# At a Glance

#### WHAT'S NEW

- Men's and women's lacrosse added as varsity sports for fall 2021. Additional investment in new turf field and locker rooms.
- Broke ground on a renovation and expansion of Brown Hall, which is the largest academic building and future home of our Career Advancement Center.

# DISTINCTIVE ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

- Our new Health Professions Program is a unique partnership with local Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science, allowing students direct pathways to several popular health careers.
- Entrepreneurship and innovation is the most popular minor at the College.
- Majors in both finance and business—not offered at many liberal arts colleges.
- Self-designed major: students work with a faculty advisor to design a major suited to their academic interests.
- Richter Scholar Program: one-on-one research opportunity with a professor during the summer after the first year.
- Data science was introduced in fall 2019 as an interdisciplinary major. The major responds to an ever intensifying societal demand for expertise in the management and analysis of data.

# INTERNSHIPS AND CAREER PREPARATION

- 96% of our graduates get jobs or continue their education within six to nine months of graduation.
- Career Pathways: a unique model for career preparation that matches students' interests with possible career paths. Career Advancement Center staff begin working with students during their first year.
- Students may complete up to three for-credit internships.
- Internships are abundant in the Chicago area. Our students also secure internships in major cities around the country and the world.
- Lake Forest In The Loop and ACTIVATE programs: students live in Chicago completing internships and taking courses.

# FEATURED RANKINGS

- Ranked #4 "Best Science Lab Facilities" Princeton Review 2020
- Ranked #9 for "Best Schools for Internships" Princeton Review 2020
- Ranked #12 for "Best Alumni Network" Princeton Review 2020
- Ranked #45 for "Best Value College" –U.S News & World Report
- Ranked #7 for "Social Mobility" (graduating students from economically disadvantaged backgrounds) –*U.S News & World Report*
- Ranked #14 for "Best Health Services" Princeton Review
- Ranked #20 for "Most Popular Study Abroad Program" Princeton Review

# **STUDENT BODY**

- 1,585 students from 43 states and 96 countries
- 43% are from out of state
- 14% of students are international
- 31% are domestic students of color

#### **CLASS OF 2024 STATISTICS**

- Applied: 4,482
- Enrolled: 400 from 29 states and 51 countries
- 47% from out of state
- 33% are students of color
- 18% are international students

# **CLASS OF 2024 ACADEMIC QUALITY**

- Average GPA: 3.7
- ACT (25th-75th percentile): 23-30
- SAT (25th–75th percentile): 1110–1280 Lake Forest College is test optional

# TRANSFER ADMISSION

- Applied: 264
- Enrolled: 98
- Transfer-friendly institution with generous transfer credit policies and numerous pathway programs with local community colleges.

# **TOP 6 DEGREES AWARDED**

Biology
Communication

Business

FinancePsychology

# **ACTIVE STUDENT LIFE**

• More than 80 clubs and organizations

Economics

25 Division III varsity sports



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