

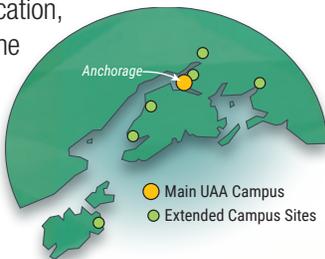
UAA AMAZING FACTS '17

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ABOUT UAA

Surrounded by an environment that is both urban and wild, the University of Alaska Anchorage offers a gateway to innovative thinking, learning and exploration. UAA is the state's largest university, situated in the heart of Alaska's largest city, with community campuses in Homer, Kodiak, Soldotna, Valdez and Mat-Su. UAA students experience a hands-on education, in and out of the classroom,

with unique opportunities in academics, research and leadership, both locally and globally. UAA's students and faculty come from diverse backgrounds, yet the university community is firmly rooted in Alaska. Together, we celebrate the cultural richness of our Southcentral Alaska location, the ancestral homelands of the Dena'ina Athabascan, Ahtna Athabascan, Alutiiq/Sugpiaq and Eyak peoples.



personalized projects and introduce them to partnerships with faculty.

UAA established the Innovate awards in 2011 to foster cutting-edge research, then launched Seawolf Holdings LLC, establishing a pathway toward commercialization of UAA research. UAA has 50 invention disclosures, with 52 patents filed and 11 patents issued. Four startup companies have been formed in Alaska based on the research of UAA faculty. The National Council of Entrepreneurial Tech Transfer named UAA's Rhiziform one of the best university startups of 2016.

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Research

Research is central to UAA's mission. University researchers work closely with federal and state scientists to advance knowledge in critical areas like



fisheries management, economics, public policy, climate change and resource extraction, creating pioneering field internships and research opportunities for students. Students may participate in undergraduate research, offering active learning that takes them beyond the classroom to engage in

Workforce Development and Education

UAA is a leader in workforce development with strong ties to business, state and community leaders. Anchorage

is the state's hub for transportation, communications, health care, engineering, trade, service and finance. UAA collaborates with community partners to create efficient programs to meet the needs of these high-demand career fields in Alaska. Located in the heart of the "U-Med" District, UAA is

the health campus for the University of Alaska system and is at the forefront of educating students to become doctors, nurses, and other health care and public health professionals and researchers.



Student Life

Find your people through UAA's campus organizations and events. Students can choose from about 100 groups, including cultural, pre-professional, leadership and service groups and just about any special interest you can think of. Alaska's beautiful multiuse trails connect campus to the entire city, from the Chugach mountains to Cook Inlet. On campus, UAA has more than doubled its capacity as an athletic and community venue. The Alaska Airlines Center, home to Seawolf Athletics, also hosts community events and concerts. A recent redesign of the Wells Fargo Sports Complex has expanded opportunities for recreational student use.



These along with campus performance venues provide a full ecosystem of opportunity for concerts and lectures, athletic events and art exhibitions. Students at UAA have endless opportunities to socialize and learn from each other.

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Centers and Institutes

UAA is home to several centers and institutes in a number of specialized fields, including environmental and natural resources, alcohol and addiction studies, economic

education, circumpolar health studies, rural health, human development, social and economic research, justice, biomedicine, community engagement and learning, faculty excellence, economic and small business development, logistics and supply chain integration, psychological services, education policy, and Chinese and Japanese cultures.



Degree Programs

UAA offers students many career programs leading to associate, baccalaureate, master's and doctoral degrees, as well as vocational and professional certificates in study areas ranging from arts and humanities, science, education and engineering. Nurse practitioners can earn a Doctorate of Nursing Practice at UAA, enabling them to access the highest level of education in



their profession and gain critical expertise necessary to fully participate in policy decisions regarding health care. UAA also offers a Ph.D. in clinical-community psychology and recently added a Doctor of Pharmacy degree in collaboration with Idaho State University. In fall 2017, UAA launched a new Surgical Technology program, responding to a state workforce need identified by Alaska health care providers.

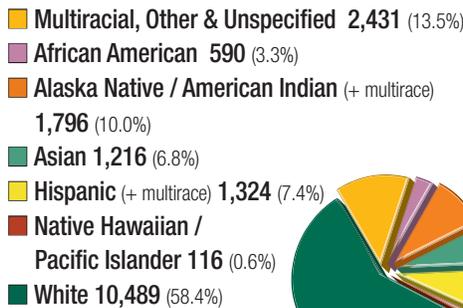
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Enrollment

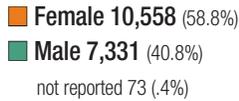
Total UAA Student Headcount **17,962**

Student Profile

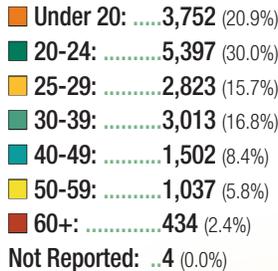
Race and Ethnicity



Gender

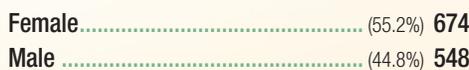


Age



Faculty Profile

Gender



Student/Faculty Ratio

(Total Full-time Equivalent Student Headcount / Total Full-time Equivalent Faculty) **14:1**

All data from UAA Institutional Research, fall closing 2016.



Accreditation

UAA earns its accreditation from the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities. Its most recent accreditation cycle began in 2010 with a site visit scheduled for 2018. UAA's five core themes

are aligned with the university's mission to discover and disseminate knowledge and serve the higher-education needs of the state and its diverse communities in an open-access environment.

Core Accreditation Themes

- Teaching and Learning
- Research, Scholarship and Creative Activity
- Student Success
- UAA Community
- Public Square

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Intercollegiate Athletics

Mascot: Seawolf

Division I Sports

Gymnastics (W), Ice Hockey (M)



Division II Sports

Basketball (M & W), Skiing (M & W), Track & Field/Cross Country (M & W), Volleyball (W)

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Important Numbers

Campus Main Switchboard	907-786-1800
Disability Support Services	907-786-4530
Enrollment Services	907-786-1480
Equity and Compliance/Title IX.....	907-786-0818
Parking Services	907-786-1119
Student Information Desk	907-786-1204
University Police	907-786-1120



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