

# EXPLORE, THRIVE, BELONG UNDERGRADUATE AND GRADUATE DIRECT ADMISSION



# THE UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA AT OMAHA

The University of Nebraska at Omaha (UNO) is not just a place for education but a gateway to opportunities.

Located in the heartland of the American Midwest in Omaha, Nebraska, which is consistently ranked among the "Best Places to Live," UNO offers strong ties with the local community, making a lasting impact at local, regional, national, and international levels.

UNO takes pride in its **diverse student population**, welcoming individuals from more than 70 countries, making it one of the most multicultural universities in the region.

UNO's commitment to success extends beyond classrooms, integrating mentorships and internships with local companies to propel graduates into impactful roles. Over the past decade, UNO has witnessed a remarkable investment of over \$470 million in state-of-the-art facilities, reflecting a commitment to providing innovative resources for its student body.

With UNO's deep roots in its urban surroundings, Omaha has truly become a part of the UNO campus. Omaha has undergone significant development, with over two billion dollars invested in projects such as the iconic Bob Kerrey Pedestrian Bridge and the Kiewit Luminarium, a STEM-focused museum. The dynamic local business scene, entertainment districts, music, food, culture, and arts contribute to Omaha's allure.

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Omaha, Nebraska
top 100 best
places to live
livability.com, 2025



### UNITED STATES

TORONTO

EBRASKA

ОМАНА

CHICAGO

WASHINGTON, D.C.

#### **CENTRAL MIDWEST LOCATION**

Nebraska is located in the Midwest of the USA. Omaha is the largest city with close to one million inhabitants and is located alongside the magnificent Missouri river. Omaha Eppley Airport is just 7 miles from UNO and connects to 32 cities in the USA.

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# AFFORD THE EXTRAORDINARY

Omaha offers a high standard of living at a low cost, making it an ideal location for students seeking both financial accessibility and an enriching lifestyle. UNO's programs are designed to maximize impact and offer excellent educational value.

The University boasts a welcoming campus with a community-driven atmosphere, conveniently located near the city center. This proximity allows students to explore their interests, foster personal development, and truly express themselves.

Additionally, UNO provides excellent housing options, including opportunities for on-campus living.



# EMPOWER DREAMS, IGNITE CAREERS

Contributing to Omaha's thriving job market, UNO offers rapid career advancement opportunities.

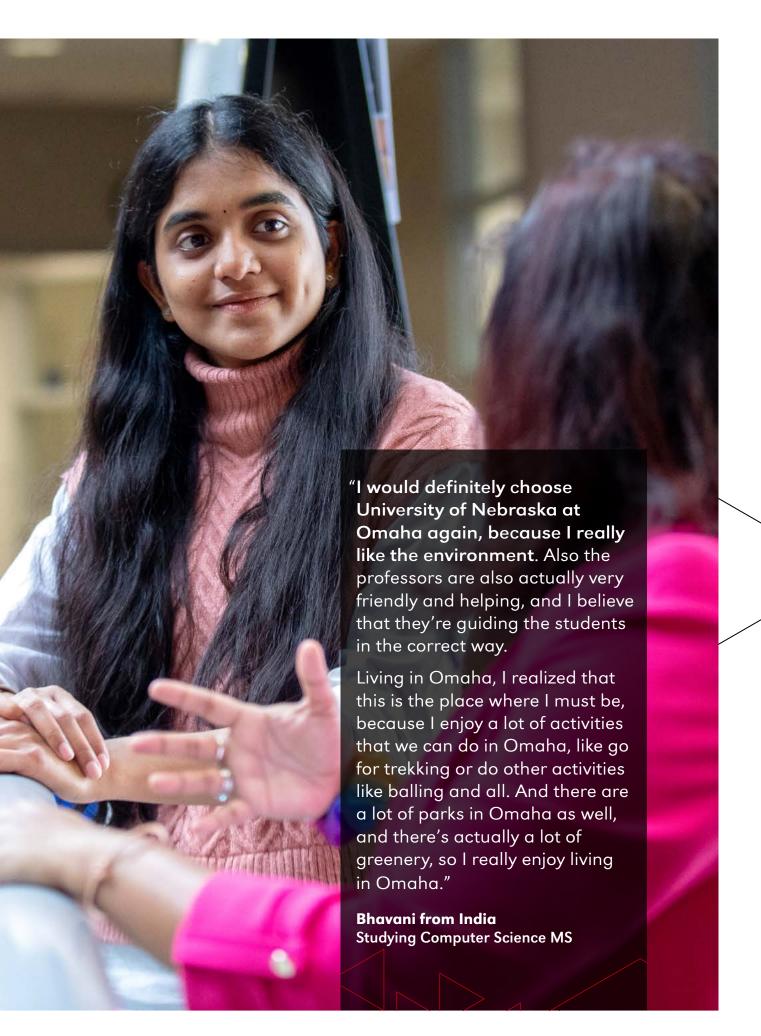
Students benefit from mentorships and 8,500+ paid internships at 136 companies (UNO, 2024).

Our graduates achieve success in their careers with connections made at UNO. UNO's unique technology-centered spaces, such as the world-class biomechanics research facility and nationally recognized community engagement center, contribute to preparing students to compete in the global market.

### GUIDING FUTURES, CREATING LEADERS

The University places a strong emphasis on mentorship opportunities, guiding students not only academically but also professionally. Collaboration across academic disciplines is encouraged, fostering innovation and providing students with a broader perspective on complex issues. UNO's dedication to experiential learning ensures that students gain practical insights and skills that prepare them for life after graduation.





# TOP-NOTCH ACADEMICS

UNO offers a diverse range of programs, from Business to Computer Science—ranked in the top 200 in the U.S.—to Public Health and IT Innovation. You will have numerous options to pursue your academic and career aspirations, with a variety of undergraduate and postgraduate programs available.

#### HIGHLIGHTED COLLEGES

### College of Information Science & Technology (IS&T)

Benefit from the college's commitment to balancing emerging disciplines with the bedrock fundamentals of information technology. The surroundings of an urban campus in an emerging city offer chances to research and grow through associations with industry partners in technology. In the College of IS&T, no student will go unassisted or unchallenged. IS&T creates capable technology leaders who will thrive in a globally competitive environment.

#### **College of Business Administration (CBA)**

At the College of Business Administration, we're preparing a new force of leaders to make an impact in their communities and in the global economy. Education is about striking the perfect balance of academic perspectives and practical applications. At UNO, you'll find the best of both worlds — designed to get you ready to build a career as a dynamic, respected business professional.

- Hands-on experience: We encourage you to put your knowledge to work before you graduate. For example, in the Maverick Investment Program, Finance and Banking students manage a real-life portfolio, doubling its value since inception.
- Community Collaboration: Being part of an urban university, CBA collaborates closely with local businesses.
   You'll benefit from guest speakers who are experts in their fields, and our strong internship program, where 70% of students receive job offers post-internship.
- Great Minds: Our faculty blend teaching and research, contributing to national and grant research, and frequently offering expert opinions.



"I 100% suggest University of Nebraska to other students, because the standard of education here at the university is so high. The professors are world-class professors. From my experience, I had the best knowledge since I came here. And that's the reason you have to try to do a Master's here in UNO."

**Sreean from India** Studying Cybersecurity, MS



# UNO students are called Mayericks

Definition of Maverick: an independent thinker, an explorer, a risk taker.

### HIGHLIGHTED DEGREE PROGRAMS

UNO offers many STEM-designated degrees at the undergraduate and graduate levels. Completing one of these programs may qualify international students to extend their post-graduation stay in the USA through Optional Practical Training (OPT) STEM Extension.

After finishing a program of study and initial postcompletion OPT, eligible F-1 students may apply for a STEM-OPT extension for a 24-month period. Refer to www.ice.gov/sevis for more information.

International students should talk with their UNO advisors to confirm that their chosen program is a STEM-designated degree.

#### **Business Administration, BS, MBA**

UNO's Business programs provide diverse concentration options, including Business Analytics, Accounting, Marketing, and Supply Chain Management. With a focus on innovative, career-oriented learning, transformative research, industry collaboration, and community engagement, you'll be equipped to excel in the field that inspires you the most.

#### Cybersecurity, BS\*, MS\*

Cybersecurity is a critical field that stands at the forefront of protecting our increasingly digital society. Our programs equip students with the essential skills to design, develop, manage, and secure information systems. The modern world is made up of vast data exchanges and internet-connected systems with many kinds of private and confidential information on them. Our students learn to think like an adversary to ethically hack systems to identify and mitigate vulnerabilities.

70% of students receive job offers post-internship.

#### Data Science, MS\*

This flexible, innovative, and technologically advanced program with five concentration options prepares rising data professionals for corporate leadership positions through functional expertise. The interdisciplinary Data Science program combines insights from business, IT, mathematics, and more, with contributions from international university partners and local businesses. Key themes include data organization, manipulation, cleaning, and visualization; data analytics; working with massive datasets; addressing missing and messy data; and understanding the value of data to create data products.

#### Applied Computing & Informatics, BS\*

In the Applied Computing and Informatics Program (ACMP), you will develop practical skills to tackle real-world challenges in data analytics, software development, and user experience design. The program's flexibility lets you explore pathways like Design and Innovation, where you'll blend technology and creativity to craft impactful solutions, or Biomedical Informatics, where you'll apply data science and machine learning to advance healthcare and biomedicine.

#### **Additional Degree Highlights:**

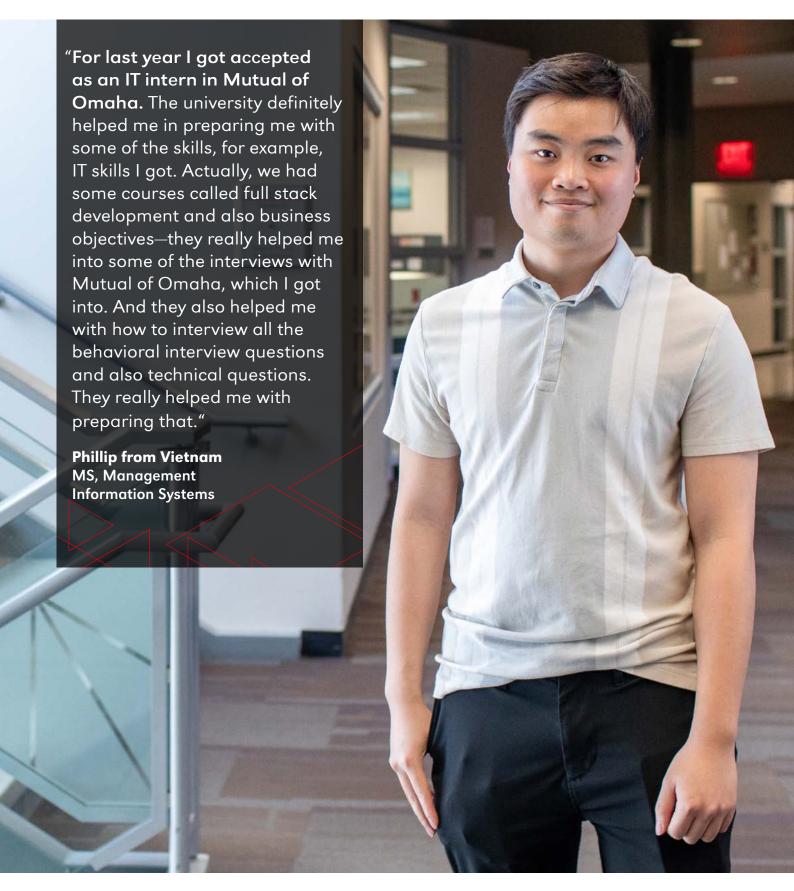
- Bioinformatics, BS\*
- Computer Science, BS\*, MS\*
- Management Information Systems, BS\*, MS\*

\*STEM-designated degree

See page 10 for full list of available degree programs

# **EMPOWER DREAMS, IGNITE CAREERS**











80% of recent grads report having one or more internships, practica, or jobs while studying at UNO.

UNO, 2025

**FORTUNE 500 COMPANIES** 

Omaha is home to the headquarters of four Fortune 500 companies who all employ UNO graduates:

**BERKSHIRE HATHAWAY** – headed by local investor and billionaire Warren Buffet

**KIEWIT CORPORATION** – leading engineering and construction company

**MUTUAL OF OMAHA** – billion-dollar life insurance and financial services company

**UNION PACIFIC** – the United States' largest railroad operator

The University has strong connections with local employers and has a strong reputation for its provision of executive education.

#### **LOCAL EMPLOYERS OF UNO GRADS**

#### **Banking and Finance**

- Mutual of Omaha\*
- First National Bank of Omaha
- Paypal
- BNP Paribas
- · Lincoln Financial Group
- Berkshire Hathaway\*
- TD Ameritrade/Charles Schwab

#### Construction & Engineering

Kiewit Corporation\*

# Transport, Supply Chain & Logistics

- Union Pacific Railroad\*
- Werner Enterprises
- Amazon

#### **Food and Agriculture**

- ConAgra Brands
- Valmont Industries

#### **Healthcare**

- CommonSpirit Health
- Nebraska Healthcare
- Nebraska Medicine
- Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services
- Fusion Medical Staffing
- Blue Cross Blue Shield

#### **Analytics & Consulting**

Gallup

\*Fortune 500 Company headquartered in Omaha



# **CUTTING-EDGE FACILITIES**ON CAMPUS

From our world-class biomechanics research facility to our nationally recognized community engagement center, we're building unique, technology-centered spaces so our students and faculty are prepared to teach and compete in the global market. Our modern residence halls provide a safe, comfortable, environment for students, and Baxter Arena has given our Division I athletes the home they deserve.

More than \$470 million

has been invested in UNO facilities in the last 10 years.

Omaha Magazine, 2024

### College of Information Science & Technology (IS&T)

- The Peter Kiewit Institute offers up-to-date instruction with faculty and students conducting research in software development, language systems, robotics, data mining, high-performance computing, and other related areas
- Key to the collaborative environment at the College of IS&T is the intellectual linkage between academia, industry, and state government. This linkage has led to a substantial investment of \$70M into infrastructure development that includes:
- A \$37.5M Information Science Technology & Engineering building on UNO's Scott Campus
- 24 new faculty positions
- 100+ student scholarships
- Endowments for faculty support
- Substantial laboratory and computing support

#### **NebraskaCYBER**

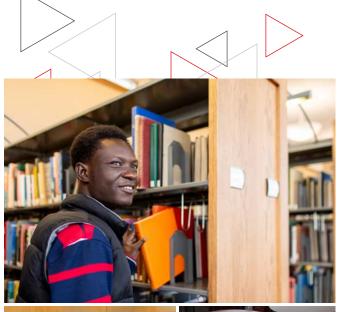
Since its founding in 2001, the Nebraska University Center for Cybersecurity (NebraskaCYBER) has helped improve cybersecurity awareness locally, regionally, and nationally. The collaborative efforts of faculty, students, and community partners have earned UNO the distinction of being named a Center of Academic Excellence by the National Security Agency (NSA).

### College of Business Administration: Mammel Hall

- It's a hub of learning and collaboration. It's the place where local businesses gather. And it's where Warren Buffett sent his first tweet.
- Opened in fall 2010, Mammel Hall is home to the College of Business Administration, offering a professional and inviting environment for students, faculty, staff, and visitors. This state-of-the-art, 120,000-square-foot building was made possible by the largest single donation in UNO's history and is specifically designed for business students.

#### **Key features include:**

- An atrium with interactive touch-screen displays
- Collaborative breakout rooms and private study areas
- A two-story, 186-seat auditorium
- Student lounge areas and Stedman's Cafe
- Glass-walled classrooms and meeting rooms with advanced technology
- Laboratories for investment science, innovation, entrepreneurship, and executive decision-making
- Mammel Hall is also the first LEED gold-certified academic building in Nebraska, featuring digital signage that conserves resources overnight and rain gardens that capture runoff to remove pollutants and nurture native plants.









# ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND AVAILABLE PROGRAMS

#### **ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**

UNDERGRADUATE							
	TOEFL iBT	IELTS	Duolingo	PTE	GPA		
College of Arts & Sciences	61	6.0	95	44	2.0		
College of Communication, Fine Arts, & Media	61	60	95	44	2.25		
College of Business Administration; College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences; College of Information Science & Technology; College of Public Affairs and Community Service	61	60	95	44	2.5		

Declaration Form required as part of all application submissions.

#### **ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**

	GRADUATE					
	TOEFL iBT	IELTS	Duolingo	PTE	GPA	
Business Administration & Economics and MBA: Business Analytics Concentration	80	6.5	110	53	2.85	
All other programs	80	6.5	110	53	3.0	

All graduate applications require a non-refundable \$50 USD app fee.

3-Year Degrees: Accepted per the WES policy (NAAC A-Rated institution and finishing in First Division or higher).

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# AVAILABLE UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS

#### **College of Arts & Sciences:**

#### 2.0 **GPA**

- Biology, BA/BS\*
- Black Studies, BS
- Chemistry, BA/BS\*
- Economics, BA/BS
- English, BA
- Environmental Science, BS\*
- Foreign Language and Literature, BA
- General Sciences, BS\*
- Geography, BA/BS
- Geology, BA/BS\*
- History, BA/BS
- Interdisciplinary Studies, BA/BS
- International Studies, BA
- Mathematics, BA/BS\*
- Medical Humanities, BA/BS
- Molecular and Biomedical Biology, BS\*
- Neuroscience, BS\*
- Pharmaceutical Sciences, BS\*
- · Philosophy, BA
- Physics, BA/BS\*
- Political Science, BA/BS
- Psychology, BA/BS
- Religion, BA
- Sociology, BA/BS
- Women's and Gender Studies, BA

### College of Communication, Fine Arts, & Media:

#### 2.25 GPA

- Art History, BAH
- Communication Studies, BA/BS
- Creative Writing, BFA
- Journalism and Media Communication, BA/BS
- Music, BA
- Music Education, BM
- Music Performance, BM
- Studio Art, BA/BFA
- Theatre, BA



Check the website for updates about our ILUNO Intensive English Program.

**College of Business Administration;** College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences; College of Information Science & Technology; College of Public Affairs and **Community Service:** 

#### 2.5 **GPA**

- Applied Computing and Informatics, BS\*
- Aviation, BS\*
- Biomechanics, BS\*
- Business Administration, BS
- Communication Disorders, BSED
- Computer Science, BS\*
- Criminology and Criminal Justice, BCCJ
- Cybersecurity, BS\*
- Emergency Management, BS
- Gerontology, BS
- IT Innovation, BITI
- · Kinesiology, BS
- · Library Science, BSED
- Management Information Systems, BS\*
- Multidisciplinary Studies, BMS
- · Public Health, BS
- Social Work, BSW

#### **AVAILABLE GRADUATE PROGRAMS**

- Biomedical Informatics, MS\*
- Business Administration, MBA
- Business Administration and Economics, MBA
- Business Administration & Management Information Systems, MBA and MS\*
- Business Administration Business Analytics Concentration, MBA
- Computer Science, MS\*
- Cybersecurity, MS\*
- Data Science, MS\*
- IT Innovation, MS\*
- Management Information Systems, MS\*

\*STEM-designated degree



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"The College of IS&T has six areas of expertise: artificial intelligence and advanced computing, cybersecurity, interfaces and 3D simulations, bioinformatics and health informatics, human-centered computing, and educational computing. And within those areas, we have a lot of research going on, which is wonderful because our international students can participate in those research projects."

Dean Martha Garcia-Murillo College of Information Science & Technology

# LOCAL ATTRACTIONS

Omaha offers a wide range of attractions that cater to all interests. From historical sites and cultural districts to scenic parks, there's something for everyone. Here are some of the attractions that make Omaha an exciting place to live and explore:

#### **BOB KERREY PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE**

Spanning the Missouri River, this pedestrian bridge offers stunning views of the city skyline and is a great spot for walking, biking, or just enjoying the scenery.

#### **HENRY DOORLY ZOO AND AQUARIUM**

Renowned for its world-class exhibits like the Desert Dome and the largest indoor rainforest in North America, it's a must-see for all animal lovers.

#### THE KIEWIT LUMINARIUM

A brand-new science museum on Omaha's waterfront with a strong STEM focus.

#### **OLD MARKET**

This historic district is filled with cobblestone streets. boutiques, art galleries, restaurants, and bars. It's perfect for shopping, dining, and experiencing the city's culture.

#### **CHARLES SCHWAB FIELD**

The College Baseball World Series have been hosted in Omaha for 70 years - it is the highlight of the year for college baseball in the USA!

#### BENSON NEIGHBORHOOD

Known for its lively nightlife and exciting mix of restaurants and shops, Benson is a hotspot for live music and entertainment.

#### THE DURHAM MUSEUM

Situated in a historic train station, this museum features exhibits on Omaha's history, including rare coin and document collections, making it a must-visit for history enthusiasts.

#### JOSLYN CASTLE

Located in one of Omaha's most historic districts, this 1903 mansion boasts exotic botanical gardens and stunning architecture, reflecting the opulence of the city's past.

#### **HEARTLAND OF AMERICA PARK**

Found along the riverfront, this park offers a towering 320-foot water fountain, an exciting light show, and gondola rides, making it perfect for a leisurely day out.

### **HOW TO APPLY**

You will need to complete an application form and submit the relevant documentation. You can apply through your local education agent. If you have any questions on your way to becoming a Maverick, our knowledgeable Admissions team is ready to assist you: admissions@studygroup.com



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