

Source: CUNY Census data. Headcount represents all students enrolled in the Fall 2024 semester (both degree and non-degree seeking)



Source: Data are from the IPEDS Human Resources Submission and include faculty and staff *Data active as of November 1 of the given year. Source

*Data represent graduation counts since 2018 Source: Lightcase Data's on CCNY Economic Impact Study 2024: https://www.ccny.cuny.edu/news/lightcast-report



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CCNY remains one of the leading research institutions in the U.S., according to the latest Carnegie Classifications of Institutions of Higher Education. The influential classifications are administered by the American Council on Education (ACE) and the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching. [Feb. 2025]

CCNY is a Fulbright HSI (Hispanic-Serving Institution) Leader for the fourth year running. Since 2021, the U.S. Department of State's Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs (ECA) has recognized select HSIs for their strong engagement with the Fulbright Program, the U.S. government's flagship international academic exchange program. [Nov. 2024]

CCNY's excellence for social mobility continues to earn recognition nationally. In the 2025 U.S. News & World Report Best Colleges rankings published today, CCNY is ranked #10 for social mobility in the National Universities category. [Sept. 2024]

CCNY is one of The Wall Street Journal and College Pulse's 2025 Best Colleges in the U.S. and also ranked #4 in best value. The best college rankings rate the top 500 universities in the country and was developed in collaboration with WSJ's research partners College Pulse and Statista. The rankings also include #21 in social mobility, #163 in student experience and #187 in best salaries. [Sept. 2024]

Overall RANK #109 out of 199,	Top 40 % out of 500	Rank #412 (Top 2%) out of 20,966
in Best Engineering Schools	America's Top	Best Universities Worldwide
nationally (U.S. News & World	Colleges	(Center for World University
Report, 2024)	(Forbes.com, 2025)	Rankings, 2024)
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ABOUT THE CITY COLLEGE OF NEW YORK

Since 1847, The City College of New York has provided a high-quality and affordable education to generations of New Yorkers in a wide variety of disciplines. CCNY embraces its position at the forefront of social change. It is ranked #1 by the Harvard-based Opportunity Insights out of 369 selective public colleges in the United States on the overall mobility index. This measure reflects both access and outcomes, representing the likelihood that a student at CCNY can move up two or more income quintiles. Education research organization Degree Choices ranks CCNY #1 nationally among universities for economic return on investment. In addition, the Center for World University Rankings places CCNY in the top 1.8% of universities worldwide in terms of academic excellence. Labor analytics firm Lightcast puts at \$3.2 billion CCNY's annual economic impact on the regional economy (5 boroughs and 5 adjacent counties) and quantifies the "for dollar" return on investment to students, taxpayers and society. At City College, more than 15,000 students pursue undergraduate and graduate degrees in eight schools and divisions, driven by significant funded research, creativity and scholarship. In 2023, CCNY launched its most expansive fundraising campaign, ever. The campaign, titled "Doing Remarkable Things Together" seeks to bring the College's Foundation to more than \$1 billion in total assets in support of the College mission. CCNY is as diverse, dynamic and visionary as New York City itself.