# The American University in Cairo AUC Profile: 2013 - 2014

# MISSION

The American University in Cairo (AUC) is a premier English-language institution of higher learning. The University is committed to teaching and research of the highest caliber, and offers exceptional liberal arts and professional education in a cross-cultural environment. AUC builds a culture of leadership, lifelong learning, continuing education and service among its graduates, and is dedicated to making significant contributions to Egypt and the international community in diverse fields. Chartered and accredited in the United States and Egypt, it is an independent, not-for-profit, equal-opportunity institution. AUC upholds the principles of academic freedom and is dedicated to excellence.

# INSTITUTIONAL ACCREDITATION AND AFFILIATIONS

The American University in Cairo was founded in 1919 by Americans devoted to education and service in the Middle East. AUC is licensed to grant degrees and is incorporated in the State of Delaware in the United States.

AUC is accredited in the United States by the Middle States Commission on Higher Education, 3624 Market Street, Philadelphia, PA 19104, tel 267.284.5000. On April 28, 2011, AUC became the first University in Egypt to be accredited by the National Authority for Quality Assurance and Accreditation of Education (NAQAAE), a government body formed in 2007 with the purpose of establishing quality standards for Egypt's educational institutions. Many of AUC's programs have received specialized accreditation.

AUC is governed by a Board of Trustees and is administered by a chief executive officer appointed by this board. Richard A. Bartlett is the chairman of the AUC Board of Trustees, and Lisa Anderson is the University president.

#### **INCOMING CLASS, FALL 2013**

## **Undergraduate Admission** Applicante

Thanawiya Amma Science International Baccalaureate

French Baccalaureate

Thanawiya Amma Arts

Abitur

Other

| Applicants   | 2,792 |
|--|-------|
| Admitted   | 1,345 |
| Enrolled   | 987   |
| % of applicants admitted (selectivity)                 | 48%   |
| % of admitted students enrolled (yield)                | 73%   |
| Incoming Class Profile by Secondary School Certificate |       |
| American Diploma                                       | 35%   |
| IGSCE / GCSE   | 29%   |

#### ACADEMIC PROGRAM ENROLLMENT, FALL 2013

Enrollment figures in the following tables are given by school; individuals with double majors are counted twice in their respective majors. Totals are given by headcount. AUC offers 36 undergraduate majors, 44 master's programs and two PhD programs.

| Degree-Seeking Students                     | Undergraduate | Graduate |
|---|---------------|----------|
| Graduate School of Education                | n/a           | 74       |
| Interdisciplinary Studies                   | n/a           | 23       |
| School of Business                          | 830           | 189      |
| School of Global Affairs and Public Policy  | 293           | 370      |
| School of Humanities and Social Sciences    | 613           | 285      |
| School of Sciences and Engineering          | 1,905         | 358      |
| Undeclared / Undergraduate                  | 1,829         | n/a      |
| Nondegree Students                          |               |          |
| Graduate Diplomas                           |               | 9        |
| Department of Arabic Language Instruction   |               | 28       |
| Other (study abroad and all others)         |               | 45       |
| Most Popular Undergraduate Majors by School |               |          |
| School of Business                          |               |          |
| Business Administration                     |               | 440      |
| Accounting                                  |               | 200      |
| Economics                                   |               | 169      |
| School of Global Affairs and Public Policy  |               |          |
| Integrated Marketing Communication          |               | 117      |
| Communication and Media Arts                |               | 95       |
| Multimedia Journalism                       |               | 57       |
| School of Humanities and Social Sciences    |               |          |
| Political Science                           |               | 274      |
| Psychology                                  |               | 92       |
| History                                     |               | 48       |
| School of Sciences and Engineering          |               |          |
| Mechanical Engineering                      |               | 423      |
| Construction Engineering                    |               | 330      |
| Architectural Engineering                   |               | 322      |
| Most Popular Graduate Programs by School    |               |          |
| Graduate School of Education                |               |          |

11%

9%

6% 3%

3% 4%

| Graduate School of Education               |     |
|--|-----|
| International and Comparative Education    | 74  |
| Interdisciplinary Studies                  |     |
| Sustainable Development                    | 23  |
| School of Business                         |     |
| Business Administration                    | 125 |
| Economics in International Development     | 28  |
| Economics                                  | 22  |
| School of Global Affairs and Public Policy |     |
| Public Administration                      | 58  |
| Journalism and Mass Communication          | 53  |
| Public Policy                              | 50  |
| School of Humanities and Social Sciences   |     |
| Political Science                          | 62  |
| Arabic Studies                             | 43  |
| Sociology-Anthropology                     | 34  |
| School of Sciences and Engineering         |     |
| Construction Engineering                   | 60  |
| Biotechnology                              | 48  |
| Computer Science                           | 42  |
|  |     |

| Students in Academic Programs     |
|-----------------------------------|
| Degree-seeking undergraduate stud |
| Degree-seeking graduate students  |

Degree-seeking undergraduate students

| Total degree-seeking students     | 6,562       |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Nondegree students                | 80          |
| Total academic students           | 6,642       |
| Attributes, All Academic Students |             |
| Gender                            |             |
| Male                              | 3,067 (46%) |
| Female                            | 3,575 (54%) |
| Nationality <sup>1</sup>          |             |
| Egyptian                          | 6,180 (93%) |
| Non-Egyptian                      | 462 (7%)    |
| Total                             | 6,642       |

5,295

1,267

505

# International Students

| Total international students    | 462 |
|---------------------------------|-----|
| Top countries                   |     |
| United States                   | 153 |
| Saudi Arabia                    | 41  |
| Jordan                          | 24  |
| Palestine                       | 24  |
| Canada                          | 18  |
| Number of countries represented | 57  |

# **Degrees Awarded**, 2012 - 2013

|  | Bachelors | wasters |
|--|-----------|---------|
| Graduate School of Education                 | n/a       | 14      |
| School of Business                           | 348       | 62      |
| School of Global Affairs and Public Policy   | 193       | 94      |
| School of Humanities and Social Sciences     | 193       | 73      |
| School of Sciences and Engineering           | 334       | 53      |
| Total degrees awarded                        | 1,068     | 296     |
| Retention and Graduation Rates               |           |         |
| First-year retention rate (Fall 2012 cohort) |           | 92%     |
| Six-year graduation rate (Fall 2007 cohort)  |           | 82%     |
|  |           |         |

# **FULL-TIME FACULTY, FALL 2013**

# **Full-time Faculty**

The data for total faculty includes administrators or staff members with faculty status, faculty on paid leave and those who replace them, as well as faculty in Libraries and Learning Technologies.

## **Faculty by Tenure Status**

Number of countries represented

| Tenured                             | 132 (26%) |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| Tenure track                        | 122 (24%) |
| Not on tenure track                 | 251 (50%) |
| Faculty by Gender                   |           |
| Male                                | 276 (55%) |
| Female                              | 229 (45%) |
| Faculty by Nationality <sup>1</sup> |           |
| American                            | 149 (30%) |
| Egyptian                            | 259 (51%) |
| Other                               | 97 (19%)  |
| Number of countries represented     | 29        |

# Faculty-to-Student Ratio

| Full-time teaching faculty (headcount)   | 423  |
|--|------|
| Part-time faculty (full-time equivalent) | 126  |
| Full-time equivalent faculty             | 549  |
| Faculty-to-student ratio                 | 1:12 |

## SCHOOL OF CONTINUING EDUCATION, 2012 - 2013

Enrollment figures in the following tables are given by headcount. Each individual is counted once, whether enrolled in one or more than one program during the fiscal year.

| Arabic and Translation              | 1,492  |
|-------------------------------------|--------|
| Business Studies                    | 3,501  |
| Computer and Information Technology | 371    |
| English Studies                     | 9,607  |
| Youth and Special Studies           | 1,637  |
| Total                               | 16,608 |

## School of Continuing Education, Student Attributes

| Gender                                 |                | Nation   | ality <sup>1</sup> |
|--|----------------|----------|--------------------|
| Male                                   | Female         | Egyptian | Non-Egyptian       |
| 58%                                    | 42%            | 93%      | 7%                 |
| <b>Educational Ba</b>                  | ackground      |          |                    |
| Below second                           | lary education |          | 14.3%              |
| Secondary ed                           | ucation        |          | 14.4%              |
| Bachelor of Arts / Bachelor of Science |                |          | 70.5%              |
| Master of Arts / Master of Science     |                |          | 0.7%               |
| Doctorate                              |                |          | 0.1%               |
|  |                |          |                    |

# ADDITIONAL UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

#### Library

| 673,103 |
|---------|
| 72,321  |
| 137     |
|         |

#### Sports and Athletics

| Number of athletic programs | 23 |
|-----------------------------|----|
|                             |    |

| 40 <sup>th</sup> National Universities Tournament, 2012 - 2013 | Medals |
|--|--------|
| Gold   | 13     |
| Silver   | 17     |
| Bronze   | 13     |
| Alumni   |        |

# **Physical Plant**

Number of active alumni

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|-------------------|-----------|
| AUC New Cairo     | 260 acres |
| AUC Tahrir Square | 9 acres   |

# **Research Centers**

- Access to Knowledge for Development Center (A2K4D)
- AUC Forum
- Center for Migration and Refugee Studies (CMRS)
- Center for Translation Studies (CTS)
- Cynthia Nelson Institute for Gender and Women's Studies (IGWS)
- Economic and Business History Research Center (EBHRC)
- El-Khazindar Business Research and Case Center (KCC)
- John D. Gerhart Center for Philanthropy and Civic Engagement
- . Middle East Studies Center (MESC)
- Prince Alwaleed Bin Talal Bin Abdulaziz Alsaud Center for American Studies and Research (CASAR)
- Research Institute for a Sustainable Environment (RISE)
- Social Research Center (SRC)
- Yousef Jameel Science and Technology Research Center (YJSTRC)

# **Professional Training**

- Citadel Capital Financial Services Center (CCFC)
- Engineering and Science Services (ESS)
- Global Affairs and Public Policy Executive Education
- Goldman Sachs 10,000 Women Entrepreneurship and Leadership Program
- International Executive Education Institute (IEEI)
- Kamal Adham Center for Television and Digital Journalism
- Management Center (MC)

# Operating Budget, 2013 - 20142

| Operating Expenses                | \$163,296,970 |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|
| Income                            |               |
| Academic program tuition          | 58.3%         |
| Endowment income and annual gifts | 17.0%         |
| Auxiliary enterprises             | 7.4%          |
| Educational enterprises           | 8.0%          |
| Research                          | 6.1%          |
| Miscellaneous                     | 3.2%          |
| Expenditures                      |               |
| Academic and academic support     | 19.3%         |

| 49.3% |
|-------|
| 18.3% |
| 9.9%  |
| 12.0% |
| 6.0%  |
| 2.8%  |
| 1.7%  |
|       |

| Endowment       | 2012 - 2013 <sup>3</sup> |
|-----------------|--------------------------|
| Endowment value | \$481,696,189            |

| Fundraising            | 2012 - 2013 <sup>3</sup> |
|------------------------|--------------------------|
| Total number of gifts  | 1,402                    |
| Total number of donors | 1,365                    |
| Total amount raised    | \$4,878,904              |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Primary nationality

34.719

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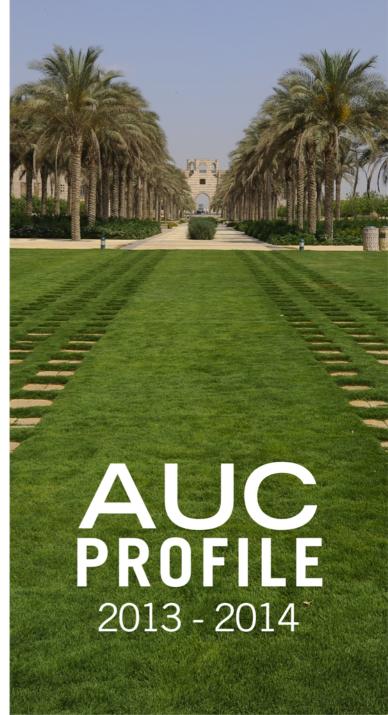
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> As of March 13, 2013

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Fiscal year 2013 is a 10-month period only (September 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013).