Drexel University is a comprehensive global R1 designated research institution that has maintained a reputation for academic excellence since its founding in 1891. The university positions students and faculty on the frontlines of innovation alongside experts tackling today’s most complex issues. Drexel boasts an environment of innovation, intellectual curiosity, and student achievement. Drexel grants bachelor’s, master’s, and doctoral degrees — as well as certificates — in a variety of programs, including over 20 accelerated degree programs. The university’s 2018–2019 total enrollment numbered over 18,000 full-time students, representing 46 states and 126 countries.

Combining world-class academics and real-world experience, Drexel’s interdisciplinary approach to experiential learning recognizes the importance of both academic and professional preparation. Students at Drexel gain experience in jobs related to their career interests by alternating classroom study with periods of work experience through Drexel’s cooperative education program (Drexel Co-op). Students can participate in up to three different co-ops, enabling them to balance classroom theory with practical,
invites qualified students to participate in faculty- mentored research projects in their chosen fields. Drexel’s constantly growing campus is located in the heart of Philadelphia, the nation’s sixth-largest city and first and only World Heritage City. With over 350 student organizations, there is an opportunity for everyone to get involved at Drexel. Students can also take part in performing arts groups in dance, theater, and music, and become civically engaged in leadership roles at the Lindy Center for Civic Engagement. More than 450 student-athletes compete in Drexel’s 18 Division I varsity athletic programs, and roughly 9,000 students, faculty, and staff participate in Drexel recreation programs.

Drexel brings an international dimension to university life through its academic programs, study and cooperative education abroad, major research projects, global classrooms, conferences, and cultural events. In recent years, Drexel has offered over 140 unique study abroad experiences and co-op opportunities in 38 countries. Drexel’s graduates are not only prepared to address the challenges of the future but are also making a difference with a focus on changing the world to be a better place.