Be unique
Be passionate
Be curious
Be different
**Be more**
**Be remarkable**
Be an athlete
Be a scholar
Be a leader
Be yourself

_Beloit College_
Don’t settle for a college that will prepare you to be competent.

Choose Beloit, where we’ll push you to be remarkable.
In today’s increasingly complex and ever-faster-changing world, you need an education that’s timeless. You need more than a linear path to one specialty. You need a well-rounded curriculum that will teach you lifelong skills in how to think critically and communicate effectively. You need to be surrounded by faculty and staff who not only care about what you love to discover, learn, experience, and pursue but who will also learn and ask questions right alongside you. You need an education that demands you put theory into practice and educators who recognize that they’re not done learning either and who will work with you to reshape that theory and solve real-world problems.

Why does Beloit’s intense dedication to mentorship and experiential learning matter? Because when you’re surrounded by mentors who truly care whether you live up to your potential, exercise your talents and apply your newfound skills to make a difference in your community—that’s how remarkable careers are made. The data proves it.

A 2015 Gallup-Purdue report found that graduates’ odds of being engaged at work and having an overall sense of well-being more than doubled if they had meaningful interactions with professors and had applied classroom learning to real-world problems. When Beloit’s class of 2016 was polled, 100% of seniors agreed that a “professor and staff person made them excited about learning” and 65% had a “mentor who encouraged them to pursue their goals and dreams.” We’re not too surprised by these results.

Since our founding in 1846, Beloit’s small class sizes and innovative curriculum have been designed (and redesigned) to foster individual students’ growth so that they thrive during their time at Beloit and well-beyond. Our 171-years-and-counting existence has been dedicated to making students into more than they could be anywhere else.
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We’ll help you build a résumé, not just a transcript.

Your skills will be in-demand because Beloit’s curriculum demands that you put your education into practice from your very first week of classes.

We believe that people learn by doing so that’s why all of our programs and campus resources are structured around ensuring that you have every opportunity imaginable to build a strong résumé.

Today’s employers are looking for graduates exactly like Beloiters: individuals who have learned how to …

- Make connections across disciplines
- Be self-directed in new learning
- Lead others from diverse backgrounds
- Think critically and creatively
- Test, reflect, and communicate well
- Extract meaning from information
The Liberal Arts in Practice Center (LAPC)

Committed to helping Beloiters build their résumés through real-world, firsthand experiences, LAPC helps connect Beloiters with hundreds of externships, internships, and field terms every year.

LAPC can help you...

- explore and decide on a major and career path.
- locate and secure a summer internship or research opportunity, as well apply for student project funding to help cover the costs.
- learn how to conduct a successful job search.
- develop professional behaviors needed for interviewing and networking.
- make connections with more than 3,000 Beloit alumni, parents and friends of the college through the Beloit Career Network.
- prepare for and apply to graduate school.

“I believe that field experience and the opportunity to learn first hand from knowledgeable and accomplished individuals in the field [...] is priceless in value.”
- Kaleb Lamar Pullam’19

Field Experience Grant Program and Venture Grants

Examples of student-designed projects:

- took an EMT course
- interned at the U.S. Embassy in Kyiv, Ukraine
- edited and published a compilation of poetry
- earned a scuba diving certification in anticipation of a study abroad experience in Australia studying marine biology
- worked at a locally owned brewery to gain supervisory and administrative experience in anticipation of starting a business
- interviewed environmentalists in Alaska in anticipation of an environmental studies major

Sophomore Shadow Program

(Job shadowing)

Sophomore students shadow alumni and friends of Beloit who are working in any number of sectors related to their interests, passions, and professional goals.

Courtney Bingham’19 worked as a social media coordinator at the Portland Children’s Museum in Oregon.

Research Opportunities

- Beloit Biomedical Scholars
- Beloit Summer Scholars
- McNair Scholars
- Independent Research Special Projects
- Research Experiences for Undergraduates
- Sanger Scholars

www.beloit.edu/summerprograms/research/
At Beloit, our faculty and staff will encourage you to think beyond picking and declaring a major and to ask yourself a more challenging question: What do you want to do in the world?

Any college or university will provide you with academic advisors and teachers who will help you navigate a course catalog and teach you academic lessons. At Beloit, we do more, to help you be more.

Our professors are not only rockstar scholars and teachers, but as our current students and alumni consistently report, Beloit faculty also often become mentors. Mentors who will care about who you are as a student and as a person. Who will push you to persevere when you hit a roadblock. Who will cheer you on when you accomplish your goals. Who will help equip you with the tools you need, so that you can get where you want to go. Who will inspire you to be remarkable.

What do you want to do in the world?

“The mentor really tries to figure out who you are as a person, what you value, and helps you reflect on where you want to go. They don’t give you the road map but help equip you with the tools so you can figure that out by yourself.”

- Paul Dionne, Inclusive Success Coordinator, Office of Academic Diversity and Inclusiveness

John Kaufmann, M.F.A.
Assistant Professor, Theatre, Dance and Media Studies Dept.

“It didn’t ever really occur to me that I was being mentored because John Kaufmann was—and will always be—a very dear friend. His energy was beyond infectious, and almost more than teaching me the curriculum at hand, he was always pushing and fueling the fire within me to work harder, think more critically, and better myself and my community.”

—Jishnu Guha’13

College graduates are almost 2x more likely to be engaged at work if they had a mentor who encouraged them to pursue their goals and dreams.

Gallup-Purdue Report 2014

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What Beloit grads have to say about their mentors

Nicole Truesdell, Ph.D.
Senior Director, Office of Academic Diversity and Inclusiveness (OADI)
Adjunct Assistant Professor, Critical Identity Studies Dept. (CRIS)

"Through her time and dedication to the McNair program, Dr. Truesdell helped me to realize my full potential and the important contributions that I could make towards academia. Even now as an alumna of Beloit, Dr. Truesdell still constantly helps me by providing support and feedback as I navigate conducting preliminary fieldwork for the first time as a sociocultural anthropologist. That is the definition of a lifetime mentor: someone who stays invested in the lives of her students, no matter where they are in the world or how many years ago they graduated."

—Karen Bauer’16

Kendra Schiffman, Ph.D.
Teaching Fellow, Sociology

"Analytically inclined and socially aware, Dr. Schiffman’s teaching style inspires students to learn as much as they can about social issues affecting communities around the world. Witnessing a professor deconstruct such complex [social] issues, she made the seemingly impossible seem achievable."

—CJ Clark’17

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Wondering how Beloit graduates are using their liberal arts degrees in the working world?

**Anthropology majors**
- Archives Technician, National Archives and Records Administration
- Food Finances Specialist VISTA, Partners for Active Living
- Historical Interpreter, Old World Wisconsin
- Match Support Specialist, Big Brothers Big Sisters of Metro Milwaukee
- English Language Teacher, Henan University
- Museum Collections Manager, Lafayette Historical Society

**Economics majors**
- Account Executive, Yelp, Inc.
- Asset Manager, Hendricks Commercial Properties
- Economic Development Specialist, American Samoa Dept. of Commerce
- Market Research Analyst, Kerry Ingredients and Flavours
- Private Equity Investments Manager, JAC Capital
- Securities Operations Specialist, U.S. Bank
- Supply Chain Analyst, Anixter
- 7th Grade Teacher, Shanghai Star River, Bilingual School

**Geology majors**
- Cave Surveyor and Data Manager, U.S. Department of the Interior
- Field Operations Supervisor, Pittsburgh Pirates
- Geologist, Brinkerhoff Environmental Services
- Lab Operations Technician, University of Wisconsin
- Paleontology Geodatabase Technician, U.S. Forest Service
- Restoration Ecologist, Rockford Park District

**Health & Society majors**
- Assistant Manager, Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Program, Food Corps
- Campus Health & Wellness Coordinator, Beloit College
- Financial and Administrative Associate, Institute of Medicine
- HIV & Substance Use Coordinator, Iowa Department of Public Health
- Leadership Program Coordinator, Autistic Self Advocacy Network
- NICU Nurse, Unity Point Meriter
- Project Manager, Epic Systems
- Women for PASEO Case Manager, Puerto Rican Cultural Center

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Helen Gillet’00 Jazz cellist
Helen Gillet is a noted jazz cellist whose many honors include a “Rising Star” designation by the influential jazz publication, Downbeat Magazine. The award-winning New Orleans-based musician has made a living writing and performing music since she finished her master’s degree in 2004. One job she hasn’t had is playing with traditional symphony orchestras. Instead, she’s delved into improvisation, looping, and playing her cello percussively—what she calls “taking the cello for a joy ride.”
Be involved

Senior Studio Art Exhibition
Each Spring, the Wright Art Museum of Art is filled with the works of senior studio art majors. The exhibition not only highlights students’ amazing artistic talent, but the show also completes a core part of the studio art curriculum. Since 1947, studio art majors have been required to orchestrate every aspect that goes into creating a professional gallery show.

What is campus life like?

With 1,000+ events on-campus per year, Beloit is a small campus with a big calendar.

The college frequently invites the world’s most exciting people—artists and activists, entrepreneurs and economic leaders, philosophers and politicians—to campus, where they give readings and lectures, lead workshops and panels and performances. Students regularly plan and produce festivals and concerts, lectures and symposia, gallery openings and service projects. In the course of one weekend, you could meet a Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist, attend a Buck sporting event, or watch your friend’s band play in C-Haus.

If you do feel the urge to get off-campus, the college is also conveniently located within walking distance of downtown and driving distance of three major cities—Madison, Milwaukee, and Chicago.

Advising Practicum
Each semester, the college dedicates a full-day to advising programming. Students attend workshops and sessions that help them reflect on their educational experiences thus far, and meet with their advisors to continue to map a plan for academics and activities at Beloit and beyond.

Beloit Residencies
Every year, the college welcomes as many as seven distinguished individuals to campus to perform or present, teach and work with students, engage with faculty, as well as live on campus.

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We have 100+ student-run clubs and organizations. Here’s a quick glimpse:

- Archery Club
- Astronomy Club
- Ballroom Dance Club
- Beloit Amnesty International
- Beloit Bike Club
- Beloit Contra Dance Club
- Beloit Cross-Disability Coalition
- Beloit Science Fiction Fantasy Association
- Black Students United
- Boggarts of Beloit Quidditch Team
- Chinese Club
- Fencing Club
- Green Team Club
- Interfaith Club
- InterVarsity Christian Fellowship
- Juggling Club
- Model United Nations
- Outdoor Environmental Club
- Pocket Lint (literary journal)
- Round Table (newspaper)
- Voces Latinas
- WBCR (radio station)
- Yoga Club

Intramural sports
Looking for a bit of friendly competition? Intramural sports offer you the opportunity to play organized sports in a fun, recreational atmosphere. Recent campus teams have included: 5-on-5 basketball, flag football, table tennis, indoor soccer, ultimate frisbee.

The Beloit Urban Garden (B.U.G.)
B.U.G. is an on-campus student-run garden that models sustainable farming practices and supplies fresh food to Bon Appetit, Beloit’s campus food service. All students are welcome to volunteer in the garden, regardless of previous gardening experience.

Chelonia Dance Company
Every February, Beloit dance students perform a concert in the Neese Performing Arts Center. Dancers perform a variety of dance styles, with works choreographed by students as well as faculty and guest artists. Pieces from Chelonia are also at the American College Dance Festival Association in the spring.

Choral and instrumental ensembles
- Beloit College and Community Choir
- Chamber Singers
- InterArts Ensemble
- Instruments
- Creative Strings Collective
- Wind Ensemble
- Jazz Ensemble
- NAME
- Introduction to Improvisation
- Chamber Music
Be competitive

Be a Beloit Buccaneer.

Women’s Sports
Basketball
Cross Country
Lacrosse
Soccer
Softball
Swimming & Diving
Tennis
Track & Field
Volleyball

Men’s Sports
Baseball
Basketball
Cross Country
Football
Lacrosse
Soccer
Swimming & Diving
Track & Field

NCAA D-III Teams
19

Total conference championships
57

Members of NCAA D-III
435

A proud tradition for over a century
1889
The Powerhouse
Scheduled to open in fall 2019.

The college is currently in the process of converting a decommissioned power plant along the nearby Rock River into “The Powerhouse.”

Designed by MacArthur Prize winning architect Jeanne Gang and her Studio Gang firm, the Powerhouse building will be a state-of-the-art, sustainable student union, recreation center, and athletics facility for Beloit students, faculty and staff.
Be a Beloiter

Be a Wisconsinite. Be proud of your college town.

Beloit may be in the middle of the ’No Coast,’ but it’s far from being in the middle of nowhere.

With a population of approximately 37,000, the city of Beloit is home to several multi-billion dollar companies, including ABC Supply Co, Kerry Ingredients & Flavours, and Regal Beloit Corporation. In an August 2017 article, the New York Times hailed Beloit as an up-and-coming ’mecca’ for tech startups, in reference to the number of tech companies that reside in a converted foundry building downtown.

Several Beloit College buildings are actually located in downtown Beloit’s central business district, namely the Turtle Creek bookstore, the Center for Entrepreneurship in Liberal Education at Beloit (CELEB), and the Hendricks Center for the Arts.

And while Beloit, Wisconsin, is a short distance from three major cities where students frequently intern and land their first jobs— in Madison, Milwaukee, and Chicago—a 2016 survey of graduates showed that more Beloiters are choosing to stay, work, and live in the area after graduation. Living just a quick trip from the coast of Lake Michigan has plenty of perks. Fly into Chicago (or Milwaukee or Madison) 70 mi. drive from Chicago’s O’Hare Airport We’re easy to get to by car, plane, train, or bus. www.beloit.edu/visitors/gettingtobeloit/
Great questions to ask students while on a college visit:

- Why did you choose to come to this college?
- Who is your biggest supporter/mentor on campus?
- What do you do when you’re not in class?
- How often do you travel home?
- What do you do on breaks when you don’t travel home?
- Do most of your professors know you by name?
- What’s the most challenging class you’ve taken?
- What’s your favorite place to eat, on campus? Off campus?
- What clubs and organizations are you part of?
- How often do you leave campus?

**BELOIT VISIT DAYS**

**Autumn Visit Days**

- Oct. 9, 2017
- Oct. 20, 2017

**Junior Visit Day**

- March 30, 2018

**Admitted Student Open Houses**

- February 18-19, 2017
- March 25-26, 2017
- April 15-16, 2017
- April 21, 2017

You can also schedule a personalized visit to campus, and design a visit experience that suits your needs and interests. Choose when you arrive. See the campus. Participate in classes. Meet Beloiters. Interact with current students over lunch or during an overnight visit. Tell us your goals, interests, experiences, and questions. Sense whether Beloit is the right fit for you.

**Middle College, home to the Admissions Office and the Office of the President**

The oldest college structure in continuous service northwest of Chicago, and a designated Wisconsin Historic Landmark.

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