Florida Atlantic University (FAU) offers students a world-class education in a beautiful, subtropical setting. A comprehensive public university that is fully accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges, FAU is currently serving over 30,000 students at sites throughout its six-county service region in Southeast Florida, with state-of-the-art student housing available on the Boca Raton and Jupiter campuses.

Student life as an FAU Owl has never been better. From a football team playing in the 29,419 seat on-campus stadium to over 300 organizations that serve every academic and leisure-time interest, there’s something for everyone at FAU. The University has an outstanding faculty of more than 1,000 accomplished scholars and researchers who are known for their excellence in teaching and mentoring. Enrichment opportunities abound, including honors education, internships, hands-on research, and study-abroad experiences. FAU offers 21 intercollegiate sports, 19 of which participate in the NCAA, plus cheer and dance. Students learn in beautiful campus environments, and the beach is never far away.

Florida Atlantic University, part of the State University System of Florida, is a highly research-active institution with more than 250,000 square feet of laboratory space and over 40 research centers and institutes. Our graduate students pursue advanced degrees in 65 master’s, three specialist, and 23 doctoral degree programs, with 89 concentrations available.
## Colleges & Degree Programs

### Charles E. Schmidt College of Medicine
- Biomedical Science, Medicine
- Applied Math and Statistics
- Biological Sciences
- Business Biotechnology
- Chemistry
- Complex Systems and Brain Sciences
- Environmental Science
- Experimental Psychology
- Geosciences
- Integrative Biology
- Concentrations: Biomedical Science, Environmental Science, Marine Science and Oceanography, Neuroscience, Marine Science and Oceanography
- Mathematics
- Medical Physics
- Physics
- Psychology

### Charles E. Schmidt College of Science
- Chemistry
- Complex Systems and Brain Sciences
- Environmental Science
- Experimental Psychology
- Geosciences
- Integrative Biology
- Concentrations: Biomedical Science, Environmental Science, Marine Science and Oceanography, Neuroscience, Marine Science and Oceanography
- Mathematics
- Medical Physics
- Physics
- Psychology

### Christine E. Lynn College of Nursing
- Nursing
- Concentrations:
  - Nursing Administration and Financial Leadership
  - Adult/Gerontological Nurse Practitioner
  - Advanced Holistic Nursing
  - Clinical Nurse Leader
  - Family Nurse Practitioner
  - Nurse Educator
  - Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner
- Nursing Practice
- Concentrations:
  - Adult/Gerontological Nurse Practitioner
  - Family Nurse Practitioner
  - Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner

### College for Design and Social Inquiry
- Criminology and Criminal Justice
- Concentrations:
  - Corrections
  - Crime and Criminal Behavior
  - Policing
- Nonprofit Management
- Public Administration
- Social Work
- Urban and Regional Planning

### College of Business
- Concentrations:
  - Accounting
  - Finance
  - Information Technology
  - Management
  - Marketing
- Business Administration
- Concentrations:
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- Economics
- Concentrations:
  - Financial Economics
  - International Economics
- Health Administration
- Concentrations:
  - Health Administration
  - Health Administration, Executive
  - Information Technology and Management
- Taxation
- Taxation, Executive

### College of Education
- Concentrations:
  - Counselor Education
  - Clinical Mental Health Counseling
  - School Counseling K-12

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Florida Atlantic University is taking its place among the world’s great research centers and has been given the designation of a “High Research Activity” university by the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching. FAU faculty members were awarded funding grants totaling $42 million in 2015-2016. FAU brings in millions of dollars in research funding from state, federal, and private sources including the National Science Foundation, the Office of Naval Research, the National Institutes of Health, the U.S. Department Education, the U.S. Department of Energy, and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, which benefit our over 40 research centers and institutes.

FAU LIBRARIES
FAU Libraries operate on the Boca Raton, Davie, Fort Lauderdale, Harbor Branch, and Jupiter campuses. A graduate student lounge is located in the Wimberly Library on the Boca Raton campus on the west side of the second floor in LY 245 A-G, and features restricted card access for graduate students. The lounge includes four study rooms, white boards, a conference room, and open space with two PCs and two Mac computers. The libraries house approximately 3.7 million items, including books, periodicals, government documents, microforms, maps, media, and other materials - a rich academic collection along with unique special collections in book arts, documents, print and recorded music, rare books and manuscripts, and archival materials. The libraries also provide a wealth of electronic resources, including more than 580,000 full-text electronic books and 59,000 full-text electronic journals, plus access to more than 400 proprietary databases. They also offer group study rooms, numerous computer stations, and accessibility services for students.

SPORTBUSINESS INTERNATIONAL
FAU’s MBA in Sport Management program ranked 3rd in the World, 3rd in the USA, and 1st in Florida by SportBusiness International in 2016.

GraduatePrograms.com
FAU ranked among the top 50 online graduate schools based on ratings and reviews posted on Graduateprograms.com by more than 25,000 enrollees in over 600 different online programs.

U.S. NEWS AND WORLD REPORT
FAU’s Christine E. Lynn College of Nursing is ranked 1st in Florida and 44th in the nation for its Doctor of Nursing program and 2nd in Florida and 45th in the nation for its Master of Science Nursing program by U.S. News & World Report’s 2018 Best Graduate Schools Guidebook.

The College of Education Clinical Rehabilitation Counseling program was ranked 24th by U.S. News & World Report in 2015, as a top specialty program in the nation.

Florida Atlantic University’s part-time MBA is the top-ranked program in South Florida and 27th among public universities in the nation in 2015 by Bloomberg Businessweek.

Dr. Jessica Klassen graduated from FAU with a Ph.D. in Integrative Biology. After serving as a lecturer at Texas A&M, teaching courses such as Conservation Biology and Wildlife in a Changing World, Dr. Klassen works as a post-doctoral researcher at Mississippi State University. She studies the seasonal migrations and land use of wintering waterfowl and is part of a project investigating the road mortality of brown pelicans.

GRADUATE PROGRAM RANKINGS AND AWARDS

JESSICA KLASSEN

ALUMNA HIGHLIGHT

RESEARCH CENTERS AND INSTITUTES
CAMPUS LOCATIONS

FAU BOCA RATON
777 Glades Road
Boca Raton, FL

More than 70 percent of FAU's 30,000 students take classes at FAU's first and largest campus, and the majority of the University's 170+ degree programs are based here. Located just three miles from the Atlantic Ocean and the beautiful beaches of Boca Raton, the campus features everything you expect from a modern university – suite-style housing for over 4,000 students, new athletic and recreational facilities, art galleries, a pharmacy, a barber shop, a café/movie theater complex and so much more – all in a vibrant, tropical setting with a student body that is the most diverse of all Florida's public universities.

FAU DAVIE
954-236-1000

More than 5,000 students take classes at FAU's second-largest campus. Conveniently co-located with Broward College as part of the South Florida Education Center, FAU Davie offers coursework in 30 degree programs through the colleges of Arts and Letters, Business, Design and Social Inquiry, Education, Nursing, and Science. The campus features more than 300,000 square feet of labs and classrooms as well as faculty, staff, and student offices. It also hosts the innovative Teaching and Leadership Center and is the base of operations for FAU's Everglades research and restoration efforts.

FAU DANIA BEACH
954-924-7000

The Dania Beach facility is home to ocean engineering research and technology development in the areas of acoustics, marine vehicles, hydrodynamics and physical oceanography, marine materials, and nanocomposites. Dania Beach builds on five decades of excellence at FAU as home to the nation's first ocean engineering program.

RESEARCH CENTERS AND INSTITUTES

Adams Center for Entrepreneurship
Carl DeSantis Business and Economics Center
Center of Acoustics and Vibrations
Center for Advancement of Distance Education Technologies
Center for Autism and Related Disabilities
Center for Biomedical and Materials Physics (CBAMP)
Center for Complex Systems and Brain Sciences
Center for Cryptology and Information Security
Center for Economic Education
Center for Forensic Accounting
Center for Global Engagement
Center for Holocaust & Human Rights Education
Center for Hydrodynamics and Physical Oceanography
Center for Infrastructure and Constructed Facilities
Center for Intermodal Transportation Safety and Security
Center for Marine Materials
Center for Marine Structures and Geotechniques
Center for Molecular Biology and Biotechnology
Center for Rare and Genetic Neurological Diseases
Center for Services Marketing and Management
Center for Urban and Environmental Solutions
Center of Excellence in Biomedical and Marine Biotechnology
The Center for the Study of Values and Violence after Auschwitz
Center for Systems Integration
Center for Women, Gender & Sexuality Studies
Child Welfare Institute
Christine E. Lynn Center for Caring
Community Justice Institute
The Disability Center
Ernest O. Melby Community Education Center
Florida Center for Environmental Studies
Institute for Ocean & Systems Engineering - SeaTech
Intensive English Institute
International Center for the Advancement of Political Communication and Argumentation
Karen Slattery Educational Research Center for Child Development
Louis and Anne Green Memory and Wellness Center
Phil Smith Center for Free Enterprise
Phyllis and Harvey Sandler School of Social Work Aging Academy
Pine Jog Environmental Education Center
Public Procurement Research Center
Southeast National Marine Renewable Energy Center (SNMREC)
The Teaching and Leadership Center
Weppner Center for LEAD and Service Learning

VANESSA RAYMOND
(B.S.N.+D.N.P.)
- FAU B.S.N. Nursing and B.A. Biological Sciences (Palm Beach State College transfer)
- D.N.P. Nursing candidate
- Emergency room nurse at Bethesda Hospital East

STUDENT HIGHLIGHT
CAMPUS LOCATIONS

FAU FORT LAUDERDALE  111 East Las Olas Blvd  954-236-1000  Fort Lauderdale, FL
Located in downtown Fort Lauderdale, the campus provides a “real life” urban laboratory for students pursuing an accredited degree in architecture and is the location for the College of Business’ Executive Master of Accounting program. The campus is also home to MetroLAB, a collaborative exhibition and event space for FAU’s engagement with the community.

FAU HARBOR BRANCH  5600 US 1 North  772-465-2400  Fort Pierce, FL
FAU’s Harbor Branch Oceanographic Institute (HBOI) is dedicated to exploring the world’s oceans and integrating the science and technology of the sea with the needs of humankind. As a base of operations for a host of research, internship, and academic programs – such as coral reef and estuary studies, marine mammal rescue and rehabilitation, semester-at-sea programs and a variety of research positions and internships – undergraduate students, graduate students and faculty find HBOI’s high-tech facilities and dynamic environment perfect for their varied pursuits.

FAU JUPITER  5353 Parkside Drive  561-799-8500  Jupiter, FL
The John D. MacArthur Campus at Jupiter offers students coursework in programs from the colleges of Arts and Letters, Design and Social Inquiry, Education, and Science. It is home to the Harriet L. Wilkes Honors College, as well as the Center for Environmental Studies, the Hibel Museum of Art and research facilities for two of the world’s leading research organizations, the Max Planck Florida Institute for Neuroscience and Scripps Florida, a division of The Scripps Research Institute. Just four miles from the beach, students at FAU Jupiter enjoy the resources of a large research university and the advantages of a small campus setting.

www.fau.edu
www.fau.edu/graduate

- Florida Atlantic University has six campuses that stretch over 100 miles in Southeast Florida, along some of the state’s finest beaches.
- FAU has an annual economic impact of $6.3 billion.
- FAU has students from all 50 states and more than 180 countries.
- FAU ranks as the most racially, ethnically and culturally diverse institution in Florida’s State University System.
- FAU’s Harbor Branch Oceanographic Institute is a world-renowned research facility. Its 140 marine scientists, engineers, educators and other professionals work together in pursuit of its mission, expressed as Ocean Science for a Better World.

Mileage from Boca Raton
- Fort Lauderdale .................. 20 miles
- West Palm Beach .................. 30 miles
- Miami ............................ 45 miles
- Key Largo .......................... 100 miles
- Orlando ........................... 195 miles
- Key West .......................... 205 miles

FAU’s main campus in Boca Raton is located three miles from the beach.

STUDENT HIGHLIGHT

JOSEF KHOURY (B.S.+M.S.)
- FAU B.S. in Neuroscience & Behavior
- M.S. in Biomedical Science
- Graduate Teaching Assistant
- President of the American Medical Student Association
You can earn your master’s in one year.

The University offers combined bachelor’s to master’s degrees which allow you to take graduate courses in your senior year that count towards your master’s degree. In some areas you can earn a master’s degree in only one year. FAU offers over 20 different combined degree programs. In five years, you can graduate with both a bachelor’s and a master’s from FAU! Learn about FAU’s Pathways Scholarship for combined degree students in the Graduate Funding section.

Colleges offering combined bachelor’s and master’s degrees:
- Charles E. Schmidt College of Science
- College of Business
- College for Design and Social Inquiry
- College of Education
- College of Engineering and Computer Science
- Dorothy F. Schmidt College of Arts and Letters

You can earn your master’s en passant.

You can earn a master’s “along the way” to your doctorate in select graduate programs. Also known as a master’s en passant, earning a master’s degree along the way to the doctorate is available in four of FAU’s colleges, across 13 degree programs. If you are interested in pursuing a doctorate at FAU, speak to an academic advisor in your prospective department to see if a master’s along the way is an option for you.

Florida Atlantic University Alumni

FAU alumni include U.S. and foreign dignitaries, Emmy Award and Pulitzer Prize winners, an astronaut, and executives who have served in organizations such as Google, Franklin Templeton, Boeing, eBay, Motorola, and the White House. Approximately 80% of FAU’s over 150,000 alumni live in the Florida counties of Broward, Palm Beach, Miami-Dade, and St. Lucie.

Did you know?

Shane Kepley
(B.S.+M.S.+Ph.D.)

- FAU B.S. in Mathematical Science 1½ years (state college transfer)
- Master’s en Passant and Ph.D. candidate in Mathematics
- Graduate Teaching Assistant
- Served as paratrooper in U.S. Army
- Active member of Florida National Guard

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(2+2½+1)

- Broward College A.A. 2 years
- FAU B.S. in Civil Engineering 2½ years
- M.S. in Civil Engineering 1 year (B.S.+M.S. Combined)
- Graduate Assistant
- Project Coordinator at Palm Beach County Water Utilities

Student Highlight

Graduate College

The Graduate College is a service college dedicated to student success.

The Graduate College works closely with graduate students, faculty, and staff to promote quality graduate education. Florida Atlantic University fosters a diverse intellectual environment with internationally recognized faculty and cutting-edge research facilities. Our graduate students pursue advanced degrees in 65 master’s, three specialist, and 23 doctoral degree programs, with 89 concentrations available. Graduate study at FAU offers the following benefits:

- Multiple campuses in Southeast Florida for ultimate flexibility
- Alternative scheduling tailored to your graduate program
- A cost-effective education with many sources of financial aid and assistance, as well as affordable state tuition rates

Florida Atlantic University Alumni

About Graduate Education

Alumnus Highlight
EDMÉE MORIN-KOUGOUCHEFF
Edmée Morin-Kougoucheff is a former collegiate tennis player who came to the U.S. from France to pursue a higher education. She is an alumna of the FAU MBA Sport Management program and served as a graduate assistant in the College of Business. During the program, she interned for the Delray Beach Open and worked for the Miami Dolphins, as well as the FAU football team. She is now the Sales Manager at the Evert Tennis Academy. Edmée explains, “I decided to get this degree at FAU because of its wonderful reputation and its impressive alumni. All faculty have at least 10 years of experience in the sports industry.”

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UNIVERSITY SERVICES
Graduate and Professional Student Association
Career Center University
Center for Excellence in Writing
Counseling and Psychological Services
Student Health Services
Military and Veterans Affairs
Student Accessibility Services

FAU FOOTBALL STADIUM
Home of the Owls football team, the 29,419-seat stadium is located in the north central area of the Boca Raton campus. The open-air stadium features 6,000 premium seats, including 24 suites, 26 loge boxes, 1,000 premier club seats, 4,000 priority club seats, and state-of-the-art amenities.

GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDENT ASSOCIATION
The GPSA advocates for the interests of graduate and professional students university wide and strives to enrich their experiences. The GPSA provides academic support resources, social/networking opportunities, and conference travel funding.

STUDENT INVOLVEMENT
The University’s Division of Student Affairs provides programs and services to promote academic success and total student development, helping students become intellectually engaged and more informed about civic responsibility. Career development, health services, volunteer opportunities, campus recreation, counseling, and academic assistance are available. Additionally, the Program Board plans events for the entire University community. FAU hosts more than 300 clubs including:

- Academic Organizations
- Service Organizations
- Diversity Appreciation Organizations
- Honor Societies
- Spiritual and Religious Groups
- Sports Clubs

HOUSING: INNOVATION VILLAGE
State-of-the-art housing is available on the Boca Raton campus. Innovation Village offers on-campus housing specifically for graduate students, including 210 units with individual laundry facilities within each apartment. In addition, numerous off-campus housing options are available nearby.
APPLYING FOR ADMISSION
Make FAU your choice for a quality graduate education. Where you choose to pursue your doctoral, master’s, or specialist degree is one of the most important decisions you will make. Detailed information on admission requirements and procedures can be found on the prospective student page of the Graduate College website or by contacting the advisor of your program of interest. In addition, the Graduate College can provide you with support during the admissions process.

Apply online at: fau.edu/graduate/applyonline.

Prospective students should apply for admission as early as possible. Some academic units have early admission deadlines and should be contacted for specific dates. An admission decision cannot be made until both the Graduate College and the academic unit have received all required materials.

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS
Numerous fellowships and awards are available for graduate students. Fellowships can be university awarded, federally funded, or offered by external organizations.

GRADUATE ASSISTANTSHIPS
Graduate assistantships are available in a variety of university departments and offices. Graduate assistantship positions can include general administrative duties, teaching assignments, research projects, or a combination of the above. Interested graduate students should contact their academic departments and university administrative offices to inquire about available assistantships.

PATHWAYS SCHOLARSHIP
This scholarship awards up to $2,000 to FAU students enrolled in combined or advanced standing graduate degree programs. The scholarship is distributed in two increments of $1,000 during the first and last semester of the graduate program. Students apply during the junior year of undergraduate study.

BRIGHT FUTURES
Florida Academic Scholars earning a baccalaureate degree in seven semesters or fewer (or the equivalent in credit hours) may receive funding for one term of graduate study (up to 15 semester hours) paid at the undergraduate rate.

GRADUATE RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIP
The Graduate College offers scholarships to support graduate research and assist with unexpected research costs. Visit the Graduate College website for more information at fau.edu/graduate.
KEITH MURPHY
Keith Murphy is a doctoral candidate in the Integrative Biology program in the Charles E. Schmidt College of Science. Keith is researching the “Postprandial Sleep Dynamics in Drosophila,” or more specifically, the effects of food comas on the brains of the common fruit fly. Keith is a recipient of an inaugural Three Minute Thesis (3MT®) Scholarship for his research, which he presented at the Fall 2016 3MT® Championship. Murphy remarks, “the value of this scholarship is its ability to encourage young scientists to approach public communications from a training perspective. People don’t realize that most research results in conceptual advances rather than the discovery of a new drug, or the rescue of a species. In this case, the direct value to the public is their understanding of these new concepts.” Visit YouTube.com/FAUGraduateCollege to watch Keith and other graduate students present their research.

THREE MINUTE THESIS (3MT®) COMPETITION SCHOLARSHIPS
FAU’s inaugural 3MT® Competition took place November 18, 2016, showcasing some of the University’s top graduate student researchers. This exciting opportunity is open to any active, enrolled FAU graduate student in good academic standing with the University. This competition provides all participants with a unique and invaluable professional development experience and championship winners are awarded research scholarships and awards up to $2,500.

MILITARY BENEFITS
There are special student benefits, aid, and services available for active military members and veterans. Contact the FAU Department of Military and Veterans Affairs for more information at fau.edu/vets.

FINANCIAL AID
Submit your FAFSA early! The FAU priority deadline is March 1 each year. Graduate students may be eligible for Financial Aid such as FAU Graduate Grants, Unsubsidized Direct Loans, Perkins Loans, Graduate PLUS Loans, Work Study, and various fellowships. Visit FAFSA.gov to apply.

SOUTH FLORIDA AT-A-GLANCE
• Sub-tropical climate
• No state or local income tax
• Average annual temperature: 75 (F) degrees
• Watersports in the area include surfing, water-skiing, wakeboarding, kayaking, snorkeling, and superb fishing and SCUBA diving
• Home to the headquarters of Fortune 500 companies, such as Office Depot, FPL Group, AutoNation, and Ryder System
• Boca Raton is home to a number of tech companies, including Modernizing Medicine – named by Forbes as one of America’s Most Promising Companies
• Public and private schools in Boca Raton include 13 elementary, five middle, and four high schools, 27 private schools, and a number of special education centers
TRANSPORTATION

Air Travel
International airports in West Palm Beach, Fort Lauderdale, and Miami are within an hour’s drive.

Tri-Rail
This commuter rail line serves West Palm Beach, Fort Lauderdale, and Miami with convenient station locations near FAU campuses and area airports.

GETTING AROUND CAMPUS

Intercampus Shuttle
FAU offers an intercampus shuttle service from the Boca Raton campus to the John D. MacArthur Campus in Jupiter from Monday to Friday, with morning and afternoon routes.

Boca Raton Campus Shuttle
Parking and Transportation Services provides a free on-campus shuttle service that allows you to park your car and move between classes without having to find another parking space on campus. With multiple shuttles, you never have to wait long to be picked up.

Night Owls
Get rides to class, your dorm, or car with the Night Owls – a free ride service that can pick you up right at your car or building to ensure safe and quick transit around campus.

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