

Some interesting facts about Buffalo State.

\* Buffalo State is the largest comprehensive college in the SUNY system. The college offers more than 170 undergraduate and 60 graduate programs to nearly 11,000 students each year.



Buffalo State's alumni network is second only to the University at Buffalo in terms of size).

\* Buffalo State is the only SUNY comprehensive college located in a city. The campus anchors Buffalo's Elmwood Village, which has been named one of the "Top 10 Great Places in America" by the American Planning Association.

- \* Buffalo State has the newest and most advanced science and technology educational facilities in the area. The \$52.3 million Science and Mathematics Complex (Phase I) building and the \$36.5 million Technology Building, with smart grid laboratories, opened in 2013.
- \* Buffalo State's science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) programs have emerged as major players in grant-funded research. Faculty and students in these disciplines have received grant awards from the National Science Foundation, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, NASA, and others.
- \* Buffalo State operates the high-profile Great Lakes Center. The Center, with a field station on Buffalo's waterfront and offices on campus, is the leading institute dedicated to the study of the largest system of accessible freshwater on Earth.
- \* Buffalo State's physics teacher education program was ranked as one of 11 model programs in the United States. The ranking was published in a report by the National Task Force on Teacher Education in Physics.

- \* Buffalo State offers academic programs that lead students into graduate studies in law, medicine, pharmacy, dentistry, and veterinary medicine. The college's pre-professional programs in law, medicine, and health feature an intensive advisement component.
- \* Buffalo State's art conservation program is one of the leading programs of its kind in North America. Accepting only 10 students a year, the competitive three-year graduate program trains conservators of fine art and material cultural heritage; graduates of the program can be found working in the finest museums around the world.

Buffalo State has one of the most diverse student bodies in the SUNY system.



Minority students represent more than 30% of the college's enrollment.

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- \* Buffalo State's visual arts programs were ranked 13th on College Database's "Top 50 U.S. Colleges Where Art Programs Abound" list. The website ranked Buffalo State ahead of Cornell and Yale and just behind the University of Southern California.
- \* Founded in 1871 as a teacher's college, Buffalo State remains the area's leader in teacher education. Buffalo State is internationally recognized for its Professional Development Schools program and is the only SUNY institution to receive continuous accreditation from the National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE) since the agency was founded in 1954.
- \* Buffalo State has been cited as a national leader in undergraduate research. The Undergraduate Research Office has facilitated more than \$1 million in programming and fellowships for undergraduate students since 2003 and has organized more than 5,000 student presentations at the college's annual Student Research and Creativity Celebration since 1999.

- \* Buffalo State is an international pioneer and leader in the field of creative studies. Since 1967, the college's International Center for Studies in Creativity has provided unparalleled scholarly research and training on the topics of creativity, leadership, decision-making, and problem solving.
- \* Buffalo State's Anne Frank Project has been widely hailed as a flagship celebration for diversity, peace, and understanding. Each year, thousands attend the weeklong, on-campus Anne Frank Project conference, which students call "life-changing."

Buffalo State is in an unprecedented building boom.



The college is currently engaged in a roster of capital projects that will result in nearly **\$350 million** in **new construction and improvements** on campus by 2016.

- \* Buffalo State produces more media personalities in print, radio, and television than any other SUNY institution. Our alumni include Academy and Emmy Award– winning journalists, filmmakers, and producers.
- \* Buffalo State is a long-standing leader in providing international study programs for its students. Buffalo State's Siena (Italy) program is SUNY's oldest study abroad program and just one of many options for current students.
- \* As a university with a public mission, Buffalo State has educated many of the area's top elected officials. Congressman Brian Higgins, '85, and Buffalo Mayor Byron Brown, '83—two of the most influential politicians in the area—are among the many Buffalo State alumni serving in public office.
- \* Buffalo State is home to metro Buffalo's only Small Business Development Center. Since 1984, the Center has provided entrepreneurial training and services to more than 20,000 businesses.

