Campus Facts

- Ohio University Southern, celebrating 60 years, includes the four-building campus in Ironton, the Proctorville Center, the Ohio Horse Park in Franklin Furnace and the Child Development Center in Hanging Rock.
- 2,235 students enrolled in courses at Ohio University Southern
- 28.3% first generation college students
- 46% students receiving Pell Grants
- 66% traditional-age (18-25) students
- 34% non-traditional-age (over 25) students
- $33 million annual economic output
- Utilizing Ohio capital construction allocations for energy efficiency improvements, Ohio University Southern reduced its energy consumption by 14% (or $55,401 for fiscal year 2016) and its carbon emissions by 3.7% (over a one-year period with new improvements in operation for 6-months).

High Quality and Affordable Education

More than 30 associate/bachelor degree and certificate offerings.

Tuition-most affordable higher education institution in the Tri-State region.

Faculty Highlights

- An Ohio University Southern faculty member was selected as one of only five Ohio University Regional Higher Education faculty members to be a Collaborative Online International Learning (COIL) Fellow for the 2015-16 academic year.
- One faculty member was nominated as a candidate for the 2015-16 Ohio University Presidential Teacher Award, and two others received funding for a collaborative 2016 Kennedy Lecture Series Program.
- National Institute of Health Reutilization Program awarded an Ohio University Southern faculty member a grant for the donation of science equipment for our labs (chemistry and biology).
- Additionally, faculty are engaged in high-level scholarship as evidenced by regional, state, national and international conference presentations and publications in peer-reviewed journals and books.
Southern Points of Pride

Education Degree
- Ohio University Southern education graduates have a 100% job placement rate within six months of graduation.
- The program partners with local school districts to provide students with high-quality student teaching experiences.

Electronic Media Degree
- The Ironton campus is home to the Ohio University Southern Media Outreach, which includes an internet radio station, the Creativity Center and television station (that broadcasts to 45,000 households).
- In the past 12 months, six Electronic Media students have been hired by the number one television station in the market. Other students have found employment at Marathon Oil, local hospitals, production houses and at national organizations such as ESPN and the NFL.
- The Electronic Media department recently partnered with Ohio University Athletics, the Scripps School of Journalism and Media Arts and Studies to create a specialized video production program for the new ESPN3 initiative. Students will gain real-world experience producing 35 live athletic events during the 2016-17 academic year.

Nursing Degree
- The Ohio University Southern Nursing Department offers Associate (RN) and Bachelor (BSN) degrees.
- The program has graduated more than 600 nurses since 2005.
- Ohio University Southern nursing graduates have a 100% job placement rate within six months of graduation.
- The program partners with local healthcare facilities to provide students high-quality clinical experiences.
- Ohio University Southern graduates have a consistently high NCLEX-RN pass rate.

Equine Studies Degree
- The Ohio University Southern Equine Studies Degree was approved by the Professional Association of Therapeutic Horsemanship International (PATH) and the Certified Horsemanship Association (CHA).
- This program was one of only five universities approved to certify instructors by both PATH and CHA.
- The Ohio Horse Park is home to the Community Therapeutic Horsemanship Program which serves individuals with disabilities by providing them with the opportunity to interact with horses.
- The Equine Studies program attracts students nationwide.

Community Partnerships
- Ohio University Southern has five local higher education partners.
- The university maintains 17 local College Credit Plus partners (middle & high schools) with more than 200 middle and high school students participating in college courses.