

### STUDENT PROFILE (FALL 2011)

#### ENROLLMENT

- 1,850 total enrollment; 55% female, 45% male, representing 47 states and 57 countries
- 48% Ohio resident students
- 23% international and U.S. multicultural students

#### FIRST-YEAR STUDENTS

- The average OWU student ranks in the top 25 percent of his or her high school class
- Mid 50% SAT/ACT range: 1020-1300/22-28

### FACULTY

Ohio Wesleyan students consistently rate the faculty highly for quality of teaching, excitement about their academic disciplines, mentoring, commitment, and accessibility.

- 137 full-time faculty; 100 percent of full-time tenure-track faculty members hold a Ph.D. or equivalent
- Student-faculty ratio 12:1

### TUITION, FEES, AND FINANCIAL AID

#### COSTS 2011-2012:

- \$37,820 tuition and fees; regular room and board \$9,964.
- 95 percent of our students currently receive some type of financial assistance.
- OWU's Merit Program provides more than \$8 million in non-need-based University scholarships to the incoming class; \$16,455 average merit award.
- Average financial aid package for new aid applicants is in excess of \$30,000.

### MAJORS, CONCENTRATIONS, AND SEQUENCES

Accounting  
Ancient Studies  
Anthropology  
Applied Music  
Art Education  
Art History  
Astrophysics  
Biology  
Biochemistry  
Biochemistry, ACS Certified  
Black World Studies  
Botany  
Chemistry  
Chemistry, ACS Certified  
Classics  
Computer Science  
Dance Theatre  
Earth Science  
East Asian Studies  
Economics  
Economics Management  
Education  
English, Literature  
English, Creative Writing  
English, Nonfiction Writing  
Environmental Studies  
Film Studies  
French  
Genetics  
Geography  
Geology, Professional  
Geology, General  
German  
German Literature  
German Studies  
History, America  
History, Europe  
History, Developing World  
Humanities  
International Business  
International Studies, General  
International Studies, Regional  
Journalism  
Latin American Studies  
Mathematics  
Mathematics, Statistics  
Medieval Studies  
Microbiology  
Music Education  
Music History and Literature  
Music Performance  
Music Theory  
Neuroscience  
Philosophy  
Physical Education, General  
Physical Education  
Physics  
Planetary Science  
Politics and Government  
Pre-Dentistry  
Pre-Engineering (3-2 program)\*  
Pre-Law  
Pre-Medicine  
Pre-Optometry  
Pre-Physical Therapy  
Pre-Public Administration  
Pre-Theology  
Pre-Veterinary Medicine  
Psychology, Non-Quantitative  
Psychology, Quantitative  
Religion  
Renaissance Studies  
Sociology  
Spanish  
Sports Management  
Sports Science  
Studio Art  
Theatre  
Theatre Education  
Urban Studies  
Women's and Gender Studies  
Zoology, General  
Zoology, Pre-Professional

\* Pre-Engineering 3-2 combined-degree options include Biomedical Engineering, Chemical Engineering, Computer Engineering, Electrical Engineering, and Environmental Engineering.

Ohio Wesleyan has 3-2 program agreements with California Institute of Technology, Case Western Reserve University, New York State College of Ceramics at Alfred University, Polytechnic Institute of New York, Rensselaer Polytechnic University, and Washington University in St. Louis.

"I love the free flow of ideas on this campus. I love that people are politically active and into worldwide issues."

David Winnyk '13, Theatre major

## DISTINCTIVE OWU PROGRAMS

Ohio Wesleyan's new curricular initiatives include UC 160, a special course that introduces incoming first-year students to the liberal arts and opportunities at Ohio Wesleyan, and Course Connections networks that allow students to study a single topic in depth and over time by taking special connected courses from various disciplines and departments.

**Ohio Wesleyan's Travel-Learning** options include travel-learning courses, led by faculty to extend classroom experiences in particular classes, and competitive Theory-to-Practice Grants, funded by the University, which allow students to propose their own research projects, most of which occur outside the United States.

**The Department of Economics and the Woltemade Center for Economics, Business and Entrepreneurship** offer the Economics Management Fellows Program for qualified incoming first-year students interested in economics, economics management, accounting, and international business. Fellows benefit from special courses, a generous book allowance, invitations to special events, and a fully paid, faculty-led trip to New York City for meetings with leaders in financial services and banking. New this year is the Bigelow-Reed House, a residence specifically for upperclass students in economics disciplines. Many Economics Management Fellows and other students have chosen to live in this renovated fraternity house. The center also administers Blaine E. Grimes Summer Grants to support summer internships and the Corns Business and Entrepreneurial Scholars Program.

**The Summer Science Research Program and Patricia Belt Conrades Summer Science Research Symposium** offer science students a 10-week opportunity to work one-to-one with a faculty mentor on a research project of interest to both; at the symposium, students present their research posters to the campus and invited guests.

**The Sagan National Colloquium** spotlights an issue of enduring and powerful social concern. Each year, through a series of presentations and discussions led by nationally and internationally recognized experts, the Ohio Wesleyan community is engaged in the exploration of a selected topic and its impact on society. The title of the 2011-2012 Colloquium is "Africa: Governance, Equity, and Global Citizenship."

**The Arneson Institute for Practical Politics and Public Affairs** sponsors the University's **Wesleyan in Washington Program**, which allows students to receive academic credit in return for working full time in a variety of government settings in the Washington, D.C., metropolitan area. Students have interned with former Congressman David Hobson '58, current Vice President Joseph Biden, Congressman Tim Ryan, and Congresswoman Jo Ann Emerson '72.

**The Leland F. and Helen Schubert Honors Program** intellectually challenges the most talented students among OWU's community of scholars. In honors tutorials and courses, these select students work together and individually as they pursue mentored, advanced study in a wide range of ambitious topics.

## ATHLETICS

Ohio Wesleyan University is a competitive member of the NCAA Division III and North Coast Athletic Conference. In addition to 23 varsity sports, 75 percent of OWU students participate in a number of intramural sports programs and clubs.

- **385 Academic All-America™ or All-America™ selections.**
- **2010-2011 conference championships** in men's soccer, men's lacrosse, women's indoor track & field, women's outdoor track & field.
- **NCAC All-Sports Titles** in 2006-2007, 2007-2008, and 2008-2009; 9 times overall.
- **129 total NCAC conference titles** since 1984.
- David Gatz '10 received the NCAA's Walter Byers Postgraduate Scholarship, the organization's highest award, given to only one man and one woman each year. He is studying medicine at Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine.
- Kyle Herman '11 received the Don Hunsinger Award, the NCAC's highest recognition for excellence in athletics, academics, leadership, and service. Since its inception in 2009, the award has been won **only** by OWU men including David Gatz '10 and Kyle Holliday '09.
- Men's soccer coach Jay Martin has won Regional Coach of the Year honors 15 times in 34 years at OWU.
- Track and field coach Kris Boey is a 14-time NCAC Coach of the Year.

## SPECIAL OWU ACCOLADES

- Listed in the **US News & World Report 2011** edition of "America's Best Colleges."
- Listed in **The Princeton Review 2011** edition of **The Best 373 Colleges**.
- Featured in all editions of **Colleges That Change Lives**, one of only 40 colleges and universities so designated.
- Featured in **Colleges of Distinction**.
- In the past three consecutive years, OWU has earned a place on the President's Honor Roll for Community Service, twice with distinction. In 2010, Ohio Wesleyan was **one of only three universities in the nation to win the President's Award for Excellence in General Community Service**.
- Cited by the **Templeton Guide** as "**One of the Colleges that Encourage Character Development**," for exemplary programs in service learning and spiritual development.
- Education Department accredited by the **National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE)**.

## KEY CAMPUS FACILITIES

Beeghly Library

Schimmel/Conrades Science Center

Richard M. Ross Art Museum

Perkins Observatory

Sagan Academic Resource Center

Arthur A. Belt Fitness Center

Branch Rickey Physical Education Center

**Selby Stadium** is the fourth-largest university-owned stadium in Division III, holding nearly 9,100 people.

**Roy Rike Field** is home to OWU's national championship-winning men's and women's soccer teams, and women's lacrosse.

**Meek Aquatics and Recreation Center** features a 10-lane pool, diving well, and 1-meter and 3-meter boards.



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