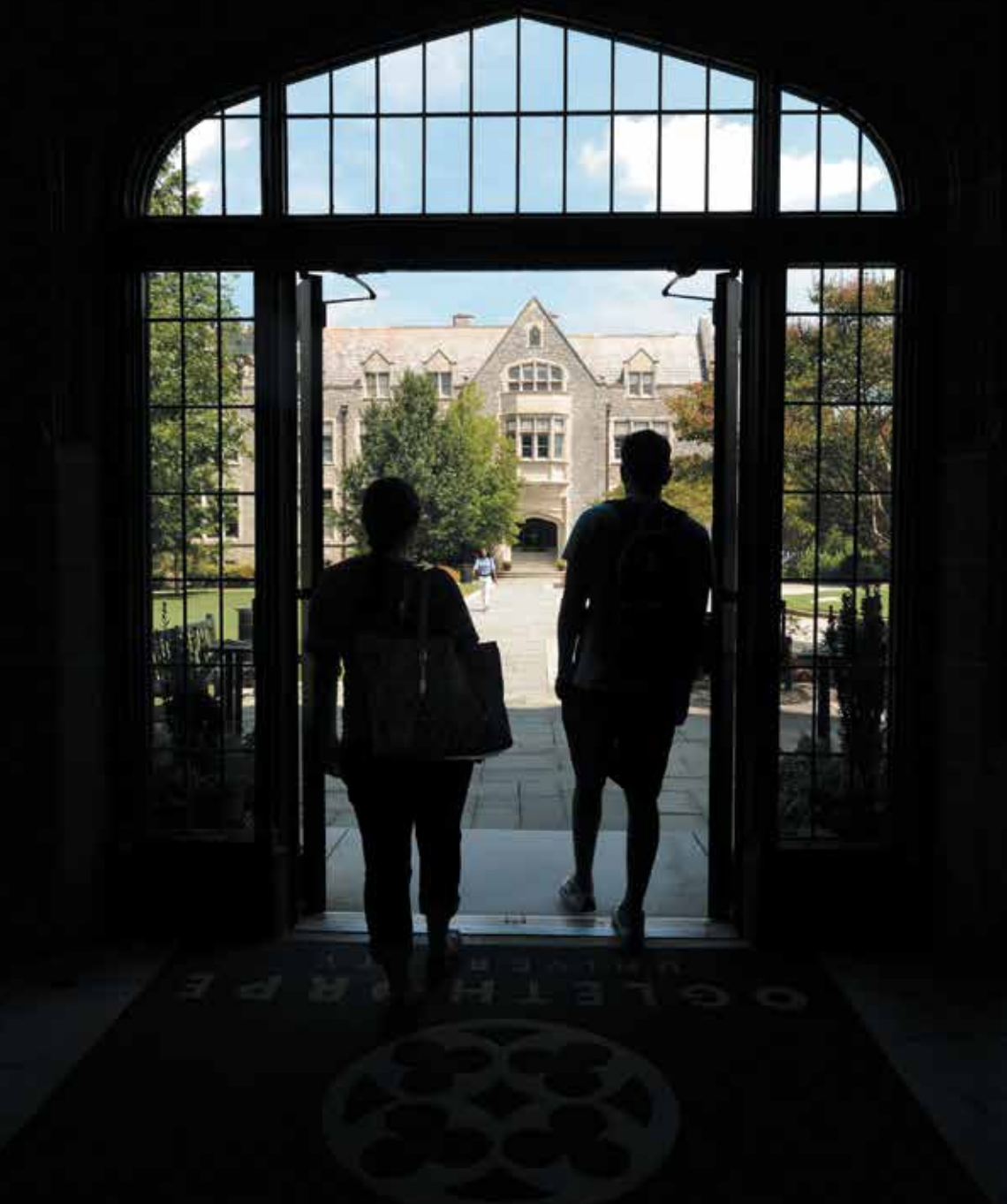


THIS IS OGLETHORPE





Founded in 1835, Oglethorpe is a small private college in the big city. A place where you learn to think and do. A place where excellent teaching is paired with practical experience that opens doors to opportunities for research, internships, grad schools and careers. A traditional, historic campus where the students are as diverse as the living laboratory of Atlanta in which we live. This is a place where you can be you. A place where you will make a difference.

This is Oglethorpe. Is this you?

QUICK FACTS

SIZE

~1,500 Total enrollment
15:1 Student-faculty ratio
17 Average class size

STUDENT BODY

36 states
23 countries
51% U.S. minority
11% international
41% men
59% women
21% Greek
27% student-athletes

ADMISSION AT A GLANCE

Early Action & Rolling Admission

- EA Deadline: November 1
- Rolling admission with decision & merit award in two weeks

The Stats

GPA Average: 3.5-4.0
ACT Average: 22-29
SAT Average: 1110-1280

Your Application

We conduct a holistic review of the items in your application file:

- Application: Common App or OU App
- Official Transcripts
- Extracurricular Involvement
- Personal Statement
- ACT or SAT scores (optional)
- Evaluative Interview or Video Submission (optional)
- Letters of Recommendation (optional)

Academic credits are awarded for eligible dual-enrollment, AP and IB credits. Students earning an IB diploma will be awarded a \$1,500/yr scholarship and may be eligible for advanced status.

ATLANTA LABORATORY FOR LEARNING

Oglethorpe is home to the Atlanta Laboratory for Learning (A_LAB), which serves as a gateway to the city of Atlanta and beyond. Students pair their liberal arts and sciences education with powerful real-world experiences in civic engagement, study abroad, internships and professional development. The A_LAB provides the knowledge, resources, network, and support to help students map their own four-year journey—the start of an adventure that lasts a lifetime.



STUDY ABROAD

Study abroad with OU faculty at one of five Oglethorpe campuses abroad, or choose long- or short-term exchange programs with one of dozens of partner schools, including Oxford University.

DO

LOCATION

- Atlanta, Georgia; minutes from Buckhead and 15 minutes north of Midtown
- <1 mile from MARTA rail station
- Picturesque, gated campus featuring Gothic architecture
- On the National Register of Historic Places

WHY ATLANTA? Our students benefit from access to a global city. Atlanta is home to: the third largest concentration of Fortune 500 corporations in the U.S. and more than 1,250 multi-national corporations; the Centers for Disease Control; top nonprofits, including CARE, American Cancer Society, Habitat for Humanity International, the Carter Center, and more; and the “world’s busiest” Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport. All this means our students have unparalleled access to opportunity.

THE CORE CURRICULUM

Our unique Core Curriculum is an interdisciplinary sequence of courses designed to serve as your academic foundation at Oglethorpe. This academic experience creates a community where important questions are examined across disciplines and from varying perspectives. The Core allows students to establish meaningful expertise in their major area of study through a more thorough understanding of themselves and the world around them. It is a transformative experience that inspires our graduates to learn for a lifetime.

THE ARTS

OU Museum of Art, OU Theatre, OU Singers, Jazzy Petrels, OU Symphony, Rehearsal Room C, mOUthing Off Improv, sOUnd byte Acapella, Khayos Dance Team

THINK



The Hammack School of Business is creating robot-proof leaders. Find out how at hsb.oglethorpe.edu

The Cousins Center for Science and Innovation opened in 2019 and features world-class laboratories, classrooms and collaboration spaces.



AREAS OF STUDY

Accounting (M, m)
 African American Studies (m)
 Allied Health Studies (p)
 Amazon Web Services (C)
 Art and Art History (M, m)
 Art, Studio (M, m)
 Biology (M, m)
 Biomedical Sciences (p)
 Biopsychology (M)
 Business Administration (M, m)
 Business Analytics (C)
 Chemistry (M, m)
 Communication Studies (M, m)
 Computer Science (m)
 Economics (M, m)
 Education Dual-degree (M)
 Engineering Dual-degree (M)
 English and Comparative Literature (M, m)
 Environmental Studies (m)
 Film and Media Studies (M,m)
 Filmmaking, Video and Photography
 (Track within Studio Art)
 Finance See *Business Administration*
 French (M, m)
 History (M, m)
 Human Resource Management (M, m)
 Individually Planned Major (IPM)
 International Business (m)
 International Studies (M)
 Japanese (m)
 Journalism See *Communication Studies*
 Latin American Studies (m)
 Management (M)
 Marketing See *Business Administration*
 Mathematics (M, m)

Medical & Scientific Illustration
 (Track within Studio Art)
 Media Studies
 (Track within Communication Studies)
 Music (m)
 Non-Profit Management (m)
 Philosophy (M, m)
 Physics and Liberal Studies (M)
 Physics-Astrophysics Track (M)
 Physics-Computational Physics Track (M)
 Physics-Engineering Track (M)
 Physics-General Physics Track (M,m)
 Politics (M, m)
 Pre-Dentistry Studies (p)
 Pre-Law Studies (p)
 Pre-Medical Studies (p)
 Pre-Pharmacy Studies (p)
 Pre-Physical Therapy Studies (p)
 Pre-Veterinary Studies (p)
 Psychology (M,m)
 Public Health (c)
 Public Relations
 (Track within Communication Studies)
 Rhetoric and Public Discourse
 (Track within Communication Studies)
 Shakespeare & Renaissance Studies (m)
 Sociology (M, m)
 Social Work (Track within Sociology)
 Spanish (M, m)
 Studio Art (M,m)
 Theatre (M, m)
 Urban Leadership (m)
 Women's and Gender Studies (m)
 Writing- literary (m)
 Writing- eclectic (m)

M = Major, m = minor, c = concentration, p = pre-professional advising, C = certificate

PLAY

ATHLETICS

The Oglethorpe University Stormy Petrels are a member of NCAA Division III and the Southern Athletic Association (SAA).



Men's Varsity Teams

- Baseball
- Basketball
- Cross Country
- Golf
- Lacrosse
- Soccer
- Tennis
- Track & Field

Women's Varsity Teams

- Basketball
- Cross Country
- Golf
- Lacrosse
- Soccer
- Tennis
- Track & Field
- Volleyball

RECENT ATHLETICS HIGHLIGHTS:

Men's Golf: 2-time DIII National Champs; OU golfer was first DIII golfer named to the U.S. Palmer Cup Team in 2014; Jim Owen named SAA Coach of the Year for last four consecutive years

Women's Basketball: 2009 & 2018 conference champions & 2008 DIII Final Four Contenders; Coach Alex Richey named in WBCA's "30 under 30" in 2016

Men's Soccer: 2015, 2016, 2017 & 2018 conference champions

27%

OF STUDENT BODY ARE ATHLETES

60+

active clubs and organizations, including student government, musical ensembles, academic honor societies, service groups, 9 Greek chapters, student publications, and more.



100%

OF STUDENT ACTIVITIES FEES ARE ALLOCATED BY THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

CAMPUS LIFE

On-Campus Residences: Double rooms with suite-style bathroom, apartment-style suites with private rooms, and Greek housing

Additional Housing: Gables is a 374-unit apartment complex which fulfills on-campus residency for upperclass students

Oglethorpe has a **three-year residency requirement**; entering students may commute only from the home of a parent or guardian within 25 miles.



The Turner Lynch Campus Center offers a full-service Starbucks, game room, bookstore, lounge areas, and dining facilities.



TUITION & FEES

Annual Cost 2020-2021

Tuition: \$40,880/year

Room and board*: \$13,800/year

Activity fee: \$280/year

Orientation fee: \$250

Total:** \$55,210/year

*Room and board costs vary depending on preferred housing. The figure above is the average cost. Room and board also includes the cost of a full meal plan.

**Total cost of attendance (and therefore aid packages) may exceed this amount to include books, travel, lab or studio fees, supplies or other expenses.

SCHOLARSHIPS

James Edward Oglethorpe (JEO)
Full-Tuition: Leadership & Academic Excellence

Civic Engagement
Full-Tuition: Service

Oglethorpe Theatre
Full-Tuition: Theatre Performance

Hammack
Full Tuition: Business

Lanier, University and
Presidential Awards
Ranging \$19,000 - \$23,000/yr.

International Baccalaureate
\$1,500/yr. for IB diploma recipients

Georgia HOPE and Zell Miller
\$4,304 /yr. or \$5,616/yr. for
qualified Georgia residents
(+ Oglethorpe matches \$4,304/yr.)

Out-of-state
Scholarship Equivalents
Oglethorpe awards \$3,500/yr. for
qualified students from AL, FL, LA,
MS, NC, SC, TX or TN (must have a
3.0 or higher at graduation)

FINANCIAL AID

OU grads are among those with the **lowest average student loan debt in the nation**, and well below the average of private and public institutions in GA.



FLAGSHIP 50

WE MATCH FLAGSHIP STATE TUITION
FOR ALL 50 STATES FOR QUALIFIED STUDENTS
(3.8 GPA OR 1400 SAT OR 30 ACT)



90% OF
STUDENTS RECEIVE
MERIT SCHOLARSHIPS

97% OF
STUDENTS RECEIVE
FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE



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IN THE NATION BY
THE FISKE GUIDE TO
COLLEGES

SCHOLARSHIP WEEKEND 2020-21

By invitation only from among
Early Action applicants. Students
come to campus to compete for
full-tuition scholarships. For more
information, visit
[Oglethorpe.edu/
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