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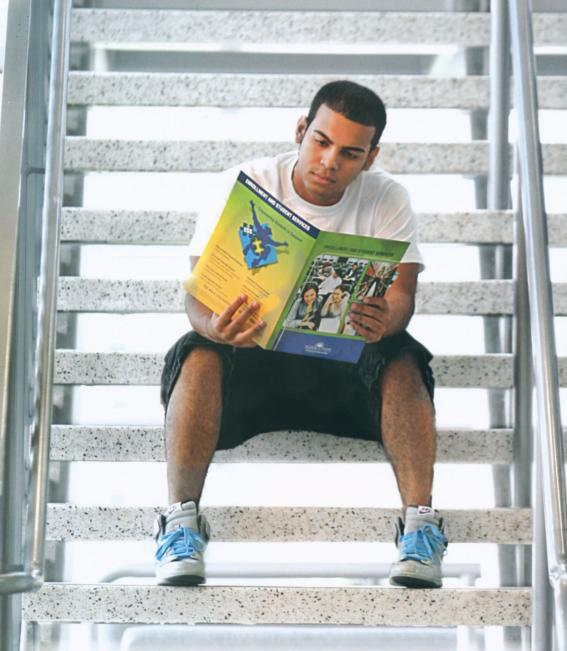
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# Open the door to your future and find out who you're meant to be.

The time to take the next step toward your future is now. It begins with a degree from Nova Southeastern University (NSU). For any field or career you have in mind, NSU can be your gateway toward a better, brighter tomorrow.

With NSU's cutting-edge tools for education, you will learn about new ideas, techniques, and technology that will help you reach your true potential—intellectually, personally, and professionally.

In today's competitive job market, education is key. Now is the time to rise up and increase your knowledge, sharpen your skills, and transform yourself. The opportunities at NSU will help you build a powerful resume so you can outshine the toughest competition. Employers recognize the value of an NSU education, that's why our graduates are sought after by industry leaders and global businesses. Through our network of prominent professors, top executives, and accomplished alumni, you'll form lifelong connections with valuable contacts working and living around the world.

Your higher education goal is within reach—academically and financially. It might surprise you to learn that what you gain from your NSU experience doesn't have to weigh you down. Our students—85 percent of them—take advantage of the many financial assistance opportunities NSU offers and, each year, receive approximately \$44 million in scholarships and grants. For more financial aid information, see the last page of this publication. Speak to one of our trained advisers about exploring options and finding out how affordable preparing for success can be.

Our class sizes are small, but our ideas are big. From inspiring the next entrepreneur and innovator to supporting research forging a new path, we share the same goal—your success. Our respected faculty members value hands-on learning and provide you with work-ready skills and leadership development that will help you excel throughout your career. Join NSU in shaping the next generation of creative thinkers and groundbreakers—because you could be one of them.



# top 10 reasons NSU is for you



### **Your Future**

Education is empowering—it can change your entire life. Wherever you dream of going, you can get there from here. Our more than 150,000 alumni include successful entrepreneurs, health care professionals, lawyers, artists, mediators, scientists, industry leaders, and educators.

# Our Choices

Through our range of quality academic programs (including more than 50 undergraduate majors), you can explore your interests; find your place in the world; and gain new perspectives, abilities, and opportunities. Whether you are at the associate's level or postdoctoral level, NSU's degree programs can help you fulfill your academic, personal, and professional goals.

# **3** Your Education

Our student-instructor ratio of 20 to 1 makes one-on-one interaction with your instructors possible. With our small class sizes, you'll also benefit from mentoring and guidance relationships with professors, advisers, and classmates who will know and support you.

# Our Professors

At NSU, our faculty members are world-class professionals who bring on-the-job experience from their fields of expertise into the classroom. They are centered on your education and provide you with discussions that are rich with theoretical knowledge and an insider's guidance.

Your Growth

You can get a quality education without sacrificing quality time. NSU's flexible program formats—including totally online programs—mean you can balance work and family commitments while getting an education.

Our Resources

State-of-the-art classrooms, labs, facilities, and equipment, as well as the nation's largest coral reef research facility and one of the largest library buildings in the state of Florida, are just some of the resources NSU provides to its students.

Your Journey

How you live outside the classroom is just as important as what you learn inside the classroom. NSU is the place to stretch your abilities and grow your imagination with activities that will invigorate you on your new path. Our university center includes a fitness and wellness Rec-Plex; the NSU sports arena; and venues for concerts, comedy, and cultural exhibitions and performances.

Our close-knit community and diverse student body—including students from 116 different countries—come from varying corners of the world, age groups, and cultures. Here, you can explore life and learning as you connect with people who have a wide range of experiences, perspectives, and ideals.

Your Career

Through internships, career fairs, networking events, and practicums, you will explore career options and gain practical experience of the theories you learn in class. From building a resume and executing job search strategies to acing the interview and negotiating a salary, university-wide opportunities are available to help you take the first steps toward your profession and secure a competitive edge.

1 Our Location

Your next you-only-live-once moment is just around the corner. Our South Florida campuses are close to beaches, museums, and theaters and offer easy access to Orlando and the Keys.









# now is the time, NSU is the place



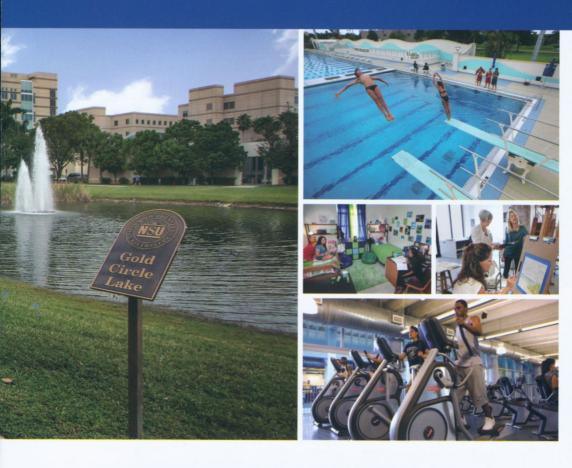
# Explore, stretch, and grow at NSU-

### **Unwind at the UC**

The Don Taft University Center, known as the UC, is the spot to work out, hang out, grab a meal, meet study groups, shoot hoops, play pool, and watch TV. We've got free Wi-Fi, so don't forget your laptop. You can see concerts, sporting events, and lectures at the center's 4,500-seat arena. When you're ready to take a break from the books, try theme park trips, cinema nights, and other events with the Student Events and Activities Board. Or, if you're looking to discover new horizons, you can soak up some culture in the Performing and Visual Arts Wing, which houses two theaters, classrooms, and rehearsal space for live productions. For fun any time of the day, stop by NSU's on-campus hangout, the Flight Deck, for daily and weekly activities including karaoke, pool, ping-pong, and NFL Sundays.

### **Get Your Game On**

Head to the NSU RecPlex when you're ready to get fit or sweat away some stress. The RecPlex-a state-of-the-art, multilevel recreational complex—is open more than 100 hours a week. Check out the cardio and strength-training equipment, rock-climbing wall, two indoor basketball courts, three indoor racquetball courts, heated leisure and Olympic-sized swimming pools, men's and women's saunas and showers, and more. The RecPlex also offers personal trainers, fitness assessment evaluations, and a variety of group exercise classes, so you can stay motivated. NSU's intramural sports teams provide a great opportunity to stay fit, meet people, and enjoy the sunshine.



# even when you're not hitting the books.

### **On-Campus Living**

Ever wish you could wake up within walking distance of a heated pool, your favorite latte, and morning classes? If you live on campus, you can. Living on campus means you're just minutes away from home, even after a late night at the library or an evening workout. Spacious, modern, and secure, our residence halls are more than just convenient. They have high-speed, wireless Internet, so you can stay connected, and every room features a private bathroom. Upper-division students can take advantage of fully furnished apartments, complete with full kitchens and living rooms.

### **Create Your Future**

At NSU's on-campus recruiting events, employers will come looking for you. And we can help you land that first great job with free assistance creating resumes and prepping for interviews. In between recruiting events, you can build your resume with hands-on learning experiences like internships, volunteer work, and co-ops. Get involved on campus and write for The Current, NSU's student-run campus newspaper; become a DJ at Radio X. our student-run radio station; or gain behind-the-scenes broadcasting experience at Sharks United Television (SUTV), our student-run TV station. There are even more leadership and networking opportunities in our more than 250 multicultural groups, clubs, spiritual organizations, fraternities, and sororities.

# education

# **Abraham S. Fischler School** of Education

At the Abraham S. Fischler School of Education, we believe that how you learn is just as important as what you learn. That's why we make earning your degree in education more convenient. Our innovative programs are offered at night, on weekends, completely online, or in a blended format at more than 60 on-site locations throughout the United States and in more than a dozen other countries. This makes us one of the largest schools of education in the United States.

We offer programs to meet the everchanging demands of today's vital professions for teachers and administrators. Our reading, teacher training, and certification programs at the A.A., B.S., and graduate levels produce knowledgeable teaching professionals. The M.S., Ed.S., and Ed.D. in Educational Leadership degree programs deliver innovative skills to solve critical issues in the workplace.

### **DEGREES OFFERED**

A.A.	Early Childhood Education
B.S.	Applied Professional Studies (1 concentration)
B.S.	Education (3 concentrations)
B.S.	Elementary Education
B.S.	Exceptional Student Education
B.S.	Middle Grades English Education with ESOL Endorsement
B.S.	Middle Grades General Science Education
B.S.	Middle Grades Social Studies Education
B.S.	Prekindergarten/Primary Education (Age 3-Grade 3
B.S.	Secondary Biology Education
B.S.	Secondary English Education with ESOL Endorsement
B.S.	Secondary Mathematics Education
B.S.	Secondary Social Studies Education
M.A.	Teaching and Learning
M.S.	Criminal Justice (2 specializations)
M.S.	Education (37 specializations)
M.S.	Instructional Design and Diversity Education
M.S.	Instructional Technology and Distance Education
M.S.	Leadership (with Huizenga School)
M.S.	Medical Education
M.S.	Speech-Language and Communication Disorders
Ed.S.	Educational Specialist (15 specializations)
Ed.D.	Education (11 concentrations)

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(1 concentration)

Speech-Language Pathology

**Educational Research and Evaluation** 



SLP.D.

Ph.D.



### DEGREES OFFERED

B.S.

B.S.

M.A.

M.S.

DEGREES O	FFERED
B.A.	Art
B.A.	Arts Administration
B.A.	Communication Studies
B.A.	Dance
B.A.	English
B.A.	History
B.A.	Humanities
B.A.	International Studies
B.A.	Music
B.A.	Musical Theatre
B.A.	Philosophy
B.A.	Political Science
B.A.	Theatre
B.S.	<b>Applied Professional Studies</b>
B.S.	Athletic Training
B.S.	Biology (premedical)
B.S.	Chemistry
B.S.	Computer Engineering
B.S.	<b>Computer Information System</b>
B.S.	Computer Science
B.S.	Criminal Justice
B.S.	<b>Environmental Science/Studie</b>
B.S.	Exercise and Sport Science
B.S.	General Studies
B.S.	Information Technology
B.S.	Legal Studies (prelaw)
B.S.	Marine Biology
B.S.	Paralegal Studies
B.S.	Psychology

Sociology

Software Engineering

**Experimental Psychology** 

### **Farquhar College of Arts and Sciences**

At the Farquhar College of Arts and Sciences, quality academic opportunities are delivered in an intimate learning environment supported by the resources of a major university. The experience for all students is enriched with avenues for faculty-mentored research, publishing, and presentations of their work. With the guidance of engaged faculty members, advisers, and tutoring and testing services, students are supported in their efforts to prepare for graduate and doctoral programs or to advance within their chosen professions. In the Undergraduate Honors Program, high-achieving students can tailor their education through innovative classes and hands-on activities. Through the Dual Admission Program, qualifying undergraduate students can secure their early acceptance to

one of NSU's competitive graduate programs. With academic extras—including performing and visual arts productions, distinguished guest lecturers, workshops, and travel study—students from all disciplines and with varied interests discover ways to expand their education beyond the classroom.



# **business**

### H. Wayne Huizenga School of Business and Entrepreneurship

The Huizenga Business School's undergraduate and graduate programs prepare students to add immediate value in the workplace. Designed with input from our corporate partners, our market-driven degree programs provide the kind of business education today's leading companies are looking for.

Our faculty members inspire the next generation of CEOs by bringing real-world experience into the classroom. In fact, many are still active practitioners in their fields of expertise. Huizenga Business School programs, such as the Distinguished Lecture Series and internships, provide a professional network for students and help them to get a foot in the door with local businesses.

In addition to its degree programs, the Huizenga Business School's executive education, franchise education, and other corporate training programs provide critical cutting-edge knowledge to business professionals and companies.

In today's competitive job market, a business education from NSU will help you stand out and teach you the skills needed to land that big job.

### **DEGREES OFFERED**

B.B.A. Business Administration

B.S. Accounting

B.S. Business Administration

B.S. Finance

B.S. Management

B.S. Marketing

B.S. Sport and Recreation Management

M.Acc. Accounting

M.B.A. Business Intelligence/Analytics

M.B.A. Entrepreneurship

M.B.A. Finance

M.B.A. Global Management

M.B.A. Human Resource Management

M.B.A. Leadership

M.B.A. Management

M.B.A. Marketing

M.B.A. Process Improvement

M.B.A. Sales Management

M.B.A. Sport Revenue Generation

M.B.A. Supply Chain Management
M.I.B.A. International Business Administration

M.P.A. Public Administration

M.S./HRM Human Resource Management

M.S./L Leadership

(with Fischler School)
M.S./RED Real Estate Development

M.Tax. Taxation

D.B.A. Business Administration

ALSO GRADUATE CERTIFICATES IN 12 specializations

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### **DEGREES OFFERED**

M.S. Education Law
M.S. Employment Law
M.S. Health Law
J.D. Law

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### **Shepard Broad Law Center**

At the Shepard Broad Law Center, we are committed to ensuring that students are provided with a legal education that emphasizes and combines academic excellence, skilled lawyering, the primacy of ethics, and service to others as complements to a mix of tradition and innovation. Each day, we help our students develop the knowledge, skills, and values that are at the heart of becoming trusted, highly adept, professional lawyers.

We strive for balance between traditional conventions, the needs of our students, and the ever-changing legal profession. The diversity of our student body, the accomplishments of our programs, and our reputation in the community for providing outstanding academic quality combine to make the Law Center an extraordinary environment for producing lawyers dedicated to justice and excellence in the profession.

Our more than 8,500 distinguished alumni are highly respected nationally and abroad for serving their clients, communities, and justice. NSU Law Center graduates serve as judges, academics, business leaders, public servants, and practicing lawyers.

# computer and information sciences

# **Graduate School of Computer and Information Sciences**

Wherever you live and work, the quality degree programs and flexible delivery formats at the Graduate School of Computer and Information Sciences can prepare you for leadership roles in the information technology field. As a master's degree student, you can take online courses, traditional evening classes on our main campus, or a combination of both—and earn your degree in as little as one year. Ph.D. students, while taking online courses, attend limited on-campus weekend sessions. The National Security Agency and Department of Homeland Security have designated NSU as a National Center of Academic Excellence in Information Assurance education and have certified NSU's curricula in information security.

The school's curricula highlight areas in business intelligence, computer science, educational technology, information security, information systems, and information technology. In a field that requires practical skills to produce innovative systems and products, we provide the knowledge and tools sought after around the world.



### **DEGREES OFFERED**

- M.S. Computer Information Systems 1
- M.S. Computer Science
- M.S. Information Security
- M.S. Information Technology
- M.S. Information Technology in Education
- M.S. Management Information Systems \*\*
- Ph.D. Computer Information Systems
- Ph.D. Computer Science
- Ph.D. Computing Technology in Education
- Ph.D. Information Systems

### **ALSO GRADUATE CERTIFICATES IN**

- Business Intelligence/Analytics
- Information Security Management \*†
- Information System Security

\*\*programs available online

Please see page 7 for undergraduate degrees.



# oceanography



### **DEGREES OFFERED**

M.A.	Marine and	Coastal	Studies
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M.S. Coastal Zone Management

M.S. Marine Biology

M.S. Marine Environmental Sciences

Ph.D. Oceanography/Marine Biology

### ALSO GRADUATE CERTIFICATES IN

Coastal Studies

• Marine and Coastal Climate Change

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### **Oceanographic Center**

Oceanographic Center (OC) graduate students gain classroom, laboratory, and field knowledge to become the next generation of marine researchers, managers, and conservationists. Our faculty members' fields include coral reef ecology and geology; shark and billfish biology and conservation; fish physiology, genetics, and ecology; molecular biology; microbiology; biodiversity; and physical oceanography.

The center offers a Ph.D. in Oceanography/Marine Biology; M.S. degrees in Marine Biology, Coastal Zone Management (CZM), Marine Environmental Sciences, and Biological Sciences; and an M.A. in Marine and Coastal Studies (online). Traditional and condensed courses are held in the evenings at our 10-acre, oceanfront campus. The M.A. is completely online and many M.S. courses (and the full CZM program) are also available online. The M.S. and M.A. programs can be completed in as little as two years. Two graduate certificate programs are also available.

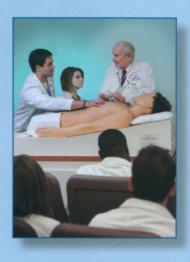
The OC houses three preeminent research institutes: the National Coral Reef Institute, the Guy Harvey Research Institute, and the Save Our Seas Shark Center, as well as the innovative Center of Excellence for Coral Reef Ecosystems Research.

# osteopathic medicine

### **College of Osteopathic Medicine**

As a medical school student in the College of Osteopathic Medicine, you will develop exceptional clinical skills through a variety of field experiences. By utilizing a hybrid curriculum, you will be exposed to hands-on learning options that include the utilization of standardized and simulated patients as well as didactic and problem-based courses. Additional learning experiences include assisting South Floridians at local health fairs and reaching out to the global community through international medical outreach trips to locales such as Argentina, Bangladesh, Ecuador, Peru, and Jamaica.

Effectively treating the human condition requires far more than a single-minded approach. Our collaborative degree programs open the door to more comprehensive, inclusive treatments for your patients, while the educational opportunities offered at the college will allow you to achieve your unique career goals. You'll also have opportunities to participate in invaluable elective predoctoral fellowships in research and osteopathic principles and practice to refine your skills.



### **DEGREES OFFERED**

M.S. Disaster and Emergency Preparedness

M.S.B.I. Biomedical Informatics

M.P.H. Public Health

D.O. Osteopathic Medicine

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# pharmacy

DEGREES OFFERED
Pharm.D. Pharmacy
Ph.D. Pharmacy

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### **College of Pharmacy**

At the College of Pharmacy, students prepare to be leaders in the profession by focusing on patient education, communication, scholarship, and innovative pharmacy practice. Students can choose from unique experiential training options, including the NSU Pharmacy, to learn to work effectively in a variety of pharmaceutical settings. Students advance their technical knowledge and prepare for their future careers by participating in health fairs, medical missions, student organizations, and professional fraternities. Student research opportunities exist in the pharmaceutical sciences, social and behavioral pharmacy, and pharmacy practice.

The college provides students with innovative ways to refine their academic focus and gain hands-on training. On-campus housing, videoconferencing, distance learning sites, a medicinal and healing garden, summer courses, Web-enhanced classes, and study-abroad programs allow students to customize their learning. Our experienced faculty members are dedicated to students both in and out of the classroom. To meet student needs, the college offers both Pharm.D. and Ph.D. degrees and a dual Pharm.D./M.B.A. program.

# optometry

### **DEGREES OFFERED**

O.D. Optometry

M.S. Clinical Vision Research

Please see page 7 for undergraduate degrees.





### **College of Optometry**

At the College of Optometry, our students attend lectures from nationally acclaimed faculty members and engage in hands-on laboratory and clinical experiences, preparing them to diagnose and manage disorders and diseases of the visual system. Many choose to participate in a wide range of clinical trials on topics including ocular disease, pediatric optometry, contact lenses, and vision science. To meet the needs of busy students, we are the only college of optometry that offers an extended program option—with a reduced course load and an extra year of study.

At the NSU Eye Care Institute, with five clinic locations throughout South Florida, you'll develop exceptional clinical skills while caring for a diverse patient population in state-of-the-art facilities. Learn while treating patients with refractive conditions (such as myopia, astigmatism, and amblyopia), ocular diseases (such as glaucoma, conjunctivitis, and macular degeneration), and systemic conditions with ocular manifestations (including diabetes, multiple sclerosis, and hypertension).



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# health care sciences

### DEGREES OFFERED

B.H.Sc.	Health Science
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B.H.Sc. Health Science— Vascular Sonography

M.H.Sc. Health Science
M.H.Sc. Health Science—

Anesthesiologist Assistant
M.H.Sc. Health Science—

Cardiovascular Sonography
M.H.Sc. Health Science—

Vascular Sonography
M.M.S. Physician Assistant

M.O.T. Occupational Therapy
Au.D. Audiology

Au.D. Audiology
D.H.Sc. Health Science

D.P.T. Physical Therapy (entry-level)

Dr.OT Occupational Therapy

O.T.D. Occupational Therapy (entry-level)

Ph.D. Health Science
Ph.D. Occupational Therapy

Ph.D. Physical Therapy

T-D.P.T. Physical Therapy (transition)

ALSO CERTIFICATE IN Audiologist Assistant

Please see page 7 for more undergraduate degrees.

### **College of Health Care Sciences**

As a student in the College of Health Care Sciences, you can prepare or advance your health professions career through our on-campus, first professional programs in occupational therapy, physical therapy, physician assistant, vascular and cardiovascular sonography, audiology, and anesthesiologist assistant. Our online, interdisciplinary bachelor's, master's, and doctoral health science degree programs allow you to continue working while you prepare for the next stage of your professional life.

You can network in person during annual or quarterly on-campus institutes for doctoral programs and col-



laborate online in virtual classrooms and student centers for all programs offered within the college. With teaching advances in clinical simulation and surgical suites, your professional education and training will be state of the art.

# nursing

### **College of Nursing**

The College of Nursing will help you prepare for what's next on your path, whether you are looking to enter the nursing practice or enhance your nursing career. Through unique, interdisciplinary curricula that emphasize teamwork and collaboration, the college is educating students to become nursing leaders and meet health care needs for the South Florida community and beyond.

Programs at the College of Nursing—bachelor's, master's, and doctoral degrees—are available totally online or in an integrated classroom format. Dedicated and experienced faculty members create an engaging academic environment to help you reach your full potential. Through realistic clinical situations, students learn using the latest educational technology, including patient simulators with voice, heart, lung, and bowel sounds and programmable vital signs.

We invite you to explore our programs and see the resources the college offers to support your success. You'll discover innovative educational programs that will enrich your life and enhance your career.

### **DEGREES OFFERED**

B.S.N. Nursing

• Entry-Level

• R.N. to B.S.N.

M.S.N. Nursing Education, Health Systems Leadership, and Nursing Informatics Tracks

• R.N. to M.S.N.

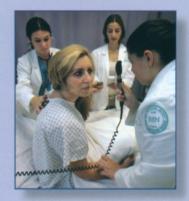
M.S.N. Nursing—Advanced Practice
Registered Nurse, Family Nurse
Practitioner Track

D.N.P. Nursing Practice

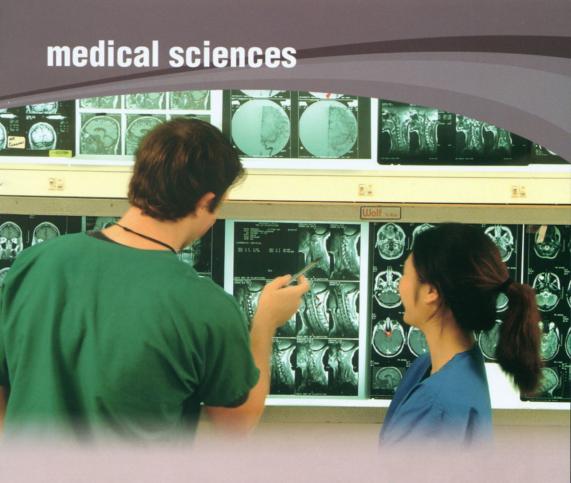
Ph.D. Nursing

ALSO POST-M.S.N. CERTIFICATE IN Nursing Education

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DEGREE OFFERED

M.B.S. Biomedical Sciences

ALSO GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN Anatomical Studies

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### **College of Medical Sciences**

Delivering the only program of its kind in Florida, and one of few in the country, the College of Medical Sciences offers you an exclusive course of study and training to advance your scientific knowledge and experience. Use this degree to continue your education in medical or dental school. Students attend classes along with dental medicine and osteopathic medicine students and become aware of the rigors of completing professional programs. During individual tutorials from your faculty adviser, you'll gain insight from those who have established successful careers in research and academics. You'll obtain not only the solid scientific background necessary for advanced medical study, but the skills to successfully meet the health care needs of the local community and beyond.

# dentistry





DEGREES OFFERED

M.S. Dentistry

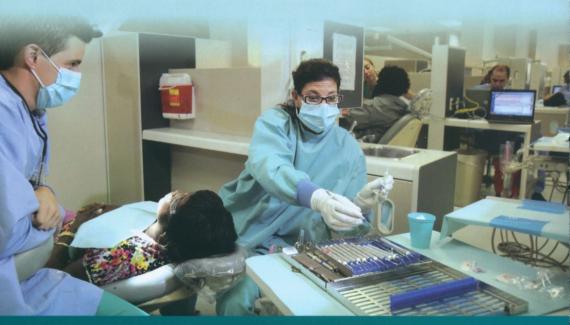
D.M.D. Dental Medicine

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### **College of Dental Medicine**

The College of Dental Medicine has established its role in the local community as a preeminent, clinically based, research-driven, service-oriented institution. Our richly diverse student body provides a unique environment for clinical, research, and experiential learning opportunities. Learn about ergonomics and the effective use of instrumentation through interactive instruction. Develop your clinical skills through NSU's on-campus clinic, simulation laboratory, and extramural rotations. These modern clinics are equipped with high-tech diagnostic, radiographic, and restorative capabilities. Gain insight from diverse faculty members with extensive training supported through academic research and professional service.

Extramural experiences address the dental needs of multiple populations while exposing students to a rich learning environment. Student rotations include Kids In Distress, Ryan White/HIV clinics, elder care, a domestic violence facility, and special needs patients. Our students also participate in international service missions to Jamaica and Brazil to provide services to the underserved. Explore the unique challenges of comprehensive and patient-centered care while advancing your skills.



# human service, health, and justice



### Institute for the Study of Human Service, Health, and Justice

The Institute for the Study of Human Service, Health, and Justice offers academic programs at the bachelor's, master's, doctoral, and postdoctoral training levels. Through academics, research, and community partnerships, the institute focuses on today's social challenges, such as substance abuse, criminal justice, developmental disabilities, elder care, and veterans' services. We serve the community, including children with autism, veterans, refugees seeking political asylum, and the homeless.

Whether you are advancing your current career or preparing for a career as an administrator, policy maker, law enforcement officer, or advocate, our curriculum lets you choose specializations that reflect your interests and current practices in the field. Our degree programs are exclusively online and set in a user-friendly environment. Through major research and clinical service initiatives, you will develop the multidisciplinary perspectives, skills, and knowledge you need to advance in your field. Our graduates are prepared for ethical leadership roles in community or government-based settings to enhance the quality of life for individuals and families.

### **DEGREES OFFERED**

В.	S.	Human	Services	Administration 1
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B.S. Human Services Administration— Human Factors in Aviation (2 concentrations)

B.S. Recreational Therapy

M.A. Gerontology

M.H.S. Child Protection

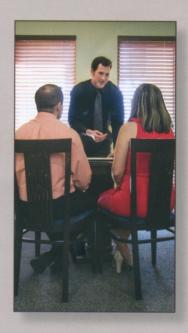
M.S. Criminal Justice

M.S. Developmental Disabilities 1

Ph.D. Criminal Justice

\*\*programs available online

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# psychology

### **Center for Psychological Studies**

The Center for Psychological Studies is a leader in training, research, and service in psychology and counseling. Our students learn to apply the latest empirically supported treatments in real-world settings and understand and engage in innovative applied research.

As a graduate student, you will work with expert clinicians and researchers at the forefront of the disciplines. Through our programs in clinical and school psychology and our master's degree programs in school and mental health counseling and forensic and general psychology, students are exposed to a wide variety of specialized areas in the field. Under the supervision of our nationally renowned faculty members, clinical students participate in our on-campus clinic and community placements, receiving clinical training experience and the opportunity to provide quality care to Florida's diverse communities. Collaborating with faculty members on research provides opportunities for students to publish and present their work at local, national, and international conferences.



### **DEGREES OFFERED**

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M.S.	Forensic Psychology
M.S.	General Psychology
M.S.	Mental Health Counseling
M.S.	School Counseling
Psy.S.	School Psychology
Psy.D.	School Psychology
Psy.D.	Clinical Psychology
Ph.D.	Clinical Psychology

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# humanities and social sciences



### **DEGREES OFFERED**

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M.A.	Cross-Disciplinary Studies **
M.S.	College Student Affairs 1
M.S.	Conflict Analysis and Resolution 🖰
M.S.	Marriage and Family Therapy
M.S.	National Security Affairs **
D.M.F.T.	Marriage and Family Therapy
Ph.D.	Conflict Analysis and Resolution
Ph.D.	Marriage and Family Therapy

### ALSO GRADUATE CERTIFICATES IN

- Advanced Conflict Resolution Practice
- College Student Personnel Administration
- Family Studies
- Family Systems Health Care
- Peace Studies
- Qualitative Research 🖰

\*programs available online

Please see page 7 for undergraduate degrees.



# **Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences**

The School of Humanities and Social Sciences equips students with the expertise and skills necessary to help people overcome everyday challenges and resolve complex issues. Our graduates are prepared to mediate and provide guidance in situations ranging from family and relationship challenges to organizational conflicts and complex issues related to local and global peace.

Because we honor the essential connection between theory and real-world practice, our students have the opportunity to apply their academic knowledge in the field through internships and practicums. You will tailor your training, establish professional networks, and positively impact the lives of your community. Earn practicum hours at our on-campus clinics, in the community while working with local families and organizations, at colleges and universities, or across the globe through humanitarian agencies and social justice organizations. Our graduates make a difference in the community and the world.

# early childhood and autism studies

### **Mailman Segal Center for Human Development**

The Mailman Segal Center for Human Development (MSC) is a multidisciplinary demonstration and professional training center for education, research, and the advancement of knowledge in early childhood, parenting, and autism across the life span. Located at the Jim & Jan Moran Family Center Village, the center offers educational programs, clinical services, and academic programs in collaboration with other NSU divisions. MSC is committed to community outreach and serves as a professional

training site for practicums and postdoctoral and internship opportunities.

At the core of the center is the nationally accredited Family Center Infant/Toddler and Preschool Programs. Other programs include the Parenting Place; Starting Right, an early intervention program for children at risk for, or diagnosed with, autism; the Baudhuin Preschool (in partnership with Broward County Public Schools) serving children with autism spectrum disorders; and the Unicorn Children's Foundation Clinic, which provides assessments for children at risk for autism and offers a specialized program for children with severe behavioral challenges.





# pre-k-grade 12







### **University School**

At University School, our pre-k through grade 12 classrooms are led by some of the nation's most enthusiastic and knowledgeable instructors. Through individualized attention, they promote every student's ability to learn, grow, and succeed academically, socially, and personally. To broaden the educational horizon, emphasis is placed on encouraging and enhancing each child's creativity, talents, and interests in the classroom and beyond.

Our unique partnership with NSU offers our students engaging, interactive learning experiences. With help from the university's law center, our Middle School students have the opportunity to prepare for mock trial competitions. As part of their capstone projects, juniors and seniors can even conduct research with NSU professors. More than 90 percent of our graduates are eligible for Bright Futures Scholarships, and 100 percent are accepted to colleges and universities around the United States and throughout the world.

# museum of art | fort lauderdale

As part of Nova Southeastern University, the Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale is home to a permanent collection of more than 6,000 pieces. The museum offers events, lectures, and activities to complement exhibits and brings art education to South Florida communities with curriculumbased courses for experienced artists and beginners. At the museum's AutoNation Academy of Art and Design, students learn in a culture that supports individual development with courses that cover broad fundamentals, instill creative concepts, and foster a greater appreciation of the visual arts. Taught by working artists, students can choose to learn during five- or ten-week sessions, as well as one-day and multiday workshops. The museum offers courses for adults and students in grades 1 through 12 from a wide range of disciplines including drawing, painting, photography, ceramics, sculpture, printmaking, fiber arts, digital arts, and more.







# nsu athletics

The NSU Sharks athletic teams compete in the Sunshine State Conference as a part of the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Division II. NSU offers a wide range of intercollegiate programs for men and women, including baseball, basketball, cheerleading, cross country, golf, rowing, soccer, softball, swimming and diving, tennis, track, and volleyball.

Come out and support the Sharks and catch the excitement of NSU's student-athletes, who are among the nation's best. Since joining the NCAA in 2002, NSU athletic teams have

- won five NCAA Division II National Championships—four in women's golf (2009, 2010, 2011, and 2012) and one in men's golf (2012)
- had five individual national champions with three in women's golf (Sandra Changkija, 2010; Taylor Collins, 2011; and Abbey Gittings, 2012), one in rowing (Varsity 4, 2009), and one in women's swimming (Erin Black, 2012)





- had their first Olympian (Esau Simpson) who competed in the 100 freestyle at the 2012 London Olympics
- won the prestigious NCAA Student-Athlete Sportsmanship Award (Courtney Berger, 2011)
- captured an NCAA record of six consecutive women's golf National Player of the Year Awards (Maria Garcia-Austt, 2007; Sandra Changkija, 2008, 2009, 2010, and 2011; and Abbey Gittings, 2012)
- captured their first men's golf National Player of the Year Award (Ben Taylor, 2012)
- produced 77 NCAA All-American student-athletes
- produced 52 NCAA Scholar All-American student-athletes
- captured 19 Sunshine State Conference Championships
- had 34 Sunshine State Conference Player and Freshman of the Year honorees
- produced 7 NCAA Division II National Players of the Year
- produced 5 NCAA Division II Freshmen Players of the Year
- won the prestigious 2008 SSC Women's Mayor's Cup All-Sports Trophy



**Go SHARKS!** 

# beyond our classrooms







## Engage your mind, body, and spirit with exhilarating activities on and off campus

### **Get Inspired**

NSU showcases nearly 150 plays and concerts each year. It also hosts events such as film, jazz, and literary festivals; art exhibitions; distinguished speakers' lectures; and celebrity Q&As. As one of the largest library buildings in Florida, the Alvin Sherman Library, Research, and Information Technology Center hosts a world-class collection of learning resources, comfortable study rooms, wireless Internet, and a cafe. Home to a glass sculpture by renowned glass artist Dale Chihuly, the gallery holds rewarding exhibits and programs for research or pleasure. Supporting all of its programs and resources are highly trained, skilled librarians whose main goal is to serve the NSU community.

### **Enjoy Every Moment**

New and returning students won't want to miss a second of Sharkapalooza, an annual event filled with games and giveaways. Homecoming at NSU is packed with activities including a "welcome home" breakfast, blues night, and Shark basketball. You can enjoy free food, live music, entertainment, and fun for the kids at CommunityFest. NSU also brings you professional acts and speakers ranging from Junot Díaz and Anthony Bourdain to Spike Lee and Edward Albee.

### **FINatic Fans**

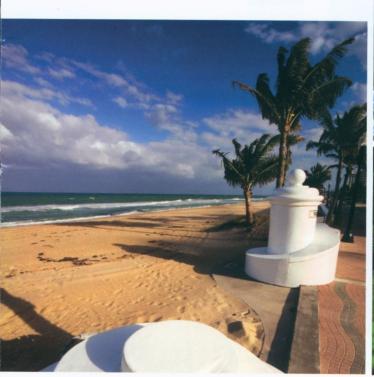
Our arena—with seating for up to 4,500 screaming fans—is the perfect place for a Shark showdown. You'll see the Sharks attack when we have the home-court advantage for NSU's NCAA Division II Sharks basketball and volleyball teams. NSU is also home to the Miami Dolphins training facility.

### **Fit and Healthy**

It's easy to get fit at NSU. And you can do it while helping to raise scholarship money during our annual 5K run/walk. NSU's other charity walks garner thousands of dollars for autism and lupus research, as well as the American Heart Association. At our annual Day for Children health fair, you can get essential health information for the whole family. Free health screenings and demonstrations are available at our health and wellness expo.

### At the Heart of It All

Going to school in a tropical paradise has its privileges. Our South Florida main campus location provides easy access to the beach and the Everglades, as well as the arts and cultural, dining, and shopping destinations of Fort Lauderdale and Miami. We're also in the right place for weekend getaways to Sanibel Island, the Florida Keys, Orlando, the Bahamas, or Jamaica.











# learn on-site, online, on the job











### **On-Site**

At NSU's convenient student educational centers, you can earn your degree—and have a traditional college experience—without relocating. We have sites in the Bahamas, Fort Myers, Jacksonville, Miami, Miramar, Orlando, Palm Beach, and Tampa.

These NSU sites offer a variety of degree programs and flexible schedules that enable you to effortlessly combine work, family, and school responsibilities with classes offered in the evenings, on weekends, online, and in blended formats.

These off-campus sites also provide you with access to NSU's world-class library databases, computer labs, audiovisual tools, fitness centers, simulation labs, videoconferencing, and smart classrooms. You'll have the opportunity to network at professional development workshops and get involved with community outreach programs, student government, or alumni affairs. The professional and friendly, full-time staff members at all of the locations are available to assist you with technology questions, financial aid, career planning, and registration.

To learn more about NSU's student educational centers, visit www.nova.edu/sec.

### **Online**

Many degree programs offer you the flexibility of completing your degree either entirely online or by taking certain classes over the Internet. Our elearning technology includes video lectures streamed live, interactive virtual classrooms, podcasts, blogs, and real-time Q&A sessions.

### On the Job

NSU's cluster programs bring our professors directly to your workplace, allowing you to take classes—often at a reduced tuition rate for groups—without ever leaving your place of business.

Find out how NSU is accessible to you. Contact us at 800-541-6682.

# your NSU education is within reach

### **Financial Assistance**

When it comes to financing your NSU education, you are not alone. Full-tuition scholarships are awarded many high-achieving students. Additionally, the university offers need-based and merit-based support through state, federal, and institutional aid including grants, scholarships, student employment, and loans. You might be surprised to learn that, in many cases, the cost of attending this private university may be even less than attending a Florida public university, for both in-state and out-of-state students. Florida residents can apply their Florida Pre-Paid College funds and Bright Futures awards toward their NSU tuition. All incoming, full-time undergraduate day students will be considered for the Nova Dean's Award, based on their GPAs.

Grants, scholarships, and awards are available for qualifying students who

- are new to NSU as incoming or transfer students (undergraduate and graduate levels)
- demonstrate a career promise in a helping profession such as medicine, social service, performing and fine arts, business, law, or Jewish communal service/the rabbinate
- are majoring in education; physical, life, or computer science; engineering; mathematics; technology; or a critical foreign language



- are veterans eligible for the VA's Yellow Ribbon scholarship program
- · serve as active-duty military officers
- work as salaried primary care physicians/ physician assistants in an underserved area
- work as resident, graduate, or other types of on-campus assistants at NSU
- meet one or more of thousands of qualifications not listed here

To find financial aid solutions to meet your needs and qualifications, visit the Office of Student Financial Assistance's Web site at www.nova.edu/financialaid or call 800-806-3680.

### **Accreditation Statement**

Nova Southeastern University is accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097, Telephone number: 404-679-4501) to award associate's, bachelor's, master's, educational specialist, and doctoral degrees.

### Notice of Nondiscrimination

Nova Southeastern University admits students of any race, color, sex, age, nondisqualifying disability, religion or creed, sexual orientation, or national or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school, and does not discriminate in administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs.

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# **NSU** by the numbers

our size ranking among the United States' private, not-for-profit institutions of higher education

85

percentage of our students who take advantage of financial assistance opportunities

20:1

our student/instructor ratio

50+

number of challenging majors

77

average temperature on our main campus

150,000+

number of alumni

85

number of miles from the Florida Keys

250

number of clubs, fraternities, sororities, and organizations

36,514

total number of students as of summer 2012

0

teaching assistants—classes are taught by dedicated faculty members

1,231

number of international students as of 2012

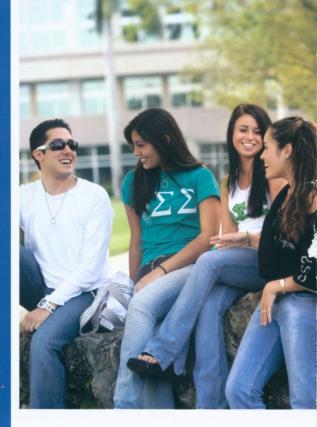
number of NCAA Division II athletic teams

3,000

number of square feet of the heated swimming pool on the main campus

+001

number of hours the RecPlex is open every week



## take a second look

Want to learn more? Come and visit us! During a campus tour, you'll have a great time exploring our facilities, speaking with current students and advisers, and discovering how NSU is right for you. To schedule a tour, call 866-351-7695. If you can't visit us in person, check out www.nova.edu for program details and photos of all of our campuses and student educational centers.



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