LEARN. GROW. SUCCEED.

Shorter University’s exceptional academic programs, vibrant campus atmosphere, and Christ-centered community sets us apart from the rest. You’ll notice the difference.

DISCOVER WHO WE ARE

SHORTER UNIVERSITY IS RANKED A BEST SOUTHEASTERN COLLEGE BY THE PRINCETON REVIEW

RANKED AMONG THE SOUTH’S MOST BEAUTIFUL CHRISTIAN COLLEGES

STUDENTS REPRESENT

29 STATES
23 NATIONS

47% MALE 53% FEMALE
Shorter is more than a university; it's home. When I first arrived on campus, I could sense this was where God wanted me to be. Shorter has allowed me to grow intellectually and spiritually while gaining mentors and lifelong friends.

— Caleb Britt
Class of 2017 Communication Arts major
WE ARE INVESTED IN YOU

At Shorter, classes are taught by Christian faculty members who are well trained in their fields. Our professors hold the highest degrees in their field. They chose to teach at Shorter because they care about students and about sharing the love of Christ; it’s a difference you’ll notice from day one.
CHRIST-CENTERED ENVIRONMENT

Shorter University offers a liberal arts education in a Christ-centered environment. You’ll discover how Christian faith connects with your area of study and gain valuable insights into your personal calling as our professors prepare you for your career.

CONNECT WITH THE WORLD

Tour South Africa with the Shorter Chorale, participate in a mission project in Haiti, or spend a semester studying abroad in Africa, Asia, Australia, Europe or South America. These opportunities and more are waiting for you at Shorter. Our students have many ways to develop global citizenship through international experiences while growing academically and spiritually.

STARTING OUT RIGHT

The Office of Student Engagement and Success coordinates First Year Seminars for all freshmen. The staff is here to make sure you have what it takes to succeed throughout your time at Shorter University.

I picked Shorter because I really liked the science department. When I came for a visit during a Preview Day, I enjoyed meeting the science faculty. I felt like I could get a really good one-on-one education at Shorter, which I did.

— HANNAH TURNER
Graduated with Degree in Biology
Attending Medical School at University of Alabama at Birmingham
COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES

The College of Arts & Sciences offers over 25 majors and houses the Honors Academy. The college has won several awards for its literary magazine, video/film production, newspaper, and yearbook and has consistently beat the national average for students getting into medical school. The college’s faculty publishes on topics ranging from poetry to science to history to criminal justice. Students have earned recognition as members of Alpha Chi National Honor Society, for which the Shorter chapter has earned Star Status several years running.

ROBERT H. LEDBETTER COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

The Ledbetter College of Business houses more than one quarter of Shorter’s traditional student population. Several high-profile majors form a firm academic foundation for entry into the workforce. Our faculty have real-world experience and are there to offer individualized attention along with experiential learning opportunities. The college houses the Hopkins Institute for Business Ethics, which offers instruction in ethical decision making and ethics competitions for Shorter business majors.

SCHOOL OF CHRISTIAN STUDIES

The School of Christian Studies exists to train servant leaders for worldwide ministry through biblical scholarship, evangelism, spiritual growth, and Christian service in order to fulfill the Great Commission of Jesus Christ (Matthew 28:18-20). Our Christian Studies and Youth Ministry programs are designed primarily to provide a foundation for ministry and a stepping stone to specialization at the seminary/graduate level.

OUR HIGHLY QUALIFIED FACULTY...

are dedicated to giving you individualized attention to help you acquire scholarship and develop spiritual judgment to succeed.
A DISTINCTION THAT MATTERS
Shorter University faculty view their responsibilities as ministry, rather than a job or profession. They seek to prepare you to fulfill your calling, not just find a career.

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
True to the Christ-centered mission of Shorter University, the School of Education prepares teachers to think “Learners First.” Our mission is to provide exemplary classroom and field experiences for teacher candidates so that they may become successful educators. Majors include Early Childhood Education, Middle Grades Education, History Education, English Education, Music Education, and Mathematics Education.

SCHOOL OF FINE & PERFORMING ARTS
The School of Fine and Performing Arts at Shorter University is one of the finest arts schools in the Southeast. Our programs have helped create successful and internationally recognized musicians, actors, and artists. Our art, music, and theatre departments enjoy a low student-to-faculty ratio, offering students a conservatory-style education rooted in the liberal arts. Performance opportunities abound, beginning as early as the freshman year.

BEN AND OLLIE BRADY SCHOOL OF NURSING
Shorter’s Brady School of Nursing provides students with a unique learning environment focused on meeting identified professional and personal goals. Our accredited Bachelor of Science in Nursing program offers five semesters of full-time study, including a required international study abroad. The nursing program goes hand-in-hand with our mission as a Christian university to serve and minister to the needs of others.
There is so much to do at Shorter University that it’s easy to get involved. Student organizations, Greek life, and intramural sports will keep you busy outside class. The Office of Student Life always has something planned and is here to help you develop skills and discover who you are called to be.
Home on the Hill
Residence Life is an integral part of your education and university experience. The lessons learned through relationships and interactions in the residence halls are of immeasurable value. Living on campus gives you more opportunities to interact with faculty and friends, get involved in campus activities, access campus resources, and increase the likelihood of your overall success.

Campus Life
Join a few organizations, make a name for yourself through intramurals, go Greek. Whatever you do, you will enjoy your college experience with the many opportunities Shorter University provides.

Residence Halls
- 5 Female Residence Halls
- 7 Male Residence Halls
- Cable Hook-Up Included
- Wi-Fi in Each Room

Student Organizations
- 35 Organizations

Leadership Programs
- 15 Intramural Sports

Greek Life
- 1 Fraternity
  - Delta Sigma Phi
- 3 Sororities
  - Alpha Delta Pi
  - Phi Mu
  - Zeta Tau Alpha

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Wi-Fi in Each Room

Home on the Hill
As a Christ-centered university, Shorter is committed to helping you grow intellectually, socially, and spiritually. Weekly chapel services and Bible studies in our residence halls are just a few of the options available. One of the most exciting parts of campus life is taking part in mission trips with your fellow students. You can volunteer with Kids Xtreme right here in Rome or travel the globe sharing the love of Christ with others from Alaska to Uganda.

**MINISTRIES & MISSIONS**

**HELP MAKE A DIFFERENCE**

Get involved by joining...
- Baptist Collegiate Ministries (BCM)
- Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA)

**SPIRITUAL GROWTH HAPPENS HERE**

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I really enjoyed going to Ireland on a summer missions trip with Shorter. God really taught me to share His love everywhere and with everybody I came across. I now intentionally strive to love others and glorify Him in all that I do!

— TITUS ARNOLD
Class of 2017 Christian Studies major on taking part in a summer missions trip to Ireland
Through 2014-15, our student-athletes won 20 team national championships and dozens of individual national championships.

**FLY HAWKS!**

Shorter University is a member of NCAA Division II. At Shorter, you will feel at home in a community full of school spirit and competition.
**HAWK NATION**

### 21 ATHLETIC TEAMS • Member of NCAA Division II

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In 2015-16, we placed more student-athletes on the Gulf South Conference Academic Honor Roll than any other member institution.

- **3 NATIONAL COACH OF THE YEAR**
- **3 MEMBER GULF SOUTH & PEACH BELT CONFERENCES**
- **SHORTER BLUE FRIDAY**
  - On Fridays, members of the Shorter University family wear shorter blue to display their hawk spirit

[Winning the championship] wasn’t by my doing. The Lord blessed me with a gift, and it is such a pleasure to use it for Him. It really meant a lot that my teammates were there to support me despite being on break; that will be forever in my heart.

— Ayana Walker

Class of 2016 Shorter’s first-ever NCAA National Champion (400-meter)
We will help you find the financial aid that will best meet your needs. We provide a number of financial aid and work programs to help make a Shorter education affordable for you. To be eligible for financial aid, begin by logging on to www.fafsa.ed.gov to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

Financial aid at Shorter has given me the opportunity to further my education without putting a financial burden on me or my family.

— ASHTIN HYDE
Class of 2017, Communications major

AVAILABLE FINANCIAL AID

• Competitive Scholarships
• Academic Scholarships
• Need-Based Scholarships
• State Grants & Scholarships
• Federal Grants & Loans
• Work Study Opportunities

UNDERSTANDING THE DIFFERENCE

Scholarships and grants do not need to be repaid. Loans will need to be repaid; however terms vary based on the type of loan you receive.

WHERE TO START

For more information about tuition and fees, contact the Office of Admissions at 706-233-7319 or admissions@shorter.edu. To learn more about Shorter University’s tuition and fees, go to admissions.shorter.edu and click on future students/tuition and fees.
ACADEMIC MAJORS

Accounting
Biology
Chemistry
Christian Studies
  • Biblical Languages
  • Christian Apologetics and Philosophy
  • Christian Leadership
  • Christian Missions
  • Christian Worship
Communication Arts
  • Advertising/Public Relations
  • Journalism
  • Sports Communication
Computer Information Systems
Criminal Justice
Early Childhood Education
Ecology & Field Biology
Economics
English
English Education
General Business
History
History Education
Interdisciplinary Studies
Liberal Arts
Management
Management Information Systems
Marketing
Mathematics
Math Education
Middle Grades Education
Music
  • Piano
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Musical Theatre
Natural Sciences
Nursing
Piano
Piano Pedagogy
Political Science
Pre-Allied Health
Pre-Dentistry
Pre-Law
Pre-Medicine
Pre-Nursing
Pre-Optometry
Pre-Pharmacy
Pre-Physical Therapy
Pre-Physician Assistant
Pre-Veterinary Medicine
Psychology
Spanish
Special Education
Sport Management
Theatre
Voice
Worship and Music Leadership
Youth Ministry

ARE YOU READY TO VISIT US ON THE HILL?

Meet our students, attend classes, speak to professors — explore campus. Schedule your visit by contacting the Office of Admissions at 706-233-7319, admissions@shorter.edu, admissions.shorter.edu and click on future students/visit Shorter.

Shorter University is located in Rome, Georgia, and is within 2 hours of 3 major cities.

> ATLANTA
  1 hour, 15 min.
> CHATTANOOGA
  1 hour, 15 min.
> BIRMINGHAM
  2 hours

HOW TO APPLY TO SHORTER UNIVERSITY

• Submit an application online at admissions.shorter.edu.

• Request official transcript(s) and official SAT/ACT scores to be sent to the Office of Admissions.

• Shorter University participates in rolling admission, however applying early is beneficial for scholarship consideration.