

# why choose UMaine

- The University of Maine is home to over 450 international students from 63 countries.
- We offer **nearly 100** undergraduate majors and programs, and 85 master's and 35 doctoral degree programs.
- Take advantage of excellent **research, internship and co-op opportunities** during your academic program.
- Maine offers an incomparable living laboratory in the field and at the university's many **state-of-the-art facilities**, both on and off campus.
- UMaine has one of the lowest student-faculty ratios and one of the highest percentages of **classes under 20 students** for a major research university in the northeast U.S.
- Maine is rated the **safest state in the U.S.** by the Institute for Economics and Peace, and the happiest place to live in New England by the journal Science.

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unique university.

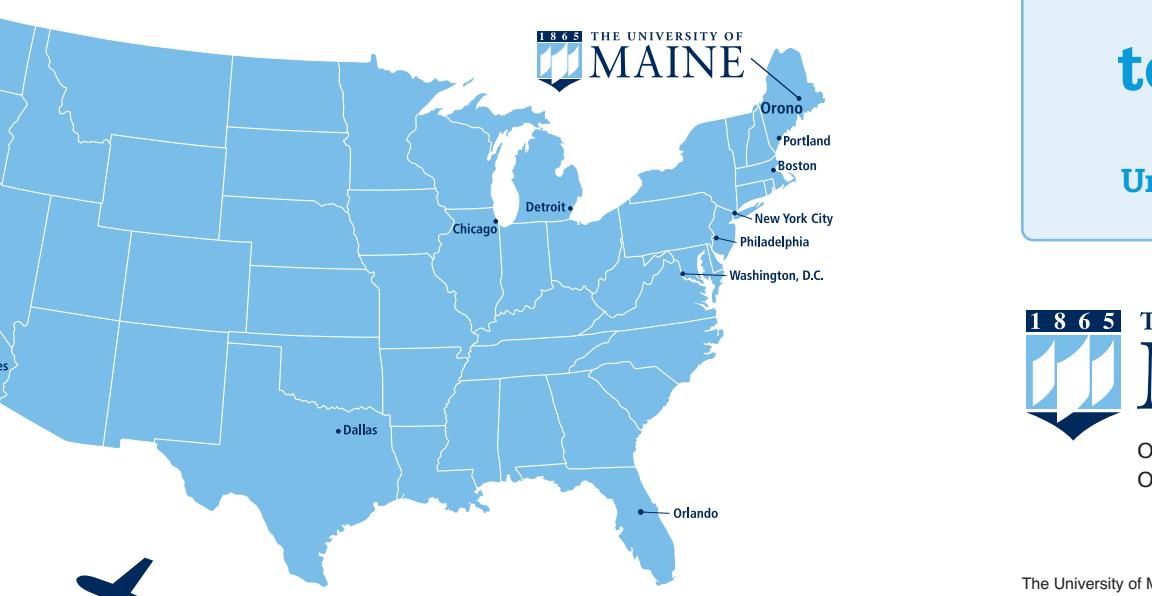


Several major airlines serve Bangor International Airport, with daily flights to New York City, Washington D.C., Philadelphia and Detroit.

- 4-hour drive to Boston
- 1-hour flight to New York City
- 2-hour flight to Washington D.C.

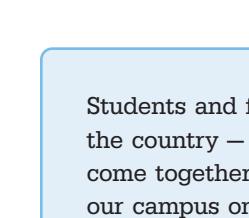
Ranked in the **TOP 100**  
public colleges and universities by  
U.S. News & World Report (2017)

Among America's  
**BEST 382**  
Universities and Colleges  
Princeton Review (2018)



UMaine is located in Orono, a classic college town just five miles from the city of Bangor (population 33,000), with more than 200 retail shops and restaurants.

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Students and faculty from all over the country – and the world – come together at UMaine, making our campus one of the most diverse communities in the state.

**Define tomorrow**

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University of Maine



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**107,000+**  
alumni worldwide



# beyond your expectations

## academic areas

- Education and Human Development
- Engineering
- Honors
- Liberal Arts and Sciences
- Maine Business School
- Natural Sciences, Forestry, and Agriculture
- Graduate School
- UMaine Online



**97%**  
of full-time  
tenured faculty  
hold Ph.D.s

**16:1**  
Student-faculty ratio  
one of the  
lowest among  
major national  
research  
universities



The University of Maine has an excellent reputation in the state of Maine and beyond, and regularly sends students to top-ranked graduate schools and employers. Tuition costs are reasonable and the location provides a great quality of life, with the best natural resources of the East with major urban centers easily reachable by car or plane. Come see why more than 107,000 worldwide alumni are proud of their decision to attend the University of Maine.



## Intensive English Language Institute

The Intensive English Institute (IEI) at the University of Maine provides quality English language instruction for students at all levels in a fun, safe and small group environment, with access to all campus resources. IEI prepares international students for success in academic study, and offers opportunities for positive cultural experiences in Maine and the United States. [umaine.edu/iei](http://umaine.edu/iei)

### Student Clubs and Organizations

The university offers more than 200 student organizations. Whether you're interested in sports clubs, athletic organizations, honor societies, recreational groups, professional development organizations or multicultural societies — or even starting your own student organization — you will find friends who share your interest. For a list of current clubs, visit [umaine.edu/campus-life](http://umaine.edu/campus-life).

### Arts and Culture

The arts are a way of life at UMaine. You can catch a Broadway show, see world-famous artists perform, participate in a student play and visit world-traveling museum exhibits right on campus. Learn more about the university's offerings at [umaine.edu/thearts](http://umaine.edu/thearts).

### Sports

Ice hockey is a Maine tradition when watching with 5,000 students and fans at Alfond Arena. The Wall Street Journal calls the Alfond the "best atmosphere" for hockey viewing in America. Overall, UMaine competes in 17 NCAA Division I sports and offers more than 30 club sports. Indoor soccer is just one example of popular year-round activities available on campus. Find out more about UMaine athletics at [umaine.edu/campus-life](http://umaine.edu/campus-life).



### Undergraduate Students

International students can apply to nearly 100 undergraduate majors. Right from the start, first-year students get to work on building the skills they need after life at UMaine. Faculty members welcome students to work alongside them on research projects, helping students gain workplace experience through close mentor-mentee relationships. UMaine's Foster Center for Student Innovation exposes students to the real-life workplace dynamics they will encounter after graduation. At the center, students develop their innovative ideas into innovative business models, as well as hone the skills they need as entrepreneurs. The Center for Undergraduate Research allows motivated and interested students to become critically engaged in a culture of independent learning and participate in the creation of new knowledge.



### Scholarships

All first-year, transfer and graduate international applicants to the University of Maine are considered for scholarships. [umaine.edu/international](http://umaine.edu/international)



## application process

### For more information and to apply:

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