

President's Report to the Board of Trustees

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Monday, October 8, 2018

FALL 2018 Enrollment

Headcount 19,309

New FTIAC ▲ 9.9%

New Graduate ▲ 3.2%

Total credit hours ▲ 0.7%

Most academically talented
freshman class ever

Average GPA 3.5

Average SAT 1130



Honors College

- Largest entering class ever
 - **>620** students
- Academic excellence
 - \geq **3.7** admission GPA
 - \geq **3.5** graduation GPA
- 2018 FTIACs
 - **3.97** average GPA
 - **4.75** top GPA



FALL 2018 Graduation and Retention

Overall 2017 retention 76.4%

First-year retention

- FTIACs ▲ 0.9%
- Transfers ▲ 2.9%

Graduation Rates*

- 6-year 55% **
- 5-year 49.6%
- 4-year 31.2%
- 6-year (URM) 37.6%

**Figures represent all-time highs for Oakland University*

***Strategic Plan ambitious target rate for 2025 is 55%*



Opening of Hillcrest Hall

- 220,000 square-feet
- 750-beds
- Dining hall
- Meeting spaces
- Classrooms



- Suite-style living
- Kitchenettes
- Laundry facilities
- Study lounges



Hillcrest Hall Grand Opening

Friday, October 5, 2018



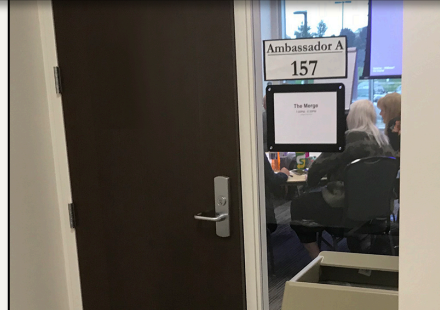
Oakland Center Expansion

Additional 60,000 square feet

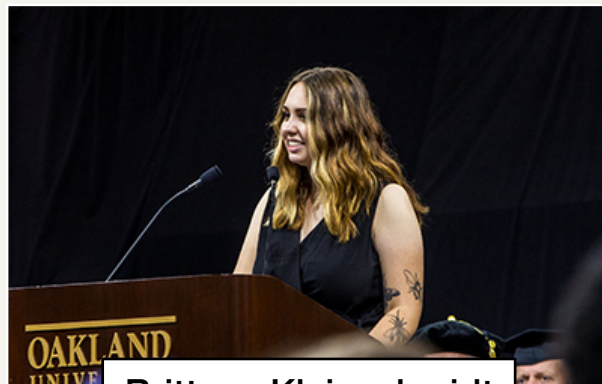
- Founders Ballroom
- The Habitat
- Plum Market Kitchen



- Winter Garden
- Meeting Rooms
- Huddle Rooms
- Reflection Room



2018 New Student Convocation



Brittany Kleinschmidt



Justin Jones-Fosu




Attending University of First Choice

- Fall 2012 – **63.1%** of students nationally
- Fall 2017 – **54.4%** of students nationally

 **8.7 pts**

- Fall 2012 – **63.6%** of OU students
- Fall 2017 – **66.8%** of OU students

 **3.2 pts**

OU is THE University of Choice



Dunya Mikhail

Special Lecturer of Arabic

Department of Modern
Languages and Literatures

**2018 Guggenheim
Fellowship in Poetry**



A scenic view of the Oakland University campus during autumn. A prominent brick clock tower with a white steeple stands in the center, surrounded by trees with vibrant red and orange foliage. The sky is blue with scattered white clouds. In the top right corner, the text "OAKLAND UNIVERSITY" is displayed in a black serif font, with a small trademark symbol (TM) at the end of "UNIVERSITY".

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