

## Outreach to Michigan Students

University of Michigan-Dearborn is an inclusive, student-focused institution. We are committed to excellence in teaching, learning, research and scholarship, as well as access, affordability and metropolitan impact. Indicative of this impact is that 93% of University of Michigan-Dearborn undergraduate students were Michigan residents coming from 45 of the state's 83 counties during the 2016 Academic Year.

**K-12 and Community College Outreach.** With more than nine in ten of our students residing in Michigan, we focus on building relationships with high schools throughout the state of Michigan. Our admissions staff works with high school counselors and attends college fairs to discuss the high quality education UM-Dearborn provides along with scholarship opportunities. Our admissions team also discusses and encourages high school students to consider dual enrollment as an opportunity to earn college credit while attending high school. More information regarding dual enrollment can be found [here](#).

Additionally, with 41% of our undergraduate student population coming from a community college or another university, UM-Dearborn also has strong relationships at many of the state's community colleges. The university also offers an online [Transfer Hub](#) for thirteen area community colleges aimed at providing students with an easy transfer experience.

Finally, the College of Engineering and Computer Science houses the Office of Extended Learning and Outreach (ELO), which provides programs that seek to engage K12 students, educators, and the community with a variety of science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM) activities and professional development opportunities through programs and events; strategic, collaborative partnerships; and volunteer and mentor training. More information on the programs and events offered by the ELO can be found [here](#).

**Grants and Scholarships.** UM-Dearborn proudly offers thousands of scholarships each year to deserving students. Scholarships are awarded based on academic achievement, leadership, community service, financial need, special talents, or other criteria. Students are encouraged to actively research all scholarship opportunities that are applicable.

Freshman scholarship offers for Michigan residents are based on GPA at the time of admission and SAT/ACT scores for high school students applying for Winter 2017 through Summer 2018 semesters.

For more information please visit our scholarships page [here](#).

Students with at least 30 transferable credit hours or an Associate's Degree from a community college may be eligible for scholarships depending upon their transfer GPA calculated by the Office of Admissions and Orientation. Awards, now available at two levels, are based on academic achievement. More information on scholarships for transfer students, which ranges from \$3,000 to \$6,000, can be found [here](#).

