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Facts about Boise State University



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Boise State University

Boise State is Idaho's urban university, located in the state's population center and capital city, a hub of government and law, business and finance, the arts, health care, industry and technology. The university offers a variety of undergraduate, graduate and technical programs to serve the diverse needs of the area.

In addition to its main campus located less than one mile from downtown Boise, the university operates education centers in Canyon County, McCall, Mountain Home Air Force Base, Gowen Field and Twin Falls.

The university has an extensive evening program at both the undergraduate and graduate levels, and the summer session is the state's largest.

Boise State is accredited by the Northwest Association of Schools and Colleges. Several individual programs are accredited by professional accrediting associations.

Through all of its programs, BSU is fulfilling its commitment to the citizens of Idaho by providing quality teaching, research and public service.

ADMINISTRATION

President:

Dr. Charles P. Ruch 385-1491

Provost/Vice President for Academic Affairs:

Dr. Daryl Jones 385-1202

Vice President for Finance & Administration:

Mr. Buster Neel 385-1200

Vice President for Student Affairs:

Dr. David S. Taylor 385-1418

UNIVERSITY HISTORY

1932 — Boise Junior College founded by
Episcopal Church.

1934 — BJC governed by board of directors
after Episcopal Church ends affiliation.

1940 — Campus moved from original location
at St. Margaret's Hall to present site.

1965 — BJC initiated baccalaureate degrees and
became Boise College.

1969 — School moved to state system of higher
education and named Boise State College.

1974 — BSC named Boise State University.

PRESIDENTS

1932-34 — Bishop Middleton Barnwell

1937-67 — Dr. Eugene Chaffee

1967-77 — Dr. John Barnes

1978-91 — Dr. John Keiser

1993- — Dr. Charles Ruch

FACILITIES

The university is located on a 110-acre campus that includes 60 buildings. BSU facilities include the Special Events Center (capacity 435), the Grace Jordan Grand Ballroom in the Student Union (1,000), Bronco Stadium (23,000), Pavilion (12,000), Morrison Center (2,000) and Centennial Amphitheatre (800).

Boise State has several off-campus facilities:

- A satellite campus at 2407 Caldwell Boulevard in Nampa, where a variety of applied technology programs and continuing education courses are offered.
- A six-court tennis complex and horticulture greenhouse just east of campus.
- A wastewater treatment program training facility in Meridian.

PROJECTS IN PROGRESS

Under construction: Bronco Stadium expansion; classroom/laboratory building; health science renovation; residence hall renovation; Canyon County Center renovation.

In planning stages: Engineering/Technology Building and Continuing Education Building.

DEGREES OFFERED

Associate	6
Baccalaureate	63
Master's	22
Doctorate	1
Associate of Applied Science	21
Technical Certificate	19

TUITION & FEES Resident Non-Resident (Per Semester)

Tuition (New Students) \$	0.00	\$2,673.00
Fees (Undergraduate)	982.00	982.00
Total (Undergraduate)	982.00	3,655.00
Fees (Graduate)	1,208.00	1,208.00
Total (Graduate)	1,208.00	3,881.00
Part-time (Graduate) \$108 credit/hr.		
Part-time (Undergraduate) \$85 credit/hr.		

1995 ENROLLMENT

Fall Headcount	14,969
Full-Time Equivalent (FTE)	10,338
Summer Sessions (Headcount)	6,390

ACADEMIC ENROLLMENT

Undergraduate

Freshman	3,176	22%
Sophomore	2,621	18%
Junior	2,070	15%
Senior	3,186	22%
Special (non-degree)	1,135	8%
Graduate	2,107	15%

LARGEST ENROLLMENTS BY MAJOR

Associate Degree Program

Nursing	205
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Bachelor's Degree Programs

Elementary Teacher Education	712
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Accounting	559
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Nursing	457
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Psychology	376
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Business Management	351
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Graduate Programs

Business Admin./Management	188
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ENROLLMENT BY COLLEGE

Arts & Sciences	3,972
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Social Sciences & Public Affairs	2,456
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Business	2,563
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Education	1,741
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Health Science	1,642
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Technology	1,409
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School of Applied Technology	614
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School of Engineering Technology ..	795
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Graduate College*	1,146
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* Approximately 950 additional graduate students are accounted for in other BSU colleges.

DEGREES CONFERRED, 1995

Associate	204
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Baccalaureate	1,252
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Master's	177
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Certificate	<u>172</u>
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Total	1,805
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STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS*

Age Group

19 or younger	2,279	15.7%
20-24 years	4,837	33.3%
25-39 years	5,138	35.3%
40-49 years	1,798	12.4%
50 and over	490	3.3%

Ethnicity

Non-Resident Alien	177	1.2%
Black Non-Hispanic	124	.8%
American Indian	148	1.0%
Asian/Pacific Islander	280	1.9%
Hispanic	539	3.7%
White	12,354	85.0%
Ethnicity Unknown	921	6.4%

Gender

Male	6,152	42.3%
Female	8,391	57.7%

Residency

Idaho	13,585	90.8%
Outside Idaho	1,384	9.2%

Enrollment Status

Full Time	7,592	52.2%
Part Time	6,951	47.8%

* Does not include students enrolled in cooperative programs.

FINANCIAL AID - 1994-95

Total awarded	\$31,000,000
Number of students	(approx) 7,700

FINANCES, 1995-96

Current Revenues

State Appropriations	
General Account	\$55,959,000
Student Fees	13,787,000
Other Student Fees	9,884,000
Federal Grants and Contracts	11,659,000
State Grants and Contracts	3,197,000
Private Gifts, Grants & Contracts	4,853,000
Sales and Services of Educ. Act.	4,651,000
Sales and Services of Aux. Ent.	17,832,000
Indirect Costs	756,000
Other	<u>2,986,000</u>
Total Revenues	\$125,564,000

Current Expenditures

Instruction	\$48,812,000
Research	3,133,000
Public Service	4,861,000
Academic Support	6,058,000
Library	4,448,000
Student Services	4,871,000
Institutional Support	9,382,000
Physical Plant	6,992,000
Scholarships & Fellowships	9,568,000
Auxiliary Enterprises	25,155,000
Mandatory Transfers	1,662,000
Other	<u>622,000</u>
Total Expenditures	\$125,564,000

NUMBER OF LIVING ALUMNI

Total	46,100
In Idaho	28,000
(Boise Metro Area	16,000)

BSU FOUNDATION ENDOWMENT

Scholarships	\$10,975,626
General	6,996,270
Other	<u>656,065</u>
Total	\$18,627,961

Total Assets	\$27,615,879
Named Endowments	413
Number of Donors, 1995	4,243

OUTREACH

BSU serves more than 30,000 people annually through workshops, seminars, short courses, apprenticeship training and other non-credit programs. Some of the units responsible for outreach education include the Division of Continuing Education and Outreach Programs, College of Technology, Adult Learning Center, Center for New Directions, Center for Management Development, Small Business and Economic Development Center and Idaho Council on Economic Education.

Approximately 750,000 people attend cultural, athletic and entertainment events on campus annually.

NUMBER OF FACULTY AND STAFF (1995-96)

Faculty	521
Part-time Faculty	354
Professional	333
Classified	<u>584</u>
Total*	1,792

*Temporary employees are not included in this total

INSTRUCTIONAL FACULTY (1995-96)

	Tenure	
	Tenured	Track
Professor	159	1
Associate	102	8
Assistant	20	86
Instructor	0	6
Applied Technology	31	18

ALBERTSONS LIBRARY

Renovated and expanded library includes 4,700 journals, 440,000 total volumes, 124,000 maps and is depository for federal documents. Access to other materials through Western Library Network.

Collections include papers of U.S. senators Frank Church and Len B. Jordan, Gov. Cecil Andrus, Rep. Larry LaRocco and Warren McCain Collection of Western Life and Letters.

RESEARCH UNITS

- Center for the Geophysical Investigation of the Shallow Subsurface.
- Permian Research Institute.
- Raptor Research and Technical Assistance Center.
- Center for School Improvement.
- Survey Research Center.
- Boise Future Foundation.
- Cognitive Research Institute.
- Center for Health Policy.
- Idaho Center for the Book.
- Idaho Writers Archive.
- Idaho Film Collection.

RESEARCH GRANTS & CONTRACTS

1994-95 \$9.9 million

BROADCAST SERVICES

The BSU Radio Network includes two FM stations that reach southwest and south central Idaho and an AM station that reaches southwest Idaho.

Through the Simplot/Micron Instructional Technology Center, BSU delivers courses via satellite, cable and microwave systems.

INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS

Studies abroad sites include France, Great Britain, Spain, Germany, Italy, Mexico, Costa Rica, Thailand, Australia, Quebec and Chile. BSU hosts 100 Japanese students annually from Asia University in Tokyo, has an exchange program agreement with Nankai University in the People's Republic of China, is a partner in the Campus in Spain program, and offers an MBA program in Hanoi, Vietnam.

INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS

Men's teams

Football, basketball, cross country, track and field, wrestling, golf and tennis.

Women's teams

Volleyball, basketball, cross country, track and field, gymnastics, golf and tennis.

Conferences

Big Sky Conference for all sports except gymnastics (Big West) and wrestling (Pac-10). BSU will join the Big West Conference in fall 1996.

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