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We offer
more than
2,000
courses
each year.

8:1
student-to-
faculty ratio

From the moment you arrive on campus, you will progress along a path shaped by the value (and values) that you gain at Lawrence. **With one professor for every eight students**, you will have more opportunities for meaningful work with your professors and more high-impact learning experiences than at any other college in the country.

Between your initial *First-Year Studies* courses—a shared, foundational experience in which you expand and deepen your critical thinking, writing, and speaking skills—and the *Chandler Senior Experience* that you will design to showcase your original scholarly or artistic work, you will have multiple chances to undertake *Engaged Learning*—learning by doing—through independent study, Lawrence Scholars internships, and Lawrence University Research Fellowships.

Proven to *prepare you* for your entire life after graduation

Distinctive programs and opportunities like *First-Year Studies*, *Lawrence University Research Experience*, and the *Chandler Senior Experience* guarantee a **lifetime of returns**.



THAT'S WHY 99% OF
LAWRENCE STUDENTS ARE
EMPLOYED OR CONTINUING
THEIR EDUCATION WITHIN SIX
MONTHS AFTER GRADUATION.

Lawrence continues to be recognized as an "Impact School" in the Princeton Review's *Colleges That Pay You Back* rankings; Lawrence alumni consistently report—at a rate that outpaces their peers—that they are pursuing meaningful careers and that their work makes a difference.

Those same graduates generously give back to Lawrence at one of the highest rates in the country because they value the education they received as Lawrentians. Their generosity has enabled Lawrence to build a \$487-million endowment and, in turn, to empower incoming students, like yourself, to:

foster intellectual excellence and integrity;
cultivate knowledge and sound judgment;
engage deeply with the world;
grow as students and citizens.

We believe that students who wish to invest in the lifetime of benefits that extend from these values should have the opportunity to do so, regardless of their financial circumstances.



You'll gain **PRODUCTIVE EXPERIENCE**

Your investment in a Lawrence education is also an invitation to explore global perspectives through meaningful off-campus experiences like:

- **INTERNSHIPS** in Chicago
- **NETWORKING TRIPS** to Silicon Valley
- **STUDY ABROAD OPPORTUNITIES** in China, Sierra Leone, or at our very own Lawrence London Centre

Plus, your work, travel, and internship experiences put you in contact with students, faculty, staff, and other professionals from many backgrounds. Respect for those differences within an inclusive community creates an ideal opportunity for learning and essential preparation for a diverse world.

Where you learn—and who you learn with—will impact how you interact with the world. Lawrentians come from all over to take advantage of the **hand-crafted experience** that we offer.

A LAWRENCE EDUCATION IS *a commitment to your future*

Investing in your education is one of the smartest, most valuable investments you can make, and one of the few financial investments that will provide you with continuous benefits throughout your lifetime.

Many students finance their college experience with the help of student loans, and doing so requires careful planning. Our team will work with you before you enroll—and throughout your time at Lawrence—to help you understand the process, borrow responsibly, and plan for your life after college with a variety of responsible repayment options.

Other Lawrentians gain further experience through both on- and off-campus work opportunities. Appleton, with its thriving hospitality and arts industries, offers students many choices for work. Lawrentians who do work typically average about 15 hours per week.

Navigating the details of financial aid may feel a bit overwhelming at first. We understand: that's why our team is available and ready to help you every step of the way. To learn more about financial planning options, visit lawrence.edu/afford.



LAWRENCE
UNIVERSITY
APPLETON, WISCONSIN

**BRILLIANT
MOVE.**

A network of **SUPPORT**

We offer abundant resources to help you thrive at Lawrence while you prepare for your life after graduation:

ACADEMIC ADVISORS—Lawrence faculty members—will connect with you individually the summer before you arrive to help you to start thinking about what you want your academic and co-curricular life to be like at Lawrence, and how to arrive on campus ready to go from day one.

THE CENTER FOR ACADEMIC SUCCESS offers wide-ranging, holistic services that include: one-on-one academic skills building (e.g., study skills, learning strategies, goal-setting, time management, growth mindset) as well as a suite of free tutoring and course support.

THE CAREER CENTER offers a comprehensive four-year program that connects academic planning with career exploration.

WE OFFER A COMPREHENSIVE APPROACH TO YOUR MENTAL AND PHYSICAL WELLNESS AT LAWRENCE, including safe and confidential medical and counseling services, as well as health and recreation services.

THE JULIE ESCH HURVIS DEAN OF SPIRITUAL & RELIGIOUS LIFE helps all members of the Lawrence community from all faiths, beliefs, and religious traditions explore questions of meaning, purpose, and connection.

AN ENGAGED AND ACTIVE ALUMNI NETWORK connects with you throughout your time at Lawrence, offering internships, shadowing opportunities, advice, and an instant worldwide community that will welcome you after you graduate.

Visit [lawrence.edu/connect](https://www.lawrence.edu/connect) to learn more.