

Campus Ministry Profile:
University of Maine-Augusta
Augusta, Maine

Summary: The University of Maine-Augusta is part of the multi-campus University of Maine system. It is a commuter school located in the state capital with a focus on career-oriented programs and a heavy involvement in online education. Augusta is about 30 miles from the Atlantic coast of Maine in the north central part of the state.



University of Maine-Augusta

source: www.umabookstore.com

Basic Facts

Founding: 1965

Control: public

Location: suburban

Enrollment:

Undergraduate: 5202

Graduate: n/a

Selectivity:

Applications, 2008: 661

Acceptances, 2008: 643

Enrolled, 2008: 548

Tuition & Financial Aid:

In-state tuition: \$6495

Out-of-state tuition: \$14,595

Students receiving financial aid: 71%

Average award: \$6538

Academics:

Median SAT: not reported

Students in top 10% of HS class: n/a

Total Majors: 15 BA/15 AA

Graduate programs: n/a

Introduction to Augusta

Population: 18,367 (2007)

Median Household Income: \$36,164 (2007)

Median House/Condo Value: \$134,203 (2007)

Cost of Living, (US average = 100): 90.3 (2008)

Unemployment Rate: 7.2% (April, 2009)

Racial Breakdown

White, non-Hispanic 96.2%

Asian 1.4%

Hispanic 0.9%

Black 0.5%

Largest Employers

State of Maine 14144

Maine General Medical Center 3600

Central Maine Power Co. 1388

Local Attractions:

Maine State House; Maine State Museum

Nearest Major Cities:

Portland (57 miles SW); Boston (166 miles SW)

Nearest Hospital: Maine General Med. Ctr. (Augusta)

Local Newspaper: Augusta Kennebec Journal

Campus Newspaper: *The Crazy Moose*

Average January Low Temperature: 10.5°

Average July High Temperature: 80.5°

Average Annual Precipitation: 42.3 inches

Average Annual Snowfall: 69 inches

Introduction to Campus Life

Students living on campus: none

Racial Composition of Student Body:

White, non-Hispanic 91%

American Indian 3%

Black 2%

Asian 2%

Male/Female student ratio: 34:66

Student/faculty ratio: 17:1

Most Popular Majors:

Health Professions 31%

Business/Marketing 21%

Liberal Arts 12%

Sports: 5 USCAA teams (Moose)

Christian Campus Ministries:

Reformed University Fellowship? *NO*

Campus Crusade for Christ? *YES*

Interarsity Christian Fellowship? *NO*

Other: none

Selected Local Churches:

South Parish Congregational Church (UCC)

Church Hill Baptist Ch. (indep., fund.)

St. Michael Parish (3 Rom. Cath. churches)

Nearest PCA/OPC Churches:

Free Grace Pres. (PCA), Lewiston (35 miles)

Merrymeeting Bay (OPC), Brunswick (37 mi.)