

# University Characteristics, Fall 2008

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Florida Atlantic University Established: 1961      Classes Began: 1964  
 Type: Public, Four-Year, Coeducational, Doctoral Degree-Granting University  
 Accreditation: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools  
 Carnegie Classification: Research University (high research activity)  
 President: Frank T. Brogan  
 Calendar: Semester

## Campus Locations

Boca Raton	Jupiter
Davie	Port St. Lucie
Fort Lauderdale	
Dania Beach	

## Degree Programs

Bachelor's	64
Master's	59
Specialist	3
Doctoral	19

## Enrollment

Freshman	4,298	16%
Sophomore	2,475	9%
Junior	5,596	21%
Senior	8,068	30%
2nd BA	588	2%
<b>Undergraduate</b>	<b>21,025</b>	<b>78%</b>
Master's	3,194	12%
Doctoral	696	3%
<b>Total Graduate</b>	<b>3,890</b>	<b>14%</b>
Unclassified	2,106	8%
<b>Total</b>	<b>27,021</b>	<b>100%</b>

## Total FAU Degrees Awarded through Spring 2008:

118,319

## Ethnicity

Asian	1,254	5%
Black	4,614	17%
Hispanic	4,868	18%
Native American	87	0.3%
White	15,071	56%
International	1,022	4%
Not reported	105	0.4%

	Full-time	Part-time
Undergraduate	12,432	8,593
Graduate	1,552	2,338
Unclassified	130	1,976
<b>Total</b>	<b>14,114</b>	<b>12,907</b>

## Residency of Students

Florida	25,443	94%
Broward County	10,980	
Palm Beach County	9,431	
Miami-Dade County	1,157	
Non-Florida (US)	1,236	5%
Non-US	306	1%
Not Reported	36	0.1%

	Full-time	Part-time
Female	7,895	8,130
Male	6,219	4,777

## Enrollment by Primary Campus

Boca Raton	19,162	71%
Davie	3,495	13%
Fort Lauderdale	652	2%
John D. MacArthur	1,264	5%
Treasure Coast	740	3%
SeaTech	70	0.3%
Distance Learning	1,185	4%
Off campus	453	2%

## Housing

On-Campus	2,681	10%
Off-Campus	24,216	90%

## Average Age

First-time-in-college	18 years old
Undergraduate	24 years old
Graduate	34 years old
Unclassified	34 years old

Source: Student Instruction File