Institutional Characteristics 2009-10

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Part A - Educational Offerings

1. Which of the following types of instruction/programs are offered by your institution? [Check one or more]

If your institution does not offer occupational, academic or continuing professional programs, you are not expected to complete this or any other IPEDS survey.

- ☐ <u>Occupational</u>, may lead to a certificate, degree, or other formal award
- ☑ <u>Academic</u>, leading to a certificate, degree, or diploma
- ☑ <u>Continuing professional</u> (postbaccalaureate only)
- ☑ Recreational or <u>avocational (leisure) programs</u>
- ☐ <u>Adult basic</u> or remedial instruction or high school equivalency
- ☐ Secondary (high school)

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Part A - Mission Statement

2. Provide the institution's mission statement *or* a web address (URL) where the mission statement can be found. Typed statements are limited to 2,000 characters or less. The mission statement will be available to the public on College Navigator.

Mission
Statement URL: www.uni.edu/pres/2004-2009strategicplan/

Mission Statement

Part B - Organization - Control and Level

1. What is your institutional control or affiliation?

◉ <u>Public</u> - Specify

    Primary control   Secondary control (if applicable)

    | State | | Select One |

○ <u>Private for-profit</u>

○ <u>Private not-for-profit</u> independent (no religious affiliation)

○ Private not-for-profit religious affiliation - Specify

    | Select One |

2. What award levels are offered by your institution? [Check all that apply]

Award Level

BELOW THE BACCALAUREATE:

1 ☐ <u>Postsecondary award, certificate, or diploma of **less than one academic year**</u>
- less than 900 contact or clock hours, or
- less than 30 semester or trimester credit hours, or
- less than 45 quarter credit hours

2 ☐ <u>Postsecondary award, certificate, or diploma of **at least one but less than two academic years**</u>
- at least 900 but less than 1800 contact or clock hours, or
- at least 30 but less than 60 semester or trimester credit hours, or
- at least 45 but less than 90 quarter credit hours

3 ☐ <u>Associate's degree</u>

4 ☐ <u>Postsecondary award, certificate, or diploma of **at least two but less than four academic years**</u>
- 1800 or more contact or clock hours, or
- 60 or more semester or trimester credit hours, or
- 90 or more quarter credit hours

BACCALAUREATE AND ABOVE:

5 ☑ <u>Bachelor's degree</u> or equivalent

6 ☐ <u>Postbaccalaureate certificate</u>

7 ☑ <u>Master's degree</u>

8 ☐ <u>Post-master's certificate</u>

17 ☐ <u>Doctor's degree - research/scholarship</u>

18 ☐ <u>Doctor's degree - professional practice</u>

19 ☑ <u>Doctor's degree - Other</u>

12 ☐ Other (specify in box below)

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Part B - Organization - Calendar System

Your response to the next question determines how your institution reports Graduation Rates data in the Spring and how you report student charges in Part D of this survey.

If the calendar system differs from prior year or requires a change, please contact the Help Desk at 1-877-225-2568.

3. What is the predominant <u>calendar system</u> at the institution? [Choose one]

Standard academic terms

*Checking **Semester, Quarter, Trimester, or 4-1-4** determines that your institution will provide Graduation Rates data based on a <u>FALL COHORT</u> and student charges data for a <u>FULL ACADEMIC YEAR</u>.*

*Checking **Other academic calendar** determines that your institution will provide Graduation Rates data based on a <u>FULL YEAR COHORT</u> and student charges data for a <u>FULL ACADEMIC YEAR</u>.*

- ⦿ Semester
- ◯ Quarter
- ◯ Trimester
- ◯ 4-1-4 or similar plan
- ◯ Other academic calendar

Other calendar system

Checking one of the following determines that your institution will provide Graduation Rates data based on a <u>FULL YEAR COHORT</u> and student charges data by PROGRAM.

- ◯ Differs by program
- ◯ Continuous basis (every 2 weeks, monthly, or other period)

Part B - Organization - Student Enrollment

4. Does your institution enroll any of the following types of students?

Include all levels offered by your institution, even if there are no students currently enrolled at that level.

*Responses to this question determine which screens will be generated for reporting academic year tuition charges, and for reporting Fall Enrollment during the spring collection. Additionally, checking **Yes** for full-time, first-time, degree/certificate-seeking undergraduate students determines that your institution must report pricing data (on the IC survey) and Student Financial Aid data (in the spring collection) for this cohort.*

	Full-time			**Part-time**		
Undergraduate (academic or occupational programs)	○	No	● Yes	○	No	● Yes
First-time, degree/certificate-seeking undergraduate	○	No	● Yes	○	No	● Yes
Graduate	○	No	● Yes	○	No	● Yes

Estimated 2009 Fall Enrollment

Provide an early estimate of the institution's fall enrollment for all levels offered (levels should match those indicated 'Yes' above). Estimates should be based on the definitions used in the IPEDS Fall Enrollment component submitted during the spring collection. Prior year (PY) Fall Enrollment counts are provided for reference. These data will NOT appear in College Navigator, but will be made available via the IPEDS Data Center.

	Full-time	**FT PY Enroll-ment**	**Part-time**	**PT PY Enroll-ment**	**Total**
Undergraduate (academic or occupational programs)	10,279	**9,987**	1,015	**1,099**	11,294
Of undergraduates, those who are first-time, degree/certificate-seeking students	1,921	**1,986**	25	**29**	1,946
Graduate	781	**655**	1,005	**1,257**	1,786

5. For Fall 2003, did your institution have any <u>full-time</u> <u>first-time</u> degree/certificate-seeking students enrolled in programs at the baccalaureate level or below?

*If you answer **Yes** to this question, you will be required to provide Graduation Rates data for the 2003-04 cohort in the spring collection. If you answer **No** to this question, indicate the reason you are not required to report Graduation Rates for the cohort year requested.*

If you reported any full-time, first-time degree/certificate-seeking undergraduates on the 2003-04 Enrollment survey, the data will be preloaded below.

○ No

☐ This institution did not enroll full-time, first-time (undergraduate) students.

☐ This institution did not offer programs at or below the baccalaureate level.

☐ This institution was not in operation in 2003-04.

● Yes

Full-time, first-time degree/certificate-seeking students from 2003-04 Enrollment survey (GRS <u>Cohort</u>)   **1,743**

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Part B - Organization - System Name

6. System, Governing Board or Corporate Structure (please see instructions for reporting System or Corporate data).

Note: Do NOT indicate a religious affiliation here. That information is collected separately and differs from system name.

If you need assistance or need to make changes, contact the Help Desk at 1-877-225-2568. You will not be able to lock your submission if this question is blank.

○   This institution is NOT a part of a system or corporate entity.

◉   This institution is a part of a system or corporate entity.

Specify name of the system or corporate entity.

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Part C - Admission Requirements and Services - Open Admission

1. Does your institution have an <u>open admission policy</u> for all or most entering <u>first-time</u> Enrollment as of the institution's <u>official fall reporting date</u> or as of October 15, 2009 students?

*If you answer **No** to this question you will be expected to answer additional questions regarding your admissions procedures such as admissions requirements (test scores, portfolio, etc.), numbers of applicants and admissions, and test scores. If you answer **Yes** to this question, you will not provide this information.*

Note: If the only requirement for admission is a high school diploma, your institution is still considered open admission.

   ◯   Yes

   ◉   No

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Part C - Admission Requirements and Services - Admission Considerations

2. Please select the option that best describes how your institution uses any of the following data in its undergraduate selection process.

Admission Considerations	Required	Recommended	Neither Required nor Recommended	Don't Know
Secondary school GPA	●	○	○	○
Secondary school rank	●	○	○	○
Secondary school record	●	○	○	○
Completion of college-preparatory program	●	○	○	○
Recommendations	○	○	●	○
Formal demonstration of competencies (e.g., portfolios, certificates of mastery, assessment instruments)	○	○	●	○
Admission test scores				
SAT / ACT	●	○	○	○
Other Test (Wonderlic, WISC-III, etc.)	○	○	●	○
TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language)	●	○	○	○

Part C - Admission Requirements and Services - Selection Process

3. Provide the number of <u>first-time</u>, <u>degree/certificate-seeking</u> undergraduate students who applied, who were admitted, and who enrolled (either full- or part-time) at your institution for the most recent Fall period available. Include <u>early decision</u>, <u>early action</u>, and students who began studies during the summer prior to the selected fall reporting period.

Select reporting period: ◯ **Fall 2008** ◉ **Fall 2009**

	Men	Women	Total
Number of <u>applicants</u>	1,683	2,450	4,133
Number of <u>admissions</u>	1,379	2,126	3,505
Number (of admitted) that enrolled <u>full-time</u>	721	1,200	1,921
Number (of admitted) that enrolled <u>part-time</u>	16	9	25

4. If test scores are required for admission for first-time, degree/certificate-seeking undergraduate students, provide the number and percentage of *enrolled* students submitting SAT and/or ACT scores, as well as the 25th and 75th percentile scores for each test. Provide writing test scores *only* if used for admission. DO NOT convert test scores (e.g., do not convert an SAT score to an ACT scale, etc.). If you have numbers for both SAT and ACT scores, provide the percentiles for both tests. Provide data for the most recent group of *enrolled* students for whom data are available. Include new students admitted the summer prior to the selected fall reporting period.

Select reporting period	◯ **Fall 2008**	◉ **Fall 2009**	◯ **Test scores NOT required**
Number submitting <u>SAT</u> scores			26
Percent submitting SAT scores			1
Number submitting <u>ACT</u> scores			1,914
Percent submitting ACT scores			99

	25th Percentile	**75th Percentile**
SAT Critical Reading	440	610
SAT Math	470	660
SAT Writing		
ACT Composite	21	26
ACT English	20	26
ACT Math	20	26
ACT Writing		

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This confirms it is correct that SAT Writing has no
data entered and, therefore, there are no percentages
applicable.
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Part C - Admission Requirements and Services - Special Learning Opportunities

5. Does your institution accept any of the following? [Check all that apply]

- ☑ <u>Dual credit</u> (college credit earned while in high school)
- ☐ <u>Credit for life experiences</u>
- ☑ <u>Advanced placement (AP) credits</u>
- ☐ None of the above

6. What types of special learning opportunities are offered by your institution? [Check all that apply]

- ☑ <u>Distance learning opportunities (e-learning)</u>
- ☑ ROTC
  - ☑ Army   ☐ Navy   ☐ Air Force
- ☑ <u>Study abroad</u>
- ☐ <u>Weekend/evening college</u>
- ☑ <u>Teacher certification</u> (below the postsecondary level)
  - ☑ Students can complete their preparation in certain areas of specialization
  - ☐ Students must complete their preparation at another institution for certain areas of specialization
  - ☑ This institution is approved by the state for the initial certification or licensure of teachers
- ☐ None of the above

Part C - Admission Requirements and Services - Student Services

7. If your institution grants a bachelor's degree or higher but does not offer a full 4-year program of study at the undergraduate level, how many years of completed college-level work are required for entrance?

Number of years   Select One ▮

8. Which of the following selected student services are offered by your institution? [Check all that apply]

- ☑ Remedial services
- ☑ Academic/career counseling services
- ☑ Employment services for current students
- ☑ Placement services for program completers
- ☑ On-campus day care for children of students
- ☐ None of the above

9. Does your institution have its own library or are you financially supporting a shared library with another postsecondary education institution?

- ◉ Have our own library
- ○ Do not have our own library but contribute financial support to a shared library
- ○ Neither of the above

10. Indicate whether or not any of the following alternative tuition plans are offered by your institution.

- ○ No
- ◉ Yes

  - ☐ Tuition guarantee
  - ☐ Prepaid tuition plan
  - ☑ Tuition payment plan
  - ☐ Other (specify in box below)

Please indicate the percentage of all undergraduates enrolled during fall 2008 who were formally registered as students with disabilities with the institution's office of disability services (or the equivalent office):

- ◉ 3 percent or less
- ○ More than 3 percent: [   ] %

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Tuition payment plan for semester charges within a
specific semester.
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Part D – Student Charges Questions

3. Are all <u>full-time</u>, <u>first-time</u> degree/certificate-seeking students required to live on campus or in institutionally-controlled housing?

*If you answer **Yes** to this question, you will not be asked to report off-campus room and board in the price of attendance (D13).*

- ◉ No
- ○ Yes

4. Does your institution charge different <u>tuition</u> for <u>in-district</u>, <u>in-state</u>, or <u>out-of-state</u> students?

*If you answer **Yes** to this question, you will be expected to report tuition amounts for in-district, in-state, and out-of-state students.*

- ○ No
- ◉ Yes

5. Does your institution offer institutionally-controlled housing (either on or off campus)?

*If you answer **Yes** to this question, you will be expected to specify a housing capacity, and to report a room charge or a combined room and board charge (D12 and D13).*

- ○ No
- ◉ Yes

    Specify <u>housing capacity</u> for academic year 2009-10

    | 4,974 |

6. Do you offer <u>board</u> or meal plans to your students?

*If you answer **Yes** to this question, you will be expected to report a board charge or combined room and board charge (D12 and D13).*

- ○ No
- ○ Yes - Enter the number of meals per week in the maximum meal plan available

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- ◉ Yes - Number of meals per week can vary (e.g., students' charge meals against a meal card)

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Part D – Undergraduate Student Charges

If the institution charges an application fee, indicate the amount.

	Amount	Prior year
Undergraduate application fee	50	**40**

7. Charges to full-time undergraduate students for the full academic year 2009-10

	In-district	Prior year	In-state	Prior year	Out-of-state	Prior year
All full-time undergraduates						
Average tuition	5,756	**5,524**	5,756	**5,524**	14,020	**13,744**
Required fees	880	**852**	880	**852**	880	**852**

8. Per credit hour charge for part-time undergraduate students

	In-district	Prior year	In-state	Prior year	Out-of-state	Prior year
Per credit hour charge	240	**231**	240	**231**	585	**573**

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Part D – Graduate Student Charges

If the institution charges an application fee, indicate the amount.

	Amount	**Prior year**
Graduate application fee	50	**40**

Please, do not include tuition for Doctor's Degree - Professional Practice programs.

9. Charges to full-time graduate students for the full academic year 2009-10

	In-district	**Prior year**	**In-state**	**Prior year**	**Out-of-state**	**Prior year**
Average tuition	6,716	**6,446**	6,716	**6,446**	15,172	**14,874**
Required fees	880	**852**	880	**852**	880	**852**

10. Per credit hour charge for part-time graduate students

	In-district	**Prior year**	**In-state**	**Prior year**	**Out-of-state**	**Prior year**
Per credit hour charge	374	**359**	374	**359**	843	**827**

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Part D – Student Charges – Room and Board

12. What are the typical <u>room</u> and <u>board charges</u> for a student for the full academic year 2009-10?

If your institution offers room or board at no charge to students, enter zero.

<u>Room</u> and <u>board charges</u>	**Amount**	**Prior year**
Room charge (Double occupancy)	3,315	**3,230**
Board charge (Maximum plan)	3,645	**3,560**
Combined room and board charge (Answer only if you CANNOT separate room and board charges.)	NA	

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Part D – Student Charges – Price of Attendance

13. Price of attendance for full-time, first-time undergraduate students:

Please enter the amounts requested below. These data will be made available to the public on College Navigator. Data for prior years may be corrected. If your institution participates in any Title IV programs (Pell, Stafford, etc.), you must complete all information for the current year. Leave items that do not apply blank and the system will fill in as "not applicable" or indicate that more information is needed. Estimates of expenses for books and supplies, room and board, and other expenses are those from the **Cost of Attendance report** *used by the financial aid office in determining financial need.*

NEW: If the *2009-10* tuition and/or fees for *entering students* are covered by a <u>tuition guarantee</u> program, check the applicable box(es) under 'Tuition Guarantee'. Additionally, if the guarantee is not for a 0% increase, please indicate the maximum % increase guarantee.

Charges for full academic year	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	Tuition Guarantee *(check only if applicable to **entering students in 2009-10**)*	Guaranteed increase %
Published <u>tuition</u> and <u>required fees</u>:						
<u>In-district</u>						
Tuition	5,086	5,352	5,524	5,756	☐	
Required fees	1,026	838	852	880	☐	
Tuition + fees total	6,112	6,190	6,376	6,636		
PY tuition + fees total	**6112**	**6190**	**6376**			
<u>In-state</u>						
Tuition	5,086	5,352	5,524	5,756	☐	
Required fees	1,026	838	852	880	☐	
Tuition + fees total	6,112	6,190	6,376	6,636		
PY tuition + fees total	**6112**	**6190**	**6376**			
<u>Out-of-state</u>						
Tuition	13,002	13,444	13,744	14,020	☐	
Required fees	1,026	838	852	880	☐	
Tuition + fees total	14,028	14,282	14,596	14,900		
PY tuition + fees total	**14028**	**14282**	**14596**			
<u>Books and supplies</u>	878	966	1,002	1,035		
On campus:						
<u>Room</u> and <u>board</u>	5,740	6,280	6,790	6,980		
<u>Other expenses</u>	3,274	3,051	3,218	3,426		
Room and board and other expenses	9,014	9,331	10,008	10,406		
Off campus (not with family):						
<u>Room</u> and <u>board</u>	7,302	7,584	8,236	8,463		
<u>Other expenses</u>	3,274	3,051	3,218	3,426		
Room and board and other expenses	10,576	10,635	11,454	11,889		
Off campus (with family):						
<u>Other expenses</u>	3,274	3,051	3,218	3,426		

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The Undergraduate and Graduate Tuition indicated in
Part D is for College of Humanities & Fine Arts,
College of Social & Behavioral Sciences, College of
Natural Sciences, and College of Education.   The
College of Business Administration has a different
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Part E - Additional Information - Athletic Association

1. Is this institution a member of a national athletic association?

     ○ No

     ◉ Yes - Check all that apply

        ☑ National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA)

        ☐ National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA)

        ☐ National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA)

        ☐ United States Collegiate Athletic Association (USCAA)

        ☐ National Christian College Athletic Association (NCCAA)

        ☐ Other

2. If this institution is a member of the NCAA or NAIA, specify the conference FOR EACH SPORT using the pull down menu.

Sport	NCAA or NAIA member			Conference
Football	○ No	◉	Yes-Specify	Missouri Valley Conference
Basketball	○ No	◉	Yes-Specify	Missouri Valley Conference
Baseball	◉ No	○	Yes-Specify	Select One
Cross country and/or track	○ No	◉	Yes-Specify	Missouri Valley Conference

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Explanation Report

Number	Source	Location	Description	Severity	Accepted
Screen: Selection Process					
1	Row 26 Column 2	Screen Entry	You reported the number of students who submitted SAT test scores but you did not enter any percentiles. Please explain or fix.	Explanation	Yes
Reason:	This confirms it is correct that SAT Writing has no data entered and, therefore, no percentages are applicable.				
2	Row 26 Column 3	Screen Entry	You reported the number of students who submitted SAT test scores but you did not enter any percentiles. Please explain or fix.	Explanation	Yes
Reason:	This confirms it is correct that SAT Writing has no data entered and, therefore, no percentages are applicable.				

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