

ILLINOIS WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY

Fiscal Year Data			2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Magazine Edition Year			2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Overall Standing**			60	62	62	71	70
Overall Scores			61	60	63	63	60
Categories	Value*	11 vs. 10	Rank	Rank	Rank	Rank	Rank
Undergraduate Academic Reputation	22.5%	13 & 3	81	73	71 & 82	83 & 102	70 & 99
Faculty Resources	20%	-1	75	76	80	86	87
Graduation Rate & Retention	20%	-3	45	43	40	44	47
Selectivity	15%	2	49	51	52	58	56
Financial Resources	10%	-9	89	87	87	96	105
Alumni Giving	5%	2	146	150	153	147	145
Graduation Rate Performance	7.5%	60	93	145	111	151	91

Definitions and Notes - 1) * Value refers to the weight categories are given in the US News 2012 ranking formula. 2) ** IWU's rank amongst the 251 institutions rated in the liberal arts category in 2012. 3) Response rates - Peer Assessment = 44% (4,571); HS Counselor Assessment = 11% (2,613).

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Undergraduate Academic Reputation (2-year average for HS)			3.0	3.1	67 of 100	63 of 100	65 of 100
Peer Assessment (15%) & HS Counselor Assessment (7.5%)					3.1 & 3.8	2.9 & 3.6	3.1 & 3.6
Faculty Resources							
Classes < 20 (30%)			65%	64%	64%	66%	65%
Classes 50+ (10%)			1%	1%	1%	2%	2%
Percentage of full-time faculty (5%)			87%	87%	88%	87%	88%
Student - faculty ratio (5%)			11	11	11	11	11
Percentage of full-time faculty with a terminal degree (15%)			93%	94%	92%	91%	93%
Average faculty salary + benefits (35%)			\$92,728	\$94,064	\$93,731	\$93,181	\$95,608
Graduation Rate & Retention (4-year averages are used)							
First-year retention (20%)			92%	90%	93%	91%	91%
Six-year graduation rate (80%)			82%	83%	86%	81%	82%
Selectivity							
Average ACT (50%)			28	28	28	28	28
Percentage of students in top 10% of high school class (40%)			45%	45%	45%	44%	45%
Acceptance rate (10%)			57%	52%	54%	62%	61%
Financial Resources (2-year averages are used)							
Educational expenditures per FTE (instruction, research, public service, academic support, student services, institutional support)			\$26,970	\$29,445	\$27,181	\$27,628	\$27,943
Average Alumni Giving (2-year averages presented)			23%	22%	20%	19%	18%
Graduation Rate Performance							
Predicted rate versus actual rate			80%-82%	84%-83%	85%-86%	84%-81%	81%-82%
Difference			2	-1	1	-3	1

"To arrive at a school's rank, we first calculated the weighted sum of its scores. The final scores were rescaled so that the top school in each category received a value of 100, and the other schools' weighted scores were calculated as a proportion of that top score. Final scores for each ranked school were rounded to the nearest whole number and ranked in descending order. Schools that are tied at the same rank appear in alphabetical order."
(US News & World Report; 2012).