



Registrar

UW Standard of Excellence

The Office of the University Registrar (OUR) is the steward of the University of Washington's academic history, maintaining the integrity of its records and documenting the excellence of its students. The commitment to service is demonstrated every day in a variety of in-person and online activities, supporting and implementing faculty policies affecting teaching and learning.

Academic Community

We are part of and serve the academic community by offering administrative resources for students, staff and faculty. The safety of our community is a top priority as we develop new communication systems for emergency situations.

The OUR participates in various campus-wide committees, working with its colleagues to help students better navigate the University.

World Leaders in Research

The OUR supports UW research by providing institutional data for various studies, as well as preserving student data and facilitating historical research.

Celebrating Place

Through publication of the General Catalog, The OUR preserves the academic history of Washington State's oldest institution of higher education.

Through our Residency Classification Office, we have promoted judicious policy change for optimum use of state resources. We also help state workers access higher education through the Washington State Tuition Exemption Program.

Spirit of Innovation

The OUR is responsive to emerging needs by giving students, staff and faculty the tools to be more self-directed and knowledgeable, i.e., improved online transaction processing and analytic services.

We incorporate innovative methods, such as space utilization analytics, for measuring University resources. Through the Student Data Base System, we document student research that leads to innovation.

World Citizens

The OUR supports the UW's vision of creating world citizens by developing systems that help UW students keep in touch with their UW records while studying abroad.

We also administratively support the UW's efforts to reach out to other institutions in times of need during regional and national disasters.

We support lifelong learning through the ACCESS Program, providing 60+ year-old students an opportunity for tuition-free higher education, which brings richness and diversity to the classroom.

Being Public

We are committed to serving both students and the public by providing access to educational records while maintaining student privacy through adherence to the Federal Education Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) and the Washington Administrative Code (WAC).

We serve the public trust by supplying accurate state reporting.