STUDENT INFORMATION
Total Headcount: 28,600
Undergraduate: 83%
Graduate: 17%
Women: 56%
Men: 44%
Resident: 84%
Non-Resident: 16%

ETHNICITIES
American Indian/Alaska Native: 0.2%
Asian: 15.1%
Black/African American: 7.5%
Hispanics of Any Race: 26.2%
Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander: 1.3%
White: 35.0%
Two or more races: 9.4%
Nonresident Alien: 3.9%
Unknown: 1.4%

57% of UNLV’s degree-seeking undergraduate students report being part of a racial or ethnic minority.

In 2014, students from 73 countries called UNLV home, with the largest percentage of international students originating from South Korea, China, and India.

32% of Undergraduate Students are low-income students

FACULTY INFORMATION
Total Faculty: 991
Women: 36.3%
Men: 63.7%
Minority: 24.8%

CAMPUS INFORMATION
President: Len Jessup
Founded: 1957
Identity: Public, coed

UNLV’s Top Tier Vision
By 2025, UNLV will be recognized as a top tier public university in research, education, and community impact.

CAMPUS CLIMATE
In 2014, UNLV retained nationally renowned diversity consultant Dr. Damon Williams to assist UNLV with its diversity planning process. He made his report available in March, 2015:

At the Crossroads:
UNLV Strategic Diversity Leadership Report

In July 2015, UNLV created an Office of Compliance and hired its first Director of Compliance, so that a single office will handle issues relating to EEO/AA, Title IX, ADA, Clery, VAWA, etc. Since then, they have hired two new investigators and an administrative assistant.

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In April 2013, the Executive Vice President and Provost initiated the Faculty Diversity Hiring Program, which requires the establishment of search pool goals and an evaluation of search pool demographics prior to search committee members gaining access to candidate files in academic faculty searches.

LEADERSHIP & DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES
In 2012, the Executive Vice President and Provost established the Leadership Development Academy, which is designed specifically to encourage and enable minorities and women to serve as fellows and receive high-level administrative experiences for a year.

The Academic Faculty Mentoring Program provides support and information with the aim of facilitating the professional success and satisfaction of all faculty.

The Graduate Faculty Fellows Program offers opportunities for faculty to work on special projects within the Graduate College.
**SPECIAL RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES**

UNLV has been designated a Minority Serving Institution (MSI) by the U.S. Department of Education and is now competing for grants under Title III & Title V of the Higher Education Act.

In March 2015, UNLV achieved the requirements for meeting the regulatory definition of a Hispanic-Serving Institution.

In August 2015, UNLV was awarded a $1.5M Title III Asian American Native American Pacific Islander-Serving Institutions (AANAPISI) Program Grant through the work of the Center for Academic Enrichment and Outreach.

UNLV is home to the American Indian Research and Education Center, which conducts community-based research, promotes educational and research opportunities for American Indian students, provides training and technical assistance, and serves as an informational resource for the campus community, tribal populations, and the general public.

The Oral History Research Center records eye-witness accounts from members of the Las Vegas community to document the history of Las Vegas and Southern Nevada, such as “Documenting the African American Experience in Las Vegas”

Newly approved in 2016, the Department of Interdisciplinary, Gender, and Ethnic Studies (IGES), which houses African American and African Diaspora Studies, Latina/o Studies, American Indian and Indigenous Studies, Asian Studies, and Gender and Sexuality Studies.

Other research centers and institutes of note at UNLV:

- Gayle A. Zeiter Literacy Development Center
- Saltman Center for Conflict Resolution
- Beverly Rogers, Carol C. Harter Black Mountain Institute
- The Lincy Institute
- Jean Nidetch Women’s Center
- Women’s Research Institute of Nevada
- Center for Multicultural Education
- Center for Democratic Culture
- Center for Health Disparities Research
- Center for Autism Spectrum Disorders

**COMMUNITY INFORMATION**

The Las Vegas valley is a major metropolitan area, home to large and diverse minority and ethnic populations, as well as a variety of cultural and multicultural events and opportunities.

*City of Las Vegas*: 603,488
*City of Henderson*: 270,811
*City of North Las Vegas*: 226,877

*Clark County*: 2.028 Million

Male: 50.4%
Female: 49.6%

American Indian/Alaska Native: 0.7%
Asian: 6.1%
Black: 11.1%
Hispanics of Any Race: 31.5%
White: 47.9%
Other race: 9.7%
Two or more races: 4.9%

18 and over: 67%
65 and over: 12%
Median age: 34.5

**Average Daily Temperature:**
Jan., 45.5° F
July, 91.1°F

Las Vegas Hottest day was on July 19, 2005: 117° F.

Las Vegas Coldest day was on January 13, 1963: 8° F.

An average of **300 sunshine days per year**