



Big thinking for a big world.

THE
INTERNATIONAL
STUDENT
EXPERIENCE

chatham UNIVERSITY
CHATHAM COLLEGE FOR WOMEN

Think globally.

Students from all over the world find their home at Chatham University. On average, 10% of Chatham's undergraduates come from 25 countries in Africa, Asia, Europe, Latin America, and the Middle East. Students from places like Japan, Bulgaria, Canada, Saudi Arabia, India, China, and Nepal share their heritage with our campus community. Cultural diversity is welcomed, fostered, and celebrated throughout the year.

At Chatham, we challenge our students to Think Globally. Environmentally. Civically. Confidently. Global understanding in particular is intrinsic to our vibrant academic community, and is something you'll experience both in and out of the classroom.

Chatham University. Big Thinking for a Big World.

Think green.



THE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

Our 39-acre, park-like campus features century old mansions (many of which now serve as residence halls) as well as the latest in technologies, including wireless networks and a \$10 million science complex. In addition, Chatham University is just minutes from the city of Pittsburgh, museums, theaters, and shopping, as well as nine other universities.

Chatham University's new 388-acre Eden Hall Farm Campus is located north of the city in Richland Township. Programs at Eden Hall Farm will include an environmental learning lab, initiatives in sustainability and environmental studies, landscape architecture, biosciences and women's studies.



Fifty percent of the U.S. population lives within a 500 mile radius of Pittsburgh.

AT CHATHAM, YOU'LL FIND:

- Smaller campus and class sizes. Chatham is home to nearly 2,200 students, with an average class size of 14
- 9:1 student to faculty ratio
- 98% of undergraduate faculty hold a Ph.D. or terminal degree
- Five-Year Masters programs enable students to earn a bachelor's and master's degree in as few as five years
- First-year students are provided with a Hewlett-Packard tablet personal computer for use throughout our wireless campus
- Chatham Abroad offers students the opportunity to study around the world
- Cross-registration allows students to take courses at any of the nine major metropolitan Pittsburgh universities, including the University of Pittsburgh and Carnegie Mellon University
- *Community involvement:* By combining practical learning opportunities with career exploration, Chatham students typically complete thousands of community service learning hours worldwide each year
- *Outreach Centers:* Center for Women's Entrepreneurship; Pennsylvania Center for Women, Politics and Public Policy; Rachel Carson Institute; and the Global Focus Program, a multidisciplinary, campus-wide program that promotes political, historical, and cultural understanding of a specific region or country



Think civically.

CHATHAM UNIVERSITY AND THE INTERNATIONAL STUDENT

STUDENT SERVICES

International students benefit from an attentive, caring staff and on-campus services:

- International student orientation
- International visa advising
- Academic support services: ESL and content tutoring, student advising, and workshops for university success
- Intensive ESL classes for academic preparation
- Student health center staffed by a physician and nurse
- Unique on-campus residence halls and winter housing

ESL OFFERINGS AT CHATHAM UNIVERSITY

Chatham offers year-round English instruction focused on academic preparation for college success. Fall and spring semester-long courses provide a bridge for intermediate and advanced ESL students, and allow upper-level students to concurrently enroll in college coursework. The

summer program, American College English Program (ACE), combines intensive classroom study with weekly cultural outings, frequent student activities, and constant English input. For many, this provides a comfortable transition to the rigors of full-time study in the United States. Summer program participation requires a minimum TOEFL score of 475 or equivalent, and the fall or spring ESL courses require a minimum of 500 PBT.

STUDENTS WHO PARTICIPATE IN CHATHAM ESL COURSES WILL:

- increase* accuracy and fluency in English
- participate* in classroom discussions
- interact* regularly with American students and instructors
- benefit* from low student/teacher ratios (9:1)
- adapt* to U.S. academic and social life
- live* on campus apartments or residence halls
- grow* in a nurturing, supportive environment



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ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

TOEFL SCORES

To be accepted unconditionally to Chatham University, the minimum scores are 550 Paper-based, 79 Internet-based

For conditional acceptance into Chatham University, the minimum scores are 500 Paper-based, 61 Internet-based

IELTS SCORES

- 6.5-6.0 Unconditional Acceptance
- 5.5-5.0 Conditional Acceptance

CREDIT TRANSFER

Chatham University recognizes two-year associate degrees and accredited university course work. If credit evaluation is needed, please contact the Office of International Admissions at admissions@chatham.edu.

ROLLING ADMISSION

We will accept applications throughout the year.

STEPS TO APPLY

- Application and essay (Download online at www.chatham.edu)
- Official secondary academic transcripts in native language and translated and notarized in English.
- If choosing to submit post-secondary credits, please contact the Office of International Admissions at admissions@chatham.edu for the requirements.
- Official Test Scores: IELTS or SAT or ACT or TOEFL or STEP (Code 2081)
- One letter of recommendation
- Submit one College Board International Student Financial Aid Application (Contact the Office of International Admissions at admissions@chatham.edu)

Small classes, and personal interaction with professors. Chatham is a perfect educational institution for personal growth and development.

— Shristi '12, Nepal, biology



Think confidently.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

CHATHAM INTERNATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIPS

Chatham offers scholarships for international students based on a combination of TOEFL (or SAT) scores and GPA conversion. Scholarships ranging from \$6,000 to \$12,000 are awarded upon completion of the application process. Scholarships are renewable as long as a student maintains a 2.8 GPA.

CHATHAM INTERNATIONAL WORLD READY WOMEN SCHOLARSHIPS

Chatham offers scholarships for international students based on resumé, interview, and short essay. Students who wish to participate need to contact the Office of International Admissions at admissions@chatham.edu. World Ready Women Scholarships range from \$1,000 to \$5,000 a year and are renewable as long as a student maintains a 2.8 GPA.

2010-2011 TUITION AND FEES

CHATHAM COLLEGE FOR WOMEN

(per year)

Full time tuition	\$28,088
Room and Board	\$8,873
Mandatory college and technology fees	\$1,100

COLLEGE FOR GRADUATE STUDIES

Full time cohort programs (per term)

Doctor of Physical Therapy	\$9,260
Master of Occupational Therapy	\$8,421
Master of Physician Assistant Studies	\$11,799
Combined lab & insurance fee	\$160
Campus fee	\$200

All other graduate programs

Charge per credit	\$742
Campus fee per credit	\$18

COLLEGE FOR CONTINUING AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

Charge per credit

Undergraduate programs	\$681
Graduate programs	\$742

CHATHAM COLLEGE FOR WOMEN PROGRAMS OF STUDY

Programs in italics are offered as minors only. Indented listings are concentrations within the major.

Applied Management
Art History
Art Museum Studies
Arts Management
Biochemistry
Biology
Botany
Business
 Accounting
 Economics
 Management
 Marketing
Chemistry
Communication
 Broadcast Journalism
 Print Journalism
 Professional Writing
 Public Relations
Conflict Resolution
Creative Writing (BFA)
Cultural Studies
Cultural Studies: African American Studies
Dance
Education
 Elementary
 Early Childhood
 Secondary Certification
Engineering (3-2 program)
English
Environmental Biology
Environmental Chemistry
Environmental Policy
Environmental Science
Environmental Studies
Environmental Writing
Exercise Science
Film and Digital Technology
 Emerging Media
 Film
Forensics
French and Francophone Studies
Global Policy Studies

Government
History
History of Religion
Interdisciplinary Majors
Interior Architecture
International Business
International Certificates
 Africa
 Asia
 Europe
 Latin America
 The Middle East
International Studies
Law and Society
Mathematics
Music
 Composition
 Voice
Philosophy
Physics
Psychology
Public Policy Studies
Self-Designed Majors
Social Services Administration
Social Work
Spanish and Hispanic Studies
Theatre
Visual Arts
 Emerging Media
 Photography
 Studio Arts
Women's Studies
Writing

**ACCELERATED GRADUATE PROGRAM WITH
CARNEGIE MELLON UNIVERSITY**
Master of Science in Healthcare Policy
and Management
Master of Information Systems Management
Master of Arts Management
Master of Science in Public Policy
and Management

COLLEGE FOR GRADUATE STUDIES

Coeducational masters and doctoral degree programs.

Doctor of Physical Therapy
Doctor of Psychology in Counseling Psychology
Master of Accounting
MA in Food Studies
MA in Landscape Studies
MA in Psychology
MA in Teaching
Master of Business Administration
MFA in Creative Writing
MFA in Film and Digital Technology
Master of Interior Architecture
Master of Landscape Architecture
Master of Occupational Therapy
Master of Physician Assistant Studies
MS in Biology
MS in Counseling Psychology

COLLEGE FOR CONTINUING & PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

Online Programs

Doctorate of Occupational Therapy
Doctor of Nursing Practice
MS in Nursing
MS in Interior Architecture
Master of Professional Writing
MA in Healthcare Quality Management
MA in Integrative Health Studies
MA in Medical Informatics
MS in Infant Mental Health
MS in Infant Mental Health Counseling
RN-to Bachelor of Science in Nursing
Undergraduate Certificate in Integrated
 Health Studies
Undergraduate Certificate in Green and
Sustainable Management

Low Residency Programs

(Combination of Online and On Ground)
Master of Fine Arts in Creative Writing
Certificate in Infant Mental Health



SAMPLE CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

NCAA DIVISION III VARSITY ATHLETICS

Basketball
Cross Country
Ice Hockey
Soccer
Softball
Swimming and Diving
Tennis
Volleyball
Water Polo

SAMPLING OF STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

Chabad House
Chatham Choir
Chatham Entrepreneurship Club
Chemistry Society
Communiqué (student newspaper)
Environmental Residence Hall
Green Horizons (environmental club)
International Student Association
Muslim Student Organization
Peer Educators in Health at Chatham (PEACHes)
Social Work is Real Life (SWIRL)

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