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Most Viewed	Importance	Rankings				Discipline Level			Citation/ Pub Source	Scope
		Survey Data From	Source	Institution	Combined Discipline	Graduate Discipline	Undergraduate Discipline			
International										
	*	Academic Ranking of World Universities	Source	ARWU - Center for World Class Universities Shanghai Jiao Tong University	Y	Y	N	N	Thomson Reuters	International
		Center for World University Rankings	Source	CWUR - Jeddah, Saudi Arabia	Y	N	N	N	N/A	International
		Global Employability Survey	Source	Emerging and Trendence	Y	N	Y	N	N/A	International
		Global Research Benchmarking System (GRBS)	Source	The MUP Center	Y	Y	N	N	Elsevier Scopus	International
		Leiden Ranking (by discipline)	Source	The Centre for Science and Technology Studies (CWTS) - The Netherlands	N	Y	N	N	Thomson Reuters	International
		Performance Ranking of Scientific Papers for World Universities	Source	National Taiwan University	Y	N	N	N	Thomson Reuters	International
	*	QS World University Rankings	Source & UA/OIRPS	Quacquarelli Symonds Limited	Y	Y	N	N	Sciverse Scopus	International
		Ranking Web of World Universities	Source	Cybermetrics Lab - Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Cientificas (CSIC) - Spain	Y	N	N	N	Scimago Scopus	International
	*	THE World University Rankings	Source	Times Higher Education - Thomson Reuters	Y	N	N	N	Thomson Reuters	International
		U-Multirank	Source	Seed funding from the European Union, led by a consortium of international faculty	Y	Y	N	N	Thomson Reuters	International
National										
+		Business Week (Undergraduate Business School)	Source	Bloomberg/Business Week	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	National
+		Forbes	Source	Forbes, LLC	Y	N	N	N	Thomson Reuters	National
+		Kaplan/Newsweek	Source	Newsweek	Y	N	N	N	N/A	National
+		Kiplinger	Source & UA/OIRPS	Kiplinger	Y	Y	N	N	N/A	National
		Money's Best Colleges	Source	Money Magazine	Y	Y	N	N	N/A	National
		PayScale College Return On Investment Report	Source/IPEDS	PayScale - Employee Survey	Y	N	N	Y	N/A	National
		The Center for Measuring University Performance (MUP) - (Top American Research Universities)	Source	The MUP Center - Arizona State University and the University of Massachusetts Amherst	Y	N	N	N	N/A	National
+		The Princeton Review	Source & UA/OIRPS	TPR Education IP Holdings, LLC	Y	N	N	N	N/A	National

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+		The Wall Street Journal Top Business Schools List - MBA	Source	The Wall Street Journal	Y	N	Y	N	N/A	National
+		The Washington Monthly National Universities Rankings	Source	The Washington Monthly	Y	N	N	N	N/A	National
		US Master's Degree Rankings (Masters Degree Online)	Source	QuinStreet, Inc.	Y	N	Y	N	N/A	National
+	*	USNWR Graduate School Rankings	Source & UA	U.S. News and World Report	Y	N	Y	N	N/A	National
	*	USNWR Graduate School Rankings Sub-Categories:								
	*	Business Schools								
	*	Law Schools								
	*	Medical Schools								
	*	Engineering Schools								
	*	Education Schools								
	*	Science (No overall rank)								
	*	Library and Information Studies (No overall rank)								
	*	Social Sciences and Humanities (No overall rank)								
	*	Health (No overall rank)								
	*	Public Affairs (No overall rank)								
	*	Fine Arts (No overall rank)								
+	*	USNWR Online Education Programs Rankings:								
+	*	USNWR Online - Graduate Business	UA/OIRPS Coordinates/ College	U.S. News and World Report	Y	N	Y	N	N/A	National
+	*	USNWR Online - Graduate Computer	UA/OIRPS Coordinates/ College	U.S. News and World Report	Y	N	Y	N	N/A	National
+	*	USNWR Online - Graduate Education	UA/OIRPS Coordinates/ College	U.S. News and World Report	Y	N	Y	N	N/A	National
+	*	USNWR Online - Graduate Engineering	UA/OIRPS Coordinates/ College	U.S. News and World Report	Y	N	Y	N	N/A	National

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+	*	USNWR Online - Graduate Nursing	UA/OIRPS Coordinates/ College	U.S. News and World Report	Y	N	Y	N	N/A	National
+	*	USNWR Online - Undergraduate	UA/OIRPS Coordinates/ College	U.S. News and World Report	Y	N	N	Y	N/A	National
+	*	USNWR Online - Veterans	Source & UA College	U.S. News and World Report	Y	N	Y	Y	N/A	National
	*	USNWR Online - Veterans Sub Categories								
	*	Online Bachelor's Programs for Veterans								
	*	Online Graduate Business Programs for Veterans								
	*	Online Graduate Engineering Programs for Veterans								
	*	Online Graduate Nursing Programs for Veterans								
	*	Online Graduate Education Programs for Veterans								
	*	Online Graduate Computer Information Technology Programs for Veterans								
+	*	USNWR Undergraduate (America's Best Colleges)	UA/OIRPS	U.S. News and World Report	Y	N	N	Y	N/A	National
		UTD Top 100 Business School Research Rankings	Source	UT Dallas' Naveen Jindal School of Management	Y	N	N	N	Business Journals	National
Other										
		Academic Analytics	Source & UA/OIRPS	Academic Analytics, LLC	Y	N	Y	N	Academic Analytics	National
		College Factual	Source	Media Factual Websites/BrightHub, Inc.	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	National
		NRC Rankings	UA Graduate College	The National Research Council/The National Academies	Y	N	Y	N	?	National
		National Science Foundation Research Expenditures (Science and Engineering category)	UA VPR Office	The National Science Foundation (NSF)	Y	Y	N	N	N/A	National
		SciVal	Source	Elsevier B. V.	Y	N	N	N	Scopus	National
		Web of Science	Source & UA Library	Thomson Reuters	N	N	N	N	Thomson Reuters	International

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Rankings				
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International				
Academic Ranking of World Universities	http://www.shanghairanking.com/index.html	Separate rankings by subject fields	N/A	August
Center for World University Rankings	http://cwur.org/		N/A	July
Global Employability Survey	http://emerging.fr/rank_en.html		May-August	October
Global Research Benchmarking System (GRBS)	http://www.researchbenchmarking.org/web/guest/home	Includes Science, Technology, Engineering, and other related fields. Excludes Social Sciences, Humanities, Fine Arts and some of the professions.	N/A	Varies
Leiden Ranking (by discipline)	http://www.leidenranking.com/ranking	Separate rankings by science fields	N/A	April
Performance Ranking of Scientific Papers for World Universities	http://nturanking.lis.ntu.edu.tw/Default.aspx		April-Sept	Dec
QS World University Rankings	http://www.topuniversities.com/university-rankings	Separate rankings by subject areas	Feb-April	Sept ?
Ranking Web of World Universities	http://www.webometrics.info/		January	February
THE World University Rankings	http://www.timeshighereducation.co.uk/world-university-rankings/		N/A	?
U-Multirank	http://www.umultirank.org	Separate rankings by subject areas	N/A	May
National				
Business Week (Undergraduate Business School)	www.businessweek.com/bschools/rankings/		N/A	Every 2 years
Forbes	www.forbes.com/top-colleges/list/		N/A	July
Kaplan/Newsweek	www.newsweek.com/	Paid Membership	N/A	August
Kiplinger	www.kiplinger.com		Oct-November	February
Money's Best Colleges	time.com/money/collection/moneys-best-colleges/		N/A	July/Aug
PayScale College Return On Investment Report	http://payscale.com/college-roi/	Based on total cost and alumni earnings	N/A	March
The Center for Measuring University Performance (MUP) - (Top American Research Universities)	http://mup.asu.edu/		N/A	Varies
The Princeton Review	http://www.princetonreview.com/college-rankings.aspx		Mid Jan-Mid Feb	August

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National (Continued)				
The Wall Street Journal Top Business Schools List - MBA	http://www.online.wsj.com/home-page	Paid Membership Ranks the top 25 executive MBA programs	N/A	Sept.
The Washington Monthly National Universities Rankings	http://www.washingtonmonthly.com/college_guide/rankings_2012/national_university_rank.php		N/A	August ?
US Master's Degree Rankings (Masters Degree Online)	http://master-degree-online.com/masters-degree-rankings/		July-August	January
USNWR Graduate School Rankings	http://www.usnews.com/rankings	Separate Discipline-specific rankings	Oct-January	March
USNWR Graduate School Rankings Sub-Categories:				
Business Schools				
Law Schools				
Medical Schools				
Engineering Schools				
Education Schools				
Science (No overall rank)				
Library and Information Studies (No overall rank)				
Social Sciences and Humanities (No overall rank)				
Health (No overall rank)				
Public Affairs (No overall rank)				
Fine Arts (No overall rank)				
USNWR Online Education Programs Rankings:				
USNWR Online - Graduate Business	http://www.usnews.com/education/online-education	Business specific; MBA, accounting, marketing, & entrepreneurship	July-August	January
USNWR Online - Graduate Computer	http://www.usnews.com/education/online-education	At least one program must be Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET) accredited at Bachelor's level or higher	July-August	January
USNWR Online - Graduate Education	http://www.usnews.com/education/online-education		July-August	January
USNWR Online - Graduate Engineering	http://www.usnews.com/education/online-education	At least one program must be Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET) accredited at Bachelor's level or higher	July-August	January

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USNWR Online - Graduate Nursing	http://www.usnews.com/education/online-education	Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE) or National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission (NLNAC) accredited programs	July-August	January
USNWR Online - Undergraduate	http://www.usnews.com/education/online-education	Any online Bachelor's	July-August	January
USNWR Online - Veterans	http://www.usnews.com/education/online-education	First, institution must be ranked in Best Online Education Programs rankings. Rankings are specifically to people with military experience	July-August	January
USNWR Online - Veterans Sub Categories				
Online Bachelor's Programs for Veterans				
Online Graduate Business Programs for Veterans				
Online Graduate Engineering Programs for Veterans				
Online Graduate Nursing Programs for Veterans				
Online Graduate Education Programs for Veterans				
Online Graduate Computer Information Technology Programs for Veterans				
USNWR Undergraduate (America's Best Colleges)	http://www.usnews.com/rankings		March-April	Sept.
UTD Top 100 Business School Research Rankings	http://jindal.utdallas.edu/the-utd-top-100-business-school-research-rankings/		N/A	April
Other				
Academic Analytics	www.academicanalytics.com	Paid Membership	April	Varies
College Factual	www.collegefactual.com	Create your own rankings of colleges based on selected criteria on website	N/A	Varies
NRC Rankings	http://www.nationalacademies.org/nrc/index.html	UA Graduate College manages	Every Decade	
National Science Foundation Research Expenditures (Science and Engineering category)	http://webcaspar.nsf.gov/profiles/	R & D Expenditures	July-June	Varies
SciVal	www.info.scival.com	Paid Membership	N/A	Varies
Web of Science	www.thomsonreuters.com	Paid Membership	March	Varies

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