

UW Colleges and UW-Extension at a Glance

	University of Wisconsin Colleges	University of Wisconsin-Extension
Missions	The UW Colleges, the 13 freshman/sophomore campuses of the UW, offers an Associate Degree in Arts and Science. Its general education, liberal arts curriculum prepares students of all ages and backgrounds for baccalaureate and professional programs, for lifelong learning, and for leadership, service, and responsible citizenship. The UW Colleges' campuses provide outstanding academic preparation for students, assuring successful preparation for transfer to baccalaureate institutions.	Through UW-Extension, all Wisconsin people can access university resources and engage in lifelong learning, wherever they live and work. Fundamental to this mission are UW-Extension's partnerships with the 26 UW System campuses, 72 Wisconsin counties, tribal governments, and other public/private organizations.
Organizational Structures	<p>Each UW Colleges campus is administered by a dean, its chief administrative and academic officer, who reports to the chancellor. A central administration office in Madison provides support for the campuses in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Academic Affairs • Administrative (Business) Services • Continuing Education • Distance Education • Financial Aid • Human Resources • Information Technology • Marketing/University Relations/ Enrollment Management • Registrar • Student Affairs 	<p>UW-Extension programs are delivered by four main divisions, each led by a dean/director who reports to the chancellor:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Business and Manufacturing Extension provides technical management education and related business counseling at 13 Small Business Development Centers. • Outreach and E-Learning Extension works with all 26 UW System campuses to provide continuing education classes, outreach programs, online degrees and labor education. • Cooperative Extension, with offices in all 72 Wisconsin counties, translates university research into educational programs to address the local needs of youth, families communities, government, agriculture and others. • Broadcasting & Media Innovations, including Wisconsin Public Television and Wisconsin Public Radio, uses technology to provide learning opportunities and educational links across the state. <p>In addition, UW-Extension operates three Extension Conference Centers in Madison.</p>

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Enrollments & educational contacts	In the Fall 2004, the UW Colleges enrolled 12,236 students (8,979 FTE), of which 30% were age 22 or older (nontraditional students, many of whom are place-bound). 61% of students are full-time, and 7% are students of color. In 12 of 13 communities, the percentage of students of color on the UW Colleges campus exceeds the percentage represented in the general community population. The UW Colleges serve many first-generation students and many from middle- and lower-income households.	In FY 2004, 212,382 students enrolled in credit- and noncredit continuing education courses and distance-learning programs supported by UW-Extension. In the same year, Cooperative Extension educators made 908,645 local educational contacts. Small Business Development Centers enrolled 10,587 people in training programs and served 5,638 clients through face-to-face and telephone-based counseling. More than 85,000 people attended classes and events at Extension Conference Centers.
Staffing	UW Colleges employs 841 FTE faculty and staff.	UW-Extension employs 1,108 FTE faculty and staff, and provides funding for an additional 640 FTE positions that support outreach and extension programs across the UW System.
Finances	In FY 2004, the UW Colleges annual operating budget of approximately \$75 million was funded primarily from tuition/fees (39%); state general-purpose revenue (36%); auxiliaries, gifts, grants (14%); and federal programs (11%). The facilities of each campus are provided and maintained by county funds.	In FY 2004, UW-Extension annual operating expenditures totaled \$185.9 million. Major funding sources include: fees, gifts and contracts (41%); state general-purpose revenue (35%); federal government (12%); and county government (11%).
Shared governance	Shared governance at UW Colleges is organized through campus collegia, the UW Colleges Senate (consisting of faculty, academic staff and students), the Student Governance Council, and through 17 institution-wide academic departments.	Shared governance in UW-Extension is organized through the Faculty Senate, University Committee and the Academic Staff Council. In addition, both faculty and academic staff members serve on a Systemwide Extension Council, which represents all UW System institutions and provides additional input to the Chancellor regarding major issues.
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