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# MEDIA EXPERT GUIDE



JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY





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## **ABOUT JSU:**

Located in the Appalachian foothills of Northeast Alabama, midway between Birmingham and Atlanta, Jacksonville State University was established in 1883 as a state teachers college and has grown into a public, comprehensive university that offers 95 academic programs and concentrations – including bachelor's, master's and doctoral degrees. The university is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC).

## **FOUNDED:**

1883

## **PRESIDENT:**

Dr. Don C. Killingsworth, Jr., Ed.D.

## **MASCOT:**

Gamecocks

## **MASCOT PERSONALITY:**

Cocky

## **COLORS:**

Red and White (Specifically, Pantone 200C and White)

## **MOTTO:**

“Exegi Monumentum Aere Perennius.”  
(I have reared a monument more enduring than bronze.)





## **JSU PEOPLE AS OF FALL 2022:**

**Undergraduate Students:** 8,311

**Graduate Students:** 1,322

**Total Students:** 9,633

**Faculty:** 350 (full-time)

**Staff:** 610 (full-time)

**Student/Faculty Ratio:** 19 to 1

**Alumni:** More than 74, Gamecocks are spread out across the globe in all 50 states and 136 countries.

## **ATHLETICS:**

The Gamecocks compete in baseball, softball, basketball, cross country, track and field, golf, football, rifle, tennis, soccer, volleyball and sand volleyball. The university is currently part of the ASUN Conference but will join Conference-USA in 2023 and begin competing in FBS football. Former Gamecocks have participated in the Olympics, won the Master's Tournament, and played in the NFL, NBA and MBA. Learn more at [www.jsugamecocksports.com](http://www.jsugamecocksports.com)

## **THE ARTS:**

Jacksonville State University enriches Northeast Alabama with arts and culture thanks to the talented faculty, staff and students of the College of Arts and Humanities. Through the David L. Walters Department of Music, the community enjoys numerous musical performances from ensembles including the JSU Gospel Choir, Jacksonville Opera Theatre, A Cappella Choir, Encore! Show Choir, Chamber Winds, Civic Symphony, Inferno Steel Drum Band, JSU Jazz and the world-renowned Marching Southerners. The Department of Art and Design is home to Longleaf Studios, an Emmy award winning film studio with the largest green screen in the state, and hosts numerous local and visiting art exhibitions. The Department of Theatre and Film presents mainstage theatre productions and film festivals while the Department of English hosts author talks and publishes a student literary journal, "Something Else." The university's arts programs are spotlight each April through the Kaleidoscope Festival of the Arts.





## **HISTORY:**

From modest beginnings, Jacksonville State University has evolved into the educational center of Northeast Alabama. The Alabama Legislature, in its 1882-83 session, created a state normal school when Governor Edward O'Neal signed into law a bill creating the school on February 22, 1883. Jacksonville State normal school acquired the facilities and equipment of Calhoun College, consisting of 12 acres of land and a two-story brick building. The Normal School remained in operation until 1930, when it became Jacksonville State Teachers College. Five years later, the college earned regional accreditation from the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. In 1957, the name again changed to Jacksonville State College when the first graduate program – the master's degree in elementary education – was created. On August 2, 1966, the State Board of Education was authorized to elevate the college to university status. On August 17, 1967, the legislature established an independent Board of Trustees for the university and divested jurisdiction from the State Board of Education.

## **ECONOMIC IMPACT:**

As of Fall 2018, the direct local expenditures of the university, faculty, staff, legacy students and retirees are approximately \$364.9 million. This amount is composed of \$27.7 million spent by faculty and staff, \$85.1 million spent by students, \$185.6 million spent by legacy students, \$8.1 million spent by retirees and \$58.4 million (excluding wages and salaries) spent by the university. The direct impact of \$364.9 million with a multiplier or re-spending impact results in a total of \$620 million total economic impact. The university employs more than 1,100 persons in various faculty and staff positions. In addition to these jobs, 13,000 jobs exist because of direct and indirect university-related spending. For additional data, access the JSU Fact Book online at [www.jsu.edu/ie/factbook](http://www.jsu.edu/ie/factbook).

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