##Fact Sheet Academic Year 2013-2014

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<th>Name of University</th>
<th>Montana State University</th>
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<td><strong>Website</strong></td>
<td><a href="http://www.montana.edu">www.montana.edu</a></td>
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| **Mailing Address**| Office of International Programs  
400 Culbertson Hall  
Bozeman, MT 59717 / USA |

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<tr>
<th>Calendar</th>
<th>Fall Semester (August-December 2013)</th>
<th>Spring Semester (January-May 2014)</th>
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<td><strong>Deadlines</strong></td>
<td>Application: May 15, 2013</td>
<td>Application: October 15, 2013</td>
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<td><strong>Mandatory orientation</strong></td>
<td>August 19, 2013</td>
<td>January 3, 2014</td>
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<td><strong>Classes begin</strong></td>
<td>August 26, 2013</td>
<td>January 8, 2014</td>
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<td><strong>Classes End</strong></td>
<td>December 13, 2013</td>
<td>May 2, 2014</td>
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###Undergraduate: Application documents

- Application form & fee: [https://www.msuadmissions.org/international](https://www.msuadmissions.org/international)
- Financial certificate: [http://www.montana.edu/international/admissions/docs/financial_certificate.pdf](http://www.montana.edu/international/admissions/docs/financial_certificate.pdf)
- Bank statement (see estimated cost of attendance)
- Official transcripts with Grade Point Average / Marks:
  - Freshman: 2.5/4.0 minimum
  - Transfer: 2.0/4.0 minimum
- TOEFL score (iBT 71 / PBT 525) or IELTS score (6.0)

*Conditional admission is available for undergraduates who need to improve their English skills before beginning an academic program

Recommended, but not required:
- SAT scores (for scholarships)
- Essay (personal achievements, academic goals, etc.)

###Graduate: Application documents

*Specific admission requirements vary for each department and those listed below are minimums; check the Graduate School website for more information: [http://www.montana.edu/gradschool/](http://www.montana.edu/gradschool/)

- Pre-application (check with academic department to see if this form is available and required)
- Application form & fee
- Bank statement (see estimated cost of attendance)
- Official transcripts with Grade Point Average / Marks:
  - Completion of 4 year bachelor’s degree: 3.0/4.0 minimum
- TOEFL score (iBT 80 / PBT 550) or IELTS (7.0)
- Essay (statement of purpose / research interest) or portfolio
- Three letters of recommendation from faculty

###Estimated Cost of Attendance

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<th>Graduate</th>
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<td><strong>Tuition/Fees ¹²</strong></td>
<td>$20,500</td>
<td>$16,500</td>
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<td><strong>Room/Board</strong></td>
<td>$8,000</td>
<td>$9,000</td>
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<td><strong>Books/Supplies</strong></td>
<td>$1,100</td>
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<td><strong>Total Amount of Required Funds listed on Form I-20</strong></td>
<td>$28,500</td>
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¹ Fees are determined by the Montana Board of Regents and are subject to change. The actual cost of attendance varies depending on the needs of the individual student.

² These figures do not include health insurance coverage.

³ Food and housing costs will vary depending on student’s living arrangements and lifestyle.

###Scholarship / Assistantship

**MSU Achievement Scholarship**

Available to freshman applicants (new secondary school graduates) who earn a qualifying score on the SAT or ACT exam. Awards range between $2,000 and $12,500 per academic year with maintenance of a 3.0 grade point average. For more information:
International Programs Undergraduate Scholarships
All international undergraduate applicants will automatically be considered for this new student scholarship valued up to $3,500. It is based on previous academic record.

Graduate Teaching and Research Assistantships
Available in some departments to top applicants each year. Must contact the individual department of interest for current funding, requirements and application procedures. Amount varies depending on department, funding, and need for assistants.

Health Insurance
It is a mandatory requirement for students to have a medical insurance with coverage in the United States of America. Costs vary between $600-2,000/year depending on health insurance plan.

Housing
Residence halls for undergraduate students: [http://www.montana.edu/reslife/](http://www.montana.edu/reslife/)
Housing for graduate students or students with families: [http://www.montana.edu/fgh/](http://www.montana.edu/fgh/)

Arrival Information
Airport: Bozeman (Gallatin Field – BZN)
Airlines: Delta, United, Frontier, Horizon/Alaska

Courtesies airport pickup is provided by the Office of International Programs to all new students who send flight information at least one week before the arrival date. Airport Pick-up request form can be filled out at [http://www.montana.edu/ international/admissions/airportpkup.html](http://www.montana.edu/international/admissions/airportpkup.html)

More information: [http://www.montana.edu/ international/isss/arrival.htm](http://www.montana.edu/international/isss/arrival.htm)

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Course Catalog 12-14
Available at: [http://www.montana.edu/catalog/](http://www.montana.edu/catalog/). MSU offers 120+ undergraduate academic programs, 50+ Master’s programs and 27 doctoral programs.
If further information is needed, please contact:
Geraldine Govaerts, geraldine@montana.edu or Brent Leavell, brentleavell@montana.edu
**Programs offered:**
- Bachelor
- Masters
- Doctorate

### College of Agriculture
- Agricultural Business
- Agricultural Education
- Animal Science
- Biotechnology
- Environmental Horticulture
- Environmental Sciences
- Entomology
- Immunology & Infect. Disease
- Land Rehabilitation
- Land Resource Sciences
- Natural Resources & Rangeland Ecology
- Plant Science (Pathology)
- Sustainable Food & Bioenergy

### College of Arts & Architecture
- Architecture (Environmental Design)
- Art
- Art Education K-12 Broadfield Teaching
- Art History
- Graphic Design
- Studio Arts
- Film & Photography
- Music
- Music Education
- Music Technology
- Science and Natural History Filmmaking

### College of Business
- Accounting
- Finance
- Management
- Marketing

### College of Education, Health & Human Development
- Community Health
- Early Childhood Education & Child Services
- Education
- Elementary Education K-8
- Family & Consumer Sciences
- Food & Nutrition
- Health Enhancement K-12
- Health & Human Performance
- School Counseling
- Science Education (online)
- Secondary Education
- Technology Education

### College of Engineering
- Bioengineering
- Chemical Engineering
- Civil Engineering
- Computer Engineering
- Computer Science
- Construction Engineering Technology
- Electrical Engineering
- Environmental Engineering
- Industrial Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering Technology

### College of Letters & Science
- American Studies
- Anthropology
- Biological Sciences (Ecology)
- Cell Biology & Neuroscience (Medical)
- Chemistry/Biochemistry
- Earth Sciences
- Economics
- English
- History
- Mathematics
- Microbiology
- Modern Languages & Literatures
- Native American Studies
- Philosophy
- Physics
- Political Science (International Relations)
- Psychology
- Public Administration
- Sociology
- Statistics

### College of Nursing
- Nursing

### University College
- Directed Interdisciplinary Studies
- University Honors Program
- University Studies

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1 Accounting Master’s – 5 year program
2 Architecture Master’s – 5 year program