



UNIVERSITY OF PUERTO RICO
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UNIVERSITY OF PUERTO RICO AT ARECIBO INSTITUTIONAL PROFILE 2024-2025

OFFICIAL NAME

- University of Puerto Rico at Arecibo
- Certification Num.103 y 103A (1999-2000), Board of Trustees
- Certification Num. 2000-205 PRCHE

FOUNDATION

- Established in 1967.

INSTITUTIONAL ACCREDITATION AND LICENSE

- Accredited by the Middle States Commission on Higher Education (MSCHE) since 1967
- Last Reaffirmed: June 27, 2019
- Next Self-Study Evaluation: 2024-2025
- Licensed by the Puerto Rico Council on Higher Education (PRCHE) since 1997 (Certification Num. 2018-210 PRCHE)

PROFESSIONAL ACCREDITATIONS

- Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation (2) (CAEP)
- Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (2)(ACEN)
- Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (2) (ACBSP)
- Engineering Technology Accreditation Commission of ABET (ETAC-ABET)
- Accrediting Council on Education in Journalism and Mass Communications (ACEJMC)
- Computing Accreditation Commission of ABET (ABET-CAC)
- American Veterinary Medical Association (AVMA)

CARNEGIE CLASSIFICATION

Baccalaureate Colleges: Diverse Fields » Four-year, medium, primarily nonresidential

COMPARABLE INSTITUTIONS

- University of Puerto Rico-Humacao
- University of Puerto Rico-Bayamón
- CUNY New York City College of Technology

INSTITUTIONAL INDICATORS

	2023-2024
Total Faculty:	208
Teaching Faculty:	175
Administrative Personnel:	216
	2024-2025
Freshmen Enrollment (first year students):	647
Total Enrollment:	2,779
Fulltime Enrollment:	2,596
Part time Enrollment:	183
Degrees Conferred (June 2024):	486
Undergraduate Retention Rate (Cohort 2023):	75%
Undergraduate Graduation Rate (Cohort 2017):	52%

REFERENCES

- <https://www.msche.org/institution/0620/>
- <http://nces.ed.gov/IPEDS/>

FRESHMEN DEMAND BY

MUNICIPALITY*

Municipality	Frequency	%
Arecibo	236	23.3
Hatillo	69	11.9
Manati	65	8.2
Camuy	61	7.4
Vega Baja	54	6.2

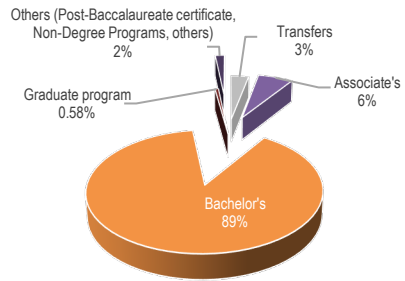
*Residence Municipality

ENROLLMENT FUNNELS

	Freshmen	Transfers
Applications*	734	71
Admits	838 (59%**)	29 (41%)
Enrolled	647 (77%)	26 (37%)

*1st Alternative **Of all applicants (1,416)

DISTRIBUTION OF TOTAL ENROLLMENT BY PROGRAMS



ENROLLMENT BY BACCALAUREATE PROGRAMS

Bachelor's Degree	Total 2024-2025
Sciences with a Major in Microbiology	531
Science in Nursing	362
Television and Radio Communications	317
Social Sciences with major in Industrial Organizational Psychology	215
Industrial Chemical Processes Technology	199
Science with major in Computer Science	141
Business Administration-Accounting	131
Business Administration-Marketing	116
Business Administration-Management	100
Business Administration-Finance	95
Arts in Elementary Education with major in Physical Education for the Elementary Level	83
Arts in Elementary Education	77
Information Technology Management and Administrative Processes	62
Social Sciences with major in Ibero-American Studies	42

FIRST FIVE FEEDER SCHOOLS

PUBLIC	PRIVATE
Vocacional Antonio Lucchetti	Piaget Bilingual Academy
Domingo Aponte Collazo	Colegio Evangélico Capitán Correa
Padre Aníbal Reyes Belén	Colegio de la Inmaculada Concepción
Luis Felipe Crespo	Colegio San Felipe
Abelardo Martínez Otero	Hogar San Rafael