# State of the University Address Faculty and Staff Recognition



### Record Enrollment Last Fall



24 Average ACT
RECORD GPAs
Housing Sold Out

16,809 students



# Giving voice to students

on the University of Missouri Board of Curators.



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Win-Loss Record



Go! Tritons. Go!

### Academic All-GLVC Honors

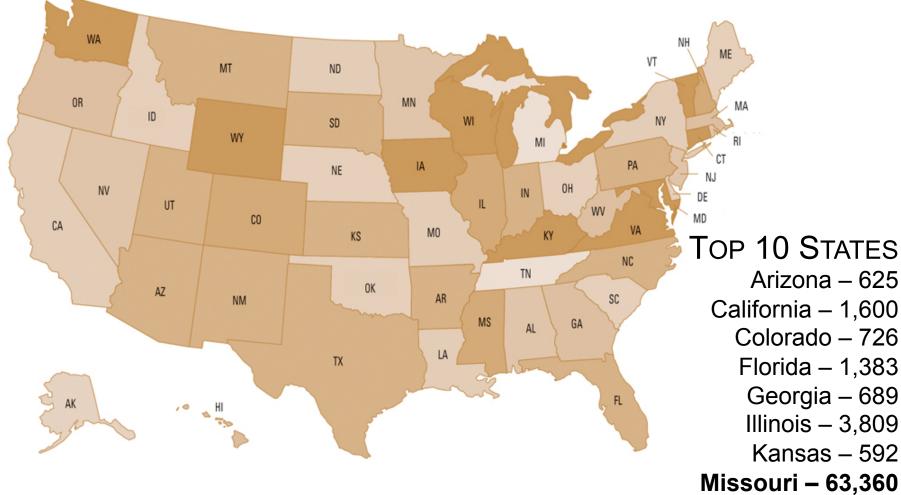


Outstanding Students.

INCREDIBLE ATHLETES.

# 88,000 Alumni

Everywhere but mostly here!



2013-2014 Issued 3,100 degrees & certificates Missouri - 63,360 Texas - 1,792 Virginia - 573 Baylor Syracuse William & Mary

**Boston College** 

Wake Forest

14<sup>TH</sup> NATIONALLY

## University of Missouri-St. Louis

Academic Analytics
high research classification

**UMASS-Boston** 

Alabama Auburn

Texas Tech

**CLEMSON** 

Binghamton

Fordham

George Mason

Kansas State

#### INDIVIDUAL PROGRAMS – Academic Analytics

# 12 Programs Rate in Top 50

Counselor Education

Information Systems

Criminology

Social Work

Philosophy

Finance

Accounting

Educational Psychology

Communication

Logistics & Operations

Applied Mathematics

Anthropology

Listeners and clickers enjoying **more** and **better** news content.



St. Louis Public Radio bucks national trend – doubles news team with addition of veterans journalists from St. Louis Beacon.

#### **GENEROUS DONORS**

# UMSL **sets record** in private gifts and pledges

\$31.2M

scholarships

research

public service

buildings

endowed positions

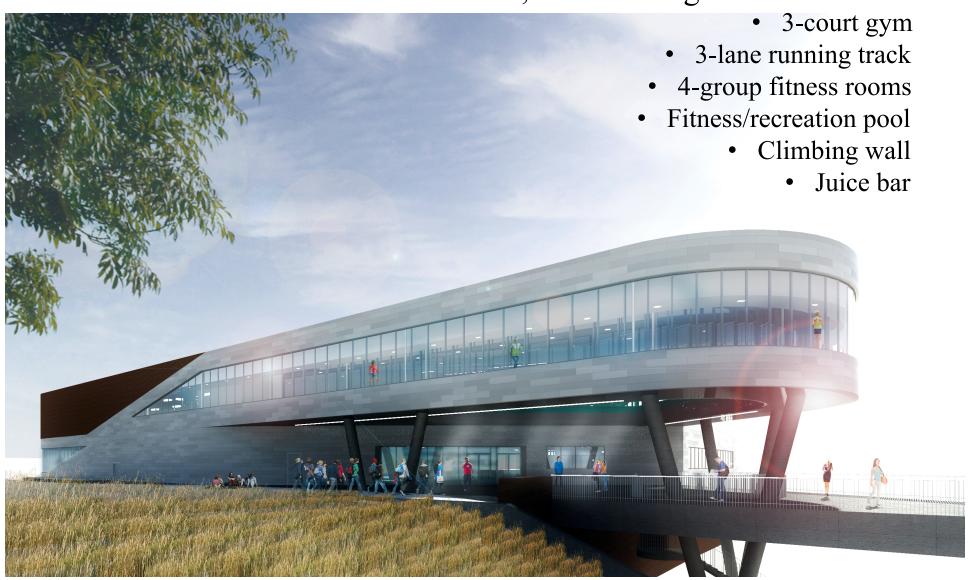
academic programs

Do you invest in yourself?

FACULTY AND STAFF DONORS

#### Recreation and Wellness Center

99,000 SF along Grobman Drive



# Science Learning Building

75,000 SF along Natural Bridge Road



# 2014-2015 Academic Year





# Top 17,000 Students?

Undergraduate enrollment up 1%
Graduate enrollment up 2.5%
Off-campus enrollment trending much higher

## **Quantity and Quality**

- 7% increase in incoming freshmen.
- 6% increase in campus-owned housing we're over-sold.
- Incoming freshman class has highest average ACT **EVER!**







# Best in Missouri – again!

- 16<sup>th</sup> among all universities nationally
  - 12 consecutive years in the Top 20



For second year running ...

**INSIGHTS** into Diversity Magazine

## UMSL Receives a Higher Education Excellence in Diversity Award

Recognizes universities that demonstrate an outstanding commitment to **diversity** and **inclusion**.



# Natural Bridge Road as a Great Street Roundabout-Community Plaza

Reduce Natural Bridge to two lanes

Dedicated bike lanes

Landscaped medians

# **Optometry Patient Care Center**

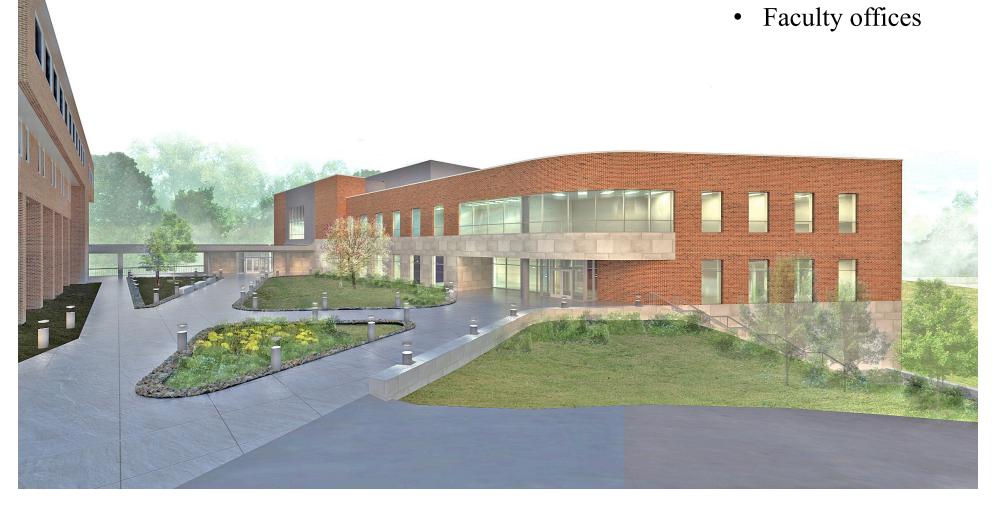
48,000 SF along Natural Bridge Road



## **Business Administration Building**

46,000 SF along West Drive

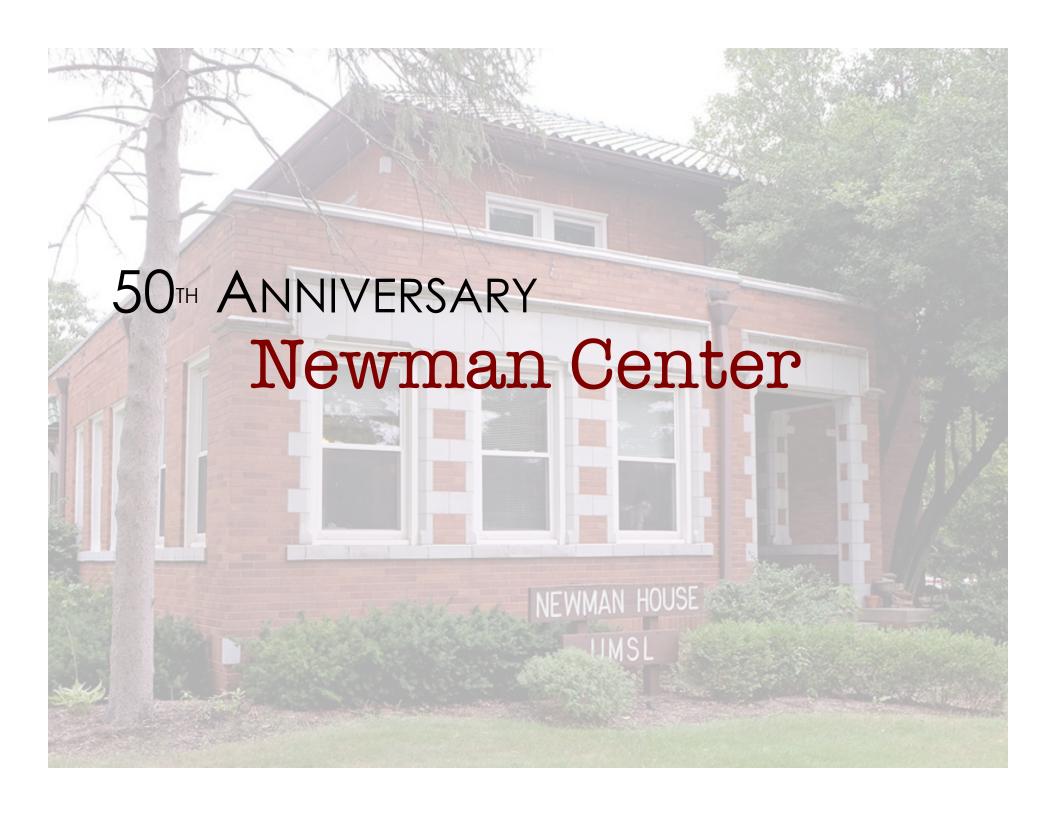
- Classroom/unique learning spaces
  - Social spaces/trading room

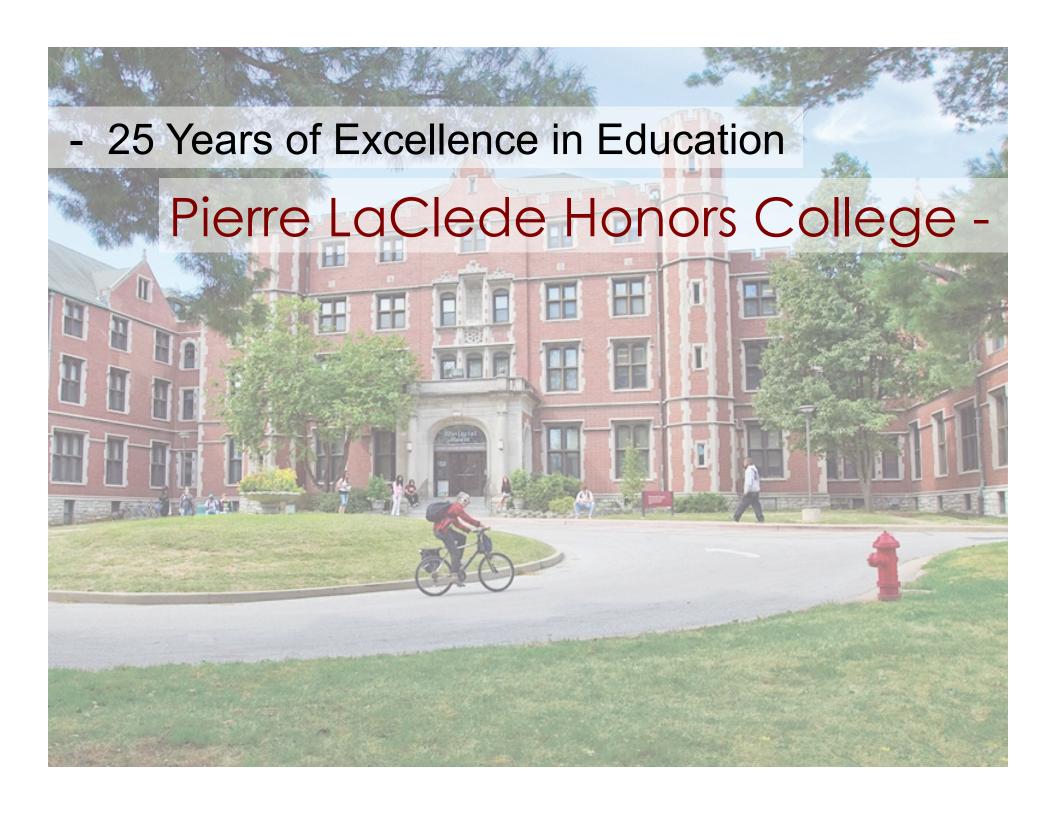


#### **State Budget**

University of Missouri System receiving 5% increase ...

... which translates into \$2.4M for UMSL.





# UMSL responds to Ferguson



Counseling Services -

Food Drives -

Forums -

Faculty Expertise -



UMSL serves as headquarters for Gov. Jay Nixon as he outlines state initiatives ...



UMSL professor to head state law enforcement

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