

Historically Black Colleges and Universities

(Source: 2024 Higher Education Directory)

Alabama

Alabama Agricultural and Mechanical University—Normal, AL

(*Highest Degree* = Doctorate; *Affiliation* = State; *Date Est.* = 1875)

Alabama State University—Montgomery, AL

(*Highest Degree* = Doctorate; *Affiliation* = State; *Date Est.* = 1867)

Bishop State Community College—Mobile, AL

(*Highest Degree* = Associate Degree; *Affiliation* = State; *Date Est.* = 1965)

Gadsden State Community College—Gadsden, AL

(*Highest Degree* = Associate Degree; *Affiliation* = State; *Date Est.* = 1925)

J.F. Drake State Community & Technical College—Huntsville, AL

(*Highest Degree* = Associate Degree; *Affiliation* = State; *Date Est.* = 1961)

Lawson State Community College—Birmingham, AL

(*Highest Degree* = Associate Degree; *Affiliation* = State; *Date Est.* = 1949)

Miles College—Fairfield, AL

(*Highest Degree* = Baccalaureate; *Affiliation* = Christian Methodist Episcopal; *Date Est.* = 1898)

Oakwood University—Huntsville, AL

(*Highest Degree* = Masters; *Affiliation* = Seventh-day Adventist; *Date Est.* = 1896)

Selma University—Selma, AL

(*Highest Degree* = Masters; *Affiliation* = Baptist; *Date Est.* = 1878)

Shelton State Community College—Tuscaloosa, AL

(*Highest Degree* = Associate Degree; *Affiliation* = State; *Date Est.* = 1953)

Stillman College—Tuscaloosa, AL

(*Highest Degree* = Baccalaureate; *Affiliation* = Presbyterian Church, (U.S.A.); *Date Est.* = 1876)

Talladega College—Talladega, AL

(*Highest Degree* = Masters; *Affiliation* = Independent Non-Profit; *Date Est.* = 1867)

Trenholm State Community College—Montgomery, AL

(Highest Degree = Associate Degree; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1963)

Tuskegee University—Tuskegee Inst., AL

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = Independent Non-Profit; Date Est. = 1881)

Arkansas

Arkansas Baptist College—Little Rock, AR

(Highest Degree = Baccalaureate; Affiliation = Baptist; Date Est. = 1884)

Philander Smith College—Little Rock, AR

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = United Methodist; Date Est. = 1877)

Shorter College—North Little Rock, AR

(Highest Degree = Associate Degree; Affiliation = African Methodist Episcopal; Date Est. = 1886)

University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff—Pine Bluff, AR

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1873)

California

Charles R. Drew University of Medicine & Science—Los Angeles, CA

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = Independent Non-Profit; Date Est. = 1966)

District of Columbia

Howard University—Washington, DC

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = Independent Non-Profit; Date Est. = 1867)

University of the District of Columbia—Washington, DC

(Highest Degree = First Professional Degree; Affiliation = Local; Date Est. = 1976)

Delaware

Delaware State University—Dover, DE

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1891)

Florida

Bethune Cookman University—Daytona Beach, FL

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = United Methodist; Date Est. = 1904)

Edward Waters University—Jacksonville, FL

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = African Methodist Episcopal; Date Est. = 1866)

Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University—Tallahassee, FL

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1887)

Florida Memorial University—Miami Gardens, FL

(Highest Degree = Beyond Masters But Less Than Doctorate; Affiliation = Independent Non-Profit; Date Est. = 1879)

Georgia

Albany State University—Albany, GA

(Highest Degree = Beyond Masters But Less Than Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1903)

Clark Atlanta University—Atlanta, GA

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = United Methodist; Date Est. = 1988)

Fort Valley State University—Fort Valley, GA

(Highest Degree = Beyond Masters But Less Than Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1895)

Interdenominational Theological Center—Atlanta, GA

(Highest Degree = Doctorate: No Undergraduates; Affiliation = Interdenominational; Date Est. = 1958)

Morehouse College—Atlanta, GA

(Highest Degree = Baccalaureate; Affiliation = Independent Non-Profit; Date Est. = 1867)

Morehouse School of Medicine—Atlanta, GA

(Highest Degree = Doctorate: No Undergraduates; Affiliation = Independent Non-Profit; Date Est. = 1975)

Morris Brown College—Atlanta, GA

(Highest Degree = Baccalaureate; Affiliation = Independent Non-Profit; Date Est. = 1881)

Paine College—Augusta, GA

(Highest Degree = Baccalaureate; Affiliation = Multiple Protestant Denominations; Date Est. = 1882)

Savannah State University—Savannah, GA

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1890)

Spelman College—Atlanta, GA

(Highest Degree = Baccalaureate; Affiliation = Independent Non-Profit; Date Est. = 1881)

Illinois

Chicago State University—Chicago, IL

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1867)

Kentucky

Kentucky State University—Frankfort, KY

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1886)

Simmons College of Kentucky—Louisville, KY

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = Baptist; Date Est. = 1879)

Louisiana

Dillard University—New Orleans, LA

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = United Methodist; Date Est. = 1869)

Grambling State University—Grambling, LA

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1901)

Southern University and A&M College—Baton Rouge, LA

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1880)

Southern University at New Orleans—New Orleans, LA

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1956)

Southern University at Shreveport-Louisiana—Shreveport, LA

(Highest Degree = Associate Degree; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1964)

Xavier University of Louisiana—New Orleans, LA

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = Roman Catholic; Date Est. = 1925)

Maryland

Bowie State University—Bowie, MD

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1865)

Coppin State University—Baltimore, MD

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1900)

Morgan State University—Baltimore, MD

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1867)

University of Maryland Eastern Shore—Princess Anne, MD

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1886)

Missouri

Harris-Stowe State University—Saint Louis, MO

(Highest Degree = Baccalaureate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1857)

Lincoln University—Jefferson City, MO

(Highest Degree = Beyond Masters But Less Than Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1866)

Mississippi

Alcorn State University—Lorman, MS

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1871)

Coahoma Community College—Clarksdale, MS

(Highest Degree = Associate Degree; Affiliation = State/Local; Date Est. = 1949)

Hinds Community College—Raymond, MS

(Highest Degree = Associate Degree; Affiliation = State/Local; Date Est. = 1917)

Jackson State University—Jackson, MS

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1877)

Mississippi Valley State University—Itta Bena, MS

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1950)

Rust College—Holly Springs, MS

(Highest Degree = Baccalaureate; Affiliation = United Methodist; Date Est. = 1866)

Tougaloo College—Tougaloo, MS

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = United Church Of Christ; Date Est. = 1869)

North Carolina

Bennett College—Greensboro, NC

(Highest Degree = Baccalaureate; Affiliation = United Methodist; Date Est. = 1873)

Elizabeth City State University—Elizabeth City, NC

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1891)

Fayetteville State University—Fayetteville, NC

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1867)

Johnson C. Smith University—Charlotte, NC

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = Independent Non-Profit; Date Est. = 1867)

Livingstone College—Salisbury, NC

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church; Date Est. = 1879)

North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University—Greensboro, NC

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1891)

North Carolina Central University—Durham, NC

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1910)

Saint Augustine's University—Raleigh, NC

(Highest Degree = Baccalaureate; Affiliation = Protestant Episcopal; Date Est. = 1867)

Shaw University—Raleigh, NC

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = Baptist; Date Est. = 1865)

Winston-Salem State University—Winston-Salem, NC

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1892)

New York

City University of New York Medgar Evers College—Brooklyn, NY

(Highest Degree = Baccalaureate; Affiliation = State/Local; Date Est. = 1970)

Ohio

Central State University—Wilberforce, OH

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1887)

Wilberforce University—Wilberforce, OH

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = African Methodist Episcopal; Date Est. = 1856)

Oklahoma

Langston University—Langston, OK

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1897)

Pennsylvania

Cheyney University of Pennsylvania—Cheyney, PA

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1837)

Lincoln University—Lincoln University, PA

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = State Related; Date Est. = 1854)

South Carolina

Allen University—Columbia, SC

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = African Methodist Episcopal; Date Est. = 1870)

Benedict College—Columbia, SC

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = Independent Non-Profit; Date Est. = 1870)

Claflin University—Orangeburg, SC

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = United Methodist; Date Est. = 1869)

Clinton College—Rock Hill, SC

(Highest Degree = Baccalaureate; Affiliation = African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church; Date Est. = 1894)

Denmark Technical College—Denmark, SC

(Highest Degree = Associate Degree; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1947)

Morris College—Sumter, SC

(Highest Degree = Baccalaureate; Affiliation = Baptist; Date Est. = 1908)

South Carolina State University—Orangeburg, SC

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1896)

Voorhees College—Denmark, SC

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = Protestant Episcopal; Date Est. = 1897)

Tennessee

American Baptist College—Nashville, TN

(Highest Degree = Baccalaureate; Affiliation = Baptist; Date Est. = 1924)

Fisk University—Nashville, TN

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = Independent Non-Profit; Date Est. = 1866)

Lane College—Jackson, TN

(Highest Degree = Baccalaureate; Affiliation = Christian Methodist Episcopal; Date Est. = 1882)

LeMoyne-Owen College—Memphis, TN

*(Highest Degree = Baccalaureate; Affiliation = Multiple Protestant Denominations;
Date Est. = 1862)*

Meharry Medical College—Nashville, TN

*(Highest Degree = Doctorate: No Undergraduates; Affiliation = Independent Non-Profit;
Date Est. = 1876)*

Tennessee State University—Nashville, TN

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1912)

Texas

Huston-Tillotson University—Austin, TX

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = Multiple Protestant Denominations; Date Est. = 1875)

Jarvis Christian College—Hawkins, TX

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = Christian Church (Disciples Of Christ); Date Est. = 1912)

Paul Quinn College—Dallas, TX

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = African Methodist Episcopal; Date Est. = 1872)

Prairie View A & M University—Prairie View, TX

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1876)

Southwestern Christian College—Terrell, TX

(Highest Degree = Baccalaureate; Affiliation = Churches Of Christ; Date Est. = 1949)

St. Philip's College—San Antonio, TX

(Highest Degree = Baccalaureate; Affiliation = Local; Date Est. = 1898)

Texas College—Tyler, TX

(Highest Degree = Baccalaureate; Affiliation = Christian Methodist Episcopal; Date Est. = 1894)

Texas Southern University—Houston, TX

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1927)

Wiley College—Marshall, TX

(Highest Degree = Masters; Affiliation = United Methodist; Date Est. = 1873)

Virginia

Hampton University—Hampton, VA

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = Independent Non-Profit; Date Est. = 1868)

Norfolk State University—Norfolk, VA

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1935)

Virginia State University—Virginia State Unive, VA

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1882)

Virginia Union University—Richmond, VA

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = Baptist; Date Est. = 1865)

Virginia University of Lynchburg—Lynchburg, VA

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = Independent Non-Profit; Date Est. = 1886)

Virgin Islands

University of the Virgin Islands—Saint Thomas, VI

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1962)

West Virginia

Bluefield State College—Bluefield, WV

(Highest Degree = Baccalaureate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1895)

West Virginia State University—Institute, WV

(Highest Degree = Doctorate; Affiliation = State; Date Est. = 1891)