

The Art Institute of Boston at Lesley University A I C A D



The Art Institute of Boston at Lesley University is a small, professional college of visual art, located in the Fenway area of Boston. AIB offers small classes, much individual attention from talented faculty, and quality studio spaces and art making technologies. AIB students receive an intensive art education combined with the benefits of the classes and resources of a larger university.

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DEGREES OFFERED

BFA, MFA

MAJORS OFFERED

Animation*
 Art Education**
 Art History*
 Design*
 Fine Arts
 Illustration*
 Photography*
 Visual Arts**

MINORS OFFERED

Art History*

OTHER PROGRAMS

Continuing Education
 High School / Pre College Programs
 Summer Sessions

*UNDERGRADUATE ONLY
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SPECIAL OPPORTUNITIES

Internship Required • Wide Range of Study Abroad Options • (Access through Lesley University) to Academic Support Services, Athletics, Counseling, Health Services, Career Services, and a Multitude of Student Activities and Community Service Programs

ACCREDITATION

REGIONAL: NEASC SPECIALIZED: NASAD

UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSIONS PROCESS

APPLICATION: Required	SAT / ACT: Required for freshmen
ONLINE APPLICATION: Recommended	PORTFOLIO: Required
HOME EXAM:	TRANSCRIPTS
INTERVIEW: Recommended	HIGH SCHOOL: Required
ESSAY: Optional	COLLEGE: Required, if transferring

ENROLLMENT FALL 2008

UNDERGRADUATE FTE¹ = 479

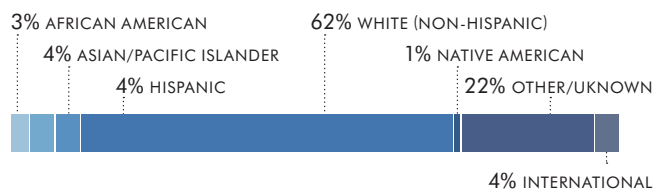
GRADUATE FTE¹ = 71

UNDERGRADUATE	
FULL-TIME	PART-TIME
459	47

GRADUATE	
FULL-TIME	PART-TIME
71	0

NOTE 1: "Full-Time Equivalent" is the common way to measure the relative size of colleges. This adjusts for differences in the percentage of part-time students (or faculty). For example: one full-time student=1 FTE; three half-time students = 1.5 FTE, etc.

UNDERGRADUATE ETHNICITY FALL 2008



FACULTY 2008-09

FACULTY FTE¹ = 61

FULL-TIME	PART-TIME
23	80

STUDENT/FACULTY RATIO FALL 2008

9.2 TO 1
 FTE STUDENTS PER FTE FACULTY¹



CLASS SIZE FALL 2008

15 ESTIMATED AVERAGE

UNDERGRADUATE GENDER DISTRIBUTION FALL 2008



FRESHMEN RETENTION²

76% OF FALL 2006 FRESHMEN RETURNED IN FALL 2007

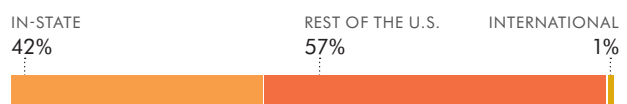
67% OF FALL 2007 FRESHMEN RETURNED IN FALL 2008

SIX-YEAR GRADUATION RATE²

57% OF FALL 2001 FRESHMEN GRADUATED WITHIN SIX YEARS

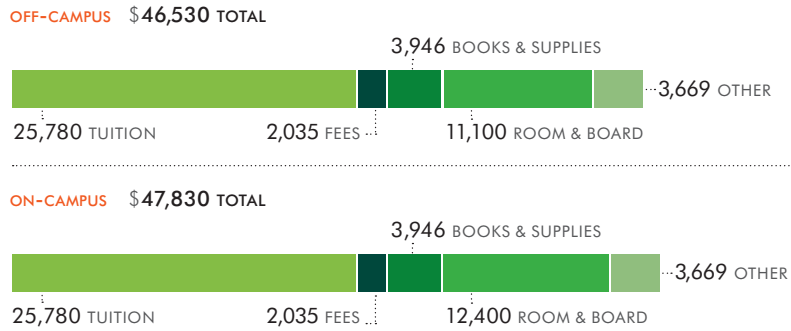
51% OF FALL 2002 FRESHMEN GRADUATED WITHIN SIX YEARS

NEW STUDENT GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION³ FALL 2008



UNDERGRADUATE COST OF ATTENDANCE 2009-10

FULL-TIME DEPENDENT	OFF-CAMPUS	ON-CAMPUS
TUITION (30 CREDITS)	\$ 25,780	\$ 25,780
MANDATORY FEES	2,035	2,035
BOOKS & SUPPLIES	3,946	3,946
ROOM & BOARD	11,100	12,400
OTHER	3,669	3,669
TOTAL COST	\$ 46,530	\$ 47,830



STUDENT HOUSING FALL 2008 89% OF FRESHMEN LIVE IN CAMPUS HOUSING. 45% OF ALL STUDENTS LIVE IN CAMPUS HOUSING.

FINANCIAL AID 2007-08 FULL-TIME FIRST-TIME FRESHMEN

AVERAGE AMOUNT RECEIVED PER RECIPIENT \$ 10,593

94% OF FULL-TIME FRESHMEN RECEIVED AID



AIB is all about making art in an impassioned learning environment and each of our majors has a strong interdisciplinary emphasis. AIB faculty and alumni are working professionals, successful artists, designers, and innovators.

Located in Boston, students flock to this city for its youthful energy, music scene, internship opportunities and world-class museums. A recent nationwide rating of higher-education destinations ranked Boston number one in academic environment, cultural and social resources, quality of life, and professional opportunities.

Though AIB is an art school through and through, it is also one of four schools within Lesley University, a multi-site liberal arts university located Cambridge, across the Charles River from Boston. AIB and Lesley students live together in Lesley's residence halls, and participate in clubs/activities and varsity sports. Lesley University opens up the world of liberal arts to AIB students, offering classes such as psychology, the sciences, languages, and creative writing. AIB students can also access Lesley's programs in art education and art therapy. It's the best of both worlds: an intensive, professional art making environment combined with the benefits of a larger University.

Strengthened by our newly required Internship program and by Lesley's Office of Career Services, AIB graduates go into the real world with the skills needed to get a job and achieve their professional goals.

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