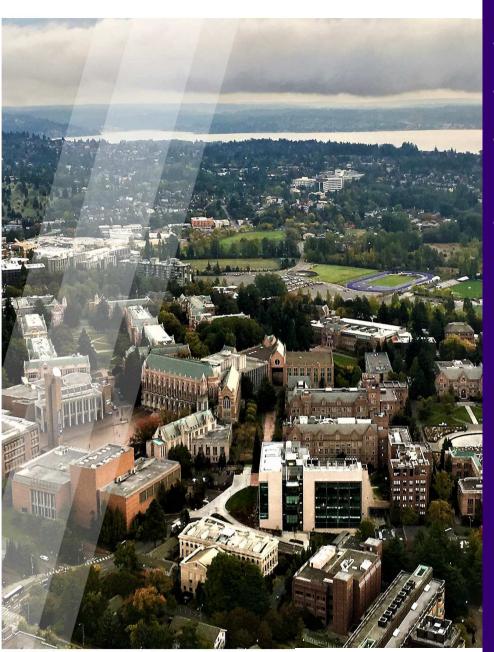# UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

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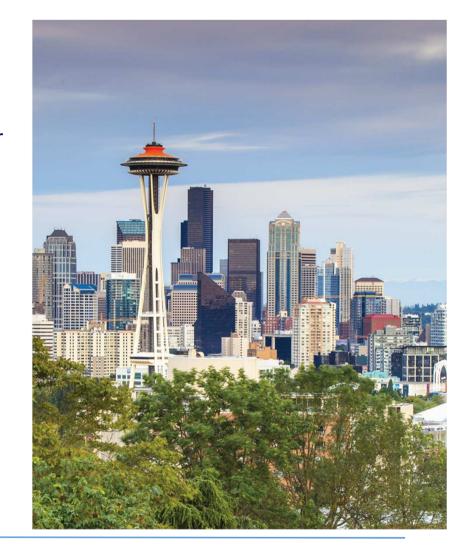
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Quick Facts:

- Seattle, WA

- 46,686 students (68% undergrads)

- 280+ companies started by UW faculty and students

- 180+ academic majors & programs
Computer Science & Engineering
College of Engineering
School of Business
Arts & Sciences –
    ACMS, Math, Statistics
    Biology, Biochemisty, Physics
    Economics, Political Economy
    Environmental Studies
    Public & Environmental Health
    Communications, Journalism
    Psychology, Sociology

OUR CITY: SEATTLE

- UW campus located 6.8 km from city center

- Seattle Metro – over 3.8 million people

- Over 200 miles of shoreline

- 400 city parks

- Average temperatures in Seattle
  - January 8C
  - April 14C
  - July 24C
  - October 16C

TECH	MEDICINE & RESEARCH	GOVERNMENT	RETAIL/MFG
Microsoft	Swedish Medical Center	City of Seattle	Boeing
Amazon	Seattle Children's Hospital	King County, WA	Starbucks
T-Mobile	Providence Health & Services	State of Washington	Nordstrom
Google	Fred Hutch Cancer Research	Seattle Public Schools	Windermere
Intel	UW Medicine		

TOP 10 COUNTRIES

- CANADA
- CHINA
- HONG KONG
- INDIA
- INDONESIA
- JAPAN
- MALAYSIA
- SOUTH KOREA
- TAIWAN
- THAILAND

LIVING ON CAMPUS

- More than 2/3 of freshmen live on campus

- 40+ dining options, including vegetarian, vegan, Halal, gluten-free, and an allergen-free kitchen

- Living/Learning communities

- Fully furnished, apartment-style rooms with high-speed internet & cable TV service provided

- New, modern dorms

#1   **MOST INNOVATIVE PUBLIC UNIVERSITY IN THE U.S. (#7 in the world)**
Reuters, 2017

#4   **AMONG U.S. PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS**
Times Higher Education World University Rankings, 2018

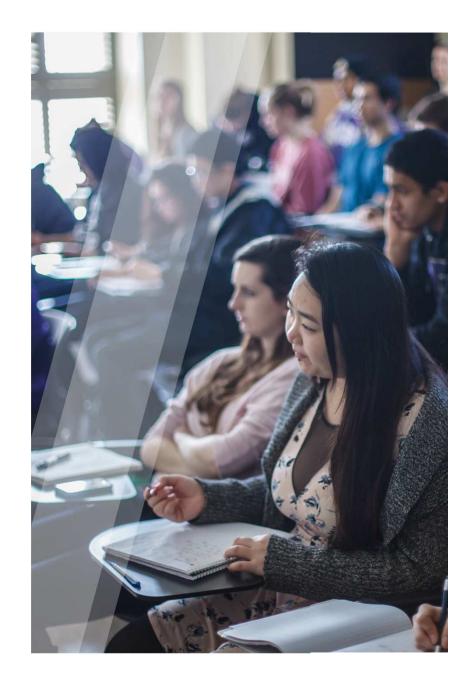**#1**   **Best Metro Area for STEM Professionals**
WalletHub, 2018

#6   **Best Place to Live in the U.S.**
U.S. News & World Report, 2017

PATHWAYS TO A MAJOR

- **PRE-MAJOR**
- **DIRECT TO MAJOR**
- **DIRECT TO COLLEGE**

COLLEGE ACADEMIC DISTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS (CADR)

SUBJECT	YEARS REQUIRED
Composition/Literature	4
Mathematics	3
Social Sciences/Social Studies	3
World Languages	2
Lab Science	2
Senior-Year Math-Based Quantitative Course	1
Fine, Visual, or Performing Arts	0.5

HOLISTIC REVIEW

Applicants are more than grades and test scores. Our holistic review considers all aspects of an applicant and is made up of two parts.

- Academic preparation & performance

- Personal achievements & characteristics

ACADEMIC PREPARATION & PERFORMANCE

- Strong level of academic achievement

- Strong curriculum

- Strong final year of high school

- Positive grade trend

- GPA in context (IB/AP/A-Levels)

- TOEFL/IELTS scores
  (SAT/ACT optional, recommended
  for STEM fields)

PERSONAL ACHIEVEMENTS CHARACTERISTICS

- Community service + leadership
- Community Service & Volunteer experiences
- Significant responsibility
- Significant personal adversity
- Cultural awareness or unique perspectives / experiences

ADMISSION BY THE NUMBERS

AUTUMN 2018

ALL APPLICANTS

45,842 applied

22,207 admitted

7,050 enrolled*

INTERNATIONAL

9,909 applied

3,654 admitted

1,100 enrolled*

* expected

ADMITTED INTERNATIONAL FRESHMAN PROFILE

3.84   High school GPA on a 4.0 scale

95   High school GPA on a 100-point scale

104   TOEFL

650   SAT Evidenced-Based Reading & Writing
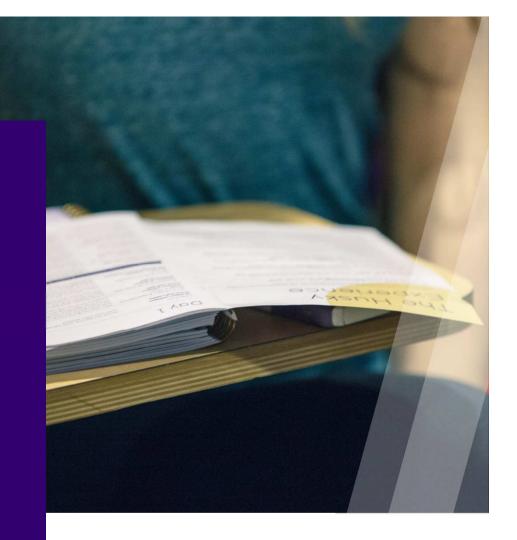
762   SAT Math

30   ACT Composite

33   ACT Math

Average, Autumn 2018

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

• Coalition Application

• UW Questions

• Application fee

• Test scores

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THE COALITION

KEY DATES: APPLICATION

SEPTEMBER 1
Application opens

NOVEMBER 15
Application deadline

DECEMBER 31
Test scores deadline

KEY DATES: DECISION

MARCH 1-15   Decision notification

MAY 1   Deadline to confirm acceptance

COST OF ATTENDANCE (2018-19)

INTERNATIONAL and U.S. NON-RESIDENTS

Academic Expenses

Fulltime Tuition & Mandatory Fees $36,587

Living Expenses

Housing & Food, Insurance, Transportation, etc. $16,431

TOTAL   **$53,018**

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THANK YOU

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