UVU’s Impact on Utah’s Economy

81% stay in Utah after graduation for at least 1 year

A Growing Force

35,000 2016 Fall Headcount

Estimated annual economic impact of UVU’s 2015-16 graduating class $54M

UVU Quick Facts 2016

UVU Students

- 38% married
- 20% support at least 1 child
- 197,072 hours of community service UVU volunteers gave in 2015-2016 (@ $23.56/hr = $4.6M)
- 77% employed
- 50% work 21 hours per week or more

Serious About Academic Excellence

- Master degrees: 8
- Bachelor degrees: 83
- Associate degrees: 64
- Certificate programs: 40

- National title at SkillsUSA 3 years in a row
- Digital media students won a student Emmy
- Nationally ranked Personal Financial Planning program awarded 4 of the 12 total TD Ameritrade scholarships

UVU is Inclusive

- 38% of UVU students are 1st generation
- UVU enrollment of students of color has increased nearly 92.4% since 2009

“Schools like Utah Valley [University] … are the future of higher education, where one institution or one system can address the full needs of a city or state’s workforce with multiple resources for education.”

—Education Drive, Washington DC
BUDGET PRIORITIES

Compensation (USHE $32.9M/UVU $4.6M)
Be competitive in the global talent market to attract, reward, and retain top faculty and staff who can prepare citizens and workforce-ready graduates
  • 3% performance-based compensation
  • 7% health premium increase

Student Growth and Market Demand

New Student Growth (USHE $4M/UVU $1M)
  • Half of K-12’s growth in the last decade has been in Utah County
  • UVU projects over 45,000 students enrolled at the University by 2025

Market Demand Programs (USHE $19.4M/UVU $2.4M)
  • Expand tech and computing programs for access and timely completion
  • Develop new healthcare programs to meet demands of a growing population
  • Graduate programs in computer science and cybersecurity
  • Learning support and tutoring services for STEM programs

Performance Funding (USHE $10M/UVU $1.4M)
  • Student Success: Completion
  • Advisement, technology, and infrastructure

CAPITAL FACILITY PRIORITY

Woodbury School of Business (Total estimated cost $70M)
  • New 180,000-square-foot building to develop Utah’s future workforce
  • UVU has the largest business school in USHE with 5,038 students
  • UVU has the least square footage of classroom space per student in USHE
  • 2 for 1—Existing business building will be repurposed to classroom and faculty office space to help meet needs of growing student body

Transportation Needs
  • Skywalk to connect west campus and FrontRunner to UVU main campus
  • 8th South Orem interchange (MAG’s phase 1 plan)