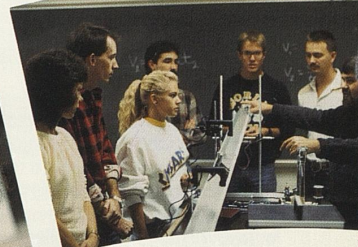


UK Stands Out!



UK
UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY
A Tradition of Value

UK Educates 37% Of the College Students In Kentucky

- With more than 63,000 students — 23,000 on the Lexington campus and 40,000 at the community colleges across the state — the University of Kentucky now educates 37% of all students in Kentucky attending a public or private college or university.

Community Colleges Set Another Record For Enrollment

- UK's community colleges, providing maximum access to higher education across the state, have enrolled more than 40,000 students in the Fall of 1990 — the most ever in their history. There are fourteen of the two-year colleges making up the UK Community College System. Enrollment in the system has grown by 71% in the past five years.

UK Has 26 National Merit Scholars In Freshman Class

- There are 26 National Merit Scholars in the Fall 1990 freshman class on the Lexington Campus, an all-time record. They come from all sections of the Commonwealth including Lexington, Louisville, Pine Knot, Perryville, Murray, Beaver Dam, and Hopkinsville.

- There are 77 high school valedictorians and 99 Governor's Scholars in the 1990 freshman class.

UK Now Recommended In Three College Guide Books

- UK is recommended to students seeking a college for their higher education in three prestigious nationally-circulated college guide books — *How to Get An Ivy League Education at a Public University*, *Best Dollar Values in American Colleges*, and *Barron's 300 Best Buys in College Education*.

4,600 Students In Graduate School

- Graduate school enrollment in the Fall 1990 was at a record high of about 4,600 students.

- Included in the graduate school offerings are 86 master's and 58 doctoral programs.

- The University awards about \$15 million annually in graduate fellowships and teaching and research assistantships.

UK Taking Initiative To Attract Minority Students and Faculty

- Thanks to initiatives in minority affairs, there were 10 new minority faculty at the University as it opened in Fall 1990, including the first Afro-American dean (College of Education) at UK.

UK Now Giving \$1.7 Million In Merit Scholarships

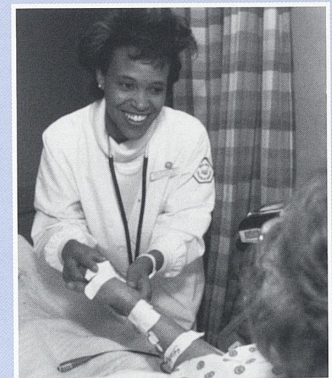
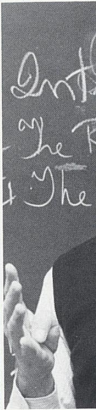
- Scholarships to UK students based on merit now total some \$1.7 million a year. The most prestigious are the Singletary Scholarships which provide students four years of college at no cost. In the 1990-91 academic year there are 24 Singletary Scholars — 22 in the freshman class and two transfers from the UK community colleges.

- The University also awarded \$500,000 in 1990 in new Commonwealth Scholarships, made possible by Governor Wilkinson and the Kentucky General Assembly.

UK Faculty Bring \$70 Million in Grants, Contracts and Gifts

UK's faculty brought in some \$70 million in grants, contracts and gifts from outside sources in the 1989-90 academic year. The record amount was 17% greater than the year before and marked a 70% increase in the past five years.

- As further indication of UK's faculty expertise, 98% of them have the highest degree attainable in their fields.



New Coldstream Research Campus Gets Its First Occupant

• Hughes Aircraft is the first company to locate on UK's new Coldstream Research Campus located on the north side of Lexington. Hughes Aircraft CEO Malcolm Currie called the new operation, which will employ some 250 persons, many of them in high tech jobs, a "center of excellence."

Private Fund-Raising At Record Pace

• The University attracted over \$20 million in gifts in 1989 and in 1990 was already ahead of the pace. UK Fellows (people who give or pledge at least \$10,000 to the University) were setting new records in 1990 over all previous years.

UK Faculty Win Awards And Honors In Many Fields

• Guy Davenport, English, was a 1990 recipient of the prestigious MacArthur Fellowship.

• John N. Walter, Agricultural Engineering, is president of the American Society of Agricultural Engineers.

• Gary Cromwell, Animal Science, is president of the American Society of Animal Science.

• John R. van Nagell, Obstetrics and Gynecology, was selected as one of the outstanding medical specialists in the country by *Town and Country* magazine.

• Linda Chen, Nutrition and Food Science, won the national Borden Award for exceptional research in nutrition.

• Ramona Rush, Communications, was named the outstanding woman in the field by the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication's status of women committee.

• Tim Stahly, Animal Science, won the 1990 American Feed Industry Association award for research on non-ruminant nutrition.

• Paul Warner, Sociology, received the 1990 award for excellence in Extension and public service from the Rural Sociological Society.

• Bob Hardin, Civil Engineering, won the American Society of Civil Engineers Croes Medal, the second highest award given by the organization.

• Theodore Tauchert, Engineering Mechanics, received the Henry Lutes Award for teaching.

UK Students Win Many Prestigious Awards and Honors

• The debate team took second-place in the nation's largest invitational collegiate debate tournament in 1990.

• For three consecutive years, the College of Law moot court team has been in the national finals of the intercollegiate moot court competition.

• A UK nursing student was one of 121 U.S. collegians chosen for the USA Today All-USA College Academic Team.

• UK's cheerleaders finished second in 1990 for the second straight year in the College Cheerleading Championships. UK was national champion in 1985, '87 and '88.

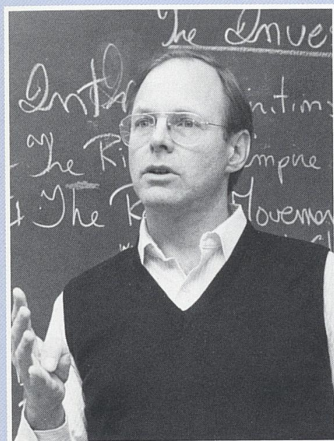
• Community college associate degree nursing grads who took the National Council Licensure Examination in July 1989 achieved a 90.4% pass rate.

• The UK yearbook won first place nationally in competitions sponsored by the Associated Collegiate Press and the National Scholastic Press Association.

• UK's student newspaper received the All-American honor rating and five marks of distinction, placing it in the top third of the nation's best student newspapers.

• The UK Jazz Ensemble was voted most outstanding among 14 student combos or big bands invited to perform at the Notre Dame College Jazz Festival, the most prestigious event of its kind in the nation.

• The Livestock Judging Team was the top team among 19 university teams in the Southeastern-Northeastern Livestock Judging Contest.



UK Ranked Among Top Research Universities In the Nation

- The Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching ranks UK among its top research universities in the nation. UK is the only university in Kentucky, and one of only 45 public universities in the United States, to be classified as a Research University of the First Class.

UK Library Has More Than 2 Million Volumes

- The UK Library System with 15 specialized library collections on the Lexington Campus and Medical Center houses more than 2 million volumes including a valuable collection of rare books, manuscripts and photographs.
- The library is interconnected by computer with the libraries at the 14 community colleges and with the U.S. Library of Congress.
- An important Milton collection and one of the top 19th century American and English literary manuscripts and autograph letters collections in the country is housed in the UK Library.
- The library ranks 55th among university research libraries in North America.

UK Among Nation's Top Universities In Computing

- Thanks to a \$4.9 million gift from the IBM Corporation, UK continues its role as one of the leading computing universities in the nation. The gift helped UK upgrade its IBM Supercomputer that is now being used at UK by both faculty and students. UK ranks in the top tier of public universities in the nation in computing capacity.

Critical Care Center Is Opened At University Hospital

- A high-technology, 250,000-square-foot critical care center, complete with surgical suites, intensive care units, clinical laboratories, and a heliport on the roof, has just been opened at the UK Albert B. Chandler Medical Center. The UK helicopter brings in more than a thousand people a year for emergency care at UK.

QUICK FACTS

History

UK was founded in 1865 as a land-grant institution...Took present name in 1916...Charles T. Wethington Jr. is the tenth president.

The Campus

UK's 673-acre campus is located just south of downtown Lexington in the heart of the beautiful Kentucky Bluegrass region.

Enrollment

There are about 23,000 students on the Lexington Campus and over 40,000 students in the UK Community College System.

Academic Programs

There are 17 academic colleges and a graduate school. There are 108 undergraduate majors from which to choose.

Library

UK's library system contains more than 2 million volumes.

Research

UK ranks among the Top 100 research institutions in the nation. Last year, UK faculty expertise attracted \$70 million in research grants, contracts and gifts from outside sources.

Faculty

There are 1,566 full-time faculty on the Lexington Campus, and some 1,050 faculty in the community colleges.

Tuition

The 1990-1991 undergraduate tuition on the Lexington Campus is \$854.75 a semester for Kentucky residents, and \$2,354.75 for non-residents.

Student Financial Aid

About 55 percent of UK's students receive financial aid which amounts to some \$41 million annually. More than \$1.7 million in scholarships based on merit is awarded each year to UK students.

Alumni

The University has 100,000 alumni around the world.

Community Colleges

There are 14 two-year community colleges in the UK system located across the state.

Medical Center

There are 2,700 students in the five colleges of the UK Albert B. Chandler Medical Center — medicine, dentistry, nursing, pharmacy, and allied health professions.

The Medical Center also has a 461-bed hospital as part of its teaching and service programs.

Campus Tours

There are free, guided campus tours at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. weekdays from the Visitor Center in the UK Student Center. Saturday walking tours are available at 11 a.m. September through April only.

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