

DIVISION OF UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES

The FSU Division of Undergraduate Studies works to ensure that every undergraduate student receives a world-class education. Focused on student success, Undergraduate Studies provides a wide array of student-centered programs to prepare students for their major field of study, help them reach their full potential and propel them to a successful and satisfying future.



OFFICES AND PROGRAMS

- Academic Center for Excellence (ACE)
- Advising First
- Center for Academic Retention & Enhancement (CARE)
- Center for Undergraduate Research and Academic Engagement
- Transfer Student Services
- University Honors Program
- Living-Learning Communities
- National Fellowships
- Presidential Scholars Program
- Retention
- Student Athlete Academic Services
- Unconquered Scholars

RESEARCH & FELLOWSHIPS

609 Students conducting research with **262** faculty members, post-docs and advanced graduate students through the Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program

32 IDEA grants awarded to students to fund research, creative projects and the development or evaluation of new or existing ideas

500+ Students have won nationally competitive awards, including **3** Rhodes Scholarships, **5** Truman Scholarships, **180+** Fulbright Scholarships and **18** Goldwater Scholarships



ACADEMICS

96% First-year retention rate, one of the Top 10 in the nation

57,000+ Academic advising meetings for 2023–24 through Advising First

5,000+ Students helped every year through peer-assisted study sessions

95% First-year CARE (first-generation students from low-income households) student retention rate

91% Unconquered Scholars (students who have been in the foster care system, homeless or wards of the state) graduate, compared to **3%** nationally

450+ Students graduate with an honors medallion annually

4,758 Tutoring sessions for student-athletes in 2023–2024

\$12K Scholarships for educational enrichment opportunities provided to **60** presidential scholars annually

No. 1 Transfer student graduation rate in Florida

STUDENT SUCCESS

6 PILLARS OF STUDENT SUCCESS

- A success team for every student
- Enhanced teaching support
- Learning communities
- College-to-career
- Leadership and professional development
- Experiential and global learning

1,600+ Students served by CARE every year

120+ Unconquered Scholars

10 Living-Learning Communities for first-year students

76% Four-year graduation rate, which places FSU among the **TOP 10** public universities

59 Freshman Interest Groups in areas including business, engineering, pre-law, pre-med and assorted STEM fields



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Student success begins with Undergraduate Studies.



PHILANTHROPIC INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES

The dean's fundraising priorities include:

- ⇒ Investing in students who are either the first in their family to attend college and/or come from a low-income household through the **CARE (Center for Academic Retention and Enhancement)** program—thirty percent of all FSU students fit this category
- ⇒ Making the **Honors Program** more robust so high-achieving students will choose FSU and stay in Florida—support includes scholarships, programming, faculty assistance and unique experiential learning opportunities
- ⇒ Bolstering **experiential learning opportunities** for all students to give them real-world learning experiences that lead to post-graduation success
- ⇒ Strengthening **student success programs** and related community-building activities through special programs, including Transfer Student Services, coaching, advising, Living-Learning Communities, Freshman Interest Groups and many others

ENGAGEMENT

Your involvement is vital to the future of FSU. You connect us to our past, create a vibrant path filled with opportunities for current students and influence future generations. We invite you to host students for on-site job shadows and internships, lead Zoom chats with students about your career and participate in webinars and other virtual alumni panels.

Learn more about getting involved at
UNDERGRAD.FSU.EDU

IMPACT

Private philanthropic support from individuals, foundations and corporations allows FSU to recruit and retain the best students from all backgrounds and offer them a world-class education.

Impact on Programs, Students and Faculty

Enhanced programming supports FSU's academic excellence and national status, helping to attract the best and brightest young scholars and appeal to renowned educators.

Your Impact

Whether your gift is annual, endowed or planned—it helps propel Florida State to a legacy of preeminence.

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YOUR SUPPORT PROVIDES



Student success initiatives that benefit every undergraduate student on campus



Funding for experiential learning opportunities that transform the student experience



Recruitment and retention of top students, including first-generation college students and students from low-income households



Resources for students to conduct real-world research that expands the canon of knowledge and allows them to explore their passions

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