

QUICK FACTS

FOR A
BETTER
WORLD



LEWIS UNIVERSITY



**1,000 STUDENTS
LIVE IN LEWIS'
12 RESIDENCE HALLS**

DID YOU KNOW?

- ▶ Lewis has been selected as a **Best for Vets College** by *Military Times*.
- ▶ Lewis is one of only 19 colleges in Illinois recognized as a **College of Distinction**.
- ▶ Lewis is the **eighth largest** private University in Illinois.
- ▶ More than **40 Chiefs of Police** nationally are Lewis alumni.
- ▶ The Science Center attracts both undergraduate and graduate **degree students to STEM majors**.
- ▶ Lewis is a pioneer in aviation education and owns a **MD-80, donated by American Airlines**, utilized for aviation clinical experiences.
- ▶ Lewis is one of the few schools in the nation to offer a degree in **unmanned aircraft systems**.

TOP 5

TOP 5 BEST PRIVATE COLLEGE VALUE

TOP 20

TOP 20 MIDWEST REGIONAL UNIVERSITY
by U.S. News & World Report

96%

96% PASS RATE for NURSING LICENSURE
(over the past 5 years)



Gaffney Student Center

why LEWIS?

Through innovation in the classroom and a dedicated commitment to the success of every student, **we develop graduates who are ready to transform the world.**



ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

Innovative, forward-thinking programs prepare you for the careers of tomorrow.



MORE THAN A DEGREE

Students, faculty and staff from all walks of life come together to challenge and support each other toward academic, personal, professional and spiritual growth.



DEDICATED FACULTY

Outstanding professors with real-world experience will teach, mentor and guide you in and out of the classroom.



CATHOLIC IDENTITY

Ethics and values-based decision making are a core component of a Lewis education. Inclusiveness and respect for all faiths enriches our spiritual life.



YOU ARE NOT A NUMBER

You benefit from direct, hands-on experience and work side-by-side with professors and classmates.



POWERFUL OUTCOMES

Lewis graduates experience higher overall earning potential and career advancement opportunities than many of our peer institutions.



ACTIVITIES

- ▶ Lewis provides **100+ student organizations, Club Sports, Intramurals**, educational and cultural events each semester.
- ▶ Acting in **Philip Lynch Theatre** productions, writing for **The Flyer** newspaper, and singing in the **Gospel Choir** are just a few opportunities available to students, regardless of their majors.

SPECIAL OPPORTUNITIES

- ▶ The **Scholars Academy and Science Connections Program**, offering intellectually challenging opportunities to pursue learning beyond scheduled coursework.
- ▶ The **Study Abroad Program**, providing learning opportunities in Ireland, Mexico, England, Italy, China and elsewhere.
- ▶ **State-of-the-art simulation equipment** designed to enhance your learning through hands-on experience.
- ▶ Ministry-sponsored **service projects** such as Habitat for Humanity.
- ▶ **Pre-professional programs** in the health professions, engineering and law.



95% OF OUR MOST RECENT GRADUATES WOULD RECOMMEND LEWIS TO OTHERS



100+ PROGRAMS OFFERED

Since its beginnings as an aeronautical technical school in 1932, Lewis has been a pioneer in aviation education. In addition to aviation majors in flight, maintenance, and unmanned aircraft systems (UAS), strong professional programs offered today include nursing, computer science, criminal justice, education, STEM majors and the business professions. Visit our website at lewisu.edu to learn more.

6,200 TOTAL STUDENTS

A majority are from the Midwest with international students representing more than **59 different countries**. Lewis welcomes students of all cultures and faith traditions, and has a **diversity rate of 40 percent** for the undergraduate student body.

250 FULL-TIME FACULTY

Lewis has approximately 250 full-time faculty members who take students' personal and professional success to heart. Student/faculty ratio is 13:1.

40K ALUMNI

With nearly **40,000 alumni worldwide**, Lewis University offers the opportunity to connect and network within our powerful alumni community.

98% FINANCIAL AID

98% of **new incoming Lewis students receive financial assistance**. Approximately \$60 million is awarded each year through federal, state, institutional and donor funding.



NCAA DIVISION II FLYER ATHLETICS



Lewis University is a member of the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Division II, the Great Lakes Valley Conference (GLVC), the Midwestern Intercollegiate Volleyball Association (MIVA) for men's volleyball and the National Cheerleaders Association (NCA).

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**NATIONAL
TEAM
CHAMPIONS**

201

**NCAA
POSTSEASON
APPEARANCES**

33

**NCAA INDIVIDUAL
CHAMPIONS**

4

**FINAL FOUR
APPEARANCES**

56

**CONFERENCE
CHAMPIONSHIPS**

5

**NATIONAL
RUNNER-UPS**

481

**ALL-AMERICAN
RECIPIENTS**

83

**CONFERENCE
TOURNAMENT
CHAMPIONS**

WOMEN'S SPORTS

- ▶ Basketball
- ▶ Bowling
- ▶ Cross Country
- ▶ Golf
- ▶ Lacrosse
- ▶ Soccer
- ▶ Softball
- ▶ Swimming
- ▶ Tennis
- ▶ Track & Field (Indoor)
- ▶ Track and Field (Outdoor)
- ▶ Volleyball

MEN'S SPORTS

- ▶ Baseball
- ▶ Basketball
- ▶ Cross Country
- ▶ Golf
- ▶ Lacrosse
- ▶ Soccer
- ▶ Swimming
- ▶ Tennis
- ▶ Track and Field (Indoor)
- ▶ Track and Field (Outdoor)
- ▶ Volleyball

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2022-23 COSTS

- ▶ **Full-time undergraduate (traditional) student:**
\$36,320/year
Block rate: 12-18 semester hours
- ▶ **Room & Meals**
\$11,956/year
(Average cost of room & board)



HISTORY

Lewis University was founded in 1932.



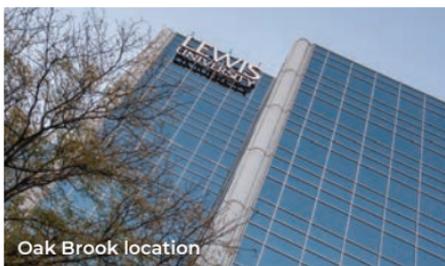
It began as the Holy Name Technical School for boys and was established on land donated by Michael and Frances Fitzpatrick of Lockport. Aviation technology became the special emphasis of instruction and the origin of today's highly regarded College of Aviation.

During World War II, hundreds of Navy flight instructors were trained at Lewis. In 1952, renamed Lewis College of Science and Technology, the school granted its first baccalaureate degrees. In 1960, the **De La Salle Christian Brothers** – members of a religious congregation devoted exclusively to teaching who have been “transforming lives since 1680” – assumed direction of the institution which became Lewis College in 1962.

Accredited by North Central Association in 1963, it became Lewis University in 1973. The University is now coeducational and nationally recognized.

LOCATIONS

Lewis University students benefit from our proximity to Chicago with its many opportunities for internships, community service, cultural events, employment, entertainment and more. The main campus is located in Romeoville in Will County, 35 miles from downtown Chicago. Additional sites are in Oak Brook and Albuquerque, NM.



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