

OUR VISION

Cincinnati Christian University exists to educate men and women to live by biblical principles and transformed lives, empowering them with character, skills, insight, and vision to advance the kingdom and impact society for Christ.

OUR MISSION

CCU is committed to providing a Christ-centered, liberal arts education taught with a Christian worldview in students' chosen field of study.



Transformation 2023

"Working Together to Position CCU for the Future"

Letter from the Trustees

CORE VALUES

- ◆ **FAITH** - rooted in biblical authority
- ◆ **INTEGRITY** - anchored in truth and Scripture
- ◆ **ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE**
- ◆ **ROBUST COMMUNITY EXPERIENCE**
- ◆ **CULTURAL ENGAGEMENT** - through transformed lives

UPCOMING

Come see us at the NACC
June 26-28, Booth #551

CCU Alumni & Friends Reception
Wednesday, June 27, 9:00 p.m.
Westin, Grand Ballroom 5

First day of fall semester
Monday, August 27

CCU Homecoming
Saturday, October 27
Reunion gatherings
CCU vs. KCU football game

This past school year at Cincinnati Christian University has been one of our most exciting in recent memory. Our trustees, faculty, staff, and alumni worked together to make the total CCU experience happen.

We have implemented an exciting Strategic Plan, Transformation 2023, that lays a foundation for the next 94 years while preserving the Core Values and DNA of the past 94 years of this great university.

As we continue building CCU for the future as a premier regional university for those seeking a robust on-campus experience, we extend our worldwide reach through our online degree offerings with over 70 degree programs available.

We have added new scholarships while maintaining low tuition rates and low student debt through financial awards. Our new joint venture with Point University allows CCU and Point to better compete in the marketplace. In addition to adding numerous degree programs at CCU, we have strengthened our biblical instruction for all students by requiring a minor in Bible, regardless of the major, to enhance their degree and to carry out CCU's vision, mission, and core values.

A few weeks ago, we all experienced God's presence as we graduated the class of 2018 during CCU's 94th annual commencement ceremonies. We are so proud of our graduates and their effect on advancing the kingdom. Along with the many degree programs, our ministry department remains strong and focused through the Russell School of Ministry, the Teaching Church program, and the Center for Church Leadership which recently held its annual Summit in Mason, Ohio, with over 1,000 in attendance.

In closing, as a valued and very much appreciated stakeholder, your continued prayers and financial support are needed. As a private Christian university, we depend on your contribution to train the men and women who enroll at CCU and will change the world.

Ron Heineman, CEO
Cincinnati Christian University

Chris Hahn, Chairman
Board of Trustees

Many of our undergrad students earn a bachelors in Psychology and serve as ministers, youth ministers, and counselors while others work in human resources, social services, communications, marketing, and law enforcement. Some continue their education to become licensed psychologists, counselors, and even social workers. The Master of Arts in Counseling (MAC) program prepares counselors with Christian philosophical foundations integrated with excellent professional skills. Meet a few students who will change the world with the education experienced at CCU.

BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE



Hulus Givan, Saginaw, MI (Class of 2020)

I am wholeheartedly pursuing a bachelors degree in Psychology. I heard about CCU by the grace of God. The Holy Spirit and my mother influenced me to come here. When I attain my degree, I will utilize it in the chemical dependency field and become a counselor for individuals struggling with substance abuse.



Hannah Barnes, Canton, OH (Class of 2020)

I'm a sophomore here at CCU, and I'm pursuing a Bachelor of Science degree in Psychology, with a concentration in Chemical Dependency Counseling and a Pre-Law certificate. I heard about CCU at International Conference on Missions (ICOM) when I was a sophomore in high school. I visited CCU once and just instantly felt at home and knew that this was the place for me. I plan to graduate in May of 2020, and after that I intend to go to law school. I want to make a positive difference in the legal system, and my background in psychology and chemical dependency, as well as pre-law, will help me to better understand the people I'll be working with.



Joseph Adby, Yorkshire, England (Class of 2018)

My degree is in Psychology with a concentration in Counseling. I heard about CCU when looking to find an exciting and upcoming soccer program with a strong counseling-focused psychology degree. Post graduation, I'll be working in West Palm Beach, Florida, within an international sports agency. I hope to volunteer within crisis/trauma centers to help those suffering. I also will be working with a Parkinson's UK charity in order to raise awareness for those who suffer with Parkinson's disease.



Judy Shelton, Kings Mills, OH (Class of 2018)

I graduated summa cum laude in May from CCU's School of Behavioral Sciences with a Psychology degree and a Counseling concentration, and in August I will begin my graduate studies in the Master of Arts in Counseling (MAC) program at CCU. God is calling me to the field of counseling, specifically working with those struggling with addictions, trauma, and abuse. I came to CCU as a non-traditional undergraduate (as I am old enough to be a mom to most of my classmates) with the idea of just getting my degree and not becoming involved in campus life, but with the encouragement of Dr. Jay Kidwell I formed the first ever Psychology Club here at CCU, and I am also a member of Golden Key Honor Society.

Six years ago my life was spiraling out of control, and I arrived at that moment where I needed nothing more than Jesus. From that day on I surrendered my life, will, and care to Him and began recovering from a life of abuse, trauma and addictions. It was then that I began wanting a college education, but not just from any college—I needed that faith piece as well, and the only logical choice for me was CCU.



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STATEMENT OF FAITH

The CCU Board of Trustees upholds and affirms the Statement of Faith Annually.

1. There is only one true God, revealed to us in the Old and New Testaments as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
2. The sixty-six books of the Old and New Testaments are fully inspired and without error and serve as God's only written Word.
3. Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, born of the virgin Mary, and He is in every way our only Savior.
4. Jesus lived a perfectly sinless life, died on the cross as an atonement for all people, and rose bodily from the grave to a state of immortality.
5. Jesus commissioned His Apostles and His church to present the gospel plan of salvation to every individual of every nation.
6. The only terms of salvation that we may proclaim are these expressed in the New Testament: faith, repentance, confession of faith in Jesus Christ, and baptism by immersion in water for the remission of sins and for the promised presence of the Holy Spirit.
7. The basis of unity of all believers is a commitment to the authority of the New Testament.
8. Jesus will one day return in visible form to judge all people according to their deeds and then accordingly issue either eternal blessedness in heaven or eternal suffering in hell.