

CLARKSON UNIVERSITY

is a private, national research university and proven leader in technological education and sustainable economic development. Through more than 95 rigorous programs of study in engineering, business, the arts, education, sciences and health professions, we educate 4,600+ students and pursue interdisciplinary research, scholarship and innovation. We ignite connections across disciplines, industries and social cultures to create the entrepreneurial mindset, knowledge and intellectual curiosity needed to innovate world-relevant solutions and prepare the leaders of tomorrow. Alumni earn salaries that are among the top 2% in the nation and realize accelerated career growth. Founded in 1896, Clarkson's main campus is located in Potsdam, New York, and additional graduate programs, online networks and research facilities are based near industry partners in Saranac Lake, Schenectady, Beacon and New York City.



Accolades



Top-Tier National University

Best Colleges for Veterans

Top 40 Best Value Schools

Best Undergraduate Engineering Programs

Best Undergraduate Business Programs

Best Online MBA Programs

U.S. News & World Report



Best Value Colleges

Most Environmentally Responsible Colleges

Top 20 Best Career Services

Top 25 Best Career Placement

Colleges That Pay You Back

Top 50 Entrepreneurship: Undergraduate

The Princeton Review



Top 25 STEM Colleges

America's Top Research Universities

Grateful Grads Index: Top 200 Best-Loved Colleges

Forbes

Top 2% Best Universities and Colleges by Salary Potential (bachelor's degree)

PayScale College Salary Report



One of 10 Great Colleges for Business Majors

TIME magazine

Top 10 Engineering Colleges in the U.S.

USA Today

One of the Best Colleges for Your Money

MONEY magazine

Clarkson



Quick Facts

LOCATIONS:

Main Campus – Potsdam, N.Y.
*Bachelor's | Master's | PhD |
 Certificates | K-12 Programs*

Capital Region Campus –
 Schenectady, N.Y.
*Master's | PhD | Certificates |
 K-12 Programs*

Hudson Valley Campus –
 Beacon, N.Y.
Master's | K-12 Programs

Online –
Master's | PhD | Certificates

HISTORY: 1896 – Founded as
 the Thomas S. Clarkson Memorial
 School of Technology, a memorial
 to Thomas S. Clarkson, a Potsdam
 businessman and humanitarian.

1913 – Renamed Thomas S.
 Clarkson Memorial College of
 Technology – where we got our
 chant, "Let's Go Tech!"

1984 – Renamed Clarkson
 University to reflect status as a
 university with master's and PhD
 programs in more than two fields.

PRESIDENT: Anthony G. Collins
 (2003-Present)

MASCOT: Golden Knight

COLORS: Green and Gold, after
 Thomas S. Clarkson's favorite flower,
 the goldenrod

ATHLETICS: 2 Division I sports
 teams (men's and women's hockey);
 18 Division III sports teams; 240
 intramural teams

MILITARY: Army and Air Force
 ROTC programs

STUDENT/FACULTY RATIO: 12:1

STUDENT BODY: 4,600+ students
 from 42 states and 61 countries

ALUMNI: 46,000+

PLACEMENT RATE: 97% in
 chosen field

SCHOOLS: Beacon Institute for
 Rivers and Estuaries; Wallace H.
 Coulter School of Engineering;
 Institute for STEM Education;
 Institute for a Sustainable
 Environment; Earl R. and Barbara D.
 Lewis School of Health Sciences;
 David D. Reh School of Business;
 School of Arts & Sciences;
 Graduate School

THE CLARKSON SCHOOL: An
 opportunity for talented high school
 students to start college early
 and enroll as first-year students
 at Clarkson. A special Living-
 Learning Community provides
 additional support for personal
 growth, academic achievement and
 professional development.

HONORS PROGRAM: Research-
 based option for students looking
 to pursue research even before the
 start of their first year in college;
 culminates in a senior thesis.

STUDENT INVOLVEMENT: 200+
 clubs and professional societies to
 join on campus, including musical/
 performance, religious, political,
 hobby/special interest, volunteer/
 community service, fraternities (9),
 sororities (4), athletic, academic/
 pre-professional, honor societies and
 leadership development clubs.

STUDY ABROAD: 55 partner
 institutions in 24 countries plus
 three U.S. experiences: Trudeau
 Biomedical Scholars Semester;
 Adirondack Semester; Washington,
 D.C., Semester

