



## 2011 - 2012 Quick Facts

### Final Enrollment

<b>Founded</b>	1961
<b>Classes Began</b>	1964
<b>Original Enrollment</b>	867
<b>Fall 2011 Enrollment</b>	29,313
<b>Carnegie Classification</b>	RU/H: Research Universities (high research activity)
<b>Accreditation</b>	Southern Association of Colleges and Schools
<b>President</b>	Mary Jane Saunders
<b>About FAU</b>	Florida Atlantic University, the fifth public university in Florida, opened its doors in 1964 with an enrollment of 867 upper-division and graduate students. In 1984, FAU admitted its charter freshman class of 257, becoming a four-year institution. In fall 2011, FAU achieved its largest enrollment. The 29,313 students currently enrolled come from 48 states and 138 countries; 58% are full-time and 3,346 are first-time-in-college students.

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**Mission Statement**

Florida Atlantic University is a public research university with multiple campuses along the southeast Florida coast serving a uniquely diverse community. It promotes academic and personal development, discovery, and lifelong learning. FAU fulfills its mission through excellence and innovation in teaching, outstanding research and creative activities, public engagement and distinctive scientific and cultural alliances, all within an environment that fosters inclusiveness.

**Degrees Awarded by College, 2010-11**

	Associate's	Bachelor's	Master's	Specialist	Doctoral Research	Doctoral Professional	Total	%
Arts & Letters	0	1,026.0	120	0	10	0	<b>1,156.0</b>	18%
Business	0	1,317.5	490	0	4	0	<b>1,811.5</b>	29%
Design & Social Inquiry	0	542.5	126	0	3	0	<b>671.5</b>	11%
Education	0	545.0	288	27	14	0	<b>874.0</b>	14%
Engineering & Computer Science	0	227.0	96	0	7	0	<b>330.0</b>	5%
Honors College	0	69.0	0	0	0	0	<b>69.0</b>	1%
Medicine	0	0.0	26	0	0	0	<b>26.0</b>	0.4%
Nursing	0	216.0	131	0	11	14	<b>372.0</b>	6%
Science	0	649.5	71	0	25	0	<b>745.5</b>	12%
Unknown	220	0.0	0	0	0	0	<b>220.0</b>	4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>4,592.5</b>	<b>1,348</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>6,275.5</b>	100%

**Degree Programs****Degrees Awarded to Date**

Bachelor's	62	Bachelor's	105,242
Master's	65	Master's	28,214
Specialist	3	Specialist	1,026
Doctoral - Research	21	Doctoral	1,489
Doctoral - Professional	1	<b>Total</b>	<b>135,971</b>



**Tuition & Fees****Fall 2011 - Spring 2012****Per Credit Hour**

	<b>Undergraduate</b>	<b>Graduate</b>
In-State	\$177.65	\$343.02
Out-of-State	\$657.17	\$997.14

**Headcount Enrollment, Fall 2011**

<b>Undergraduate</b>	<b>Full-time</b>	<b>Part-time</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>%</b>
Freshman	4,078	312	<b>4,390</b>	15%
Sophomore	2,261	496	<b>2,757</b>	9%
Junior	4,129	2,628	<b>6,757</b>	23%
Senior	4,354	4,483	<b>8,837</b>	30%
2nd BA/BS	206	668	<b>874</b>	3%
<b>Total Undergrad</b>	<b>15,028</b>	<b>8,587</b>	<b>23,615</b>	<b>81%</b>
Master's	1,339	2,078	<b>3,417</b>	12%
Specialist	10	38	<b>48</b>	0.2%
Doctorate	360	426	<b>786</b>	3%
<b>Total Graduate</b>	<b>1,709</b>	<b>2,542</b>	<b>4,251</b>	<b>15%</b>
Professional	64	0	<b>64</b>	0.2%
Unclassified	149	1,234	<b>1,383</b>	5%
<b>Total</b>	<b>16,950</b>	<b>12,363</b>	<b>29,313</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Diversity**

	Full-time	Part-time	Total	%	FTIC	Under grad	Grad/ Prof	Unclass
Hispanic	3,528	2,756	<b>6,284</b>	21%	690	5,437	597	250
American Indian	47	12	<b>59</b>	0.2%	9	48	8	3
Asian	705	566	<b>1,271</b>	4%	104	966	200	105
Black	2,773	2,330	<b>5,103</b>	17%	464	4,341	562	200
Pacific Islander	18	10	<b>28</b>	0.1%	5	25	2	1
White	8,927	6,190	<b>15,117</b>	52%	1,862	11,842	2,502	773
Two or more races	378	182	<b>560</b>	2%	137	465	79	16
International	449	181	<b>630</b>	2%	26	320	280	30
Not reported	125	136	<b>261</b>	1%	49	171	85	5

**Gender**

	Full-time	Part-time	Total	%	FTIC	Under grad	Grad/ Prof	Unclass
Female	9,379	7,531	<b>16,910</b>	58%	1,824	13,476	2,629	805
Male	7,571	4,832	<b>12,403</b>	42%	1,522	10,139	1,686	578

**Florida Residency**

Florida	15,563	11,953	<b>27,516</b>	94%	3,069	22,457	3,727	1,332
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**Florida Counties**

Broward	5,881	5,240	11,121	40%	920	9,256	1,410	455
Palm Beach	5,424	4,757	10,201	37%	835	7,939	1,521	741
Miami-Dade	684	558	1,242	5%	115	1,006	195	41
St. Lucie	283	402	685	2%	45	516	150	19
Martin	286	238	524	2%	41	407	92	25
Orange	307	89	396	1%	103	350	42	4
Hillsborough	324	47	371	1%	135	342	27	2
Brevard	261	78	339	1%	88	298	33	8
Pinellas	199	29	228	1%	89	205	23	0



#### Average Age

First-Time-In-College	18
Undergraduate	24
Graduate	33
Medicine	23
Unclassified	30

#### Average Class Size

Undergraduate	
Lecture	36
Lab	20
Discussion	31
Graduate	
Lecture	13
Lab	9

**Student to Faculty Ratio:** 20 to 1

#### Headcount Enrollment by Campus

	All Enrolled	Primary Campus*	%
Boca Raton	23,732	22,611	77%
Dania Beach	66	61	0.2%
Davie	4,742	2,882	10%
Fort Lauderdale	832	624	2%
Jupiter	1,271	892	3%
Treasure Coast	402	312	1%

Distance Learning	4,296	1,692	6%
Off-Campus	315	239	1%

\* **Primary Campus** is the location where the greatest number of credit hours have been attempted at FAU.



### Headcount Enrollment by College

	Undergrad	Graduate	Professional	Unclassified	Total	%
Arts & Letters	4,069	398	0	0	<b>4,467</b>	15%
Business	5,530	1,237	0	0	<b>6,767</b>	23%
Design & Social Inquiry	2,149	462	0	0	<b>2,611</b>	9%
Education	2,955	976	0	0	<b>3,931</b>	13%
Engineering & Computer Science	1,975	303	0	0	<b>2,278</b>	8%
Honors College	322	0	0	0	<b>322</b>	1%
Medicine	0	36	64	0	<b>100</b>	0.3%
Nursing	1,077	395	0	0	<b>1,472</b>	5%
Science	4,847	444	0	0	<b>5,291</b>	18%
Unclassified	0	0	0	1,383	<b>1,383</b>	5%
Undecided	691	0	0	0	<b>691</b>	2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>23,615</b>	<b>4,251</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>1,383</b>	<b>29,313</b>	<b>100%</b>

### Top Degree Programs by Enrollment

Undergraduate	Graduate
Biological Sciences	Business Administration
Elementary Education	Accounting
	754
	326

Psychology	1,300	Nursing	308
Accounting	1,296	Educational Leadership	294
Criminal Justice	1,161	Social Work	216
Exercise Science	666	Counselor Education	167
Business Administration	582	Curriculum & Instruction	166
Art	570	Public Administration	135
Communication	549	Biological Sciences	118
Nursing	536	Computer Science	80



#### Fall 2011 Student Credit Hours (SCH) (Fundable & Non-fundable)

Undergraduate	266,591
Graduate	30,396
<b>Total</b>	<b>296,987</b>

#### On-Campus Housing

	Female	Male	Total	Freshman
Boca Raton	1,931	1,624	<b>3,555</b>	2,243
Jupiter	143	88	<b>231</b>	85
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,074</b>	<b>1,712</b>	<b>3,786</b>	<b>2,328</b>

#### Admissions

#### FTIC Test Scores (Average)

	Applied	Admitted	Enrolled	ACT	23
First-Time-In-College	28,197	9,805	3,347	SAT	

Community College Transfers	6,169	3,967	2,495	Critical Reading	533
Other Undergraduate Transfers	4,518	2,029	941	Math	541
Graduate	4,137	1,838	750	Writing	524
Medicine	1,500	96	64	Composite	1074
<b>Total</b>	<b>44,521</b>	<b>17,735</b>	<b>7,597</b>	High School GPA	3.4

Note: Includes students who enrolled in both the summer and fall semesters



### E-Learning

	Full On-line Courses	Video-taped Classroom Sessions	Vide- conferencing	All Types*
# Course Selections	686	170	92	948
# Course Enrollments	15,405	706	846	16,954
# Unduplicated Students	7,872	506	659	8,584

\* # of students enrolled in at least one course delivered fully through e-learning

### Athletics

#### Men's Sports

Baseball  
Basketball  
Cross Country  
Football  
Golf  
Soccer  
Swimming  
Tennis

#### Women's Sports

Basketball  
Cheer  
Cross Country  
Dance  
Golf  
Soccer  
Softball  
Swimming  
Tennis  
Track & Field  
Volleyball

The FAU Owls compete at the NCAA Division I level in the Sunbelt Conference. Mens' soccer competes in the Atlantic Soccer Conference.



### Alumni

United States	118,015	Florida	94,145
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International / Other	3,887	Broward	35,674
<b>Total</b>	<b>121,902</b>	Palm Beach	34,844
		Miami-Dade	4,939
		St. Lucie	2,981



### Personnel

	Faculty	Adjuncts	AMP	Staff	Total	%
Full-time	1,051	19	950	631	<b>2,651</b>	82%
Part-time	26	522	19	18	<b>585</b>	18%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,077</b>	<b>541</b>	<b>969</b>	<b>649</b>	<b>3,236</b>	<b>100%</b>

Hispanic	83	40	81	72	<b>276</b>	9%
America Indian	1	0	0	2	<b>3</b>	0.1%
Asian	103	14	48	17	<b>182</b>	6%
Black	55	33	168	158	<b>414</b>	13%
White	784	444	658	395	<b>2,281</b>	70%
Two or more races	3	8	3	4	<b>10</b>	0.3%
International	48	10	11	1	<b>70</b>	2%

### Faculty

	Female	Male	Total
Professor	75	187	<b>262</b>
Associate Professor	109	166	<b>275</b>

Assistant Professor	81	77	<b>158</b>
Instructor	118	82	<b>200</b>
Lecturer	1	0	<b>1</b>
Other	118	63	<b>181</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>502</b>	<b>575</b>	<b>1,077</b>



### FAU Administration

President	Mary Jane Saunders
Provost	Brenda Claiborne
Vice President Strategic Planning & Information Technology	Gitanjali Kaul
Senior Vice President Student Affairs	Charles Brown
Senior Vice President Finance & Administration	Dennis Crudele
Senior Vice President Strategic Relations & General Counsel	David Kian
Senior Vice President University Advancement	Randy Talbot
Vice President Facilities / University Architect	Tom Donaudy
Vice President / Dean Medical Programs	Michael Friedland
Vice President Research	Barry Rosson

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### Financial Aid

More than \$177 million was awarded in 2010-11 to students through scholarships, grants, loans and work study.

### Lifelong Learning

**Jupiter:** The Lifelong Learning Society (LLS) at Florida Atlantic University offers non credit, liberal art classes for students of all ages on the Jupiter campus during the fall, winter, spring and summer semesters.

Located on the John D. MacArthur Campus at Jupiter LLS has its own 23,000 sq. ft. facility, The Elinor Bernon Rosenthal Complex. Consisting of The Tamar and Milton Maltz Center for Education and Pearl Perloff Classroom and Administrative Wings.

Now celebrating its 15th year with more than 7,500 annual students, LLS offers over 120 classes from October through July with over 20,000 enrollments.

### Campus Locations

Boca Raton Campus  
Dania Beach Campus  
Davie Campus  
Fort Lauderdale Campus  
Harbor Branch



[Jupiter Campus](#)  
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