The University of Akron offers comprehensive programs of instruction leading to the associate (two-year), bachelor's (four-year), master's (graduate), and doctoral (graduate or professional) degrees.

**Buchtel College of Arts and Sciences**

Buchtel College of Arts and Sciences (https://www.uakron.edu/bcas) is the largest and oldest degree-granting college at The University of Akron. In addition to providing a world-class education in an array of bachelor's, master's and doctoral degree programs, Buchtel College provides the majority of general education courses for the University. E.J. Thomas Performing Arts Hall (https://www.uakron.edu/ej), the region's flagship performance venue, is home to many arts performances for the college.

The College has four administrative divisions: Fine Arts, Humanities, Natural Sciences and Social Sciences.


Qualified students seeking hands-on career exploration experiences can enroll in internships and co-op opportunities. Students wishing to enrich their majors by completing a certificate, a minor or a double major are encouraged to do so. Interdisciplinary studies are readily available to Arts and Sciences students through the Biomedical Science major, the Humanities Division major, the Social Sciences Division major and the Bachelor of Arts in Multidisciplinary Studies program.

- About the College (https://bulletin.uakron.edu/undergraduate/colleges-programs/business-administration)
- Programs of Instruction (https://bulletin.uakron.edu/undergraduate/colleges-programs/business-administration/programs-instruction)
- College Website (https://www.uakron.edu/cba)

**LeBron James Family Foundation College of Education**

The LeBron James Family Foundation College of Education (https://www.uakron.edu/education) is a community of professionals whose purpose is to provide leadership for community well-being through standard-setting programs that enhance teaching, learning and human development; research and inquiry; and outreach. It develops itself and others through continuous improvement and through a commitment to these core components of professional practice and scholarship: Knowledge, Technology, Diversity and Ethics.

The college is home to the departments of Curricular and Instructional Studies (https://www.uakron.edu/education/academic-programs/cis) and Educational Foundations and Leadership (https://www.uakron.edu/education/academic-programs/efl), as well as numerous centers and clinics. The College's programs include a balanced offering of a foundation in general education, intensive study in the content area and professional courses and other learning experiences which combine theory and practice.

- About the College (https://bulletin.uakron.edu/undergraduate/colleges-programs/education)
- Programs of Instruction (https://bulletin.uakron.edu/undergraduate/colleges-programs/education/programs-instruction)
- College Website (https://www.uakron.edu/education)

**College of Engineering**

The College of Engineering (https://www.uakron.edu/engineering) provides educational opportunities at both the undergraduate and graduate levels for students who wish to pursue careers in engineering. The faculty in the College of Engineering (https://www.uakron.edu/engineering/about-us/people-directory) perform research with the purpose of contributing new knowledge to the fields encompassed by engineering principles.

undergraduate/programs_detail.dot?programid=1128286), and Mechanical Engineering (https://www.uakron.edu/engineering/ME).

The College's co-op program, one of the oldest in the nation, enables student engineers to integrate classroom learning with on-the-job experience while they earn their degrees. Students can alternate semesters of paid employment in their major fields of interest with semesters on campus after they have completed five semesters of study.

- About the College and Programs of Instruction (https://bulletin.uakron.edu/undergraduate/colleges-programs/engineering)
- College Website (https://www.uakron.edu/engineering)

**College of Applied Science and Technology**

The College of Applied Science and Technology (https://wayne.uakron.edu/apply) prepares students for specialized professional and technology-based careers through applied degrees, many of which are nationally accredited. A campus leader in distance learning and technology-based careers through applied degrees, many of which

- About the College (https://bulletin.uakron.edu/undergraduate/colleges-programs/applied-science-technology)
- Programs of Instruction (https://bulletin.uakron.edu/undergraduate/colleges-programs/applied-science-technology/programs-instruction)
- College Website (https://www.uakron.edu/cast)

**Wayne College**

To meet the needs of the citizens of Wayne, Holmes and Medina counties, The University of Akron Wayne College (https://wayne.uakron.edu) opened its doors in 1972. Wayne College (https://wayne.uakron.edu/academics-majors) offers technical programs and certificate programs, as well as the first 60 credits of many baccalaureate programs. The following degrees are available from The University of Akron Wayne College: Associate of Arts; Associate of Science; Associate of Technical Studies; Associate of Applied Business in Business Management Technology; Health Care Office Management; Associate of Applied Science in Paraprofessional Education and Exercise Science Technology.

- About the College (https://bulletin.uakron.edu/undergraduate/colleges-programs/wayne)
- Programs of Instruction (https://bulletin.uakron.edu/undergraduate/colleges-programs/wayne/programs-instruction)
- College Website (https://wayne.uakron.edu)

**Graduate School**

www.uakron.edu/gradsch

The Graduate School (https://www.uakron.edu/gradsch) offers advanced study to students who wish further education beyond the baccalaureate degree with programs leading to the master's degree as well as the doctoral degree. A separate publication detailing admission procedures and individual study requirements for graduate work is available from the Graduate School (https://www.uakron.edu/gradsch). The Graduate Bulletin may be obtained online at http://www.uakron.edu/gradsch

- About the College (https://bulletin.uakron.edu/undergraduate/colleges-programs/wayne)
- Programs of Instruction (https://bulletin.uakron.edu/undergraduate/colleges-programs/wayne/programs-instruction)
- College Website (https://wayne.uakron.edu)

**School of Law**

www.uakron.edu/law

The School of Law provides legal education through day and evening classes and full and part-time programs leading to the Juris Doctor degree. JD candidates typically begin studies in the fall semester, but they may begin in January. They may obtain Certificates in Litigation, Constitutional Law, Intellectual Property, and Health Law. JD candidates may also pursue the following joint degrees with other colleges: JD/MBA, JD/MTax, or JD/MSA in Financial Forensics (with the College of Business Administration), JD/MPA (Master of Public Administration, with the Department of Public Administration and Urban Studies), JD/MPA (Master of Applied Politics, with the Bliss Institute). The School of Law also offers an advanced degree, the LL.M. in Intellectual Property. JD students may enroll in the Joint JD/LL.M. Program, in which they can earn both degrees in three years. Otherwise, an applicant for the LL.M. program must have a JD degree from an American law school or an equivalent degree from a foreign law school. An applicant to the
JD program must take the Law School Admission Test and have a baccalaureate degree from an accredited college or university for JD admission. No particular course of undergraduate study is required for admission. Also, an applicant with a foreign law degree may apply for an accelerated program to receive the JD in two years. The School of Law has recently added a Masters in the Studies of Law. An applicant to the MSL program is not required to take the Law School Admission Test. A separate publication detailing admission requirements and the procedure for applying may be obtained by calling (330)972-7331, or (800) 4-AKRON-U, or by e-mail: lawadmissions@uakron.edu.

**College of Polymer Science and Polymer Engineering**

www.uakron.edu/cpspe

The College of Polymer Science and Polymer Engineering offers graduate degrees leading to the Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy in both Polymer Science and Polymer Engineering. A non-thesis Master of Polymer Science and Polymer Engineering is offered with courses in Polymers, Business, and Law geared towards careers in the polymer industry. An undergraduate minor in Polymer Science and Polymer Engineering is available for undergraduate science and engineering majors. In addition, specializations that emphasize polymer engineering have been developed with the College of Engineering Departments of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering and Mechanical Engineering for undergraduate students interested in the polymer industry. An option has been developed in the Buchtel College of Arts and Sciences in chemistry that emphasizes polymer science, including advanced materials. Research experiences for one to three credits per semester are also offered, starting at the freshman level.

**University - Additional Locations**

http://www.uakron.edu/provost/about/additional-locations.dot

The University operates five educational centers in our surrounding communities.

**For a full listing of Baccalaureate, Associate, and Certificate Programs:**

http://www.uakron.edu/academics_majors/curriculum-guides