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ABOUT US

Case Western Reserve University (CWRU) is an urban private university located in Cleveland, Ohio. CWRU is known for its world-class research and emphasis on innovation and experiential learning.

Case School of Engineering

- **15th** in Biomedical Engineering
- Home to think[box], one of the largest university-based innovation centers in the world

School of Law

- **9th** in Health Law
- **#11th** in International Law

School of Medicine

- Ranks among nation's best funded medical schools
- **11** Nobel laureates in medicine with ties to the school

School of Dental Medicine

- **18th** of U.S. dental schools in NIDCR grant funding received (2015)

Weatherhead School of Management

- **10th** in breadth of alumni network
- First to develop Doctor in Management program and first to implement PhD programs in organizational behavior and operations management

Frances Payne Bolton School of Nursing

- **15th** among more than 400 accredited master's programs

Jack, Joseph, and Morton Mandel School of Applied

Social Sciences

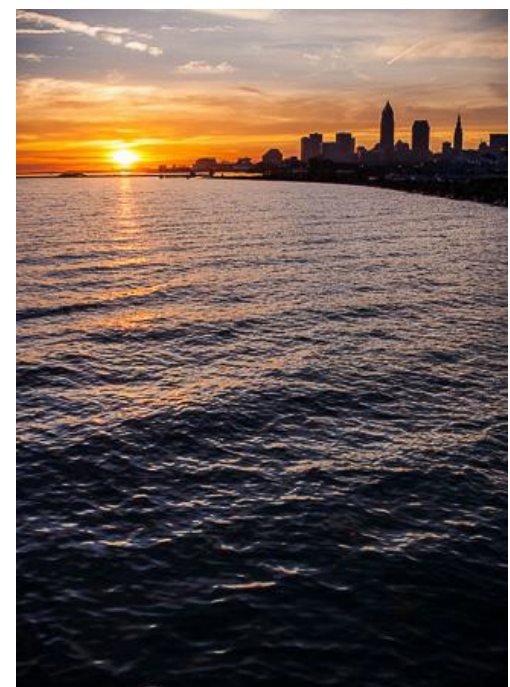
- Among top 10 social work schools in the country
- **9th** ranked MSSA program in the U.S.

College of Arts and Sciences

- **15** Nobel laureates in the sciences

CWRU at a Glance

- **37th** among all U.S. universities
 - **133rd** in the world
 - **13th** in federal funding for private university science and research
 - **\$311.4M** in external research funding to CWRU (FY 2014)
 - **\$337.4M** spent on research in 2014
 - **24** intramural and club sports and **100** social and intercultural clubs
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Lake Erie's Downtown Waterfront, located just 4 miles from campus

UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS OF STUDY

Through its three undergraduate schools and one college, Case Western Reserve University offers the following academic programs:

Accounting	German
Aerospace Engineering	German Studies
American Studies	Gerontological Studies
Anthropology	Health Communication
Applied Mathematics	History
Art Education	History and Philosophy of Science
Art History	International Studies
Art Studio	Italian
Artificial Intelligence	Japanese
Asian Studies	Japanese Studies
Astronomy	Judaic Studies
Banking and Finance	Leadership
Biochemistry	Management
Biology	Marketing
Biomedical Engineering	Materials Science and Engineering
Business (Management)	Mathematics
Chemical Biology	Mathematics and Physics
Chemical Engineering	Mechanical Design and Manufacturing
Chemistry	Mechanical Engineering
Childhood Studies	Music (requires audition)
Chinese	Music Education
Civil Engineering	Natural Sciences
Classics	Nursing
Cognitive Science	Nutrition
Communication Sciences	Nutritional Biochemistry and Metabolism
Computer Engineering	Philosophy
Computer Gaming	Physics
Computer Science	Political Science
Dance	Polymer Science and Engineering
Economics	Pre-Architecture
Electrical Engineering	Psychology
Electronics	Public Policy
Engineering Physics	Religious Studies
Engineering (undesignated)	Russian
English	Social Work
Entrepreneurship	Sociology
Environmental Geology	Spanish
Environmental Studies	Sports Medicine
Ethics	Statistics
Ethnic Studies	Systems and Control Engineering
Evolutionary Biology	Systems Biology
Film	Teacher Education
Finance	Theater
French	Women's and Gender Studies
French and Francophone Studies	World Literature
Geological Sciences	

CWRU in Brief

Case Western Reserve University is a research-intensive university, one of only 26 private institutions in the prestigious AAU. We prepare ambitious, curious students for career, grad school, and life. We offer an experience-based undergraduate education, in the arts and sciences, engineering, management, and nursing. Graduate programs are also offered in law, medicine, dental medicine, and applied social sciences.

10:1 Student:Faculty

Ensures small classes (61% of classes have fewer than 20 students) and plentiful research opportunities.

Student Body

4,600 undergrads
5,600 graduate and professional students

CWRU students are from all 50 states and 91 countries

Who We Look For

CWRU looks for students who are intellectually curious, who have demonstrated success in challenging coursework, and who are involved in their communities and in extracurriculars of all kinds.



Students move into CWRU North Residential Village

ACCOMMODATIONS

There are a variety of housing options available for students studying at Case Western Reserve University. Students may choose to live in university-owned housing or off-campus, privately-owned housing. Housing on campus for exchange students is not guaranteed, but is often available.

UNIVERSITY-OWNED HOUSING

University-owned housing options for upper-class students include North and South Campus Residence Halls, the Village at 115th, North Property Management Apartments, the Apartments at 1576, and the Triangle Apartments. Students who wish to live in university housing can visit housing.case.edu for additional information and may email housing@case.edu or call 216-368-3780 with questions. Confirmed move in dates for 2016-2017 are August 1st or 18th from 8AM to 10PM.



Top (Left to Right): The Village at 115th; Pierce Dorm in North Residential Village; The Apartments at 1576
 Bottom (Left to Right): Single room in South Residential Village; Common room in the Village at 115; Suite kitchen in the Village at 115th

OFF CAMPUS HOUSING

Students also have the option to live in off-campus housing in the University Circle area. Numerous off-campus options are available for students to explore. The Uptown Apartments, located minutes away from campus with convenient access to Uptown's many shops and restaurants, are particularly popular. Students interested in living off-campus can search ALOHA, the Off-Campus Housing Listing Service available from the university's Office of Housing & Residence Life website, for an apartment that meets their needs.



UNIVERSITY CIRCLE

Located conveniently in the center of CWRU's campus, University Circle- Cleveland's cultural district--offers residents a variety of restaurants, shops, and easy access to RTA and HealthLine public transportation stops.



LITTLE ITALY

Within walking distance of CWRU, Historic Little Italy is known for its art galleries and fine Italian-inspired cuisine. There is always something going on in Little Italy, such as live entertainment, art walks, parades, and the Feast of the Assumption.



SHAKER SQUARE

Located where the city of Cleveland intersects Shaker Heights, one of the many historic suburbs, Shaker Square is the oldest shopping district in Ohio. Rapid transit lines run directly from the square to downtown, the waterfront, and the airport, and students can choose between over 4,000 high quality rental units.



COVENTRY VILLAGE

Coventry Village is a diverse neighborhood home to eclectic shops and eateries including record stores, book vendors, consignment shops, bars, and music venues, all just minutes from campus!

MEAL PLAN

Students who live on campus will have meals in campus dining halls. The cost of the meal plan will vary depending on the plan they choose. Students on the Case Western Reserve meal plan are permitted to dine at a variety of locations on campus, including Leutner and Fribley traditional dining halls, Grab-It and Bag-It, Tomlinson Café, and Tinkham Veale Center restaurants, many of which serve dishes made on-site daily using locally sourced meats, produce, dairy, and bread products.



Tinkham Veale University Center dining featuring Melt, Cool Beanz, Naan, Pinzas, 8Twenty6, and Michelson & Morley



Leutner Dining Hall, North Residential Village

DINING



Above: East 4th Street in downtown Cleveland is the heart of the city's vibrant culinary scene.

In its list of “America’s Best Food Cities” for 2015, Time.com ranked Cleveland in seventh place, ahead of San Francisco (#19), New Orleans (#15), Chicago (#13), New York City (#10), and Los Angeles (#9). Whether you want to try Cleveland’s traditional Polish-influenced cuisine, trendy fusion bar foods, or New-American dishes developed by Michael Symon, Cleveland’s own Iron Chef, there’s something to please every palate.



ORIENTATION

At Case Western Reserve University, we conduct an orientation for our new students, including our exchange students. Orientation is meant to smooth the transition to Case Western Reserve University by introducing students to campus, Cleveland, and new friends before the start of the semester. Orientation provides students with the academic and cultural support needed to feel comfortable and confident when classes begin.



Top Left: Students on DiSanto Football Field
Top Right: CWRU Orientation Leaders
Bottom: Center for International Affairs, Tomlinson Hall



Wade Lagoon

UNIVERSITY CIRCLE ATTRACTIONS:

Cleveland Natural History
Museum

Cleveland Museum of Art

MOCA Cleveland

The Western Reserve
Historical Society

The Dietrich Museum

Cleveland Botanic Gardens

Maltz Performing Arts
Center

Severance Hall

Wade Lagoon

...as well as a variety of
shops and restaurants!

LIVING IN UNIVERSITY CIRCLE

University Circle is a dynamic community and an emerging modern arts and cultural district. Home to a variety of museums, excellent restaurants, and popular coffee shops, there is always something to do in University Circle. Wade Oval hosts outdoor programming including live concerts, movie nights, art walks, and ice skating.



Left: Severance Hall (Top) ; Wade Oval Wednesday (Bottom)

Right: Cleveland Museum of Art (Top) ; Wade Oval Ice Rink (Bottom)

EXPLORE CLEVELAND, OHIO

Cleveland is a major city in the state of Ohio and the Midwest and is the largest city in the Northeast Ohio region. The Greater Cleveland metropolitan area is home to:

- The 29th largest population in the country
- The 27th highest GDP in the country
- The world-renowned Cleveland Clinic Health System
- Numerous museums, including the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame and the Cleveland Museum of Art
- University Circle, the 2nd most cultured square mile in the United States
- Playhouse Square, the nation's 2nd largest theater district after New York City
- Four professional sports teams, including the Cavaliers (and LeBron James)
- The Cleveland Orchestra, the 7th ranked symphony orchestra in the world
- The Lake Erie waterfront
- The Bronze Medal for a Bicycle Friendly City from the League of American Bicyclists



Top Left: Progressive Field home of the Cleveland Indians
Bottom Left: Cleveland Skyline

Top Right: LeBron James of the Cleveland Cavaliers
Bottom Right: The West Side Market