

Hispanic-Serving Institutions (HSIs) were founded in the 1980s to expand upon educational opportunities for Hispanic and Latina/o or Latine communities. Today there are 572 HBCUs across the nation in 28 states, D.C., and Puerto Rico.



### The Benefits of Attending an HSI Include:

HSIs have specialized resources, programs, and support to help scholars succeed, including tutoring and mentoring programs, bilingual education programs, and bilingual centers.

HSIs typically offer strong financial support for scholars, including aid, grants, and scholarships.

Many HSIs provide career opportunities for scholars, including partnerships with local businesses and organizations.

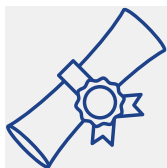
HSIs are also known for tying culture into higher education in their academic courses, extracurricular activities, and student environment.

Furthermore, HSIs are well-known for their inclusive environment to help all students succeed regardless of their background.



**62%**

of all Hispanic and Latina/o or Latine scholars graduate from an HSI.



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Associates degrees are conferred by Hispanic and Latina/o or Latine scholars.

**Nearby HSIs:**

**Reading Area  
Community College**  
Delaware County, Pennsylvania

**Montgomery College**  
Montgomery County, Maryland

**Rutgers University - Newark**  
Newark, New Jersey

**Boricua College**  
New York City, New York

**City University of New York**  
New York City, New York

**Orange County  
Community College**  
Middletown, New York

**Mercy College**  
Dobbs Ferry, New York

**Marymount University**  
Arlington, Virginia

**Northern Virginia  
Community College**  
Annandale, Virginia

**University of Connecticut  
Stamford**  
Stamford, Connecticut

Goldey-Beacom College (GBC) has been recognized as an Emerging Hispanic-Serving Institution (HSI). The college is known for its NCAA Division II athletic teams, and currently offers 25 majors and academic paths. Additionally, 90% of scholars are employed within 3 months of graduation.

For more information on the GBC application, visit their website or scan the QR code.



**Resources:**

**Goldey-Beacom College Overview:**  
[delawarestudentsuccess.org/de-colleges-universities](https://delawarestudentsuccess.org/de-colleges-universities)

**Goldey-Beacom College  
Student Panel Webinar:**  
[delawarestudentsuccess.org/goldey-beacom-student-panel/](https://delawarestudentsuccess.org/goldey-beacom-student-panel/)

**What is an HSI:**  
[sites.ed.gov/hispanic-initiative/hispanic-serving-institutions-hsis/](https://sites.ed.gov/hispanic-initiative/hispanic-serving-institutions-hsis/)

**Why Attend an HSI:**  
[mtmary.edu/blog/2022/09/perks-to-attending-a-hsi.html](https://mtmary.edu/blog/2022/09/perks-to-attending-a-hsi.html)

**List of Hispanic Association of Colleges & Universities (HACU)-Approved HSIs:**  
[hacu.net/images/hacu/OPAI/2023\\_HSILists.pdf](https://hacu.net/images/hacu/OPAI/2023_HSILists.pdf)

**Student Scholarships:** [hsf.net](https://hsf.net)

**Notable alumni  
of HSIs include:**



Bad Bunny, Eva Longoria, Mike Lowell, Sylvia Mendez, Ellen Ochoa, Junot Diaz and Cecilia Altonaga