

State: Oregon (OR)

Capital City: Salem

Major Cities: Portland, Eugene, Salem, Gresham, Hillsboro, Beaverton, Bend, Medford, Springfield, Corvallis

Major Companies: Nike, Inc, Precision Castparts Corp, FLIR Systems Wilsonville, StanCorp Financial Group, Schnitzer Steel Industries, Portland General Electric

Major Sectors/Economy:

- Oregon is one of the most trade-dependent states in the nation
- Oregon ranks sixth among all states in terms of economic growth since 2001
- 20% of the manufacturing jobs in Oregon rely on exports which totalled \$19.4 billion

climate:

Oregon's climate is generally mild. The state has an oceanic climate west of the Cascade mountain range

University Eligibility and Fee:

University	Bachelors Eligibility	Bachelors Fee Range/yr	Masters Eligibility	Masters Fee Range/yr
Oregon State University	GPA – 3.6 SAT– 1170-1390 ACT – 26-31	\$28,365	GRE-315 GPA – 3.7/75% TOEFL -100/IELTS – 7.0	\$28,700
University of Oregon	GPA – 3.6 SAT– 1070-1310 ACT – 25-30	\$33,345	GRE-310 GPA – 3.6/70% TOEFL -92/IELTS – 6.5	\$31,328
Portland State University	GPA – 3.5 SAT– 1010-1250 ACT – 23-28	\$26,027	GRE-295 GPA – 3.6/70% TOEFL -92/IELTS – 6.5	\$22,524

University Key points:

University of Oregon	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Founded in 1876, the institution's 295-acre campus is along the Willamette River• UO offers 316 undergraduate and graduate degree programs• University of Oregon's ranking in the 2020 edition of Best Colleges is National Universities, #104• David Wineland, a 73-year-old Nobel laureate, will serve as Knight research fellow at UO's Department of Physics• The University of Oregon is one of just two schools in the Pacific Northwest selected for membership in the prestigious Association of American Universities, a consortium of 62 leading public and private research institutions in the United States and Canada
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Oregon University	State	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Founded: 1868 • University ranking was 251 in world & 91 in national • OSU is one of 73 land-grant universities in the United States • The Oregon Unification Bill was passed in 1929 by the Legislative Assembly, which placed the school under the oversight of the newly formed Oregon State Board of Higher Education • The National Sea Grant College Program was founded in the 1960s, OSU is one of the original four Sea Grant Colleges selected in 1971 • The National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences funds two research centers at Oregon State University • The Environmental Health Sciences Center has been funded continually since 1969 and the Superfund Research Center is a newer center that started funding in 2009
Portland University	state	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Founded: 1901 • Ranking: #2 in Regional Universities West • 18th best for undergraduate teaching, and 15th "Best Value School" in the Western region by U.S. News & World Report for 2020 • Alumni: our 39,773 Pilot alumni, 16,577 alumni live within 50 miles of campus • Endowment: \$140.2 million • At University of Portland, 59 percent of full-time undergraduates receive some kind of need-based financial aid, and the average need-based scholarship or grant award is \$25,587

