

## **Campus & Student Life**

As the urban campus of Washington State University--a land-grant research university founded in 1890--WSU Spokane provides an ideal atmosphere for learning by combining the high-quality scholarship of a top-rated research institution with the real-world experiences and lifestyle opportunities offered by its setting.

Internationally recognized faculty, hands-on learning, seminar-sized classes, ground breaking research, state-of-the-art facilities--you'll experience it all at WSU Spokane.

## **Premier Academics**

WSU Spokane specializes in graduate, doctoral, and professional academic programs that enable students to achieve their professional and educational goals. Our programs focus on:

- Health sciences and health professions
- Design disciplines
- Education
- Social and policy sciences
- Selected emerging fields

Bachelor's degree programs in select fields are available for those who have completed two years of credits in applicable undergraduate work at a community college, another WSU campus, or other accredited institutions.

Certification programs and specialty courses provide opportunities for personal enrichment and professional development.

Many classes are scheduled in the evenings, convenient for working adults.

## **Top Faculty**

Students at WSU Spokane engage with faculty recognized nationally and internationally for their expertise and contributions to science, business, government, culture, and society.

## **Diverse Student Mix**

Students at WSU Spokane range from full-time, traditional students to working adults balancing family responsibilities and community involvement along with their studies.

More than 1,500 students from across the nation and around the world choose WSU Spokane as their destination, enriching the learning experience on campus.

## **World-class Facilities**

The developing WSU Spokane campus features new, state-of-the-art buildings that house professional studios, labs, clinics with the latest equipment and technologies, and student gathering space.

WSU Spokane's library is a comprehensive electronic research facility with access to numerous online services and statewide library collections. This joint-use library, shared by WSU Spokane and Eastern Washington University, provides professional reference assistance for students.

Computer labs in campus buildings provide access to the latest software applications for student use and instruction. Telecommunications connect the Spokane campus to other educational sites and professors statewide.

Wireless Internet and e-mail access are available to all WSU Spokane students on campus.

Known as "the Bookie", our bookstore can be found in the South Campus Facility at 410 E. Spokane Falls Blvd. The bookstore is open Monday through Thursday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m, and Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

## **Student Life**

With a premier location along the Spokane River immediately adjacent to vibrant downtown, WSU Spokane's expanding campus offers students easy access to the city's dining, shopping, entertainment, and other amenities.

The region's countless lakes, parks, rivers, and mountains set the stage for outstanding four-season outdoor recreation.

WSU Spokane is based on the rapidly expanding Riverpoint Campus, at the center of a growing University District and a short walk from downtown Spokane via the Centennial Trail, which offers stunning views of the Spokane River.

The Associated Students of Washington State University Spokane (ASWSUS) sponsor a variety of activities and programs such as discounted tickets to concerts, theatre and recreational events to encourage a sense of community and a connection to the city.

Recent student activities have included hockey nights, intramural sports teams, concerts, lectures, ski trips, and fitness club memberships. Student government also offers a limited number of child care subsidies for student parents.

There are a growing number of campus student organizations, many connected to professions, and personal interests. These organizations may sponsor lectures or other opportunities to connect with professionals in the region. A number of students take advantage of the opportunity to attend national meetings of their organizations and

present papers, or enter design competitions, with assistance from the ASWSUS travel grant program.

## **Supportive Staff**

Student Affairs staff are committed to enhancing the student experience and providing assistance with a variety of needs, including personal and career counseling, employment, international student services, housing, admissions, enrollment, financial aid, photo ID cards, and accommodation for disabilities.

Student activities also include a brown bag lecture series, campus newsletter, orientation, and opportunities to get to know other students and Spokane. Students are encouraged to become active participants in campus life and governance by serving on a variety of campus committees.

WSU Spokane security personnel promote campus safety by offering patrols of campus property; escorts to the parking lot for students, faculty and staff; and help with vehicle lockouts.

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## **STUDENT AFFAIRS STAFF**

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