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Preface

Welcome to the Keiser University Virtual Fact Book! This publication contains frequently requested information about the University. It is designed to provide a snapshot of the institution's principal characteristics. The Fact Book is published and maintained by the *Office of Institutional Research, Planning and Assessment (OIRPA)* with new information added as it becomes available. The sources for much of the information are from the current University Catalog and Addendum, the Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS) report, accreditation correspondence, external publications and internal reports. These dated information sources are cited within each section beneath the headings.

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Overview

Summary of Institutional Characteristics

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Type: Not-for-profit 501(c)(3) corporation incorporated in the State of Florida

Established: 1977

Name Progression: 1977 The Keiser School; 1982 Keiser Institute of Technology; 1986 Keiser College; 2006 Keiser University

Chancellor/CEO/Co-Founder: Arthur Keiser, Ph.D.

Chairperson Emeritus / Co-Founder: Evelyn C. Keiser

Governance: Board of Trustees

Chair:

Gregg Wallick, President, Best Roofing Inc.

Board Members:

Tom Foster, President, Foster Learning Corporation

Frank Frione, President/CEO GFA International

Anita Harrow, Ph.D, Author

Bill Kent, President, Team Horner Group

Maria C. Kondracki, President, Strategic Planning, Inc.

Craig Perry, CEO, Perry Ventures

Thea Scott, CDA Emeritus, Dental Practice Management, LLC, Accounts Payable

Andrew Wright, President/Founder, On-Rite Corporation

University Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC)
1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097, (404) 679-4501
Classified as a Level VI institution in February 2012

Specialized Accreditation: See *Accreditation, Approvals and Memberships* Section for current listing

Calendar System: Semester

Curricula: Degrees Offered: Associate (35), Baccalaureate (39), Masters (29), Ed Specialist (2), Doctoral (10)

Campuses: 21 Locations

<u>Locations</u>	<u>Founded</u>
<u>Main Campus</u>	
Ft. Lauderdale, Florida	1977
Online Division	1999
<u>Off-Campus Instructional Sites</u>	
Clearwater, Florida	2015
Melbourne, Florida	1989
Tallahassee, Florida	1992
Daytona Beach, Florida	1995
Flagship Residential-West Palm Beach, FL	2015
Fort Myers, Florida	2010
Sarasota, Florida	1995
Lakeland, Florida	2000
Kendall, Florida	2001
Naples, Florida	2018
New Port Richey, Florida	2015
Orlando, Florida	2002
Jacksonville, Florida	2003
Patrick AFB, Florida	2018
Pembroke Pines, Florida	2004
Port St. Lucie, Florida	2004
West Palm Beach, Florida	2004
Tampa, Florida	2005
Shanghai, China	2010
San Marcos, Nicaragua	2013

Financial Aid/Scholarships: Federal Grants: Federal Pell Grant, Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG)
State Grants: Florida Student Assistance Grant (FSAG), William L. Boyd, IV, Florida Resident Access Grant (FRAG)
Federal Loans: William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Program, Subsidized Direct Loan, Unsubsidized Direct Loan, Federal Direct PLUS Loan, Federal Graduate/Professional PLUS Loan, Federal Perkins Loan,
Federal Work Study Program (FWS)
Keiser University Academic and Financial Scholarships
Private Scholarships: Ft. Lauderdale Jaycees High School Achievement Scholarships, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People Scholarship (NAACP), Florida Bright Future Scholarship, Florida Association of Private Schools and Colleges Scholarship

University Website: www.keiseruniversity.edu



University Mission Statement

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Keiser University is a regionally accredited private career university that provides educational programs at the undergraduate and graduate levels for a diverse student body in traditional, nontraditional and online delivery formats. The main campus is located in Fort Lauderdale, with campuses located throughout the State of Florida and internationally. Through quality teaching, learning, and research, the university is committed to provide students with opportunities to develop the knowledge, understanding, and skills necessary for successful employment. Committed to a “students first” philosophy, Keiser University prepares graduates for careers in business, criminal justice, health care, technology, hospitality, education, and career-focused general studies.

Inherent in the Mission is service to the community. This service includes community partnerships, involvement with various constituencies and various continuing education programs.



Locations

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KEISER UNIVERSITY, Ft. Lauderdale

1500 NW 49th Street
Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309
(954) 776-4456

eCampus-Online Division
1900 W Commercial Blvd, Ste 100
Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309
(954) 351-4040

Additional Locations

Keiser University, Clearwater
16120 US Highway 19 North
Clearwater, FL 33764
(727) 576-6500

Keiser University College of Golf and Sport Management
2600 North Military Trail,
West Palm Beach, FL 33409
(561) 478-5500

Keiser University, Daytona
1800 Business Park Boulevard
Daytona Beach, Florida 32114
(386) 274-5060

Keiser University Flagship Campus
2600 North Military Trail,
West Palm Beach, FL 33409
(561) 478-5500

Keiser University, Ft. Myers
9100 Forum Corporate Parkway
Ft. Myers, Florida 33905
(239) 277-1336

Keiser University, Jacksonville
6430 Southpoint Parkway
Jacksonville, Florida 32216
(904) 296-3440

Keiser University, Lakeland
2400 Interstate Drive
Lakeland, Florida 33805
(863) 682-6020

Keiser University, Melbourne
900 South Babcock Street
Melbourne, Florida 32901
(321) 409-4800

Keiser University, Miami
2101 NW 117th Avenue
Miami, Florida 33172
(305) 596-2226

Keiser University, Naples
1336 Creekside Blvd. Suite 2
Naples, Florida 34108
(239) 513-1135

Keiser University, New Port Richey
6014 US Highway 19 North, Suite 250
New Port Richey, FL 34652
(727) 484-3110

Keiser University, Orlando
5600 Lake Underhill Road
Orlando, Florida 32807
(407) 273-5800

Keiser University at Patrick AFB
1020 Central Avenue
Patrick AFB, Florida 32925
(321) 430-0748

Keiser University, Pembroke Pines
1640 SW 145th Avenue
Pembroke Pines, Florida 33027
(772) 398-9990

Keiser University, Port St. Lucie
9400 SW Discovery Way
Port St. Lucie, Florida 34986
(772) 398-9990

Keiser University, San Marcos
Gasolinera UNO, 2 c al sur
San Marcos, Carazo, Nicaragua
Local (505) 2535-2314 / 2535-2312
Toll Free (800) 969-1685
Keiser University, Sarasota
6151 Lake Osprey Drive
Sarasota, Florida 34240
(941) 907-3900

Keiser University, Shanghai
Guanhailu Road, No. 505 Pudong
Shanghai, China 201300
+86 21 6207 6550

Keiser University, Tallahassee
1700 Halstead Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32309
(850) 906-9494

Keiser University Tallahassee Annex
1276 Metropolitan Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32312
(850) 692-0100

Keiser University, Tampa
5002 West Waters Avenue
Tampa, Florida 33634
(813) 885-4900

Keiser University, West Palm Beach
2085 Vista Parkway
West Palm Beach, Florida 33411
(561) 471-6000



Accreditation, Approvals and Memberships

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ACCREDITATION

Keiser University has met the standards of accreditation by the following recognized agencies:

- Keiser University is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award certificates and degrees at the associate, baccalaureate, masters, specialist, and doctoral levels. Contact the Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097 or call 404-679-4500 for questions about the accreditation of Keiser University. *Please note: Normal inquiries about Keiser University, such as admission requirements, financial aid, educational programs, etc., should be addressed directly to Keiser University and not to the Commission's office. The Commission should be contacted only if there is evidence that appears to support an institution's significant non-compliance with a requirement or standard.*
- The following business programs at Keiser University- Ft. Lauderdale Campus and its off- campus instructional sites are accredited by the Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs: Associate of Arts in Business Administration, Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration, Masters of Business Administration, and Doctor of Business Administration.
- The following accounting programs at Keiser University-Ft. Lauderdale Campus and its off-campus instructional sites hold separate accounting accreditation by the Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs: Bachelor of Arts in Accounting, and Master of Accountancy.
- Keiser University's Center for Culinary Arts, Melbourne, Sarasota, and Tallahassee campuses, is accredited by the American Culinary Federation, Inc., 180 Center Place Way, St. Augustine, Florida 32095, (904) 824-4468, www.acfchefs.org.
- Keiser University's Culinary Arts program at the Melbourne, Sarasota, and Tallahassee locations has been accepted by the World Association of Chefs Societies (WACS) into their Recognition of Quality Culinary Education program.
- Keiser University's Diagnostic Medical Sonography program, Daytona Beach (general concentration), Fort Lauderdale (general and vascular concentrations), Fort Myers (general concentration), Melbourne (general concentration), and New Port Richey (general concentration) campuses, are accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) on recommendation of the Joint Review Committee on Education in Diagnostic Medical Sonography (JRC-DMS), Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs 25400 US Highway 19 North, Suite 158, Clearwater, FL 33763; 727-210-2350 www.caahep.org

- Keiser University Lakeland, Pembroke Pines and Port St Lucie's Nutrition and Dietetics Education Program is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics, 120 South Riverside Plaza, Suite 2190, Chicago, IL 60606-6995, USA, (312) 899- 0040 ext. 5400. <http://eatright.org/ACEND>. Keiser University Melbourne's Nutrition and Dietetics Education Program has been granted candidate status by the Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics, 120 South Riverside Plaza, Suite 2190, Chicago, IL 60606-6995, USA, (312) 899-0040 ext. 5400. <http://eatright.org/ACEND>.
- The Associate Degree Health Information Management program at Keiser University, Fort Lauderdale campus, is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation for Health Informatics and Information Management Education (CAHIIM), 233 N. Michigan Avenue, 21st floor, Chicago, IL 60601-5800. <http://cahiim.org>.
- The Bachelor Degree Health Information Management program at Keiser University, Fort Lauderdale campus, is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation for Health Informatics and Information Management Education (CAHIIM), 233 N. Michigan Avenue, 21st floor, Chicago, IL 60601-5800. <http://cahiim.org>.
- Keiser University's Histotechnology program, Orlando and Pembroke Pines campuses, is accredited by the National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences (NAACLS), 5600 N. River Road, Suite 720, Rosemont, Illinois 60018-5119, (773) 714-8880, (773) 714- 8886 (fax), info@naacsls.org, <http://www.naacsls.org>.
- Keiser University's Associate of Science degree in Medical Assisting, Daytona Beach campus, is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (www.caahep.org) upon the recommendation of the Medical Assisting Education Review Board (MAERB), Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs, 25400 US Highway 19 N., Suite 158, Clearwater, FL 33763, (727) 210-2350.
- Keiser University's Medical Laboratory Technician programs, Fort Lauderdale and Orlando Campuses, are accredited by the National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences (NAACLS), 5600 N. River Road, Suite 720, Rosemont, Illinois 60018, 773-714-8880. E-Mail: info@naacsls.org Website: www.naacsls.org
- Keiser University's Fort Lauderdale campus is seeking programmatic accreditation for its Bachelor of Science in Medical Laboratory Science program by the National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences (NAACLS), 5600 N. River Road, Suite 720, Rosemont, Illinois 60018. The program is in the process of collecting and compiling data to submit for accreditation. The accreditation process may take up to two years, however completion of the accreditation site survey does not assure that the Medical Laboratory Science program will be granted accreditation status. If the program attains "Serious Applicant Status" prior to graduation, graduates will be eligible to sit for the American Society for Clinical Pathology (ASCP) Medical Laboratory Scientist examination immediately upon completion of the program.
- Keiser University's Lakeland campus Nuclear Medicine Technology program is accredited by the Joint Review Committee on Educational Programs in Nuclear Medicine Technology 2000 W. Danforth Rd. STE 130, #203 Edmond, OK 73003 Phone: (405) 285-0546 mail@jrcnmt.org
- Keiser University's Associate Degree Nursing program, Ft. Lauderdale, Jacksonville, Lakeland, Melbourne, Miami, Orlando, Sarasota, Tallahassee, Tampa, and West Palm Beach campuses, holds continuing accreditation status by the Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN). The Port St. Lucie Associate Degree Nursing Program holds candidacy status, [effective](#) May 2016 – May 2018. ACEN, 3343 Peachtree Road NE, Suite 850, Atlanta, Georgia 30326, 404-975-5000, fax 404-

975-5020. www.acenursing.org

- Keiser University's Bachelor of Science in Nursing programs are accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE), 655 K Street, NW, Suite 750, Washington, DC 20001, 202-887-6791, www.aacn.nche.edu. For more information about Keiser University's BSN programs, go to www.keiseruniversity.edu/nursing-bs.
- Keiser University's Occupational Therapy Assistant program, Daytona, Ft. Lauderdale, Fort Myers, Jacksonville, Melbourne, Miami, Orlando, Pembroke Pines, Tallahassee, Tampa and West Palm Beach campuses, are fully accredited by the Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education (ACOTE) of the American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA). ACOTE can be reached at the Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education, American Occupational Therapy Association, 4720 Montgomery Lane, Suite 200, Bethesda, Maryland 20814-3449. Office phone: (301) 652-AOTA, www.acoteonline.org.
- The Physical Therapist Assistant Programs at Keiser University's Fort Lauderdale, Sarasota, Jacksonville, Lakeland, West Palm Beach, Miami and Melbourne Campuses are accredited by the Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE), 1111 North Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22314; telephone: 703-706-3245; email: accreditation@apta.org; website: <http://www.capteonline.org>. If needing to contact the program/institution directly, please call Fort Lauderdale 954-776-4456, Sarasota 941-907-3900, Jacksonville 904-296-3440, Lakeland 863-682-6020, West Palm Beach 561-471-6000, Miami 305-596-2226 and Melbourne 321-409-4800 or email Fort Lauderdale: droadarmel@keiseruniversity.edu, Sarasota: lcredit@keiseruniversity.edu, Jacksonville: mmaione@keiseruniversity.edu, Lakeland: ffranco@keiseruniversity.edu, West Palm Beach: myahara@keiseruniversity.edu, Miami: mobispo@keiseruniversity.edu and Melbourne: sdunn@keiseruniversity.edu.
- Keiser University's Radiologic Technology program, Daytona, Ft. Lauderdale, Jacksonville, Lakeland, Melbourne, Miami, and Sarasota campuses, is accredited by the Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology, 20 N. Wacker Drive, Suite 2850, Chicago, Illinois 60606-3182, (312) 704-5300, www.jrcert.org.
- The AS Degree Respiratory Therapy program at Keiser University located in Fort Lauderdale, FL, program number 200571, is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation for Respiratory Care (www.coarc.com), 1248 Harwood Road, Bedford, Texas 76021-4244, Tel. (817) 283-2835.
- Keiser University's Surgical Technology program, Clearwater and Tampa campuses, is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP), 25400 US Highway 19 N., Suite 158, Clearwater, FL 33763, Phone 727-210-2350 www.caahep.org
- Keiser University Latin American Campus is a member of/accredited by the Nicaraguan Council of National Universities (CNU) to award bachelors in arts and sciences degrees. For additional information on the CNU, please go to their webpage www.cnu.edu.ni or call 505- 2278-5072 or 505-2278-3385 regarding the Keiser University Latin American Campus status.
- Keiser University Latin American Campus holds International Mission status with the Foreign Ministry of the Government of Nicaragua.
- The following business programs at Keiser University- Ft. Lauderdale Campus and its off- campus instructional sites are accredited by the Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs: Associate of Arts in Business Administration, Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration, Masters of Business Administration, and Doctor of Business Administration.

- The following accounting programs at Keiser University-Ft. Lauderdale Campus and its off-campus instructional sites hold separate accounting accreditation by the Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs: Bachelor of Arts in Accounting, and Master of Accountancy.
- The Keiser University Nurse Anesthesia Programs (master and doctoral levels) are accredited by the Council on Accreditation of Nurse Anesthesia Educational Programs (COA), 222 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge, IL 60068; (847) 655-1160. The program's next review by the COA is scheduled for January 2019.
- The Master of Science in Nursing degree at Keiser University is accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE), 655 K Street, NW, Suite 750, Washington, DC 20001, 202-887-6791.
- The Doctor of Nursing Practice program is pursuing initial accreditation by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education, 655 K Street, NW, Suite 750, Washington, DC 20001, 202- 887-6791. Applying for accreditation does not guarantee that accreditation will be granted.
- The Keiser University Occupational Therapy Bridge Program has applied for accreditation and has been granted "Candidacy Status" by the Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education (ACOTE) at acote.aota.org of the American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA) at aota.org. ACOTE is located at 4720 Montgomery Lane, P.O. Box 31220, Bethesda, MD 20824-1220. ACOTE'S telephone number C/O AOTA is (301) 652- AOTA. Upon completion of the accreditation process, graduates of the program will be eligible to sit for the national certification examination for occupational therapists, administered by the National Board for Certification in Occupational Therapy (NBCOT; nbcot.org). After successful completion of the national certification examination, the individual will be an Occupational Therapist, Registered (OTR). Program results from the National Board for Certification in Occupational Therapy (NBCOT) can be found online at <https://secure.nbcot.org/data/schoolstats.aspx>
- At its September 2016 meeting, the Accreditation Review Commission on Education for the Physician Assistant (ARC-PA) placed the Keiser University Physician Assistant program sponsored by Keiser University on Accreditation-Probation status until its next validation review in September 2018. Probation is a temporary status of accreditation conferred when a program does not meet the *Standards* and when the capability of the program to provide an acceptable educational experience for its students is threatened. Once placed on probation, programs that still fail to comply with accreditation requirements in a timely manner, as specified by the ARC-PA, may be scheduled for a focused site visit and/or risk having their accreditation withdrawn. Specific questions regarding the Program and its plans should be directed to the Program Director and/or the appropriate institutional official(s).

Accreditation and approvals are available at the University for inspection during regular business hours.

MEMBERSHIPS AND APPROVALS

Association Memberships

American Culinary Federation
 American Institute of Graphic Arts
 American Nurses/Florida Nurse Association
 American Society of Radiologists

Association of Educators in Imaging and Radiologic Science
Broward County Veterans Council
Career College Association
Council of Colleges and Military Educators
First Coast Black Nurses Association
First Coast Higher Education Alliance
First Coast Nurse Leaders Consortium
First Coast Student Max Program
Florida Advisory Council on Military Education
Florida Association of Postsecondary Schools and Colleges
Florida Association of Veterans Education Specialists
Florida Cooperative Education and Placement Association
Florida Restaurant and Lodging Association
Florida Police Chiefs Association Great 100
Nurses of Northeast Florida
Human Resource Association of Tallahassee
Independent Colleges and Universities of Florida
Jacksonville Blueprint for Prosperity
Jacksonville Society of Radiologic Technologists
Media Relations Committee for the Tallahassee
National Association of Colleges and Employers
National Association of Health Career Schools
National Association of Legal Assistants, Inc.
National Association of Student Employment Administrators
National Association of Veteran's Program Administrators (NAVPA)
National Council of Teachers of English
National League for Nursing
National Science Teachers Association
Sarasota Human Resources Association
Southern Association of Student Employment Administrators Uptown Business Association
Volusia Manufacturers Association

Chamber of Commerce Memberships

Brandon
Brevard County
Cocoa Beach
DeLand
Ft. Lauderdale/Broward County
Greater Orlando Area Chamber of Commerce
Greater Sarasota
Halifax/Daytona
Jacksonville
Lakeland
Manatee Chamber of Commerce
Melbourne/Palm Bay

Miramar/Pembroke Pines
Palm Beach County
Port St. Lucie
Tallahassee
Tampa
West Kendall

Approvals

Brevard County Private Industry Council
Broward Employment and Training Administration
Flagler Volusia Workforce Development Board
Florida Department of Labor and Employment Security Division of Vocational Rehabilitation
Florida Department of Veterans Affairs, Bureau of State Approving for Veterans Training (not all programs or locations)
U.S. Department of Education (for Title IV federal financial aid programs)

Other Affiliations

Brevard Economic Development Commission
Business Development Board of the Palm Beaches
Emerge Lakeland
Higher Education Partnership in South East Florida
Lakeland Economic Development Council
Lakewood Ranch Business Alliance
Leon County Economic Development Council
Manatee Economic Development Council
Metro Orlando Economic Development Commission
Polk County Workforce Development Board
Sarasota Economic Development Corporation
Sarasota Workforce Development Committee
Suncoast Education Alliance
Tallahassee Work Force Development Board
Work Force Alliance, Palm Beach County



National and State Rankings

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Source: Community College Week Analysis of US Department of Education Data

Rankings in 2016 Report are based upon preliminary analysis of degrees awarded during the 2014-2015 academic year using IPEDS data collected by the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES)—See publication for further information

NATIONAL RANKINGS—2016 REPORT DATA

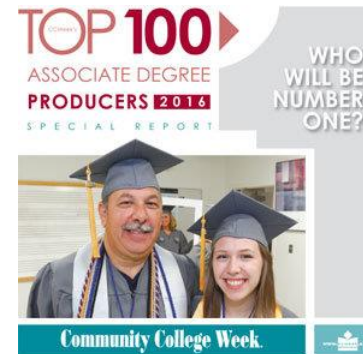
Number of Associate Degrees Awarded by Discipline

Discipline	Keiser Rank
Associate Degrees: All Disciplines—Grand Total	18
Degrees to African-Americans	28
Degrees to Hispanics	29
Degrees to Minorities	24
Degrees to Non-Minority	28
Computer and Information Sciences & Support Services ¹	9
Criminal Justice and Corrections ²	17
Health Professions & Related Programs ³	4
Registered Nursing, Nursing Admin, Nursing Research & Clinical Nursing ⁴	3
Parks, Recreation, Leisure & Fitness Studies ⁵	2
Protective Services: Homeland Security, Law Enforcement, Fire Fighting and Related Protective Services ⁶	13

¹Number of Associate Degrees Awarded in Computer and Information Sciences and Support Services

Report Year	Keiser Rank	Graduates
2016	9	206
2015	10	169
2014	11	168
2013	8	214
2012	6	213
2011	7	194
2010	6	221
2009	4	229
2008	7	214
2007	9	199

Keiser University ranked second in Florida



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²Number of Associate Degrees Awarded in Criminal Justice and Corrections

Report Year	Keiser Rank	Graduates
2016	17	199
2015	14	204
2014	7	313
2013	8	335
2012	6	285
2011	5	260
2010	7	181
2009	5	268
2008	3	284
2007	3	189

Keiser University ranked second in Florida

³Number of Associate Degrees Awarded in Health Professions and Related Programs

Report Year	Keiser Rank	Graduates
2016	4	2,460
2015	3	2,505
2014	2	2,620
2013	3	2,730
2012	2	2,495
2011	2	2,224
2010	3	1,749
2009	3	1,538
2008	1	1,391
2007	1	1,292
2006	1	913
2005	5	645
2004	1	850
2003	4	324

Keiser University ranked second in Florida

⁴Number of Associate Degrees Awarded in Registered Nursing, Nursing Administration, Nursing Research and Clinical Nursing

Report Year	Keiser Rank	Graduates
2016	3	511
2015	6	446
2014	5	476
2013	6	387
2012	11	329
2011	3	421

2010	10	311
2009	14	278

Keiser University ranked top school in Florida

⁵Number of Associate Degrees Awarded in Parks, Recreation, Leisure & Fitness Studies

Report Year	Keiser Rank	Graduates
2016	2	172
2015	3	168
2014	3	171
2013	3	138
2012	3	74
2011	4	64
2010	7	31
2009	21	15

Keiser University ranked top school in Florida

⁶Number of Associate Degrees Awarded in Protective Services: Homeland Security, Law Enforcement, Firefighting and Related Protective Services

Report Year	Keiser Rank	Graduates
2016	13	248
2015	9	249
2014	7	359
2013	7	395
2012	7	353
2011	4	325
2010	4	285
2009	2	393
2008	2	371
2007	3	240

Keiser University ranked second in Florida

FLORIDA RANKINGS—2016 REPORT DATA

Top Granters of Associate Degrees—All Disciplines—Grand Total

Report Year	Keiser Rank	Graduates
2016	8	3,593
2015	7	3,557
2014	7	3,842
2013	5	4,021
2012	6	3,635
2011	7	3,162

2010	8	2,652
2009	7	2,606
2008	7	2,502
2007	8	2,260
2006	9	2,010

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GENERAL ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

Applicants desiring to enter Keiser University must submit an application to the Admissions Office well in advance of the start date. This permits proper scheduling and assures availability of classroom space. Applications for Winter, Spring or Fall semesters should be made as early as possible, as these entry dates are normally the time of greatest enrollment. Applicants are encouraged to visit the University in person. The Admissions Office is open Monday through Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. and on Fridays from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (with other times by appointment). To be considered for enrollment at Keiser University, all applicants must supply:

Verification of high school graduation (transcript, diploma, etc.)

or

Verification of GED completion (GED scores or GED diploma)

or

Proof of graduation from a foreign institution comparable to a United States secondary school

Applicants will not be required to provide proof of high school graduation when they provide the following:

Verification of an earned degree from an accredited institution recognized by the United States Secretary of Education,
An evaluation of an official transcript by an approved educational evaluator service attesting that the degree is equivalent to a degree earned at a regionally accredited institution of higher education in the United States.

Home-schooled applicants who have a high school diploma are considered for admission.

An applicant must make arrangements to take Keiser University's entrance examination (administered at the University) or provide results of his/her Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT), American College Testing examination (ACT), or Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery examination (ASVAB).

University requirements for admission are a combined score of 910 on the SAT (or the previous version SAT examination score equivalent - see Entrance Test Concordance Table below), a composite score of 17 on the ACT, a score of 50 on the ASVAB, or successful passing score on the University entrance examination.

Candidates seeking general admission to the University are not required to take the general admission test upon providing written proof of an associate or higher degree earned from an accredited college. Candidates providing proof of an associate or higher degree with a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or higher from an accredited college seeking entry into the University's allied health programs are exempt from taking the general admissions test. Candidates must meet all other general and allied health program-specific admission requirements.

Keiser University reserves the right to accept up to 10% of applicants who do not meet appropriate entrance test scores but who request admission based on other criteria. An appeal letter and accompanying documentation is reviewed by the Dean of Academic Affairs and the Campus President. If the appeal is approved, a waiver letter is placed in the applicant's academic file.

The University reserves the right to deny admission to any prospective student that in their judgment poses an undue risk to the safety or security of the University and the University community. This judgment will be based on an individual determination taking into account any information the University has about a prospective student's criminal record and the presence of secondary school students on the campus.

Additionally, the University reserves the right to evaluate the individual circumstances regarding registered sex offenders, and in certain cases refuse admission to the University. When a prospective student receives a registered sex offender designation, the University reserves the right to place the admissions process on hold, contingent upon the review and approval from a designated acceptance committee.

Academic Placement Determination

Entering students are tested for English and mathematics placement using diagnostic tests provided by Keiser University. Upon completion of the examination, students are notified which English and mathematics courses they must take.

Program-Specific Admissions Requirements

All candidates must achieve the required entrance examinations scores and all other requirements for admission to specific bachelor and associate degree allied health programs. Scores on the SAT, ACT or ASVAB examinations equivalent to Keiser University's entrance examination may be accepted in lieu of taking the University's examination.

International Students

Keiser University is proud of the international character of its student body and welcomes students from other nations. All international students must be fluent in English before they enroll. Applicants are asked to furnish proof that they can read, write and speak English fluently. The University accepts only F-1 visas based upon a student's program of study. International student applicants must meet the following requirements for admission to Keiser University:

Successful completion of a secondary school program that is equivalent to high school in the United States. (Official records must be evaluated by an approved educational evaluator service attesting that completion is equivalent to secondary school completed in the United States.)

Certification of financial ability to meet tuition and other necessary expenses or ability to qualify for financial aid as an eligible non-citizen.

If an applicant's primary language is not English, the applicant must present a TOEFL® score of 500 or higher on a paper-based examination, a score of 173 on a computer-based examination, an internet-based score (iBT) of 61, or an IELTS™ score of 6.0 or higher.



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Please Note: This list may also include recently approved programs.

DOCTORAL DEGREES

- Doctor of Business Administration (Specializations: Marketing, Global Organizational Leadership, and Global Business)
- Doctor of Chiropractic
- Doctor of Health Science
- Doctor of Nurse Anesthesia Practice
- Doctor of Nursing Practice
- Doctor of Philosophy in Counselor Education and Supervision
- Doctor of Philosophy in Curriculum and Instruction
- Doctor of Philosophy in Educational Leadership
- Doctor of Philosophy in Industrial and Organizational Psychology
- Doctor of Philosophy in Instructional Design and Technology
- Doctor of Philosophy in Psychology

SPECIALIST DEGREES

- Education Specialist in Educational Leadership
- Education Specialist in Instructional Design and Technology

MASTERS DEGREES

- MBA in Accounting
- Master of Accountancy
- Master of Business Administration
- Master of Science in Clinical Mental Health Counseling
- Master of Arts in Criminal Justice
- Master of Science in Education, Allied Health Teaching and Leadership
- Master of Science in Education, Career College Administration
- Master of Science in Education, Leadership
- Master of Science in Education, Online Teaching and Learning
- Master of Science in Education, Teaching and Learning
- Joint Master of Science in Education/Master of Business Administration

MBA in Health Services Administration
Master of Arts in Homeland Security
Master of Science in Information Security
MBA in International Business
Master of Science in Management
MBA in Management
MBA in Marketing
Master of Science in Nurse Anesthesia
Master of Science in Nursing
Master of Science in Nursing, Family Nurse Practitioner
Master of Science in Nutrition with Distance Learning Internship
Master of Science in Occupational Therapy
Master of Science in Organizational Leadership
Master of Science in Organizational Psychology
Master of Science in Physician Assistant
Master of Science in Psychology
MBA in Technology Management

BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREES

Accounting
Business Administration (Concentrations: International Business, Management, Human Resource Management, Marketing, Finance, Transportation and Logistics, Entrepreneurship, or Equine Studies)
Business Administration: Automotive Dealership Management
Cinematic Arts
Criminal Justice
Financial Crime Investigation
Health Services Administration
Homeland Security
Legal Studies (Concentration: Law Office Management)
Political Science
Psychology (Concentrations: Human Services, Developmental Psychology, Health Care and Fitness, and Business)

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREES

Biomedical Sciences (Concentration: Equine Studies)
Biotechnology
Computer Information Systems
Cyber Forensics/Information Security
Dietetics and Nutrition
Exercise Science
Forensic Investigations
Health Information Management
Health Science
Imaging Sciences (Concentrations: Imaging Administration, or Clinical Imaging)
Information Technology Management
Integrated Marketing Communications
Interdisciplinary Studies

Interdisciplinary Studies, Pre-DPT Bridge
Management Information Systems
Medical Laboratory Science
Network Systems and Data Communications
Nursing (Traditional, FastTrack, Accelerated, RN to BSN)
Public Safety Administration
Software Engineering
Space Science Management
Sport Management
Sports Medicine and Fitness Technology

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREES

Accounting
Business Administration
Cinematic Arts
Criminal Justice
General Studies
Health Services Administration
Homeland Security
Hospitality
Paralegal Studies

ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE DEGREES

Baking and Pastry Arts
Biotechnology
Crime Scene Technology
Culinary Arts
Diagnostic Medical Sonography (Concentrations: General Sonography, or General and Vascular Sonography)
Fire Science
Golf Management
Graphic Arts and Design
Health Information Management
Histotechnology
Information Technology
Information Technology and Programming
Massage Therapy
Medical Administrative Billing and Coding
Medical Assisting
Medical Assisting Science
Medical Laboratory Technician
Nuclear Medicine Technology
Nursing
Occupational Therapy Assistant
Physical Therapist Assistant
Radiation Therapy
Radiologic Technology

Respiratory Therapy
Space Science
Sports Medicine and Fitness Technology
Surgical Technology
Video Game Design

GRADUATE CERTIFICATES

Career College Administration
Health Services Management
Management and Leadership



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Source: IPEDS Fall 2017/18 Enrollment Survey

The overall student to faculty ratio for undergraduate programs at Keiser University is **12:1**.



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Keiser University, Clearwater

Keiser University – Clearwater is located off Highway 19 near East Bay Drive, not far from the St. Petersburg-Clearwater International Airport. At our Clearwater campus, you can take advantage of the services offered by our helpful admissions, academic affairs, student services and financial aid departments. Our Clearwater campus features spacious classrooms, labs, computer workstations, auditorium, and career and student services centers, and a student lounge area where you can go between classes or study for your next exam. We also offer convenient on-site parking.



Keiser University College of Golf & Sport Management

The Keiser University College of Golf & Sport Management is located on the Keiser University Flagship Campus at 2600 North Military Trail in West Palm Beach. The College maintains state-of-the-art equipment and facilities for its programs in Golf Management, Exercise Science, Sport Management, and Sports Medicine and Fitness Technology. The Flagship Campus is the home of 20 NAIA athletic teams, club sports, and intramural activities. All equipment used at the Keiser University College of Golf & Sport Management meets industry standards and promotes program objectives.



Keiser University, Daytona Beach

The Daytona Beach site is located one mile north of the Daytona International Speedway. Its 38,000 square-foot building has ample parking and is on a bus line. The campus has seventeen classrooms, two computer laboratories and individual laboratories for medical assisting, radiologic technology, diagnostic medical sonography, occupational therapy, sports medicine and fitness and forensic investigations. The University has a library, student lounge and auditorium. All equipment used at Keiser University is comparable to industry standards and effectively meets all program objectives.



Keiser University Flagship Campus

Keiser University's Flagship Campus is located at 2600 North Military Trail in West Palm Beach, on a 100-acre site with 263,968 square feet of buildings. The Flagship Campus offers students suite-style residence halls with meal plans, 24-hour security, Wi-Fi, and cable access, and maintains facilities to support 17 NAIA athletic teams, club sports, and intramural activities. All equipment used at Keiser University meets industry standards and program requirements.



Keiser University, Ft. Lauderdale

The main campus of Keiser University is located in uptown Ft. Lauderdale approximately one mile west of Interstate 95. The building has six floors and encompasses over 100,000 square feet of laboratories, classrooms and offices. The University has a library, student lounge, six computer laboratories, seven medical laboratories, a sport and fitness laboratory and a large auditorium. Keiser University provides free parking and is on a major bus line. All equipment used at Keiser University is comparable to industry standards and effectively meets program objectives.



Keiser University, Fort Myers

The Fort Myers site is located off of I-75 at the 138 Exit. The 41,000 square-foot building has ample parking and is on a bus line. The Fort Myers campus has a library, student lounge and balcony, a student success center and an auditorium. Academically, there are three computer laboratories, eleven classrooms, and individual laboratories for diagnostic medical sonography, crime scene technology, information technology, medical assisting, sports medicine and fitness technology, and occupational therapy. All equipment used at Keiser University is comparable to industry standards and effectively meets all program learning objectives.



Keiser University, Jacksonville

The Jacksonville site is located in south Jacksonville at The Summit at Southpoint, 6430 Southpoint Parkway. The 66,000 square-foot campus, located in a three-story building, has free parking. The Jacksonville campus has a library, writing center and mathematics lab, two student lounges, 28 classrooms, auditorium with seating for 104 people, seven medical laboratories, four computer laboratories, two radiology x-ray rooms, two physical therapy labs, three nursing labs, a forensic lab, a sport medicine and fitness technology laboratory and a crime scene technology laboratory. All equipment used at Keiser University is comparable to industry standards and effectively meets program objectives.



Keiser University, Lakeland

The Lakeland site is located in the Interstate Business Park at Exit 31 from Interstate 4. The two facilities (comprised of one 42,000 square-foot building and one 26,000 square-foot building) contain 31 classrooms, fifteen allied health laboratories, two natural science laboratories, six computer laboratories, and a dietetics laboratory. It has a student library, multiple student common areas, an auditorium and free adjacent parking. All equipment used at Keiser University is comparable to industry standards and effectively meets program objectives.



Keiser University, Melbourne

The Melbourne site is approximately three miles east of Interstate 95 between the Eau Gallie and US 192 exits. It comprises two buildings totaling approximately 92,000 square feet with 36 classrooms, 18 medical and science laboratories, eight computer laboratories, and offices. The complex has a library, auditorium, and two student lounges. Keiser University provides adjacent free parking. The buildings house facilities for Culinary Arts students, including a production kitchen, three kitchen laboratories, classrooms, and a multi-use facility for banquets, seminars, and special functions. All equipment used at Keiser University is comparable to industry standards and effectively meets program objectives.



Keiser University, Miami

The Miami site is located at 2101 NW 117th Avenue. The facilities consist of approximately 90,000 square feet, divided into three floors of classrooms, laboratories, an auditorium, conference rooms, bookstore, a library, administrative offices and student break areas, plus a 140,000 square foot parking garage. All equipment used at Keiser University is comparable to industry standards and effectively meets program objectives.



Keiser University, Naples

The Keiser University, Naples site is located near the corner of Immokalee Road and Goodlette-Frank Road, at 1336 Creekside Blvd Suite 2. The facility is 10,380 sq. ft., which includes the administrative offices, auditorium, and library. The Dorsch Clinical Simulation Lab is 1,721 sq. ft., which includes simulated operating suite, offices, control room, and debriefing area. All equipment used at the University is comparable to industry standards and effectively meets program objectives.



Keiser University, New Port Richey

The New Port Richey campus of Keiser University is located in downtown New Port Richey on highway 19 North. The building has five floors and the campus has approximately 22,000 sq. ft. and consists of laboratories, classrooms and offices on the first, second and third floors. The University has a library, student lounge, one computer laboratory, and four medical laboratories. Keiser University provides free parking and is on a major bus line. All equipment used at Keiser University is comparable to industry standards and effectively meets program objectives.



Keiser University, Orlando

The Orlando site is located approximately five miles east of downtown Orlando at the intersection of Semoran Blvd (State Road 436) and Lake Underhill Road. The facilities consist of 55,000 square feet of medical and computer laboratories, classrooms, offices and a library. There is free parking adjacent to the building. Orlando also has an excellent bus system with two stops directly in front of the building. All equipment is comparable to industry standards and effectively meets program objectives.



Keiser University at Patrick Air Force Base

Keiser University, Patrick Air Force Base (PAFB), is located off A1A, on PAFB in building 998, suite C15, at the base Education and Training Center. Keiser University is comprised of three beautiful spacious classrooms, access to a computer lab, a large multi-office to accommodate student needs, a student lounge area, and a large auditorium with theater style seating. All equipment used at Keiser University is comparable to industry standards and effectively meets program objectives.



Keiser University, Pembroke Pines

The Pembroke Pines site is located off of Interstate 75, at 1640 SW 145th Avenue. The building has over 78,000 square feet of classrooms, laboratories and offices. It includes 39 classrooms, five medical laboratories, seven computer laboratories, one crime scene laboratory, a library and a 125-seat auditorium, as well as a covered walkway from the parking lot to the building. All equipment used at the University is comparable to industry standards and effectively meets program objectives.



Keiser University, Port St. Lucie

The Port St. Lucie site is located on SW Discovery Way 1.4 miles south of Tradition Parkway, exit 118 off I-95 west. The building is 78,000 square feet containing 29 classrooms and 17 laboratories including allied health, natural sciences, sports medicine and fitness, computer as well as a dietetics & nutrition laboratory. It also contains a library, student lounge with an outdoor area and a large auditorium with theater-style seating. Free adjacent parking is available and security is provided. All equipment used at the University is comparable to industry standards and effectively meets program objectives.



Keiser University, San Marcos, Nicaragua

The San Marcos site is located on the beautifully renovated site of a former teachers' school, *La Antigua Escuela Normal de Señoritas de San Marcos*, Department of Carazo, Nicaragua and encompasses over 740,000 square feet including green areas and athletic field. It has 23 classrooms, a library and auditorium, campus dining facilities, modern computer and science laboratories, spacious dormitories, faculty offices, fitness center, administrative buildings, student services building, conference center, and a 300-person chapel, *La Purísima*. The equipment used at Keiser University is comparable to industry standards and effectively meets program objectives.



Keiser University, Sarasota

The Sarasota site is at Interstate 75 and University Parkway. The three-story building has over 75,000 square feet and adjacent free parking. The facility has 28 classrooms, two medical laboratories, five large computer labs available, a library with a study area, and a large auditorium. A similar 75,000 square-foot building houses facilities for a variety of programs including Culinary Arts, which includes a production kitchen, three kitchen laboratories, and an additional 14 classrooms, multiple allied health available, and a conference room in a multi-use facility for banquets, seminars and special functions. All equipment used at the University is comparable to industry standards and effectively meets program objectives.



Keiser University, Shanghai, China

The Shanghai Center is located in the Shanghai Industry and Commerce Foreign Language College (SCIFLC), which is situated in the Nanhui Technical and Educational Park. The center is housed in Building 4, one of several academic and residential buildings located on the fifty-acre campus of the SICFFL. The institution contains 200 classrooms, 14 computer laboratories, multiple offices, various meeting and conference rooms, and a 600,000-volume multi-functional library. SICFLG occupies 13,511 square meters. Building 4 is located across the main campus thoroughfare in the middle of the campus and has devoted instructional spaces, an exhibition area, and various nationally decorated language laboratories featuring the country whose language is taught in the facility. Keiser's facilities are on the first floor at the southwest corner of the facility and consist of an office and conference room with access to numerous instructional classrooms;

the offices and classrooms contain appropriate instructional and administrative furnishings and equipment. Keiser students have access to all SCIFLC facilities, including furnished dormitories, food service and lounge facilities, a library, and athletic facilities, including a large indoor stadium. The institution is located near major transportation routes with various public transportation options.



Keiser University, Tallahassee and Annex

The Tallahassee site is at Interstate 10 at the Capital Circle N.E. exit. It comprises five buildings that encompass 50,000 square feet of laboratories, classrooms and offices. Included is the Keiser University Center for Culinary Arts, a 16,000 square-foot, modern culinary facility providing Culinary Arts students with a production kitchen, four instructional kitchen laboratories, classrooms and a multi-use facility spacious enough for banquets, seminars and special functions. The Tallahassee complex also has 27 classrooms, four medical laboratories, six computer laboratories, multiple student lounges, a computer center and a library. Keiser University provides free parking that is adjacent to classrooms. All equipment used at Keiser University is comparable to industry standards and effectively meets program objectives.



Keiser University, Tampa

The Tampa site is located on West Waters Avenue one mile east of the Veterans Expressway. The campus is accessible to several major interstate highways. The five-story building provides over 96,000 square feet of classrooms, computer and medical laboratories and offices. The University has a library, writing studio, career center, a cafe and more than 400 adjacent free parking spaces. All equipment used at the campus is comparable with industry standards and effectively meets all program objectives.



Keiser University, West Palm Beach

The West Palm Beach site is located one mile west of the intersection of the Florida Turnpike, between Okeechobee Boulevard and Jog Road; and, ten miles west of Interstate 95 in the Vista Business Center. The site consists of more than 47,000 square feet of classrooms, laboratories and offices and provides free adjacent parking. It has 21 classrooms, seven medical laboratories, five computer laboratories, a library, career center, student lounge and a large auditorium. All equipment used at the University is comparable to industry standards and effectively meets program objectives.