

STARTING YOUR STORY AT NEBRASKA



UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATION
UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA-LINCOLN

**Everything you need
to make the most of UNL**
*– and make an impact on the world –
is right here.*

We're proud to offer students and families the value of one of the top public university experiences in the U.S.

We're ready to help you make the most of the incredible opportunities available in pursuit of your UNL degree.

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Your story matters at Nebraska.

We believe in people.

That each of us can impact the world.
That everyone's story matters.

You'll begin at UNL by connecting with leading scientists and scholars and other students from around the world. Through your program of study – and involvement and leadership experiences – you'll develop intellectual and practical skills and learn how you can best apply them.

When you graduate, you'll find that the global network of Nebraska alumni can open doors to help you achieve your goals.

With ACE, you win.

Achievement-Centered Education (ACE) is our 30-credit hour general education program.

Based on student learning outcomes, this nationally recognized program reflects what faculty believe 21st century graduates of UNL ought to know. It's also flexible, helping you stay on track to graduate regardless of major.

BUT DON'T STOP THERE.

Take advantage of the abundant resources and opportunities available to you at UNL.





“ My Omaha World-Herald and Lincoln Journal Star internships and my education abroad experiences in Costa Rica, Kyrgyzstan and India have been amazing – they’ve helped me grow so much as a photojournalist.

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ANNA REED, JOURNALISM

Career Services

Career Services can help you find an on- or off-campus job or internship. Even if you’re not job hunting yet, it’s a great idea to start working on your resume and interview skills now. Career Services has the tools to help you:

- identify your strengths
- polish and package your skills
- talk with employers at a career fair
- demonstrate how your UNL degree can make an impact

As you approach graduation, take advantage of resources provided by Career Services in your search for jobs or a professional or graduate school.

University Honors Program

You can get an intense intellectual experience by connecting with other high-achieving students and faculty in the University Honors Program. Prospective freshmen must apply for admission to the Honors Program. Transfer and on-campus students can also apply.

Undergraduate Research

Undergraduate research is a great way to deepen your academic interests, build relationships with faculty mentors, and prepare for graduate and professional schools. Each year over UNL 400 undergraduates participate in paid research assistantships and every spring the undergraduate research fair highlights their work.

International Engagement

UNL offers you international experiences both on and off campus – with options that won’t delay your progress toward graduation or increase costs – because every student must prepare to work and live in an increasingly globalized society.

EDUCATION ABROAD – you can choose between hundreds of programs through UNL or other providers or select from internships and service learning opportunities

GLOBAL MINORS – regardless of your major, you can include a global minor in your course of study

CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT – you can engage in the E.N. Thompson Forum on World Issues or get involved in a number of internationally focused organizations on campus and in the community

Leadership and Community Engagement

You can develop leadership skills and get experience helping people locally, nationally and internationally through UNL’s Center for Civic Engagement. Choose from opportunities in service, civic-related research and social change leadership. You can even pursue a Certificate in Civic Engagement that connects what you learn in ACE general education courses with experiences outside the classroom.





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I didn't know exactly what I wanted to major in. I met with my adviser and she helped me decide what some of my best options might be. I narrowed it down to engineering by the end of my freshman year and declared civil engineering at the beginning of my sophomore year.
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BRAULIO ARAYA, CIVIL ENGINEERING

Academic Advising

A designated academic adviser will help you select classes and stay on track to graduate. Connect with your adviser at least once a semester in order to:

- meet graduation requirements
- find internship opportunities
- explore organizations that build on your academic interests and career goals
- pursue research opportunities
- plan education abroad
- prepare for a post-graduate program

The Exploratory and Pre-Professional Advising (Explore) Center

If you're undecided on a major or are interested in Pre-Health or Pre-Law, you can connect with advisers in the Explore Center to explore career paths.

UNDECIDED STUDENTS

- take major and career interest inventories
- participate in job shadowing programs
- enroll in exploratory courses

PRE-PROFESSIONAL STUDENTS

- prepare for professional school applications and entrance exams
- get coaching for successful interviews
- network with graduate/professional program recruiters

Fellowships & Scholarships Support

UNL students have won national awards in record numbers. You can get help applying for prestigious national and international fellowships and scholarships like the Fulbright, Goldwater and Truman.

UNL was named a top producer of student Fulbrights for 2012-2013 and tied for the top number of Goldwater Scholars in the nation in 2012.



Transfer Student Mentor Program

You've transferred to UNL, and now you'd like some help getting to know the campus. Connect with an upperclass mentor who has experienced transferring to UNL. Your transfer student mentor can answer questions, refer you to campus resources, and help teach you the ins and outs of being a Husker.

Tutoring, Mentoring, and Consulting Services

You might find that you need clarification on a concept presented in a class or an upcoming assignment is testing the limits of your skills. Some students do better when they have a chance to learn with other students. You have lots of options for academic support at UNL – and they are free.

Writing Center
Chemistry Resource Center
Math Resource Center
Computer Science & Engineering Resource Center

The OASIS Academic Success Lab
Engineering Mechanics Tutoring and Instructional Laboratory
Spanish Tutoring Center
Statistics Help Desk





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Services & Resources

OFFICE OF SERVICES FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES (SSD)

If you have a disability, you can work with SSD to arrange for reasonable accommodations. UNL is committed to ensuring equal access to curricular and co-curricular opportunities.

COUNSELING AND PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES (CAPS)

Everybody needs help once in a while. At UNL you can confidentially reach out to psychologists, social workers, counselors and psychiatrists.

STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES / TRiO

If you come from a low-income household or are the first generation in your family to be on track to earn a college degree or have a disability, you may qualify for Student Support Services.

OFFICE OF ACADEMIC SUCCESS AND INTERCULTURAL SERVICES (OASIS)

OASIS works with all UNL students with an emphasis on meeting the needs of ethnic minority students and students receiving Diversity Enhancement Scholarships. You can take advantage of the rich opportunities provided through OASIS to engage with students of different ethnic and cultural backgrounds.

VETERAN STUDENTS

You can find resources in the Office of the University Registrar. You can also connect with the Student Veterans Organization for a community of students making the transition from military life.