History of Undergraduate Programs
The first undergraduate degree completion program began for off-campus students in the early 1970s. The College of Professional Studies currently offers two undergraduate programs. Health Care Leadership and Organizational Leadership majors were developed to offer adult degree completion opportunities to students with an associate degree or the equivalent. Leadership skills in health care and other fields are the focus of these programs. Both programs are offered entirely on line in an accelerated, eight-week format.

Mission
The Mission of the College Professional Studies at the University of St. Francis is twofold: to provide undergraduate students with a solid liberal education foundation and career oriented courses specifically designed for the working professional, and to provide graduate students with a combination of theoretical and practical applications to the work environment, in areas of business, administration, health service, and training education. The College is committed to academic excellence and the Franciscan values of the institution. It seeks to develop students to their highest level of ability in areas of communication skills, critical thinking, problem solving, ethical decision making, love for lifelong learning, reverence for truth, and desire for excellence. Academic programs within the College promote systematic, critical investigation, as well as encourage the integration of professional ethics into the students’ career.

PROGRAMS AT A GLANCE

UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS

Undergraduate Degrees
BA = Bachelor of Arts
BBA = Bachelor of Business Administration
BM = Bachelor of Music
BSN = Bachelor of Science in Nursing
BS = Bachelor of Science
BSW = Bachelor of Social Work

Pre Professional Preparation Programs:
• Pre Dental
• Pre Law
• Pre Med
• Pre Pharmacy
• Pre Physical Therapy
• Pre Physician Assistant
• Pre Veterinarian

Accounting BBA (major & minor)
Biology BS (major, minor, 6-12 teacher certification)
Business Administration (minor)
Chemistry (minor)
Computer Science B.S (major, minor, certification)
    Concentrations:
    Computer Science/Electronics
    Computer Science/Game Design & Development
    Information Technology/Network Specialist
Criminal & Social Justice BA (major)
Concentrations:
Politics and Law
Psychology
Social Work
Language and Cultural Diversity
Leadership
Forensics

Economics (minor)

English BA (major & minor, certifications and concentrations)
Minors:
Literature
Writing

English Language Arts (teacher certification)

Environmental Science B.S (major & minor)

Environmental Studies (minor)

Finance B.BA (major & minor)

Gerontology (minor)

Health Care Leadership B.S (major)

History BA (major & minor)

Individualized Studies BA (major)

Information Technology B.S (major, minor)

Individualized Major BA

International Business (minor)

International Studies (minor)

Liberal Studies BA (major)

Logistics (minor)

Management BBA (major & minor)

Management BS (major, online-degree completion)

Marketing BBA (major & minor)

Mass Communication BA (major, minor)
Concentrations:
Public Relations/Advertising/Journalism
Broadcast: Radio/TV
Media Arts

Mathematics BA (major, minor, teacher certification)
Concentration:
Actuarial Science

Mathematics & Computer Science B.S (major)

Medical Technology B.S (major)

Music BA (major & minor, concentration)
Concentrations:
Various Instruments (piano, string, wind and percussion)
Vocal

Music Education BA (major, teacher certification)
Concentration:
Choral/Vocal

Music Performance BM (major)
Concentrations:
Piano
Voice

Natural Science (minor)

Nuclear Medicine Technology BS (major)

Nursing BSN
Nursing
Nursing Fast Track Option (online only)

Organizational Leadership B.S (major)

Political Science BA major and minor concentrations
Concentrations:
General/Pre law
American Politics
Public Policy

Psychology BA (major, minor)

Radiation Therapy BS (major)

Radiography BS (major)

Recreation, Sport & Tourism Management BA (major, minors, certification, tracks, and specializations)
Tracks:
Public Recreation
Resort and Tourism Management
Sport Operations Management and Athletic Administration
Therapeutic Recreation

Social Science BA (major)

Social Work BSW (major)

Spanish (minor)

Teacher Certification Programs (major, certifications)

Elementary Education BA (K-9)

Secondary Education Certification (6-12)
Science: Biology
English/English Language Arts
Mathematics
Music Education (Undergraduate only)
Social Science: History

Special Education BA (K-12)
Theology BA (major, minor)
Concentrations:
Pastoral Ministry
Teaching Ministry

Visual Arts BA (major)
Minors:
Fine Arts History
Photography
Visual Arts
Concentrations:
Graphic Design
Studio Art
Photography

Web Application Development B.S (major)

GRADUATE PROGRAMS

Graduate Degrees
MBA = Masters in Business Administration
MEd = Masters in Education
MS = Master of Science
MSN = Master of Science of Nursing
MSW = Bachelor of Social Work

Master of Business Administration (MBA)
Management
Health Administration
Training and Development

Master of Education (MEd)
Education with Elementary Certification (K-9)
Education with Secondary Certification (6-12)
   English/Language Arts
   Mathematics
   Science: Biology
   Social Science: History
Education with Special Education Certification (K-12)

Master of Science in Education (MS)
Educational Leadership
Reading
Teaching and Learning

Master of Science in Health Administration (MS)

Master of Science in Management (MS)
Management
Health Administration
Training and Development

Master of Science in Nursing (MSN)
Adult Health Clinical Nurse Specialist (Online)
Adult Nurse Practitioner (Online)
Family Nurse Practitioner (Albuquerque Campus and Online)
R.N.-BS-MSN (Online)
Post Master’s Adult Nurse Practitioner/Clinical Nurse Specialist
Post Master’s Family Nurse Practitioner

Master of Science Physician Assistant Studies (MS)
Albuquerque, New Mexico Campus Only

Master of Social Work (MSW)

Master of Science in Training and Development (MS)
Management of Training and Development
Learning Technology
Client-Center Consulting
Health Administration
Business Administration
Self Design

GRADUATE CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS
Client-Centered Consulting
Management of Training and Development
Learning Technology
Logistics
Teaching in Nursing
Training Specialist

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS
Applicants for admission are considered individually and must demonstrate evidence of their ability to complete college-level work based on previous successful academic performance. Students are accepted to the University as first-time freshmen and transfer students. Non-degree seeking students are allowed to take classes through an abbreviated application process. Some academic programs require additional criteria and materials to be reviewed for admission to their academic major. These programs include Nursing, BSN Fast Track, Health Care Leadership and Organizational Leadership.

Freshman Student Admission
Requirements for admission as a freshman student
The following guidelines are used when evaluating an applicant’s high school record:
A college prep curriculum that includes the following academic subjects:

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