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2007 - 2008 SURVEY
PROFILES OF AMERICAN COLLEGES, 28TH EDITION

For questions that cannot be answered, please give one of the following responses:
n/av (information not available)
n/app (question not applicable)

Information requested applies to full-time students enrolled in a baccalaureate program,
unless otherwise indicated.

General Information

1. Official College Name Wesleyan University
2. Previous College Name (if changed since 2005)
3. Commonly used name (Nickname) Wesleyan
4. Address 70 Wyllys Avenue
5. City Middletown State CT Zip 06459-4890
Country
6. College fully accredited by one of the accrediting associations NEASC-CIHE
or
7. College a recognized candidate for regional accreditation by (initials)
8. Does your college offer a bachelor's degree? Yes
(if your answer is "no," complete only questions 1-8 and return to Barron's.)
9. Upper division colleges accept only students with prior undergraduate credits.
Is your college upper division only? No
(if your answer is "yes," complete only questions 1-9 and return to Barron's.)

Introduction

10. What is your college's founding date? 1831
11. Under whose control is your college?

private (for profit) private (not for profit) public land grant

12. Does your college have a religious affiliation? No
nonsectarian name of faith or denomination

13. If your institution is part of a larger system, what is the name of that system?

14. Please check one coeducational women only men only
primarily women primarily men

Summary of school

Wesleyan University, founded in 1831, is an independent institution offering programs in the liberal arts and sciences.

15. Please specify which campus or campuses the information given in the rest of this questionnaire refers to:

16. How many undergraduate schools and colleges are there?

17. Which three have the largest enrollments?

18. How many graduate schools or divisions are there? 1

19. Please check which baccalaureate PROGRAM (specialized) or other accreditation your college

AACSB <input type="checkbox"/>	AALE <input type="checkbox"/>	ABET <input type="checkbox"/>	ABFSE <input type="checkbox"/>	ABHES <input type="checkbox"/>	ACBSP <input type="checkbox"/>	ACCE <input type="checkbox"/>
ACEJMC <input type="checkbox"/>	ACPE <input type="checkbox"/>	ADA <input type="checkbox"/>	AHEA <input type="checkbox"/>	APTA <input type="checkbox"/>	ASLA <input type="checkbox"/>	CAHEA <input type="checkbox"/>
CSAB <input type="checkbox"/>	CSWE <input type="checkbox"/>	FIDER <input type="checkbox"/>	NAAB <input type="checkbox"/>	NASAD <input type="checkbox"/>	NASDTEC <input type="checkbox"/>	NASM <input type="checkbox"/>
NCATE <input type="checkbox"/>	NLN <input type="checkbox"/>	NRPA <input type="checkbox"/>	SAF <input type="checkbox"/>	TEAC <input type="checkbox"/>		

Other accreditation

20. How many libraries are there on campus? 3

21. Total volumes your library contains 1,355,710 microform items 292,741
audio/video tapes/CDs/DVDs 53,853 total periodicals subscribed to (including electronic) 9,048

22. What computerized library sources and services are available?

interlibrary loans database searching
Internet access laptop Internet portals

23. Is there a learning resource center? Yes

24. What types of special learning facilities are there on campus?

art gallery natural history museum planetarium
radio station TV station
other (please describe) an observatory.

Environment

25. What is the size of the campus? 170 acres

26. What environment surrounds the urban suburban rural small town

27. The campus is located
15 miles south of Hartford and 2 hours from both Boston and New York City

28. How many buildings, including residence halls, are there on campus? 334

Student Life

Profile

29. Enrollment, Fall 2007 :

Full-time undergraduate	Men	<u>1,383</u>	Women	<u>1404</u>	Total FTU	<u>2,787</u>
Part-time undergraduate	Men	<u>11</u>	Women	<u>10</u>	Total PTU	<u>21</u>
Full-time graduate	Men	<u>103</u>	Women	<u>92</u>	Total FTG	<u>195</u>
Part-time graduate	Men	<u>72</u>	Women	<u>138</u>	Total PTG	<u>210</u>
					GRAND TOTAL:	<u>3,213</u>

30. Percentage of undergraduates from in state 9 % out of state 91 %

31. Number of states 48 foreign countries 44 Any from Canada Yes

32. From what region do most out-of-state students come?

Northeast X Middle Atlantic __ South __ Midwest __ Southwest __ West __ Northwest __
 What is the percentage from that region? 63 %

33. Percentage of students from public schools 55 % private 45 %

34. Percentage of students that are white 61% African American 7% Hispanic 8 %
 Asian American 11 % Native American/Eskimo 1% foreign national 6 %

35. Percentage of students that are Catholic n/av% Protestant n/av% Jewish n/av%
 other % describe
 Claim no religious affiliation n/av% Member of school's denomination n/av%

36. Average age of your freshman class 19 Average age of all undergraduates 20

37. Percentage of full-time freshmen that do not continue beyond their first year 6%
 Percentage of full-time freshmen that remain to graduate 93%

Tuition, Room and Board

38. ANNUAL (not per term) expenses for the 2007 - 2008 school year:

	In-State	Out-of-State
Tuition	\$ <u>36,536</u>	\$
Required Fees	<u>270</u>	
Tuition + Fees (if combined)	<u>36,806</u>	
Room and Board	<u>10,130</u>	
TOTALS \$	<u>46,936</u>	\$

39. Is there college housing? Yes
40. How many students can be accommodated in college housing? 2,744
41. What living facilities are sponsored by the college?
 dormitories X on-campus apartments X off-campus apartments X
 married-student housing X fraternity houses X sorority houses —
42. Are the following living facilities available?
 honors houses language houses X special-interest houses X
 other (please explain)
43. Is on-campus housing guaranteed for all four years? Yes
 Freshman year only? No
 Available on a first-come, first-served basis? No
 Available on a lottery system for upperclassmen? No
 Is priority given to out-of-town students? No
44. Percentage of undergraduates living on campus 99 %
45. Percentage of undergraduates commuting to campus 2 %
46. Percentage of students who live on campus that remain on weekends 99 %
47. Campus housing is: single-sex — coed — both single-sex and coed X
48. Is alcohol permitted on campus? Yes
49. Who may keep cars on campus? all students X upperclassmen — no one —

Activities

50. Are there fraternities on campus? Yes
51. Are there sororities on campus? Yes
52. How many fraternities exist on campus? Local 3 National 3
53. What percentage of men belong to fraternities? 2 %
54. May women belong to fraternities? Yes
 What percentage belong? 1
55. How many sororities exist on campus? Local 0 National 0
56. Percentage of women belonging to sororities 0 %
57. How many groups/organizations exist on campus? 202
58. Which of the following college-sponsored extracurricular activities, clubs, or organizations are available to undergraduates?
 ARTS AND MUSIC X

- | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------------|
| art | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | chorale | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | drum and bugle corps | <input type="checkbox"/> | opera | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| bagpipe band | <input type="checkbox"/> | chorus | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | jazz band | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | orchestra | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| band | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | dance | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | marching band | <input type="checkbox"/> | pep band | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| choir | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | drama | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | musical theater | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | symphony | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| COMMUNICATIONS/JOURNALISM | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | | | | |
| film | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | radio and TV | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | newspaper | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | debate | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| photography | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | literary magazine | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | yearbook | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | forensics | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| CHEERLEADING | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | | ETHNIC | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | PROFESSIONAL | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| CHESS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | | GAY | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | RELIGIOUS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| COMPUTERS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | | HONORS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | SOCIAL | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| DRILL TEAM | <input type="checkbox"/> | INTERNATIONAL | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | | SOCIAL SERVICE | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| ENVIRONMENTAL | <input type="checkbox"/> | POLITICAL | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | | STUDENT GOVERNMENT | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| other major clubs (please explain) | | | | | | | |

59. Popular campus events (special days, cultural and seasonal activities) include:

Fall Ball and Spring Fling

Sports

60. Is there a sports program at your school? Yes intercollegiate Yes intramural Yes
61. Number of intercollegiate sports for men 15 women 14
62. Number of intramural sports for men 9 women 9
63. Percentage of undergraduates that participate men 55 % women 45 %

64. Please describe athletic and recreation facilities.

a 5000-seat stadium, a 3000-seat gym, a 50-meter Olympic-size pool, a 400-meter outdoor track, a 200-meter indoor track, a hockey arena, a strength and fitness center, 16 tennis courts, 8 squash courts, 4 soccer fields, 2 football practice fields, 2 rugby pitches, a boathouse, and field hockey, ultimate Frisbee, baseball, and softball fields, artificial turf field.

Disabled

65. Percentage of the campus accessible to physically disabled persons 35 %

66. Which of the following facilities are available?

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|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| wheelchair ramps | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | special class scheduling | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| elevators | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | lowered drinking fountains | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| special parking | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | lowered telephones | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| specially equipped restrooms | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | special housing | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

other (please describe) Accessible housing is provided in Clark Hall, Fauver Frosh, Fauver Upper, 14 ABC Warren Street and 20 ABC & 25 ABC Fountain Avenue. We also have about 7 TYY phones,

Services

67. Tutoring

every subject
most subjects
some subjects

which ones?

remedial math
remedial reading

remedial writing
reader service for the blind

other (please explain)

Campus Safety and Security

68. What campus safety and security measures are available?

24-hour foot and vehicle patrol
emergency notification system
self-defense education
security escort services
shuttle buses

emergency telephones
lighted pathways/sidewalks
controlled access to
in-room safes

other (please describe)

Programs of Study

69. What specific bachelor's degrees are offered (for example, A.B., B.A., B.S., B.F.A., B.S.Ed.)?

B.A.

70. What other degrees are offered?

Associate Masters Doctorate

71. Verify all majors for which your college grants BACHELOR's degrees:

(Call ext. 252 for a master list of majors, if desired.)

- 00500 African American studies
- 07700 East Asian Studies
- 01250 American studies
- 01500 anthropology
- 01750 archeology
- 02100 art history and appreciation
- 02250 Asian/Oriental studies
- 02300 astronomy
- 02950 biochemistry
- 03100 biology/biological science
- 04400 chemistry
- 04840 classical/ancient civilization
- 04850 classics
- 05825 computer science
- 06800 dance
- 07450 dramatic arts
- 07650 earth science
- 07850 economics
- 09550 English
- 10750 film arts
- 12030 French studies
- 12080 Gender studies
- 12630 German area studies
- 13500 history
- 14571 Iberian Studies
- 16150 Italian

Summary: To graduate, all students must complete 128 credit hours. Distribution requirements students include 3 courses each in humanities and arts, social and behavioral sciences, and natural science and math. A minimum academic average of 74 must be maintained, with at least 6 semesters of full-time residency.

Special

74. Please verify the following special academic programs that are available at your college:

co-op programs in
(name of major)

cross-registration with (name of college or consortium) Trinity College and Connecticut College

internships (describe) education in the field; teaching apprenticeships; Connecticut State Legislature and College Venture Program

study abroad in (number of countries) 42 countries on 6 continents

Washington semester yes

work-study programs with (name of employer) -

accelerated degree program in (name of major) -

B.A.-B.S. degree in (name of major)

dual majors in (name of major) math/economics

student-designed majors yes

3-2 engineering degree with (name of university) Columbia, Cal Tech

other (please describe)

Summary: Wesleyan offers exchange programs with 11 northeastern colleges, cross-registration with 2 area colleges, study abroad in 41 countries on 6 continents, internships, a Washington semester, dual and student-designed majors, and pass/fail options. 3-2 engineering programs with Cal Tech and Columbia University are also available.

75. Calendar: traditional semesters trimesters modified semesters (4-1-4) quarters varies by program other

76. Is there an undergraduate summer session? No

Honors

77. Is there a freshman honors program on campus? No
78. Is there a chapter of Phi Beta Kappa on campus? Yes
79. How many national honor societies have chapters on campus? 2
80. How many departments have honors programs? 40

Faculty/Classroom

81. Faculty: Total number 359 Full time 325 Part time 34
82. Number of full-time faculty that teach undergraduates 325
83. Number of part-time faculty that teach undergraduates 34
84. Ratio of full-time undergraduate students to full-time undergraduate 9 to 1
(this is not FTE)
85. Percentage of full-time faculty with doctoral/highest terminal degrees 92 %
86. Percentage of faculty that are male 59 % female 41 %
87. AAUP institution code (Barron's will fill in) IIA
88. AAUP faculty salary ranking code (Barron's will fill in) 1*
89. Percentage of faculty that teach undergraduates % do research % both 100 %
90. Percentage of introductory courses taught by graduate students % none X
91. Number of faculty ever awarded Nobel Prize 1 Pulitzer Prize 3
92. Average class size in introductory lecture 24 laboratory 27 regular course offering 17

Admissions

Information for Computing Your Selector Rating

93. The following data will be used to compute your Selector Rating and will also be reported in your Profile; however, if we are requesting figures that you do not want published, just check below and we will keep your answers confidential.

Do not print ACT/SAT scores Do not print Applied/Accepted/Enrolled Figures

TEST SCORES: In order to accurately represent your mainstream student body, do not include scores for international students or for enrollees in special preference programs for remedial, disadvantaged, or learning-disabled students.

What were the **MEDIAN** standardized test scores for the current freshman class?

SAT Critical Reading: 700

SAT Math: 690

SAT Writing: 700

ACT: 31 (composite score)

Of the freshmen who took the SAT, what percentage scored the following on the Critical Reading

below 500 0% 500 - 599 11% 600 - 700 33% above 700 56%

Of the freshmen who took the SAT, what percentage scored the following on the Math section:

below 500 0% 500 - 599 11% 600 - 700 40% above 700 49%

Of the freshmen who took the SAT, what percentage scored the following on the Writing section:

below 500 0% 500 - 599 11% 600 - 700 36% above 700 53%

Of the freshmen who took the ACT, what percentage scored the following composite

below 21 1 % 21 - 23 2 % 24 - 26 11 % 27 - 28 15 % 29 and above 70 %

If your school requires or recommends that students take the ACT Writing section, what were the **MEDIAN** scores for the current freshman class for:

the Combined English/Writing

and the Writing Test

Percentage of the current freshman class with high school ranking in the :

upper 20% (first quintile) 90 % upper 40% (first and second quintiles) %

What is the minimum high school class rank required for freshman applicants? %

What is the minimum high school GPA required?

How many applicants **COMPLETED** the application process (including payment of application fee) for the current freshman class? 7,750

How many were **ACCEPTED**? 2,123

How many **ENROLLED**? 742

Does your school have an **OPEN ADMISSIONS** (accept all who apply) policy?

Yes, for all applicants

Only for in-state applicants

No

Other Admissions Requirements

94. Is the SAT required? required for some programs? recommended? not required?
 Is the ACT required? required for some programs? recommended? not required?
 Is the ACT Optional Writing Test required? required for some programs? recommended? not required?

Summary of requirements and recommendations, including academic and Carnegie credits, test scores, essay, interview, audition or portfolio, GED acceptance, and any special circumstances.

applicants should have 20 academic credits, including 4 years each of English, foreign language, math, science, and social studies. An essay is necessary.

95. If applicable, please list (in order of decreasing importance) the three most important factors that enter into the admissions decision. (3 = most important, 1 = least important)

ability to finance college education		leadership record	<u>1</u>
advanced placement or honor courses	<u>3</u>	parents or siblings attended your school	
evidence of special talent(s)		personality/intangible qualities	
extracurricular activities record		recommendations by alumni	
geographic diversity		recommendations by school officials	<u>2</u>

96. How many freshmen were National Merit finalists semifinalists N/A

97. How many freshmen graduated first in their class?
 In the top 10 percent of their high school class? 269

98. Is there an early decision plan? Yes

99. How many early decision candidates were accepted for the 2007 - 2008 school year? 288

100. Is there an early admissions plan?

101. Is there a deferred admissions plan? Yes

102. Do you accept AP credit? Yes CLEP credit? No

103. Is a waiting list an active part of your admissions procedure? Yes

If yes, the number of applicants who were on the 2007 waiting list: 1,200

Of the number wait-listed, how many were admitted? 97

Procedure

104. When should the entrance exams be taken? in the spring of the junior year or the fall of the senior year

105. Is there a rolling admissions plan? No

106. Are there application deadlines? Yes If so, specify date(s):
- | | | |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Early decision: | (month) <u>November</u> | (day) <u>15</u> |
| Regular decision: | fall entry (month) <u>January</u> | (day) <u>1</u> |
| | winter entry (month) | (day) |
| | spring entry (month) | (day) |
| | summer entry (month) | (day) |
107. When is notification sent?
- | | |
|--|-----------------|
| early decision (month) <u>December</u> | (day) <u>15</u> |
| regular decision (month) <u>April</u> | (day) <u>1</u> |
108. Freshmen are admitted: fall winter spring summer all
109. Is there an application fee? Yes What is it for 2007 - 2008 ? \$ 55
 What will it be for 2008 - 2009 ? \$ 55
- Indicate if you accept applications on-line.

Transfers

110. How many transfers enrolled in 2006 - 2007 ? 64
111. Please indicate your school's admission requirements for transfer students:
Applicants need a strong academic record and either SAT or ACT scores. An interview is recommended.
112. How many credits must be completed at your college for the bachelor's degree? 16
113. How many total credits are required for the bachelor's degree? 32

Visiting

114. Are there regularly scheduled orientations for prospective students? Yes
 If yes, please describe the agenda for visits: including hour-long campus tours and group information sessions
115. For informal visits, are there guides? Yes
116. May visitors sit in on classes? Yes
117. May visitors stay overnight at the school? Yes
118. Who should be contacted to arrange such visits? the Admissions Office
 Telephone 860-685-3000
 E-Mail admission@wesleyan.edu

Financial Aid

119. Percentage of all full-time freshmen receiving some form of financial aid in 2007 - 2008 47 %
 continuing full-time students 46 %

120. Percentage of all full-time freshmen receiving any type of need-based aid **2007 - 2008** 47 %
continuing full-time students 46 %
121. What was the average freshman award for **2007 - 2008** school year? 28,820
Indicate amount that was: **Average** **Maximum**
need-based scholarships or need-based grants \$ 24,146 \$
need-based self-help aid (loans and jobs) 5,002
non-need based athletic scholarships
other non-need based awards and non-need based scholarships
other *
* (please explain)
122. What was the average financial indebtedness of the **2007** graduate? \$ 21,464
123. Percentage of undergraduate students that work part time on campus 75 % off campus n/av %
124. Average earnings from campus work for school year: \$ 1,225
125. Is the college a member of the College Board's College Scholarship Service (CSS)? Yes
126. What financial statements are required? **CSS Profile** **FAFSA** **FFS** **SFS**
any of the above state aid form college's own none required
other (please specify)
127. Specify the priority filing date for financial aid applications (freshman) for fall entry
month day
Specify the deadline date for financial aid applications (freshman) for fall entry
month February day 1

International Students

128. How many undergraduate international students are enrolled full-time at your college?
129. Does your college actively recruit international students? Yes
130. Must international students take an English proficiency exam? Yes
If so, which exam?
TOEFL MELAB (Michigan English Language Assessment Battery)
comprehensive English Language Test the college's own test any of these tests
other (please specify) or take the IELTS
131. Does your college require a minimum score on the TOEFL? Yes
If so, what is it on the paper-based version (PBT)? 600
on the Internet-based version (iBT)? 100
132. Does your college require a standardized entrance examination? Yes
If so, which one?
SAT ACT SAT or ACT your college's own entrance exam
other (please specify)

133. Does your college require a minimum score on the entrance exam? No
If so, what is it?
134. Must these students take SAT Subject Tests? Yes
If so, which ones? writing and 2 other areas
135. Must they receive a minimum score on the SAT Subject Tests? No
If so, what score?

Computers

136. Does your college provide computer facilities for student use? Yes
137. Is wireless access available at your college? Yes
138. Describe briefly how students may use the college's network and/or wireless system including quantity and location of PCs and access to the Internet:
We have about 1700 students who live in the dorms and residence halls which are connected to the campus network backbone. Another 1100 undergraduate students and 300 graduate students live in wood frame houses around campus which are not directly connected to our campus backbone. They are connected to the internet through Comcast Cable Modem.
The campus has 290 wireless access points and provides close to 100% wireless coverage on campus. Each of the wood frame house also has a wireless routers.
Our campus network is connected to the internet through the Connecticut Education Network. We have purchased 65 Mb bandwidth for this connectivity.

Use

139. Is the system accessible to all students? Yes
If not, which students may access the system?
When may it be used?
140. Is there a limit on the amount of time each student may access the system? No
If so, what is the limit?
141. Is a fee charged to use the system? No If yes, what is the amount?

Requirements

142. Does your college require or strongly recommend that all students have personal computers?
Yes, require ___ Yes, strongly recommend X No ___
143. Must students in any particular academic program(s) provide personal computers?
If so, what programs?
144. If required or recommended, does your college specify a particular make or model of personal computer? No. However, we do provide minimum configuration guidelines for successful use of all the applications we support.
If so, what make or model?

Graduates

2007 Graduates

145. How many bachelor's degrees were conferred during the year (July 1, 2006 to June 30,2007)? 725

146. Please list the three most popular majors among 2007 graduates and give the percentage of graduates earning degrees in those fields:

Major	Percentage
1. <u>Psychology</u>	<u>9</u>
2. <u>English</u>	<u>8</u>
3. <u>Government</u>	<u>7</u>

147. Percentage of freshmen that graduate in 3 years or less % 4 years or less 84 %
 5 years or less 91 % 6 years or less 93 %

148. How many companies/organizations recruited on campus in 2006 - 2007 ? 60

2006 Graduates

149. Percentage of 2006 graduates enrolled in graduate school within 6 months of graduation: 13 %

150. Percentage of 2006 graduates that found employment within 6 months of graduation: 52 %

Admissions Contact (for applicants)

151. Name Nancy Hargrave-Meislahn Title Dean of Admissions and Financial Aid

152. Telephone (860) 685-3000 Fax (860) 685-3001
 toll-free number (in-state) toll-free number (out-of-state)
 E-mail address admissions@wesleyan.edu
 Web site address www.wesleyan.edu
 Is a campus DVD available?

153. Name of person filling out this form Joan Adams Title Assistant to the Dean
 Department Admission
 Address 70 Wyllys Avenue State CT Zip 06459-
 City Middletown Fax
 Telephone (860) 685-2978
 E-Mail jadams@wesleyan.edu

154. Name and title of chief executive of your school Michael Roth, President

If you prefer that we get some of this information from your Common Data Set, please complete the following questions.

Note: Data for some of our questions are not available on the CDS. We recommend completing our survey in full.

Web address

ID

Password

When will data 2007 - 2008 be available?

Common Data Set contact person

Phone/fax/e-mail

**Thank you very much!
Please return the questionnaire
in the enclosed postage-paid envelope.
(If necessary, fax to 631-434-3394.)**