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David McSweeney

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2019 Enrollment
77
Pell Recipients
73
MAP Recipients
3,602
Alumni
16
Employees
53
Vendors

New Students

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Total Applications
- 149
Accepted
- 82
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New Students

- **184** Total Applications
- **131** Accepted
- **61** Enrolled

Degrees Conferred

- **40** Undergraduate
- **16** Graduate

NIU in House District 54

Thomas Morrison

167
2019 Enrollment

25
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Northern Illinois University Fast Facts

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• Commitment to affordability: NIU has held tuition flat for the past four academic years, offers the most affordable law school education in the state and awards more than $20 million in institutional aid to students each year. This institutional aid amount is anticipated to increase by $5 million in FY20 as a result of the AIM High program's implementation.

• Among a small percentage of public institutions designated as Innovation and Economic Prosperity Universities by the Association of Public and Land-grant Universities (APLU) — acknowledging NIU as a university working with public and private sector partners to support economic development.

• The most recent economic impact study conducted shows NIU’s impact on its region is $583 million annually, which is seven times the university’s state appropriation.

Profile of Students

Total Enrollment: 16,609
  Undergraduates: 12,131
  Graduate Students: 4,204
  Law Students: 274

More than 90% of our undergraduates received some sort of federal aid, with one-third of students receiving a MAP Grant.

Illinois residents: 89.5% of student population
Out-of-state: 5% of student population
International: 5.5% of student population

Alumni Network

245,000+ alumni of record, with 160,000+ living in Illinois.