

The University of Arizona
US News and World Report
U.S. News Best Colleges (Undergraduate) Rankings

Guide Book Year	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Survey Year	2008	2009	2010*	2011	2012	2013**	2014	2015
University of Arizona								
Overall Undergraduate								
Ranking (1=highest)	96	102	120	124	120	119	121	121
Overall Score (100=highest)	40	40	38	43	43	44	41	39
Top Publics								
Ranking (1=highest)	45th	48th	59th		58th	58th	58th	58th out of 116
Best Undergraduate Business Programs								
Ranking (1=highest)	25	25	23	24	24	22	21	22
Overall Score (5=highest)	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.7
Specialties (Top 5, 1=highest)								
Entrepreneurship (Eller)	5th	no	no	no	6th	6th	5th	7th
Management Information Systems (Eller)	4th	3rd	3rd	3rd	3rd	4th	5th	4th
Best Undergraduate Engineering Programs								
Ranking (1=highest)	49	45	45	48	50	53	51	51
Overall Score (5=highest)	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.0
High School Counselor Rankings								
Ranking (1=highest)								104
Overall Score (5=highest)								3.7
A Focus on Student Success (8 Programs Total)								
Undergraduate Research/Creative Projects (Alpha Order-No Ranking)						Made the list out of 39	-	-
A-Plus Schools for B Students (Alpha Order-No Ranking)(To Be Eligible: Top 3/4 of Peer Group in the 2015 Best Colleges Rankings)								
SAT/ACT 25th-75th Percentile						983-1230	-	-
Average High School GPA						3.4	-	-
Freshmen in Top 25% of Class						63%	-	-
Best Colleges for Veterans								
Ranking (1=highest)							Made the list 31 out of 69	Made the list 100 out of 157

Source: US News and World Report, America's Best Colleges

* USNWR changed their methodology in the survey year 2010. The academic reputation changed from 25% to 22.5% while the graduation rate performance changed from 5% to 7.5%. In addition, the academic reputation added high school counselor opinions. The academic reputation is now a blend of 15% provost/president rankings and 7.5% high school counselors.

** USNWR changed their methodology in the survey year 2013. Graduation and retention rates change from 20% to 22.5%. Student selectivity changed from 15% to 12.5% in which USNWR reduced the weight assigned to high school class standing of newly enrolled students from 40% to 25% and SAT and ACT scores rise from 50% to 65%. The effective weight of class rank is reduced from 6% to 3.125%.

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