

SALISBURY UNIVERSITY HISTORY

In 1922, the Maryland legislature established a commission to determine a location for a two-year college on the state's Eastern Shore. A site at Salisbury was selected and the institution was opened in September, 1925.

The college's two-year course of study was increased to three years in 1931 and to four years in 1934. By 1935 legislative action, the college was authorized to grant the Bachelor of Science.

The academic program expanded in 1947 and in 1960, offering four-year programs in arts and sciences, providing students with a Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science. The University continues to meet the increasing demands of society for quality education, and today offers a variety of undergraduate programs in liberal arts, sciences and in the professional fields of business administration, education, medical technology, nursing, respiratory therapy and social work.

In 1962, the State Board of Trustees approved a graduate program leading to the Master of Education, followed with a Master of Arts in English (1974), a Master of Business Administration (1981), a Master of Science with a major in nursing (1982). The Board of Regents for the University System of Maryland has subsequently approved a Master of Education with a major in public school administration (1994), a Master of Arts in Teaching (1996), a Master of Arts with a major in history (1998), a Master of Science in Applied Health Physiology (2000), and a Master of Social Work (2001).

Today, Salisbury University is a nationally accredited, four-year comprehensive university offering 52 distinct undergraduate and graduate degree programs in a friendly atmosphere that encourages close relationships between faculty and students.

BLACKWELL LIBRARY

Blackwell Library houses more than 250,000 bound volumes, provides an array of electronic resources and incorporates the Teaching and Learning Network, a faculty development initiative, and the separately located and prestigious Edward H. Nabb Research Center for Delmarva History and Culture, a rich collection of primary research materials. All these resources support the University's central mission of teaching and learning.

Library Hours

Regular Sessions

Monday-Thursday	8 a.m. - midnight
Friday	8 a.m. - 10 p.m.
Saturday	10 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Sunday	11 a.m. - midnight

Winter Session

Monday-Thursday	8 a.m. - 10 p.m.
Friday	8 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Saturday	10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Sunday	1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

Summer Sessions

Monday-Thursday	8 a.m. - 9 p.m.
Friday	8 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Saturday	9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Intersession

Monday-Friday	8 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Special holiday/exam week hours will be posted	

Telephone Numbers

Circulation Desk (Information)	410-543-6130
Special Collections, University Archives and the Research Services Desk	410-548-5988

Materials are located on the second floor of Blackwell Library in the SU Archives Room and are accessible only by contacting either the Circulation or Research Services Desk.

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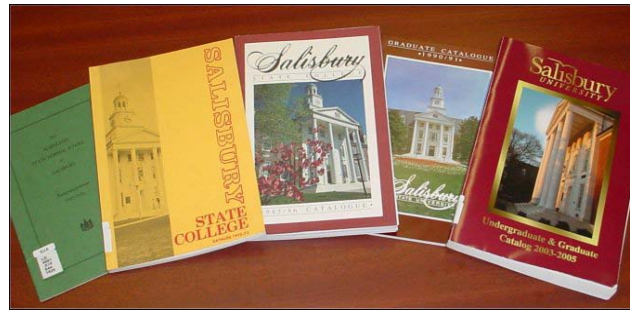
UNIVERSITY ARCHIVES: A Repository for University History

The University Archives document the history and chronicle the development of the University from its founding in 1925 to the present. The Collection includes the SU catalog, *The Flyer* and *Holly Leaf* (SU student newspapers), the *SU News* (SU publication for faculty, staff and students), theses, the *Evergreen* (SU yearbook), other university publications and artifacts.



SU THESES

SU Theses are written in partial fulfillment of the requirements for a master's degree and will soon be available full-text online.



SU CATALOGS

The University Catalogs Collection consists of catalogs from 1925 (State Normal School) to the present.

SU YEARBOOK

The SU *Evergreen* Yearbook Collection consists of yearbooks from 1927 to the present.



SU NEWS

The *SU News* Collection consists of the newsletter publication for faculty, staff, and students. It was published under the former names of *SSC Weekly Newsletter* and *SSC News*.



THE FLYER

The *Flyer* Collection (SU student newspaper) consists of newspapers from 1972 to the present. Its predecessor was the *SSC View* (1968-1971).



THE HOLLY LEAF

The *Holly Leaf* Collection contains newsletters from 1926-1970. The *Holly Leaf* served as a mirror for student activities and expressions of interest in the welfare of the school.

UNIVERSITY PUBLICATIONS & ARTIFACTS

The SU University Publications and Artifacts Collections contain a variety of other materials.

