

## Measures of momentum

### U.S. News & World Report ranking

**40**, up from 98 ten years ago

Northeastern has been ranked among the **top 50** national universities for **five consecutive years**.

### Undergraduate applications

Record **54,200** received

### Undergraduate talent

**75%** of fall 2017 freshmen were ranked **in the top 10% of their class**, up from 38% in 2006

**1465** the **mean two-part SAT score** for fall 2017 freshmen, up from 1230 in 2006

### Career services

**Ranked #3** in U.S. by Princeton Review, marking **10 consecutive years** that Northeastern has been ranked among **the top four universities nationally**.

### Graduation rate

**87%** the **six-year graduation rate** in 2017, up 22 points since 2006

### Entrepreneurship

**#4** ranking for **undergraduate** entrepreneurship programs by Princeton Review, 2017

**#25** ranking for **graduate** entrepreneurship programs by Princeton Review, 2017

## Global experience

**136 countries** where we placed students in **experiential learning opportunities** (including the U.S.) since 2006

**3,175 undergraduates** had a **global learning experience** in 2016–2017

**3,153 co-op employers** in the U.S. and around the world in 2016–2017

**127% growth** since 2006 in **the number of countries** where Northeastern provided experiential learning opportunities

**11,095 co-op placements** in 2016–2017, up from 6,301 in 2006–2007 (+76%)

## Global diversity

**502% growth in international student enrollment** since 2006

**107% growth in enrollment by students of color** since 2006

## Student financial aid

**\$263.5M**, an increase of 117% in Northeastern **financial aid** since 2006

## Student life

**17,400 students** participated in at least one of **403 campus organizations** in 2016-2017

**1.99M hours** of student **community service** since 2006

**51** varsity student-athletes earned **"Top Dog" accolades**, with Spring 2017 GPAs of 3.8 or higher

**94** varsity student-athletes made the **Dean's List** with GPAs of at least 3.5 in the 2017 spring semester

**19 straight semesters** that Northeastern student-athletes have averaged a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better

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## Outcomes

**92%** of graduates are **employed full time or enrolled in graduate school** within nine months of graduation

**89%** of employed 2016 graduates are doing **work related to their major**

**54%** of 2016 graduates received **a job offer from a previous co-op employer**

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## Transformative research

### External research funding

**\$140.7M** in 2016–2017, up from \$48.7M in 2006

**189% growth** in external research funding since 2006

### \$1M+ awards

**224** since 2006

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## Expanding expertise in emerging fields

### New faculty

**610** tenured and tenure-track faculty hires since 2006; 47 for fall 2017

### New academic programs

**157** undergraduate and graduate areas of study in emerging fields added since 2006

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## Ecosystem of entrepreneurship

### Spinout companies

**50** formed by faculty and students since 2006

### Patent applications

**1,478** filed by faculty and students, 2006–2016, including 211 in 2016–2017

### Inventions

**989** invention disclosures formally identifying a new approach to a problem, 2006–2017, including 110 in 2016–2017

**IDEA**, student-run venture accelerator:  
**317 active ventures**, 2016–2017

Since IDEA's inception:  
Worked with **900 business concepts**  
Launched **46 startups**  
Helped raise **\$76M in external funding**

## Professional Advancement Network

### Campuses

**5** locations in the U.S. and Canada

### Degree programs

**200+** online degree and certificate programs, up from 12 in 2006

### Enrollment

**209% growth** in graduate enrollment at regional campuses since 2011, contributing to overall graduate enrollment growth of 37%

### Online experiential learning

**2,100 experiential opportunities** for students in online graduate programs through more than **900 employers** in the Experiential Network

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## Empower Campaign

**\$1.4B raised—\$400 million over the original goal**—for students, faculty, and research, half from philanthropic supporters and half from industry and government partners

**100,000+ individual donors** supported the Empower campaign

69,787 Alumni

16,087 Parents

10,345 Friends

2,640 Students

1,200 Faculty and staff

**3,700+ corporations and foundations** contributed to the campaign

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## Alumni

**245,000+** alumni in 164 countries

**39 alumni communities**; 14 international, including new communities in **Indonesia, China, South Korea, Thailand, and Panama**

**449 alumni events** in 2017

**21 countries** were represented by alumni participating in **virtual networking events**