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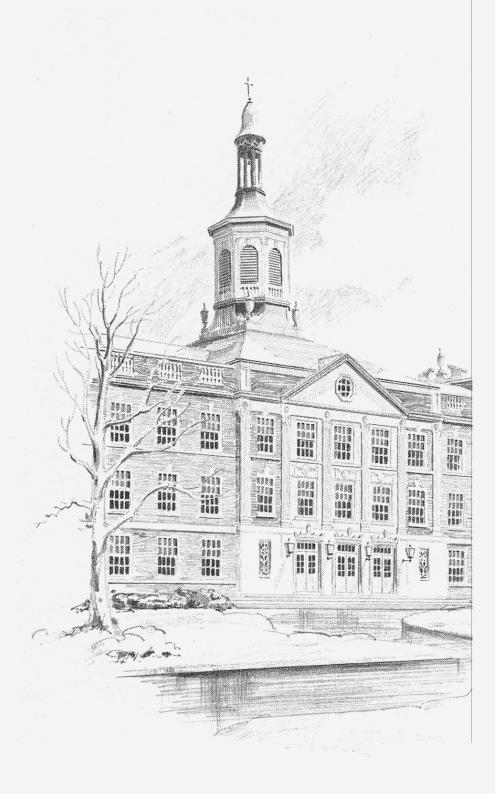
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BRAND PURPOSE



This guide is designed to provide information about the graphic elements and positioning language that define Ohio Dominican University. The guidelines presented here are intended to help everyone at ODU promote the university clearly and consistently.

As Ohio Dominican develops our brand and solidifies its relationship with key constituencies, it is essential that we adhere to a set of communication standards that best represent our strengths and differentiators.

On the following pages, you will find clear instruction regarding the university's marketing position and audiences as well as the use of graphic identity and elements.

BRAND STORY

The Ohio Dominican story is clearly reflected in our mission:

Ohio Dominican educates all individuals committed to intellectual. spiritual and professional growth to become lifelong learners committed to serving others in a global society, as ethical and effective leaders grounded in the pursuit of truth, justice and peace.

Ohio Dominican is further guided in its educational mission by the Dominican motto: contemplare et contemplata aliis trader — to contemplate truth and to share with others the fruits of this contemplation. Ohio Dominican University looks forward to helping individuals continue the search for truth.

BRAND VOICE

Reflective of our values and position, the Ohio Dominican voice is always smart, approachable and direct.

Note that the tone of university communications may shift, depending on the audience being targeted. For instance, a publication directed to prospective 16-year-olds may assume a casual, welcoming tone while a white paper for a peer institution may require more refined, academic language.

In most marketing and communications, the following standards apply:

- Always use straightforward language and a conversational tone.
- Avoid academic jargon and overtly formal language.
- Use an active voice rather than a passive one.
- Write primarily in first- and second-person view.
- Always address your audiences' needs, goals and priorities.



Examples of these standards in action

Find your focus – and your future.

Don't Use: ODU has academic programs that will help you succeed.

Here, your passions have purpose.

Don't Use: Community service opportunities are available at Ohio Dominican.

Get ready to say WOW.

Don't Use: Our orientation program is called Weeks of Welcome.

Make calculus your favorite class.

Don't Use: ARC offers math labs.

Connections happen here.

Don't Use: We're known for small classes and personal relationships.

BRAND AUDIENCES

Ohio Dominican communications generally fall within three primary target audiences:



Prospective Students and Families

- a Traditional Undergraduate Students
- b Graduate Students
- c Adult & Continuing Education Students



Internal Communities

- a Current Students
- c Administration and Staff

b Faculty

d Board of Trustees



External Communities

- a Alumni
- b Friends and Donors
- c Congregation of Dominican Sisters of Peace
- d Diocese of Columbus

- e Columbus Businesses and Local Government
- f Neighbors Surrounding the Main Campus
- g Other Colleges and Universities

OHIO DOMINICAN UNIVERSITY LOGO

The Ohio Dominican University logo is the anchor of our visual identity. It taps into the heritage of the ODU brand and is designed to be reflective of our history.

The colors of ODU are white, black and gold, a union of the colors of the Dominican Order and the Papacy.

The flame signifies the light shining for an unbelieving world to see. Just as light enables sight, a liberal arts education enables insight and human development.

The shield is two thirds black and one third white, signifying the habit of the Dominicans.

LOGO CONSTRUCTION

The Ohio Dominican University logo is made up of four components: The Ohio Dominican wordmark, the shield mark, the flame mark and the heritage mark.

The complete ODU logo is preferred in most situations.

Note: Under no circumstances should the logo be recreated. The ODU logo should always be reproduced from master artwork supplied.

OHIO **UNIVERSITY**TM





LOGO VERSIONS

When space allows, please use the primary Ohio Dominican University logo.

When space is limited, you may use the secondary ODU logo.



Primary Logo

Secondary Logo



One Color Use



CLEAR SPACE AND MINIMUM SIZE

A minimum amount of clear space must surround the logo at all times. The absolute minimum space is equal to the height of the "D" in Dominican, as shown.

It is generally preferred that a larger amount of visually uninterrupted space surround the logo for optimal visibility.

To ensure quality reproduction in print, the logo should not be reproduced below the minimum size indicated.





Clear space



Minimum Size

LOGO CORRECT **USAGE**

The Ohio Dominican University logo should be reproduced in full color wherever possible, using the original Pantone spot colors.

The preferred color treatment is gold (PMS 871) and black. Secondary usage may be used as shown.





Primary Usage

Two Color-Pantone 871 Gold and Black

Two Color-Pantone 871 Gold and Black









Secondary Usage

Four Color Process

Four Color Reversed

One Color Black

Reversed









Four Color Process

Four Color Reversed

One Color Black

Reversed

LOGO INCORRECT **USAGE**

These examples demonstrate incorrect usage of the Ohio Dominican University logo — in other words, what **not** to do.

The following rules apply to all variants of ODU logo artwork.



Our logo should never be condensed.



Our logo should never be expanded.



Our logo's color should never be changed.





Our logo should never be altered.



Our logo should never have elements added to the logo





Our logo should never have spacing altered.



The Flame Mark should never be used separately from our logo. (Exceptions with permission only.)



Our logo should never be used without the type.



Our logo should never be placed on a busy background.

ATHLETIC LOGOS

Ohio Dominican University athletic logos are primarily used by the Department of Athletics. The athletic logotype should never be used to replace the official university logotype.

Choose from the family of Ohio Dominican University athletic logos for all communications relating directly to intercollegiate sports.

A variety of color combinations using black and yellow (PMS 123) are available for use in promoting various sports, teams and events.

Note: The yellow (PMS 123) used for athletics is different than the gold (PMS 871) used for the university primary logo.

*These logos always need to be accompanied by type stating the name of the university somewhere on the apparel or product. For example, if using the panther head or D-Paw logo then somewhere on the product the type Ohio Dominican or Ohio Dominican University needs to be displayed.







Primary Logos

*See restrictions to the left

*See restrictions to the left



Secondary Logos

PRESIDENTIAL SEAL

The Ohio Dominican University Presidential Seal should be used only in conjunction with official events and materials that are coordinated with the Office of the President.

The seal should be used as a secondary supporting mark to reinforce the official brand on core materials. It should not be used as a replacement for the Ohio Dominican University logo.







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Color Guidelines

COLOR PALETTE

Color plays a prominent role in all ODU communications and is one of the cornerstones of our visual vocabulary.

Our primary color palette is vibrant, unique, youthful and appealing, and provides a flexible range for communications to multiple audiences.

The following color formulas should be used to ensure consistency of color across various platforms. Screens of colors are permitted in certain applications.

Pantone® spot colors and their equivalents for four-color process printing are provided, RGB colors for screen use and hex colors are provided for the web.



TYPOGRAPHY

Consistent typography enhances and clarifies messaging.

Not only does it help our audience get a better sense of institutional identity, it also helps them remember and recognize Ohio Dominican communications.

One of the key factors in any identity campaign is the use of a specified type family.

Note: The typefaces displayed should be used at all times. Contact Monica Martin, Graphic Designer, in the Office of Public Relations and Communications. at 251-4514 or martinm6@ohiodominican.edu with a specific request regarding alternate typefaces.

OHIO DOMINICAN UNIVERSITY

Font: Homestead | Primary Usage: Headlines and sub heads

Font: Homestead Regular

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPORSTUVWXYZ

Ohio Dominican University

Font: Garamond | Primary Usage: Headlines | Note: This can also be used as body copy font.

Font: Garamond Regular

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz

Font: Garamond Italic

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ abcdefghijklmnopgrstuvwxyz

Font: Garamond Bold

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ abcdefghijklmnopgrstuvwxyz

For more than 100 years, Ohio Dominican University has given its students a high-quality liberal arts education in a Catholic environment that nurtures ethical values and community service.

Font: Helvetica Neue | Primary Usage: Body copy | Note: This can also be used as an accent headline font.

Font: Helvetica Neue 37 Thin Condensed

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ abcdefghijklmnopgrstuvwxyz

Font: Helvetica Neue 47 Light Condensed

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ abcdefghijklmnopgrstuvwxyz

Font: Helvetica Neue 57 Condensed

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ abcdefghijklmnopgrstuvwxyz

Font: Helvetica Neue 77 Bold Condensed

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Photography Guidelines

PHOTOGRAPHY

Photography plays a critical role in developing a vivid and meaningful identity for Ohio Dominican University.

Our image style consists of three categories: caught in the moment, portrait and heritage.

A. Caught in the moment

Ohio Dominican's dominant photography style is meant to convey a candid feel, as though the subjects are unaware of the photographer. In cases where subjects acknowledge the camera, the feel should be spontaneous — not forced or posed.

B. Portrait

Portraiture is used to accompany student / faculty / staff profiles and articles that feature a specific individual or concept. Note the comfortable, relaxed portrait style, whether the subject is facing the camera or not. Both color and black-and-white portraits may be used.

C. Heritage

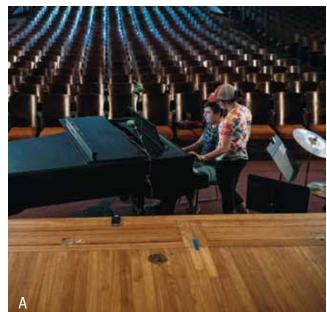
When a sense of Ohio Dominican's history is to be emphasized, heritage shots may be used. As represented in the heritage photos shown here, the feel is often playful and nostalgic.

UNDERGRADUATE

GRADUATE AND ADULT & CONTINUING EDUCATION











HERITAGE



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Best Practices

Our logo, typography, color palette, and graphic elements provide a platform for producing a wide range of creative materials. Used correctly, these elements can help convey the Ohio Dominican story with clarity and authenticity.

The following pages feature examples of "best practices" within the existing ODU family of creative communications.

Undergraduate – Clubs and Organizations

Vibrant photography, direct call-to-action and bold colors characterize pieces targeted at current students – particularly when promoting campus events and organizations.

Undergraduate – Recruitment

Compelling campus, classroom and experiential photography is layered with additional design elements and snapshots to convey all that happens at ODU every day.



Postcard

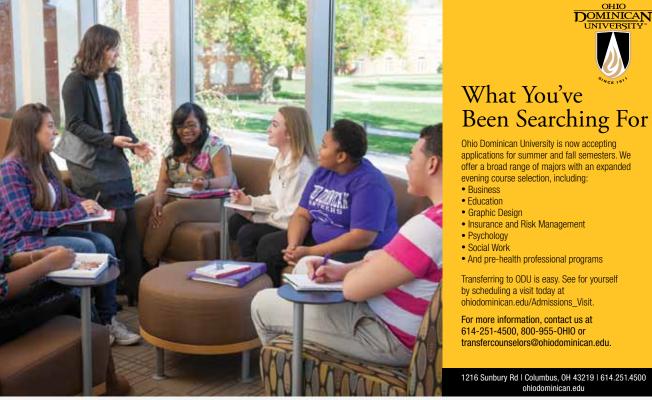




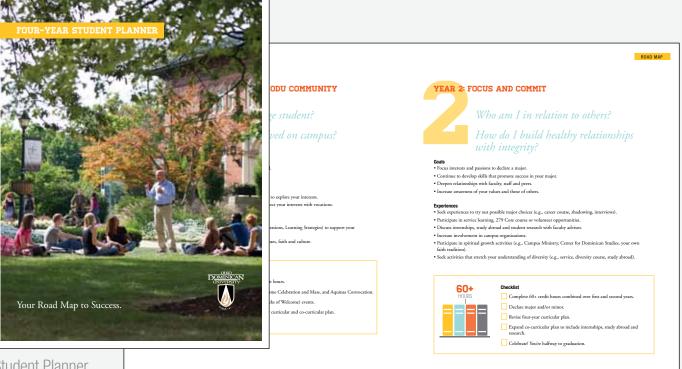
applications for summer and fall semesters. We offer a broad range of majors with an expanded evening course selection, including: Education · Graphic Design Insurance and Risk Management Psychology Social Work • And pre-health professional programs Transferring to ODU is easy. See for yourself by scheduling a visit today at

transfercounselors@ohiodominican.edu.

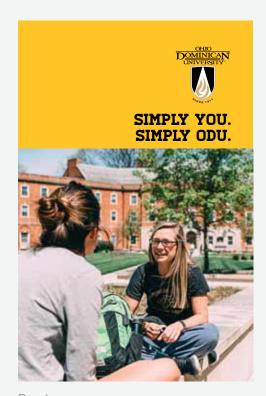
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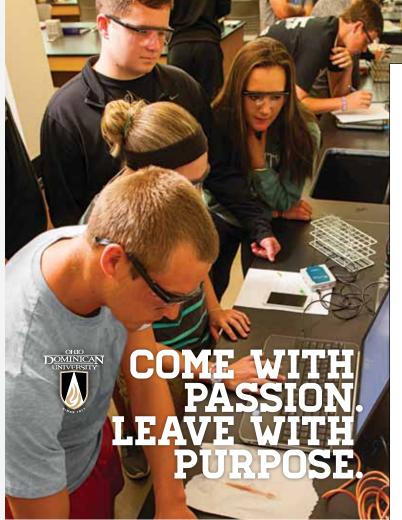
Student Planner



Brochure



Bill Stuffer





You won't find cavernous lecture halls with professors lecturing at you. Our classrooms are different. They're spaces where curiosity thrives and critical thinking evolves. No matter if you're in the classroom or in the lab, you won't be bored. And you certainly will not be anonymous. Why? Because we're just as passionate as you are. We share in your excitement as you transform from a freshman to a wise-beyond-your-years graduate. We love it when you ask the tough questions. We want you to take risks and push yourself. We don't talk at you. We work alongside you.

Sneak Peek! Your First Year
We get it. You may not have everything figured out just yet. That's OK. And even if you do know eardly what you want, you may change your mind. Many students do. That's why the first year at Ohio Dominican is all about you. Peer advisors will show you the ropes. You reademic advisor will make sure you're taking the right courses. Best of all, you'll start your own adventure. Special freshman experiences include:

- Summer Orientation

- Summer Orientation
 Welcome Week
 ODU WOW Welcome activities for first-year students throughout fall semester
 Fall connocation
 Againer Offering motion feat
 Student Origination feat
 Plus: Explore your major with your academic adviser

Every ODU student takes courses in our Core curriculum. You'll learn how to be a lifelong learner, think critically, and develop strong writing skills and ethics that will help you stand out in your career and in life. Seminars include:

- What Does It Mean to be Human?
 What Is the Common Good?
 What Is Justice?
 What Ir Tuths Have We Learned?



Prepare yourself for careers that are in-demand. Our market-driven majors are the ones employers are looking for - right now. You'll learn from faculty who have real experience and success in their field. Plus, you'll get real-world, hands-on experience either in the class-room or through an internship.

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 Education We have 10 + Education majors and relationships with 20+ school districts. Exercise Science The fundation to a career or graduate studies in a health-related field.

 Insurance & Risk Management You'll be quaranteed an internship and job interview.

 Natural Sciences (Biology & Ohemistry) Choose the path that's right for your study and research more in graduate school or start your caree.

 Software Engineering Study with an award-winning team in one of the market's fastest-growing jobs.

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Earn Two Degrees in Only Five Years.

Streamline your education. Get on with the rest of your life — sooner. Spend four years on your bachelor's degree,

Lock-Down Early Admission to Medical School or a Master's Degree. Fulfill your desire to become a doctor or a physician assistant. At ODU, a select number of highly qualified students are chosen for early admission to the Ohio University Heritage College of Osteopathic Medicine or ODU's Master of Science in Physician Assistant Studies program.

Pre-Nursing (in conjunction with Mount Carmel College of Nursing)

Chemistry Education
Computer Science
Criminology & Criminal Justice
Cross-Disciplinary Studies, Bachelor of Arts
Cross-Disciplinary Studies, Bachelor of Science
Early Childhood Education
Fronomics Educational Studies English

Environmental Science

Exercise Science
Finance
Graphic Design
History
Insurance & Risk Management
Integrated Language Arts Education
Integrated Mathematics Education taking graduate courses in your senior year. Then take just one more year to complete your master's degree. Master of Business Administration
 Master of Science in Sport Management

Integrated Mathematics Education Integrated Science Education Integrated Social Studies Educat Intervention Specialist (Mild/Mod Intervention Specialist (Moderate Life Science Education Mathematics Middle Childhood Education

Graduate Degrees
Master of Arts in English
Master of Arts in TESUL
Master of Arts in TESUL
Master of Arts in Theology
Master of Fatsaction - Curriculum & Instruction
Master of Education - Curriculum & Instruction
Master of Education - Educational Leadership
Master of Science in Healthcare Administration
Master of Science in Healthcare Administration

Fast Track to Masters: 4+1 Master of Business Administration Master of Science in Sport Management







Buttons













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Graduate and Adult & Continuing Education

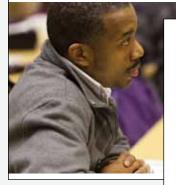
Designed for a more mature, goal-driven audience, these materials reflect a more subdued, professional approach.





Bachelor of Science and Certificate in Accounting





Program Objectives

Ohio Dominican University's Accounting program will help you develop the values-based reasoning skills you need for an entry-level accounting position or to pursue graduate studies. The curriculum fulfills the minimum requirements for the Certified Management Accountant/Certified Financial Manager (CMA/CFM) exams. To apply for the Uniform Certified Public Accountant Exam, you need to meet the examination board's 150-hour professional program requirement. ODU's Accounting courses are designed to enhance your knowledge, skills and abilities related to the University's core competencies of reasoning, communication, collaboration, reflectivity and information technology.

GRADUATES ARE ABLE TO:

- Apply Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) related to financial statement preparation and disclosure.
 Analyze financial statements using oos accounting methods and obcision-making strategies.
 Housestand the business legis and regulatory environment.
 Research appropriate standards, pronouncements, laws and other authority related to all accounting fields.
 Hotel High and recommend otheric closures of action related to to business decisions and fisuses.

ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

. Previous cumulative GPA of 2.25 or higher

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Two Ways to Advance Your Career

Certificate in Accounting Bachelor of Science in Accounting

- One-time class registration Evening classes offered from 6-10 p.m.
 Structured course work
 Classes offered one night a week for majority of course work
- No pissescential yeard-anni required
 Students who already hold a behelor's degree from an accredited college or university have the opportunity to complete the requirements to sit for the Certified Public Accountant (CPA) exam.
 12-month program (if full time, two courses per week)
 - (Core Accounting classes are taken two nights per week.)
- . Evening classes offered from 6-10 p.m.
- - Opportunity to participate in ODU's Volunteer In Tax Assistance (VITA) program
 Opportunity to double major in Business Admir

HOW TO APPLY

- They are college level.

Structured course work

Applicants without Transfer Credits
 Applicants must submit official transcripts of high school graduation or GED prior to consideration for a and must have graduated from high school or earned a GED.

Applicants with Transfer Credits

- Transfer crofts seried from a regionally accredited college or university, or from CLEP, PEP, ACE or other standard evaluations, will be accepted under the following conditions:

 They are from a postsecondary degree-granting

 They reflect a grade of C- or higher.
- They are from a postsecondary degree-granting institution of higher education accredited by one of the six regional accrediting bodies.
- An application is required as well as all official transcripts from accredited colleges and universities attended.
- You can enter the B.S. in Accounting program at three different points, depending on the number of transferable credits.
 1. 0-10 transferable credits: Program length of 4 years
 2. 11.32 transferable credits: Program length of 3 % years
 3. 33 or more transferable credits: Program length of 2 % years

- Submit an application and \$25 application fee.
- Submit official transcripts from all high schools and accredited colleges or universities pre
 Have a TOEFL score of 550 or equivalent electronic score, if applicable.

nts with transferable credit hours in a related course at ODU may sit that course or

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Banner







Photography

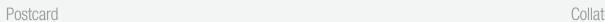
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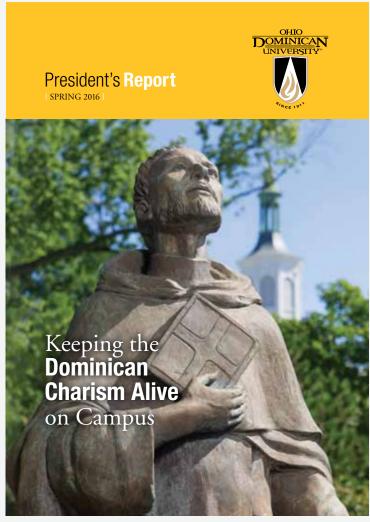
Alumni

To create both a sense of nostalgia and to welcome alumni back to a dynamic, engaging campus, a mix of heritage imagery and current photography is used.









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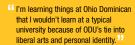
Academics

To highlight the strengths of individual programs, interactive photography with students and faculty conveys interactivity and strong academic relationships.



TRANSFORM YOUR **PASSION INTO PURPOSE**





The professors do a great job of relating their teachings to the real world.

Ohio Dominican is helping me prepare for my career in finance

situations.

by introducing me to real-world

Art Why ODU? In addition to exhibiting your own work, you'll help cutate, design and install exhibitions on cannous, in studios, and with nonprofit sites. Within eight months of graduating, 100 percent of alumin who responded to our survey are employed. What are some of the careers for which an Art degree from ODU will prepare you'? Museums, art centers, education, art therapy

Graphic Design
Why 0017 You'll explore the graphic design process to
develop your technical abilities and critical-thinking skills.
Within eight months of graduating, 75 percent of alumni
who responded to our survey are employed. What are
some of the careers for which a Graphic Design
degree from 001 will prepare you'll Design,
communications, marketing, advertising

BUSINESS

Accounting Why 0017 Marry of our graduates are employed with the Big 4 international accounting firms. You'll have an opportunity to get hands on experience as you partici-pate in 000's Volunteer income Tax Assistance Program. What are some of the careers for which accounting deeper from 000 will prepare you? Public, corporate, government and not-for-profit accounting

Business Administration
Why 000°Y or topional 4-1 NBA program allows
qualified students to save time and money by earning
their bachelor is the Business Administration and an MBA
in five years. Within eight months of graduating, 94
percent of alumin who responded to our survey are
employed or pursaing graduate degrees. What are
some of the careers for which a Business
Administration degree from 000 will prepare you?
Barking, finance, government, information technology
management, marketing

Economics
Why 00U? Our Economics graduates have been accepted to graduate schools at top universities. You may also apply for our 4-1 MBA program, which saves qualified students time and money by earning a bachelor's degree and an MBA in five years. What are some of the careers for which an Economics degree from **ODU will prepare you?** Economics, finance, government, international trade, law, public policy, research

Finance
Why 0017 You'll have access to internships with companies such as NiSource, The Limited, JPMorgan Chase, Mernil Lynch, Hurtington Bank and Nationwise Insurance. In fact, many of our alumn have been successful in finding full-time employment immediately upon graduation with companies just like these. What are some of the careers for which a Finance degree from 00U will prepare you! Stock or mortgage broker, investment banker, treasury analyst, real estate finance.

Communications
Why 0017 Most of our students complete multiple
internables prior to graduation. Industry leaders are on
our board of advisors, allowing you to establish professional contacts prior to graduation. Within eight months
of graduating, 80 percent of alumin who responded to
our survey are employed full time. What are some of the
careers for which a Public Relations & Marketing
Communications degree from 000 will prepare
you? Public relations, business, government, nonprofit

Sport Management:
Why 00UP we have established relationships with the sports industry – including the Columbus Blue Jackets, Columbus Ceres Zoard the Chile Machine. Within eight months of graduating, 100 percent of alumi who responded to our survey are employed or are pursuing graduate degrees. What are some of the careers for which a Sport Management degree from 000 will prepare your Arthétic director, director of marketing, necreational director and positions in sports-related fields at all levels, including prep, collegiate, recreational and professional

EDUCATION

Why ODU? We have relationships with more than 20 school districts, allowing you to gain classroom experience with diverse populations. You'll have a minimum of









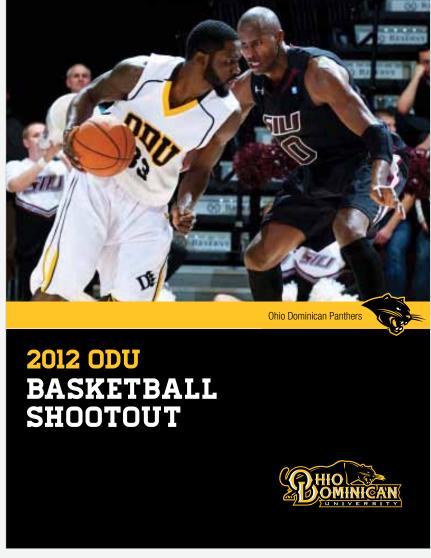


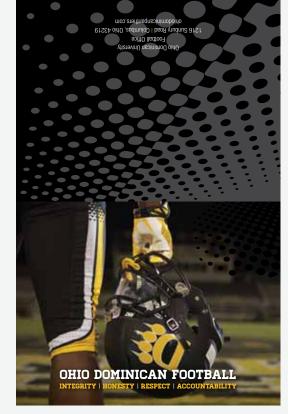
Photography

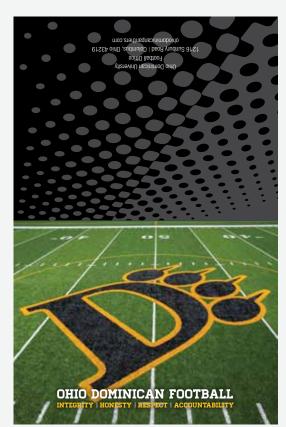
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Athletics

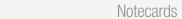
Athletic materials reflect the energy and challenge of ODU athletics, combined with a strong sense of Panther pride. Athletic logos may be used exclusively in these communications.







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Letterhead

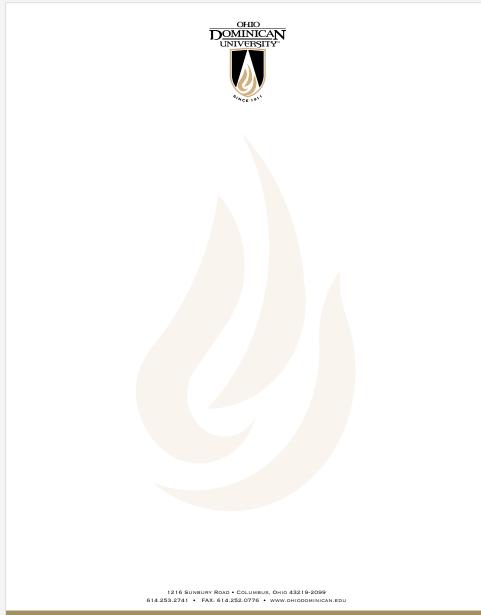
Institutional and Athletic Department letterhead must follow the format displayed.

Note: The letterheads displayed should be used at all times. These should be ordered through Central Stores. Contact Debbie Crum, Purchasing Assistant, in Purchasing, at 251-4654 or crumd2@ohiodominican.edu with a specific request regarding department letterhead templates.

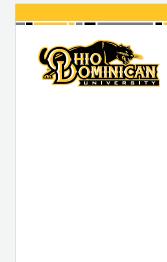
Business Cards

Institutional and Athletic Department business cards must follow the format displayed.

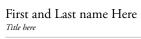
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Athletic Department P 614.251.4537 1216 Sunbury Road F 614.252.2556





1216 Sunbury Road Columbus, Ohio 43219 P 614.XXX.XXXX F 614.XXX.XXXX xxxxxxxxx@ohiodominican.edu ohiodominicanpanthers.com

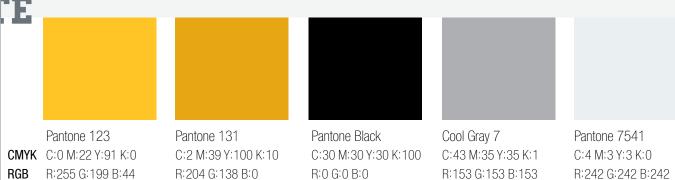
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WEB COLOR PALETTE

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Color carries a strong message and is the visual glue that holds your brand together. Keeping your color palette consistent is key to keeping your brand consistent.



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Web Typography Guidelines

WEB TYPOGRAPHY

Typography needs to be clean and easy to scan. Keeping the number of font weights and styles to a minimum makes for good practice.

Ohio Dominican University

Font: Proxima Nova I Primary Usage: Use for all copy except for web links

Font: Proxima Nova Light

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz

Font: Proxima Nova Regular

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz

Ohio Dominican University

Font: Garamond Bold | Primary Usage: Web links

Font: Garamond Bold

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