



## College of Extended Learning

**In 2014-15**

315 undergraduates

**To talk to someone about a degree, course or certificate program in the College of Extended Learning contact:**

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**To schedule a campus visit, or find out more about admissions to Northeastern State University contact:**

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# Northeastern State University College of Extended Learning

This college is comprised of Degree Completion Programs, Continuing Education and Language and Cultural Center/English as a Second Language programs.

These programs focus on both quality and convenience to support working adults who wish to fulfill their academic dreams. This affordable, customized option helps adults complete a degree or earn professional development and certificate programs through a mixture of accelerated eight-week courses; blended, online and weekend classes; and expanded support services.

The complimentary programs and activities that promote active learning and cultural enhancement support NSU's commitment to lifelong learning.

### **NSU Pride Points:**

- » NSU is one of Oklahoma's leading comprehensive regional universities
- » Nestled in the foothills of the Ozarks in Northeastern Oklahoma, Tahlequah is rated as one of America's top small cities, with a great overall quality of life
- » Low cost of tuition—NSU has the second most affordable tuition among Oklahoma state universities
- » Diversity—Mosaic, the Tulsa Chamber of Commerce's diversity business council, named NSU as one of the Top 20 organizations with an inclusive workplace culture in the region
- » NSU has the highest enrollment of American Indian students of any public four-year higher education institution in the country
- » Involved in Chamber of Commerce and Workforce Development initiatives
- » Boast about your various programs—maybe the only Gerontology and Crime Scene Investigation Certificates in the state, talk about Health Certificate

### **Immersive Learning Opportunities:**

There are various internships, research, clinical and immersive learning opportunities available to students. These are an important part of your education, so you not only gain valuable experience, but you make important connections that give you an edge after you graduate. These experiences can often translate into college credits as well.

### **Student Organizations:**

At Northeastern State University, community engagement opportunities bring student organizations, student leaders and student volunteers together for a common purpose. Being involved in our programming allows students to enrich their academic and social experience at NSU.



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Contact the following Department Chairs for more information about these programs:

### Degree Completion

#### **Criminal Justice or Health Care Administration**

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#### **Reach Higher**

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#### **Continuing Education**

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#### **Language and Cultural Center**

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For more information on coursework, visit with your advisor. [Schedules](#) are available online.

## Degree Completion Department

Degree Completion and Certificate Programs in CEL focus on both quality and convenience, offering a mixture of accelerated eight-week courses; blended, online and weekend classes; and expanded support services. The Degree Completion and Certificate Program not only offers adults an affordable, customized option to complete a degree or specialize with a certificate but also serves as a valuable resource for the region's employers.

### Majors

- » Criminal Justice <sup>T B</sup>
- » Health Care Administration <sup>T</sup>

### Reach Higher:

- » Organizational Leadership (online) <sup>T B M</sup>

For more information, visit:  
[okhighered.org/reachhigher](http://okhighered.org/reachhigher)

## Continuing Education Department–Non-Credit Programs

The Department of Continuing Education (CE) is designed to carry out the focused mission of the university of creating and sustaining a culture of learning and discovery. This is achieved by offering non-credit community and professional education programs, seminars and workshops. Through a collaborative approach with academic departments, faculty and civic groups, CE offers engaging, quality and affordable certificate and non-credit learning opportunities for students and the community at large.

### Programs

- » Professional and Workforce Development
- » Summer Youth Camps
- » Professional Exam Preparation
- » Academic Outreach
- » Certification and Certificate Programs
- » Personal Enrichment

## Language and Cultural Center (LCC) & English as a Second Language (ESL)

The Language and Cultural Center (LCC) primary mission is to offer English as a Second Language (ESL) instruction in American English and culture, and offer cultural events for non-native speakers. The Center also houses the Confucius Center Classroom which provides opportunities to learn about the Chinese culture and its language through program offerings and festivals, which are open to the public.

### Programs

- » English as a Second Language
- » Confucius Classroom
- » Language and Culture