

# 30,000

Our 30,000 alumni form a powerful professional network for you after graduation. And each year USC Upstate students are accepted at some of the most respected graduate schools in the country.

## Undergraduate Majors

Advanced Manufacturing Management\*  
Art Education  
Art Studio  
    *Graphic Design*  
Biology  
Business Administration & Economics  
    *Accounting*  
    *Economics/Finance*  
    *\*Entrepreneurship & Innovation*  
    *Management*  
    *Marketing*  
Chemistry  
Child Development & Family Studies  
Commercial Music  
Communication  
    *Communication Studies*  
    *Mass Media*  
    *Public Relations*  
\*Community Health  
Computer Information Systems  
Computer Science  
Criminal Justice  
Early Childhood Education  
Elementary Education  
Engineering Technology Management  
English  
Exercise & Sport Science  
Health Informatics  
History  
Information Management & Systems  
Interdisciplinary Studies  
Mathematics  
Middle Level Education  
Nursing  
Physical Education  
Political Science  
Psychology  
Secondary Education  
    *Biology*  
    *Chemistry*  
    *English*  
    *Mathematics*  
    *Social Studies/History*  
    *Spanish*  
Sociology  
Spanish  
Special Education: Learning Disabilities  
Theatre—Production, Performance

## Pre-Professional Programs

Pre-Chiropractic  
Pre-Dental  
Pre-Engineering  
Pre-Law  
Pre-Medicine  
Pre-Occupational Therapy  
Pre-Optometry  
Pre-Pharmacy  
Pre-Physical Therapy  
Pre-Physician Assistant  
Pre-Veterinary Medicine

## Master's Programs

Applied Learning & Instruction  
Business Analytics  
Informatics  
    *Information Resource Management*  
    *Health Information Management*  
Nursing (Clinical Nurse Leader)  
Special Education: Visual Impairment

## Certification

Early Childhood Education  
Elementary Education  
\*Global Competence  
Middle Level Education  
Physical Education  
Secondary Education  
Special Education: Learning Disabilities  
Post-Baccalaureate Certificate in Child Advocacy Studies  
Post-Baccalaureate Certificate in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages

*\*pending final approval*

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University of South Carolina

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## USC Upstate At A Glance

**History:** A coeducational, public, comprehensive regional institution founded in 1967.

**Area:** With a population exceeding 1.5 million, South Carolina's Upstate is the fastest-growing region in the state and is ranked 7th in the nation for economic development.

**Enrollment:** 6,200 students with an 18:1 student/faculty ratio and an average class size of 25.

**Faculty:** The faculty totals 434–216 full-time faculty, 13 librarians who also hold faculty rank, and 205 part-time faculty members.

**Location:** Spartanburg Campus, 800 University Way, Spartanburg, South Carolina; Greenville Campus, University Center, 225 South Pleasantburg Drive, Greenville, South Carolina; George Dean Johnson, Jr. College of Business and Economics, 160 East St. John Street, Spartanburg, South Carolina.

**Spartanburg Campus:** Approximately 340 acres with 12 major buildings, plus the Louis P. Howell Athletic Complex and the Susan Jacobs Arboretum.

**Greenville Campus:** State-of-the-art facilities for commuting junior- and senior-level students located in the University Center Greenville, which is centrally located five minutes from downtown Greenville.

**Library:** The library has a 24-hour computer lab accessible with student ID/swipe card; holdings of more than 233,000 books, journals, microforms, and media; offers over 26,600 e-books and more than 30,000 electronic full-text journals via 200-plus databases.



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## Transferring to USC Upstate



“When I decided to transfer, I was looking for a school with quality academics and a prestigious learning environment. When I got to USC Upstate I could feel the sense of community and a feeling of home. I believe I’ll achieve amazing things here.”

**Benjamin Bernstein**  
Communications



“Up” is more than a word to us. It’s an attitude. It’s where we live—in our hearts and minds, as well as here in South Carolina’s vibrant Upstate region. Each year we welcome transfer students from across the country who, like you, want a college experience that will unlock the kind of academic, internship, and professional opportunities that will truly distinguish them in the eyes of top employers and graduate schools around the world.

# Up.



“When I first decided to transfer, I was a little concerned. I’d heard transferring was a difficult process. But at Upstate that wasn’t the case. Since coming here I’ve been involved around campus and love majoring in Informatics. Transferring to USC Upstate is one of the best decisions I’ve ever made.”

**Grace Vaughan**  
Informatics



## Up. For a respected academic experience.

We know that the top priority for most transfer students is finding an academic program in their field that’s proven, connected, and highly respected by employers and graduate schools. At USC Upstate, that’s exactly what you’ll find.

**1** We’re one of the fastest-growing universities in South Carolina, and are consistently ranked as one of the **top public regional universities** in the South by *U.S. News & World Report*.

A nursing school **widely regarded among the most prestigious** throughout the region



**AACSB Accredited**  
A business program **accredited by AACSB International**—the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business, given to just 15 percent of programs worldwide

An education program **accredited by the Council for the Acceleration of Educator Preparation (CAEP)**, a designation achieved by just 28 percent of programs in the U.S.



## Transferring to USC Upstate

Our experienced and supportive transfer admissions staff will do everything they can to make your transition to USC Upstate a smooth and seamless one.

**Transfer orientation** is a great chance for you to learn about Upstate technology and register for your classes. You will meet with your academic advisor to review progress toward your degree.

**Transfer Tuesdays** are designed to allow transfer students to meet individually with admissions, financial aid, and advisement staff to give you all the information you need to make your decision.

If you’re planning to pursue a bachelor’s degree in Interdisciplinary Studies and have already earned an AA or an AS degree from an accredited college, that will satisfy your general education requirements at USC Upstate.

## Up. For a setting with boundless opportunities.

Our valuable connections throughout the Upstate region deliver incredible opportunities both on and off campus. And here, you’ll find transfer students taking an active role in helping to shape our campus culture.



More than **90 student organizations and 13 fraternities and sororities** deliver opportunities to explore interests, sharpen skills, and make friends.

On-campus, student residence halls offer **apartment- and suite-style living** with the most modern amenities and features you can imagine. Off campus, apartment-style housing is available and located adjacent to campus.



Spartan athletics are a source of excitement and pride year round, with **17 Division I NCAA programs** in the Big South Conference.

Facilities like our Health Education Complex, Spartan Recreation Center, and Mary Black School of Nursing offer the most **modern, technologically advanced resources**.



## Transfer Enrollment Checklist

It’s essential that you make sure everything is covered when it comes to transferring to USC Upstate.

- Visit campus
- Apply for admission at [www.uscupstate.edu/apply](http://www.uscupstate.edu/apply)
- Have your official college transcripts submitted directly to the USC Upstate Admissions Office
- Apply for financial aid or have your existing aid transferred to USC Upstate
- Apply for on-campus housing
- Submit immunization, health history, and citizenship verification information
- Complete the South Carolina resident certification (South Carolina residents only)
- Attend orientation



As a student at USC Upstate, you’ll have a broad array of opportunities to conduct meaningful research alongside faculty; take advantage of international internship programs like our BMW internship in Germany and our theatre internship in London [1]; our GreenHouse Business Incubator [2], and benefit from hands-on learning experiences at our brokerage simulation room [3], our on-campus TV production studio [4], and our state-of-the-art nursing simulation center [5].