## By the Numbers

#### Connecticut College in the State and Local Community



#### CONNECTICUT COLLEGE



#### For more than 100 years,

Connecticut College has called the City of New London and Connecticut home. During that time, we have cultivated strong relationships with the city and cemented our status as an economic driver for the state. We have created thousands of jobs for today's employees while preparing our students for their future careers. Through regional partnerships, our students are working in Connecticut's public schools, small businesses and nonprofits to solve realworld problems-truly, putting the liberal arts into action. That is why I am proud to share with you Connecticut College's impact by the numbers.

#### **Katherine Bergeron**

President, Connecticut College

**Economic Impact** 

# <sup>\$</sup>577 million

Connecticut College's direct impact on the state economy

**Economic Impact** 

#### Wages, salaries and employee benefits total

## \*77 million a year

# \$84.4 million a year

Students, employees and visitors spend

**Economic Impact** 

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## \$39.2 million

in Connecticut-based alumni income

**Economic Impact** 

# 4,877 jobs

#### created in Connecticut

## 4-Year career and professional development for our students

- \$5,000 in funds available to eligible students over four years for career exploration and development, including internships
- Conn was among the first colleges in the nation to offer internship funding to every eligible student

**Career Development** 

# 1,715

#### job, internship and fellowship opportunities provided to students last year

 58 summer internships in Connecticut (49 funded by the College) **Career Development** 

# 95% of alumni

are employed or in graduate school one year after graduation

Supporting Our Community

## Signature programs for all ages

- K-12 Tutoring
- Enrich Mentor Program (includes Reach Mentor Program, Girl Power)
  - Arbo Project 🗕
- Camp Summit/Camp Rotary =
  - One Book One Region of Eastern Connecticut



## **Community Collaborations**

Connecticut College and the U.S. Coast Guard Academy signed a new Memorandum of Agreement that renews and reinvigorates a nearly 40-year partnership between the two institutions. It establishes a firm commitment to continuing regular dialogue on opportunities for collaboration and continues long-standing arrangements for cross-registration of students and sharing of campus facilities.

In 2019, Connecticut College, *The Day* and the Coast Guard Academy launched "Conversations on Race," a series of community events around critical and timely issues. Featured guests included Richard A. Robinson, chief justice of the Connecticut Supreme Court, and *New York Times* bestselling author and professor Ibram X. Kendi. Supporting Our Community



regional community partners

## <sup>\$7.6</sup> million

in College scholarships awarded to Connecticut residents

Number of enrolled Connecticut students:



### Grant and scholarship programs for New London residents

- Jane Bredesen Scholarship
- New London Scholars Program



Six-year graduation rate for Pell Grant recipients, ranking Conn 5th in the nation

Alumni Impact

## 3,458

Connecticut College alumni living in Connecticut Alumni Impact

## 490+

Connecticut teachers and school administrators are Connecticut College alumni Payment in Lieu of Taxes

## \$2.5 million of the \$6.2 million

Received by New London through the PILOT and Pequot Funds programs in Fiscal 2020 were directly attributable to Connecticut College



Connecticut College has been named a Most Innovative School by *U.S. News and World Report* for two years in a row. Our four-year integrative curriculum, CONNECTIONS, teaches students to think critically, solve real-world problems, and, ultimately, pursue successful lives and careers beyond college.

Statistics from Connecticut College and the Connecticut Conference of Independent Colleges.

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