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The University of Warwick profile 2004

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WARWICK

A man in a dark, long-sleeved shirt is seated in a vibrant red armchair, leaning forward and intently looking at a small electronic device he is holding with both hands. The setting is a modern lounge area with several other armchairs in shades of blue and green. A glass coffee table in front of him holds a few items, including what appears to be a small box or package. The background is a plain, light-colored wall, and the overall atmosphere is quiet and focused.

mission

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- ❑ To become a world leader in research and teaching
 - ❑ Through research of international excellence, to increase significantly the range of human knowledge and understanding
 - ❑ To equip graduates to make an important contribution to the economy and to society
 - ❑ To serve our local region – academically, culturally and economically
 - ❑ To continue to make a Warwick education available to all those able to benefit from it, regardless of economic or social circumstances

people

Total number of students		15,536
Including	Undergraduate	10,346
	Postgraduate	3,962
	International students (undergrad and postgrad)	3,528

Undergraduate Admissions, Oct 2003

	Applicants	32,100
	Intake	3,439

Faculty Populations (as percentage of total student numbers)

Humanities	87% undergraduates, 13% postgraduates	14%
Science	69% undergraduates, 31% postgraduates	33%
Social Studies	47% undergraduates, 53% postgraduates	41%
Medicine	86% undergraduates, 14% postgraduates	12%

Total number of staff		4,354
Including	Academics	824
	Researchers	728

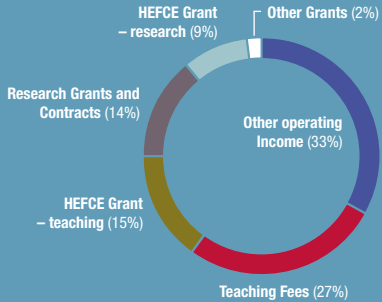




growth

- ▶ **£180 million invested in campus development over last decade**
- ▶ **Warwick chosen to be the main academic partner in the development of the National Health Service University (NHSU)**
- ▶ **Purchase of University House (formerly National Grid House) to relocate University administration and create new Student Resource Centre – The Learning Grid**

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- ❑ **Warwick HRI created, following integration of the University with Horticulture Research International (HRI) Wellesbourne (191 hectare site in Warwickshire) and HRI Kirton (50 hectare site in Lincolnshire)**
 - ❑ **Opening of Clinical Sciences Building at the Walsgrave Hospital site, Coventry, where much of Warwick's medical research is now situated**
 - ❑ **May 2004 – Ranked 5th among UK universities in *The Times Good University Guide, 2004***



finance

Turnover (2002-2003) £212.78 million

Teaching Fees (27%) £57.71 million
 Including Full-time UK/EU student fees (16%) £33.79 million
 Full-time international student fees (7%) £15.31 million

HEFCE Grant Teaching (15%) £31.06 million
 Research (9%) £20.03 million

Research Grants and contracts (14%) £30.36 million

Other operating income (33%) £69.17 million
 (including residences, catering, conferences and management training centres)

Other Grants (2%) £4.45 million

widening participation, improving access

- ▶ 76% of undergraduate entrants in October 2003 came from state schools
- ▶ 166 students on 2+2 degrees (offered in conjunction with local colleges)
- ▶ 189 students studying for Foundation degrees
- ▶ 395 students on the Part-Time Degree Programme
- ▶ 8,102 local students enrolled on Open Studies programmes
- ▶ 8,830 Continuing Professional Development students
- ▶ Warwick AWARDS (Access to a Warwick Degree Scheme): targets first degree candidates from backgrounds with low participation rates in higher education
- ▶ National Academy for Gifted and Talented Youth is now well established at Warwick, having run two very successful summer schools and established a flourishing outreach programme, with places in great demand
- ▶ 214 students currently in receipt of Warwick Graduates' Association scholarships (funded by former students; targeted at UK students from households with low residual incomes)
- ▶ July 2003 – Fourth HEFCE Summer School for 41 students from inner city schools
- ▶ ACE (Aiming for a College Education) Day programmes for local schools held throughout the year

impact on the West Midlands

Economic

- ▶ The University is the fourth largest employer in Coventry/Warwickshire
- ▶ Contributes around £1 billion annually to the local and regional economy
- ▶ Warwick Ventures – creates and nurtures spin-off companies based on University research – 17 companies operational
- ▶ Science Park – 134 high tech companies on four different sites across the region, employing over 2,000 staff

Educational

- ▶ Wide range of courses in all subjects for business and the community
- ▶ Over 70% of Warwick-trained teachers obtain permanent jobs in West Midlands' schools
- ▶ Mercia Institute – partnership with the region's universities, providing entrepreneurial training and support for students and researchers

Cultural

- ▶ Warwick Arts Centre – one of the largest arts complexes outside London – 250,000 visitors to over 1600 events every year

Social

- ▶ Over 1000 volunteers (students and staff) actively engaged in community projects from working with refugees to homework clubs
- ▶ Student charity work – raised over £40,000 in 2003, mainly for local charities

Health

- ▶ The majority of the first Warwick-based graduates of the Leicester Warwick Medical Schools will move into junior posts in local NHS Trusts



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governance

Chancellor: Sir Nicholas Scheele

Pro-Chancellor and Chair of Council: Mr John Leighfield

Treasurer: Mr Peter Dodd

Vice-Chancellor: Professor David VandeLinde

Deputy Vice-Chancellor: Professor Stuart Palmer



Pro-Vice-Chancellors: Professor Robert Dyson,
Professor John Jones, Professor Michael Whitby

Registrar: Mr Jon Baldwin

Finance Director: Mr James Hunt

University Secretary: Ms Cathy Charlton



graduate employment



Students graduating with first degrees, 2003:

- ▶ 63% went directly into work
- ▶ 24% went into further study
- ▶ 8% chose to take time out

Postgraduates

- ▶ Unemployment rate of postgraduates who have completed their course is typically 2% or less

Warwick Skills certificate

- ▶ An undergraduate programme to equip students with the skills demanded by today's employers

Warwick Careers Service

- ▶ Voted by employers in 2004 as one of the top two university careers services in the UK
- ▶ Recently awarded 'Matrix Accreditation'



From the University to:

Birmingham International Airport – 20 minutes

Central London – 2 hours (by M40 or M1)

Euston – 80 minutes from Coventry

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