IT'S YOUR TIME TO SHINE
RISE AND SHINE

IT’S YOUR TIME.
WHETHER YOU’RE STILL CHOOSING A PATH, OR YOU KNOW EXACTLY WHAT LIES AHEAD, NKU WILL HELP LIGHT YOUR WAY.

IT’S YOUR TIME TO SHINE.

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STUDENT ENROLLMENT
15,000

MORE THAN 200
STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

70+ MAJORS
TO KINDLE YOUR PASSION

8 YEARS IN A ROW
AMERICA’S
BEST COLLEGES
FORBES

17 DIVISION I
ATHLETIC TEAMS

3 NATIONAL
CHAMPIONSHIPS

18:1 STUDENT TO
FACULTY RATIO
Irakoze Dieudone, a 20-year-old international studies junior with a minor in pre-law from Louisville, Kentucky came to Northern Kentucky University because he liked the idea of not being too far away from home. He’ll be a NKU R.O.C.K.S. mentor in the fall and will take on the role of president of the African Student Union. He credits his ability to jump in to the great experience he’s had with faculty and staff.

“I love working with faculty and staff who are open to help me at any given time and always pushing me towards a successful path,” he says. "The chance to interact with different students from all different walks of life has been a great experience for me, and being part of an organization like African Student Union gives me the time to open up to other students and showcase my African culture which is all supported by NKU. I've had an amazing experience at NKU, and I truly hope that our future students will enjoy and benefit from their time at NKU as much as I have.”
A LIGHT IN THE DARK

SOME STARS CAN SHINE IN ANY ENVIRONMENT.

BUT AT NKU, YOU HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO SHINE BRIGHTEST.

The Honors Program provides curious, motivated students the opportunity to become University Scholars with challenging courses and an independent capstone project.

TORI LENTZ
HOMETOWN: ANDERSON, OH
MAJOR: JOURNALISM

“The Honors program is special in that it allows you to focus your skills on topics and areas of study that you care about. I earned credit for working on significant, educational projects that were so enjoyable that they didn’t feel like work at all,” senior journalism major and Honors student Tori Lentz says.

The Anderson, Ohio, native recently created a documentary about heroin in the northern Kentucky region entitled, Addiction to Recovery: A Community Response to the Heroin Epidemic for her honors capstone project. The documentary takes a look at the rate of drug use in the region, how law enforcement and hospitals are coping with the problem, and how the citizens of northern Kentucky are advocating for change.

“The idea for this project came after I worked as a producer and researcher for the documentary Finding the Fix: Heroin’s Hold on the Heartland.”

honors.nku.edu
When Max Boyle first came to NKU, his plan was to go into biology. But the junior from Villa Hills, Kentucky, found his home in biochemistry during the spring semester of his freshman year when he joined a research group. His ultimate goal is to head to medical school with an interest in orthopedic surgery.

“I always had an interest in medicine, but once I got here it kind of solidified that idea a little more and helped me figure out what I wanted to do,” he says. “NKU helped point me in the right direction.”

While Max has been involved on campus as a Presidential Ambassador, the vice president of Alpha Tau Omega, and a College of Arts and Sciences Ambassador, his biggest interest is undergraduate research—something he has been able to proudly present with his name attached to it.

“Research is one of my favorite things to do,” Max says. “It ties into my schoolwork so well, and it’s something I enjoy doing and want to continue to do. Coming in as a freshman, I wasn’t expecting to do as much as I have so far. I never enjoyed challenging myself until I came here. NKU has given me so many opportunities, it’s unbelievable.”
Students with a creative business idea have the opportunity to bring their vision to life through NKU’s innovative INKUBATOR program.

The program, housed in the Haile/US Bank College of Business Center for Innovation and Entrepreneurship (CIE), helps give students the tools, guidance, and funding to create companies from the ground up.

Here’s how it works: Students and alumni who are interested in building a viable business model can apply to the program, which generally accepts six ideas per class. Once accepted, students have the chance to develop great connections, learn interpersonal skills, and market themselves and their business—the essential skills of being an entrepreneur.

INKUBATOR draws applications and participants from all of NKU’s colleges. The only prerequisite? That you’re passionate about your idea and can foster creative solutions to real challenges. Teams have specialized milestones and goals that, if reached, can earn them a grant up to $5,000 from the Haile/US Bank College of Business.

Mentorship is one of the biggest draws to the program, and many INKUBATOR graduates come back to guide students who are at the beginning stages of becoming an entrepreneur.

“The success of the INKUBATOR is a true testament to the ideas, the students and alumni, and the help we’ve had from mentors and NKU leadership,” says Zac Strobl, INKUBATOR co-founder and NKU alumnus. “They really have made it successful.”

Taylor Landrum didn’t ever think he would start his own business while he was still a college student.

But that didn’t stop the 24-year-old U.S. Air Force veteran and senior entrepreneurship major from Villa Hills, Kentucky, from launching Fur Sure Dog Care last May.

Fur Sure offers a mobile approach to dog care. Instead of clients taking their pets to a physical location, Taylor travels to each home to walk, brush, de-shed, bathe or trim nails.

“If it wasn’t for the entrepreneurship program at NKU, I would have never done this,” Taylor says. “NKU has helped make my business what it is, and it has given me the confidence and know-how to do what I’m doing.”

The animal lover didn’t become seriously interested in starting his own business until taking ENT 310, a new venture creation course, under the guidance of Dr. John Clarkin.

“Never be afraid to deviate from what you originally created. Own your idea like the business you want it to become,” he says. “And always be willing to move off that path and pivot in a different direction. Your destination will change—be resilient, versatile, and open to new ideas.”
In the fall of 2013, Dr. Jessica Taylor, an assistant professor of social work, noticed that something was wrong with one of her best students. The normally outgoing, positive, and participating student was missing class, assignments, and not caring about a grade. Taylor met with the student and it turned out there was a problem—the student was hungry.

“This entire project started with just one hungry student,” Taylor says. FUEL NKU (Feeding the University and Enriching Lives) and the NKU Food Bank were born. NKU Food Bank is a campus-based food bank, providing food to students and their families who are in need.

“Our NKU students have really been leaders on every step,” Taylor says. Now there is a permanent setup in the University Center where students can go if they need basic toiletry supplies or something to eat.

More than 100 students then gathered on campus to help raise donations for the pantry, including Amineh Abu-Rimileh, a 22-year-old social work student from Chicago who served as a FUEL NKU ambassador. “I was able to get the news to cover our flash mob event to raise awareness of hunger on campus,” she says. “I am humbled to see this amazing organization flourish. I was able to communicate with others the importance of this organization and spread awareness of campus hunger.”
Just try and catch up with Destany Martin. The 20-year-old nursing major from Columbus, Ohio, carries a 3.3 grade-point-average while managing an off-campus job at a call center and participating in Division I athletics in women’s track & field.

“There are a lot of times when I come back to my room after our 8 a.m. practices and I just want to fall asleep for the rest of the day,” Destany says. “But then I just snap back to reality, tell myself that I will be okay and get my day started.”

She runs the 100 hurdles, the 400 hurdles, and the 4X400 relay. In class, she really enjoys her developmental skills lab.

“In this class, you are taught how to perform certain procedures that you will do once you really go into the hospital,” she explains. “Not only do I actually enjoy doing it, but it also makes it easier for me to learn.”
THE FLICKER OF CREATIVITY MEETS THE SPARK OF INVENTION

THE COLLEGE OF INFORMATICS

What is informatics?

The point where human creativity meets communication and technology. Learn everything from protecting businesses from computer hackers to producing a highly advanced digital newscast. NKU’s College of Informatics – where YOUR future meets THE future.

The College of Informatics offers a 21st century perspective on the disciplines that have information at their core. We are home to the departments of Communication, Computer Science, and Business Informatics. Through the Center for Applied Informatics, our outreach arm, students have the opportunity to work with organizations on cutting-edge projects.

KYLE BALE
HOMETOWN: LEBANON, OH
MAJOR: DATA SCIENCE

Kyle Bale came to NKU because of the campus dynamic. “I chose NKU because it offers all of the luxuries of a large university but has the community of a small one,” he says.

The data science senior with computer science and business informatics minors from Lebanon, Ohio, has become a Presidential Ambassador, a Resident Assistant, and has been active in undergraduate research—now working alongside Dr. Abdullah Al-Bahrani in the College of Business.

Kyle recently entered into an internship this past summer doing data analysis and felt the experience was invaluable. “My career goal is to work and become successful in my field for a while,” he says, “And then I want to start my own business.”
At NKU, study abroad trips are life-changing experiences, but sometimes the lives changed don’t just belong to our students.

While so many students see the possibility of studying abroad as an adventure (a vacation), there are many who use their trips to earn practical skills for future jobs, or to help the indigenous people.

Ian Takaoka, an anthropology major from Hamilton, Ontario, traveled to Belize in June 2014 to help local farmers.

“We wanted to understand the obstacles and the agricultural issues for harvest,” he says. “In that way, if we understood the issues, we could help them make things better.”

Jozie Banas, a psychology and Spanish major from Grayson, Kentucky, traveled to Fiji in the summer of 2014 to study archaeology, the Fijian people, and the environmental changes of the area.

“We examined the origins of the people there and the ways in which their environment has changed,” Jozie says.

And Destiny Stewart, an accounting and finance major from Louisville, Kentucky, spent December 2014 in London.

“I spent my time learning the ABCs of international business,” Destiny says. “We immersed ourselves, and learned about the business of pubs. It was an adventure in foreign economics, and I ate Lebanese food for the first time.”
THE PATHWAYS TO YOUR CAREER

RESEARCH PROJECTS, STUDENT EMPLOYMENT AND CO-OP OR INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCES.

JUSTIN WYNNE
HOMETOWN: PADUCAH, KY
MAJOR: JOURNALISM | INTERNATIONAL STUDIES

There’s no doubt Justin Wynne (’16) was busy during his four years at NKU. The journalism and international studies major served as a member of the NKU Student Government Association, president of Alpha Tau Omega, member of the Order of Omega, and a Presidential Ambassador. During the 2015 general assembly, he interned for Kentucky Sen. Will Schroder.

On top of all that, Justin was in the Honors program and on the Dean’s list all four years at NKU. He even participated in the National Science Foundation Research Experience for Undergraduates in Fiji twice.

“Being able to play a role in NKU itself just makes the things you read about in a book or hear about in a lecture much more real and gives you perspective,” Justin says. “I think what I’ll miss the most is having an open network of people to be around.”

NATALIA WEEKLY
HOMETOWN: LOUISVILLE, KY
MAJOR: COUNSELING AND HUMAN SERVICES

It’s safe to say that Natalia Weekly (’16) made an impact during her time on campus. Natalia took on many leadership roles on campus—as a University 101 teaching assistant, a Presidential Ambassador, an orientation leader, a Northern Kentucky Leadership Institute co-director, a R.O.C.K.S. co-lead mentor, and Activities Programming Board president. She also volunteered on campus and in the community.

After graduation, the counseling and human services major packed up and headed to the University of North Carolina at Greensboro to pursue her master’s degree. But she’ll never forget where she started.

“NKU is home to me,” Natalia says. “I just can’t thank NKU enough for helping me grow as a leader, student, and person. I’m definitely not the same person I was in high school.”

TRAVIS “TJ” SCHUYLER
HOMETOWN: BUCKNER, KY
MAJOR: CHEMISTRY

If there’s one thing Travis “TJ” Schuyler (’16) loves, it’s science. TJ started out at NKU as a biology student on the pre-med track but switched to chemistry. He even added a physics minor to his curriculum during his junior year.

TJ’s biggest focus during his time at NKU was undergraduate research. He was the first NKU chemistry major to conduct research abroad at the Universitaire de Technologie in France. TJ’s research led him to multiple presentations at national chemistry conferences—something not too many undergraduates get to experience.

“I’m way beyond where I thought I would be,” TJ says. “You’d be amazed what you can accomplish if you believe in yourself. I wouldn’t have any of this if it wasn’t for Dr. Lagadic. She really invested a lot of time in me. It’s nice to have a faculty member who believes in you.”

APPLY knowledge outside the classroom.

DEMONSTRATE your work and think independently.

PREPARE for your future.
Light the Way for Others

Make a Difference.

There are countless ways to make an impact, whether it’s here at home or across the globe.

The Community
Join fellow students and participate in the annual Spring into Service event or volunteer for Service on Saturday.

The Region
Experience philanthropic work by signing up for one of several classes that take part in the Mayerson Student Philanthropy Project.

The World
Travel to exotic locales as part of an alternative spring break. Students have provided healthcare to community clinics in Mexico and refurbished schools in the Caribbean.

Other examples of making a difference include:

Earthineer, developed through the NKU INKUBATOR, has been called “Facebook for Farmers.” The business is a network designed exclusively for sustainable living and homesteading that allows members to socialize, find experts, and trade.

The Alpha Tau Omega brothers produced “Mardi Taus,” a charity event that raised nearly $31,000 for cancer research. It was an enjoyable party with an amazing result. Presenting the check to the hospital representatives resonated with many of those in the fraternity.

Service opportunities include:

NACU: For more than 10 years, students have been working with the NACU (Nurse Advocacy Center for the Underserved) Initiative, which provides healthcare in underserved communities. Volunteer nurses will provide health assessments and make appropriate referrals. Today, NACU has eight locations throughout Kenton and Boone counties.

ECOLOGICAL STEWARDSHIP INSTITUTE (ESI): The ESI enhances environmental literacy and stewardship on campus, the community, and regionally using a transdisciplinary approach. Each semester, ESI funds up to 20 NKU undergraduates to work on environmental research projects.
“Getting involved at NKU has helped create lifelong friends.”

“NKU student life has opened many doors for me.”

“Getting involved helped me come out of my shell.”

“I’ve never been to a place so diverse and welcoming.”

It’s easy to get involved with more than 200 student organizations.

aaps.nku.edu
latino.nku.edu
lgbtq.nku.edu
studentaffairs.nku.edu

YOUR TIME IN THE SUN
GET OUT THERE. GET INVOLVED.
Do something that lights you up every day.

NKU is a vibrant, healthy place to learn and live.

On a break from classes, chatting away at a corner table in Starbucks, Mariah reaches over to a loose tag on her twin sister Maya’s shirt and tucks it away from sight. It just goes to show they have each other’s back, even with the little things. Maya and Mariah Manson from Chaminade-Julienne High School in Dayton, Ohio, share just about everything, from each other’s jewelry, to their dorm room and the same birthday.

But that’s not all they share.

They have nearly perfect GPAs, and they’re both a part of organizations like NKU R.O.C.K.S., designed to help African American students navigate the transition to college. The program was a stepping-stone that helped the twins explore NKU’s resources and provided a support system to help them grow.

Not only did R.O.C.K.S. boost their confidence, it also gave them the tools for leadership, the ability to build and use networks on campus, and the skills for keeping a balanced schedule.

This led to their “what’s next” mentality. They felt the need to go further than just academics. They wanted to branch out and be a part of the Norse community.

“I think R.O.C.K.S. gave me confidence and support to be the very best I can be,” Maya says.
JOIN THE UPRISING

Championship athletics have returned to NKU AND THE NORSE ARE JUST GETTING WARMED UP.

After moving up to Division I athletics four years ago, NKU is one of 10 members of the Horizon League and is fully eligible to compete in NCAA postseason action.

Following a storied Division II tenure, the Norse have already begun to build a legacy at the Division I level. The men’s basketball team has faced some of the nation’s top programs, including Kentucky, North Carolina, Ohio State, West Virginia, Michigan, and Xavier.

The women’s basketball team has advanced to the Women’s Basketball Invitational postseason tournament four times, winning NKU’s first postseason game in 2014. Men’s cross country runner J.J. Webber became NKU’s first Division I conference champion when he claimed the medal at the Atlantic Sun Conference championships in 2013 (and he finished as A-Sun Runner of the Year). He repeated as champ a year later.

Just last year, women’s soccer player Macy Hamblin was named Horizon League Player of the Year as just a sophomore, and the women’s golf team placed two golfers in the top-five en route to a runner-up finish in the League Championship. NKU’s student-athletes excel both on the playing field and in the classroom, posting a program-record 3.24 GPA in each of the last two semesters.

“Having completed our four-year transition to Division I, we are excited to now be eligible for the NCAA Tournament in all sports,” NKU President Geoffrey Mearns said. “We are establishing strong rivalries throughout the Horizon League and are becoming a force to be reckoned with at the nation’s highest level of intercollegiate competition. The future of Norse athletics has never been brighter.”

NCAA DIVISION I

WOMEN:
- BASKETBALL
- CROSS COUNTRY
- GOLF
- SOFTBALL
- TENNIS
- TRACK & FIELD
- VOLLEYBALL

MEN:
- BASEBALL
- BASKETBALL
- CROSS COUNTRY
- GOLF
- SOCCER
- TENNIS
- TRACK & FIELD

SPIRIT GROUPS:
- CHEERLEADING
- NORSE FORCE
- DANCE TEAM
- PEP BAND

TAYLOR SNYDER
HOMETOWN: FT. MITCHELL, KY
MAJOR: ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE

Before she was setting volleyballs, Taylor Snyder was chasing numbers.

“I love math,” Taylor says. “I’ve always liked to save money and see what I can do with it.”

The setter for the women’s volleyball team knows her future job will have something to do with business and numbers, evident by her double-major in accounting and finance.

Taylor’s mom works in stock plan administration. “My mom would, for like a birthday gift, ask me, ‘do you want me to reinvest it in the stock market?’” The Newport Central Catholic High School graduate from Fort Mitchell, Kentucky, says. “She was joking around, but I think that’s what made me decide I want to do this.”
MAKE YOURSELF AT HOME

CAMPUS HOUSING IS YOUR HOME AWAY FROM HOME.

Residential life is more than just living close to class. It’s a place to call home, a place to make lifelong memories and friendships.

New students who live outside a reasonable commuting distance of the Northern Kentucky/Greater Cincinnati area are required to live on campus.

2016-17 ANNUAL ROOM RATES (FALL AND SPRING)*

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Residential meal plan annual rates* .... $3,440-3,750

*ALL RATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. MOST RESIDENTS ARE REQUIRED TO HAVE A MEAL PLAN.

See the floor plans. NKU offers six residence halls with traditional double, single rooms, and suites. housing.nku.edu

Looking for a quick, free way to get across campus? NKU offers three bike share locations: Callahan Hall, Student Union, and Norse Commons.

“My best memory was hanging out with my roommates and friends every night, doing homework, watching TV, and just waiting for whatever hilarity ensued. There was always something happening in our room, and we always just rolled with whatever adventure we could get ourselves into.”

BETHANY ELLEN
HOMETOWN: CLARKSVILLE, OH
MAJOR: PUBLIC RELATIONS | DOUBLE MINOR IN MARKETING AND JOURNALISM | CONCENTRATION IN THEATRE

“Living at NKU has given me the connections to get involved in so many organizations and activities.” says Bethany Ellen, a public relations major from Clarksville, Ohio. “It has helped me make the best friendships of my life. My roommates are my rocks and coming home to them every day has made each school year survivable.”

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**FRESHMAN APPLICANTS**

TO BE CONSIDERED FOR FRESHMAN ADMISSION TO NKU, you must apply for admission and submit the following credentials by published deadlines:

- **APPLY ONLINE** AT apply.nku.edu
- **A $40 (NONREFUNDABLE) APPLICATION FEE**
- **OFFICIAL HIGH-SCHOOL TRANSCRIPTS OR GED SCORES**
- **ACT OR SAT SCORES**

Once all credentials are received, your application for admission will be reviewed. The evaluation of your admissions credentials will focus on:

- High-school curriculum
- High-school GPA
- High-school class rank
- ACT composite and sub-scores in English, mathematics, and reading or SAT total (Combined mathematics and critical reading score) and sub-scores in writing, mathematics, and critical reading

To review our freshman general and selective program admission requirements, visit standards.nku.edu.

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**FINANCIAL AID & SCHOLARSHIPS**

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**SCHOLARSHIPS**

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**FRESHMAN SCHOLARSHIPS**

NKU’s merit-based scholarship program is designed to recognize academically outstanding and creatively talented students. NKU awards more than $6 million in academic scholarships each year to the incoming freshman class. The University awards scholarships to highly motivated students who demonstrate strong academic performance.

To be considered for academic scholarships students must:

- Apply for admission by February 15, 2017
- Submit the $40 application fee
- Submit their high school transcript(s)
- Submit any ACT or SAT scores
- Completing the FAFSA is highly recommended for maximum awards

There is not a separate scholarship application for general Northern Kentucky University academic scholarships. However, the following scholarships do require a separate application:

- **Educational Diversity Scholarship**
- **William H. Greaves and CINSAM Scholarships for STEM majors**
- **NKU Foundation Scholarships**

Visit scholarships.nku.edu for information on scholarship opportunities and any required supporting documents.

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**2016-17 UNDERGRADUATE TUITION**

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**INDIANA RATE**

$375

**OUT-OF-STATE/NON-RESIDENT RATE**

$750

**2017-18 NEW UNDERGRADUATE TUITION CATEGORIES**

- **In State/Resident**
- **Indiana Rate (Dearborn, Franklin, Jefferson, Ohio, Ripley and Switzerland counties)**
- **Out of State/Non-Resident**

**NKU TUITION INCENTIVE PROGRAM BEGINNING FALL 2017.**

This program will award at least $5,200 to students who reside in the following counties:

- Indiana residents of Dearborn, Franklin, Jefferson, Ohio, Ripley and Switzerland counties
- Students must be enrolled in undergraduate degree-seeking programs and may pursue their degree on a full- or part-time basis. This rate is renegotiated annually.

Tuition and housing rates are subject to change at any time as determined by the Kentucky Council on Postsecondary Education and NKU.

**2017-18 NEW UNDERGRADUATE TUITION CATEGORIES**

**2017-18 UNDERGRADUATE TUITION CATEGORIES**

- **Financial Aid** (FSAID) that can be obtained at financialaid.nku.edu.

If you have additional questions or concerns, please visit financialaid.nku.edu or contact us at ofa@nku.edu.

**HOW TO APPLY**

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**HOW DO I APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID?**

- Apply for federal, state and institutional aid programs by completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
- You are encouraged to complete the FAFSA online at www.fafsa.gov. You and your parents will need a copy of recent W2s and tax returns. A new FAFSA becomes available October 1 of every year.
- When completing the FAFSA, be sure to indicate the NKU school code #009275. The financial aid priority deadline is February 1, 2017.
- To complete the FAFSA online you will need a U.S. Department of Education Federal Student Aid ID (FSAID) that can be obtained at FAFSA.gov.

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