STUDENT PROFILE

ENROLLMENT:
9,084 students from 47 states and 48 foreign countries
• Male/Female: 46/54 percent
• Average SAT score for first-time freshmen: 1,013
• Average high school GPA for first-time freshmen: 3.34

South Carolina residents
• First-time freshmen: 45 percent
• All undergraduate: 52 percent

Out-of-state residents
• First-time freshmen: 55 percent
• All undergraduate: 48 percent

FACULTY
• Full-time faculty members: 355
• Faculty with doctoral or terminal degrees: 79 percent
• Full-time staff: 672
• Student employees: more than 800

CAMPUS
The University comprises 72 main buildings on 630 acres including the Coastal Science Center and the Burroughs & Chapin Center for Marine and Wetland Studies, located on the East Campus at the Atlantic Center on U.S. 501, and The General James Hackler Golf Course at Coastal Carolina University, a public 18-hole golf facility located adjacent to the campus. The University also offers courses at the Waccamaw Center for Higher Education in Litchfield and the Myrtle Beach Education Center. Waties Island, 1,062 acres of pristine barrier island on the Atlantic coast, provides a natural laboratory for extensive study in marine science and wetlands biology.

ATHLETICS
NCAA Division I / Big South
Women’s intercollegiate teams:
basketball, cross country, golf, indoor track and field, soccer, softball, tennis, outdoor track and field, volleyball, women’s lacrosse

Men’s intercollegiate teams:
baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, soccer, tennis, outdoor track and field

Our mascot is the Chanticleer, the crafty, quick-thinking rooster from Chaucer’s Canterbury Tales.

BACCALAUREATE PROGRAMS
Accounting *
• CPA Concentration
Art Studio
Biochemistry
Biology
• Cell/Molecular Bio, and Genetics
• Ecology, Evolution, and Conservation
Integrative Biology
Chemistry
Communication
Computer Science
Dramatic Arts
Early Childhood Education
Economics *
Elementary Education
English
Exercise and Sport Science
Finance *
• Financial Management
• Financial Services
• Wealth Management
Graphic Design
Health Administration
• (Transfer Completion Program)
Health Promotion
History
Information Systems
Interdisciplinary Studies
Management *
Marine Science
Marketing *
Mathematics (Applied)
Middle Level Education
Music
• General Studies
• Performance
• Teacher Preparation
Musical Theatre
Nursing
• (Transfer Completion Program)
Philosophy
Physical Education/Teacher Education
Physics (Applied)
Political Science
Psychology
Recreation and Sport Management
Resort Tourism Management *
Sociology
• Generalist
• Criminology
• Health and Aging
• Social Justice
Spanish
Special Education – Learning Disabilities
Theatre Arts
• Acting
• Design and Technology
• Physical Theatre

* PGA Golf Management (PGM) specialization is available for all business majors.

GRADUATE PROGRAMS
Master of Accountancy (MAcc)
Master of Arts in Teaching
• Art (PK-12)
• English (9-12)
• Mathematics (9-12)
• Music (PK-12)
• Science (9-12)
• Social Studies (9-12)
Master of Arts in Writing
Master of Business Administration
Master of Education in Educational Leadership
Master of Education in Learning and Teaching
• Early and Elementary Grades
• Instructional Technology
• Literacy
Master of Science in Coastal Marine and Wetland Studies

FINANCES
TUITION, HOUSING/MEALS
(2011-2012)
• In-state tuition: $9,760 per year
• Out-of-state tuition: $21,560 per year
• Housing/Meals: $7,050 - $9,550 per year

BUDGET
• Total Budget: $159 million
• State appropriations: less than 5.4 percent of total revenue
• Economic impact:
  • More than $255 million

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