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One of America's Top Public Universities

A national graduate research university, Florida State University is a demanding and intellectually stimulating environment for students and faculty.





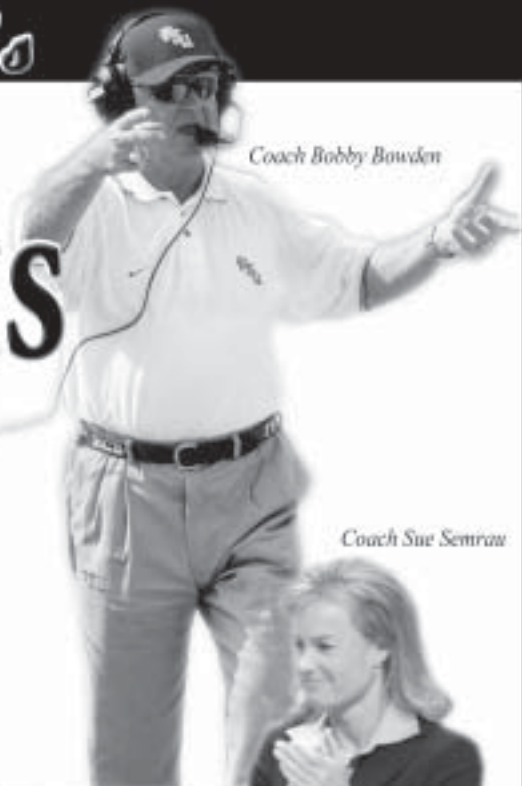
One of the Nation's

PREMIER PROGRAMS

Coaching Excellence...

When it comes to legendary head coaches, it is hard to argue anyone has been as fortunate. The Seminoles have had three coaches who have established records that rank them with the greatest coaches ever to roam an NCAA sideline.

Florida State is the only NCAA school with three coaches in the Top 10 for all-time victories in their respective sport and in the top five in wins and winning percentage among active coaches. Bobby Bowden (football), JoAnne Graf (softball) and Mike Martin (baseball) have combined for 3,053 wins and each coach appears in the top two for active winning percentage, active wins or all-time victories.



Coach Bobby Bowden



Coach Sue Semrau

Winningest Active D-I Coaches

By Victories

1. Bobby Bowden
2. JoAnne Graf
2. Mike Martin

By Percentage

2. Mike Martin
3. Bobby Bowden
3. JoAnne Graf

Winningest D-I Coaches All-Time

By Victories

1. Bobby Bowden
2. JoAnne Graf
5. Mike Martin



Coach Bob Braman



Coach Mike Martin

The caliber of coaches at Florida State is second to none and year after year, these coaches are recognized for excellence nationally, regionally and at the conference level. Women's basketball's Sue Semrau earned her second ACC Coach of the Year award in 2005 while Bob Braman was recognized for his stellar year in cross country (2004 NCAA South Region Coach of the Year) and both indoor and outdoor track and field when he was named the ACC Coach of the Year as well as region Coach of the Year for both sports.



Coach JoAnne Graf

In The Community...

Seminole student-athletes are committed to making a positive impact on the community, serving almost 4,500 hours of community service during the 2004-05 school year. They also helped to raise thousands of dollars in direct support to charities.

FSU student-athletes have volunteered their time working with students from every elementary and middle school in Leon County as well as schools in nearby Wakulla and Gadsden counties. In addition, the Seminoles have participated in projects such as Habitat for Humanity, Relay for Life, and Special Olympics, just to name a few.



Postgraduate Scholarships...

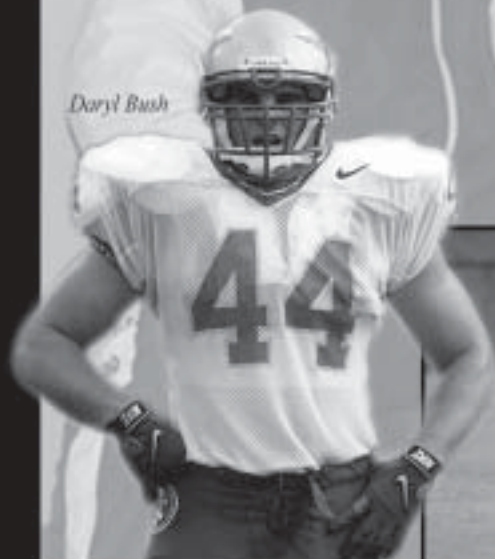
Florida State student-athletes have earned over \$300,000 in post-graduate scholarships over the past 10 years. They have also received 21 post-graduate scholarships from the ACC since 1992.

In 1996, Seminole Daryl Bush was the first ever recipient of the State Farm National Scholar Athlete of the Year award, now given annually.

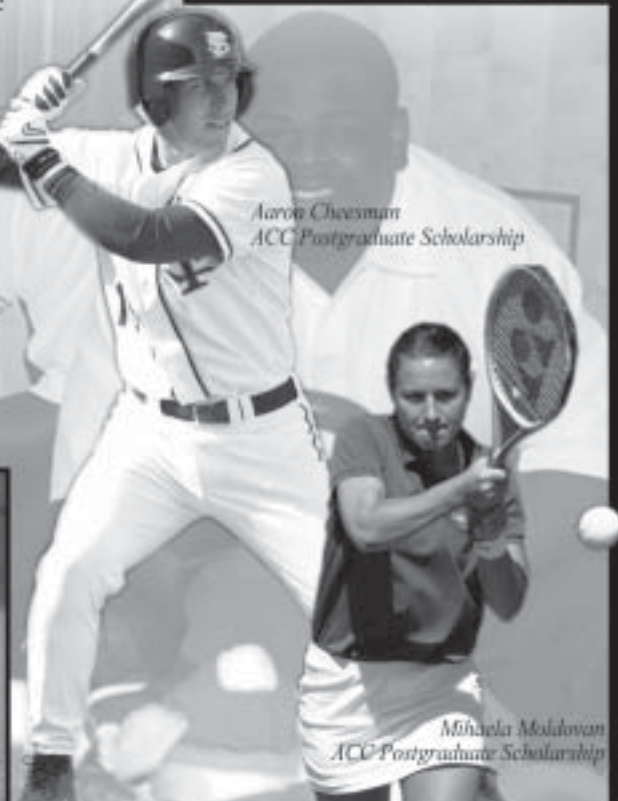
Florida State boasts two NACDA Post-Graduate Award winners in the last five years. The scholarship, which was originated in 2001, grants \$10,000 scholarships to its recipients.



Daryl Bush



*Aaron Cheesman
ACC Postgraduate Scholarship*



*Jez Ratliff
ACC Postgraduate Scholarship*

*Michaela Moldovan
ACC Postgraduate Scholarship*

In The Classroom...

At the conclusion of the 2004-05 school year, five of Florida State's athletic teams had a 3.0 or better cumulative grade point average. In the spring 2005 semester 177 Seminoles achieved a minimum 3.0 semester GPA while average team semester GPA was a 2.813.

Since joining the ACC in 1991, FSU has had six National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame National Scholar Athlete Award winners – more than all other ACC schools combined and a figure that ranks nationally in the past 12 years.

In 2001, former Seminole Chris Weinke was the recipient of the first ever ACC Scholar Award which is given annually to an excellent athlete and top scholar. Football's Chris Hope (2002) and baseball's Matt Lynch (2003) have also earned the distinction.

Florida State had three student-athletes garner National Academic All-American honors in 2005 when softball junior Natasha Jacob and track and field sophomores Garrett Johnson and Tom Lancashire earned such status. It marked the first time since 1970 that three FSU student-athletes earned the honor in the same season.

Florida State has more all-time ACC Academic Honor Roll selections (2,014) than all-time All-ACC honorees (1,612). On top of that number, FSU athletes have been named National Academic All-Americans 26 times and 24 Florida State athletes have received post-graduate scholarships.

Chris Weinke

Natasha Jacob

*Caroline Larsson
ACC Honor Roll*

*Emma Dutton
All American, ACC Honor Roll*

Matt Lynch

*Football's Chris Hope received the 2002 NACDA
Postgraduate Scholarship*

*Derrick Brooks
Academic All-American*

*Ganiyat Adeduntan
ACC Honor Roll*



Nolan Henke
First Team All-American



Amanda Santos
All-ACC

Top Athletes...

When you consider the top athletes who don the Garnet and Gold, it's easy to see why Florida State has enjoyed such success over the years. Of the 36 national awards for athletic achievements Florida State student-athletes have earned, seven have been for the top athlete in the nation award in their respective sports. Florida State boasts two Heisman Trophy winners, three Golden Spikes winners, a USA Softball National Player of the Year and a Honda Award winner for softball.

From football, to diving, to tennis, to track and field, several of Florida State's student-athletes achieve All-America status each year. FSU boasts 702 first team All-America selections as well as several regional and national award winners. Over the years, FSU has enjoyed 1,612 All-ACC selections. Even more impressive is that 21 student-athletes have been crowned individual national champions in their respective sports.

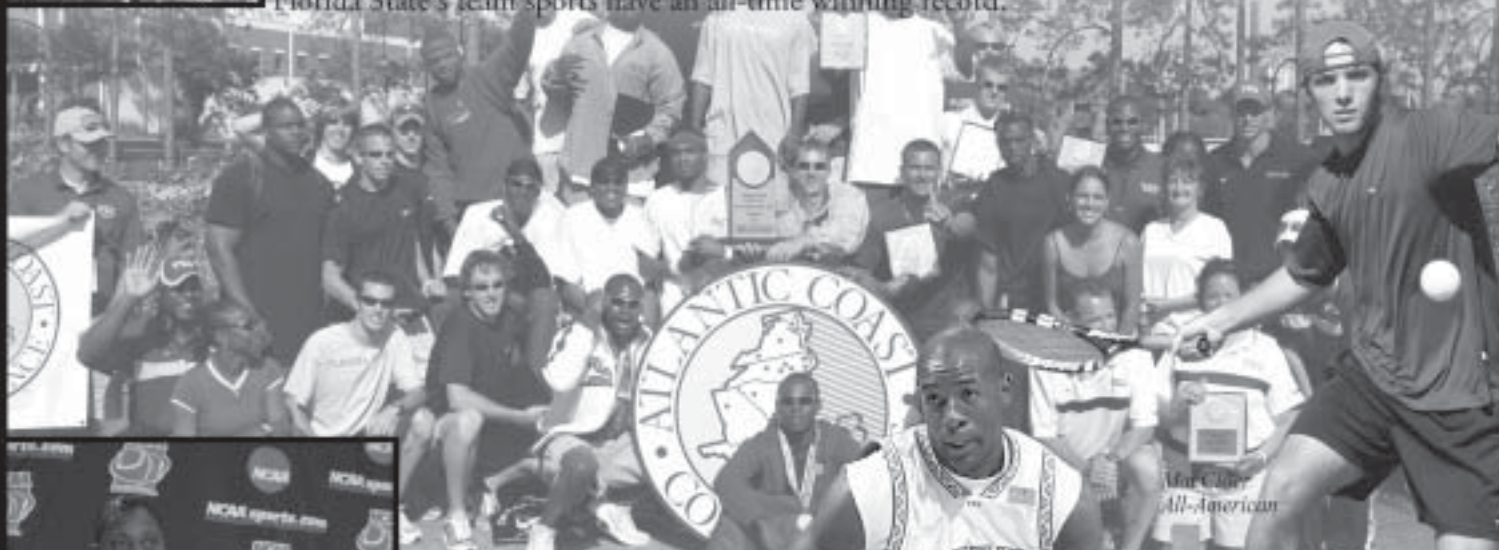
Top Teams...

Great athletes make great teams and Florida State has a rich history when it comes to great teams on both the national and conference level and has earned 11 national championships over the years. In 1999, the Florida State Seminoles became the first football team to go wire-to-wire as the Associated Press' No. 1 team when the squad went 12-0 on its way to the program's second national championship. FSU teams have combined for 130 NCAA Tournament appearances and 32 ACC team titles. Florida State's team sports have earned 7,977 victories and eight of the Florida State's team sports have an all-time winning record.

Teresa Bundy
Triple Jump National Champion



Jessica van der Linden



Heisman Trophy winners

Mar Clell
All-American



Walter Dix
100m National Champion

Tim Pickett
All-ACC



THIS IS TALLAHASSEE

Among low, rolling hills, down moss-draped canopy roads, within picturesque historical districts, and across seas of flowering azaleas lies a magical part of the Sunshine State—Tallahassee—Florida's capital city. With its intriguing combination of power-play politics and classic character splashed with a twist of beauty and charm, Tallahassee is a genteel Southern belle with good manners, old plantation homes and y'all-come hospitality—a side of Florida few expect to find.

With the Gulf of Mexico just 25 miles south and the Georgia border only 14 miles north, Tallahassee rests between the foothills of the Appalachian Mountains and the juncture of Florida's panhandle and peninsula in an area known as "The Big Bend." Nearer in miles to Atlanta than to Miami, Tallahassee more closely



resembles its' Georgia neighbor than Florida in topography, climate and lifestyle.

Like the city itself, the story of how Tallahassee was chosen as the state capital is rich in history. In 1823, two explorers set out—one on horseback from St. Augustine and the other by boat from Pensacola—to establish a permanent, central location for the seat of government. The two met at a beautiful site that the Creek and Seminole Indians called "tallahassee"—derived from the words "talwa," meaning town, and "ahassee," meaning old. This historic meeting place remains Florida's capital today.

The New Capitol building rises at the center of Tallahassee's downtown as a sleek modern structure, juxtaposed next to the Old Capitol, built in the more classic domed style. A gallery atop the 22-story New Capitol provides a sweeping view of the hilly city and its tree-lined streets. From it, you can see all the way to Georgia, 20 miles away.

Around the capitol complex, a 10-block historic district spreads, preserving the town's gracious old homes along a linear park and holding a historic inn, bars and restaurants patronized by Senators and sophomores alike. With no shortage of culture, downtown also offers museums, theater and art galleries. Artists have turned the old warehouses of Downtown Industrial Park into the studios and cafes of Railroad Square. The Museum of Florida History, nearby, is highly acclaimed for its scan of the state's past, and The Mary Brogan Museum of Art & Science, along with changing art exhibits, brings learning to a kid's level with hands-on exhibits.



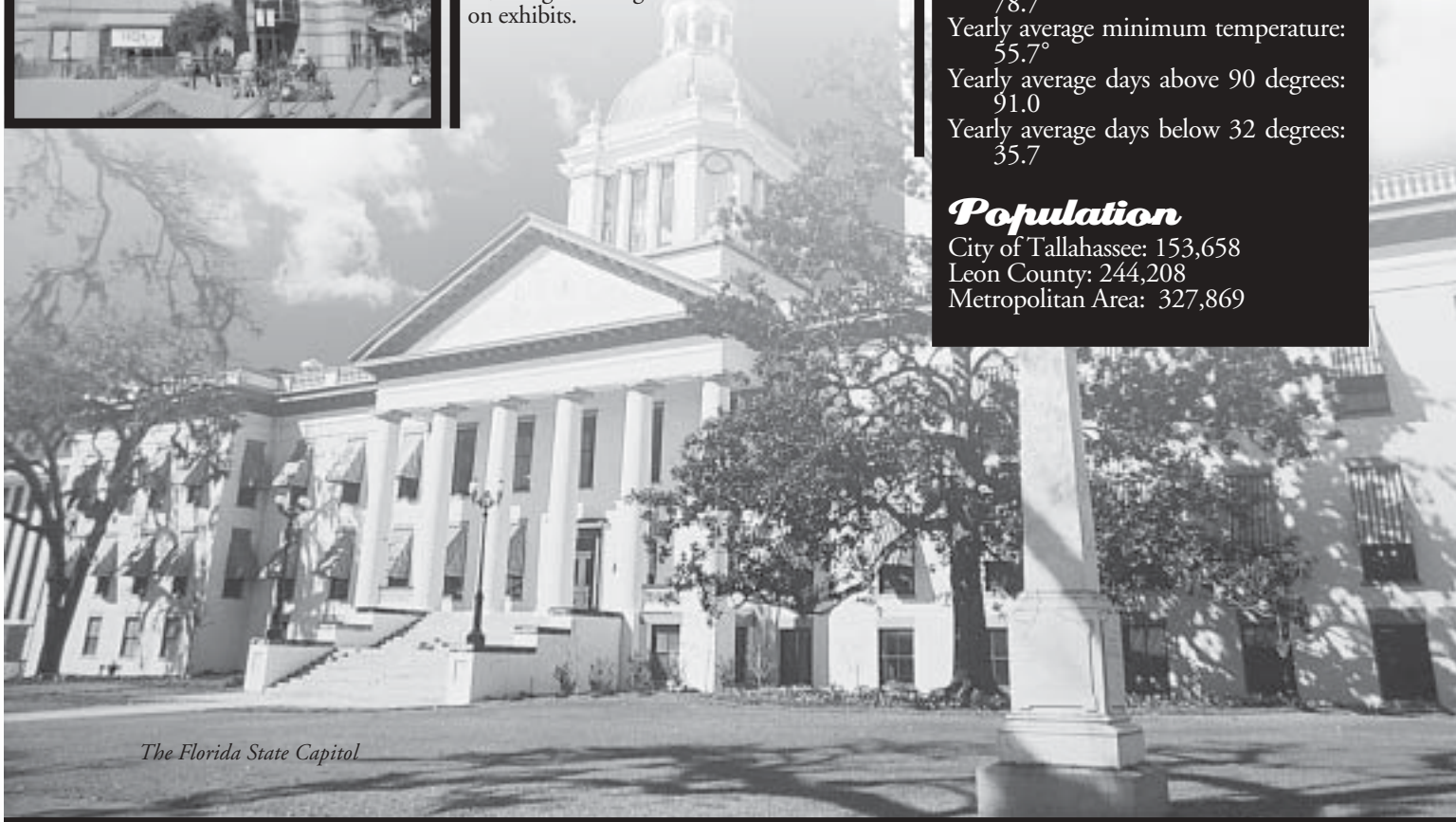
Climate

Tallahassee has the mild, moist climate characteristics of the Gulf States and experiences a subtropical summer similar to the rest of Florida. In contrast to the Florida peninsula, however, the panhandle, of which Tallahassee is a part, experiences four seasons.

Annual January temperature: 40-63° F
Annual July temperature: 72-91° F
Yearly average maximum temperature: 78.7°
Yearly average minimum temperature: 55.7°
Yearly average days above 90 degrees: 91.0
Yearly average days below 32 degrees: 35.7

Population

City of Tallahassee: 153,658
Leon County: 244,208
Metropolitan Area: 327,869



The Florida State Capitol

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Donald L. Tucker Center

The Donald L. Tucker Center is a multi-purpose convention and entertainment facility featuring a 12,100 seat arena, Luxury Suites and Club Seats and over 52,000 sq. ft. of meeting and exhibition space plus an arena view restaurant, Spotlight Grille. The Civic Center hosts a wide variety of concerts, family shows, Broadway shows, ice shows and sporting events including FSU basketball.

It is easy to understand why over one million people a year flock to the Donald L. Tucker Center, what with the varied array of attractions it offers. Some people go to the Tucker Center to enjoy the sounds of rock, country, pop and urban concerts. Some go for the thrills of basketball, rodeos and three-ring spectacles. While others come for conventions, banquets, expositions, or consumer and trade shows.

Located downtown on Pensacola Street, the Tucker Center is only two blocks from the Capitol building.



Kenny Chesney

Other sightseeing favorites include the floral masterpiece of Alfred B. Maclay State Gardens; Bradley's Country Store; FAMU Black Archives; and the Tallahassee Antique Car Museum.

The area surrounding Tallahassee reveals numerous other historic and archaeological treasures, such as De Soto State Archaeological and Historical Site, Lake Jackson State Archaeological Site, Mission San Luis, Natural Bridge Battlefield and San Marcos de Apalache. Visitors can explore prehistoric Florida at the Museum of Florida History, where they are greeted by a giant 12,000-year-old mastodon pulled from nearby Wakulla Springs.

On the shores of Wakulla Springs, alligators still laze under the watchful eyes of "snake birds" perched on twisted cypress trees. The site of many underwater scenes in "Tarzan" movies, it's one of the world's deepest freshwater springs. Glass-bottomed boat tours across these mystical waters are available.

Nearby small towns offer fascinating excursions to places such as Pebble Hill Plantation, Florida Caverns State Park, Monticello Opera House and St. George Island.



Canopy Roads

THIS IS FLORIDA STATE

From its pre-Civil War beginnings as the Seminary West of the Suwannee to a nearly four-decade stint as the Florida State College for Women to its return to coeducational status as a university, Florida State University has developed into an acclaimed research institution with excellence in teaching, research and public service.

The university enrolls nearly 39,000 undergraduate, graduate and professional students. Of these, 24.2 percent are minorities. Students are from all 50 states and the District of Columbia, as well as 132 foreign countries.

Florida State offers an impressive breadth of academic degree programs. Students may take courses of study leading to a baccalaureate degree in 94 programs, a master's degree in 107 degree programs, a doctorate in 73 degree programs, a specialist certification in 28 degree programs, and a professional designation in two degree programs. Courses are offered through 16 schools and colleges — Arts and Sciences; Business; Communication; Criminology and Criminal Justice; Education; Engineering; Human Sciences; Information; Law; Medicine; Motion Picture, Television and Recording Arts; Music; Nursing; Social Sciences; Social Work; and Visual Arts, Dance and Theatre.

Our students have the opportunity to work and study alongside two Nobel laureates, five members of the prestigious National Academy of Sciences, seven members of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, and two winners of the Pulitzer Prize. Florida State faculty also lead several scholarly fields in citations of published work.

Several members of the Florida State faculty were recognized with major awards in 2005, including two Guggenheim Fellowships, a National Endowment for the Arts Fellowship, a

Leopold Leadership Fellowship, five Fulbright fellowships, an Alexander Von Humboldt award, a new member elected into the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, a new member elected a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, and a new member elected into the National Endowment for the Humanities.

Florida State has many academic programs that consistently rank among those at the nation's top 25 public universities, including programs in business, chemistry, creative writing, criminology, ecology and evolutionary biology, information, law, meteorology, oceanography, physics, political science, psychology, public policy, sociology and statistics.

The university had many noteworthy achievements in 2005. Among them:

- The College of Law ranked among the top 30 public law schools in the United States; the environmental law program ranked 14th nationally and is considered one of the strongest in the Southeast.
- The School of Motion Picture, Television and Recording Arts was recognized by the Directors Guild of America for its distinguished contribution to American culture through film and television, joining fellow honorees Robert DeNiro, Jonathan Demme and other entertainment luminaries at the Fifth Annual DGA Honors. In addition, the school was honored with two Student Oscars and five Collegiate Television Academy Awards, more than those received by students from any other school in the history of the industry.
- The Askew School of Public Administration and Policy was identified as the fourth most productive in the country among public affairs schools, and ranked third most productive in terms of published works by graduate students.



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- The risk management/insurance program was named one of the most highly recognized programs in the nation, ranked in the top 10 by *U.S. News and World Report*.
- The College of Medicine, the first newly accredited allopathic medical school in more than 20 years, graduated its first class and matched all students to residencies.
- Several faculty members in the English department were recognized with awards, including the prestigious Mary McCarthy Prize in fiction, awarded to Paul Shephard; an O. Henry Award for Elizabeth Stuckey-French; the Gustave O. Arlt Award from the Council of Graduate Schools to Nancy Bradley Warren; and the National Magazine Award to Robert Olen Butler.

Florida State's arts programs — including dance, film, music and theater — rank among the finest in the world.

Students also have the opportunity to conduct research in specialized interdisciplinary centers, such as the National High Magnetic Field Laboratory, the Institute of Molecular Biophysics, and the School of Computational Science; to participate in interdisciplinary work across campus, such as efforts that integrate economics, geography, climate forecasting, law and other environmental courses and programs; and to work with faculty to forge new relationships among professions, including medicine, the physical sciences, engineering, business and law.

Students at Florida State are encouraged to participate in international education through the university's programs in England, Italy, Switzerland, France, Panama, China, Costa Rica, Spain, Russia, Vietnam, the Czech Republic, Greece, Croatia, Germany, Ireland and the Caribbean. The university's study sites in Valencia, Spain; Florence, Italy; London, England; and



the Republic of Panama are considered by many to be among the nation's best.

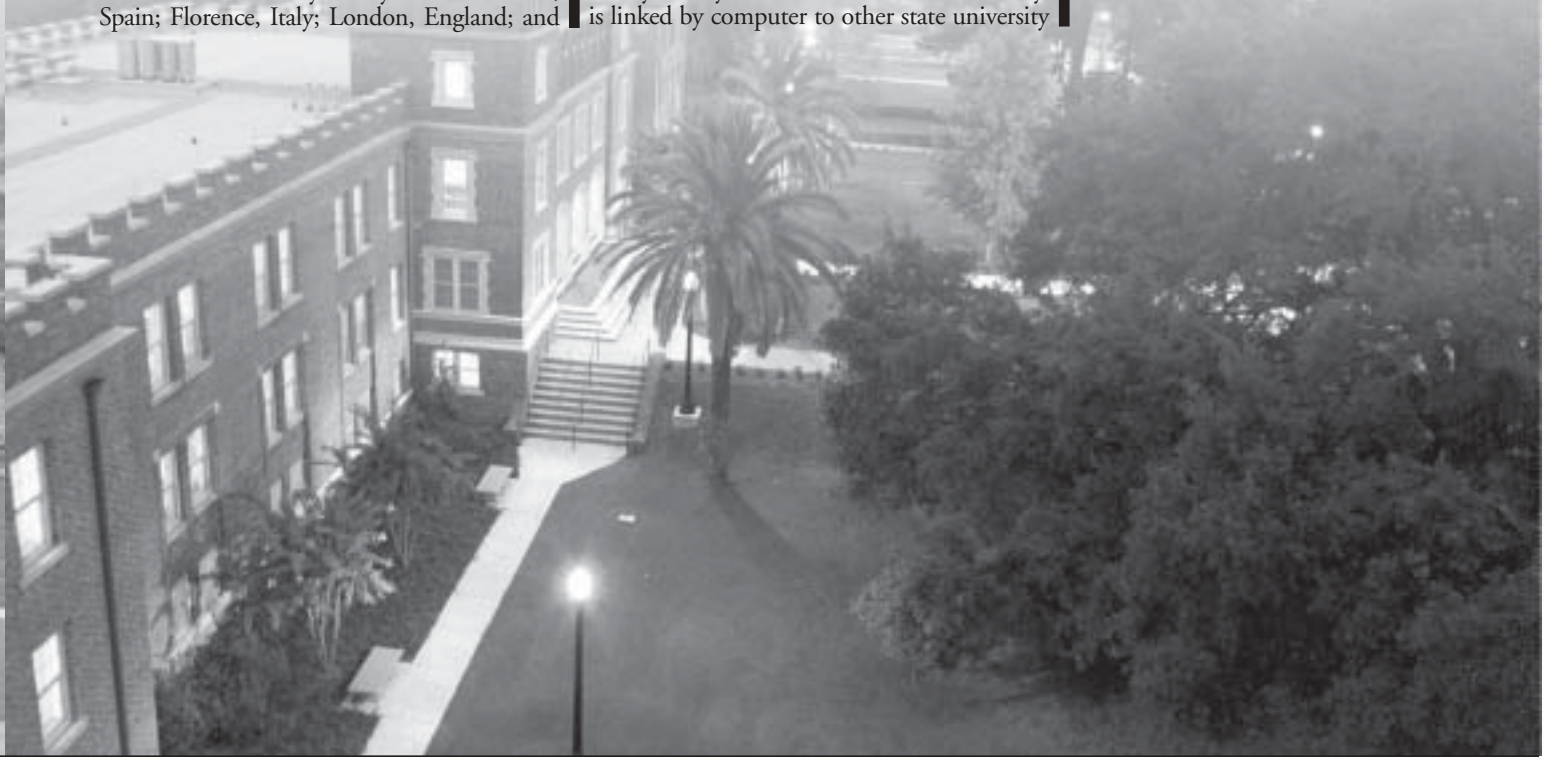
Florida State's main campus is spread over 450.5 acres in Tallahassee. Within the state, the university maintains facilities in Panama City, its Marine Laboratory at Turkey Point on the Gulf of Mexico, and the Asolo Performing Arts Center in Sarasota. In addition, the Center for Professional Development and Public Service, housed in the Augustus B. Turnbull III Florida Conference Center on the edge of campus, provides extensive credit and non-credit continuing education programs statewide.

Florida State also operates the Ringling Center for the Cultural Arts in Sarasota, which includes the John and Mable Ringling Museum of Art, the largest museum/university complex in the nation.

Library holdings at Florida State include 2.7 million book titles and 9.1 million microforms. The university's library holdings rank among the top 30 public research universities in the United States, according to 2003-2004 data. The main library facility, the Robert M. Strozier Library, is linked by computer to other state university



and national research libraries. Florida State also maintains science, music, library and information science, medicine, engineering and law libraries, as well as the Mildred and Claude Pepper Library, which houses the papers, photographs, audio recordings, video recordings and memorabilia of the longtime congressman from Florida. Library materials and services also are available at the university's Panama City campus, as well as at the international study centers, and a collection of art and related materials is on display at the John and Mable Ringling Museum of Art in Sarasota. Collectively, the Florida State libraries are a member of the Association of Research Libraries, an association of the top research university libraries in the United States.



UNIVERSITY QUICK FACTS

BACKGROUND: The Florida State University is one of eleven units of the Division of Colleges and Universities of the Florida Board of Education...It was established as the Seminary West of the Suwannee by an act of the Florida Legislature in 1851 and first offered instruction at the postsecondary level in 1857...Its Tallahassee campus has been the site of an institution of higher education longer than any other site in the state...In 1905, the Buckman Act reorganized higher education in the state and designated the Tallahassee school as the Florida Female College...In 1909, it was renamed Florida State College for Women...In 1947, the school returned to co-educational status, and the name was changed to The Florida State University...It has grown from an enrollment of 2,583 in 1946 to an enrollment of 38,886 in the Fall Semester 2004.

ENROLLMENT (FALL, 2004): Total, 38,886...77.1% undergrad, 19.2% grad, 3.6% unclassified...77.9% in-state...93.0% from the United States...students from all 50 states and the District of Columbia are in attendance...20 states contributed over 100 students each...23 foreign countries contributed over 25 students each...female, 56.7%...male, 43.3%...minority, 24.2%...international, 3.4%.

ACREAGE: Main Campus: 450.5 acres in Tallahassee, Leon County (main campus)...Panama City Branch: 25.6 acres in Panama City, Bay County...The university owns a total of 1,447.3 acres in Leon, Bay, Franklin, Sarasota, & Gadsden counties...Sites are leased in Marion and Leon counties in Florida, and other locations overseas.

COLLEGES/PROGRAMS: FSU has 17 major academic divisions: the Colleges of Arts and Sciences, Business, Communication, Education, Engineering, Human Sciences, Law, Medicine, and Social Science; and the Schools of Criminology and Criminal Justice, Motion Picture, Television, and Recording Arts, Information Studies, Music, Nursing, Social Work, Theatre, and Visual Arts and Dance.

OPERATING BUDGET (2004-05): \$918,184,056

DEGREE PROGRAMS: With 17 colleges and schools, students may take courses of study leading to the baccalaureate degree in 94 degree programs, to the master's degree in 107 degree programs, to the advanced master's degree in 1 program, to the specialist degree in 27 degree programs, to the doctorate degree in 73 degree programs, and to the professional degree in 2 degree programs.

DEGREES AWARDED FOR 2003-04: Bachelor, 6,578...Masters, 1,536...Doctorate, 271...Specialist, 57...Judge Doctorate, 208, Total, 8,650

ENTERING FRESHMAN FACTS (FALL, 2004): The middle 50 percent High School GPA, 3.4-4.1; SAT score 1070-1260, ACT score 22-27.

RETENTION RATE: First year, 100%...second year, 86.2%...third year, 75.7%...fourth year, 71.8%.

FACULTY/STAFF: Total 2,191...FSU's faculty includes some past graduates, such as former astronauts Dr. Norm Thagard, who teaches Electrical Engineering, and Winston Scott who serves as Vice President of Student Affairs...FSU's faculty has included six dynamic Nobel Laureates: 11 members elected to National Academy of Sciences...five members of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences.

EDUCATIONAL ADVANTAGES: Florida State University has a uniqueness in providing programs that are consistent in excellence across the board, from fine arts and humanities to the hard sciences...The balance of pro-

grams is based on FSU's long tradition as a leading liberal arts institution combined with its position as one of the top 10 universities in generating research-based revenues...FSU is the most wired campus in Florida, and was recently ranked 18th most connected university in the nation by Yahoo! Internet Life.

EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES ABROAD: FSU offers a variety of overseas study opportunities for students during the regular academic year. FSU has study centers located in Florence, Italy; Panama City, Republic of Panama; Valencia, Spain; and London, England. Courses at the study centers are offered each semester and cover a wide range of subject areas perfect for meeting general and liberal studies requirements. International Programs also offers study programs, some general and some major specific, in Paris, France; Leysin, Switzerland; San Jose, Costa Rica; Moscow, Russia; Prague, Czech Republic; Gerakina, Greece; Dubrovnik, Croatia; Dublin, Ireland; Tianjin, China; Barga, Italy; Valencia, Spain; London, England, and Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam. A summer Law program is offered in Oxford, England. There is one Linkage Institute (FLORICA) in Costa Rica, and there are Beyond Borders programs in Turrialba, Costa Rica; Kingston, Jamaica; and Dresden, Germany.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES: FSU has nearly 300 student organizations that allow students to find their own niche.

FINANCIAL AID: FSU offers two types of financial assistance: need-based and merit-based...Over \$160 million is given away for financial assistance each year.

STUDENT/FACULTY RATIO: 23-1... Many of the general education classes are large, lecture classes; however, over 70 percent of major classes have less than 40 students.

RESEARCH: The Florida State University has built a reputation as a strong research center in both the sciences and the humanities. It is expected that more than \$100 million in external funds will be generated this year by the university faculty and administration as supplements to state funds used for research. These external funds are in the form of contracts and grants from private foundations, industries, and government agencies, and are used to support research, improve research facilities, and provide stipends for graduate students.

SPONSORED RESEARCH (2003-04): \$182,694,659

LIBRARY HOLDINGS: The FSU Libraries include 8 libraries on campus: The Robert Manning Stroz Library, Paul A. M. Dirac Science Library, Mildred and Claude Pepper Library, Warren Allen Music Library, Harold Goldstein Library and Information Studies Library, College of Law Library, College of Medicine Medical Library, and the College of Engineering Library. Collections contain more than 2.7 million volumes, of which more than 243,000 are available electronically as e-books. The library subscribes to more than 38,000 current serials including academic journals, professional and trade journals, and major newspapers from around the country and the globe in both paper and electronic formats. The Libraries also subscribe to more than 290 databases, many of which are available for searching anytime or anyplace Internet is available.

10 Leading States of Origin

(Enrollment)

Florida	30,278
Georgia	962
Virginia	401
Texas	350
New York	311
Pennsylvania	270
North Carolina	261
New Jersey	226
Maryland	222
Alabama	216

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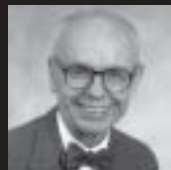
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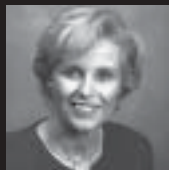
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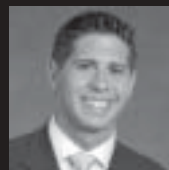
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