





OF INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS AWARDED SCHOLARSHIPS

ONE OF THE **NATION'S MOST ENVIRONMENTALLY** RESPONSIBLE COLLEGES The Princeton Review (2024)

OF COBBERS STUDY ABROAD Fargo-Moorhead

ATHLETIC **TEAMS** 

**ALUMNI RESIDING** AROUND THE WORLD

NATIONAL LIBERAL ARTS COLLEGE U.S. News & World Report (2024)

# A TRADITION OF ACADEMIC

**WHO WE ARE** 

Concordia is a private, coed four-year liberal arts college. We're a community of more than 1,800 students from 35 states and 62 countries representing 17 religions and thought traditions. We employ 125 full-time faculty, including award-winning writers and national experts in a wide range of fields.

National Liberal Arts College, 4-Year

#### **SCHOOL TYPE**

Private, Residential, Coed

#### **RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION:**

**Evangelical Lutheran Church** 

Suburban

#### **AREAS OF STUDY:**

## **STUDENT/FACULTY RATIO:**

#### **AVERAGE CLASS SIZE:**

18 students

#### **POPULATION:**

1,800+ students

#### **INTERNATIONAL POPULATION:**

114 students (2023-24)

## **COURSES TAUGHT BY FACULTY:**

**FACULTY WITH HIGHEST DEGREE IN** 

#### **STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS:**

90+

## **STUDENTS INVOLVED IN A**

#### STUDENTS WITH A DOUBLE MAJOR: 21%

**COUNTRIES REPRESENTED:** 

**STATES REPRESENTED:** 

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**Office of Admission** +1-218-299-3004

# Connect With CONCORDIA Submit your FREE application at

Follow your admission progress on your personalized portal. The application is also available through CommonApp.org.

# Campus Community + Fargo-Moorhead

Located at the heart of residential Moorhead, the Concordia campus includes 120 acres of beautifully landscaped, park-like grounds with more than 40 buildings. The Fargo-Moorhead MATBUS offers free, unlimited rides to students with their student I.D.

TOP JOB SAFEST STATE AFFORDABLE HAPPIEST CITY MARKET IN AMERICA COLLEGE TOWN IN THE U.S. WalletHub.com (2021) ValueColleges.com (2021) WalletHub.com (2022) ZipRecruiter.com (2020)

BEST CITY TO LIVE 24/7 Wall St. (2019)

Moorhead

## **Campus Ratings**

Niche.com

**CAMPUS FOOD** 

**CAMPUS** 

STUDENT LIFE

**Students Consistently Recognize** the **QUALITY** of their Professors

praise the Quality of Instruction praise Accessibility to Faculty

say Professors are Passionate about the topics they teach

say Professors are Engaging and Easy to Understand

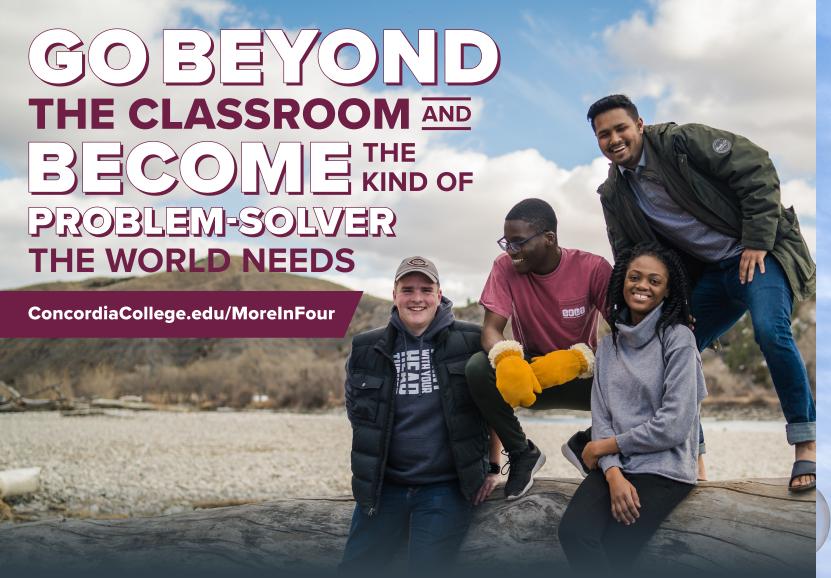
#### **UNITED STATES**

COLLEGE



With a population of more than 250,000, the metropolitan area of Moorhead, Minnesota, and Fargo, North Dakota, is one of the fastest-growing areas in the country and home to nearly 30,000 college students and plenty of cultural attractions (hundreds of concerts, the Fargo-Moorhead Symphony, semi-pro sports teams, 350 restaurants, and shopping). Separated by the Red River, the F-M community offers the convenience of small-town living with big-city advantages. Rich farmland, beautiful lakes country and pine forest are also minutes away.

**EXPLORE MORE** ConcordiaCollege.edu/FM



# **Concordia's PEAK Difference**

Our signature integrative learning program (PEAK) will give you an edge in future academic and occupational endeavors. All Concordia graduates will have at least two Pivotal Experience in Applied Knowledge opportunities in their portfolio. Your PEAK might be a special course, an internship, a global learning experience, or a service project.



#### DIVOTAL

PEAKs take your education up a notch. They are a transformative part of your Concordia experience.



#### VDEDIENCE

Get ready to be engaged. You can't complete a PEAK while standing still.



#### **APPLIED**

You will take something you've learned here and apply it elsewhere (through internships, service learning, study away, and more).



#### KNOWLEDGI

PEAKs require you to use your classroom learnings to address real-world issues.

# ConcordiaCollege.edu/PEAK



Concordia College will become your home away from home. Check out this **First-Year Experience Guide** to learn what to expect.

# STUDENT EXPERIENCES

## **Jiachen Song '23** | Political Science

Hometown: Taizhou, Jiangsu

International Master of Public Administration, University of Pennsylvania

While studying at Concordia, Jiachen studied for a semester in Washington D.C. This experience helped him learn valuable skills that allowed him to gain admission to graduate school.

Best part of Concordia: "The teachers here are among the kindest you will encounter in the United States. They go above and beyond to assist you in your personal life or academic endeavors. Due to the school's small size, all Chinese students bond like a family. Moreover, the professors at Concordia deeply embody the principles of a liberal arts education. If you aspire to pursue graduate studies in the future, they will undoubtedly write outstanding recommendation letters for you. The small class sizes allow them to understand each student fully."

## Yishui Dai '22 | Business Marketing

Hometown: Datong, Shanxi

Master of Science in Business Analytics, Pepperdine University

Yishui "David" Dai says he made lifelong friends at Concordia thanks to the quidance and mentorship of his professors.

Best part of Concordia: "Concordia's focus on applying what we learned in class to real-world situations seriously sharpened my analytical and problem-solving skills. We dove into loads of projects that mirrored actual challenges in the marketing world, giving me a solid grasp of market trends and consumer behaviors. This hands-on approach helped me not just understand the theories but also build up my confidence. Now, in my job, I often rely on the discipline and resilience I developed at Concordia. A big takeaway from my time there was learning to see setbacks as opportunities for growth."

# **Yuehan Zhao '23** | Communication Studies **Hometown:** Zhengzhou, Henan

Master of Science in Marketing, George Washington University

Yuehan Zhao encourages Chinese students to talk to their professors and make connections. Yuehan completed a semester of independent research with Dr. Jiani Jiang that led her to present at a conference in Texas.

**Best part of Concordia:** "I have a lot of good memories at Concordia, but the best memory is the experience of eating and talking with my friends in the dining center. I remember The Maize's fries being my favorite at school. Concordia's dining center has the most welcoming atmosphere and warm food. The annual Thanksgiving meal is also a cherished memory for me."

# Wendi Qi | Exchange Student

Hometown: Zhuhai, Guangdong

Best part of Concordia: "I had an unforgettable experience this semester because of the excellent class ratio and beautiful college environment. Talking in English improves my listening and speaking skills a lot. I love music too, and I watched at least eight music performances at Concordia. That's really cool!"



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Aldevron\*
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Ernst & Young
Essentia Health\*
Federal Reserve Bank
Mayo Clinic\*
Microsoft
RDO Equipment Co.\*
Sanford Health
Thomson Reuters

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#### Graduate Schools

United Way

Walt Disney Co

Boston University
Columbia University
Georgetown University
Indiana University
Iowa State University
Michigan State University
Pepperdine University
Scripps Research Institute
St. Louis University
Temple University
Texas A&M University
The George Washington University
University of California, Riverside
University of Pennsylvania



# Concordia College is investing in YOUR future





#### 20+ new programs are launching this year, including:

#### **Applied Data Analytics**

In addition to offering a computer science major with a data analytics concentration and a minor in data analytics, an applied data analytics certificate is now available for students interested in delving more into the world of analytics. This certificate will empower students with practical knowledge and skills essential for thriving in data-centric fields.

#### **Data Science**

At 10 courses, the data science major is intentionally slimmed down compared to similar programs in the region to allow Concordia students the opportunity to pursue a second major or minor in an area that uses data. Due to the significant overlap in coursework, students may not major in data science and major in computer science with a data analytics concentration.

#### **Financial Planning**

The financial planning minor will introduce students to the field of financial services. Graduates will be prepared to take industry certification exams, such as the Certified Financial Planner (CFP) designation. This certification is globally recognized and respected and can significantly enhance a resume and earning potential.

#### **Human Resource Management**

The human resource management minor and business major with a human resource management concentration includes an internship in an HR office in the community, which provides a foundation to pass the Society of Human Resource Managers first certification exam and a pathway to the professional credential.

#### **Pre-Engineering**

Concordia offers three dual-degree program options in partnership with North Dakota State University in Fargo, Valparaiso University in Valparaiso, Indiana, and Washington University in St. Louis, Missouri. Students will complete three years of coursework at Concordia for a Bachelor of Arts degree in applied science followed by two years at a partner institution for a Bachelor of Science degree in engineering.

## **Project Management**

The project management program, which includes the option to minor in project management or major in business with a project management concentration, is focused on emerging trends and industry specialization through an interdisciplinary approach. Graduates will be eligible to take the Certified Associate in Project Management (CAPM) exam, a globally recognized certification from the Project Management Institute.

## **Supply Chain Management**

The supply chain management major and minor are designed to be interdisciplinary to provide students with a comprehensive understanding of the interconnected worlds of supply chain management, global economics, leadership, and data analysis.

ConcordiaCollege.edu/NewPrograms



# A Clear Approach to Tuition + Aid

## **SCHOLARSHIPS**

#### **Merit-Based Awards**

International Excellence Scholarships range between **\$11,000-\$17,000** and are awarded upon admission to new international students. These awards are renewable. Amounts are determined by strength of academic performance.

### **Concordia Scholarship Interview**

Admitted students may receive additional support from Concordia College based on their financial need. Student seeking need-based support must participate in a Concordia Scholarship Interview and may need to submit additional documentation in advance. Students and their financial sponsors are expected to pay a minimum of \$26,000 per year for educational expenses.

### 2024-25 **COST OF ATTENDANCE**

Tuition and fees \$33,195 Housing and food \$11,000 \$4,400 Books and personal expenses TOTAL \$48,595 \$14,995 Average Total Scholarship

Average Student Work Study

\$30,000\* **NET Price (What You Pay)** 

\$3,600

ConcordiaCollege.edu/InternationalTuition \*Assumes you plan to work on campus part time.



# FEATURED ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

#### **COMPUTER SCIENCE**

Understand the basics of computing, software development, server administration, and cybersecurity. Concordia's data analytics team frequently places first in the Midwest Undergraduate Data Analytics Competition.

Concordia offers majors and minors in eight STEM fields, including biology, chemistry, computer science, data science, environmental and sustainability studies, mathematics, neuroscience, and physics.

#### **GLOBAL STUDIES**

Take a wide range of classes to explore issues facing the global community that match your unique passions and interests. A great fit for students who love exploring international issues and culture, care about global issues, and can work independently.

The most popular major at Concordia is business. The program offers seven concentrations: cybersecurity, economics, finance, human resource management, management, marketing, and project management.

#### **FINANCE**

Study cutting-edge curriculum in our stateof-the-art finance lab and gain hands-on training with real trading systems, including the \$130,000 student-managed Scheel Investment Fund.

HEALTH PROFESSIONS
Housed in a new state-of-the-art building, the Sanford Heimarck School of Health Professions offers several academic programs that provide students with opportunities for experiential learning

#### STILL DECIDING?

Concordia students often change majors and nearly one-quarter choose to double major. Faculty advisors provide ample support and direction to help students determine their course route.



## AREAS OF STUDY

## ConcordiaCollege.edu/FindYourMajor

#### SCHOOL OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS

Athletic Training Chiropractic

#### **CLINICAL LABORATORY SCIENCE**

Dentistry

**EXERCISE SCIENCE** 

#### FOOD/NUTRITION/DIETETICS

**HEALTHCARE LEADERSHIP** 

Healthcare Administration Healthcare Financial Management

Long-Term Care Administration

Medicine

#### **NURSING (B.S.N.)**

Nutrition for Health Professionals

**Occupational Therapy** 

Optometry

Pharmacy

**Physical Therapy** 

Physician Assistant

**PUBLIC HEALTH** 

**SOCIAL WORK** 

Veterinary Medicine

#### **OFFUTT SCHOOL OF BUSINESS**

#### **ACCOUNTING**

General Accountancy Public Accountancy

**Applied Data Analytics** 

#### **BUSINESS**

Cybersecurity **Economics** 

Finance

Human Resource Management

Management

Marketina

Project Management

#### **COMPUTER SCIENCE**

Computing Cybersecurity

Data Analytics

CYBERSECURITY ADMINISTRATION

DATA ANALYTICS **DATA SCIENCE** 

**Entrepreneurial Mindset** ENTREPRENEURSHIP

#### FINANCE

FINANCIAL PLANNING

HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

#### **INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS**

Finance and Economics

Management

Marketing

Regional Studies: Asia Regional Studies: Europe

Regional Studies: Latin America

#### MATHEMATICAL FINANCE

PROJECT MANAGEMENT

SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

#### SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

#### ACS CHEMISTRY

**Biochemistry** Neurochemistry Traditional

#### APPLIED PHYSICS

**APPLIED SCIENCE** 

#### **ART**

Art History Studio Art ART AND DESIGN

#### ART HISTORY **BIOLOGY**

**Business and Professional Communication** 

#### **CHEMISTRY**

#### **CHINESE LANGUAGE AND CULTURES**

**CHURCH MUSIC** COACHING

#### **COMMUNICATION STUDIES COMMUNICATION STUDIES AND**

#### THEATRE ART

CROSS-CULTURAL INTERACTION **EARTH SCIENCE** 

#### **EDUCATION**

Art

Biology

#### Chemistry

Chinese

Communication Studies with

Communication Arts/Literature

English with Communication Arts/

Literature

French German

Health

Mathematics

Music (B.A. or B.M.)

Instrumental

Vocal

**Physical Education** 

Physics

Social Studies Spanish

#### **ELEMENTARY EDUCATION**

Engineering **ENGLISH** 

Literature

Writina

**ENVIRONMENTAL AND SUSTAINABILITY** 

Contract

**Environmental Humanities** 

Environmental Policy

Natural Sciences

Sustainability Studies

#### FILM STUDIES **FRENCH**

**GERMAN** 

#### **GLOBAL STUDIES**

Asian Studies

Culture and Identity in Global Affairs

Development Studies

European Studies

Global Environmental Studies Global Systems and Processes

Latin American Studies New Pathways

**GREEK AND ROMAN STUDIES** Heritage and Museum Studies

#### HISTORY

**HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT** 

HIIMANITIES

INTERFAITH STUDIES

INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

Law

#### **MATHEMATICS**

**MULTIMEDIA JOURNALISM** 

MUSIC (B.A.)

MUSIC (B.M.)

Composition

Instrumental Music

Piano

Voice

#### **MUSIC AND BUSINESS**

**ENTREPRENEURSHIP** 

**NEUROSCIENCE** 

**PHILOSOPHY** 

**PHYSICS** 

Astrophysics **POLITICAL SCIENCE** 

PRE-LAW **Professional Writing** 

**PSYCHOLOGY** 

RELIGION

SOCIAL ACTIVISM

#### SOCIOLOGY **SPANISH**

**TEACHING ENGLISH TO SPEAKERS OF OTHER LANGUAGES (TESOL)** 

#### THEATRE ART

WEB DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT

WOMEN'S AND GENDER STUDIES World Languages for the Workplace

Chinese

French

German Spanish

#### **MAJOR**

MINOR ONLY

Certificate/Licensure/Preprofessional

Concentration

**STEM OPT Eligible**