University · University of Illinois Springfield · Northeastern Illinois University · SIU Carbondale Southern Illinois University · University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign · Illinois State University · Southern Illinois University Edwardsville · Governors State University · Chicago State University

KEY

● Major · ◖ Minor · ◡ Pre-Professional

	EIU	ISU	NIU	WIU	SIUE	UIC	UIS	UIUC	CSU
AGRICULTURE									
Agribusiness			●		◖			●	
Agricultural Communications			●		◖			●	
Agricultural Economics					◖			●	
Agricultural Industries			●						
Agricultural Mechanization								●	
Agricultural Occupational Education								●	
Agricultural Production					◖			●	
Agricultural Science			●		◖			●	
Agronomy, Field Crops			●		◖			●	
Animal Science/Industries					◖			●	
Cannabis Production								●	
Forestry/Conservation					◖			●	
Horticulture/Ornamental Horticulture			●		◖			●	
Plant Breeding								●	
Plant & Soil Sciences			●		●			●	
Precision Agriculture								●	
Sustainable Food Systems								●	
ARCHITECTURE									
Architectural Design					●				
Interior Design					●				
Landscape Architecture					◖			●	
Urban and Regional Planning								●	
ART AND PERFORMANCE	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Acting		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Art History	◖		●	●	◖	◖	◖	●	●
Arts Technology									
Commercial Art/Graphic Design	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Crafts/Metal or Ceramics		●			●	◖	◖	●	●
Dance			●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Film/Cinema Studies	◖	◖	●		●	●	●	●	●
Industrial Design					●		●	●	●
Photography	◖		●		●	◖	●	●	●
Stage Combat								●	●
Studio Arts (Paint, Printmaking and Sculpt.)		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Theatre Studies	◖		●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Theatre: Design/Technology		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Theatre: Performance		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Theatre: Production/Direction		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Anatomical Science/Physiology								●	
Biochemistry	●	●	●	◖	●	●	●	●	●
Botany/Plant Biology									
Ecology/Conservation/Environmental Biology		●			●		●		
Microbiology	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Neuroscience		●			●	●	●	●	●
Sustainability		●			●	◖	◖	●	●
Zoology		●						●	●
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Accounting	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Business Analytics/Information Systems		●			●			●	●
Business Environment & Sustainability					●				
Economics		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Entrepreneurship	◖	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Finance	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Hotel & Restaurant Management		●							
Human Resources/Personnel Management	◖	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Insurance									
International Business /Trade		●	●	◖	●	◖	◖	●	●
Management	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Management Information Systems	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Marketing	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Operations Management		●			●		●	●	●
Organizational Leadership		●			●	◖		●	●
Professional Sales		●			●				
Public Administration				◖	●		●	●	●
Small Business Management & Retailing	◖								
Supply Chain/Manufacturing Management		●							
COMMUNICATIONS	◖	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Advertising		●							
Social Media		●							
Corporate Communication		●			●		◖		
Health Communication		●							
Interpersonal Communication		●							
Journalism / Editorial News		●	●	●	●	◖	◖	●	●
Mass Communications/Media Studies	◖	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Organizational/Leadership Communication		●			●		◖		
Photo Journalism		●							
Political Communication		●							
Public Relations	◖	●	◖	●	●	◖	◖	●	●
Radio/TV Broadcasting	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Speech Communication					●				
Sports Media Relations/Sports Broadcasting	◖				●				
Visual Communication									
COMMUNICATION DISORDERS & SCIENCES									
Speech Pathology & Audiology		●			●			●	
COMPUTER SCIENCE	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Algorithms & Data Management									
Big Data Technologies									
Cybersecurity	◖			●	◖		◖		
Enterprise Software									
Information Assurance and Security	●	●		●	●				
Network Technologies		●			◖				
Software Development		●			●				
Web Application Development		●			●		◖		
EDUCATION	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Agricultural Education									
Art Education	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Bilingual/Bicultural Education	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Biology Education	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Business/Career Education	●	●	●	●	●				
Chemistry Education	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Child Studies		●		◖					
Communication Studies Education					◖				
Community Health Education		●		●	●	◖			
Computer Science Education									
Dance Education				●	●	◖	◖		
Early Childhood Education	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Earth and Space Science Education									
Educational Studies				◖					
Elementary Education	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
English Education	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Family & Consumer Sciences Education	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Foreign Language	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
French Education	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Geography Education	●	●	●	●	●				
German Education	●	●	●	●	●	◖	●		
Health and Wellness Education	●	●	●	●	●				
History Education	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Human Development and Learning		●							
Human Resource Development				●					
Instructional Design/Technology	●	●	●	●	●				
Mathematics Education	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Middle Level Education	●	●	●	●	●			●	●
Multicultural Education			●	●	●				
Music Education	●	●	●	●	●	●	●		
Physical Education	●	●	●	●	●	●	●		
Physics Education	●	●	●	●	●				
Preschool Education				●		●			
Rehabilitation Services									
Secondary Education	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Social Science Education	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Spanish Education	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Teacher Education	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages									
Theatre Education		●				◖			
Urban Education		●					●		
Vocational Trade/Industrial Arts Education		●							
SPECIAL EDUCATION		●							●
Education of Behavioral Disorders		●							
Education of Hearing Impaired		●							
Education of the Visually Impaired		●			●				
Learning Behavior Specialist		●			●				
Learning Disabilities		●							
ENGINEERING					●	●	●	●	
Advanced Computing and Simulation					●				
Aeronautical & Astronautical Engineering	◡							●	
Agricultural Engineering	◡								
Bioengineering	◡				●	◖		●	
Ceramic Engineering	◡								
Chemical Engineering	◡							●	
Civil/Structural Engineering	◡				●	●	●	●	
Computer Engineering	◡				●	●	●	●	
Electrical Engineering	◡				●	●	●	●	
Engineering Management	◡				●				
Engineering Mechanics/Theoretical & Applied	◡							●	
Engineering Physics	●		●			●		●	
Industrial Engineering	◡				●	●	●	●	
Manufacturing Engineering	◡				●	●	●	●	
Materials Science and Engineering	◡					●		●	
Mechanical Engineering/Mechanical Analysis	◡				●	●	●	●	●
Mechatronics	◡				●	●			
Metallurgical Engineering	◡								
Mining Engineering	◡								
Nuclear Engineering	◡							●	
ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY/SCIENCE			●		●				
Automotive Technology	●								
Building & Construction Technology	●								
Construction Management	●					●		●	
Digital & Media Technology	●								
Electrical Engineering Technology					●				
Electronics Technology and Management	◖				●				
Engineering Technology	◖		●		●				
Facilities Management	●								
Graphic Communications Technology	●								
Industrial Technology	●								
Information Systems Technology	●								
Renewable Energy	●				●				
Tool & Manufacturing Technology	●				●				

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ENGLISH & LITERATURE	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Comparative Literature									
Creative Writing/Editing	◖	●		●	◖	◖	◖	●	●
Linguistics					◖			●	
Professional & Technical Writing	◖	●		◖		◖	◖	●	
Publishing Studies			●						
Rhetoric & Composition		●		●		●	◖	●	●
LANGUAGES	●		●	●	●				
American Sign Language									
Arabic	◖								
Chinese	◖				◖				
Classics					◖				
French	◖	●		◖	●	●	●	●	●
German		●		◖	●	●	●	●	●
Greek								●	
Italian				◖				●	
Japanese				◖	◖			●	
Korean								●	
Latin					◖		◖	●	
Portuguese								●	
Russian								●	
Spanish	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●
HEALTH SCIENCES	●	●		●		●		●	●
Alcoholism & Drug Abuse Sciences		◖							
Clinical Laboratory Sciences	●	●		●		●			
Community Health	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Dental Hygiene					●				
Disability and Human Development					●		●		
Emergency Management		●			●	◖			●
Environmental Health				●					
Health Information Management	●		●		●		●		
Health Services Administration		●							◖
Mortuary Sciences					●				
Nursing	●			●	●	●	●	●	●
Nutrition & Dietetics	●			●	●	●	●	●	●
Public Health	●			●	●	●	●	●	●
Radiologic Sciences					●				
Rehabilitation Counseling					●				
Rehabilitation Services					●	●		●	
Safety									
FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES	●		●						
Apparel Design	●		●			●			
Child Advocacy Studies									
Child Developmental/Family Relations			●			●			
Family/Consumer Economics & Management			●						
Fashion Merchandising			●			●			
Food, Nutrition, and Dietetics			●			●		●	
Hospitality			●			●			
Interior Design					●				
Retailing, Clothing, & Home Furnishings			●			●			
MATHEMATICS	●		●		●	●	●	●	●
Actuarial Science					●	◖	◖	●	●
Data Science & Statistics								●	
Mathematics & Computer Science	●	●							
Operations Research								●	
Statistics/Quantitative Methods				●	●		●		
MULTIDISCIPLINARY PROGRAMS	◖		●			●			
Cannabis & Culture									
Civil Engagement and Responsibility				◖		●			
Communications and Cultural Diversity	◖								
Emerging Design Technologies		◖							
Foreign Language & International Trade									
Gender & Women's Studies	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Liberal/General/University Studies	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●
Global/International Studies	●	●	◖		●	●	●	●	●
Liberal Arts & Sciences	●	●			●				
LGBTQ Studies				◖					
Native American Studies					◖		◖		
Nonprofit Administration									
Peace and Conflict Studies									
Youth Development/Leadership	◖								
MUSIC	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●
Music History									
Music Therapy				●					
Music: Band and Orchestra				●					
Music: Business				●				●	
Music: Instrumental/Keyboard				●				●	
Music: Jazz Studies Performance	◖			●				●	
Music: Theatre				●				●	
Music: Theory & Composition				●				●	
Music: Voice				●		●		●	
PHYSICAL SCIENCES	◖			●					
Astronomy	◖								
Atmospheric Sciences									
Chemistry	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●
Chemistry - Business						◖			
Chemistry - Environmental						◖			◖
Chemistry - Forensic									
Chemistry - Industrial						◖			
Chemistry - Pharmacy						◖			
Computer Physics						◖			
Conceptual Physics									
Earth Science				●			●		
Earth Systems, Environment & Society									
Environmental Studies				●	●	●	●	●	●
Forensic Science									
Geographic Information Science									
Geology				●			●		●
Meteorology									
Physics	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●
Paleontology									
PHYSICAL EDUCATION/RECREATION	●	●		●		●		●	
Athletic Training				◖					
Coaching	◖			◖		◖			
Esports Industry Professionals									
Event Planning and Management				●					
Exercise Science / Sports Health and Wellness									
Fisheries									
Kinesiology/Kinesiotherapy						◖			
Outdoor Rec./ Park Admin./Tourism									
Recreation Management	●	●				●			
Scuba Diving									
Sports Management		●			●	●		●	
Therapeutic Recreation/Fitness Instruction	◖	●				◖			
Tourism Management									
PREPROFESSIONAL PROGRAMS	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡
Chiropractic	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡
Dentistry	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡
Engineering	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡
Forestry					◡				
Law	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡
Medicine	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡
Occupational Therapy	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡
Optometry	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡
Osteopathy	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡
Pharmacology	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡
Pharmacy	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡
Physical Therapy	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡
Physician Assistant	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡
Podiatry	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡
Veterinary Medicine	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡	◡
SOCIAL SCIENCES	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
African American Studies	◖	◖		◖		◖			
African Studies									
Aging Studies/Gerontology	◖	◖		◖					◖
American Civilization Studies									
American Government									
Anthropology	◖	◖		●	●	●	●	●	●
Asian American Studies									
Asian Studies	◖	◖		◖					
Black American Studies									
Classical Studies					◖				
Criminal Justice/Criminalistics	●	●		●	◖	◖	◖	●	●
Ethnic & Cultural Studies					◖				
Fire Science / Administration									
Forensic Psychology				◖					
Geographic Information Systems	◖	◖		●	●	◖	◖	●	●
Geography	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●
Homeland Security									
History	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●
Human Services	◖	◖							
International Relations/Comparative Politics									
Labor Relations									
Latino and Latin American Studies	◖	◖		●	●	◖	◖	●	●
Law and Society									◖
Law Enforcement									●
Legal & Paralegal Studies	●	●			●		●		●
Library Science	◖								
Medieval Civilization									
Mexican/Caribbean Studies			◖	◖					
Middle Eastern Studies			◖	◖		◖			
Military Science/History				●		◖		◖	
Museum & Exhibition Studies				◖					
Philosophy	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Political Science	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Psychology	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Public Administration	◖	◖		◖		◖		●	●
Public Policy									
Religious Studies	◖	◖							
Renaissance Studies									
Rural Studies	◖								
Russian Area Studies									
Security Administration									
Social Work	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●
Sociology	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●
South Asian Studies									
Urban/Inner City Studies									

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