

ILLINOIS TECH

BY THE NUMBERS

In 1890 Illinois Institute of Technology was founded in order to lift up people of all backgrounds with education that would help them meet the needs of the age. Rankings based on the **United States Department of Education College Scorecard**, which offers the public access to **years of federal government data** on U.S. colleges and universities, show that 128 years on, Illinois Tech is fulfilling its mission.

#1 IN THE
CHICAGO REGION
Occupational Earnings Power
– The Brookings Institution

Occupational earnings power looks at the mid-career salaries of alumni in each occupation that they go into, regardless of whether that occupation is a high-paying field. According to Brookings, Illinois Tech alumni out-earn graduates in the same fields from every other Chicago-region university, including University of Chicago, Northwestern University, and University of Notre Dame.

#1 IN ILLINOIS
#32 IN THE NATION
– The Equality of Opportunity Project and *The New York Times*
**FOR LIFTING STUDENTS FROM FAMILIES IN
THE BOTTOM 20% OF INCOME TO THE TOP 20%**

#1 IN ILLINOIS
#56 IN THE NATION
20-YEAR MID-CAREER EARNINGS/ROI AFTER FINANCIAL AID
– PayScale

#2 IN THE NATION **FOR OVERALL UPWARD MOBILITY
AMONG HIGHLY SELECTIVE PRIVATE COLLEGES**
– The Equality of Opportunity Project and *The New York Times*

#1 IN ILLINOIS
#34 IN THE NATION
PRIVATE COLLEGE 20-YEAR MID-CAREER EARNINGS / ROI
– PayScale

#2 IN ILLINOIS
10-YEAR POST-COLLEGE EARNINGS
– *Crain's Chicago Business*,
The Equality of Opportunity Project,
and *The New York Times*

2.7% OF ILLINOIS TECH GRADS DEFAULT
Compared to the National Loan
Default Average of **11.3%**

#38 IN THE NATION
Best Value Schools 2018
National Universities
– *U.S. News & World Report*

AN EDUCATIONAL
BEST VALUE
– *The Princeton Review*,
Fiske Guide to Colleges,
Kiplinger's, *Money Magazine*

91 GREAT COLLEGES THAT GIVE
EVERY FRESHMAN A SCHOLARSHIP
– *Money Magazine*

30% of undergraduates are
**FEDERAL PELL
GRANT RECIPIENTS**
with serious financial need.

#1 IN THE NATION
FOR INTELLECTUAL
PROPERTY LAW
– *Law Street* on Chicago-Kent College of Law

One of the **FIRST AREA COLLEGES** to participate in the
CHICAGO STAR SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM
FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGE STUDENTS

#4 IN THE NATION
FOR TRIAL ADVOCACY
– *U.S. News & World Report*
on Chicago-Kent College of Law

#1 IN THE MIDWEST
#20 NATIONWIDE
BEST BACHELOR OF ARCHITECTURE PROGRAMS
– *DesignIntelligence*

#5 IN THE NATION
FOR FINANCE
– *The Financial Times*
on Stuart School of Business

One of the
“**200 MOST IMPORTANT WORKS
OF ARCHITECTURE** in the United States”
– The American Institute of Architects
on the Illinois Tech Mies Campus

S. R. CROWN HALL
designated a
NATIONAL HISTORIC LANDMARK
by the United States
Secretary of the Interior

**AMERICA'S MOST
BEAUTIFUL COLLEGE CAMPUSES**
– *Forbes*

\$2,760
AVERAGE ANNUAL OUT-OF-POCKET
tuition after scholarships and grants
paid by Illinois Tech undergraduates
from households earning
\$45,000 or less

Average First-Year Student
ACT Score, 2017:

28.3

Portion in the
Top 10% of H.S. Class, 2017:

56%

#38 CAMPUS ETHNIC
DIVERSITY
NATIONAL UNIVERSITIES
– *U.S. News & World Report*

THE **50** MOST UNDERRATED
COLLEGES IN AMERICA
– *Business Insider*