

KING'S COLLEGE

WILKES-BARRE, PENNSYLVANIA



Valuable Futures

Excellent Results

As you select your school, the last thing on your mind is life after college. But at King's we begin working on your career the minute you arrive. We have the programs, the faculty, the resources and the reputation to provide you with an education that is valued by employers.

King's has a 99% career placement rate within six months of graduation. If you're interested in medicine or law and meet the requirements, we can guarantee placement in some of the most

competitive pre-professional programs in the country.

- For 18 straight years, King's has been ranked in the top tier of *U.S. News & World Report's* list of The Best Colleges in the United States.
- *Barron's Best Buys in College Education* selected King's among the nation's top colleges for its eleventh consecutive edition.

- *Forbes* ranked King's amongst the United States' best colleges and universities in its America's Best Colleges 2012 listing.
- *The Princeton Review* named King's "A Best in the Northeast" College in their "2013 Best Colleges: Region By Region."
- The American Association of Colleges and Universities Greater Expectations Initiative named King's as one of only 16 "Leadership Institutions" nationwide.



Supportive Environment

Always wanted to be a doctor? Is teaching your dream? Or are you like most incoming students who have no idea what you want to do with your life?

Regardless of where you're headed in your career, we will help you to develop the skills, build the confidence, and give you the experience you need to be a success. We will provide you with a four-year "laboratory" to try out new things in a supportive environment.

King's offers our students a cutting-edge program that connects you with faculty and career counseling professionals who guide you through a plan of learning.

Our process of advisement, skills development and preparation will help you to concentrate on the results of your education. Our internships and hands-on experiences will add substance to your résumé, which is what employers notice. Potential employers are attracted to our longstanding national academic reputation and our strong alumni mentors complete the team with their contacts, opportunities and enthusiasm.





Year One: Explore

During your first year, King's students are encouraged to explore a variety of subjects and engage in as many experiences as possible in order to discover their interests and skills. All students participate in the First Year Experience, a seminar series designed to aid in decision-making skills by engaging in discussions on a variety of topics related to college life. In addition, we recommend that students:

- **Get involved**—become active in student government, join an academic club or play a sport.
- **Volunteer**—community and service learning opportunities add a dimension of sharing and service that are essential to personal development.
- **Speak out**—presentation skills are critical so we encourage students to enhance their oral and written communication skills by participating in the performing arts or contributing to our student publications.

Brianna Jacobs, '12

“The size of the campus and the small classes made me feel more comfortable about making the transition from high school to college, and after meeting some professors, I knew King’s was the place for me. Throughout my college career, I was involved in many community service activities that help raise awareness for illnesses such as depression, muscular dystrophy, and individuals with multiple disabilities. Participating in these activities guided my career path and helped me to become more understanding, patient and a better person today.”

*DSP (Direct Service Professional)
St. Joseph Center, Scranton*

clubs & organizations



Gary Lambert Jr., '10

"I strived to be involved in as many aspects of campus life as possible but my greatest accomplishment was serving on Student Government for four years, two as President. This experience taught me many useful skills that prepared me well for the workplace, such as how to manage multiple projects at once and how to relate to others. I will always remember the values King's teaches because they can be used for a lifetime of success."

*Store Manager
McCarthy Tire*



Year Two: Experiment

Hands-on Research

Our small class and lab sizes provide early exposure to hands-on lab training, professional associations and scientific research, which is quite unusual at the undergraduate level. Unlike larger institutions, undergraduates participate in research programs as early as freshman year. Because all classes are taught by professors, not research assistants, students have the full attention of their professors who engage them in constant interactive discussions. Recent examples of research projects have had Biology majors generating and analyzing DNA and genetic information using a DNA sequencer, while Political Science majors analyzed political campaigns, neighborhoods, police and race relations.

Miles Hansen, '11

“Attending an accredited college was very important to me as it assures quality and that standards are being met. What secured my decision to attend King’s were the many hands-on learning opportunities offered. As an undergraduate, I had three internships and a hospital rotation shadowing a physician to learn more about caring for athletes. King’s gave me experiences that simulated the real world, which helped me transition with confidence into my professional field. I’m working as an athletic trainer and my plan is to continue gaining experiences and then attending graduate school to become a sports psychologist.”

*Certified Athletic Trainer,
Sleepy Hollow Physical Therapy*



Real-world Experiences

We believe that nothing prepares students better for a successful career than real-world experience. Our Career Planning office and faculty work closely with students to find a major that fits their skills and interests. Using the latest technology and equipment, students are encouraged to engage in activities they'd be called on to perform in their chosen field.

- For Athletic Training majors, this would be utilizing modern medical equipment on actual patients during first-year clinical internships.
- Education majors will practice the methods of teaching in the classroom as early as their sophomore year.
- Mass Communications majors shoot video, learn how to produce a newscast and learn the creative process at advertising agencies.

Every one of these activities enables our students to determine if they are on the right career track while making valuable connections with potential employers.

**Student/faculty ratio
of 14:1**

Kara Levandoski, '10

“I chose King’s because of the excellent reputation that the Physician Assistant program has. It was a wise investment in my future as it gave me a strong foundation in medicine and truly prepared me for my career. I did eight clinical rotations in which I worked alongside skilled healthcare providers in many areas of medicine. From these, I found what was most interesting to me and choose a career path while making many connections for my future. The value of a King’s education is priceless: it not only helps students reach their professional goals, but also instills values for life.”

*Physician Assistant
Wyoming Valley Heart Group*



Year Three: Experience

Internships

Internships help you hone skills and apply theories, gain professional work experience, prepare for graduate school and network in your chosen field.

Each year over 100 different job sites offer full or part-time internships in most majors.

In the past five years, more than 69% of King's students have received offers of either full-time employment, a part-time position or a second internship after completing their experience. We encourage our students to participate in at least one internship during their junior or senior year and will help you find these experiences locally, regionally, nationally and abroad.

John Ciuffo, '11

"King's provided networking events and internships which were priceless for starting my career. I was extremely impressed with the alumni that returned to help current students network for career opportunities. Through these connections, I obtained a summer internship and a position with PricewaterhouseCoopers (PwC), one of the 'big four' accounting firms. King's prepared me not only academically, but taught me to be professional above all else. With these skills, I began my career extremely confident in my abilities."

*Assurance Associate,
PricewaterhouseCoopers, New Jersey*



Study Abroad

Employers look with favor on students who have lived outside the U.S. since this demonstrates the ability to cope with new experiences and, in many cases, gain competency in a foreign language. Through our Study Abroad Program, which includes internships and student teaching, you will learn to live and work in other cultures. Students often cite this as a highlight of their college experience and just the thing for those who want an edge with employers.



Jacob Shook, '12

“I went to Peru to experience ecosystems firsthand. Walking in the rainforest at Los Amigos was something that not many people get to do and the highlight of my trip. Going to the Amazon jungle not only taught me about different cultures, but inspired my career path. While doing service on the trip, I became aware of those that are much less fortunate than us in the U.S. and decided to attend medical school to aid those with a lack of medical care.”

Student, The Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine

Year Four: Engage

Mentoring

King's alumni are a great resource for current students. Alumni forward thousands of job notices and résumés of graduating seniors and often provide informational interviews and job shadowing. They also participate in on-campus recruitment, job fairs and mentor students—either in person or through King's Career Connection, a valuable online resource.

99% placement rate in a career or graduate school within six months of graduation

Sarah McGrady, '08

“Internships are not only fantastic résumé builders, but they also serve as priceless opportunities to network and gain “real world” knowledge. I completed four internships while at King's, two of which were In Nashville. Through these experiences, I turned an interest in country music into my profession and pursued a career in the music business. King's provided an excellent environment for me to grow personally, professionally, and faithfully. To this day I remain in contact with many of my mentors and their support is a crucial component in who I am and who I have yet to become.”

*Manager of Strategic Partnerships
CMA, Country Music Association*



...and Excel

National Reputation

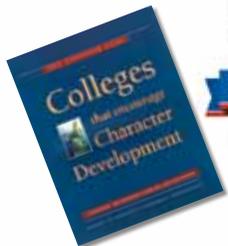
King's takes prides in our graduation rates—most students graduate in four years, getting you into the workplace ahead of your peers. As part of the senior year, students are brought into contact with potential employers who seek out King's students because of our reputation for excellence in education and preparation.

Our recruiters include national accounting firms, Fortune 100 and Fortune 500 companies, as well as numerous other organizations and agencies that provide excellent career opportunities. Through our alumni, on-campus recruiting and reputation, over 1,700 student/employer contacts are made annually.



NCATE

The Standard of Excellence
in Teacher Preparation



Tom Smith, '77

"I recruit at King's because I find candidates that are academically well-prepared to work in our organization and can immediately contribute to building shareholder wealth. King's students work extremely well in a team environment and have a strong work ethic."

*Vice President-
Corporate Audit,
Campbell Soup USA*



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