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**Northern Michigan University** was founded in 1899 as a coeducational, state-supported institution. The university serves the state and, in particular, the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, through a 3-dimensional program of instruction, research, and service. Northern offers certification, diploma and one-year certificate programs and degree programs at the associate, bachelor's, and master's levels.

The academic program is organized into 28 departments which fall under 4 colleges: College of Arts and Sciences; the Walker L. Cislser College of Business; College of Professional Studies; and College of Graduate Studies.

### ***Less Than Bachelor's Programs***

**Certification programs** are offered in the subject areas of French, German, Portuguese, Spanish, and Labor Leadership. **Diploma programs** are in advanced law enforcement, cosmetology instructor, electrical line technician, and local corrections. **Certificate programs** are for automotive service, aviation maintenance technology, clinical assistant, computer numerical control technician, cosmetology, geographic information systems, heating/ventilation/air conditioning and refrigeration (HVACR), office services, special studies and welding. **Associate degree programs** are available in applied child development, art and design, automotive service technology, aviation maintenance technology, building technology, climate control technology, clinical laboratory technology, computer information systems, computer numerical control technology, criminal justice, electrical technology, engineering design, food service management, general business, general university studies, health information processing, industrial maintenance technology, law enforcement, liberal arts and sciences, office information assistant, radiography, respiratory therapy, and surgical technology.

### ***Bachelor's Degree Programs***

Four-year programs leading to the Bachelor's degree are offered in accounting, accounting/computer information systems, accounting/corporate finance, accounting/corporate finance, accounting/financial planning, art and design, art and design — ceramics/digital cinema/drawing and painting/electronic imaging/furniture design/graphic communications/human-centered design/illustration/jewelry, metalsmithing and blacksmithing/photography/printmaking/sculpture/woodworking, art history, athletic training, biochemistry, biology, biology-ecology/microbiology/or physiology, business computer information systems, chemistry, clinical health science, clinical lab science, clinical lab science - anatomic pathology/clinical systems analyst/diagnostic genetics/laboratory medicine/microbiology/science technologist, communication studies, community health education, computer science, construction management, criminal justice, early childhood, earth science, economics, electronic journalism, electronics engineering technology, elementary education (7 areas of concentration), English, English graduate bound, English writing, entertainment and sports promotion, entrepreneurship, environmental science, environmental studies and sustainability, finance and risk management, fisheries and wildlife management, forensic biochemistry, French, general psychology, geomatics, German studies, history, hospitality management, individually created programs, industrial technology, integrated science, international studies, liberal arts and sciences, loss prevention management, management, management of health and fitness, marketing, mathematics, mechanical engineering technology, media production and new technology, music, network computing, nursing, nursing-RN to baccalaureate, outdoor recreation leadership and management, philosophy, physical education-coaching, physics, planning, political science, psychology/behavior analysis, psychology/graduate school preparation, public administration, public relations, secondary education (18 areas of concentration), ski area business management, social work, sociology, sociology in liberal arts, Spanish, speech/language and hearing sciences, sports science, technical communications, theater, and zoology. NMU also offers pre-professional programs in the following: political science/prelaw, pre-architecture, pre-chiropractic, pre-dental, pre-engineering, pre-law, pre-medical, pre-optometry, pre-pharmacy, pre-physical therapy, pre-physician assistant, and pre-veterinary medicine.

### ***Master's Degree Programs***

The university offers the Master of Arts degree in English, and in education with curricula in elementary education, secondary education, learning disabilities, reading, reading specialist, education administration, instructional leadership and school guidance counseling. The Master of Science degree is available in biology, biology/biochemistry, criminal justice, exercise science, mathematics, nursing, psychology/experimental, psychology/training, development and performance improvement and science education. The Master of Fine Arts is offered in creative writing. Master's degrees in

individual studies and in public administration are also offered. Education Specialist degrees are provided in administration and supervision and in literacy leadership. Post-master's certificates are offered for the family nurse practitioner and nurse educator. A variety of approvals, endorsements, certifications, certificates, and licenses at the graduate level also exist.

***Off-Campus Programs***

Northern provides off-campus courses throughout the Upper Peninsula with specialized offerings at Escanaba, Hancock/Houghton, Iron Mountain/Kingsford, and Sault Ste. Marie. An online program is offered as a bachelor's degree in loss prevention management, and master's degree in education, criminal justice, and graduate certificates in public management and criminal justice management can be obtained online. More than 100 online courses are offered each semester as well.

***Accreditations***

Northern Michigan University is accredited by the Academic Quality Improvement Project (AQIP) of the North Central Association of Colleges and Universities. The clinical laboratory science, clinical laboratory technology and clinical assistant programs are accredited by the National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences. The surgical technology program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Program. The radiography program is accredited by the Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology. All education programs are accredited by the Teacher Education Accreditation Council. The nursing programs are fully approved by the State Board of Nursing and are fully accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE). Other accreditations are the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance; American Chemical Society; Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business; Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Professionals; Council on Academic Accreditation of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association; Council on Social Work Education; Department of Transportation Federal Aviation Administration; National Association of Industrial Technology; National Association of Schools of Music; Commission Accreditation of Athletic Training Education; Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET); International Association of Counseling Services; and the state of Michigan.

<b><i>Credit Enrollment (fall head count)</i></b>	<b><i>2008</i></b>	<b><i>2009</i></b>	<b><i>2010</i></b>
Enrollment . . . . .	9,347	9,428	9,417