



EducationUSA Canada Spotlights

La Roche College

In Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Located just 15 minutes from downtown Pittsburgh, La Roche provides a skills-driven education to prepare students for today's global economy. With a faculty of award-winning scholars, researchers, and industry-connected professionals, students receive quality instruction with a real-world approach within a small and supportive environment that allows students from around the world to grow and succeed.

Situated on more than 40 acres, La Roche's residential campus provides a vibrant community for more than 1,400 men and women. Student-life includes more than 30 [clubs and organizations](#), and 13 NCAA Div. III [athletic teams](#). Multicultural events, such as the annual GLOBE Fashion Show, promote the diverse student body that has been a characteristic of La Roche since its founding by the Sisters of Divine Providence in 1963.



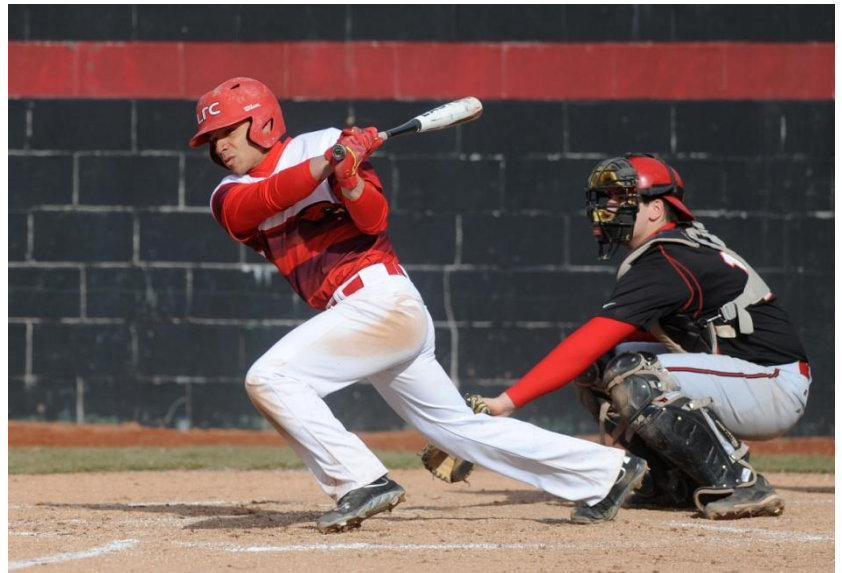
The College offers more than 50 [undergraduate majors](#) and six [graduate programs](#) in high-demand fields and creative disciplines. Class sizes are small, and a student-faculty ratio of 13:1 allows professors to provide one-on-one attention.

With a 20 percent international population, La Roche welcomes students of all religions, nationalities, and backgrounds, including students from 14 states and 30 countries. The [Office of Global Engagement](#) serves students through ongoing immigration advisement, orientation programs, and support services.

In 2013, the Institute of International Education listed La Roche as one of the top 25 baccalaureate colleges for international students. The college also was a recipient of the 2010 Senator Paul Simon Spotlight Award for Innovation in International Higher Education.

La Roche makes a quality education affordable by offering merit-based awards to full-time international students who qualify. Annual awards range in value from \$7,500 to \$14,000 and are renewable each year.

La Roche is also dedicated to facilitating and sponsoring student travel. The [Study Abroad + Study USA program](#), for example, is included in the cost of tuition and allows students to travel the U.S. or study abroad at little or no cost. Another unique program is [The Honors Institute](#), which offers extracurricular activities and independent research opportunities.



Learn more at laroche.edu or take a [virtual tour](#) of campus.