

University of Maryland University College

A Perspective on Broadband



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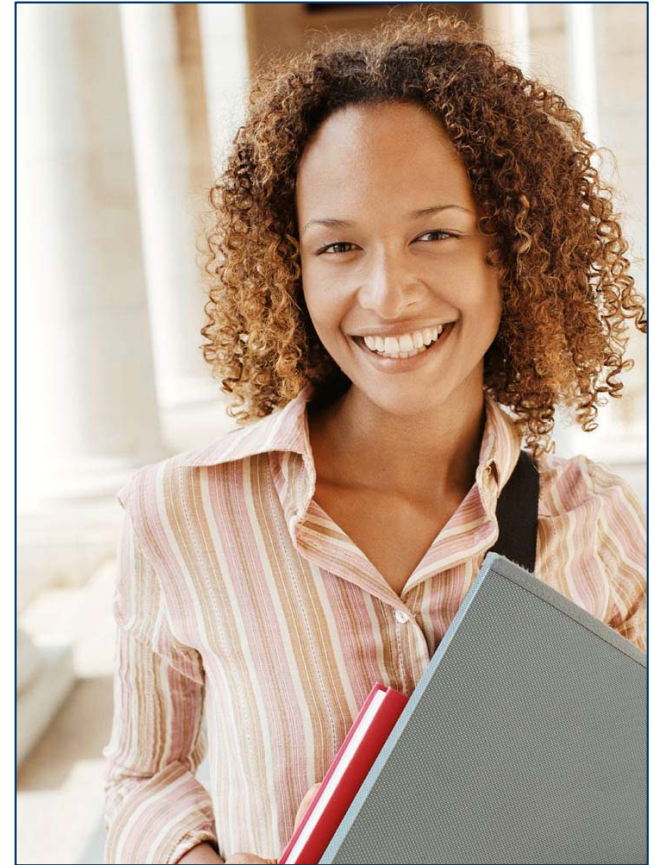
- Maryland's leading adult and continuing higher education institution;
- the principal provider of worldwide higher education services to the U.S. military for more than 60 years;
- one of the largest public providers of fully online university courses, programs, and services in the world.

About UMUC

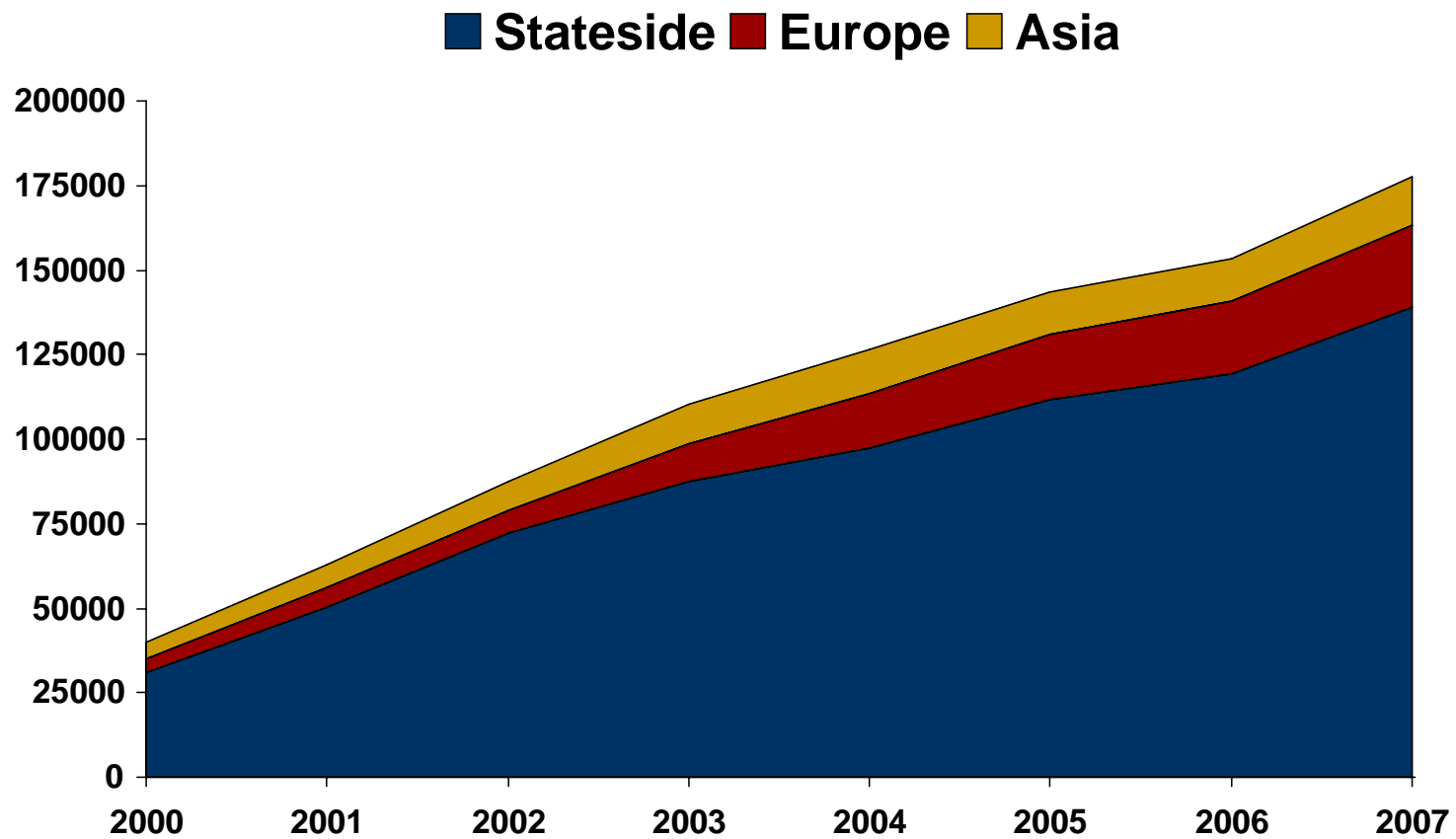
- Founded in 1947.
- Accredited by the **Middle States Commission on Higher Education.**
- A degree-granting public university of the University System of Maryland.
- A global university, serving more than 90,000 students and employing more than 3,000 faculty worldwide.

About Our Students

- **90% are working adults.**
- **Median age is 31 years.**
- **57% are women.**
- **Almost 50% of undergraduates are first-in-family college students.**
- **42% are under-represented minorities.
31% are African Americans**

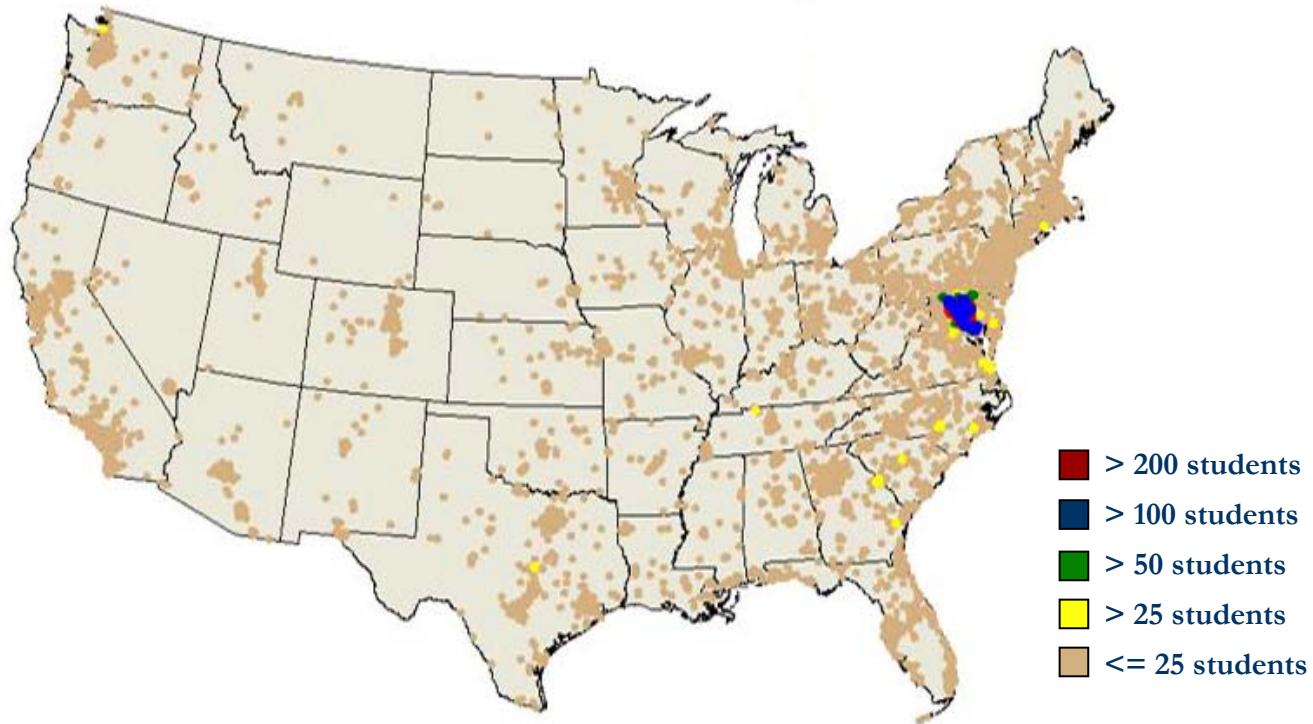


Worldwide Online Enrollments



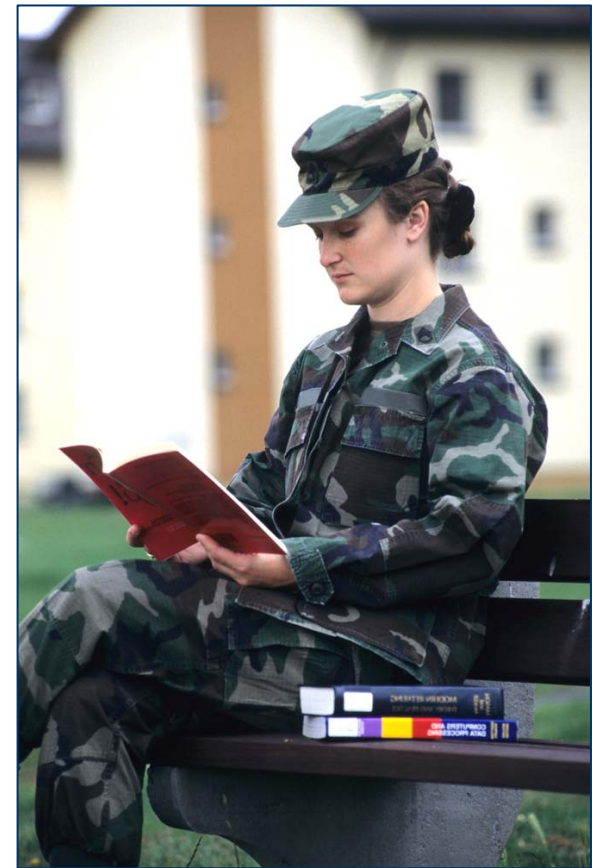
U.S. Online Students

ONLINE STUDENT HEADCOUNT BY ZIP CODE



Serving the U.S. Military

- UMUC is the principal provider of higher education services to active-duty service members (and their families) and veterans worldwide.
- UMUC also serves nearly 10,000 active-duty military students across the United States.

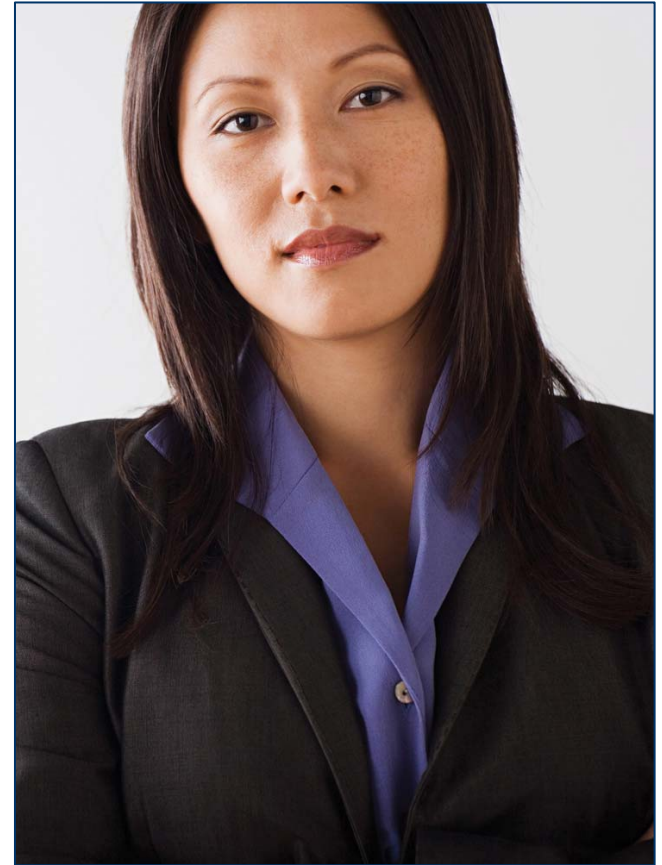


Serving the U.S. Military Overseas

- UMUC-Europe: Headquarters in Heidelberg, Germany
Classes offered at >100 locations in 21 countries
- UMUC-Asia: Headquarters in Yokota, Japan
Classes offered at 50 locations throughout Asia and the Pacific

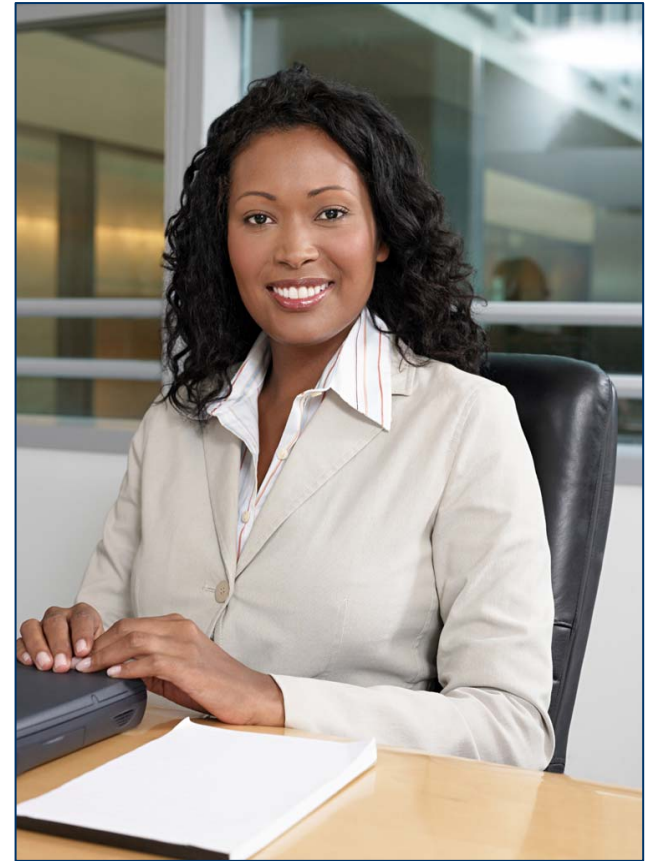
UMUC's Academic Programs

- 32 undergraduate degree programs
- 14 master's degree programs
- The Doctor of Management (DM) program
- Baccalaureate and postbaccalaureate certificates



UMUC and Distance Education

- All 14 master's degree programs, 27 of 32 bachelor's degree programs, and 58 certificate programs are available entirely online.
- More than 800 individual courses are available online.
- More than 189,000 online enrollments were recorded in 2008.



International Collaborations

Dual-degree Programs, Collaborative Programs, and Faculty Exchanges

- Baikal School of International Business at Irkutsk State University, Russia
- Far Eastern National University in Vladivostok, Russia
- Carl von Ossietzky Universitat, Oldenburg, Germany
- Higher School of Insurance and Finance in Sofia, Bulgaria
- Athabasca University in Athabasca, Canada
- University of Vaasa in Vaasa, Finland
- Aydin University in Istanbul, Turkey

Benefits of Online

- Provide access to underrepresented groups
42% minorities (33% African Americans)
- Respond quickly to workforce needs
Biotech, Homeland Security, Info Assurance
- Overcome time & geographic barriers
>90% working, most F/T
- Strengthen technology fluency & information literacy

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