

WILBERFORCE UNIVERSITY

Mission

The mission of Wilberforce University is to help our students identify and prepare for their respective purposes in life as global citizens by imparting knowledge, instilling discipline and inspiring lifelong learning through critical inquiry, personal and spiritual development and practical application.

Vision

“Wilberforce University will become ranked as a premier liberal arts University in the Midwest and the number one co-educational liberal arts University among HBCU’s, having an endowment of more than \$50,000,000 and a traditional undergraduate enrollment of 1,200 to 1,500 students.”

Core Values

Wilberforce University embodies six core values that undergird all decisions to accompanying the University’s mission:

Our Students

Our students are the center of our existence; respect, spiritual values and commitment to their educational success is our priority.

Religion

We are an African Methodist Episcopal Church University that believes in the Living God; we embrace Christian principles as our foundation.

Christian Principles

Ethics, integrity, and honesty, as exhibited in the Christ of Scripture, are an essential part of our spiritual growth and permit us to develop our relationships with God and one another.

Quality Education

We will provide a living-learning environment with excellent teaching and a challenging curriculum.

Social and Community Responsibility

We are devoted to serving our community through personal and institutional outreach consistent with our core values.

History and Tradition

We embrace and cherish our history and take responsibility for our future and for distinguishing ourselves through the 21st century and beyond.

Strategic Priorities

- Innovative, cutting edge, relevant Academic programs
- Robust, co-curricular programs that fully develop our students and prepare them to thrive
- Upgrade and adequately maintain residence halls, classrooms, offices and other University facilities
- Continuously improve business processes and employee capabilities across the University
- Brand the University and broaden its reputation
- Increase revenue streams to drive the university’s mission