

WUE

Western Undergraduate Exchange 2008-2009

What Is WUE?

WUE is the Western Undergraduate Exchange, a program coordinated by the Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education (WICHE). Through WUE, students in Western states may enroll in participating two-year and four-year public college programs at a reduced tuition level: up to 150 percent of the institution's regular resident tuition. In all cases, WUE tuition is considerably less than nonresident tuition.

Which States Participate?

For the academic year 2008-2009, the 20th year of WUE's operation, resident students from the following states may participate, if they meet eligibility requirements:

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| Alaska | Idaho | Oregon |
| Arizona | Montana | South Dakota |
| California | Nevada | Utah |
| Colorado | New Mexico | Washington |
| Hawaii | North Dakota | Wyoming |

NOTE: Residents of Hawaii are now eligible to enroll in two- and four-year WUE institutions (effective 2008).

Programs Available

Virtually all undergraduate fields are available to WUE students at one or more of the participating colleges and universities. Some institutions have opened their entire curriculum on a space-available or first-come, first-served basis. Others offer only designated programs at the discounted WUE rate.

WUE Online

To learn of the wide array of programs available, consult *WUE Online*, our new searchable database, located at www.wiche.edu/sep/wue. For additional details, follow the links to the receiving institutions' websites.

Eligibility

Many institutions require evidence of academic performance, such as ACT/SAT test scores or high school GPA, or place other conditions on WUE enrollment. Consult your high school counselor or *WUE Online* for details.

Application and Admission

Apply directly to the institution(s) of your choice for admission and WUE tuition status.

Mark prominently on the institution's application form that you seek admission as a WUE student.

Further Information

Further information about specific programs in WUE may be obtained from the admissions office of participating institutions. Information about student eligibility and the operation of the program in any state may be obtained from the state contact offices listed on page four of this handout.

High School Counselors

An updated version of this handout is available for download on our website.

www.wiche.edu/sep/wue

ALASKA

Since many certificate and associate degree programs available to WUE students are provided by University of Alaska four-year institutions, students should review both two-year and four-year institutions.

TWO-YEAR INSTITUTION

Prince William Sound Community College

FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

University of Alaska Anchorage
University of Alaska Fairbanks
University of Alaska, Kenai
University of Alaska, Ketchikan
University of Alaska, Kodiak
University of Alaska, Mat-Su
University of Alaska, Sitka
University of Alaska Southeast

ARIZONA

TWO-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

Arizona Western College
Central Arizona College
Chandler-Gilbert Community College
Cochise College
Coconino Community College
Eastern Arizona College
Estrella Mountain Community College
Gateway Community College
Glendale Community College
Mesa Community College
Mohave Community College
Paradise Valley Community College
Phoenix College
Pima Community College
Rio Salado College
Scottsdale Community College
South Mountain Community College
Yavapai College

FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

Northern Arizona University
Northern Arizona University Yuma
University of Arizona
University of Arizona South

CALIFORNIA

FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

California Maritime Academy
California State University, Bakersfield
California State University, Chico
California State University, Dominguez Hills
California State University, East Bay
California State University, Sacramento
California State University, San Bernardino
California State University, Stanislaus
Humboldt State University

COLORADO

TWO-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

Aims Community College
Arapahoe Community College
Colorado Northwestern Community College
Community College of Aurora
Community College of Denver
Front Range Community College
Lamar Community College
Morgan Community College
Northeastern Junior College
Otero Junior College
Pikes Peak Community College
Pueblo Community College
Red Rocks Community College
Trinidad State Junior College

FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

Adams State College of Colorado
Colorado State University, Fort Collins
Colorado State University, Pueblo
Fort Lewis College
Mesa State College
Metropolitan State College of Denver
University of Colorado at Colorado Springs
University of Colorado at Denver Health Sciences Center
University of Northern Colorado
Western State College

HAWAII

FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

University of Hawaii at Hilo
University of Hawaii at Manoa

IDAHO

TWO-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

College of Southern Idaho
North Idaho College

FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

Boise State University
Idaho State University
Lewis-Clark State College
University of Idaho

MONTANA

TWO-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

Dawson Community College
Flathead Valley Community College
Miles Community College
Montana Tech
University of Montana - Helena College of Technology
University of Montana - Missoula College of Technology

MONTANA, continued

FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

Montana State University - Billings
Montana State University - Bozeman
Montana State University - Northern
Montana Tech of the University of Montana
The University of Montana
The University of Montana - Western

NEVADA

TWO-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

Community College of Southern Nevada
Great Basin College
Truckee Meadows Community College
Western Nevada Community College

FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

Nevada State College
University of Nevada, Las Vegas
University of Nevada, Reno

NEW MEXICO

TWO-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

Eastern New Mexico University
New Mexico Junior College
Northern New Mexico Community College
Santa Fe Community College
The University of New Mexico Gallup Campus

FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

New Mexico Highlands University
New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology
New Mexico State University
The University of New Mexico
Western New Mexico University

NORTH DAKOTA

TWO-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

Bismarck State College
Lake Region State College
Minot State University - Bottineau
North Dakota State College of Science
Williston State College

FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

Dickinson State University
Mayville State University
Minot State University
North Dakota State University
University of North Dakota
Valley City State University

OREGON

FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

Oregon Institute of Technology
Portland State University
Southern Oregon University
University of Oregon
Western Oregon University

SOUTH DAKOTA

Associate degree programs, available at most South Dakota universities, are open to WUE students, as are baccalaureate programs.

FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

Black Hills State University
Dakota State University
Northern State University
South Dakota School of Mines and Technology
South Dakota State University
University of South Dakota

UTAH

TWO-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

College of Eastern Utah
Salt Lake Community College
Snow College

FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

Dixie State College of Utah
Southern Utah University
The University of Utah
Utah State University
Utah Valley State College
Weber State University

WASHINGTON

FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

Central Washington University
Eastern Washington University
Washington State University, Pullman
Western Washington University

WYOMING

TWO-YEAR INSTITUTIONS

Casper College
Central Wyoming College
Eastern Wyoming College
Laramie County Community College
Northwest College
Sheridan College
Western Wyoming Community College

FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTION

University of Wyoming

WUE Contacts in Participating States

Call your home state office listed below for information about the Western Undergraduate Exchange, including proof of residence (if required by the enrolling institution).

Alaska

WICHE Student Exchange Program
Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education
3030 Vintage Boulevard
Juneau, AK 99801-7100
Tel: 907.465.6526

Arizona

WICHE Student Exchange Program
Arizona Board of Regents
2020 North Central Avenue, Suite 230
Phoenix, AZ 85004
Tel: 602.229.2563

California

Assistant Vice Chancellor
Academic Affairs, Student Academic Support
Office of the Chancellor
The California State University
401 Golden Shore
Long Beach, CA 90802
Tel: 562.951.4744

Colorado

WICHE Student Exchange Program
Colorado Department of Higher Education
1380 Lawrence St., Suite 1200
Denver, CO 80204
Tel: 303.866.2723

Hawaii

WICHE Student Exchange Program
University of Hawaii at Manoa
Admissions and Records Office
2600 Campus Road, Room 001
Honolulu, HI 96822
Tel: 808.956.8975 or 800.823.9771

Idaho

WICHE Student Exchange Program
Idaho Board of Education
P.O. Box 83720
Boise, ID 83720-0037
Tel: 208.332.1574

Montana

WICHE Student Exchange Program
Montana University System
Office of the Commission on Higher Education
46 North Last Chance Gulch
P.O. Box 203201
Helena, MT 59620-3201
Tel: 406.444.0322

Nevada

WICHE Student Exchange Program
Mail Stop 304
University of Nevada, Reno
Reno, NV 89557-0166
Tel: 775.784.4900

New Mexico

WICHE Student Exchange Program
New Mexico Higher Education Department
1068 Cerrillos Rd.
Santa Fe, NM 87505-1650
Tel: 505.476.6531

North Dakota

WICHE Student Exchange Program
North Dakota University System
State Capitol, 10th Floor
600 East Boulevard Avenue, Dept. 215
Bismarck, ND 58505-0230
Tel: 701.328.4114

Oregon

WICHE Student Exchange Program
Oregon University System
P.O. Box 751
Portland, OR 97027-0751
Tel: 503.725.5735

South Dakota

WICHE Student Exchange Program
South Dakota Board of Regents
306 East Capitol Avenue, Suite 200
Pierre, SD 57501-2409
Tel: 605.773.3455

Utah

WICHE Student Exchange Program
Utah Board of Regents
The Gateway Center
60 South 400 West
Salt Lake City, UT 84101-1284
Tel: 801.366.8423

Washington

WICHE Student Exchange Program
Higher Education Coordinating Board
917 Lakeridge Way, P.O. Box 43430
Olympia, WA 98504-3430
Tel: 360.753.7846

Wyoming

WICHE Student Exchange Program
University of Wyoming
1000 E. University Ave., Dept. 3432
Laramie, WY 82071-3432
Tel: 307.766.6704

