

State of the College

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Vision

• Connecticut College will achieve increased recognition as one of the finest liberal arts colleges in the country.

Achieving the Vision

- Investing in the student experience
 - People
 - Programs
 - Facilities
 - Outreach



Strategic Initiatives

- Science Leaders
- Residential education
- Diversity
- Student-faculty collaboration





Student Honors

- Student Awards
 - Fulbrights
 - Goldwaters
 - NSF
 - Beijing Fellowship
- Student-Athletes
 - Men's lax NCAA
 - 7 All-Americans
 - 86 NESCAC All-Academic Team



College Recognition

- Top Fulbright producer
- Top Peace Corps college
- Simon Award Campus Internationalization

- CT Environmental Leadership Award
- Top College for Career Services
- Community Service Honor Roll, with Distinction





Campus Renewal

• Campus transformation

- Classrooms
- Common rooms
- Fitness center
- Residence halls
- Social spaces
- More



- Learning outcomes
 - Communication
 - Team building skills
 - Global experience
 - Sensitivity to diverse cultures
- Next steps
 - Employment
 - Grad school
 - Travel/volunteer/other





Education for a Meaningful Life

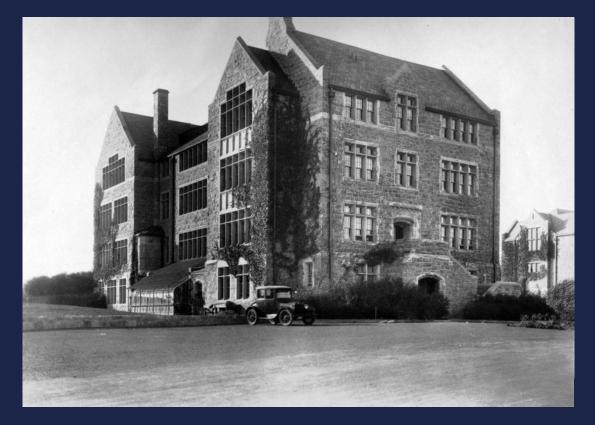
- Investment in the future
- Preparation for success in any arena
- Value that lasts a lifetime





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CONNECTICUT COLLEGE What's Next?

