

THE GEOGRAPHY of UNITED METHODIST
EDUCATION in the UNITED STATES and PUERTO RICO

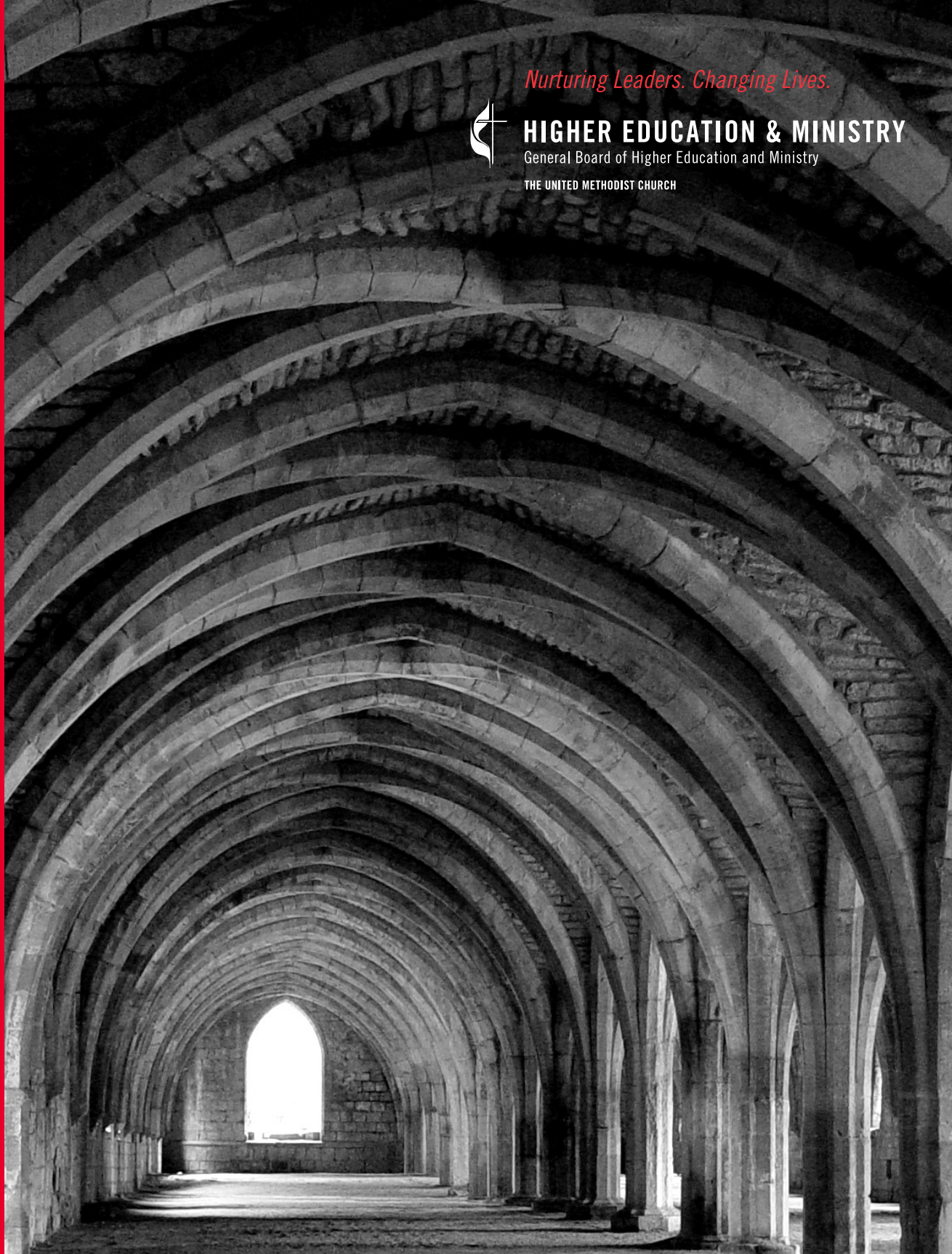


Nurturing Leaders. Changing Lives.

HIGHER EDUCATION & MINISTRY

General Board of Higher Education and Ministry

THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



2021

INSTITUTIONS BY JURISDICTION

WESTERN JURISDICTION

Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii,
Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Utah, Washington, Wyoming

1.

Alaska Pacific University: Anchorage, Alaska- www.alaskapacific.edu/
2.

***Claremont School of Theology:** Claremont, California- www.cst.edu/
3.

***Iliff School of Theology:** Denver, Colorado- www.iliff.edu/
4.

Rocky Mountain College: Billing, Montana- www.rocky.edu/
5.

University of Denver: Denver, Colorado- www.du.edu/
6.

University of the Pacific: Stockton, California- www.pacific.edu/
7.

University of Puget Sound: Tacoma, Washington- www.ups.edu/
8.

Willamette University: Salem, Oregon- www.willamette.edu/

NORTH CENTRAL JURISDICTION

Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Michigan, Minnesota
North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, Wisconsin

9.

Adrian College: Adrian, Michigan - www.adrian.edu
10.

Albion College: Albion, Michigan - www.albion.edu
11.

Cornell College: Mount Vernon, Iowa - www.cornellcollege.edu
12.

Dakota Wesleyan University: Mitchell, South Dakota - www.dwu.edu
13.

DePauw University: Greencastle, Indiana - www.depauw.edu
14.

***Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary:** Evanston, Illinois - www.garrett.edu
15.

Hamline University: St. Paul, Minnesota- www.hamline.edu
16.

Illinois Wesleyan University: Bloomington, Illinois-- www.iwu.edu
17.

Iowa Wesleyan University: Mount Pleasant, Iowa- www.iw.edu
18.

McKendree University: Lebanon, Illinois- www.mckendree.edu
19.

***Methodist Theological School in Ohio:** Delaware, Ohio- www.mtso.edu
20.

Morningside University: Sioux City, Iowa- www.morningside.edu
21.

North Central College: Naperville, Illinois- www.northcentralcollege.edu
22.

Ohio Northern University: Ada, Ohio- www.onu.edu
23.

Ohio Wesleyan University: Delaware, Ohio- www.owu.edu
24.

Otterbein University: Westerville, Ohio- www.otterbein.edu
25.

Simpson College: Indianola, Iowa- simpson.edu
26.

***United Theological Seminary:** Dayton, Ohio- www.unitedseminary.edu
27.

University of Evansville: Evansville, Indiana- www.evansville.edu
28.

University of Indianapolis: Indianapolis, Indiana- www.uindy.edu

SOUTH CENTRAL JURISDICTION

Arkansas, Kansas, Louisiana, Missouri, Nebraska
New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas

29.

Baker University: Baldwin City, Kansas- www.bakeru.edu
30.

Centenary College of Louisiana: Shreveport, Louisiana- www.centenary.edu
31.

Central Methodist University: Fayette, Missouri- www.centralmethodist.edu
32.

Dillard University: New Orleans, Louisiana- www.dillard.edu
33.

Hendrix College: Conway, Arkansas- www.hendrix.edu
34.

Huston-Tillotson University: Austin, Texas- www.htu.edu
35.

Kansas Wesleyan University: Salina, Kansas- www.kwu.edu
36.

****Lydia Patterson Institute:** El Paso, Texas- www.lpi-elpaso.org
37.

****McCurdy Charter School:** Española, New Mexico- www.mcsk12nm.org
38.

McMurry University: Abilene, Texas- www.mcm.edu
39.

Nebraska Methodist College: Omaha, Nebraska- www.methodistcollege.edu
40.

Nebraska Wesleyan University: Lincoln, Nebraska- www.nebrwesleyan.edu
41.

Oklahoma City University: Oklahoma City, Oklahoma- www.okcu.edu
42.

***Perkins School of Theology:** Dallas, Texas- www.smu.edu/PERKINS
43.

Philander Smith College: Little Rock, Arkansas- www.philander.edu
44.

Southern Methodist University: Dallas, Texas- www.smu.edu
45.

Southwestern College: Winfield, Kansas- www.sckans.edu
46.

Southwestern University: Georgetown, Texas- www.southwestern.edu
47.

***St. Paul School of Theology:** Overland, Kansas- www.spst.edu
48.

Texas Wesleyan University: Fort Worth, Texas- www.txwes.edu
49.

Wiley College: Marshall, Texas- www.wileyc.edu

SOUTHEASTERN JURISDICTION

Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, North Carolina,
South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia

50.

*****Andrew College:** Cuthbert, Georgia- www.andrewcollege.edu
51.

Bennett College: Greensboro, North Carolina- www.bennett.edu
52.

Bethune-Cookman University: Daytona Beach, Florida- www.cookman.edu
53.

Birmingham-Southern College: Birmingham, Alabama- www.bsc.edu
54.

Brevard College: Brevard, North Carolina- www.brevard.edu
55.

***Candler School of Theology:** Atlanta, Georgia- www.candler.emory.edu
56.

Clafin University: Orangeburg, South Carolina- www.clafin.edu
57.

Clark Atlanta University: Atlanta, Georgia- www.cau.edu
58.

Columbia College: Columbia, South Carolina- www.columbiasc.edu
59.

Duke University: Durham, North Carolina- www.duke.edu
60.

***Duke University, The Divinity School:** Durham, North Carolina
www.divinity.duke.edu
61.

Emory & Henry College: Emory, Virginia- www.ehc.edu
62.

Emory University: Atlanta, Georgia- www.emory.edu
63.

Ferrum College: Ferrum, Virginia- www.ferrum.edu u/
64.

Florida Southern College: Lakeland, Florida- www.flsouthern.edu
65.

***Gammon Theological Seminary:** Atlanta, Georgia- www.gammon-itc.org
66.

Greensboro College: Greensboro, North Carolina- www.greensboro.edu
67.

High Point University: High Point, North Carolina- www.highpoint.edu
68.

Huntingdon College: Montgomery, Alabama- www.huntingdon.edu
69.

Kentucky Wesleyan College: Owensboro, Kentucky- www.kwc.edu

70.

LaGrange College: LaGrange, Georgia- www.lagrange.edu/
71.

Lindsey Wilson College: Columbia, Kentucky- www.lindsey.edu/
72.

*****Louisburg College:** Louisburg, North Carolina- www.louisburg.edu/
73.

******Meharry Medical College:** Nashville, Tennessee- www.mmc.edu/
74.

Methodist University: Fayetteville, North Carolina- www.methodist.edu/
75.

Millsaps College: Jackson, Mississippi- www.millsaps.edu/
76.

North Carolina Wesleyan College: Rocky Mount, North Carolina- www.ncwc.edu/
77.

Paine College: Augusta, Georgia- www.paine.edu/
78.

Pfeiffer College: Misenheimer, North Carolina- www.pfeiffer.edu/
79.

Randolph-Macon College: Ashland, Virginia- www.rmc.edu
80.

****Randolph-Macon Academy:** Front Royal, Virginia- www.rma.edu/
81.

****Red Bird Christian School:** Beverly, Kentucky- www.redbirdchristianschool.org/
82.

Reinhardt University: Waleska, Georgia- www.reinhardt.edu/
83.

Rust College: Holly Springs, Mississippi- www.rustcollege.edu/
84.

Shenandoah University: Winchester, Virginia- www.su.edu/
85.

Spartanburg Methodist College: Spartanburg, South Carolina - www.smcs.edu
86.

Tennessee Wesleyan University: Athens, Tennessee- www.twcnet.edu/
87.

Union College: Barbourville, Kentucky- www.unionky.edu/
88.

Virginia Wesleyan University: Virginia Beach, Virginia- www.vwu.edu/
89.

Wesleyan College: Macon, Georgia- www.wesleyancollege.edu/
90.

Wofford College: Spartanburg, South Carolina- www.wofford.edu/
91.

Young Harris College: Young Harris, Georgia- www.yhc.edu

NORTHEASTERN JURISDICTION

Connecticut, District of Columbia, Delaware, Maine, Maryland,
Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York,
Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Vermont, West Virginia

92.

Albright College: Reading, Pennsylvania- www.albright.edu/home/
93.

Allegheny College: Meadville, Pennsylvania- www.allegheny.edu
94.

American University: Washington, D.C.- www.american.edu
95.

Boston University: Boston, Massachusetts- www.bu.edu
96.

***Boston University School of Theology:** Boston, Massachusetts- www.bu.edu/sth/
97.

Centenary University: Hackettstown, New Jersey- www.centenaryuniversity.edu
98.

Dickinson College: Carlisle, Pennsylvania- www.dickinson.edu
99.

Drew University: Madison, New Jersey- www.drew.edu/1/
100.

***Drew University: The Theological School:** Madison, New Jersey
www.drew.edu/theological-school/
101.

****Kents Hill School:** Kents Hill, Maine- www.kentshill.org
102.

Lebanon Valley College: Annville, Pennsylvania- www.lvc.edu
103.

Lycoming College: Williamsport, Pennsylvania- www.lycoming.edu
104.

Syracuse University: Syracuse, New York- www.syracuse.edu
105.

****The Pennington School:** Pennington, New Jersey- www.pennington.org
106.

***Wesley Theological Seminary:** Washington, D.C.- www.wesleyseminary.edu
107.

West Virginia Wesleyan College: Buckhannon, West Virginia- www.wvwc.edu
108.

****Wyoming Seminary College and Preparatory School:**
Kingston, Pennsylvania- www.wyomingseminary.org

PUERTO RICO

109.

****Robinson School:**
San Juan, Puerto Rico
www.robinsonschool.org

* Seminary, Theological or Divinity School

** Pre-collegiate School

***Two-year College

****Professional School

Professional Schools	1
Undergraduate 4-year	85
Undergraduate 2-year	2
Seminary, Theological/Divinity School	13
Pre-collegiate	8

Total	109
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The General Conference of 1820 recommended that all the annual conferences ‘...establish, as soon as practicable, literary institutions under their control.’ These earliest frontier colleges were started ‘...to give the key of knowledge to your children, and those of the poor...’ Literally hundreds of institutions were founded over the decades and centuries that followed and many of them still remain today. Among these are some of the best and most renowned colleges and universities in the world.

The Future of Global Methodist Education
Rev. Dr. Kah-Jin Jeffrey Kuan, President, Claremont School of Theology

The United Methodist Church’s commitment to education has been rooted historically in the vision and actions of the founder of the Methodist movement, John Wesley. Wesley encouraged intellectual development alongside spiritual growth and the pursuit of sanctification. He worked to connect ‘knowledge and vital piety,’ relate faith and reason, and educate the whole person in body, mind, and spirit.

The General Board of Higher Education and Ministry (GBHEM) is honored to be part of the historic tradition of an education-related denomination that continues to promote whole-person education. As The United Methodist Church approaches the crossroads of disruption and transformation, higher education remains secure in its ability to transform lives and help create an educated, responsible, empathetic society. The educational institutions affiliated with The United Methodist Church are among the finest in the world and contribute to the greater good of humanity and to the health and well-being of society. The vast expanse of Methodism’s educational footprint cannot be overstated. We give thanks for the unbounded, positive outcomes 109 UM-affiliated educational institutions have on our world.

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