University of Kentucky

## **UK Rated** High by **Publications**

The University of Kentucky is rated among the top

colleges and universities in a number of recent publications. These include:

Money Magazine Ivy League Programs at State School Prices The Guide to 101 of the Best Values in America's Colleges and Universities The Fiske Guide to Colleges The Insider's Guide to Colleges The 100 Best Colleges for African-American Students

## **Private Support Tops \$37 Million**

Private giving to the University totaled \$37 million in 1994-95, a 17% increase over the previous year.

## 3,897 Students at Medical Center

The Chandler Medical Center at UK includes a 473-bed hospital. More than 3,897 students are enrolled in its five colleges medicine, dentistry, nursing, pharmacy, and allied health professions.

### **Organizations Abound for Students**

UK students have their choice of over 250 student organizations on the campus in Lexington.

## **Campus Life**

More than 6,200 students live on campus in one of 18 residence halls and the Greg Page Apartments.

There are 25 fraternities at UK — with 15 of them providing housing for 525 students. Fraternity membership tops 1,800.

Seventeen sororities at UK have 1,400 members. Thirteen of them supply housing for 585 members.

#### **Tuition**

The 1995-96 undergraduate tuition on the Lexington Campus is \$1,297 a semester for Kentucky residents, and \$3,557 for nonresidents.

## **Key Telephone Listings**

Lexington Campus257-9000
Chandler Medical Center 323-5000
Community College System 257-8607
Admissions257-2000
Public Relations257-3303
Registrar257-3161
Visitor Center257-3595
UK INFOLINE 606-257-568
provides daily updates on sports, fine arts

and other events on the campus in Lexington.

## History

The University of Kentucky was founded in 1865 as a land-grant institution. Policy for the operation of the University is set by a 20-member Board of Trustees, which includes alumni, faculty and student representation. Charles T. Wethington Jr. is UK's 10th president.

### **The Campus**

UK's 673-acre campus is located just south of downtown Lexington in the heart of the beautiful Kentucky Bluegrass region.

## **UK Educates 38% of All Students Going To College in Kentucky**

Enrollment at UK in Lexington is more than 24,000. Another 44,000 students at the 14 community colleges in Kentucky mean that UK is now educating 38 percent of all students going to public and private colleges and universities in the state.

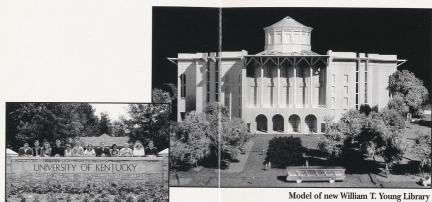
## **Graduate School Enrollment Reaches Record High**

There are 5,200 students, enrolled in the University's 95 master's programs and 59 doctoral programs.

### **16 Academic Colleges**

There are 16 academic colleges and a graduate school in Lexington. They are: Arts and Sciences, Agriculture, Engineering, Business and Economics,

Education, Human Environmental Sciences, Communications and Information Studies, Social Work, Architecture, Fine Arts, Law, Medicine, Dentistry, Nursing, Allied Health Professions and Pharmacy. More than 100 majors are offered.



## **Students Best Ever**

The average ACT score for incoming freshmen is 24.8, four points above the national average. There are 77 National Merit Scholars in the freshman class, 121 Kentucky Governor's Scholars and 112 high school valedictorians.

## **Faculty Attract Extramural Funding**

Testimony to the growing national reputation of the faculty is that they generated almost \$117 million in grants, contracts and gifts (1994-95) in a highly competitive national arena. There are now 1,720 full-time faculty in Lexington and another 1,125 in the community colleges.

## **UK Is A Research University**

The University is designated a Research University of the First Class by the Carnegie Foundation, one of only 59 public universities in the nation and the only one in Kentucky.

## **New Commonwealth Library: #1 Construction Priority**

Construction is under way on the new, \$58 million William T. Young Library. Completion is expected in the summer of 1997. Alumni, employees, students and friends contributed more than \$21 million to help build the new library. The UK library system has more than 2 million volumes.

# **Medical Center Ranks High**

The College of Medicine is ranked third in the nation by U.S. News & World Report for its primary care program.

The College of Pharmacy was named by U.S. News & World Report as the third best pharmacy program nationally.

The UK Hospital is one of the Top 100 acute care centers in the U.S., in rankings done by the Health Care Investment Analysts, Inc.