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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, Boise State University 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 Advancement:

Dr. William Ruud 385-3276

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 (30,000), Pavilion (12,000), Morrison Center (2,000) and Centennial Amphitheatre (800).

Boise State also 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.

CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

Completed in 1997: Bronco Stadium expansion; classroom/laboratory building; Canyon County Center renovation.

In planning stages: Two engineering buildings and continuing education building.

DEGREES OFFERED

Doctorate	1
Master's	35
Baccalaureate	88
Associate of Applied Science	21
Associate	6
Technical Certificate	19

TUITION & FEES (FALL 1997)

(Per Semester)	Resident	Non-Resident
Undergraduate		
Tuition (New Students)	\$ 0	\$2,940
Fees	<u>1,147</u>	<u>1,147</u>
Total (Undergraduate)	\$1,147	\$4,087
Graduate		
Tuition (New Students)	\$ 0	\$2,940
Fees	<u>1,361</u>	<u>1,361</u>
Total (Graduate)	\$1,361	\$4,301

Part-time (Graduate) \$125 credit/hr.

Part-time (Undergraduate) \$99 credit/hr.

FALL 1997 ENROLLMENT

Fall Headcount	15,467
Full-Time Equivalent (FTE)	10,536
Summer Sessions (Headcount)	6,479

ACADEMIC ENROLLMENT

Undergraduate

Freshman	3,463	24%
Sophomore	2,504	17%
Junior	2,075	14%
Senior	3,251	22%
Special (non-degree)	1,331	9%
Graduate	2,105	14%

LARGEST ENROLLMENTS BY MAJOR

Associate Degree Program

Nursing 239

Bachelor's Degree Programs

Elementary Teacher Education 827

Accounting 542

Nursing 433

Business Management 408

Computer Information Systems 378

Graduate Programs

Business Admin./Management 325

ENROLLMENT BY COLLEGE

Applied Technology 670

Arts & Sciences 4,489

Social Sciences & Public Affairs 2,341

Business 2,666

Education 2,120

Engineering 777

Health Sciences 1,626

Graduate College* 744

* Approximately 1,450 additional graduate students are accounted for in other BSU colleges.

DEGREES CONFERRED, 1997

Doctorate 4

Master's 254

Baccalaureate 1,226

Associate 262

Certificate 162

Total 1,908

STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS*

Age Group

19 or younger	2,647	17.2%
20-24 years	5,093	33.0%
25-39 years	5,352	34.7%
40-49 years	1,757	11.4%
50 and over	584	3.8%

Ethnicity

Non-Resident Alien	173	1.1%
Black Non-Hispanic	158	1.0%
American Indian	182	1.2%
Asian/Pacific Islander	337	2.2%
Hispanic	637	4.1%
White	13,154	85.2%
Ethnicity Unknown	792	5.1%

Gender

Male	6,469	41.9%
Female	8,964	58.1%

Residency

Idaho	13,886	90%
Outside Idaho	1,547	10%

Enrollment Status

Full Time	7,482	48.5%
Part Time	7,951	51.5%

FINANCIAL AID, 1996-97

Total awarded	\$39,237,141
Approximate number of students	8,400

BUDGET, 1997-98

Current Revenues

State Appropriations	.
General Account	\$58,577,000
Student Fees	16,651,000
Other Student Fees	15,938,000
Federal Grants and Contracts	12,606,000
State Grants and Contracts	3,430,000
Private Gifts, Grants & Contracts	2,967,000
Sales and Services of Educ. Act.	4,987,000
Sales and Services of Aux. Ent.	20,098,000
Indirect Costs	764,000
Other	<u>3,735,000</u>
Total Revenues	\$139,753,000

Current Expenditures

Instruction	\$53,143,000
Research	4,005,000
Public Service	4,627,000
Academic Support	6,730,000
Library	4,959,000
Student Services	5,496,000
Institutional Support	10,392,000
Physical Plant	8,340,000
Scholarships & Fellowships	10,617,000
Auxiliary Enterprises	29,209,000
Mandatory Transfers	1,739,000
Other	<u>496,000</u>
Total Expenditures	\$139,753,000

NUMBER OF LIVING GRADUATES

(AS OF JULY 1997)

Total	39,059
Within Idaho	26,255
Within Treasure Valley	23,473

BSU FOUNDATION ENDOWMENT

(AS OF JULY 1, 1997)

Endowed scholarships	\$20,289,853
General	7,885,299
Other	<u>3,154,484</u>
Total	\$31,329,636

Total Assets	\$46,110,632
Named Endowments	470
Number of Donors, 1996	4,542

OUTREACH

Boise State University serves more than 30,000 people annually through workshops, short courses, apprenticeship training and other non-credit programs. Outreach education is provided by the Division of Continuing Education and Outreach Programs, Larry Selland College of Applied Technology, Adult Learning Center, Center for New Directions, Center for Management Development, Idaho Small Business Development Center and Idaho Council on Economic Education.

Approximately 800,000 people attend cultural, athletic and entertainment events on campus annually.

NUMBER OF FACULTY AND STAFF, 1997

Faculty	536
Part-time Faculty	357
Professional	346
Classified	<u>570</u>
Total*	1,809

*Temporary employees are not included in this total

INSTRUCTIONAL FACULTY, 1997

	Tenured	Tenure Track
Professor	162	2
Associate	110	9
Assistant	22	98
Instructor	0	5
Applied Technology	35	5

(excludes 12 nontenure track)

ALBERTSONS LIBRARY

Renovated and expanded library includes 4,800 journals, 480,000 total volumes, 128,000 maps and is a depository for U.S. and Canadian documents. There is access to other materials through the Western Library Network and other electronic data bases.

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

RESEARCH UNITS

- Archeology Research Institute
- Cognitive Research Institute
- Environmental Finance Center
- Center for the Geophysical Investigation of the Shallow Subsurface
- Idaho Film Collection
- Idaho Center for the Book
- Idaho Writers Archive
- Permian Research Institute
- Center for Public Policy and Administration
- Raptor Research and Technical Assistance Center
- Center for School Improvement
- Social Science Research Center

RESEARCH GRANTS & CONTRACTS

1996-97 \$8.7 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 cable and microwave systems. The Distance Learning Network connects 11 southwest Idaho school districts via microwave.

INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS

Studies abroad sites include France, Great Britain, Spain, Germany, Italy, Mexico, Costa Rica, Thailand, Australia, Quebec and Chile. Boise State 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. Soccer will be added in fall 1998.

Conferences

Big West Conference for all sports except wrestling (Pac-10).

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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