



EducationUSA Canada spotlights

Concordia University

in Moorehead, Minnesota



Located about 260 km from the Canadian border lies Concordia College in Moorhead, Minnesota. Concordia has the advantage of being connected to the greater [Fargo-Moorhead area](#), allowing students to be exposed to a multitude of activities: the Red River (Farmers) Market, downtown Fargo, coffee shops and restaurants, Fargo Force hockey games and more. Nearly 30,000 college students live in the area, which has helped increase college-student events like the Bridge Bash and Frostival.

As a liberal arts college, Concordia offers students a core curriculum that requires them to take classes outside their major. The curriculum gives students a strong foundation in communication and analytical skills that develops from exploring courses in departments such as literature, science, religion and the arts.

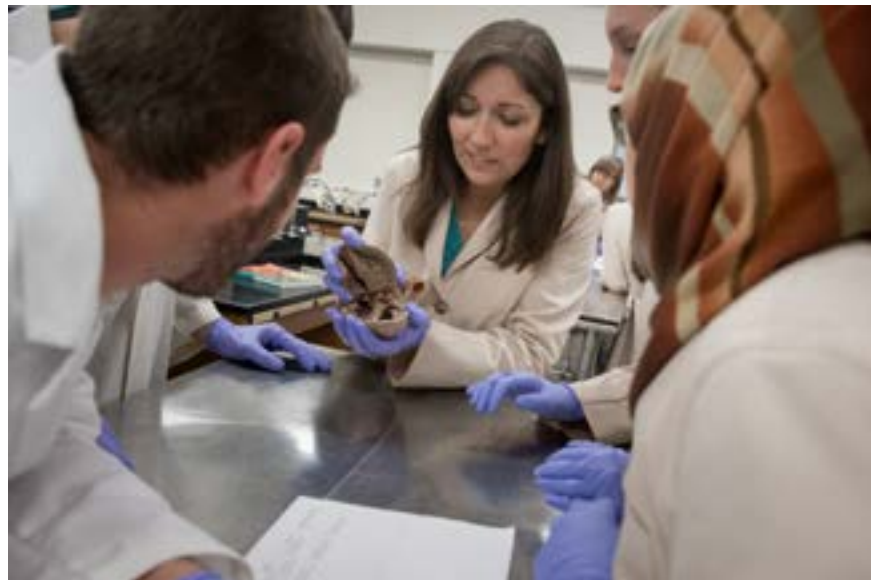
Concordia offers more than [50 majors](#) as well as 12 preprofessional programs. The most popular majors are biology, business, nursing, education and psychology. The college recognizes students' interests and passions, and has added finance, computer science, interfaith studies, neuroscience, agribusiness, heritage and museum studies, international affairs and social activism programs to the list. With a focus on experiential learning, there are more than 500 internships, practicums and student teaching placements annually.



Attending a small, private college allows students to become more engaged in class, especially with the 11:1 student to faculty ratio. [Professors are dedicated](#) to helping students achieve success, which has led to 93 percent of recent graduates being employed or pursuing advanced degrees within nine months of graduation, 88 percent are accepted into medical school and 97 percent are accepted into law school.

Concordia is also dedicated to helping students become responsibly engaged in the world. With [study abroad programs](#) offered all over the world, 45 percent of students study away at least once. The desire to be globally engaged continues after graduating; alumni live in 79 countries. Global connections can be found on campus with representation from 28 countries and 37 states.

Campus offers not only academic opportunities but also [activities](#) to take a break from school. More than 550 students participate in varsity sports, 19 music ensembles, over 100 student organizations, several theatre productions, and speech and debate teams. Students can find lots of ways to pursue their passions outside of class.



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