HUMBOLDT STATE UNIVERSITY
Located in Arcata, California

Sacramento/San Francisco: 5 hours
Los Angeles/San Diego: 12 hours

Average Temp: Low 40 | High 64

Student Population: 8,790
Undergraduates: 8,242
Avg. Class Size: 29
Faculty/Student Ratio: 23:1

Where our California students come from
Local Area: 7%
Northern/Central: 37%
Southern: 48%
Humboldt Highlights

- Received a $3M award to fund stem cell training for HSU students. The award will support up to 10 paid research internships annually for the next 5 years.

- Ranks in the Top 20 Public Schools in the West by *US News and World Reports*.

- Ranks in the top 10 of mid-sized universities for Peace Corps Volunteers.

- Recent Alumni Achievements: "The Scientific Discovery of the Century" HSU Alum, Corey Gray (dual Bachelors degrees in Physics and Applied Mathematics), Lead Operator of the team that recorded the sound of two black holes colliding roughly 1.3 billion years ago.

- A large 12-foot-long, 70-pound Clubhook squid is currently residing in HSU's Marine Laboratory. It's the third largest species of squid in the world. The Marine Lab is already home to several other marine invertebrates and fish, including a 6-foot eel!
Humboldt State University

Signature Programs

51 Majors  69 Minors  12 Graduate Programs

Major Changes

- **Effective Spring 2017**—New Bachelor of Fine Arts degree!
- International Studies is no longer an Interdisciplinary major.
- **New for 2017**—Environmental Science & Management (formerly two separate majors)

Popular Majors: Biology (Marine), Psychology, Business Administration, Wildlife, Zoology, Environmental Science, Kinesiology, Child Development, and Criminology and Justice Studies

Unique Programs: Forestry, Fisheries Biology, Leadership Studies, Oceanography, Recreation Administration, Wildlife, and Zoology
Unique Opportunities

Unique opportunities to gain hands-on experience in our many state of the art facilities

- Schatz Energy Research Center
- Biomechanics Lab
- Humboldt State Vascular Herbarium
- Child Development Lab
- Coral Sea Research Vessel
- Arcata Community Forest
- Gravitational Research Lab
- Fickle Hill Observatory
- Vertebrate Museum—Marine Mammal Stranding Network

Students and faculty actively give back to the community and world through HSU’s educational curriculum

- Art—Service Learning Course—providing artwork for local agencies
- Journalism—Students graduate with a robust professional portfolio
- Fisheries Biology—HSU and Community partners work toward restoring salmon population to the Eel River
- Red Ruprecht Research Assistantship in Economics
Student Services

Student Success is important to us

- RAMP: Peer Mentoring Program
- Learning Commons
- Cultural Centers for Academic Excellence
  - Indian Tribal & Educational Personnel Program (ITEPP)
  - African American Center
  - Latin@ Center
  - MultiCultural Center
  - Asian American/Pacific Islander Center
- Educational Opportunity Program (EOP)
- Veterans Enrollment & Transition Services
- Student Disability Resource Center

And many more!
Campus Life

190+ Clubs and Student Organizations

Division II Athletic Team Greatness. GO JACKS!
- Men’s Football—2016 Great Northwest Athletic Football Conference Champions
- Women’s Softball—Captured their 7th NCAA Division II West Regional Championship in 2016

Housing and Residential Life
- 1st-come, 1st-served—Encourage students to apply early!
- Single, double or triple rooms in traditional or suite style housing
- Theme and Community Housing available. New themed communities: Gender Inclusive and Sankofa House
Admissions Summary

*HSU is impacted at the Freshmen level.* New Impacted Majors: Environmental Science & Management (Freshman/Transfer) and Social Work (Transfer)

**Impacted Majors**

*Freshman:* Biology, Botany, Environmental Science & Management, Wildlife and Zoology


**IMPORTANT**

- Students must accept admission by May 1st and sign up for the Humboldt Orientation Program (HOP) by June 1st
- HOP is mandatory for all incoming freshmen
- An enrollment deposit may be required this year. Students should check their Student Center for details
- Admissions decisions start in early December
- Financial Aid applications open in October!
- HSU scholarship applications open January 1 thru March 2
Freshman Profile  Fall 2016

Applications: **12,967**
Admitted: **9,897**
Enrolled: **1,296**

HS AVG: **GPA 3.18**

EIS: **SAT 3000, ACT 718**
(Non-Impacted Majors)

Impacted majors: **GPA 3.2 Wildlife**  
**GPA 3.1 Biology, Botany Zoology**

Transfer Profile  Fall 2016

Applications: **3,884** (Upper Division)
Admission Rate: **78%**
Enrolled: **882**
AVG GPA: **3.0**

For impaction criteria please visit our admissions site:

humboldt.edu/admissions/apply/transfers/upperdivision.html
Come Visit!

Campus Tours are offered year round

- Monday – Friday at 9am and 1pm
- Saturdays at 12pm (tours only)

Admissions presentations are offered twice a day. There are also opportunities to meet with an admissions counselor and maybe even audit a class!

Fall Admissions Day: Friday, October 28, 2016

2017 Spring Preview: Friday, March 31 and Friday, April 7
Humboldt.edu/springpreview

Wish you could visit today?
Take a virtual tour: Humboldt.edu/explore
Humboldt State University

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