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COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS ’49
POP ARTIST

STEPHANIE KWOLEK
CHEMISTRY ’46
INVENTOR OF KEVLAR

FIRST EMOTICON SENT IN AN EMAIL:

47 TONY AWARDS

12 CHURCHILL SCHOLARSHIPS

20 NOBEL LAUREATES

7 COLLEGES

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33 GOLDWATER SCHOLARSHIPS

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NOBEL LAUREATE

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STUDENT-FACULTY RATIO

97% OF FACULTY HAVE A PH.D. OR OTHER TERMINAL DEGREE
LAUNCH

400+ ORGANIZATION CAREER FAIR ATTENDANCE

LESLIE ODOM JR. & RENÉE ELISE GOLDSBERRY TONY AWARD WINNERS FOR HAMILTON

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KAI-FU LEE
COMPUTER SCIENCE ’88
FOUNDING PRESIDENT

GOOGLE
CHINA

FIRST CAMPUS-WIDE WI-FI NETWORK

AVERAGE STARTING SALARY

$84,710
VS. NATIONAL AVERAGE OF $51,022

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100+ RESEARCH CENTERS

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13,878 STUDENT ATTENDANCE AT CAREER FAIRS

71 FULBRIGHT SCHOLARSHIPS
We’re rolling out the red carpet just for you! Carnegie Mellon’s admitted student visits are your chance to find out why you should Turn Tartan.

From sitting in on classes to open houses and special tours, you’ll experience our campus community and what it’s like to be a student here.

Visit cmu.edu/ntia to reserve your spot!

Use your admitted student VIP phone number to get direct access to the admission staff during the month of April.

Can’t Make It to Campus?
Engage with us online through virtual visit opportunities detailed on admission.enrollment.cmu.edu/pages/virtual-visit
Admitted Student Visits: The VIP Experience
Reserve Your Spot

Our admitted student visit website, cmu.edu/ntia, features daily visit schedules and classes. Find out when college/department open houses are offered, attend classes that you may end up taking as a first-year student and join our current students for tours, lunches and more!

Register at cmu.edu/ntia to guarantee your spot. We look forward to seeing you soon!

And don’t forget — if you can’t visit in person, check out our virtual visit opportunities. admission.enrollment.cmu.edu/pages/virtual-visit
STUDENT EXPERIENCE

VIP Number

412.CMU.IMIN
(412.268.4646)

Register for an admitted student visit day at cmu.edu/ntia
You'll have plenty of opportunities to get involved on campus. Our students make their experience their own!

**Student Organizations**

We have 300+ student-run organizations all excited to welcome you. Here's just a sampling offered to Carnegie Mellon students:

- Game Creation Society
- ALLIES
- Active Minds at Carnegie Mellon
- Filmmaking Club
- The Tartan (student-run newspaper)
- SPIRIT (Black Student Organization)
- Drone Racing Club
- Bhangra in the Burgh
- Scotch 'n' Soda Theatre
- Aerospace Club
- Hillel Jewish Students Association
- Solar Racing
- Tech Radio Club
- Energy Club
- Robotics Club
- Comedy Club
- 1000plus Day of Service Club

**Undergraduate Research**

If research is your niche, you're at the right place! The Undergraduate Research Office (URO) has ample opportunity for funding, fellowships and advising. We're **building** mobile robots, **creating** documentary films, **investigating** cultural trends and **developing** new digital communication technology. For more information and for a sampling of research projects done by Carnegie Mellon students visit, [cmu.edu/uro](http://cmu.edu/uro).

**Study Abroad**

Where will your path take you? Studying abroad can be part of any college experience, but we make it extra special. We're excited to work with you from the time you begin exploring options until you return home. Visit [cmu.edu/studyabroad](http://cmu.edu/studyabroad) for more information.

Carnegie Mellon students go all over the world, some of our most popular countries of study include:

- Australia
- China
- Colombia
- Cuba
- Haiti
- Italy
- Japan
- Nicaragua
- Rwanda
- Spain
- Switzerland
- United Kingdom
The Career and Professional Development Center (CPDC)
The Career and Professional Development Center is an office dedicated to helping you find a job or internship. They've developed programs focused on career exploration and professional development. CPDC offers one-on-one advising and career counseling to students across all majors. For more information visit cmu.edu/career.

Academic Development
Academic Development offers help with academic work in many forms including: peer tutoring, academic coaching in study skills, supplemental instruction and collaborative learning groups. Programs are designed to help both students who may be having some academic difficulties and those who just want to improve academic performance. For more information visit cmu.edu/acadev.

Disability Resources
The Office of Disability Resources strives to provide services and accommodations to help students accomplish their best work at Carnegie Mellon. For more information visit cmu.edu/disability-resources.

The Center for Student Diversity and Inclusion (The Center)
Core to our mission, The Center serves in dimensions such as access, success, campus climate and intergroup dialogue. The Center supports and connects historically underrepresented students and those who are first in their family to attend college in a setting where students' differences and talents are guided, appreciated and reinforced. Staff in The Center partner with students to offer programs and initiatives to increase awareness and engage the community in creating a vibrant and inclusive campus environment. Initiatives coordinated by The Center include, but are not limited to:
• First Generation/First in Family to Attend College Programs
• LGBTQ+ Programs
• Race and Ethnically Focused Programs
• Transgender and Non-Binary Student Programs
• Women’s Programs
• Bystander Intervention and SafeZone Programs
• Latinx Alliance
• MLK Celebrations
• Origins Pre-Orientation Program
For more information visit cmu.edu/student-diversity.
Housing

Applying for Housing
After you enroll, we’ll send instructions on how to log in to the “Now That I’m Enrolling” website with information about accessing the online housing application where you’ll be able to indicate your housing preferences.

First-year students are required to live on campus and are guaranteed university housing. Housing is also available for all four years at Carnegie Mellon, as long as you remain within the university housing system.

On your housing application, you’ll indicate your preferences among a number of options such as a traditional residence hall room or apartment, double or triple occupancy, single-gender or co-ed buildings. Gender inclusive housing is available to all first-year students, regardless of gender identity. If interested in this option, contact rmassign@andrew.cmu.edu.

A Variety of Accommodations
First-year students are assigned to a variety of buildings, including both residence halls and Oakland community apartments. Most first-year students (over 95 percent) will have at least one roommate, and the majority will reside in a residence hall room or apartment. As you progress toward your senior year, more options will become available to you.

Housing options include:
• first-year only residence halls
• single gender, gender inclusive and co-ed options
• apartments, on campus and in the nearby Oakland community
• on-campus houses and townhouses
• fraternity and sorority housing

Dining

Meal Plans
Meal plans vary based on our students’ dining needs and preferences. “Meals” or “blocks” include an entrée, side(s) and beverage, and provide students with the flexibility of dining when and where they want. Plans vary in “meals” available per semester along with an assigned amount of flexible spending dollars. Students may use their “meals” over the course of the semester.

10+ DINING VENDORS
Providing
30+ DINING CONCEPTS
Including NOURISH, an Allergen-Friendly Kitchen

Places to Eat
Dining options are available to students throughout campus including in residential and academic buildings. Dining Services offers specialty and global cuisines, pizza and burgers, salads and smoothies, breakfast all-day, sushi and traditional fare along with Orthodox kosher, Halal and vegan and vegetarian options.

Healthy Eating
Fresh, nutritious food is an integral part of the health and wellness of our campus community. Dining Services makes eating well easy and delicious by creatively preparing meals that emphasize fresh vegetables, seasonal fruits and lean proteins. Selected eateries around campus serve vegan and vegetarian meals and foods that are free from gluten and the top eight major allergens.

Special Dietary Needs
Students with special dietary needs will work with University Health Services and Dining’s on-staff registered dietitian to create a meal plan that works for them. If you have any questions or comments about Dining Services, please contact 412.268.2139 or dining@andrew.cmu.edu.

Dining Services: cmu.edu/dining

Housing Services: cmu.edu/housing
Andrew Carnegie, one of the founders of Carnegie Mellon, was of Scottish origin. Our Scottish heritage is in the fabric of what we do and who we are. Our official school color is Tartan plaid — created at Andrew Carnegie's request and manufactured in Scotland — which consists of blue, red, green and yellow. The Scottish Terrier is the official Carnegie Mellon mascot and now greets fans and community members at university events, where you may also see our Kiltie Marching Band, who dress in full Scottish regalia for all home football games.

Being a Carnegie Mellon Tartan is about more than our school colors and mascot. When you choose Carnegie Mellon, you're joining a community that's rich with tradition and culture.

**We Value**

**Interdisciplinary Knowledge:** With our educational philosophy focused on interdisciplinary knowledge, we develop world changers skilled in problem-solving, leadership and communication. Our students leave Carnegie Mellon equipped with the skills to impact society in a transformative way.

**Collaboration:** Carnegie Mellon is filled with passionate students just as dedicated and motivated as you are. You'll be surrounded by like-minded, hardworking students as you collaborate in the studio, on research projects, in the lab or in the classroom.

**Diversity:** Diversity is our strength, and by bringing together our different backgrounds and experiences, we can solve society's biggest challenges. A diverse and inclusive community is the foundation for excellence in learning, research, creativity and human development.

Throughout our campus there are examples of this commitment through initiatives such as the recent creation of our Center for Student Diversity and Inclusion, robust multicultural student organizations, campus advocates and more.

**Unleash Your Carnegie Mellon Pride!**

Forever Plaid! When you enroll at Carnegie Mellon, you become a lifelong Tartan. You may spend 4+ years in Pittsburgh as a student, but you'll spend your entire life as a Carnegie Mellon alum. Staying engaged is an expectation — as a student and as an alum — so wear your Tartan swag often, attend Carnegie Mellon events and be proud of your alma mater!
Tartan Plaid
Official University Colors

300+ Student Organizations

19 NCAA Division III Varsity Teams

18% of students participate in Greek Life

45+ Club teams and Intramural sports

Bagpiping Major Offered
Spring Carnival
Dating back to 1920, Spring Carnival is one of the oldest and most beloved campus traditions. Each April, students enjoy a fun-filled, four-day weekend — there are no classes the Friday of Carnival weekend. Beyond carnival rides, food and entertainment, the two main components of Carnival are Booth and Buggy.

Booth: Student organizations build one- or two-story carnival booths with a design and game in accordance with the overall Carnival theme. The booths are displayed on the midway where all Carnival-goers can enjoy them.

Buggy: Student organizations participate in a fierce competition of high-tech soapbox racers. Teams compete in a five-person relay race. The drivers (yes, there are actually people in there!) steer the buggies through the free-roll portion of the race. Buggies can reach speeds of up to 35 miles per hour!

Painting the Fence
Painting the Fence has been a longstanding Carnegie Mellon tradition.

Strict tradition dictates that the Fence can only be painted between midnight and sunrise and must be painted in its entirety. Only paintbrushes can be used to paint the Fence. And, if you don’t want your message to be painted over, the Fence must be guarded around the clock by someone.

The original wooden fence was in the Guinness Book of World Records as the “most painted object in the world.” In 1993, the original wooden fence collapsed under its own weight and was replaced with the concrete fence standing today. It’s estimated that there are four inches of paint currently on the Fence!

School Spirit at Carnegie Mellon:
cmu.edu/about/history/index.shtml
Freshman Orientation
Team Challenge
THE PITTSBURGH SCENE

PITTSBURGH
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Pittsburgh is a great playground for students. With over 85,000 college students studying in Pittsburgh, there’s ample opportunity to find your place. Pittsburgh is home to some of the nation’s trendiest neighborhoods, most delicious restaurants and most competitive pro sports. You’ll find art, music, and culture tucked away in the many cultural districts of Pittsburgh. And you can explore it all for free using public transportation just by swiping your Carnegie Mellon ID.

To find out more about the bus system and to plan a bus trip in the city, check out: portauthority.org.

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- #3 mid-sized metro city for students
  American Institute of Economic Research
- #8 of top cities techies should consider moving to
  The Huffington Post
- #9 on Forbes’ list of the most livable cities
  in the country Forbes Magazine
- #6 of the best college cities in America WalletHub
- #1 of Travelers’ Choice Destinations on the Rise
  TripAdvisor
- #1 ranking in the Top 10 Coolest Neighborhoods
  in America Money Magazine
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  WalletHub
- #1 of Travelers’ Choice Destinations on the Rise
  TripAdvisor
- #1 ranking in the Top 10 Coolest Neighborhoods
  in America
  Money Magazine
FINANCIAL AID
Financial Aid

Financial aid is an important part of the admission process. At Carnegie Mellon, aid is awarded solely on the basis of financial need. In order to receive financial aid, you must submit the following documents:

- Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
- College Scholarship Service (CSS) PROFILE
- 2017 federal tax returns and W-2 statements submitted via the Institutional Documentation Service (IDOC)

If your parents are divorced, separated or don’t share the same household, please follow these guidelines:

Your custodial, biological or adoptive parent (the parent with whom you reside most of the time during the 12 months prior to application) must file a FAFSA and CSS Profile.

Your noncustodial parent must complete a separate CSS Profile using their own login credentials.

If you submitted all of the required documents by the February 15 deadline, you should receive your financial aid notification within a few days of your decision letter. If you haven't yet submitted all of your documents, the Office of Admission won't be able to give you a finalized financial aid package until we’ve received and reviewed all of the required documentation.

Proven Value

You’re joining a community of scholars, innovators and artists.

Carnegie Mellon is a hub of innovation, which is why we’re a global leader in bringing groundbreaking ideas to market and creating successful startup businesses. Our award-winning faculty are renowned for working closely with students to solve major scientific, technological and societal challenges. We put a strong emphasis on creating things — from art to robots. We have become a model for economic development in forming partnerships with companies such as Uber, Google, Disney and more. Our students are recruited by some of the world’s most innovative companies.

Class of 2018 Top Hiring Organizations

- Accenture
- Amazon
- Apple
- Goldman Sachs
- Wayfair
- Capital One
- Deloitte
- Google
- National Institutes of Health
- Salesforce
- Epic
- Facebook
- PNC
- Microsoft
- PwC
- Citi
- GM
- Uber
- IBM

Ranks

#1 among the Association of American Universities (AAU) schools IN THE NUMBER OF STARTUPS PER RESEARCH DOLLAR.

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Helped launch

1,000 COMPANIES ACROSS INDUSTRIES SUCH AS ROBOTICS, SOFTWARE APPLICATIONS, ENERGY, HEALTH CARE AND FINANCE. These companies create jobs across the United States and internationally, with the highest concentrations in Pittsburgh, Silicon Valley and India.

Developed

135+ NEW COMPANIES through Project Olympus, a Carnegie Mellon innovation center.
GETTING SERIOUS:
Enrollment Information
Next steps:

1. Submit your Enrollment Deposit at cmu.edu/ntia
2. Plan your year with the academic calendar found at admission.enrollment.cmu.edu/pages/ntia-forms
3. Review Carnegie Mellon’s health insurance and immunization requirements at cmu.edu/health-services/new-students
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