



Andrews University

2019 Fall Fast Facts





Alumni and Friends of Andrews University

It is my pleasure as an alumna of Andrews University, and its president, to let you know that the University remains strong and is doing well! Let me share a few current highlights. This academic year a reorganization of our schools and colleges resulted in us moving from seven academic units to five (four colleges and the seminary). The fastest growing of these is the College of Health & Human Services, with almost 800 students studying in that college this fall. One of their newest and quickly growing programs is the MPH (fully accredited) and they are currently pursuing the introduction of a doctoral degree in occupational therapy.

The Seminary remains the largest academic unit when it comes to headcount and they also offer the most programs around North America and internationally. However, the College of Arts & Sciences is the largest if we count credits taught; this college also remains the heart of our undergraduate program. Our fourth college is the College of Professions, which houses the School of Business Administration and other professional degrees. They also offer a new certificate in Innovation & Entrepreneurship, the first step in creating a full-fledged Center for Innovation & Entrepreneurship. Our final college is the College of Education & International Services. Here you will find the School of Education, distance education and online services.

This college also manages our international affiliate programs. A recent exciting development is the Center for Leadership, which is starting with a certificate for the world church in Global Leadership.

As you walk around our campus I hope you will enjoy our beautiful campus (even in the winter!) and some of our latest buildings. The most recent is the Andreasen Center for Wellness which opened in September 2019 (see above).



Andrea Luxton
Andrea Luxton, president

This is a wonderful facility that reminds all of us daily of the need for comprehensive wellness in our own lives. From the spa, to the saltwater pool, to the fitness and classroom areas, the building speaks of the welcoming and inclusive message we want to send to our campus and local community. It stands across from the church, helping us reiterate our unified commitment to the academic, the physical and the spiritual.

Our brand statement at Andrews University is World Changers Made Here, and we take that charge very seriously. Students come to us from around the globe, they study around the globe and they graduate to serve around the world. We are committed to helping each student reach their potential and then commit to truly taking the best of what they have learned here to make a profound difference in the communities where they will live and work.

Though higher education in North America continues to be in a time of flux and change, our enrollment is showing encouraging signs of growth. Over a 12-month period we currently teach more than 5,500 students. Our alumni numbers continue to grow by around 600 students annually, whether from our main campus or from programs in Vietnam, Africa, Asia or Europe. Our alumni continue to positively influence their communities, their churches and the wider world.

I hope that you, with me, will continue to be enthusiastic about Andrews University and its future. Please do pray for us and with us, and continue to support us in whatever way you can. Together we will always be stronger.



Rankings

According to U.S. News & World Report's 2020 edition of "America's Best Colleges"

- Andrews continues to be the only Adventist university recognized as a national university
- 2nd in campus ethnic diversity
- 8th in most international students

Ranked on Forbes.com's 2019 list of 650 universities and colleges included in "America's Top Colleges"

Top 15% in "Best for the Money" category in College Factual

Top 1/3 of the Wall Street Journal/Times Higher Education ranking of more than 1,000 universities and colleges in the U.S.

PHILANTHROPIC SUPPORT

- The total value of all endowments is **\$60,698,008**
- A total of **\$17,571,546** was given in the last fiscal year
- \$329,270 was raised for **The Fund for Andrews** which supports student scholarships, academic resources and other annual operating costs

ALUMNI BENEFITS AND SERVICES

- **98,976**—number of alumni worldwide
- **181**—number of countries alumni and friends call home
- **Honored Alumni**—nominate committed professionals you've witnessed serving humanity
- **FOCUS Magazine**—access online at focus.andrews.edu
- **Legacy Scholarships**—a scholarship award given to family members of someone who previously graduated from Andrews. Three distinct scholarships available at alumni.andrews.edu/legacy
- **Liberty Mutual**—an insurance affinity partner
- **Alumni Events**—good food, campus updates and professional networking opportunities
- **Andrews Network**—join an Andrews online community to network, mentor and participate in the Career Center at alumni.andrews.edu/network
- Join us on popular social networking sites like **LinkedIn, Facebook, YouTube and Instagram**



To take advantage of these benefits and services, please register with the online community at alumni.andrews.edu.

ABOUT OUR CAMPUS

- Consists of **2,400** acres on the St. Joseph River, 12 miles from Lake Michigan.
- Includes **26 instructional buildings**, four residence halls, four apartment complexes, three libraries, an astronomy observatory, a 50,000-watt FM radio station, a performing arts center, two eateries, three museums, airpark, and a new wellness center.
- An officially registered **arboretum**, with more than 500 labeled trees and 150 species.
- **Andreasen Center for Wellness:** The Wellness Club features an indoor track, group fitness classes, individual cardio & weight machines, a saltwater pool, saunas, a spacious lobby, outdoor garden and more.
- **WAUS:** This campus-based FM station is Michiana's leading source of classical music.
- **Howard Performing Arts Center:** Attracting some of the best classical and Christian performers, our exceptional performing arts center is a great resource for employees, students and the wider Michiana community.
- **James White Library:** The largest and perhaps most important collection of research material in the Seventh-day Adventist Church. The library holdings contain more than 1.6 million pieces, including print volumes, microforms, media, electronic resources and periodical subscriptions. It also houses the Center for Adventist Research.



COLLEGES

- **Founded in 1874**—oldest Adventist institution for higher learning
- Consists of the following academic areas:
 - College of Arts & Sciences*
 - College of Education & International Services*
 - College of Health & Human Services*
 - College of Professions*
 - Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary*

STUDENTS AND FACULTY

- 4,754 undergraduate and graduate students enrolled at Andrews University in 2018–2019
- 778 additional Andrews University students* enrolled in global partner, affiliate and extension programs during 2018–2019
- 97—number of countries of origin represented
- 228—number of official teaching faculty, more than half of whom hold terminal or doctoral degrees
- Smaller classes for an enhanced learning experience
- 87%—student retention rate
- 57%—graduation rate

**An additional 5,042 students (unduplicated) were enrolled in ongoing professional development coursework through the School of Education during the 2018–2019 school year*