

# NANOOK

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noun

1 : A derivation of the Inupiaq word for polar bear, nanuq.

2: Unpretentious, independent, approachable, grounded in reality and always game. Someone who eagerly draws in those around them for work, study and play. Trusted. Loyal. Refers to hearty individuals who are enlivened by the vast dynamic laboratory that is Alaska, where a sense of pride comes with everyday living. Those who live in a place that binds, drives, warms and transforms them, a place known as the University of Alaska Fairbanks.

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We acknowledge the Alaska Native nations on whose ancestral lands our campuses reside. In Fairbanks, our Troth Yeddha' Campus is located on the ancestral lands of the Dena people of the lower Tanana River.



# Nome Northwest Campus Fairbanks Troth Yeddha' Campus Community and Technical College Interior Alaska Campus Bethel Kuskokwim Campus Dillingham Bristol Bay Campus Ködiak

Where will your journey take you? How will you make use of nearly 24 hours of daylight in the summer, and the dancing aurora in the winter? Will you use it to uncover solutions to challenges small, global and everything in between? What will you find in the world after making friends with genuine, easygoing people in a place like no other?

Wilderness surrounds Fairbanks, yet highways, airlines, fiber and satellites firmly connect it to the world. So you can attend and earn your degree online from anywhere.

In Fairbanks, you'll find the Troth Yeddha' Campus, the UAF Community and Technical College, and the Interior Alaska Campus. Beyond, regional campuses serve Kotzebue, Bethel, Nome and Dillingham. Research sites can take you to Kodiak in the south, Juneau in the east and Toolik Lake above the Arctic Circle.

As you meet unique people across this landscape, you'll learn to see everything differently.

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or visit us virtually at <a href="https://www.uaf.edu/visit/">www.uaf.edu/visit/</a>

## A PLACE TO FIND YOURSELF.

# MOODY P. ART & PSYCHOLOGY DOUBLE MAJOR

In spring 2023, Moody sat in a UAF coffee shop, listening to the campus radio station playing on the café speakers. Suddenly, they had an idea.

Moody opened their laptop, hit a few keys and selected a song. Within moments, their own music choice filled the café, and Moody knew they were on to something. "I felt I was like in a hacker movie or something," they said.

It wasn't a hack, though. Moody chooses the music themselves often — they're the production director at KSUA, the student-run radio station at UAF. The station's modern, fully digital operation allows such remote control of the playlist.

Moody is an art and psychology double major, and both volunteered and worked as a DJ at the station for a few years before becoming production director.

Born and raised in Fairbanks, Moody enrolled at UAF after graduating from high school in 2016. But they took a break for a few years before coming back to finish their degrees.

"UAF is a pretty nontraditional school, there's people from all different stages in their life here," they said. "And IT'S HELPED ME FEEL, LIKE, NOT OUT OF PLACE HERE."



For more student stories visit www.uaf.edu/nanooknation/



# JAIDEN R. BIOLOGY MAJOR

Jaiden, who grew up in Fairbanks, has "never seen a real beach before." But even though she pondered Hawaii for college, she didn't feel the need.

"I JUST LOVE IT HERE SO MUCH THAT I DON'T
WANT TO GO ANYWHERE ELSE," she said while
sitting in the Murie Building's glass lobby on a bright
February day. "Like right now, it's really sunny
and you can see the mountain ranges from here."

The third-year UAF student, who homeschooled for her entire K-12 education, nevertheless sees broader horizons.

Building on a family connection to Germany, she has taken multiple courses in that nation's language.

She participates in the German Club and works as a teaching assistant for beginning classes.

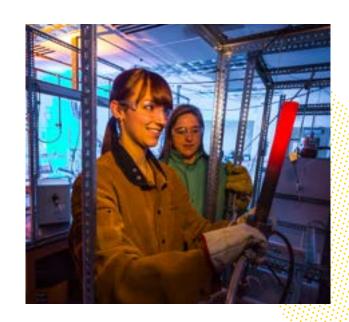
"I would really love to go to Germany. I've thought about going on an exchange," she said.

Jaiden also hopes to attend veterinary school, perhaps through UAF's program, after she earns her biology degree.

# FROM ACCOUNTING TO YUP'IK LANGUAGE AND CULTURE.

There's a program for you here, and myriad minors, majors, degrees and certificates for you to earn. Perform research alongside academic powerhouses. Find and explore your voice in the arts. Make even more of your military service. Here's where your intellectual journey gets good:

www.uaf.edu/academics/programs/



## LEARN BY LAND, SEA AND SPACE.

As one of a handful of universities to hold a triple designation as a Land, Sea and Space Grant institution, UAF offers you boundless research and experiences, as well as the eyes, ears and attention of the global scientific community.

www.uaf.edu/uaf/about/



## SO MUCH TO LEARN. SO MANY WAYS TO LEARN IT.

No matter the forecast, there's plenty going on outside the traditional classroom. Here are just a few highlights:

As an early innovator in distance-learning (Alaska is a big place, after all), the UAF eCampus experience is second to none.

#### www.ecampus.uaf.edu

Want even more out of your studies? UAF's Honors College is a close community of driven learners. Join its Climate Scholars Program to make a difference.

#### www.uaf.edu/honors/

There's no place like Alaska, but UAF's Study Away programs will show you there's much to be learned, researched and experienced everywhere else.

www.studyabroad.uaf.edu

# FINDING COMMUNITY AND COMBATING CLIMATE CHANGE.

#### RIVER S.

#### INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES MAJOR

Just days after his Navy discharge in June 2021, River was in Alaska, following up on his interest in visiting the state. He thought he would try out college for a semester.

Two years later, he has experienced far more of Alaska than he could have imagined.

"That's what's been cool about UAF," he said. "It's allowed me to see more of Alaska than I thought I would."

River, an interdisciplinary studies major, joined **UAF's Climate Scholars** Program. It offers undergraduates unique opportunities to get involved in research and learning related to climate change.

With scholarship funding and his own money, River has traveled across Alaska to towns and villages — Homer, Juneau, Elfin Cove, Nome, Utqiagvik and Circle. He's writing about his experiences for his Climate Scholars capstone project.

Often, he found a deep sense of community. "I was an outsider, and I would walk down the street, and they would be extremely nice to me, invite me in, offer to get me food," he said.

The idea of "coming together to fix any issue" seems a model for addressing a challenge like climate change, he said.

"I think that sometimes gets lost in other places in America - that community sense. I think you can find it in a lot of places in Alaska."

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#### **CLIMATE SCHOLARS PROGRAM**

UAF offers one-of-a-kind opportunities to impact climate policy, science and communities. If you want to make a difference, this is the place to be.

The Climate Scholars Program is for undergraduates, of any major, who are passionate about rapid environmental change and climate resiliency. We send you to every corner of Alaska, both to witness environmental change and to make a positive impact.





# **INCLUDE EVERYONE**

IN THE JOURNEY.

Not everyone's support system looks the same. Yours may be family or friends. It may not look anything like your classmates' support system either, and that's OK. That's why UAF provides students — and their support systems — with what's needed for success.

You'll find it all here: www.uaf.edu/family/

# MAKE IT YOUR OWN, MAKE IT HOME.

You'll find a wide-open range of residential options to meet you where you are with your studies, your budget and your individual needs. Single room or a shared apartment. Gender-inclusive options. Living-learning communities based on your interests or identities, such as engineering, honors, the outdoors and social justice.



#### READY TO FIND YOUR PEOPLE? JOIN THE CLUB.

UAF is home to more than 100 clubs and organizations, which, along with endless activities and events, are here to connect you with fellow Nanooks who share your interests. They'll help you study, explore identities, champion causes and, above all, forge friendships that you'll take with you forever.

#### Center for Student Engagement www.uaf.edu/woodcenter/

Follow the teams www.alaskananooks.com

Nanook Engage, for all activities and clubs www.engage.uaf.edu



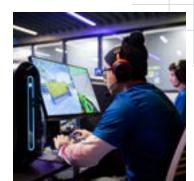
# FIND YOURSELF AT **AMERICA'S ARCTIC** UNIVERSITY

Become a member of the 40 Below Club (snap a photo at the temperature sign to join). Cheer on the reigning national champion UAF rifle team, or, if the ice is your place, the 11-time Governor's Cup champion Alaska Nanooks hockey team! With 10 different NCAA teams, there is sure to be a sport for you. Feeling active? Ski, run, bike or walk any of our 26 miles of trails on campus! Check out the recreation center, wreak havoc in the esports center or climb your choice of walls: indoor, outdoor or (weather permitting) ice covered!



Even when not on campus, there's a place for you here by way of virtual events, activities and clubs.

Check the Nanook Engage page www.engage.uaf.edu/events/







WHAT - AND WHO - WE'RE MADE OF

7,425

STUDENTS ENROLLED FROM 49 STATES AND 53 COUNTRIES

ESTABLISHED IN

**42 YEARS BEFORE** ALASKA BECAME A STATE

10:1

STUDENT-FACULTY RATIO

**61%** of incoming undergrads are first-time students.

**39%** are transfers.

**74**% of our students take at least one online course.

#### **UAF's most visited website**

is the Geophysical Institute's aurora forecast page, receiving over 2 million clicks annually.

www.gi.alaska.edu/monitors/aurora-forecast

OUR CAMPUS UNVIELDINGLY EMBRACES **DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION.** 

# 2,250 ACRES MAKE UP THE TROTH YEDDHA' CAMPUS

#### WHO WE ARE

Alaska Native/American Indian: 21%

Asian: 5%

Black: 4.4%

Caucasian: 57%

Hawaiian/Pacific Islander: 1.7%

Other/unspecified: 11.4%

Of all the above, 7.2% also identify as Hispanic

TOP FIVE home states of

all undergrad students:

Alaska, Washington, California, Florida and Texas

NCAA RIFLE Championships

97,515 RESIDENTS IN THE FAIRBANKS AREA

RESEARCH LAUNCHES SINCE 1969 AT WAF'S ROCKET RANGE

THAI RESTAURANTS IN FAIRBANKS AND COUNTING



See our latest recognitions:

www.uaf.edu/facts/rankings/

# MAKING UAF WORK FOR YOU AND YOUR FUTURE.

At the University of Alaska Fairbanks, we do everything in our power to keep costs low and to make your education worth more than you ever imagined. Take a look at the numbers — and the number of ways we help students manage.

	ALASKA Resident	NONRESIDENT	WUE*	ONLINE
NANNUAL TUITION & FEES BASED ON 30 CREDITS	\$10,710	\$28,470	\$15,570	\$10,710
HOUSING AND FOOD  BASED ON DOUBLE ROOM AND MEAL PLAN	\$11,290	\$11,290	\$11,290	\$0
NCLUDES TUITION, FEES, HOUSING AND FOOD Does not include textbooks,	\$22,000	\$39,760	\$26,860	\$10,710

\* Western Undergraduate Exchange. For more information, visit www.uaf.edu/wue/.

supplies, personal expenses

or transportation costs.

Please note: All costs are subject to change. Costs reflect classes taken at typical rates; online courses taken through UAF eCampus are charged at the resident tuition rate.

- Calculate the costs for yourself:
  - www.uaf.edu/finaid/costs/

# ONE APPLICATION, THAT'S IT.

When you apply to UAF, you are automatically considered for these scholarships.

The merit-based **Nanook Pledge** gives you four years of predictable financial assistance, with awards ranging from \$1,000 to \$12,000 per year. This allows you to focus on your top priority: academic success.

The Nanook Commitment scholarship helps you bridge the gap between what you can afford and the cost of attendance. It makes your plans possible.

If you're not an Alaska resident, the **Alaska Adventure Award** is your ticket to the awesome opportunities up North with awards of up to \$12,000 over four years.

\$4,200,000

AMOUNT AWARDED IN NANOO Scholarships every year

**HOW TO APPLY:** 

APPLY FOR ADMISSION TO UAF. (IT'S THAT EASY!)

#### FOR THOSE WHO'VE SERVED.

Military and veteran students, their spouses and their dependents are all eligible for in-state tuition. It's one of many ways that UAF honors and thanks service members.

#### MORE PATHS TO YOUR SUCCESS.

Even with our low tuition, everyone can use help paying for college. So there are grants, scholarships, student jobs, work-study and loans.

www.uaf.edu/finaid/





### **DEGREES AND PROGRAMS**

Text in blue indicates programs that are available fully online.

#### BACHELOR'S DEGREES

+ Accounting Alaska Native Language Alaska Native Studies

Anthropology

+ Applied Management Climate and Arctic Sustainability

- **+** Bachelor's Degree Completion
- # Biological Sciences
- **Business Administration** Chemistry

Civil Engineering

⊕ Communication

Computer Engineering Computer Science Electrical Engineering **Elementary Education** Engineering Enalish

Film and Performing Arts

# Fisheries

Fisheries and Marine Sciences Foreign Languages Geological Engineering Geoscience

History

# Homeland Security and **Emergency Management** 

+ Interdisciplinary Studies Inupiag Eskimo Japanese Studies Journalism: Science and the Environment

⊕ Justice

Linguistics Mathematics Mechanical Engineering Mining Engineering Music Natural Resources and Environment Petroleum Engineering

Philosophy Physics

+ Political Science

+ Psychology

Rural Development Secondary Education

+ Social Work

# Sport and Recreation Business

Wildlife Biology and Conservation Yup'ik Language and Culture

#### ASSOCIATE DEGREES

Allied Health

Applied Accounting

# Applied Business Apprenticeship Technologies

+ Associate of Arts

+ Associate of Science Aviation Maintenance

Community Health Construction Management Culinary Arts and Hospitality Dental Assistant

Child Development and Family Studies # Early Childhood Education

Fire Science General Program Human Services

+ Information Technology Specialist

Interdisciplinary Studies Medical Assistant Native Language Education

# Paralegal Studies

Paramedicine Process Technology Professional Piloting Tribal Governance Yup'ik Language Proficiency

#### CERTIFICATES AND LICENSURES

**#** Accounting Technician Airframe

Airframe and Powerplant

**+** Applied Business Management

Automotive Technology Baking and Pastry Arts Community Health Culinary Arts Dental Assistant Diesel/Heavy Equipment

Drafting Technology # Early Childhood Education

# Health Care Reimbursement High Latitude Range Management

# Information Technology Specialist Instrumentation Technology K-12 Art

Local Knowledge Educator Medical Assistant

+ Medical and Dental Reception

Medical Scribe Specialist Native Language Education Powerplant

Pre-Nursing Qualifications Rural Human Services Tribal Governance Yup'ik Language Proficiency

#### OCCUPATIONAL ENDORSEMENTS

**#** Administrative Assistant

Advanced Emergency Medical Technician Basic Carpentry

**+** Bookkeeping Technician

Computer Support Specialist + Content Creation

Cybersecurity Foundations Drafting Technology Entry-Level Welding Ethnobotany Facility Maintenance

- # Financial Services Representative High Latitude Range Management Homeland Security
- # Medical Billing
- # Medical Coding

**# Medical Office Reception** 

Medical Scribe Mining Mill Operations

**+** Nanny Caregiving

Nurse Aide Paramedic Academy Rural Surface Water Quality Testing Rural Waste Management and Spill Response

+ Supervision and Personnel

⊕ Management

Sustainable Energy Tribal Justice Wildland Fire Science Yup'ik Language Competency



#### UNDECIDED ABOUT YOUR MAJOR?

Apply anyway and select **Exploratory Studies** on the application.



Here at the University of Alaska Fairbanks, you'll master your fields of study, make lifelong friends, explore an environment like no other and contribute to research that will change lives everywhere.

The first step is yours.

Welcome to life at the top.



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