



BUCKNELL UNIVERSITY

Your Future is Orange & Blue

This is BUCK



WELL



The Middle of **EVERYTHING**

We're proud to be located in central Pennsylvania, a place that's every bit as charming as it is beautiful.

Nowhere is that more true than in Bucknell's hometown of Lewisburg. Think historic Victorian buildings, quirky boutiques, and restaurants as local as their regulars. Plus an active community calendar with farmers markets, a chili cookoff and even an ice sculpture festival. It's the kind of town that quickly feels like home (a real-life Stars Hollow). And when you want to venture further, excitement is never far away.



3 HOURS TO MAJOR CITIES AND CONVENIENT TO AIRPORTS

Take a day trip to New York City, Philadelphia or Baltimore — all about 3 hours away.



2 AMUSEMENT PARKS

Ride the nation's No. 1 wooden coaster at Knoebels, or head to Hersheypark for chocolate-themed thrills.



46,000+ SQUARE MILES TO EXPLORE

With on-campus car rentals, it's easy to go where your curiosity takes you — from Pennsylvania's Grand Canyon to the Gettysburg battlefields and beyond.

PENNS



PITTSBURGH
3.5hr

OHIO

WEST
VIRGINIA

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PLAN A VISIT
OR TAKE A
VIRTUAL TOUR



For the **BOUNDARY BREAKERS**

Being a Bucknellian is about exploring outside the lines and discovering what happens when you combine your passions. Here, athletes are artists. Outdoors enthusiasts double as student journalists. Budding entrepreneurs lead community-focused initiatives. At Bucknell, opportunities are endless and your potential limitless.



16 **GREEK
ORGANIZATIONS**

250+ **CLUBS AND
ORGANIZATIONS**

COUNTLESS EVENTS

On-campus concerts featuring major headliners (like Yung Gravy).

Speaker series bringing comedians, writers and cultural icons to you.

Festivals with food trucks, carnival rides, competitive games and more.



27
DIVISION I
SPORTS TEAMS

20+
CLUB AND
INTRAMURAL
SPORTS

VARSITY SPORTS

MEN // WOMEN

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|-------------------|-----------------------|
| Baseball ●● | Soccer ●●● |
| Basketball ●●● | Softball ● |
| Cross Country ●●● | Swimming & Diving ●●● |
| Field Hockey ● | Tennis ●● |
| Football ● | Track & Field ●●● |
| Golf ●●● | Volleyball ● |
| Lacrosse ●●● | Water Polo ●●● |
| Rowing ● | Wrestling ● |



ID
ATIONS

100 AREAS OF STUDY



FIND YOUR
PROGRAM

65 MAJORS

70 MINORS

FAST FACTS, *Full Picture*



3 LIBERAL ARTS
COLLEGES



50%

OF STUDENTS DO
UNDERGRADUATE
RESEARCH
WITHIN FOUR YEARS



49%

OF STUDENTS
STUDY ABROAD
WITHIN FOUR YEARS

9:1

STUDENT-
FACULTY
RATIO



100%

CLASSES
TAUGHT BY
FACULTY

20

AVERAGE
CLASS SIZE



3

DIVISIONS

ARTS & HUMANITIES
SOCIAL SCIENCES
NATURAL SCIENCES
& MATHEMATICS

COLLEGE *of* **ARTS & SCIENCES**

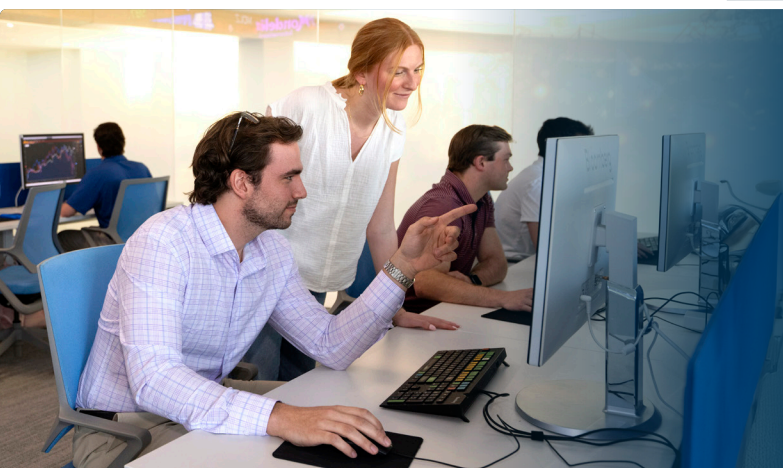


NO. 5

**BEST
UNDERGRADUATE
ENGINEERING
PROGRAMS**

AMONG SCHOOLS THAT
DON'T OFFER A DOCTORATE
U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT

COLLEGE *of* **ENGINEERING**



TOP 20

**POETS&QUANTS
BEST BUSINESS
SCHOOL**

FREEMAN COLLEGE *of* **MANAGEMENT**



DIG INTO
OUTCOMES

What comes NEXT

93%

OF STUDENTS
SECURED
OPPORTUNITIES
WITHIN NINE MONTHS OF GRADUATING

NOTABLE EMPLOYERS



AlphaSights

amazon



Fidelity
INVESTMENTS

Goldman
Sachs



Memorial Sloan Kettering
Cancer Center



MERCK

NORTHROP GRUMMAN

pw



BUCKNELL UNIVERSITY



Being qualified for a job is one thing. Asking creative questions and delivering innovative solutions? That's being a Bucknell graduate. With a powerful blend of dynamic thinking and real-world experience, our students step into the future ready to thrive wherever life leads. Stay rooted in your major and use your expertise to shape an industry. Or channel your diverse skill set into a bold new venture. No matter what path you choose, you'll start ahead — because that's the difference the liberal arts makes.

\$73,075 **AVERAGE STARTING SALARY**
FOR GRADUATES IN THE CLASS OF 2024

 **Children's Hospital of Philadelphia**

CLARK
CONSTRUCTION

Deloitte.

Epic


GUIDEPOINT

**JPMORGAN
CHASE & CO.**

KRAFT
SPORTS + ENTERTAINMENT


LOCKHEED MARTIN

Morgan Stanley

NBC UNIVERSAL

NETFLIX

P&G




RSM

The **Walt Disney** Company

WT
WHITING-TURNER

Real STUDENTS *Real* EXPERIENCE



FIND MORE
STUDENT
STORIES





ENGLISH — LITERARY STUDIES

HAILEY DRAPCHO '26

Hailey was drawn to Bucknell because of its expansive approach to literary studies. “Most other schools just have English with an aim toward a profession in education. Here, I can explore aspects of the field that really interest me, like publishing and editing,” she says. She’s currently honing those skills through an internship with *West Branch*, a professional literary magazine published by Bucknell’s Stadler Center for Poetry & Literary Arts. In her free time, you’ll usually find her reading fantasy novels. That passion has led her to write an honors thesis about diversity in fairy tale retellings in young adult literature. “Some of the same stories still resonate with us, even centuries later. The one thing that constantly remains in our society is our need for stories.”



MANAGEMENT & ORGANIZATIONS

JERIMAHA MCCLAIN '26

Jerimaha signed up for Bucknell’s Taste, Tech & Teamwork Pre-Orientation program in Charlotte, N.C., because it sounded like fun. Little did he know the experience would serve as a launching pad for an internship — thanks to a connection Jerimaha made with an alum during the trip. After meeting the chief brand officer of Krispy Kreme, Dave Skena '92, Jerimaha reached out about opportunities with the company. Skena put in a personal recommendation for him, resulting in a global operations internship at Krispy Kreme. Jerimaha spent a summer learning about shop design, improving training systems, and managing limited-time offer processes and ingredient orders across all U.S. locations. “The opportunity to network as a student so early on is huge,” he says.



BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING

ELIZABETH MALLEY '26

Elizabeth aspires to become a physician in pediatric orthopedics, a passion she discovered after breaking her leg — twice. “I realized that the quality of care can vary with public health,” she says. Now, Elizabeth is gaining hands-on medical experience as a student researcher in a professor’s biomedical engineering lab. The project: investigating the healing effect of ultrasounds on chronic wounds. Elizabeth uses techniques, such as polymerase chain reaction and enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay, to analyze the interactions between ultrasound and the key cell types involved in the wound healing process. “I feel like I’m working toward a big goal,” she says. “Compared to a larger school, I think we get very unique learning experiences at Bucknell.”

Like What You SEE?

We like what we see in you, too.

Curiosity, ingenuity and the drive to build a better world — those are the qualities of a Bucknellian. When you're ready to take the next step, here's what to know.

DATES & DEADLINES

NOV. 1: Early Decision I

JAN. 10: Early Decision II and Regular Decision

WHAT'S DUE:

- Common Application or Coalition Application (powered by Scoir)
- College Scholarship Service (CSS) Profile and Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
- Bucknell merit scholarship application

WHAT WE'RE LOOKING FOR

ALL APPLICANTS

- 4 years of English/language arts
- 3 years of college preparatory mathematics
- 3 years of science
- 3 years of history/social studies
- 2 years of a foreign language (in the same language)

MATH, SCIENCE, ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT APPLICANTS

- 1 year of precalculus, and preferably, calculus

ENGINEERING APPLICANTS

- 1 year of either chemistry or physics

RESOURCES BY US FOR YOU

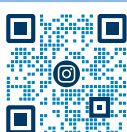
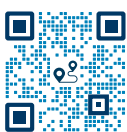


◀ **COLLEGE ADMISSIONS INSIDER PODCAST**

You don't have to navigate college alone. We're here to help! Get advice on everything from compiling a list of schools to crafting an impressive application essay and beyond — from real admissions experts.

COLLEGE PLANNING TIMELINE ▶

It's never too early to start preparing for college. Knowing where to start is easy with our guide, which breaks down actions to take each high school year to set you up for success in the admissions process.



◀ **MEET OUR STUDENTS**

See Bucknell through the eyes of real students. Each week, someone new shares their college experiences on our student-run Instagram. Follow along @iamraybucknell!





NOTES

QUESTIONS TO ASK COLLEGE COUNSELORS:

What makes your college different from other schools of a similar size or type?

Why it matters: This helps students understand a college's unique strengths, culture or programs beyond what's on the website — especially when comparing similar schools.

What kind of academic support do you offer for students who are adjusting to college-level work?

Why it matters: Transitioning to college academics can be tough. This question gives insight into tutoring, writing centers and advising services that can help students thrive.

Can you tell me about the campus community — what do students do for fun, and what's the general vibe like?

Why it matters: Fit isn't just about academics — it's also about social life and student culture. This helps students imagine what their day-to-day life might feel like.

What kind of internships or real-world experiences do students have access to?

Why it matters: College is a stepping stone to careers. Knowing how a school connects students to hands-on learning, internships or research helps clarify future opportunities.

How easy is it to change your major or explore different academic interests?

Why it matters: Many students aren't 100% sure what they want to study. This question helps them understand how flexible the curriculum is and whether the school supports academic exploration.



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