University of Alaska At a Glance

MISSION: the University of Alaska inspires learning, and advances and disseminates knowledge through teaching, research and public service, emphasizing the North and its diverse peoples.

University of Alaska History
Founded in 1917 as the Alaska Agricultural College and School of Mines; renamed University of Alaska in 1935. Today we are a system of three universities, 13 community campuses and outreach centers throughout Alaska.

Academic Profile
- Faculty: 1,872
- Staff: 3,185
- UA Scholars: 1,513
- AK Performance Scholars: 2,449
- Dual-Enrollment Students*: 2,182
- UA Alumni: 100,000+

Degrees & Programs
- Degrees and Programs: 450
- Bachelor’s 6-yr. Graduation Rate*: 37%
- Degrees & Certificates Granted*: 4,278
- Licensures & Endorsements: 113
- Certificates: 506
- Associate: 1,213
- Bachelor’s: 1,873
- Master’s: 516
- Doctorate: 57

Budget & Finances FY20
- UA Operating Budget: $807 million
- State Funding: $302 million
- Tuition & Fees: $122 million

Lands & Facilities
- Total UA Lands: 149,797 acres
- Land Grant Owed: ~360,000 acres
- Facilities: 397
- Average Facilities Age: 36 years

Enrollment
- Total Student Headcount: 22,044
- University of Alaska Anchorage: 13,110
- University of Alaska Fairbanks: 7,460
- University of Alaska Southeast: 2,282
- Total Full Time Equivalency: 12,710

Data from Fall 2020 - FY21

*FY20 all other figures Fall 2020-FY21

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Figures from UA Data Strategy and Institutional Research, January 2021; Yellowbook 2021, UA Land Management