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University Analysis
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Miami – Dade Community College

MIAMI – DADE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
300 NE 2ND AVE
MIAMI, FL 33132 – 2204
General info:(305) 237 – 8888
Financial aid office:(305) 237 – 8077
Admissions office:(305) 237 – 7478

Undergrad: 51,717
Grad: 0
Male: 39.0% Female: 61.0%

Instate Tuition: \$1,583
Out – of – State Tuition: \$5,529
Room and Board: \$0

MAJORS IN

Accounting, Accounting Technician, Aircraft Pilot & Navigator Professional, Architectural Drafting, Architectural Engineering Techno/Tech, Automotive Engineering Tech./Technician, Aviation Management, Banking and Financial Support Services, Blood Bank Tech./Technician, Business Administration & Mgmt., Business Computer Facilities Operator, Business Computer Programming/Programmer, Business Information and Data Processing, Business Management & Admin. Serv., Business Marketing/Marketing Management, Business Systems Analysis and Design, Child Care Provider/Assistant, Civil Engineering/Civil Tech./Technician, Clothing Apparel & Textile Workers & Ma, Communications, Computer Main. Tech./Technician, Construction/Building Tech./Technician, Corrections/Correctional Administration, Court Reporter, Criminal Justice/Law Enforcement Admin., Dental Hygienist, Dental Laboratory Technician, Diagnostic Medical Sonography, Dietician Assistant, Drafting, Education of the Deaf & Hearing Impaired, Elder Care Provider/Companion, Elec. Electronic & Comm. Engin. Tech., Emergency Medical Tech./Technician, Enterprise

Management & Operation, Environmental Control Tech, Executive Assistant/Secretary, Fashion Merchandising, Film – Video Making/Cinematography & Prod., Finance, Fire Protection and Safety Tech./Technic, Fire Science/Firefighting, Funeral Services and Mortuary Science, Graphic & Printing Equip. Operator, Graphic Design Commercial Art and Illus, Health & Medical Laboratory Tech., Heating Air Condition. & Refrig. Tech., Hospital/Health Facilities Admin., Hospitality Services Management, Insurance Marketing Operations, Interior Architecture, International Business Marketing, Landscaping Operations and Management, Law Enforcement/Police Science, Legal Administrative Assistant/Secretary, Liberal Arts & Sciences/Liberal Studies 361, Mechanical Drafting, Medical Administrative Asst./Secretary, Medical Assistant, Medical Laboratory Technician, Medical Radiologic Tech./Technician, Medical Records Tech./Technician, Music, Nursing Maternal/Child Health Post – R.N, Nursing R.N. Training, Office Supervision and Management, Operations Management and Supervision, Opticianry/Dispensing Optician, Paralegal/Legal Assistant, Pharmacy Technician/Assistant, Photographic Tech./Technician, Physical Therapy Assistant, Physician Assistant, Practical Nurse L.P.N. Training, Protective Services, Psychiatric/Mental Health Services Tech., Radio and Television Broadcasting Tech., Real Estate, Respiratory Therapy Technician, Security and Loss Prevention Services, Travel Services Marketing Operations, Travel – Tourism Management, Veterinarian Assistant/Animal Health Tec, Visual and Performing Arts

STUDENT BODY:

African – American: 20.6%
American Indian: 0.0%
Asian: 1.2%
Caucasian (non – hispan): 10.6%
Hispanic: 20.6%
International: 3.6%
Unknown: 0.5%

Similar Schools

1. Ohio State University Lima – Lima, OH
2. Ohio State University Mansfield – Mansfield, OH
3. The Boston Architectural Center – Boston, MA
4. Ohio State University Marion – Marion, OH
5. Dickinson School of Law of Penn State – Carlisle, PA
6. Northwood University – Florida – West Palm Beach, FL
7. Emory & Henry College – Emory, VA
8. Washington Bible College / Capital Bible Seminary – Lanham, MD
9. Boston Graduate School of Psychoanalysis – Brookline, MA
10. Northwestern Michigan College – Traverse City, MI
11. Washington College – Chestertown, MD
12. Columbia Southern University – Orange Beach, AL
13. University of North Carolina Asheville – Asheville, NC
14. Northwestern College – Orange City, IA
15. Franklin Institute of Boston – Boston, MA
16. Utica College of Syracuse University – Utica, NY
17. University of Mary Washington – Fredericksburg, VA
18. Georgetown College – Georgetown, KY
19. Cornell College – Mount Vernon, IA
20. Vanguard University of Southern California – Costa Mesa, CA

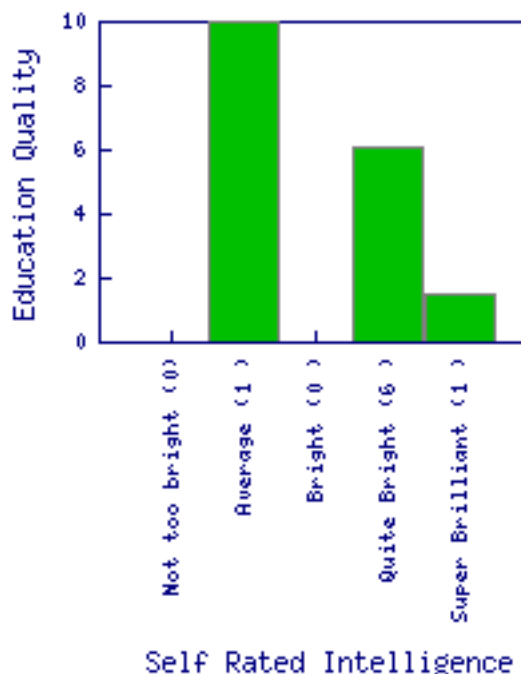
Student Survey Results

Out of 8 Students, 5 (62.50%) would not choose to return to MDCC, while 3 (37.5%) would return.

Faculty are:	
(4)	Friendly
(5)	Helpful
(2)	Arrogant
(1)	Condescending
(2)	Unhelpful
(2)	Self Absorbed

Student Body is:	
(5)	Friendly
(4)	Approachable
(0)	Afraid
(2)	Arrogant
(0)	Broken Spirit
(0)	Violent
(3)	Snooty
(2)	Closed Minded

Education Quality	5.7, C+
Individual Value	5.4, C+
Collaboration/Competitive	4.6, C
Innovation	4.1, C-
Schoolwork Useful	5.5, C+
Friendliness	6.0, B-
Faculty Accessibility	7.1, B
Social Life	2.9, D+
Scholastic Success	5.9, B-
Extracurricular Activities	2.4, D
UniversityResourceUse	4.5, C
Perceived Campus Safety	6.7, B
Surrounding City	7.4, B+
Campus Aesthetics	6.5, B-
Campus Maintenance	5.1, C+
% of teachers who do not speak satisfactory English	0-10%



Student Comments

☹️ *Architecture - Male*

The people who work at this school are ridiculous. You can stand at a window for several minutes before the woman (literally filing nails and talking to friends) decides to help you. Then she'll send you to the place you've already been to nine times that day, the man there will send you back to the window. Extremely disorganized and incredible lack of communication makes getting anything done (ie: correcting a mistake someone made in your student record) an all-day event. I spent .six hours. on campus just trying to get someone to fix the problem they caused.

Also, the students at this school are very arrogant and don't try to be marginally unique or non-christian because they'll probably get to steppin'.

The teachers seem to be somewhat friendly and interesting however, so far. You'd really just have to live here to understand.

☹️ *Education - Male*

I took 2 classes here for teacher certification,

I'm a grad student at the University of Miami but i just needed these classes out of the way. I did them as independent studies. There was a studyguide that I had to buy and complete (as per the syllabus) that was never even checked, what a waste of money. The other class was soooooo easy, i barely had to read the book to pass. Oh, and its not a community college anymore, it offers 4 year degrees

- *Education - Female*

So far I've had a good experience at my campus (kendall). There's a lot of lines and waiting to talk to people but most of the teachers are very good and for the most part most of the other students are ok to get along with. There really is no school life though. Its you go there do your work and go home to your real friends.

☹️ *Nursing (Alumni) - Male*

transcripts are needed to continue further training. There is no link to obtaining an unofficial transcript via the web.

😊 *History/Histories (art history/etc.) - Male*

MDC is the largest college in the nation. It's a good place to get rid of your core classes and transfer to a state university. It's sure as hell cheaper. BUT...LEARN TO ADVISE YOURSELF or find someone who knows how to help you. The staff at MDC absolutely sucks. Advisors are out to make money for the class or don't care. They will put you in a class you don't need and you'll believe it because you're naive and ignorant. Learn to use online resources and decide your major and find out core requirements and electives to take when you transfer to university. I had the fortune of getting awesome or easy profs. Check ratemyprofessors.com on that. Personally, Homestead campus is easy and beautiful and friendly. Kendall is blah. Interamerican is ok. Get an AA and you're practically assured to transfer to FIU or FSU.

☹️ *Other - Female*

I am a graduate from MDC. My experience has been like a roller coaster ride at this college. The advisement counslers don't care what major you have or even try to help. They will just register you for whatever they find convenient. Plan on waiting for 3 hrs or more while they play games on their computers (i've seen it w/ my own eyes). Financial aid is total chaos because students work their and all they have is attitude. They will send you somewhere else just to get rid of you. If one doesn't plan out their own curriculum or decide what upper division school (talk to a counsler at the university not at MDC) to attend well you will then end up with an excess amt of credits that may not even transfer to the upper div (it happened to me). Plus president Padron preaches the importance of higher education but instead he's declining it by hiring more part - time proffessors who just go to get paid while having another job on their mind. This is beneficial in the sense of not having to pay professors benifits. When I started at MDC I didn't know what career to choose I went to the career center and it was no help at all. Due to this I changed my major 4 times and now I'm paying the consequences. Now I have to take prerequisite classes for the Occupational Therapy program I plan to attend. The only good thing about this college was that tuition wasn't expensive. The bookstore is another headache every semester they increase their cost on books. Believe it I've noticed My advice to anyone wanting to attend this college is to contact your upper division program counsler and ask them what classes do you need to take at MDC. Take your general requirement classes no electives and get OUT

😊 *Other - Male*

One of the cheapest 2 year colleges in the country. The education leaves much to be desired but you might as well attend here and build up a bunch of credits and a bunch

of As before transferring to a four – year university. You save in the wallet and leave with a killer GPA. I would recommend MDC to anyone for their first 2 years of college.

How to 'get in'

- *Architecture*
Quite Bright - Male
Bring a change of clothes, a hot towel, and a chicken burrito. You'll be waiting in line for a while.
- *Education*
Super Brilliant - Male (ACT: 29 SAT: 1260)
um...you have to be stupid not to get accepted at this school. My ACT was 29, my SAT 1260, and my GRE 1210, I consider my scores low for what I really could do if i tried...oh well, if you cant get in here, you should go work at McD's
- *Education*
- Male
There really is nothing to do. You go apply and your in. I mean doesnt everyone get in there?
- *History/Histories (art history/etc.)*
Quite Bright - Male (ACT: 28)
Graduated high school. Take and score well on the SAT and ACT. Take AP classes and pass them with a 3 or better. REVIEW FOR THE CPT (algebra and english) if your test scores are bad. You won't want to take remedial classes.
- *Other*
Quite Bright - Female
Piece of cake I graduated from high school with a low GPA and they got me in starting with a fresh 4.0

Student Groups

- *Phi Theta Kappa – Beta Alpha Iota* - BAI chapter of Phi Theta Kappa at the Homestead Campus of Miami Dade Community College in Homestead FL