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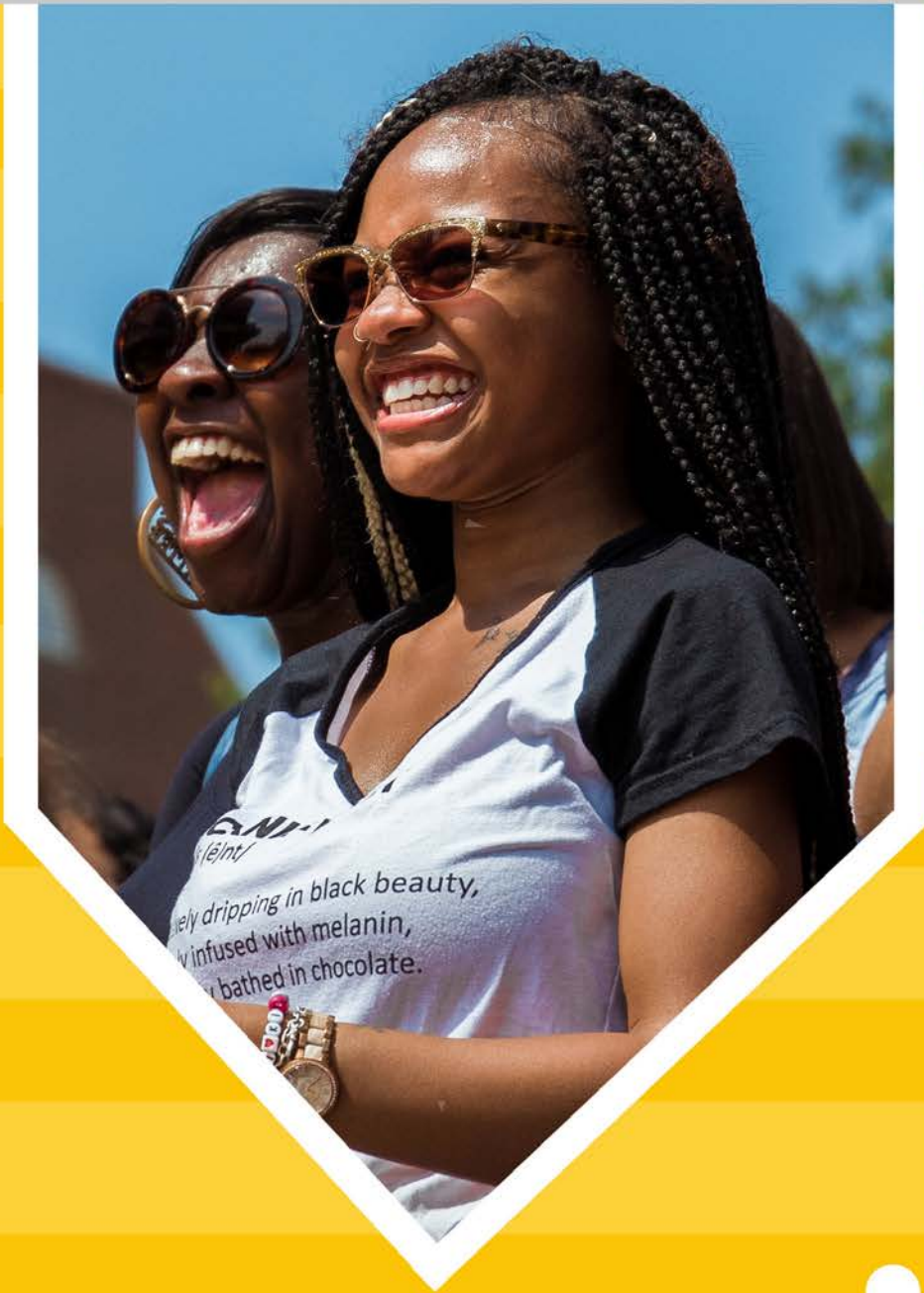
Evidence Document

Academic Affairs

Office of Undergraduate Admissions

Diversity at Wichita State

Additional information:



Diversity

AT WICHITA STATE



» RECRUITMENT PROGRAMS

There are numerous campus departments that host events every year for you to catch a glimpse of Shocker Nation! Meet students, faculty and staff in your interest areas and let us prove that Wichita State University is right for you!

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ANNUAL PARTNER PROGRAMS

- AVID DAY
- BLACK AND YELLOW DAYS
- DIVERSITY LEADERSHIP SYMPOSIUM
- EXEC CONNECT
- LUNCHEON FOR EXCELLENCE IN ACADEMICS AND DIVERSITY (LEAD)
- NATIONAL TRIO DAY
- PASSAGE 2 SUCCESS
- Passage Scholar

» SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Funding your high-quality Wichita State education is easy. Just get admitted, and if you're eligible, we'll send you an automatic scholarship offer. You could also qualify for some of the more than \$100 million in other scholarships and financial aid we award each year. In addition, many of our out-of-state students qualify for in-state or reduced tuition. Check out some scholarship opportunities below or through our website!

- PARKINSON
- LINWOOD SEXTON
- HEARTLAND BLACK CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SCHOLARSHIP
- KANSAS HISPANIC EDUCATION & DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

...: WICHITA.EDU/SCHOLARSHIPS

» DIVISION OF DIVERSITY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

The Division of Diversity and Community Engagement will respond to the different needs of minorities, older students, veterans, students with disabilities and other variations reflective of the broad human population. Our goal is to cultivate and maintain community relationships with key constituency groups and provide strategic advice to create a campus climate that is reflective of the community it serves.

This division will enhance the strategic focus of the university and will include the following areas:

- Office of Community Engagement and Opportunity
- President's Diversity Council
- Public Policy and Management Center
- Tilford Commission
- TRIO/GEAR UP Programs
- The Captain Riley Leroy Pitts Military and Veteran Student Center

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» PROUD TO BE FIRST

This program ensures the academic success for first-generation college students, or those who are first in their family to attend a postsecondary institution. The Ad Astra conference focuses on how first-generation students can use their strengths to become more successful, understand processes on college campuses and build skills to help them persist to graduation.

» DACA Student Resources

The Career Development center offers resources to all students at Wichita State University. The DACA Resource site offers links and data that focuses on employment, student success and academics.

...: wichita.edu/DACA



» THE OFFICE OF DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION

The **Office of Diversity and Inclusion (ODI)** aims to cultivate and sustain an inclusive campus. We strive for academic excellence by creating an environment that educate, empowers and mobilizes our students, campus and community. In our community, our members view themselves as ambassadors for fundamental freedoms and respect the differences in others.

The office provides dynamic programs, which range from speakers and film showings to award ceremonies, cultural festivities and LGBTQA programming - each representing a small piece of the diversity displayed on the WSU campus.

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» STUDENT AMBASSADOR SOCIETY

STUDENT AMBASSADOR SOCIETY (SAS) enhances the image of Wichita State University by participating in various outreach programs.

As a service organization, SAS members work alongside the Office of Admissions to discuss the benefits of a university experience, especially at WSU, by sharing their experiences as WSU students. SAS also hosts student and non-student VIPs while they are on the WSU campus.

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» MULTICULTURAL STUDENT MENTORING PROGRAM

The **MULTICULTURAL STUDENT MENTORING PROGRAM (MSMP)** facilitates the retention, academic success, holistic development and timely graduation of all underrepresented students at Wichita State University, through academic support services, educational and cultural programming, interpersonal relationships and mentoring.

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» AMBASSADORS FOR DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION

AMBASSADORS FOR DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION are change agents on campus dedicated to serving and representing the Office of Diversity and Inclusion. Ambassadors assist in developing diversity program initiatives, as well as being liaisons to various university committees and student organizations.

Ambassadors consist of WSU students who are committed to promoting deep cultural awareness. They strive to build better intercultural relations while increasing campus-wide participation in cross-cultural and multicultural programs.

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» DIVERSITY INTERNS

Diversity Interns are responsible for educating prospective Shockers and high schools students on college readiness and to provide a student perspective. Through Shocker Sessions, college visits, AVID day and the LEAD luncheon Diversity Interns provide their unique experiences on college, promoting diversity and inclusion, and the importance higher education for first generation, minority students.

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» STUDY ABROAD

Have you ever wanted to study in another country? With the **STUDY ABROAD** program, you can do just that.

Our Study Abroad programs give you the chance to study anywhere, from Australia to Zimbabwe (and virtually everywhere in between) for up to one year while earning credit toward your Wichita State degree.

You will get a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to explore your world, experience more of what it has to offer and expand your knowledge of how it all fits together. Prepare yourself for the adventure of a lifetime!

...: WICHITA.EDU/STUDYABROAD

» NATIONAL STUDENT EXCHANGE

Wichita State University gives you the opportunity to diversify your college experience with the **NATIONAL STUDENT EXCHANGE** program.

WSU, along with more than 170 other colleges and universities, participates in a program that allow students to study a semester or a year at another participating university. Students can live in another part of the United States and experience an entirely different environment while continuing to pay WSU tuition and working towards a WSU degree.

...: WICHITA.EDU/NSE



» WICHITA STATE UNIVERSITY **ARMY ROTC**



ARMY ROTC

GUIDES YOU TO:

- Develop skills to be an effective leader
- Maintain physical fitness
- Manage time ,people and resources
- Understand the team concept
- Develop a sense of dedication, duty, and discipline
- No basic training

SCHOLARSHIPS:

A wide variety of 4-, 3-, and 2 year federal and Guaranteed Reserve Forced Duty (GRFD) scholarships will allow you to either commission into active duty or into the National Guard/Army Reserves. Additional scholarships are available for those pursuing a National Guard commission in the state of Kansas.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

- Visit goarmy.com/rotc and apply to Wichita State
- Qualify and be accepted into the Army ROTC program
- Enroll in Military Science 100 and the 102 lab
- Become medically qualified
- Pass an Army Physical Fitness Test
- Fill out ROTC contact paperwork



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