

### FAST FACTS

Founded: 1869  
Affiliation: Private Master's Level University

#### Enrollment (Fall 2020)

- Undergraduate: 1,358
  - 1,006 on-campus
  - 352 online
- Graduate: 995
  - 638 on-campus
  - 357 online
- Total University: 2,353

#### International Students and Diversity

- Chatham students come from 44 states and 33 foreign countries
- International students make up 2.51% of all enrolled students
  - 2.58% of undergraduate students are international
  - 2.41% of graduate students are international
- Minority students make up 17.25% of all enrolled students
  - 13.33% of undergraduate students are minorities
  - 22.61% of graduate students are minorities

#### Student-to-Faculty Ratio 10:1

- Full-time Faculty: 125
- Part-time Faculty: 229
- Total Faculty: 354
- Percent of full-time faculty with Ph.D. or top terminal degree: 90%

#### Our Campuses

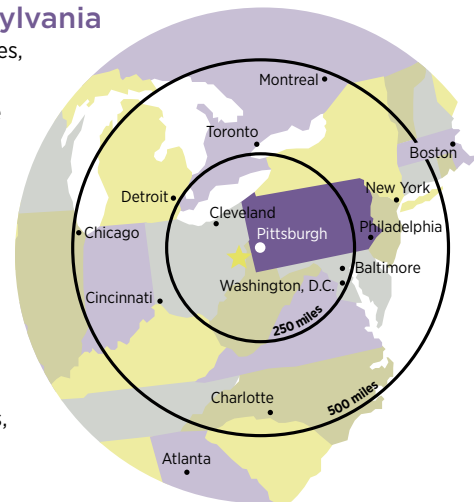
[www.chatham.edu/about](http://www.chatham.edu/about)

- Founded in 1869, **Shadyside Campus** on Woodland Road is the historic home of Chatham University. It is a certified national arboretum—picture tree-lined pathways, a pond, a labyrinth, academic and residence halls cradled in stately mansions—mere minutes from downtown Pittsburgh, a vibrant city with 75,000 college students.
- Our **Chatham Eastside** location is home to our School of Health Sciences and interior architecture program. It is just minutes down the road from Bakery Square, home to Google's Pittsburgh office and a bustling commercial center.
- Our **Eden Hall Campus**, situated on 388 acres just north of Pittsburgh, is the world's first academic community designed and built from the ground up for studying (and living) sustainability.

### WHERE IS CHATHAM UNIVERSITY?

#### About Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

- 26th largest city in the United States, Pittsburgh has 305,000 residents.
- Considered one of the most livable cities in the United States by *Forbes Magazine*.
- Voted #3 safest major city in the United States by Farmers Insurance.
- Voted top 15 best college towns in United States by Best College Reviews.
- Excellent world class museums, theatres, professional sports teams, dining, and shopping.
- Over 7,000 international students studying at area universities, Pittsburgh is diverse and cosmopolitan.
- Pittsburgh is home to over ten colleges and universities including Carnegie Mellon University and the University of Pittsburgh. As a Chatham student you are able to take classes at these universities as part of the Pittsburgh Consortium for Higher Education.



### WHY CHATHAM UNIVERSITY?

- Chatham University is accredited by the Middle States Commission on Higher Education.
- Chatham was awarded an International Sustainable Campus Award for exceptional sustainability efforts in campus planning, integration with academics, student leadership, and exemplary building practices.
- Chatham offers opportunities for internships, on-campus employment, and cultural excursions, as well as cultural and immigration advising.
- Chatham offers on-campus housing, dining services, health services, an athletic and fitness center, a modern library, a post office, English tutoring, and a bicycle repair shop.
- Chatham is the alma mater of environmental icon Rachel Carson '29, and is recognized worldwide as a leader in the field of sustainability, having been named a Top 50 Green College by the *Princeton Review* and mentioned in *Forbes* as one of the places "contributing to Pittsburgh's transformation into a destination for green living."



## LIVING AT CHATHAM

Chatham University guarantees housing for all undergraduate students and offers a range of options, from historic mansions to fully furnished apartments. Chatham is located in one of Pittsburgh's most exciting neighborhoods – ShadySide. Pittsburgh is an easy and safe city to get around, has a comfortable cost of living, and there are many activities and events to join. Students can take the public bus for free using their Chatham ID

Students in the Falk School of Sustainability & Environment may choose to live in the residence hall at Eden Hall Campus. If you do choose to live off campus, you will find many opportunities in the surrounding neighborhoods (including the East End, ShadySide, Squirrel Hill, and Friendship) that are safe and convenient, and offer all types of rental opportunities, from houses to apartment buildings. Pittsburgh has one of the country's most affordable rental markets, especially for a city of its size and amenities.

## CHATHAM'S AWARD WINNING GLOBAL FOCUS PROGRAM

The Global Focus program at Chatham University engages students in the purposeful study of peoples and civilizations from around the world. Our community of scholars promotes the acquisition of sustainable global competencies through the critical and holistic exploration of one specific country or region of the globe every year. The program concurrently reinforces cross-cultural ties and internationalization initiatives in the greater Pittsburgh area and beyond. Learn more at [www.chatham.edu/globalfocus](http://www.chatham.edu/globalfocus)

## ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

- Chatham University is ranked among the top master's level institutions in the Northeast by *U.S. News and World Report* and *The Princeton Review*. Within Pennsylvania, Chatham is the highest ranked Master's Level University in Western Pennsylvania.
- Chatham University's Graduate and Undergraduate (RN-BSN) Nursing programs earned a "Best Online Program" ranking by *U.S. News and World Report* in their 2015 Best Online Programs edition.
- Chatham's graduate nursing program, consisting of the MSN and DNP online programs, was ranked in the top 100 of all programs in the United States.
- Chatham was honored at the International Sustainable Campus Network (ISCN) Sustainable Campus Excellence Award Ceremony (2013) for our exceptional integration of sustainability efforts with academics.

## ACADEMIC STRUCTURE

### Falk School of Sustainability & Environment

The Falk School of Sustainability & Environment is dedicated to identifying and overcoming current and future sustainability challenges across a range of environments. Each program blends full involvement with the curriculum through projects, assistantships, summer immersion programs, community engagement with hands-on experience, and a robust academic foundation that allows students to emerge as the professionals that will transform thinking in the fields that comprise sustainability. Programs include graduate and undergraduate programs in food studies, sustainability and dual degrees with MBA.

### School of Health Sciences

Our highly competitive School of Health Sciences excels in training students through problem-based learning, fostering critical thinking skills, and service-oriented programs for medically underserved populations. Our graduates are highly skilled, ethically and culturally aware, and highly sought after.

### School of Arts, Science & Business

The School of Arts, Science & Business develops thoughtful, expert leaders and practitioners. Through flexible programs; committed faculty; small, dynamic classes; and real-world experience, our students are prepared to advance in their careers – or launch new ones.

## PITTSBURGH PATHWAYS

Pittsburgh Pathways is a comprehensive program for non-native English-speaking students who wish to prepare for attending Chatham University or another university. It offers a combination of ESL courses and general education academic courses that can be applied toward an undergraduate degree. Students enroll in Pittsburgh Pathways for two or three terms, depending on their TOEFL scores. For more information, visit [www.chatham.edu/pittsburghpathways](http://www.chatham.edu/pittsburghpathways).

## ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROGRAM (ELP) AT CHATHAM UNIVERSITY

The English Language Program at Chatham University is known for exceptional personal attention and strong commitment to student success.

The ELP offers:

- Dedicated instructors with experience teaching English all over the globe
- Conditional admission to degree programs
- Intensive English courses for students with lower intermediate proficiency and higher.
- Understanding and helpful staff
- Short-term programs as needed

ELP courses are taken by Chatham undergraduate and graduate students, visiting students from around the world (who can transfer these credits back to their home institutions), and non-degree-seeking language training students. Students develop the linguistic skills and content knowledge that allow them to thrive in a challenging academic environment. Visit [www.chatham.edu/elp](http://www.chatham.edu/elp) to learn more.

## ACTIVITIES AT CHATHAM

19 NCAA Division III sports for men and women

	Men	Women
Baseball	X	
Basketball	X	X
Cross Country	X	X
Ice Hockey	X	X
Lacrosse	X	X
Soccer	X	X
Softball		X
Squash (non-NCAA, varsity)	X	X
Swimming & Diving	X	X
Track & Field	X	X
Volleyball		X

Over 50 campus organizations, and a variety of co-curricular activities offered through our active and innovative Office of Student Affairs. Visit [www.chatham.edu/campuslife](http://www.chatham.edu/campuslife) to learn more.

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

[www.chatham.edu/admission/international](http://www.chatham.edu/admission/international)

### Undergraduate Students

- Completed online application for admission at [apply.chatham.edu/undergraduate](http://apply.chatham.edu/undergraduate) (free of charge) or submit the Common Application.
- Admissions essay.
- All official secondary and postsecondary transcripts, mark sheets or records, officially translated into English if not in English. Credential evaluation is not required for non-U.S. postsecondary academic records, but may be requested.
- Official test scores - TOEFL, IELTS, STEP, SAT or ACT (Chatham code: 2081)
  - Non-native English speakers must submit a TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language) score of 525 and above on the paper-based TOEFL (PBT) or 79 and above on the internet based test (iBT), an IELTS score of 6.5 or above, pre-Grade 1 on the STEP-EIKEN. Students who score less than this may be admitted in to the English Language Program or Pittsburgh Pathways through conditional admission.
  - TOEFL can be waived for students who want to start in the English Language Program full time.
  - Native English speakers must submit SAT I or ACT scores.
- One letter of recommendation.
- Copy of passport photo page (with identification information).
- Copy of immigration documents (if currently living in the United States).
- Proof of financial support (official bank statement, signed bank letter, or financial guarantee indicating enough funds to cover the first year of education at Chatham).

## UNDERGRADUATE MAJORS

### Health & Sustainability

Environmental Science  
 Exercise Science  
 Sustainability: *Food Systems, Natural Resource Management, Sustainable Business, Sustainable Energy & Urban Systems*  
 Psychology  
 Psychology (online)

### Business & Communications

Accounting  
 Applied Data Science Analytics  
 Business Administration (online)  
 Communication: *Graphic Design, Human Communication, Journalism, Public Relations*  
 Economics  
 Healthcare and Business Management (online)  
 International Business  
 Management  
 Management Information Systems  
 Marketing

### Arts & Sciences

Arts Management  
 Biochemistry  
 Biology: *Cell & Molecular Biology, Human Biology*  
 Chemistry  
 Creative Writing (BFA)  
 Criminology  
 Cultural Studies

Education, Pre-K-4/Early Elementary\*  
 English  
 History  
 Immersive Media  
 Interior Architecture  
 International Studies (*Africa, Asia, Europe, Latin America, Middle East*)  
 Mathematics  
 Media Arts: *Graphic Design, Film & Digital Technology, Photography*  
 Music  
 Music Business  
 Music Technology  
 Neuroscience  
 Physics  
 Policy Studies  
 Political Science  
 Social Services Administration  
 Social Work  
 Visual Arts: *Art History, Studio Arts*  
 Women's and Gender Studies

\*Certification in K-12 Visual Arts and Secondary Education also offered

## GRADUATE PROGRAMS

### Professional Doctoral Programs

Counseling Psychology (PsyD)  
 Physical Therapy (DPT)  
 Entry-level Doctorate of Occupational Therapy (OTD)  
 Professional Doctorate of Occupational Therapy (OTD)

### Professional Masters Programs

Athletic Training (MS)  
 Biology (MS)  
 Biomedical studies (MABS)  
 Business Administration (MBA)  
 Communication (MComm)  
 Counseling Psychology (MSCP)  
 Creative Writing (MFA)  
 Film and Digital Technology (MFA)  
 Food Studies (MAFS)  
 Food Studies + Business Administration (MAFS+MBA)  
 Healthcare Informatics (MSHI)  
 Interdisciplinary Design (MA)  
 Interior Architecture (MIA and MSIA)  
 Physician Assistant Studies (MPAS)  
 Professional Writing (MPW)  
 Psychology (MAP)  
 Sustainability (MSUS)  
 Sustainability + Business Administration (MSUS+MBA)  
 Teaching (MAT)

## Undergrad Admission Requirements continued

Accepted students who plan to enroll must pay the \$150 tuition and \$150 housing deposits.

To learn more about admission, visit [www.chatham.edu/admission/international](http://www.chatham.edu/admission/international)

## Graduate Students

- Completed Graduate Student Application for Admission:
  - For most programs, the application is at [apply.chatham.edu](http://apply.chatham.edu).
  - DPT, MOT, MPAS programs must apply through the Centralized Application Process. See program website for application requirements and details at [www.chatham.edu/academics/programs/graduate](http://www.chatham.edu/academics/programs/graduate).
- All official postsecondary academic records officially translated into English if not in English. Credential evaluation is not required for non-U.S. academic records, but may be requested.
- Copy of passport photo page (with identification information).
- Copy of immigration documents if living in the U.S.
- Official test scores: TOEFL, IELTS, iTEP, or PTE (Chatham code: 2081) (See English Language Requirements).
- Supporting applicant supplied documents, such as
  - Essay/personal statement
  - Résumé/CV
  - Recommendations
  - Portfolio
- Official bank statement, signed bank letter or financial guarantee verifying sufficient funds to cover the full cost of the first year of education at Chatham University. See cost of attendance details at [www.chatham.edu/admission/tuition](http://www.chatham.edu/admission/tuition).

## English Language Requirements

Any applicant who is a non-native English speaker must provide proof of English language proficiency:

1. If you have graduated from a baccalaureate or master's program in the United States, United Kingdom, Canada (not including Quebec), Ireland, New Zealand, Australia or an English-speaking Caribbean island country, a test score is not required.
2. Submit official TOEFL, IELTS, PTE or iTEP results, directly from the testing agency.

Applicants with test results in the following ranges will be required to take the English language placement exam once arriving on campus and may be required to take subsequent language coursework concurrent with their program coursework:

### Undergraduate students

- TOEFL paper-based: 550-599
- TOEFL internet-based: 79-99
- IELTS: 6.5
- iTEP: 3.8
- PTE: 53

### Graduate students

- TOEFL paper-based: 550-599
- TOEFL internet-based: 79-99
- IELTS: 6.5
- iTEP: 3.9
- PTE: 58

Students who do not meet minimum English language proficiency requirements may apply to the English Language Program ([www.chatham.edu/elp](http://www.chatham.edu/elp)) or apply for conditional admission.

## REQUEST MORE INFORMATION

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Pittsburgh, PA 15232 USA

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Phone: 1-412-365-1825

[www.chatham.edu](http://www.chatham.edu)

Are you studying in the United States on an F-1 visa? E-mail [admission@chatham.edu](mailto:admission@chatham.edu) to find out how to transfer to Chatham or call 1-412-365-1825 to talk to an admission counselor today.

## SCHOLARSHIPS AND FINANCIAL AID

### Undergraduate Students

[www.chatham.edu/admission/aid/undergraduate/scholarships.cfm](http://www.chatham.edu/admission/aid/undergraduate/scholarships.cfm)

Undergraduate students are eligible for scholarships and aid based on academic strength and application portfolio review. Scholarships range from \$7,000 to full tuition. Some scholarships require an interview and additional application requirements such as essay and resume.

## ASSISTANTSHIPS AND FELLOWSHIPS

### Graduate Students

[www.chatham.edu/admission/aid/graduate/assistantships.cfm](http://www.chatham.edu/admission/aid/graduate/assistantships.cfm)

International Graduate students are eligible for assistantships and fellowships. These positions require an application and essay and may require an interview. Selection is done in the spring of each year.

## QUICK LINKS

- International Application Process, What's required: [www.chatham.edu](http://www.chatham.edu) > [Admission and Aid](#)
- Online Application: [www.chatham.edu/apply](http://www.chatham.edu/apply)
- Academic Majors: [www.chatham.edu](http://www.chatham.edu) > [Academics](#)
- Financial Aid at Chatham: [www.chatham.edu](http://www.chatham.edu) > [Admission & Aid](#)
- English Language Program: [www.chatham.edu/elp](http://www.chatham.edu/elp)
- Office of International Affairs: [www.chatham.edu/international](http://www.chatham.edu/international)



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