

Analysis of Auburn University at Montgomery Rankings: "America's Best Colleges: 2014 Exclusive Rankings - Regional Universities"

Office of Institutional Effectiveness

Alabama Regional University Comparisons

Institution	Regional University Rank 2014 (2013 Rank)	Overall score 2014 (2013 score)	Peer assessment score 2014 (5.0=highest) (2013 score)	Average Freshmen Retention Rate 2014 (2013 Rate)	Average Graduation Retention Rate 2014 (2013)	% of classes under 20 2014 (2013)	% of classes over 50 2014 (2013)	Student-faculty ratio 2014 (2013 ratio)	SAT/ACT 25th-75th percentile 2014 (2013)	Freshmen in top 25% of HS class 2014 (2013)	Acceptance Rate 2014 (2013)	Average alumni giving rate 2014 (2013 rate)
Samford University ⁹	South 3 (South 4)	90 (88)	3.8 (3.7)	85% (84%)	71% (73%)	67% (67%)	2% (2%)	12/1 (12/1)	23-29 (23-29)	61% ⁵ (61% ⁵)	76% (83%)	10% (10%)
Spring Hill College	South 16 (South 17)	71 (68)	3.1 (3.0)	76% (77%)	62% (63% ⁶)	59% (55%)	0% (1%)	12/1 (13/1)	21-26 (21-26)	47% (47%)	47% (49%)	19% (21%)
University of Montevallo [*]	South 36 (South 37)	55 (54)	2.9 (3.1)	76% (75%)	47% (45%)	48% (44%)	1% (1%)	16/1 (17/1)	20-26 (20-26)	N/A (N/A)	87% (78%)	14% (12%)
University of North Alabama [*]	South 80 (South 59)	38 (44)	2.7 (2.9)	69% (68%)	32% (37% ⁶)	46% (38%)	3% (4%)	21/1 (22/1)	18-24 (18-25)	48% ⁴ (48%)	79% (79%)	8% (8%)
Troy University [*]	South 80 (South 67)	38 (39)	2.7 (2.8)	70% (71%)	35% (39%)	55% (53%)	1% (4%)	19/1 (20/1)	18-24 ³ (18-24 ³)	54% ⁵ (47% ⁵)	68% (62%)	7% (8%)
Auburn University at Montgomery [*]	South 84 (South 74)	37 (38)	2.8 (2.9)	56% (56%)	30% (28%)	54% (53%)	2% (2%)	15/1 (16/1)	18-22 (18-23)	43% (41%)	72% (74%)	N/A (2%)
Jacksonville State University [*]	South 2 nd Tier (South 74)	N/A (38)	2.7 (2.8)	68% (69%)	29% (33% ⁶)	39% (39%)	6% (7%)	18/1 (20/1)	19-26 ³ (18-25 ³)	46% (42%)	82% (84%)	8% (8%)
Alabama A&M University [*]	South 2 nd Tier (South 2 nd Tier)	N/A (N/A)	2.3 (2.2)	69% (69%)	32% (32% ⁶)	46% (46%)	3% (4%)	20/1 (19/1)	16-19 ³ (16-19 ³)	N/A (N/A)	54% (50%)	7% (8%)
Alabama State University ^{10*}	South 2 nd Tier (South 2 nd Tier)	N/A (N/A)	2.3 (2.3)	62% (56%)	26% (22% ⁸)	N/A (49% ⁴)	N/A (4% ⁴)	16/1 (17/1)	16-19 ³ (710-900 ⁴)	12% ⁵ (N/A)	52% (51% ⁴)	N/A (N/A)
University of West Alabama [*]	South 2 nd Tier (South 2 nd Tier)	N/A (N/A)	2.3 (2.4)	62% ⁸ (61%)	34% ⁶ (34% ⁶)	56% ⁴ (56%)	3% ⁴ (3%)	30/1 ⁴ (30/1)	18-23 ⁴ (18-23)	N/A (N/A)	49% ⁴ (49%)	4% ⁴ (4%)

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- SAT and/or ACT not required by school for some or all applicants.
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- Data based on fewer than 51 percent of enrolled freshmen.
- Some or all data reported to the NCAA and/or the National Center for Education Statistics.
- Data reported to the Council for Aid to Education.
- Average graduation or freshman retention rates, given here for less than four years (not reported)
- Listed as Best Value School
- Listed as Large Debt at Graduation

Peers Identified for IPEDS Comparisons

Institution	Regional University Rank 2014 (2013 Rank)	Overall score 2014 (2013 score)	Peer assessment score 2014 (5.0=highest) (2013 score)	Average Freshmen Retention Rate 2014 (2013 Rate)	Average Graduation Retention Rate 2014 (2013)	% of classes under 20 2014 (2013)	% of classes over 50 2014 (2013)	Student-faculty ratio 2014 (2013 ratio)	SAT/ACT 25th-75th percentile	Freshmen in top 25% of HS class	Acceptance Rate 2014 (2013)	Average alumni giving rate
Auburn University at Montgomery (AL) [*]	South 84 (South 74)	37 (38)	2.8 (2.9)	56% (56%)	29% (28%)	54% (53%)	2% (2%)	15/1 (16/1)	18-22 (18-23)	43% (41%)	72% (74%)	N/A (2%)
Armstrong Atlantic State University (GA) [*]	2 nd Tier (Not Ranked)	N/A (N/A)	2.4	69% (69%)	31% (30%)	37% (33%)	6% (5%)	19/1 (19/1)	910-1090	N/A	70% (76%)	3%
Columbus State University (GA) [*]	South 92 (South 91)	35 (34)	2.6	68% (68%)	34% (32%)	40% (40%)	6% (6%)	19/1 (18/1)	910-1090	N/A	70% (56%)	3%
Georgia College & State University [*]	South 29 (South 30)	60 (56)	3.1	85% (84%)	57% (51%)	40% (37%)	5% (6%)	16/1 (17/1)	1060-1230	N/A	66% (70%)	5%
Jacksonville State University	South 2 nd Tier (South 74)	N/A (38)	2.7	68% (69%)	29% (33%)	39% (37%)	6% (7%)	18/1 (20/1)	19-26 ³	46%	82% (84%)	8%
McNeese State University (LA) [*]	South 92 (South 88)	35 (35)	2.5	68% (68%)	38% (36%)	39% (37%)	9% (8%)	21/1 (21/1)	20-24	43%	61% (69%)	7%
Nicholls State University [*]	South 2 nd Tier (South 95)	N/A (33)	2.5	69% (68%)	39% (35%)	36% (40%)	14% (13%)	20/1 (21/1)	19-23	40%	92% (84%)	7%
The University of Texas at Tyler [*]	West 66 (West 72)	31 (33)	2.9	64% (64%)	41% (36%)	35% (35%)	11% (11%)	16/1 (17/1)	960-1170	43% ⁵	80% (69%)	0.4% ⁷
University of North Alabama [*]	South 80 (South 59)	38 (44)	2.7	69% (68%)	32% (37%)	46% (38%)	3% (4%)	21/1 (22/1)	18-24	48% ⁴	79% (79%)	8%
University of North Carolina at Pembroke [*]	South 80 (South 80)	38 (37)	2.6	67% (68%)	34% (35%)	44% (67%)	2% (2%)	15/1 (15/1)	810-1010	0.35	72% (69%)	4%
University of South Florida-St. Petersburg Campus [*]	South 80 (South 67)	38 (39)	2.8	67% (70%)	33% (36%)	21% (16%)	14% (13%)	21/1 (22/1)	21-24 ³	56%	46% (44%)	6%
Western Carolina University (NC) [*]	South 39 (South 37)	54 (54)	3.0	74% (43%)	48% (51%)	28% (30%)	5% (4%)	15/1 (16/1)	940-1130	0.39	38% (39%)	6%
Winston-Salem State University (NC) [*]	South 62 (South 80)	45 (37)	2.5	78% (77%)	37% (37%)	47% (42%)	1% (1%)	13/1 (14/1)	840-960	35%	56% (57%)	6%

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